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SUMMARY:

- 1887, Vol. 1—20 Books of Records opened; 2 merged; 18 left.
- 1888, Vol. 2—32 Books of Records from beginning; 5 merged; 27 left.
- 1889, Vol. 3—34 Books; 6 merged; 28 left.

GENEALOGICAL RECORDS.

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The records are divided into Books; all who can trace their pedigree to a *common ancestor* will find *his name* at the head; each name is numbered when first printed; if the name is repeated the No. follows in brackets; b.=born; d.=died; m.=married; m. (1)=1st wife, etc.; dau.=daughter: instead of repeating the name of a place in the same paragraph, initials only are given; in writing matter for printer use only one side of sheet, use note or letter size paper; leave at least an inch space at the top and a half inch space at left side of each sheet; use two sheets only for a chapter; always indicate the Book to which the records belong; in other letters turn sheet on end, so the foot of one page will be top of next page. Any person whose record shows their death before 20 years of age will be considered as dying unmarried and their names will not appear the second time unless for some special reason. Write all middle names in full. In giving dates—give day, month, year. Answer all questions as fully as possible and give names of such people as you think may be able to complete the record. Old newspaper files, tomb stones, cemetery, church, school, town, county and probate, records and family bibles should be examined and old people consulted. In preparing records for publication, be sure and include the information suggested by the following:

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1—Name in full? 2—Last P. O. address? 3—When and where born? 4—When and where married? 5—By whom and to whom married? 6—Her *maiden* name? 7—Her father's name? 8—Her mother's *maiden* name? 9—When and where was wife born? 10—When and where died? 11—Cause of death? 12—Where buried? 13—If remarried give same data? 14—When and where he died? 15—Cause of death? 16—Where buried? 17—Occupation? 18—Politics? 19—Religion? 20—When and where edu-

cated? 21—What army or navy service? 22—When and what offices held? 23—What knowledge have you of the Family Coat of Arms? 24—What traditions in family? 25—Family history? 26—Give several places and date of residence? 27—Give names and dates of birth of children? 28—Give names of paternal ancestors? 29—Give color of eyes and hair? 30—Weight and height?

BOOK I.

RANDALL LEWIS, Hopkinton, R. I.

CHAPTER XX.

By F. P. LEWIS, LISLE, N. Y.

FROM PAGE 1.

Alvira (87) Lewis, b. Petersburg, N. Y., Feby. 25, 1825; m. Aug. 16, 1845, Petersburg, by Simeon Worden, J. P., Alonzo Brown, a carpenter, republican, Methodist. For a few years after their marriage they resided in their native town, and then removed to Troy, N. Y., where they still reside. They had 4 children:

- 102.I. Edgar Alonzo Brown, b. P., July 8, 1847; d. June 6, 1868; m. Emma O. Wheelock.
- 103.II. Emma Brown, b. Troy, N. Y., Sept. 1, 1855; d. Oct. 11, 1856.
- 104.III. Anna E. Brown, b. T., April 24, 1858; d. Jany. 10, 1879; m. ELLIS HAYNOR.
- 105.IV. George Leslie Brown, b. T. Nov. 14, 1861; m. Aug. 26, 1886, Minnie Sherwin, b. Greenbush, N. Y., Mch. 13, 1870.

Edgar A. (102) and Emma O. Wheelock Brown had 1 child:

- 106.I. Ella Brown, b. T., Nov. 28, 1865.
- George L. (105) and Minnie Sherwin Brown had 2 children:
- 107.I. Irving Brown, b. T., Sept. 24, 1887.
- 108.II. George Alonzo Brown, b. T., Jany. 23, 1889.

Rowland (8) and Lydia Conklin Lewis had 8 children:

- 109.I. Isaac Lewis, b. Kortright, Delaware-co., N. Y., May 6, 1821 d. Bloomville, N. Y., Aug. 5, 1886, of paralysis.
- 110.II. Joshua Lewis.
- 111.III. Elsie Lewis.
- 112.IV. Huldah Lewis.
- 113.V. Sarah Lewis
- 114.VI. Hannah Lewis.
- 115.VII. Thomas Sairland Lewis.
- 116.VIII. Gideon Burr Lewis.

Isaac Lewis (109) m. at K., Jany. 1,

1842, by Rev. Wright Butler, a M. E. clergyman, Freelove Smith, dau. Peter and Polly Davis Smith, b. K., May 5, 1827. He was a carpenter, Republican and Methodist. They had 5 children:

- 117.I. Lida Lewis, b. June 9, 1847; d.
- 118.II. Mary A. Lewis, b. Aug. 7, 1848.
- 119.III. Harvey Lewis, b. Sept. 13, 1850.
- 120.IV. Estella Lewis, b. June 1, 1855.
- 121.V. Harriet E. Lewis, b. June 6, 1861.

BOOK VIII.

JOHN LEWIS, Westerly, R. I.

PART II, CHAPTER XXXIX.

By M. S. LEWIS, PROVIDENCE, R. I.

Correction: Stephen Brayton (361) d. Mch. 7, 1885, instead of 1855.

(FROM PAGES 4 AND 20.)

Susan (179) Lewis was born in Exeter, R. I., Feb. 7, 1785, and died Jan. 1808. She was married 1806 to GARDNER TANNER, son of Samuel, who was the first husband of Mary Tanner, the second wife of John (137) Lewis. They had one child:

1. Albert S., b. Aug. 7, 1807. He now resides in Norwich, Chenango-co., N. Y.

After the death of his first wife, Susan, Gardner Tanner married in 1810, Mary Bates for his second, and in 1826, Sally Mattison for his third wife. Mary Bates was born Sept. 28, 1788, and died Nov. 22, 1825. Sally Mattison was born Jan. 13, 1785. By his second wife he had nine children, as follows:

- I. Theodore G., b. July 1, 1811; d. Mch. 10, 1868.
- II. Horace F., b. Jan. 24, 1813; d. Oct. 5, 1889.
- III. Stephen A., b. Aug. 21, 1814.
- IV. Eliza S., b. Jan. 24, 1816.
- V. George, b. Nov. 18, 1817; d. June 15, 1866.
- VI. Sally B., b. Sept. 16, 1819.
- VII. Asa, b. June 18, 1821.
- VIII. Mary A., b. Jan. 8, 1823.
- IX. Henry G., b. Dec. 10, 1824.

The 1st, 2d and 7th are dead.

Gardner Tanner was born Aug. 19, 1785, and died May 1, 1842.

Joanna (51) Lewis, dau. of Samuel (8) m. Joseph Tanner.

Book 2, p. 106 of Exeter Probate Records states that Letter of Adm. was granted Joanna Tanner, widow of Joseph April 14, 1752.

The inventory of estate March 12, 1752, by George Gardner and Stephen Austin gives the amount as £961, 12s. (p. 109.)

Administrators account on estate of Joseph Tanner dec. Joanna Tanner, Ex. May 20, 1754, £947, 5s. 9d. (p. 187.)

In April LEWIS LETTER, Chap. XVI., Ladd J. Lewis states that Jonathan (98) Lewis' first wife, Sarah Barber was dau. of Benjamin Barber. He is mistaken. She was the oldest dau. of Samuel and Anne Barber. (See chap. XV.) Samuel Barber in his will dated May 27, 1760 and probated July 11, gives to his "grand son, Daniel Lewis (136), 5s. in token of love to his mother, Sarah, deceased."

CHAPTER XL.

By LADD J. LEWIS, NASHVILLE, TENN.

John Ladd (194) was my father. He was the third child of Moses (182) and Eleanor (Ladd) Lewis and was born May 1, 1811, at Lewis City, Exeter, R. I., and in the same house his father and grand father were and which is now (1889) standing and occupied. He was named for his maternal grand father. When he was seven years of age his parents moved from Exeter to Orangeville, Wyoming-co., New York, and to that part of the town known as Cobble Hill. On January 1st, 1839, he was married to Lois only daughter of Gurdon and Dolly (Foster—Gload) Squier, who was born August 27, 1819, at Posterville, Cayuga-co., New York, but who was then a resident of Orangeville. They began house-keeping at Johnsonburgh, New York, about one-half mile west of his late residence, but in the town of Sheldon and with that exception (of one year) they had lived in Orangeville, where he had lived since Nov. 1818. Like his father he was small of stature but of a strong constitution, never having been confined to the house until his last sickness. As a husband and father he was kind always giving his children the best of advice. As a neighbor friendly and accommodating. As a citizen honorable. In his politics a Whig and Republican, voting for Harrison in 1836 and '40 also in 1888. By occupation always a farmer. In his religious belief he was of the Baptist faith and though he never united with any church yet he was a firm believer in the Bible and trusted in Jesus and though we sorrow it is not without hope. He and mother had just passed the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage and until six years ago death had never entered their family circle. On Sunday, Jan. 20th, he attended the funeral of his brother Moses (197). The

next day he complained of not being well, the next day he went to bed and called a physician. The day following he talked with the family saying that he could not complain for he had lived a long time, never had been confined to his bed before and never knew what pain was. He sank gradually and on Thursday noon, Jan. 24, 1839, he passed away, aged 77 years, 9 mos. and 23 days. The following Sunday, Jan. 27th, we buried him at Johnsonburgh, New York, where mother now lives. Their 7 children were.

466. I. *Beda Oriada*, born in Sheldon, Jan. 2, 1840. Living in Orangeville, P. O. Warsaw, N. Y.

467. II. *Mary Eliza*, born in Orangeville, Oct. 17, 1841; died July 25, 1883.

468. IV. *Ladd John*, born in Orangeville, Dec. 22, 1845. Living at Nashville, Tenn.

469. V. *Frank Edward*, born in Orangeville, June 16, 1853. Living at Orangeville Center, N. Y.

470. VI. *William Henry*, born in Orangeville, July 30, 1856. Living in Orangeville, P. O. Warsaw, N. Y.

471. VII. *George Hutchins*, born in Orangeville, July 4, 1862. Living in West Nashville, Tenn.

Jonathan (196) son of Moses and Eleanor (Ladd) Lewis was born in Exeter, R. I., August 25, 1814. Went with his parents to Orangeville, New York in 1818 and has lived in the town ever since. April 2, 1840, he was married to Orinda, daughter of Benjamin and Lucy (Andrew) Weaver, who was born Jan. 12, 1822, in Vermont but then a resident of Orangeville. In politics a Whig and Republican; by occupation a shoemaker. Their 9 children were:

472. I. *Benjamin Franklin*, born Mch. 2, 1841; died April 11, 1881.

473. II. *Lucy Ann*, born Feby. 20, 1844; died April 25, 1864.

474. III. *Jesse Elliott*, born Aug. 28, 1846; died Jan. 4, 1871.

475. IV. *Asahel*, born Nov. 9, 1850; died Mch. 29, 1851.

476. V. *Martha Jane*, born Oct. 30, 1853; died May 17, 1865.

477. VI. *Lois Ella*, born Oct. 23, 1855; died Feby. 13, 1856.

478. VII. *Charles Asahel*, born Aug. 21, 1859. Living at Johnsonburgh, N. Y.

479. VIII. *Edith Orinda*, born May 27, 1862. Living at Johnsonburgh, N. Y.

480. IX. *Wm T. Sherman*, born Aug. 27, 1864. Living at Johnsonburgh, N. Y.

Moses (197) son of Moses (182) and

Eleanor (Ladd) Lewis was born in Exeter, R. I., June 21, 1817, and was but one year old when his parents left there for Orangeville, N. Y. For the advantages he received he acquired a good education and was an excellent grammarian and mathematician. For 40 years he had been totally blind. Before his blindness he was a school teacher. He was a Baptist and a Republican. He kept himself well informed upon the questions of the day, through the kindness of friends who had read to him and having a retentive memory and being a man of strong, positive convictions, he fortified himself for argument and debate. He never married but lived about among the relatives, but called home at Johnsonburgh, N. Y., where he died Jan. 18, 1869, and was buried at Orangeville Center.

Asahel (199) son of Moses (182) and Eleanor (Ladd) Lewis, born Nov. 27, 1821, in Orangeville, and died there Aug. 3, 1847. Unmarried.

As will be seen by Vol. 2, chapter 24, all the other children of Moses (182) died young.

CHAPTER XII.

BY MARY LEWIS STRATTON, HUNTS CORNERS, N. Y.

Peter and Mary Lewis (14 Book 30) Dodge had 3 children:

481. I. *Christianna*, b. Oxford, N. Y., Oct. 27, 1835; m. D. D. Shepard, Feb. 21, 1855, by Elder Ripley, at Oxford, N. Y., have 2 children:

Addie L., b. Nov. 8, 1861.

LaVerne, b. Aug. 10, 1867.

482. II. *Anolia P.*, b. Oxford, N. Y., May 23, 1837; m. R. T. Husted, April 12, 1864, by Rev. S. Crane, at Cortland, N. Y. He d. Stockton, Ga., March 24, 1879, had one child:

Lara Faucher, b. Baltimore, Md., Sept. 8, 1869.

483. III. *Augusta P.*, b. Oxford, N. Y., Dec. 6, 1838; m. at Harford, N. Y., May 9, 1857, by Rev. W. S. Hubbard, to Harry J., son of Col. Mason, and Sally Wattles, b. Lisle, N. Y., Aug. 27, 1832. Harry J. and Augusta Dodge (483) Wattles had 8 children:

484. I. *Mason D.*, b. Lisle, N. Y., May 11, 1858.

485. I. *Louise*, b. Lisle, N. Y., June 21, 1871.

486. III. *Lewis*, b. Lisle, N. Y., June 21, 1871; d. Oct. 12, 1871.

Samuel and Esther Lewis (12-Book 80) Root had 7 children:

287.I. Devillo S. Root, b. Jan. 16, 1836; m. (1.) Anna Brown; d. May 31, 1879; m. (2.) widow Elizabeth Smart; d. Nov. 1887.

488.II. Adoniram J. Root, b. April 14, 1838; d. Mch. 31, 1840.

489.III. Ruth E. Root, b. Dec. 14, 1839, Oxford, N. Y.

490.IV. Juliaetta Root, b. Dec. 12, 1841; d. 1860.

491.V. Laura S. Root, b. Dec. 8, 1844, Oxford, N. Y.; m. A. A. SKINNER.

492.VI. Judson A. Root, b. July 9, 1847, Oxford, N. Y.

493.VII. Alferretta L. Root, b. July 19, 1849, Oxford, N. Y.; m. A. B. IRELAND.

Deville (287) and Anna Brown Root; had 2 children:

494.I. George S. Root, b. Jan. 20, 1867, Brooklyn, N. Y.

495.II. Frank L. Root, b. Nov. 21, 1878, Grand Rapids, Mich.

A. A. and Laura Root (491) Skinner had 2 children:

496.I. Fred. B. Skinner, b. Feb. 20, 1874, Preston, N. Y.

497.II. Annie Skinner, b. Dec. 27, 1880, Greene, N. Y.

A. B. and Alferretta Root (493) Ireland had 2 children:

498.I. Herbert Ireland, b. Mch. 2, 1873, Sherburne, N. Y.

499.II. Frank Ireland, b. Aug. 1874, Greene, N. Y.

CHAPTER XLII.

BY CAROL A. LEWIS, NEW HAVEN, CONN.

CORRECTION.

Mary, wife of Joseph (17) was dau. of Edward Wilcox by his first marriage and not by the second as stated p. 86 Vol. II by M. S. Lewis.

Edward (of Stephen of Edward) m. (1) a dau. of Robert and Mary (Brownell) Hazard. Robert's (of Thomas) sister Hannah m. 1658, Stephen Wilcox father of Edward.

Amos (87) m. 1755, April 20, by John Hicks, J. P., Mary, b. 1737, June 26, dau. of Joseph and Mary Hoxsie; all of Charlestown, R. I. They had one child:

500.I. Augustus J. b. 1759, Oct. 10; he m. Susanna, b. 1756, June 17, dau. of Simeon and Penelope (Kenyon) Perry.

Mary (89) m. 1753, Dec. 30, by Capt. John Hill Peleg Cross, of Charlestown, R. I., b. 1723, Dec. 6. She d. 1812.

May 27; and he d. 1812, Dec. 27. They had 6 ch. b. at Charlestown:

501.I. Mary, b. 1755, May 1.

502.II. Thankful, b. 1757, Sept. 7.

503.III. Peleg, b. 1759, June 24.

504.IV. Mercy, b. 1761, April 28.

505.V. Anna, b. 1763, Dec. 8.

506.VI. Ruhanna, b. 1767, July 27.

Anna (505) m. 1780, Jan. 13, by Joseph Crandall, J. P., her cousin Simeon (276) Lewis, whom the continuation of the records commenced on p. 89, Vol. II. will show to be my great grandfather.

Hannah (15) m. Joseph Wickes (of Thomas of Thomas) of Huntington, L. I. It is said that the ch. of the first Thomas changed the spelling from Weekes to Wickes, in order to distinguish themselves from their cousins at Oyster Bay. Joseph received from his father in 1714, "in consideration of of natural love and affection," the house and home lot, subject to certain reservations during the lifetime of his father and mother. His will made 1739, Mar. 29 was proved in 1746 and made his eldest Joseph, Executor. A copy can be found in the Weeks Genealogy. They had 11 children:

507.I. Joseph, b. 1720; m. 1749, Nov. 20, Mary Platt; d. 1798 at Rensselaerwyck, N. Y.; eight ch.

508.II. Daniel, b. 1724, June 7; m. 1750, Dec. 11, Rebecca, dau. of Jonah and Temperance (Whitman) Wood; d. 1784, July 20, at Nine Partners, Dutchess Co., N. Y.; ten ch.

509.III. Silas, twin bro. of Daniel; d. young.

510.IV. Alexander, baptized 1726, Sept. 11; m. (1) Jemima Jarvis; m. (2) 1778, Jan. 13, Jemima Rose; d. 1789; three ch.

511.V. Ezekiel, b. 1729, May 4; m. 1756, Mar. 28, Sarah Haviland; d. 1809, Mar. 26, at Comac (?); five ch.

512.VI. Hannah, bap. 1732, Jan. 16; d. young.

513.VII. Hannah, bap. 1735, Feb. 16; m. 1754, April 16, Samuel Hartt; five ch.

514.VIII. Son (not named) accidentally killed by his father.

515.IX. Jesse, bap. 1737, July 19; d. young.

516.X. Silas, b. 1740, April 7; m. 1765, Nov. 18, Esther, dau. of James (Sen.) and Mary Pine; lived at Reading, N. Y.; six ch.

517.XI. Mary, bap. 1742, May 16; m. 1762, Aug. 7, Jesse Brown, of Norwalk, Conn.

Book XI.

GEORGE LEWIS, of Hopkinton, R. I.

CHAPTER V.

BY CARL A. LEWIS, NEW HAVEN, CONN.

CORRECTIONS AND ADDITIONS FOR PAGES 35
AND 36, VOL. I.

- 26.IX. Peter { b. 1781, Mar. 13.
27.X. Amy { twin.
28.XI. Mary, b. 1784, May 3.
29.XII. John Ballou, b. 1789, May 31, all
b. at Voluntown, Conn.
Peter (26) m. 1805, Mar. 10, Katy Bur-
dick, by Allen Campbell, J., at V.
They had ch. b. at V.
- 158.I. George, b. 1807, Mar. 1.
159.II. Lydia, b. 1808, Nov. 25.
160.III. Allen C., b. 1815, Oct. 10
161.IV. Hoxey A., b. 1818, Jan. 4.
162.V. Stillman P., b. 1820, Feb. 22.
163.VI. James M., b. 1822, July 28.
164.VII. William P., b. 1824, July 21.

- 41.V. Hannah, b. 1783, July 14.
43.VII. Martha, b. 1785, Sept. 30; both b.
at Voluntown, Ct. Martha was called
Pattie by the family.

- 77.I. Sally, b. 1800, July 27.
78.II. Lydia, b. 1803, Aug. 8.
79.III. Clark, b. 1804, Jan. 15.
82.IV. Hannah, b. 1807, June 13.
83.V. Eunice, b. 1810, April 15.
80.VI. Stephen, b. 1812, June 9.
81.VII. Samuel, b. 1815, April 10.
84.VIII. Ezra, b. 1816, Oct. 24.
85.IX. Arnold, b. 1821, Mar. 22.
86.X. Elsie, b. 1823, Oct. 17.

BOOK XXIV.

GEORGE LEWIS, 1630.

CHAPTER XII.

BY GEORGE LEWIS, HINGHAM CENTRE,
MASS.

CORRECTIONS AND ADDITION.

In Vol. 2, No. 2, page 14, only four
children of Thomas (4) and Mary
(Davis) Lewis were given. I now give
the 3 children of Mary and 6 of Hannah:

- 20.I. James, b. Mar. 31, 1654.
21.II. Thomas, b. July 15, 1656. *see p. 64*
22.III. Mary, b. 1659.
Thomas for 2d wife m. Hannah—
- 22½.IV. Elizabeth, b. Dec. 7, 1669, at
Swansea, Mass.
22¾.V. Persithe, b. June 15, 1671, at
Swansea, Mass.
23.VI. Samuel, b. April 23, 1673, at
Swansea, Mass.

23½.VII. Hepsibah, b. Nov. 15 1674, and
m. James Thurber, Dec. 25, 1706.

23¾.VIII. Joseph, b. May 13, 1677.

23⅞.IX. Deborah, b. March 19, 1679.

The above was by favor of Myron S.
Lewis, Prov. R. I.

Children of John, (161) who m. Mary
Mitchell, (daughter of Dea. Jacob
Mitchell, by his first wife, Mary How-
land) on the 20th of Nov. 1746. She
was b. at Pembroke, Mass., June 27,
1723.

John (161) went from Hingham, to
North Yarmouth, Me., June 11, 1743.
In May following, a French and Indian
war broke out, and as North Yarmouth
was then a frontier town; he chose to
stay there. He was a graduate of Har-
vard College and a lawyer, and was a
Judge of the court of Common Pleas.

He had 4 children:

188.I. John, b. Sept. 3d, 1747; d. Feb.
25, 1752.

189.II. Asa, b. Feb. 20, 1750; d. June 19,
1808, after a long illness of consump-
tion, at N. Yarmouth, Me.

190.III. Mary, b. Aug. 28, 1752.

191.IV. Isalah, b. Jan. 14, 1757; d. on the
evening of the 10th of April, 1758, of
throat distemper. Mary, wife John
(161) d. on Saturday, the 30th of Aug.
1794, aged 71 years, 2 mos., after a
long sickness. For 2d wife he m.
Lydia Worthley, Aug. 11, 1796.
John (161) d. Mar. 4, 1803, aged 85
years and 9 months. He took a cold
returning from Court at Portland,
where he held a session of ten days.
He died in 26 hours after he was
taken sick.

Deborah (162) was m. by Rev. Dr.
Shute, to Jacob Sylvester, of Scituate,
April 2, 1745. They had but one child:

192.I. Deborah, b. July 17, 1753; bap.
Aug. 5, following.

James Hawke Lewis (163) m. Lydia
Pratt, of Weymouth, Mass., on the day
he was 25 yrs. old, Dec. 27, 1749. They
had 11 children:

193.I. Lydia, b. May 26, 1750; d. Nov. 18,
1751.

194.II. Lydia, b. Dec. 9, 1751; d. unmd.
Aug. 14, 1837.

195.III. John, b. Jan. 3d, 1754. He went
to Suffield, Conn., and d. Feb. 3d,
1828.

196.IV. Elizabeth, b. Mar. 10, 1756; m.
Seth Pitts, of Augusta, Me.; d. May
18, 1845.

197.V. Rachel, b. Nov. 24, 1757; m. Ben-
jamin Wentworth; d. July 18, 1842.

198.VI. James, b. Dec. 6, 1759; m. Han-

- nah Peirce, of Dorchester, Mass.; d. Oct. 20, 1827.
- 190.VII. Hannah, b. Jan. 27, 1763; d. unmd. July 27, 1842.
- 200.VIII. Laban, b. April 12, 1764; m. 1st Rebecca Withington, daughter of Philip and Rebecca (Fuller) Withington. M. 2d Abigail, daughter of James and Abigail (Puffer) Endicott. He died July 17, 1842.
- 201.IX. Benjamin, b. Nov. 13, 1766; m. Hannah Fisher; d. May 20, 1860, aged 93.
- 202.X. Lucy, b. Mar. 3d, 1769; m. John Davenport, and died Jan. 20, 1852.
- 203.XI. Elijah, b. Mar. 3d, 1773; m. 1st Fanny, dau. of Edward and Rebecca Sumner; m. 2d Elizabeth, dau. of Jesse and Elizabeth Daggett; d. Dec. 15, 1858.

Elijah (203) was a man of mark; he was President of Roxbury Bank for a long time; he left a large property which came to his son George of Boston who had he lived would have taken charge of Book XXIV, LEWIS LETTER.

The above account of the children of James Hawke Lewis, was furnished by Mrs. Franklin Curtis, of Canton, Mass., a descendant of John (51).

Abishai Lewis (164) b. Aug. 9, 1728; m. Sarah, dau. of Jacob Sprague, a descendant of William Sprague who settled in Hingham in 1636; and removed to Barnard, Vermont. They had 3 children:

- 204.I. Abishai, b. _____
 205.II. Daniel, b. _____ d. young.
 206.III. Sarah, b. _____

I have no further record of children. Abishai (164) died at Barnard, Vermont, in the fall of 1797, aged about 69 years.

Hannah, (165) b. June 29, 1731; was m. by Rev. Daniel Shute, to Edward Wilder of Hingham, on the 20th of Feb. 1751. Children, viz:

- 207.I. Edward, b. Nov. 15, 1751.
 208.II. Hannah, b. Sept. 16, 1753.
 209.III. Joseph, b. June 15, 1755.
 210.IV. Isaiah, b. May 20, 1757.
 211.VI. Leah, b. June 13, 1762.
 212.V. Deborah, b. Oct. 23, 1759.
 213.VII. Benjamin, b. July 30, 1764.
 214.VIII. Celia, b. June 15, 1766.
 215.IX. Abishai Lewis, b. March 23, 1779.

Edward (207) oldest child of Hannah (165) m. Mary Hersey (a sister of Hannah Hersey who was the grandmother of Charles Sumner, U. S. Senator from Mass.) and had 21 children, 5 sons and 16 daughters. One of these children, Martin Wilder, left a large amount of money, for

the benefit of South Hingham, his native village, a part of the money has been expended in building "Wilder Memorial Hall" which is used as a Lyceum, and for any other purpose conducive to the benefit and convenience of the people of South Hingham, and a large fund yet remains. The descendants of Hannah (165) are very enterprising and highly respectable and intelligent people; none more so.

Asa Lewis (189) second child of John (161) b. Feb. 20, 1750, at North Yarmouth, Maine; was m. by Rev. Mr. Niles, at Abington, Mass., to Sarah Hobart, dau. of Col. Aaron Hobart, of Abington. She was born there June 13, 1770 and m. Oct. 11, 1787. He had 3 children;

216.I. Susannah Cushman, b. Jan. 25, 1789. Sarah, wife of Asa Lewis, d. on Friday, Jan. 7th, 1791, at six o'clock in the morning, after 20 days illness. Although greatly desired, it pleased the Lord to take her away in early life, at the age of 20 yrs. six months and 25 days. Asa Lewis for 2d wife married Lucy Southworth, dau. of Dea. John Southworth of North Yarmouth, Maine. They were m. by Rev. Mr. Gilman, Sept. 10, 1795. Children:

- 217.II. George, b. July 5, 1796 and bap. by Rev. Mr. Lancaster, on Aug. 14, following.
 218.III. Sarah Hobart, b. Sept. 17, 1797; bap. by Rev. Mr. Gilman on the 24th of the same month. Lucy, wife of Asa Lewis, died on the Lords day, March 25, 1798, between six and seven o'clock in the morning, of consumption. She retained her reason until the last moment and expressed a wish to be with Christ.

190 Mary the third child of John (161) was born Aug. 23, 1752, and was m. to Daniel Mitchell (a descendant of Experience Mitchell, one of the Pilgrim Fathers) on the 4th of March, 1773. Daniel Mitchell was born at Yarmouth, Maine, June 15, 1745. 9 children, viz:

- 219.I. A daughter, b. Dec. 2d, 1773; d. Jan. 27, 1774.
 220.II. John, b. May 21, 1775; d. March 9, 1777.
 221.III. Lewis, b. Dec. 17th, 1777; d. in a fit Sept. 20, 1803, aged 26 years.
 222.IV. Mary, b. Aug. 22, 1780.
 223.V. Daniel, b. June 13th, 1783.
 224.VI. Benjamin, b. March 23d, 1786.
 225.VII. Asa, b. Nov. 2d, 1788.

The above children were born in the house of John (161). They moved into

their own new house Feb. 2d, 1791, and the last two children were born there, viz; 226.VIII. Sarah Hobart, b. Aug. 20, 1791. 227.IX. Jacob, b. April 17th, 1794, and died June 3d, 1795, of a disease unknown to doctors. Daniel Mitchell, father of the above children died May 22d, 1795, of a fever, and was buried on the 25th, aged 50 yrs. lacking 24 days. He left a widow and 7 minor children.

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BOOK XXIX.

JOHN LEWIS, N. J., 1721.

CHAPTER III.

BY B. FRANK LEWIS, PENNINGTON, N. J.
FROM VOL. 2, PAGE 91.

- 26.II. Nelson Martindell Lewis, b. March 9, 1847; m. Helen Grey Black, of Vincentown, Burlington-co., N. J., Dec. 31, 1879. No children. He attended school at Pennington Seminary, thence went to Freehold and finally to Kimbell Union Academy Meriden, N. H., when owing to illness he was compelled to relinquish his studies and return home. He is a Republican in politics and served two terms (1881 and 1882) in the N. J. Legislature, being elected by the largest majority ever given in his district. He declined running for State Senator and is now giving his attention to agricultural pursuits.
- 27.III. Dr. William Cornell Lewis was b. May 27, 1854. Graduated at the University of Pennsylvania, class of '80; m. Mary Holcomb Phillips, Mar. 10, 1879. Three children. He built up an extensive practice in South Amboy, N. J., which he gave over to his brother Smith two years ago and is now practicing in Jersey City with good success.
- 28.IV. Dr. Smith Haines Lewis was b. May 15, 1858; graduated at the University of Pennsylvania, class '81. Not married. Practicing medicine at South Amboy, N. J., and is surgeon of the Amboy division of the Pennsylvania R. R.
- 20.V. Susie Smith Lewis was b. June 12, 1861, and died suddenly Aug. 27, 1872, in the 12th year of her age, and is buried in the family lot in Pennington cemetery.

BOOK XXXI.

LEWIS LEWIS, Wales.

CHAPTER III.

BY RICHARD G. LEWIS, CHILLICOTHE, O.
FROM PAGE 7.

Thomas Cotton Lewis, 1, was a tall, well formed man; "the handsomest man I ever saw," said Charlotte (Price) Lewis, wife of his brother Josiah. He was a well educated man for his times, quick to learn, and ingenious in the application of his knowledge; a skillful workman himself, he was capable of directing effectively the efforts of others under him. He passed through a varied life from apprentice to foreman, then to proprietor, then to daily wages again, up and down till age prevented further changes. He served apprenticeship in Merthyr Tydfil, South Wales, to become a machinist, draughtsman and millwright. Then he became foreman or superintendent of the factory. He started a brewery in Merthyr, and carried it on successfully, but became too fat for health, weighing more than 300 lbs. He sold his brewery property for twelve thousand pounds, and became master mechanic in erecting new iron works at Newbridge. He was then not forty years of age. He became surety for the Newbridge Co. and lost his all. Starting a second brewery at Neath, the officers got after him for more surety money as soon as he began to prosper, so he sold out and came to the United States, landing in New York city June 18 or 19, 1815. The next day he declared his intention to become a citizen. He spent several months in New York in a machine shop, there turning the first rolls made in New York for crushing sugar cane, building first the lathe in which to turn them. Thence he went to Middletown or Plumpsock, Fayette-co., Pa.

Here his family joined him, coming over in the spring of 1817 in the merchant ship "Chauncey." He remained here a year or so, and erected and run in 1818 for Mason & Co., of Connellsville, the first mill in the United States for rolling bar iron from blocms. His brothers and sons helped start the above mentioned "bar mill." Then he located and surveyed lands in Pennsylvania for iron ore and coal. In 1821-2 he put up a blast furnace in Butler-co., Pa., for Whiting & Co. and built the first tramway or railway in the United States. It was nearly two miles long, made with 4 by 4 scantlings laid on sleepers, ballasted with dirt and broken stone, and was used for carrying coal, iron ore, limestone, lumber, etc. to

the furnace. In 1824 he made another road $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles long, down the south branch of the Susquehanna; it was built like the former and was used for conveying coal, ore and limestone to the furnace of Mr. Karthaus, of Baltimore, whose son-in-law, Mr. Hurlstall was manager of the furnace. This road was also used for shipping coal to Baltimore.

After a time he purchased a farm in Butler-co., joining Parker's landing, now one of the great oil fields of Pa. This also he lost by going security for some business friends. He repaired and remodeled two or three mills in Pittsburgh, and built a new rolling mill in Centre-co., Pa., for Curtain. As master mechanic he erected "the upper" rolling mill in Portsmouth, Ohio, in 1832, for Glover, Noel & Co. He prospected and surveyed coal and iron ore lands in Jackson-co., O. for Thos. James of Chillicothe, O. He went up the Kanawha river in Virginia to prospect and locate coal lands for one Buckner or Ruckner. With his son, Thomas Cotton Lewis, Jr., he started a foundry in Portsmouth, O., in 1842, but soon gave up the business and settled on a farm near Wheelersburgh, O., owned by his last wife. There he died after an industrious life of hard work and effort for himself and others. He was a member of the Protestant Episcopal church, and always a moral, straight forward man.

R. G. L.

BOOK XXXIV.

RICHARD LEWIS, Providence, R. I.

CHAPTER II.

BY CARL A. LEWIS, NEW HAVEN, CT.

FROM PAGE 9.

Of Edward's (2) ch I can find no trace whatever, of Richard (7), Dyer (8) and Hannah (12). What reader can assist?

Thomas (9) m. in Woodstock, Conn., 1762, Nov. 18, Mrs. Mary Russell, of Ashford, Conn. They removed to Jefferson-co., N. Y., where he d. 1829. They had no ch.

Daniel (10) m. in Ashford, Sept. 2, 1776, Mrs. Sarah (Ward) Lyon. Her first husband, by whom she had one son Allen, was killed at the battle of Bunker Hill. Daniel also served in the Revolutionary war. His wife d. 1813, April 8, and he d. 1836, Mar. 20. They had eight children, all b. in Ashford.

16.I. Cynthia, b. 1777, Mar. 10.

17.II. Lavina, b. 1778, Nov. 23; d. 1794, Oct. 8.

18.III. Edward, b. 1780, Aug. 27.

19.IV. Anne, b. 1782, Sept. 6.

20.V. Percie, b. 1785, Dec. 24.

21.VI. Daniel, b. 1788, Feb. 10.

22.VII. Phila M., b. 1790, Aug. 29.

23.VIII. Thomas, b. 1795, Aug. 9.

Anne (13) m. (1) Ebenezer Fitts and m. (2) ——— Jennings, of Willington, Conn. They afterward removed to that part of Ashford now known as Eastford, where she died.

Tibble (14) m. ——— Freeman; she lived and d. in N. Y. State.

Bridget (15) m. 1780, Benjamin Handfield, who came to this country from Scotland, when a small boy with his uncle William. He served in the Revolutionary war and was in the battle of Bunker Hill. She d. 1823, Oct. 10. They had seven children:

24.I. William, b. 1781; m. Janette Cooper and d. 1830, Aug. 8.

25.II. Lewis, b. 1783; m. Sally Baker and d. 1847, Mar. 29.

26.III. Polly, b. 1785, April 4; m. Roswell Brown and d. 1849, Aug. —.

27.IV. Betsey, b. 1788, Aug. 29; m. 1813, Daniel (21) Lewis.

28.V. James, b. 1790; d. 1792.

29.VI. Lucinda, b. 1793; m. 1821, May 25, Abner Boutelle [his second wife; see Cynthia (16)] she d. 1795.

30.VII. Nancy, b. and d. 1795.

(End of fourth generation.)

Questions and Answers.

The address of Prof. William Gill Lewis is desired by R. H. Cooke, Pittsfield, Mass.

The ancestry of Edmond Lewis and wife Mary, who emigrated 1634; freeman, Watertown, Mass., 1636; had sons John and Thomas,—is desired by William H. Lovett, Beverly, Mass.

The ancestry of Randall Lewis, of Hopkinton, R. I., 1765, Book I.—is desired by F. P. Lewis, Lisle, N. Y.

Ray Greene Huling New Bedford, Mass., desires to know the ancestry of Mary Lewis, who married Joseph Lewis, of Westerly, R. I., April 5, 1781? His line is John, father of John, father of Joseph, father of Joseph, born Dec. 25, 1700. Also who was the wife of the first and second John?

Rollin H. Cooke also desires list of the 140 passengers on the ship Mary and John.

Please send the address of Henry Harrison Lewis to the office of LEWIS LETTER.

Letters.**CONNECTICUT.**

CARL A. LEWIS, New Haven, Conn., Feb. 16, 1889: I am working on a clue which I think will result in merging Book IX.

MASSACHUSETTS.

GEORGE LEWIS, Hingham Centre, Mass., Feb. 11, 1889: I find that John Lewis, of Book 13, built house No. 18, at Scituate, Mass., in 1635. George Lewis came there from Plymouth the same year and probably lived in the same house. John Lewis Book 24, No. 161, wrote his family history in which he says John and George were brothers.

MISSISSIPPI.

WM. T. LEWIS, Perryville, Miss., Dec. 10, 1888: With the assistance of my relative, Clark Lewis, M. C., from my district, I expect to issue my genealogy of the Lewis family in a few months.

NEW YORK.

FANNY LEWIS MARSHALL, Greenwich, N. Y., Feb. 15, 1889: My daughter, Sarah and I will visit Troy and Rochester this spring.

M. B. LEWIS, Lockport, N. Y., Dec. 11, 1888: I send money order for two copies of Vol. 3, LEWIS LETTER.

OHIO.

R. G. LEWIS, Chillicothe, Ohio, Jan. 28, 1889: I enclose some notes for your paper, among them is a postal note. Make the paper a true chronicle. Put in odd and bad as well as good—only let the bad stand on their own demerits, and not on the merits of their family.

DELIA LEWIS ADAMS, Constantia, Del. Co., O., Feb. 13, 1889: I am very much interested in the LEWIS LETTER, and renew my subscription. My progenitor came from Wales. The line to me is John Lewis, father of David, father of David Jr., who was born Salem, Conn., 1780; m. Almira Caulkin; moved to Ohio, in 1804.

NOTES.**CONNECTICUT.**

Rollin H. Cooke, of Pittsfield, Mass., has consented to prepare a general index of the 3 Vols. of the LEWIS LETTER for publication in the Dec. No. . . . Pardon Lewis, baggage master at Mystic, Conn., was killed by a train Dec. 11, 1888.

His cap blew off and as he sprang after it, was hit by the incoming train. He was 45 years old and unmarried.

LONDON, ENGLAND.

George H. Lewis, of London, the most famous divorce lawyer in England, comes into the "Is Marriage a Failure?" controversy with the luminous suggestion that "in addition to their present rights women ought to be entitled to a divorce for cruelty endangering life for two years and upwards." This is a very English idea—that a woman must endure cruelty endangering her life for two years before she can be entitled to a divorce. We beg leave to amend Mr. Lewis's suggestion by substituting for the words "two years" the words "two seconds."

KANSAS.

The Lewis Comedy Company gave a weeks entertainment at Athens City, Kan., in Oct. 1888.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Weston Lewis, of Boston, Mass., has accepted the presidency of the Manufacturers National Bank, 88 State St. . . . David Lewis, a portrait painter of Boston, Mass., and the son of Thomas and Sarah Merrey Lewis; was killed at the siege of Yorktown, Va., April 5, 1862.

. . . W. O. Lewis of the Boot and Shoe Recorder, made an after dinner speech at a recent meeting of the Mass. Shoe Fraternity held at the U. S. Hotel in Boston, Mass. . . . O. E. Lewis, of Boston, Mass., is general manager of the Co., which makes the wire-grip fastening machine.

NEW YORK.

Walter H. Lewis is one of ten

trustees of the Five Points House of Industry, 155 Worth St., N. Y. . . . "The House of Secrets" is a popular romance by Mrs. Harriet Lewis.

NEW JERSEY.

G. W. Lewis and son, Burlington, N. J., are manufacturers of misses', childrens', and infant's shoes. They have built a factory 36 by 100 feet, and three stories high, which will turn out 1200 to 1500 pairs of shoes daily.

PENNSYLVANIA.

G. F. Lewis, Cory, Pa., subscribed \$200, to the National Prohibition Campaign Fund in 1888.

RHODE ISLAND.

The Narraganset Historical Register completed its sixth volume during 1888. It is edited by James N. Arnold, of Providence, R. I., and is worthy of a place in every carefully selected library. . . . A. C. Bunnell, of Providence, R. I., is an engraver of whom cuts may be purchased for use in the Lewis paper. . . . Everett A. Lewis, son of the late Robert T. and Ada Lewis, died in Pawtucket, R. I., Jan. 31st, 1889, at the residence of his sister, Mrs. Prince M. Dexter, after a long illness of consumption. He was well known here, having been long a resident of this place. He was a jeweler, at which trade he worked in Providence for a long time. For several years he was a member of the Pawtucket fire department, retiring therefrom on account of ill-health. He was in his 34th year, and leaves one daughter, the adopted child of Mr. and Mrs. Dexter. . . . Abram Lewis, the night patrol on the Westerly,

R. I. section of the N. Y. P. and B. railroad while riding his velocipede Dec. 18, 1888, was thrown from the track and seriously injured. . . . Died in Providence, R. I., 1885, Kate Lewis, dau. of Horace D. and Sarah J. Lewis, and wife of Gilbert Wilson, in her 39th year. . . . Married in Central Falls, R. I., June 3, 1874, Lucius T. Mason and Etta A. Lewis, of Woonsocket, R. I. . . . George C. Lewis is the author of a book entitled: "An Inquiry into the Credibility of Early Roman History."

TENNESSEE.

Miss Lewis aged 13, while walking on a railroad track was run down by a train near Alexanders, N. C., Dec. 11, 1888.

Lewis Fragment No. 10.

Lewis Records from the "History and Genealogy of the Ballou's in America, by Adin Ballou.

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Alanson M. Lewis, son of Henry and Elizabeth (Sheldon) Lewis, b. in Lewis, N. Y., June 2, 1823; m. Elvira L. Fish, dau. of Thomas and Lavina (Ballou) Fish, b. Feb. 5, 1831, cer. in Elizabethtown, N. Y., Feb. 15, 1853, by Rev. P. P. Atwell.

Issue, b. in Lewis, N. Y.

- I. Walter S. Lewis, b. Jan. 10, 1859.
- II. Delbert A. Lewis, b. July 31, 1861.
- III. Emma R. Lewis, b. April 23, 1863; d. Sept. 8, 1881. Reside Wadham's Mills, Essex-co. N. Y.