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Its object is to bring all of the name of Lewis and their kin into mutual acquaintance and friendship, to discover for each one his kindred and keep him posted in regard to all their trials and successes in life, and to record for use of themselves and their posterity the traditions, biography and genealogy of all the Lewises.

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List of the Books of the Lewises.

Earliest Ancestors—When and Where.

- I. Randall, 1765, Hopkinton, R. I.
- II. Benjamin, 1670, Stratford, Conn.
- III. David L., Wales to Philadelphia.
- IV. Richard, 1793, Wales to N. Y.
- V. Richard, R. I.
- VI. Joseph, 1776, Vt.
- VII. Joshua, 1680, Wales to Conn.
- VIII. John, 1661, Westerly, R. I.
- IX. Elisha, Titchfield, Conn.
- XI. George, 1733, Hopkinton, R. I.
- XII. William, 1632, Farmington, Ct.
- XIII. John, 1635, New London, Conn.
- XVI. Benjamin, 1785, Wales to Wis.
- XIX. John, 1640, Wales to Va.
- XX. Levi, 1762, Sussex-co., N. J.
- XXI. Gerardus, 1720, N. Y. City.
- XXIV. George, 1630, Eng. to Mass.
- XXVI. Thomas, 1818, Va. Ky. Mo.
- XXVII. Jariah, 1780, Westerly, R. I.
- XXVIII. Joseph, 1769, N. J.

- XXIX. John, 1721, Amwell, N. J.
 - XXXI. Lewis Llandaff, Wales 1816.
 - XXXIII. Edmund, 1634, Lynn, Mass.
 - XXXIV. Richard, 1706, Providence R. I.
 - XXXV. Robert, 1585, Wales to Va.
 - XXXVI. John, 1634, Malden, Mass.
 - XXXVII. Elisha, 1770-1828.
 - XXXIX. Jesse, 1774, Hopkinton, R. I.
 - XL. Francis, 1713, Wales to N. Y.
 - XLII. Joseph, 1675, Swansea, Mass.
 - XLIII. Samuel, Somerset Co. N. J. 1717.
 - XLIV. William 1640 Roxbury Mass
 - XLV. John 1732 Ireland to Va.
 - XLVI. Thomas 1745 New London, Ct.
 - XLVII. Zachary 1692 Wales to Va.
 - XLVIII. Joseph, Wales to Chicago.
 - XLIX. Thomas L., Wales to Ohio.
 - L. William, Coed Wales.
 - LI. John, Holland to Mass.
 - LII. William, Maryland 1637.
 - LIII. Ellis, Wales to Penn. 1708.
 - LIV. Evan, Wales to Penn. 1682.
 - LV. Stephen, Llanfynydd, Wales.
 - LVI. John, Hopkinton R. I. 1694.
 - LVII. Enoch, Cheat River Penn.
 - LVIII. Benajah, Providence R. I. 1734.
 - LIX. William, New Jersey 1682.
 - LX. Thomas, Dighton, Mass 1760.
 - LXI. The Shipbuilder Pittsburg Pa.
 - LXII. Marshall, Binghamton N. Y.
 - LXIII. Philip, N. J. to Ohio.
 - LXIV. Benjamin, Farmington Ct. 1729.
 - LXVII. David, Wales to Del. 1800.
 - LXVIII. Aaron, Va. to Ky. 1780.
 - LXIX. Henry, Culpepper-co. Va. 1765.
 - LXXI. Samuel, Plymouth Ct. 1742-1822.
 - LXXII. John, Henrico-co. Va. 1640.
 - LXXIII. Tho Buckingham co Va. 1750.
 - LXXIV. Exum, Edgecombe-co. N. C. 1775.
 - LXXV. Paul, Rhode Island 1770.
 - LXXVI. William, Rhode Island 1760.
 - LXXVII. Benjamin 1812 Oswego N. Y.
 - LXXVIII. George 1640 Casco Bay Me.
 - LXXIX. Reuben 1814 Wells Vt.
 - LXXX. Thomas 1630 Saco Me.
- Missing numbers are of Merged Ecks.

Lewis Who Served Their Country.

BY ELWIN G. DAVIS, BOSTON, MASS.

Connecticut Revolutionary Rolls. In these lists the names of pensioners in 1818, 1832, and 1840 are omitted as already given on p 130, Vol. V.

Lewis, ———. on list of soldiers from Chatham.

Lewis, Abel, private in Capt. Kimball's Co. "Connecticut Line," enlisted May 26, 1777 during War; discharged Feb. 10, 1781.

Lewis, Abel, private on pay roll of Capt. Nehemiah Rice (of Waterbury) from Jan'y 1, 1781 to Feb. 7, 1781.

Abijah, Lewis, private in Capt. Robert Walkers Co. (of Stratford) Enlisted Aug. 3, 1776 discharged Nov. 15, 1776.

Abraham, Lewis, private in Capt. Samuel Prentice's Co. (3d) of Col. Parson's (6th) Regt., Enlisted May 6, 1775 (?) discharged Dec. 17, 1775.

Abraham Lewis, Corpl. in Capt. Richard Hewit's Co., Paid from Aug. 24, to Nov. 7, 1777.

Andrew Lewis, private, Capt. Ely's (of Lynn) Co., Enlisted May 26, 1777 for 8 months discharged; re-enlisted Feb. 1, 1778 for three years; discharged Dec. 18, 1780.

Asa Lewis on list of Conn. men shipped for 6 months in Ship Trumbull entered Jan. 3, 1776 left the ship July 4, 1776.

Augustus Lewis, private, in Capt. Samuel Gale's (8th) Co. of Killingworth Col. Parson's (6th) Regt., Enlisted May 10, 1775 discharged, Dec. 19, 1775.

Bartlett, Lewis, Private in Capt. Scott's Co., (2d Co.) Col. Spencer's (2d) Regt. Enlisted May 5, 1775. discharged Dec. 18, 1775.

Bartlett Lewis, Sergeant. Capt. Tyler's Co., Col. Huntington's

Regt., Reported missing after Battle of Long Island, Aug. 27, 1776.

Beach Lewis, private on list of men in Capt. Yeates' Co., Reported arrived in Camp, July 4, 1778.

Beauh Lewis, private Capt. Yeats' Co. marched Oct. 5, 1777 discharged Oct. 27, 1777.

Benjamin Lewis, private. On Descriptive list of Third Troop of Dragoon's Artillery, etc.. Enlisted March 3, 1777, Residence Litch. field, a farmer, 5 ft. 7½ inches, dark, eyes dark, hair sandy. discharged June 1, 1780.

Benjamin Lewis, private in Capt. Nehemiah Merrell's Co., 18th Regt. of Militia, at New York. Arrived Aug. 19, 1776, discharged Sept. 25, 1776.

Benjamin Lewis, private, Capt. Abel Petibone's Co., Engaged March 26, 1777, discharged May 5, 1777 at Peekskill.

Benoni Lewis, Sergeant. in Capt. Bunnell's Co., of Wallingford 1776.

Caleb Lewis, private in same 1776.

Chancey Lewis, private. Capt. Savage's Co., Enlisted May 30, 1777, Transferred to S. B. Webb's Regt., May 1, 1780; enlisted for War, Residence, Farmington.

Chauncey Lewis, private on pay Roll of Capt. Elisha Hopkins Co.. of Hartford, Enlisted Jan. 1, 1781. paid to Dec. 31, 1781.

Christopher Lewis, seaman on the Galley "Shark" [built at Norwich] Enlisted June 11, 1776, discharged Aug. 1, 1776.

Clear Lewis, private on list of Capt. James Peck's Co., in Col. Roger Enos' Battalion, Sept. 17, 1777.

David Lewis, private on list of men in the 10th Co.. (Capt. Samuel Peck Gen. Wooster's Regt. 118) marched to New York. Raised in New Haven Co. Time of enlist-

- ment of this Co. not given, discharged in Northern Department Nov. 25, 1775.
- David Lewis, private (Capt. Noadiah Hooker (of Farmington) Co., enlisted May 5, 1775, discharged Dec. 19, 1775.
- David Lewis, private, Capt. Fitch's Co., Enlisted Feb. 23, 1777, during war, discharged Nov. 11, 1781. Residence, Lebanon.
- David Lewis, private in Capt. Simon Spaulding's Wyoming or Plainfield Co., paid from Jan. 1, 1781. to Dec. 31, 1781.
- David Lewis, private Capt. Hand's Co., raised in Guilford for N. Y. expedition, enlisted March 22, 1776, discharged Apr. 18, 1776.
- David Lewis, private in Capt. Stevens' Co., Col. Mott's Regt. in Northern Dept., 1776.
- David Lewis, Corporal in Capt. Stanley's Co., June 24, 1776.
- David Lewis, private, Capt. James Morgan's Co., Enlisted Sept. 8, 1776, died Oct. 29, 1776.
- Eben. Lewis, private in Capt. Starr's Co. in 1775.
- Eben Lewis, private, Capt. Yeats' Co., marched Oct. 5, 1777, discharged Oct. 13.
- Ebenezer Lewis, private in Capt Wm. G. Hubbell's Co., Enlisted July 12, 1775, discharged Dec. 19, 1775, Capt. Hubbell was from New Fairfield.
- Ebenezer Lewis, private, Capt. Catlin's Co. Enlisted Jan. 10, 1777, for during war deserted in 1st muster.
- Ebenezer Lewis, private, Capt. Kimball's Co., enlisted May 28, 1777, during war deserted March 1, 1778.
- Ebenezer Lewis, on Descriptive list of Dragoons. etc.. Third Troop. private, enlisted April 16th, 1777. Residence, Sharon Shoemaker, 5 ft. 5½ inches, complexion light, eyes grey, hair brown, discharged May 4, 1778.
- Ebenezer Lewis, on Size Roll of Capt. Chapman's Co., Feb. 1, 1783, Private, enlisted M'ch, 1777 for 3 years, Residence, Woodbury.
- Ebenezer Lewis, private on list of men in Col. Swift's last Regt., transferred from his own Regt. of previous formation enlisted M'ch 16, 1782 time expires M'ch 16, 1785.
- Ebenezer Lewis, private in Capt. Mills' Co., enlisted June 23, 1776 discharged Jan. 11, 1777 (?)
- Elear Lewis, private, on list of short levies who served in 7th Conn. Regt., in 1780 under Col. Heman Swift enlisted July 7, 1780 discharged Dec. 9, 1780.
- Elezer Lewis, private in 4th Regt. Enlisted July 10, 1780, discharged Dec. 14, 1780.
- Eleazar Lewis, of Milford, private in Col. Canfield's Regt. of Militia in 1781.
- Eli Lewis, private in Capt. Daniel Sloper's Co., Major Sheldon's Regt. Light Horse, enlisted Oct. 26, 1776 discharged Dec. 24, 1776.
- Ezekiel Lewis, Lieut., joined Capt. James Stoddard's Co.. of Militia Aug. 6, 1781.
- Elihu Lewis (probably of Woodbury) private in Capt. Jas. Stoddard's Co., Militia, Enlisted Aug. 6, 1781.
- Elijah Lewis, Corporal, Capt. Hooker 6th Co. Enlisted May 4, 1775, disch'g'd Dec. 18, 1775.
- Elijah Lewis, Quartermaster of 2d Bat. Wadsworth's Brigade Col. Gay, Battalion Raised June 1776 to Reinforce Washington at N. Y. Served at Brooklyn, N. Y. during Battle of L. I., Aug. 1776.
- Elijah Lewis, of Derby, private in Col. Canfield's Regt. of Militia at West Point, Sept. 1781.
- Elisha Lewis, private, Capt. Amasa

Mills' Co. Militia in 1778.
 Sergt. Ely Lewis in Capt. Hooker's Co. list of non-commissioned Officers, 1776.
 Enoch Lewis, Ensign, Capt. Peleg Curtis' Co. Militia, Marched Oct. 5, discharged Oct. 15, 1777.
 Ensign Lewis, on list of men in Massachusetts and Hampshire Grants paid by Conn., for service in Ticonderoga expedition, "Mentioned by Ira Allen as with him in the Expedition."
 Ephraim Lewis, private, in Capt. Amos Jones' Co., drafted Aug. 24, discharged Oct. 30, 1777.
 Ezekiel Lewiss, on list of householders in Bethlehem, Minute Men and Volunteers, "We, the householders of Bethlehem do volunteer and engage to equip ourselves for the defense of our rights, etc." July 18, 1776.
 Ezekiel Lewis, of Woodbury, ensign in Col. Roger Enos' Regt., June, 1777.
 Francis Lewis, private on Lexington Alarm List, Belonged Haddam, 19 days service.
 Frances Lewis, private in Col. Heman Swift's 7th Conn. Regt. Enlisted June 26, 1780, discharged Dec. 13, 1780.
 Grodis Lewis, private in 6th Co., (Capt. James Clark, of Lebanon), enlisted May 11, 1775, discharged Dec. 16, 1775 (3d Regt.)
 Hezekiah Lewis, private, Capt. Munson's Co., enlisted May 26, 1777, for 8 months, discharged Aug. 22, 1777.
 List of Privateers, 1775-1783—"Humbird," Schooner, 2 swivels, 10 men, Commanded by I. Lewis.
 State Regiments in New York—Feb. April, 1776, Col. Ward's Regt., Lt. Col. Ichabod Lewis, of Stratford served with militia in the summer.

4th Regt. Militia. Lt. Col. Ichabod Lewis of Stratford promoted from Capt., May, 1775, died in the fall of '76.

Isaac Lewis, private, Capt. Savage's Co., enlisted Apr. 25, 1777 for during war, transferred to S. B. Webb's Regt., May 1, 1780. Residence, Farmington.

Isaac Lewis, private, in Capt. Elisha Hopkins' Co., paid from Jan. 1, '81 to Dec. 31, '81.

Rev. Isaac Lewis of Greenwich, Chaplain to Col. Bradley battalion, Wadsworth's Brigade [Isaac, 250 II. v p 132, Vol. VII.—Ed.

Corp. Isaac Lewis, on list of soldiers detached from the Conn. "Line" to serve in Armand's Cavalry, Nov. '81, and with it in July, '82.

(to be continued.)

More Lewis Soldiers Identified.

In the Revolutionary Record on p 50. Vol. VIII writes Geo. Harlan Lewis of N. Y. City, the first three of Asa are Asa (15.XLII) and the last two of Benjamin are Benjamin (13.XLII) v p 104 Vol VI. On p 51 Vol VIII Isaac of Francetown was Isaac (103.XLIV.) v p 107, Vol VII.

The Kimball Family News.

The Kimball Family have started a paper. Its *News* is published by G. F. Kimball, the manager of the Kimball Printing Co. of Topeka, Kansas. Its second issue contains a large amount of unclassified matter of more or less genealogical interest. LEWISIANA wishes it success but thinks it makes a mistake in not adopting a permanent form for the paper, if for no other reason for its preservation in bound volumes. However we greet its advent with the heartiest goodwill and hope it has come to stay.

GENEALOGICAL RECORDS.

Explanations, Abbreviations, etc.

For convenience the records of the various Lewis families are divided into Books and each Book into chapters. At the head of each Book appears the name of the earliest known ancestor of that family. The List of Books is a complete index to the Books as published to this time. New Books will be added from time to time as new branches of the Lewis family are found. As soon as Books are approved parts of others they will be merged into the Books to which they belong. Each name is numbered when first printed and whenever the name is repeated this number follows in brackets. The abbreviations commonly used in genealogical work are used: as b. for born; d. died; m. married; m. (1) first wife; dau. daughter; unm. not married; v. p. see page, etc.

BOOK VII.

JOSHUA LEWIS, Wales to Conn.

CHAPTER IV.

FROM A "BUSY DAY LEAFLET."

Dr. Talmage, with his clear insight, discovered the secret of success of the "crusaders," for he says: "When my dear friend, Dio Lewis (gone to rest all too soon) conducted a campaign against drunkenness in the West, and marshaled thousands of the noblest women of the land in that magnificent campaign, and whole neighborhoods and villages, and cities, shut up their grog-shops, do you know the chief weapon used? It was the song, 'Nearer, my God to thee; nearer to thee.' They sang it at the door of hundreds of liquor saloons which had been open for years, and either at the first charge of the campaign or the second, the saloon shut up. At the first verse

of 'Nearer, my God, to thee,' the liquor-dealers laughed; at the second verse, they looked solemn: at the third verse, they began to cry: and at the fourth verse, they got down on their knees. You say they opened their saloons again. Yes, some of them did. But it is a great thing to have hell shut up, if only for a week. Give full swing to a good gospel hymn, and it would take the whole world for God!"

[Dio (17) son of John Case (8) and Delecta (Barbour) Lewis, v p 116 Vol IV.—ED.]

BOOK VIII.

JOHN LEWIS, Westerly, R. I.,
1661.

CHAPTER CCLXVII.

BY GEORGE LEWIS, PROVIDENCE, R. I.

Oliver (18.XXXVIII v p 41, Vol IV.) m. Apr. 26, 1807, in East Greenwich, R. I. by H. Cooke, Justice, Harriet dau. of widow Mary Brown. After Oliver's death his widow m. 1815 Job Harkness for many years superintendent of the mills at Anthony village, Coventry, R. I. They had 8 ch.
I. Charles.
II. Horatio.
III. Mary..
IV. Celia.
V. Henry.
VI. Robert.
VII. Emily.
VIII. Sarah.

Oliver (18) and Harriet (Brown) Lewis had ch.

2332.I. Joanna B. d. Nov. 16, 1877 in Anthony, R. I. in her 90th year.

Oliver (18) b. Sept. 12, 1785 was son of Jacob (4 v p 24 Vol. IV) and Hannah (Wilcox) Lewis and gr. son of Jacob (2549 v p 134 Vol. VI) and Prudence (43 Lewis v p 47 Vol. I) Lewis.

CHAPTER CCLXVIII.

BY ELWIN G. DAVIS, BOSTON, MASS.

Continuing the Lewis-Crandall notes (v p 68, Vol. VIII) the next is

Daniel C. (1995 v p 143 Vol. V) son of Moses B. (1333 p 84 Vol. V) and Mary A. (Crandall) Lewis m. (2) in Exeter, R. I., Dec. 21, 1872. L. A. Shippee.

Amy (1083) b. Nov. 16, 1813. dau. of Daniel (1066 v p 124, Vol. III) and Sarah Ann (Northrup) Lewis m. Thomas W. Clarke. A son b. Stonington, Ct.

2833.I (?) Dan Wright b. 1839 m. in Groton Ct., Oct. 29, 1831 Nancy Janette b. Groton Ct., 1844 dau. of John and Jerusha L. (Bates) Crandall and the divorced wife of Urbane Avery.

CHAPTER CCLXIX.

Azro Nathaniel (2388 v p 23, Vol. VI) b. Jan'y 31, 1842 m (1) June 2, 1870 Marie Antoinette Stillman b. Sept. 13, 1848 d. Aug. 24, 1877; m. (2) Apr. 26, 1882 Miranda Wilmarth Sheldon. He was a successful physician at Westerly, R. I., held the office of State Senator for R. I., and is now at San Francisco where he has been for several years engaged in the settlement of a large estate. 6 ch. b. first 4 by m. (1) rest by m. (2).

2834.I. George Welcome b. Apr. 23, 1871.

2835.II. Ralph Stanley b. May 1, 1875.

2836.III. Marie b. Jan'y 8, 1877 d. Aug. 16, 1877.

2837.IV. Mabel b. Jan'y 8, 1877, d. Sept. 18, 1877.

2838.V. Azro Nathaniel b. Dec. 20, 1883.

2839.VI. Charles Lux b. Feb. 24, 1885.

Hannah E. (20.LXV v p 110 Vol V) b. Sept. 12, 1810 d. July 11, 1878 dau. of Simeon P. and Mary (Potter) Lewis m. Mar. 11, 1823 John Babcock

Browning, b. Feb. 25, 1794 d. Aug. 10, 1880. He was a soldier in War of 1812. 5 ch. b.

2840.I. John D. b. Mar. 25, 1830 m. Mary A. Browning of No. Kingston, R. I. They lived at Burnside, R. I. 4 ch.

I. Sarah.

II. John.

III. Robert.

IV. Edgar.

2841.II. Bridget B. b. Jan'y 10, 1832 m. Geo. A. Stanton and lived at Westerly, R. I. 3 ch. b.

I. Hattie B.

II. Fannie P.

III. Anna-L. m. Daniel Champlin.

2842.III. Mary E. b. Mar. 28, 1835. m. Elisha W. Browning of Narragansett Pier, R. I. 5 ch. b.

I. Oscar W.

II. Elisha W.

III. Mary L.

IV. Susan P. m. Arthur L. White.

V. Kate S. m. Elisha Chappell.

2843.IV. Charles O. b. Dec. 24, 1837. m. Lucy Gardiner of Charlestown, R. I. and lived at Stonington, Ct. 4 ch. b.

I. Charles O.

II. Ida F.

III. Alfred.

IV. Edwin.

2844.V. Joseph L. b. Apr. 26, 1843. m. Mar. 16, 1872, Emma A. Saunders b. Mar. 17, 1841. 2 ch. b.

I. Hannah L. b. Aug. 6, 1873.

II. John B. b. Aug. 24, 1875.

Joseph H. (21) b. Nov. 4, 1814. m. Oct. 1, 1845, Nancy Williams b. Nov. 6, 1824. 6 ch. b. Westerly, R. I.

2845.I. Elwin F. b. Feb. 5, 1849.

2846.II. Mary P. b. Mar. 13, 1851.

2847.III. William H. b. Feb. 10, 1853.

2848.IV. Anna W. b. June 8, 1856.

2849.V. Joseph H. b. Sept. 16, 1858. d. Dec. 20, 1862.

2850.VI. Charles C. b. Apr. 26, 1855.

(to be continued.)

BOOK XII.

WILLIAM LEWIS, Farmington, Ct.

CHAPTER CXVI.

BY ELWIN G. DAVIS, BOSTON, MASS.

In these Lewis-Crandall Notes (v p 68 Vol. VIII) is the following of the old Book XVIII.

- Polly (331, v p 24 Vol. IV) b. Dec. 16, 1785, d. June 4, 1842, dau. of Benjamin and Mary (Howe) Lewis m. Nov. 11, 1810 Eber b. Oct. 15, 1789 d. June 21, 1866 son of Abner and Mary (Wilcox) Crandell. It will be noticed that this line of the family spelled the name "Crandell" ch. b. 1001.I. Corinne L. b. July 3, 1811. 1002.II. Lewis b. Feb. 18, 1813. 1003.III. Finette W. b. July 1, 1815. 1004.IV. Angeline B. b. Mar. 13, 1818. 1005.V. Alvin A. b. Apr. 19, 1820. 1006.VI. Oliver L. b. Oct. 9, 1822.

BOOK XXIV.

GFORGE LEWIS, Barnstable, Mass.

CHAPTER CXI.

BY MYRON S. LEWIS, LEADVILLE, COL.

This record is given in "Jonathan Lewes, 312 v p 102 Vol. III) His Bible" now in the possession of John L. Ross of Providence, R. I.

- 470.I James 1st son b Jany. 25, 1740 d Nov. 1, 1764 "on the coste of Afreca."
Elizabeth (1144) his child b Nov. 3, 1764 d Dec. 26, 1790 [v chap. 266 Book VIII last issue.—ED.]
471.II. Barnabas 2d son b Oct. 7, 1743 d Dec. 25, 1766. "Montage bay Jamaica."
472.III. Joshua 3d son b Jany. 9, 1748. d Nov. 1774.
473.IV. Jonathan 4th son b May. 26, 1750.

I send LEWISIANA for its files a facsimile of the original deed which for many years has been kept in this family. This deed (Middletown, Ct. 4th book

of records fol. 157) given "the first Day of September. Anno Domini. 1722. In the Ninth year of His majesties Reign George over Great Britain etc. King." by "William Ward of Middletown, In the County of Hartford. In the Colony of Connecticut In New England. Cooper" for the sum of Five pounds and Ten shillings conveys to "James Lewis of Barnstable. In the County Barnstable, In the Province of the Massachusetts Bay In New England. Marrinor," a parcel of land "on East side of Connecticut River within the last three miles Granted to sd. Town of Middletown it being the ninety-ninth lot Containeing Thirty four Acres and a halfe and is Bounded Easterly and Westerly on highways, Northerly on Robert Collers land. Southerly on Isaace Lanes land being four Chains and seventy nine links in Breadth".—

Is this James (39) the father of Jonathan Lewes (312) above?

It should be noticed that Joseph (11) and his son Joseph (49) and the latter's ch. and descendants though Benjamin (833) of Billerica, Mass. (v Index p 191 Vol. VII) have been removed from this Book and placed in Book XLII. Joseph Lewis, of Swansea, Mass.

BOOK ~~XXIII~~ ~~XXIIII~~

EDMUND LEWIS, Lynn, Mass.

CHAPTER XXX.

BY GEO. HARLAN LEWIS, N.Y. CITY.

John Lewis (34) Cordwainer. v p 8, Vol III. He died intestate.

Letters of administration were granted to Robert Lewis (43) July 22, 1813. He was appointed guardian of Amos (52) and George (53).

The valuation was \$4,523. One third set off to widow Martha and the balance divided into 8 parts of \$424.50 each June 30, 1817, and assigned viz. No. 1 to Robert (43), No. 2 to Blaney (46), No. 3 to Nathan (48), No. 4 to

Henry (49) No. 5 to Amos (53), No. 6 to George (54), No. 7 to John deceased, No. 8 to Betsy Phillips (50). Essex Probate Records V. 384 p 163 and V. 390 p 357.

Sarah (42) Martha (44) Elizabeth (47) Mary (51) and Asa (52) evidently died young as no mention is made of them in the settlement of the estate, there being no will.

Edmund Lewis (35) 3rd. v p 8 Vol. III. d Oct. 16, 1815, m Nov. 4, 1784. Hepzibah Newhall his cousin dau. of John and Sarah (27 Lewis) Newhall. She d Feby. 13, 1821, ac. 56 years. Ch. 266.I Sally b May 4, 1735.
267.II Elizabeth b Mar. 24, 1787.
268.III Hepzibah b Sept. 10, 1789.
269.IV Anna b Mar. 30, 1792.
270.V Benjamin b Apr. 9, 1795.

Essex Deeds V 153 p 188. Joseph Gaskill and wife Sarah of Lynn, for £210 to Daniel Ingalls (37) and Edmund Lewis, Cordwainer of Lynn, a dwelling house, barn and other buildings, 2½ A. land bounded on Estate of wife of Ephraim Alley, John Lewis and common land, Apr. 26, 1739.

(to be continued.)

BOOK XXXV.

ROBERT LEWIS, of Gloucester Co. Va.

CHAPTER LXXXIII.

Among the papers of the late Mary Starting Payne (v p 7 Vol. VII.) was the following evidently written for LEWISIANA.

The Lewises Have A Poet.

In 1891 Mr. Will Vincent Byars then on the Editorial Staff of the "St. Louis Republican" but now of the New York *World* published in book form two poems "Tannhauser" and "The Tempting of the King" which drew forth columns of praise from all the papers of the day.

"TANNHAUSER."

Is the old legend of the middle ages treated as a miracle play. It shows Mr. Byars to be a man of wonderful learning and of great and varied information on any point that could embellish his work and it is woven in so skillfully and naturally that one sees that it is not from the Encyclopedia or text books that he gets his information, but from the fountain head.

"THE TEMPTING OF THE KING."

Is the old, ever new, story of the loves of David and Bathsheba. The papers gave it the very highest of praise, one paper said "After reading it twice we pronounce it a master work." But to me who am not a critic the delicacy with which a somewhat difficult subject is handled is beyond all praise. It reminds me of "Keats Eve of St. Agnes," but is only lovely and tender throughout and yet the punishment for their sin is no less plainly portrayed. It is a splendid poem and one that all of us Lewises should get and keep. This year tho' he published three little pamphlet books of poems. One is:

"Babble of Greenfields with Psalms and Symphonies of God's Country," and a second is "The Isle of Dreams and other studies in verse."

These are perfectly beautiful, perfectly delightful, especially his translation of St. Paul's grand poem of love in his first letter to his Corinthian Church. They are short poems on various subjects some sweet and tender, some grand and strong. The third is:

"House of Fate a Soothsaying of Liberty."

This must be read to give anything like justice to it and I beg all our kin people to get these remarkable poems

not alone for their intrinsic worth but for our kin sake. A letter directed to Mr. Will Vincent Byars. South Orange New Jersey will reach him and he can supply the poems.

Well how is he a Lewis? His grandmother was the daughter of Mildred Lewis, the daughter of John Lewis who was the oldest son of Col. Fielding Lewis and of Katherine Washington. He is the very smartest and most talented man in our family of whom I have any knowledge and I am proud to introduce him to our Coterie of Lewises who subscribe for LEWISIANA.

BOOK XLII.

JOSEPH LEWIS, Swansea, Mass.

CHAPTER X.

BY GEO. HARLAN LEWIS, N. Y. CITY.

Moses Lewis (20 v p 43 Vol. IV) b Apr. 17, 1770, son of Benjamin (2) and Mary (Brown) Lewis m Aug. 15, 1794, at Alexandria, N. H. by Rev. Mr. Page, of Hebron, Sally Martin, b July 21, 1776, at Pembroke, N. H. dau. of William and Jane (McDonald b Durham, N. H.) Martin of Pembroke, N. H. Moses resided at Bridgewater, now Bristol, N. H. where 6 ch were born and later at Gainesville, Ala. where he d Oct 7, 1836, ae. 66 y. 6 m. 20 d. and she d Jany. 10, 1852, ae. 76 y. 5 m. 10 d. Ch.

- 86.I Mary b Oct. 14, 1796 d Nov. 6, 1827, consumption, ae. 31 y. 22 d.
 87.II William Martin b Aug. 29, 1798.
 88.III Rufus Graves b Sept. 14, 1800.
 89.IV Hiram b Aug. 14, 1802 d Mar. 14, 1803.
 90.V Eliza Webster b June 26, 1804 d at Kemper Springs, Miss. Oct. 1, 1843 ae. 39 y. 3 m. 5 d.
 91.VI Sarah b Sept. 1, 1807, m May 28, 1835, Springfield, Ala., Dr. Samuel Smith and d Aug 29, 1844, Lowdonville, Ohio.

Moses Lewis was a man of wealth in 1812, with large business interests but the war (1812-1815) used up his means and he was taken to prison for debt. The place of his birth seems uncertain. On p 43 Vol. IV it is given as Billerica but in his son's Bible it was written in 1819 by his gr. son, Greenfield, Mass. On Bridgewater, N. H. town records the birth of Polly (86) i. e. Mary is given as Oct. 20, 1796 and the death of Hiram (89) as Feby. 18, 1803 ascertified to by the present town clerk, J. E. S. Fifield. Moses was a selectman there in 1801 and 1802 and paid taxes there on a tannery in 1810.

William Martin (87) m (1) Sept. 25, 1828, Mary Bartlett, b 1802 at Bristol, N. H. d May 28, 1831 in the 29th year of her age at Springfield, Ala., dau. of Ichabod and Anna Bartlett, leaving one son.

92.I William Frederick b May 2, 1831.

Hem (2) May 2, 1836 Columbus, Miss. Aurelia H. Axtell, b Oct. 6, 1811 at Windsor, Mass., d July 15, 1865 at Gainesville, Ala. dau. of Sylvester and Hiley Axtell of Windsor Mass. He d Feby. 13, 1881 at Gainesville Ala. where 8 ch b.

93.II Eliza Jane b Aug. 10 1837.

94.III Sylvester Creswell b Aug. 8, 1839.

95.IV Moses Boardman b Apr. 6, 1842, d Jany. 15, 1844.

96.V Laura Aurelia b Apr. 6, 1844, d Apr. 16, 1847.

97.VI Martha Creswell b May 14, 1846. d Oct. 29, 1862.

98.VII Mary Russell b Oct. 20, 1848 d Aug. 16, 1850.

99.VIII Charles Carrington b Sept. 26, 1850, d Feby. 11 1873, at Ebrooklyn, N. Y.

100.IX Sally Martin b Mar. 27, 1854. d 1887 at Tuskalooosa, Ala.

William Martin Lewis was a merchant and a dealer in real estate. a

Presbyterian Elder and highly respected. He was a man of wealth up to the war (1861) which greatly depreciated his southern property.

Rufus Graves (88) d Sept. 27, 1869, in New Hampton, N. H. m Oct. 9 1828, at Concord, N. H. Sally b Apr. 4, 1806, d Oct. 15, 1878 dau. of Daniel Smith. Rufus Graves Lewis was a merchant and dealer in real estate, lands in Alabama and Mississippi, a leading citizen of his town and a liberal patron of New Hampton Institute. 5 ch b New Hampton N. H. 101.I Infant son.

102.II Rufus Smith b June 14, 1833.

103.III Edwin Creswell b Nov. 28, 1836.

104.IV Sarah Eliza b Sept. 4, 1839.

105.V James Pickering b Feby. 10, 1842.

BOOK XLIII.

SAMUEL LEWIS, Somers Co. N.J.

CHAPTER III.

BY ELLA S. HUNTINGTON, HAMILTON, O.

Mary (12 v p 74 Vol. VIII) b Aug. 22, 1763 d 1849 m John Kinnan of Baskingridge, N. J. She had 4 children, two of whom were killed before her eyes at the time of her capture by the Indians in Tygart Valley, Va. She was detained by them at Detroit from May 1, 1791 to Aug 1794. She was rescued by her brother Dr. Jacob Lewis, to whom she sent a letter in '93 stating if he would communicate with Mr. Albert, an Indian trader at Detroit, he would tell where she was. So Dr. Jacob set out on horseback Nov. 1 1793 from Baskingridge, N. J. the old home-place going by the way of Western New York. At Gen. see, N. Y. he engaged with a young man to help drive cattle to Niagara. He rehewas three hundred (300) miles from his destination with an unsettled country to pass through. On telling his story he received a pass from the authorities and a

letter of introduction to Col. Butler, Indian agent for that section of the country, also a letter to the chief of the Six Nations at whose camp he staid a week before he could get as guides two Indians who agreed to make the trip to Detroit for \$20. It was a weary journey, traveling through unbroken woods and swamps in snow and sleet with little food and rest, camping every night with only such shelter as they could put up after a hard day's tramp. He reached Detroit on the 3rd day of February 1794, and fortunately soon found Mr. Albert, the trader. But while he sold goods to the tribe Mrs. John Kinnan was with, he said there would have to be the greatest caution for should the Indians suspect that he was at all concerned with her release, she would be hurried off to some distant camp and it would end all trade with him. Mr. Lewis met a Mr. Israel Rulin who knew her and through him application was made to the old squaw to purchase her freedom, but the old squaw would not part with her.

BOOK XLIV.

WILLIAM LEWIS, Roxbury, Mass. 1640.

CHAPTER XLIX.

BY GEO. HARLAN LEWIS, N. Y. CITY.

In N. E. Gen. and Hist. Reg. Vol. VII, p. 53, there is a copy of a letter written by Joseph Weld of Roxbury, at Ipswich, 2d 4m 1646, to Rev. John Eliot, pastor of the church at Roxbury, which was admitted and proved at Court as his Will, 10d 8m. 1646. In this Mr. Weld bequeathes, "To the Colidg In Cambridg Tenn pounds. to be paid in 5 years. Viz: 40 shillings per annum, to helpe and furtherance of such in larning as are not able to subsist of themselves and here in I refer to my say to Mr. Dunster and Mr. Elliot, to be disposed as they Judg Meet." To his Eldest son John

a double portion. Thomas, Edmond and Mary 130 acres and 3 acres bought of John Graves also mentions Hannah youngest dau. by 1st wife. His second wife Barbara. A debt of William Davis and to Brothers Porter, Mayes, Jones, Lewis, Peake and Gamlin he gives 5 bushels rye each. Estate valued at £2028-14s-9d Proved. 4d-12m-1646.

It will be noticed that he also had land of John Graves as above, the same one (John Graves) that in his will mentions land adjoining William Lewis'. It will also be noted that he calls his neighbors, brothers; and mentions Brother Lewis. Mr. Weld's land was near the "great pond" as was that of William Lewis. mentioned in deed. In Vol. IV. p. 90, it states that William married Amy Wells. Was it not Amy Weld?

The name of Weld and Wells seems to have the same origin as far as the early settlers of Mass. go.

Mr. Weld was evidently a man of wealth at that time. The great pond is in Jamaica Plain, West Roxbury, where there are numerous Welds at this time.

(Was he the first to endow scholarships in Harvard College?)

BOOK XLV.

JOHN LEWIS, Ireland to Virginia.

CHAPTER LIX.

FROM HISTORY OF AUGUSTA-CO., VA.
BY COL. J. LEWIS PEYTON.

Col. Charles Lewis (5), the fourth son of the Founder, was killed at the battle of the Point, October 10, 1774. "He was esteemed," says Howe, p. 183, "the most skillful of all the leaders of the border warfare, and was as much beloved for his noble and amiable qualities as he was admired for his military talents." Hon. Alex. H. H. Stuart, M. C. for Augusta

District from 1841 to 1843, and during President Filmore's administration. Secretary of the Interior, 1850-53. has communicated in the following lettersome interesting particulars as to Col. Charles Lewis, who, it seems, was the "Idol of the Army."

STAUNTON, Oct. 18, 1882.

Col. John L. Peyton:

DEAR SIR:—I regret very much that I cannot give you any detailed account of Col. Charles Lewis, who was killed at the battle of Point Pleasant, in 1774. I remember being present at a conversation, about 1830, between my father and the late Andrew Reid (father of Col. Samuel Mc D. Reid) in regard to him Mr. Reid had served under Col Lewis in 1774, and was actively engaged in the battle of Point Pleasant. Col. Charles Lewis was a younger brother of Gen. Andrew Lewis. Gen. Andrew Lewis was represented to have been a man of reserved manners and great dignity of character,—somewhat of the order of George Washington. His vigorous intellect, unquestionable courage and solid virtues inspired unlimited confidence in all who knew him, but there was nothing showy or attractive about him. Charles Lewis, on the other hand, was represented by Mr. Reid as being a man of brilliant talents, of most engaging manners, and, as Mr. Reid expressed it, "the idol of the whole army." My father, who was a much younger man than Mr. Reid, and had no personal acquaintance with Col. Charles Lewis, but was familiar with his character, as described by his cotemporaries, concurred with Mr. Reid in the high estimate which he had formed of his abilities and noble qualities, and they agreed in expressing the belief that if he had not been prematurely cut off he would have been a conspicuous figure in our Revolutionary war. Mr.

Reid said the death of Col. Charles Lewis threw gloom over the whole army. Respectfully yours, etc.

ALEX. H. H. STUART.

CHAPTER LX.

A correspondent writes that one of the most brilliant, brainy and beautiful of Arkansas young women is Miss Lollie C. Lewis the gt. gr. daughter of Col. Charles (5) Lewis—a most worthy descendant of an illustrious ancestor. Miss Lewis is interested in genealogy and LEWISIANA readers may expect to hear from her soon.

In a colonial novel lately published by Lamson Wolfe & Co., Boston, called "A Son of the Old Dominion" (v. p. 9, Vol. VIII) Mrs. Burton Harrison has told (to quote her own words) the whole story of Andrew (3) Lewis' gallant leadership of the volunteer troops of Virginia in the battle of Point Pleasant and has depicted this general among the characters of this story.

BOOK LX.

THOMAS LEWIS, Dighton, Mass.

CHAPTER XXIV.

BY GEORGE LEWIS, PROVIDENCE, R. I.

Record of ch. of Edward Lewis (175 v. p. 155, Vol. VII) and Mary Ellen (Taylor) Angell.

256.I. Clarence Lester b. Mar. 22, 1871, m. June 24, 1896, Jeannette Tolman.

257.II. George Ctis b. Mar. 2, 1874.

258.III. Ellen May b. Mar. 15, 1880.

259.IV. Lucia Edna b. Feb. 5, 1888.

Ch. of George Bowers (176) and Abby F. (Hopkins) Angell.

260.I. Harry Crawford b. May 22, 1870.

Ch. of Henry Herbert (178) and Ella F. (Phillips) Angell.

261.I. Carrie Louise b. Dec. 31, 1875.

262.II. Ida Morrison b. Dec. 20, 1884.

263.III. Herbert Levi b. Nov. 18, 1870.
(to be continued.)

CHAPTER XXV.

A PROVIDENCE, R. I. CLIPPING.

Noble Warren de Munn [v. Sarah Maria (58) p. 187, Vol. VI] one of the best known of the older public educators of Providence, died Oct. 27, 1897 at his home, 261 Benefit street. He had been failing in health for a number of years, and during his painful illness had been unable to attend to any serious business. It was a complicated case of heart trouble that caused his death.

The deceased was in his 72d year and was born in Batavia, N. Y. He was among the first graduates of the Albany Normal School. He became Superintendent of Public Schools of Iberia, O. In Providence he taught for many years in the Benefit street grammar school. From this city he went to Boston, and taught for some time. He was one of the local masters of chess and checkers, showing in these games the mathematical nature which largely characterized his life as a teacher. His many years of public service in this city had made for the deceased a great number of friends, who will mourn his demise. He leaves a widow and one son.

BOOK LXXXVII.

PHILIP LEWIS, Portsmouth, N. H.

CHAPTER IX.

BY GEO. HARLAN LEWIS, N. Y. CITY.

Also this, Vol. 160, p. 70. We Thomas (21) Lewis Jr., Charlestown, Mass., mariner, and wife Elizabeth, for £195, convey to Wm. Blackler, Jr., Mhd., mariner, one undivided half of the homestead of Thos. Gerry, Esq., being a dwelling house, yards, garden and out buildings, being the same conveyed by Richard Harris

and wife Lucy, Dec. 19, 1788, to Tabitha Gerry, then wife of s'd Thomas Gerry, and from her descended to s'd Elizabeth and her sister Tabitha Glover equally. Witnessed by Thomas and Sarah Lewis. Dated, Aug. 21, 1795.

Vol. 147, p. 117. There also is found conveyances of land to others, viz: Thomas (19) Lewis, Thomas (21) Lewis, Jr. and Jacob (22) Lewis all of Mhd., Merchants, for £10, convey to Jacob Sheafe, of Portsmouth, N. H., that tract of land called Lewis' farm, in the most easternly part of Lynn, 72 acres, which was part of the real estate of Jacob Fowle Esq. late of Mhd., dec'd and set off to s'd Grantors as the representatives of Susanna, dau. of s'd Jacob Fowle, and wife of Thomas (19) Lewis and mother of Thomas (21) Lewis Jr. and Jacob (22) Lewis, being the dwelling house, barn and outhousing. Dated, Dec. 18, 1787. (v. p. 59 and 76 Vol. VIII.)

Also, Vol. 150, p. 199, Jacob (22) and Thomas (21) Lewis Jr. Mhd., mariners, for £300, convey to Benj. Pickman, Esq., Salem through their father Thomas (19) Lewis, as Attorney to s'd Jacob and Thomas Jr. that dwelling house in Mhd., now in occupation of Stephen Sewall, Esq., bounded in part on the church land and a part of s'd estate being formerly owned by Jacob Fowle, grandfather of s'd Jacob and Thomas Jr. and assigned to them in the division, etc. Dated Oct. 21, 1789.

(to be continued.)

BOOK LXXXIX.

BENJAMIN LEWIS, Truro, Mass.
CHAPTER IV.

BY M. LEON LEWIS, MALDEN, MASS.

George (30 v. p. 78, Vol. VIII) b. Truro, Mass., Jan. 12, 1829. m. Arazana dau. of Nehemiah and Hope

(——) Rich. 4 ch. b.

45.I. John N.

46.II. Georgie m. George Brown.

47.III. David.

48.IV. Albert.

Daniel Francis (32) b. Truro, Mass., Oct. 16, 1834, m. (1) Feb. 15, 1859, Mehitable Avery b. Nov. 16. 1830. d. at Provincetown May 17, 1869, dau. of Peter L. and Betsey (Chapman) Avery, m (2) 1874, Mrs. Mercy (Rich) Hopkins, who d. Nov. 19, 1876, m. (3) Oct. 3, 1883, Mrs. Mary (Brown) Hallett, b. Nov. 9, 1840. No ch.

He now resides in Provincetown, in the lumber and coal business, firm of Lewis & Brown.

Sophronia B. (33) b. Truro, Mass., Sept. 6, 1838, m. Nathaniel son of Nehemiah and Hope (——) Rich of Truro, Mass. Ch. b.

49.I. Mary.

50.II. Frank.

(to be continued.)

BOOK XC.

ELISHA LEWIS, Connecticut, 1770.

CHAPTER III.

BY GLENN TILLEY MORSE, ST. LOUIS,
MO.

Marinda (4) dau. of Elisha S. (3) and Keziah (Steele) Lewis, m. Simon Jonah Robison. They lived in Cincinnati, O., where she died.

Mary Anne (5) m. James Dudley for his first wife. They lived at Cincinnati, O., and later at St Louis, Mo. 2 ch. b. both now dead.

9.I. Ralph.

10.II. Ella.

James Welles (6) lived and died in Cincinnati, O. m. (1) Mildred Powers m. (2) Fanny Cory. 6 ch. b. 1 by m. (1) rest by m. (2).

11.I. Charles Slater.

12.II. Abbie.

13.III. Lizzie.

14.IV. William.

15.V. Edna May.

16.VI. Wallace.

Charles Slater (11) m. Ida ———

4 ch. b.

17.I. George.

18.II. Fanny.

19.III. Ralph.

20.IV. Grace.

(to be continued.)

CHAPTER IV.

FROM ANDREWS' NEW BRITAIN, CT.

Elisha S. Lewis (3 v. p. 94, Vol. VIII) joined First Cong. Church, Dec. 3, 1815, by letter from Farmington Church. He was a joiner by trade, and learned of Capt. Selah Porter, of Farmington: m. Oct. 16, 1814, Kesiah (who joined the Church Aug. 5, 1821) dau. of Ebenezer Jr. and Lucy (Wright) Steele; lived on "Horse Plain" next north of the Capt. Hotchkiss place. Both dismissed June 30, 1822, and recommended to the church in Camden, N. Y. He was a native of Plymouth, Ct., and a man of singular eccentricities; he died near Pittsburg, Pa.

Susanna (2, v. p. 78, Vol. VIII) wife of Josiah Steele, joined the First Cong. Church June 7, 1812; her maiden name, Lewis; she was from Oxford, Conn.; they lived on "Horse Plain," near Capt. Lemuel Hotchkiss' saw-mill and iron works. Josiah Steele, bap. June 11, 1758 at Kensington, Ct., son of Ebenezer and Sarah (Sage) Steele, was a blacksmith; was in hard service in the war of the Revolution; compactly built and of great endurance, he enlisted into the Revolutionary army Apr. 20, 1777, for three years; had £10 bounty; he d. Mar. 25, 1825, ae. 68 years. She was a kind-hearted, good woman; buffeted the storms of adversity bravely, and d. July 31, 1821. 10 ch. b. New Britain, Ct.

21.I. Josiah b. Feb. 9, 1778.

22.II. Allen b. Nov. 23, 1779.

23.III. Susanna.

24.IV. Sybil b. Oct. 21, 1782.

25.V. Avery.

26.VI. Levi.

27.VII. Sabra.

28.VIII. Amon.

29.IX. Cynthia

30.X. George bap. June 21, 1812.

(to be continued.)

Additions and Corrections.

Winnie S. Potter (1272, VIII, v. p. 21, Vol. IV) m. Sept. 17, 1894, Ben A. Cushman of Scituate, R. I.

Russell Ray Lewis (17, LVI, v. p. 109, Vol. V) wife Catherine Maxson was dau. of Abial B. and Abigail (Crandall) Maxson.

Lucy Ann (2231, VIII, v. p. 117, Vol. VI) husband Sterry J. Chace was son of Nathaniel (Micajah, George Joseph, William William,) and Sarah (Colvin) Chace.

P. 43, Vol. VIII lines 13 and 17 read morning for moveing.

Benjamin R. Lewis [185, XXXIII, v. p. 169, Vol. VII] d. Mar. 31, (not 23) 1868.

Betsey H. (186, XXXIII) d. Jany. 24, 1864.

Esther Harriet Beecher (211, LX, v. p. 56, Vol. VIII) d. Aug. 27, 1868 (not 1867).

On p. 58, Vol. VIII 10th line from bottom of 2d column read easements for casements.

Harry Raymond Bailey (85, LXXV, v. p. 12, Vol. VIII) b. July 7, 1855. (not 1889.)

Louisa Maria Harris, wife of Richard Slocum Lewis (10 LXXV, v. p. 156, Vol. VII) d. Sept. 21, 1897, ae. 83 years. She became a member of the M. E. church at an early age, lived an exemplary life, and died respected and beloved by all who knew her.

Record of Life.

BIRTHS.

At the Rectory, Bozeman, Mont. Sept. 20, 1897 George Birdsey son of the Rev. Arthur F. and Edith Raynor (Thompson) Lewis.

MARRIAGES.

In Elmwood, R. I., Oct. 4, 1897, by Rev. E. Tallmadge Root, Hiram Lewis and Mary Ella Cole all of Providence.

DEATHS.

In Peace Dale, R. I., Oct. 20, 1897. Arthur Lewis, ac. 11 mos. son of George P. Smith.

In Wickford, R. I., Oct. 27, 1897. Isaac E. Lewis ac. 29 years.

In Johnstown, R. I., Oct. 28, 1897, Gideon H. Lewis in his 55th year.

In Washington, D. C. Nov. 5, 1897, Herman L. Lewis, a clerk in the House of Representatives, killed by a R. R. train.

In Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 19, 1897, Jennie, wife of William A. Bardsley and youngest daughter of John Lewis, ac. 24 years.

Notes.

All along the line:—R. M. Lewis is about to start his knitting mill at Wells, Vt., on full time. In a recent lawsuit before the U. S. Circuit Court at Hannibal, Mo., our friend Col. John Lewis Robards was one of the counsel and won his case too. Charles F. Lewis is an U. S. Inspector in the Philadelphia branch of the secret service. C. W. Lewis is agent for the Prentiss Clock Improvement Co. Harry B. Lewis clerk at the Consolidated R. R. Office lines at 8 Edwards-st., New Haven. C. E. Lewis at Derby, Ct. Rowland D. Lewis at Burlington, Vt. Edward M. Lewis, Williams '96

will coach the Harvard baseball team next season. He is now pitcher of the Boston Baseball Club. It is very probable, says the Boston *Herald*, that the pulpit will be Lewis' sphere in the near future. His connection with base ball is simply to aid him financially for his life work, in which he will carry the well wishes of many friends and admirers. He is earnest, intelligent and persevering, and these traits have characterized his work both in college and professional base ball. S. W. Lewis is son of a respectable druggist of Scranton, Pa., who was Col. of the 92nd Regt. during the war, but this son is a scapegrace with a fondness for getting married. In Scranton he m. in Jan. 1896 Florence McCarthy ac. 24 a very pretty young woman. On Oct. 18th he m. in Troy, N. Y., a 16 year old Albany girl, pretty Leona Stewart. And there are others it is thought.

The Rev. T. R. Lewis, for ten years pastor of the Presbyterian church at Beloit, Kansas, has resigned and will go to the church in Evans City, Pa.

A. F. Lewis for sixteen years has been city ticket agent for the Union Pacific R. R. at Topeka and also has charge of the Pacific express business. At a Kansas state Musical festival held in Hutchinson last summer, Shirley Lewis of North Topeka, took the first prize as best tenor in the state. He has now been given a four years' scholarship in the Chicago Conservatory of Music and Vocal culture of Prof. Von Dahlen of Topeka and has gone there to pursue his studies. Rev. Arthur F. Lewis has removed from Philipsburg, Mont. and has organized a new mission of the Episcopal Church in Butte, Mont. The new church is called St. Paul's Mission and gives promise of great success. Hal. Lewis, who made a speech at the Chicago Convention

nominating Bryan, has been appointed to the Supreme Bench of Georgia -----B. B. Lewis of Bridgeport, Ct., has obtained a patent for chimney top draft regulator.....John G. Lewis of New Haven, is one of the trustees of the Connecticut Teachers' Annuity Guild.....The History of Yarmouth, N. S. states that Waitstill Lewis, from R. I. to Halifax, settled at in Yarmouth about 1775.....George B. Hurd (b. Clinton, Ct., Feb. 4, 1849) is treasurer of the Conn. State Teachers' Association and principal of the Winchester Grammar School at New Haven, Ct. In 1875 he was married to Alice H. Lewis of Stratford, Ct.....W. H. Lewis, a Seattle Lawyer has shipped from Chicago to the Pacific coast 220 dogs which he hopes to sell to the Klondike miners for \$25 to \$50 apiece. If successful he will ship two more carloads.....In a case interesting England's aristocracy the money-lender in the case is "Sam" Lewis, who has been connected with many big money-lending scandals, and had a claim of £257,000 against the estate of the Marquis of Ailesbury.

Queries.

To the reader:—If you are interested in this work, send in your queries for this column and help answer those of others. Don't hesitate to send answers however meager they may be. Your mite may furnish the clew which has long been sought for in vain. For convenience of reference these queries will be numbered. Always give number in replying.

64. Who was the father and gr. father of this Sanford?

Sanford Cummings Lewis was born at Lewis' Corners, in the town of Pompey, in 1814. His father was born in Connecticut in 1781 and came with

his family to Utica, afterwards moving into Onondaga county. His great-grandfather was born in 1747. and here we find three generations covering the period of our National life. Mr. Lewis was a sturdy farmer, of Anglo-Saxon race and a firm believer of God, the Father Almighty. He is survived by one sister, and a son, Richard.

65. Ancestry of this Rev. John Vaughn Lewis desired.

"Frank E. Lewis, son of Rev. John Vaughn Lewis, D. D. formerly rector of St. John's church in Delhi, N. Y., was shot and killed by an Indian at Pine Ridge Agency, South Dakota, in 1890. He was a teacher in the Indian school there, and was shot as he was leaving his school. The telegram states that the Indian who did the shooting was dying of consumption and expressed the determination to have a white man die with him. The Indian immediately after the shooting committed suicide.

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