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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, Litchfield, Conn. XI. George, 1733, Hopkinton, R. I. XII. William, 1632. Farmington. ('t. 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. LXXXI. Thos, 1672, Philspeburg, N. Y. XXVIII. Joseph, 1769, NIJIIZEC DAISSING and the Parc of Merged Books.

XXIX. John. 1721, Amwell, N. J. XXXI. Lewis Llandaff. Wales 1816. XXXIII. Edmund, 1634. Lynn, Mass. 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. Joseph, 1675, Swansea, Mass. Samuel, Somersetco N. J. 1717. XLIV. William 1630 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, Llanfynyd, Wales. LVI. John, Hopkinton R. I. 1694 LVII. Enoch, Cheat River Penn. LVIII. Benajah, Providence R. 1.1734. 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. 1748-1822 LXXII. John, Henrico-co. Va. 1640. LXXIII. Tho Buckingham co Va. 1750. LXXIV. Exum. Edgecombe, N. C., 1775. LXXV. Paul. Rhode Island 1770. LXXVI. William, Rhode Island 1760. LXXVII. Benjamin 1812 Oswego N LXXVIII. George 1640 Casco Bay Me. LXXIX. Nathaniel. 1768, Wells Vt. LXXX. Thomas 1630 Saco Me. LXXXI. Thos, 1672, Philspeburg, N.Y.

## Lewis Soldiers in N. Y. Before 1775.

By John C. Pearson, Cooperstown, New York.

James Lewis, private in Capt. Charles Laroex's co., 1738.

John Lewis, private in the company of Blue Artillery commanded by John Waldron, 1738.

John Lewis, private in Capt. Gerard Stuyvesant's company, 1738.

John Lewis, private in the Westchester company of Capt. Peter Van Denburgh, roll of July 11, 1755. 'Sargant' on roll of July 1 to 31, 1755, same on rolls of Oct. 31, Dec. 2, and a'l rolls to and including Aug. 1-31, 1756. Capt. Van Denburgh died Aug. 21, 1755, and was succeeded as Capt. by Michael Thodey.

John Lewis, private in Capt. James Howell's co., Col. Tustin's Regt. on roll of April 16, 1759. Remarks: Enlisted April 10; born Pennsylvania; age 28; blacksmith; volunteer; from Capt. Thomas Smith's co.: height 5 ft. 4 in.: well made; brown hair.

Jonathan Lewis, private in the Huntington company of Capt. Thomas Higbe, Suffolk Co. Regiment of Col. Henry Smith, 1715.

Joseph Lewis, private in Capt. John Slapp's company, on roll of July 4, 1755; (this company was from Durham, Conn., and in the pay of N. Y. to build forts, etc., to the northward of Albany) appears on roll dated Fort Edward, Oct. 1, 1755, as having due him £1, 17s, 6d wages for 14 days services as private the preceding month; on roll of Nov. 1, and of Dec. 2, 1755.

Joseph Lewis, commissioned Captain 1759.

Leonard Lewis, Captain of a company of Foot in New York city in 1700; mentioned with rank of Capt. in

the list of officers of the Regt. of Foot in the city of New York on the arrival of Lord Cornbury May 3, 1702. By act of Legislature Dec. 23, 1717, there was awarded "To Cap't Leendt (Leenders-Leonard) Lewis" 9 oz. 15 pwt. of silver plate "for his service done at Albany in an Expedition against the ffrench in the Mohaucks Country, under the Comand of Cap't John Jansen in the year 1692." By the same act he was awarded 30 oz. plate "for sundry Arms left in his Maties fort at New York, And taken from him and Carried to the said ffort in 1691 for the service of their Maties King William and Queen Mary of Glorious Memory."

Lewis Lowies, Jun., "Insyne" in the "ffoot company of Mallitia for the town of Showangung (Shawangung) under Capt. Nicolas Hoffman in Col. Jacob Rutsen's Ulster Co. Regt." 1716.

Linnerd Lewis, private in Capt. Peter Wraxall's co. of Foot for the expedition against Canada. Hempstead, Queens co., N. Y., July 23, 1746.

Matt Lewis, Captain, 1709.

Phillip Lewis, private in company of Capt. Cornelius Van Horne, New York, roll of Feb. 8, 1737-8.

Robert Lewis, private, Capt. Petrus Stuyvesant's co., Quota of Queens county. Enlisted April 5, 1758; age 28: born at North Castle: shoemaker; dark complexion: 5 ft. 5 in.

Samuell Lewis, corporal in the 3d co. (Capt. John Moore's) of Col. Thomas ffarmer's Regt. from New Jersey, 1715.

Samuel Lewis, private, Capt. Henry Cuyler's co., 1738.

Samuel Lewis, corporal, on the muster roll of Capt. John Hasbrouck's Med. Of milita, Lieut. Col. Johannes Hardenberg's Regt.. General Scott's Brigade at or near the White Plains, 1746.

Thomas Lewis, drummer, Capt. Peter Mathewes' company, on roll of

April 24, 1714.

Walter Lewis, volunteer (private) in the Westchester county company John under Capt. John Verplanck, roll of April 24, 1758. Remarks: enlisted April 12, from Capt. H. A. Brown's co. of Militia by Lieut. Jonathan Haight; age 23, born North Castle: labourer: height 5 John Lewis on descriptive list dated ft.5 in.: brown eyes: round visage: brown hair: ruddy beard. Also in Capt. Jonathan Haight's co., roll of April 30, 1759.

William Lewis, in a "List of ye Inhabitants of ye Beat of Capt. Matthew Clarkson, New York,

April 10, 1738."

## Lewises Who Served Their Country.

BY ELWIN G. DAVIS, BOSTON, MASS. MASS. REVOLUTIONARY ROLLS.

John Lewis, on order for bounty coat due for the 8 months' service in Capt. Joel Smith's co., Col. John Glover's Regt., dated Cambridge Dec. 30, 1775.

John Lewis appears with grade of prize master on roll of officers and crew of Brigantine Tyrannicide, Capt. John Allen Hallett, dated Aug. 11, 1778.

John Lewis, private, Capt. Lot Crowells co.. Col. Freeman's Regt. 2 days' service guarding prisoners belonging to ship Somerset lost on Cape Cod Nov. 1778.

John Lewis, private, Capt. Jonathan Evan's co., Col. Wade's Regt., enlisted July 8, 1778, discharged Jan. 1, 1779, 6 months' service in R. I., No. Kingstown.

John Lewis bombadier, Capt. John

dated Nov. 12, 1776. From Aug. 1. 1776. 3 mos. service.

John Lewis, private, Capt. James Jones, Col. Jackson's Regt.: roll dated Guelp Mills, Pa.. Apr. 30, 1778: service from Jan. 31, 1778 to Meh. 1, 1778, 1 mo.

Lewis, private. Capt. Dean's co., Col. Isaac Dean's Regt. (4th Bristol co.) service on alarm at R. J. Aug. 1, 1780, enlisted Aug. 1, 1780, discharged Aug. 7, 1780, 9 days,

Boston July 22, 1780, age 52 years, 5 ft. 6 in., complexion brown, residence Boston, Col. Edward Proctor's Regt., marched under Brig. Gen. Fellows.

John Lewis, private, Capt. Benj. Godfrey, Col. Josiah Whitney's Regt., service on alarm in R. f., enlisted May 10, 1777, discharged July 10, 1777, service 2 mos. 13 days.

John Lewis, private, Capt. Hooper's co., in service from Feb. 29 to May 31, 1776; roll dated Marblehead June 10, 1776.

John Lewis, private, Capt. Peleg Peck's co., Col. Thomas Carpenter's Regt., for service in R. I., on alarm of Aug. 1, 1780, enlisted Aug. 5, 1780, discharged Aug. 9, 1780, 5 days; belonged Swanzey.

John Lewis, private, Capt. Benj. Godfrey's co., Col. Josiah Whitney's Regt., enlisted May 10, 1777, discharged July 10, 1777, 2 mos. 12 days: belonged Wellfleet, stationed So. Kingstown, R. I.

John Lewis with rank of master on list of prisoners, brought to Marblehead in the Pacific cartel sloop to be exchanged for British prisoners. Taken out of the Warren Continental armed schooner by British ship Liverpool, as returned by Thomas Stone Com'g.

Gill's co., Col. Craft's Regt Croll John Lewis private on pay abstract

of Capt. Winslow Lewis' co., for travel to and from camp; residence Wellfleet: dated Jan. 13, 1776.

John Lewis, private, Capt. Thomas Hunt's co., Col. Henry Jackson's Regt., for service from March 31, 1780, to May 1, 1780, 1 mo.; enlisted May 20, 1777 for 3 years: on pay roll for March. 1779, on May return 1780: residence given Boston, pay accounts for service from May 20, 1777 to Dec. 31, 1779.

John Lewis, private, Capt. Lawrence Keene's co., Lt. John Park's Regt., service from Aug. 1, 1778. to Sept. 1, 1778, 1 mo.

John Lewis, seaman, ship Protector, entered Feb. 17: 1781, service 2 mos. 18 days; reported captured May 5, 1781.

Autograph signature for advance pay dated Cambridge July 28, 1775, service in Capt. Joel Smith's co., Col. Glover's Regt.

John Lewis on petition dated Boston, Aug. 12, 1777, given by Silas Atkin's Jr. in behalf of self and others requesting that said Lewis be appointed 1st Lieut. of vessel "Bunker Hill" commanded by Moses Lewis.

John Lewis, private, Lieut. Hezekiah Ware's co., Col. Nath'l Wade's Regt., service in R. I., enlisted June 20, 1778, discharged July 14, 1778, 25 days.

John Lewis, private, Capt. Edmund Longley's co., Col. Cogswell's Regt. (guards near Boston) enlisted Oct. 6, 1778, discharged Dec. 31, 1778, 2 mos. 27 days.

John Lewis, on return for travel allowance, Capt. Oliver Lyman's co., Col. Dike's Regt., in council Sept. 12, 1776, residence Hatfield.

John Lewis, private, Capt. Jas. Jones' co., Col. Jackson's Regt., dated Providence, Sept. 9 1778, for service from May 31, 1778, to July 17718 1 month: also on roll dated Pawtuxet Oct. 13, 1778, for August 31 to Oct. 1, 1 month.

John Lewis, private, Capt. John Boyd's co., Col. John Daggett's Regt.. service at R. I.: enlisted Aug. 24, 1778, discharged Sept. 3, 1778, 11 days.

John Lues, on list of men enlisted belonging to western Worcester co., age 23: 5 ft. 11 in., light complexion, farmer, enlisted Mch. 20, 1781 for 3 years, joined Capt. Rich's co., Col. Rice's Regt.

John Lewis, seaman, crew of ship Mars commanded by Capt. James Nivens, enlisted Apr. 17, 1781, discharged June 12, 1781, I mo. 25 days.

John Lewis, private, Capt. John Bacon'sco.Col.Caleb Hyde's Regt. enlisted Oct. 20, 1781, discharged Oct. 28, 1781, 9 days.

John Lewes, private, Capt. Josiah Yale, enlisted Oct. 12, 1781, discharged Oct. 20, 1781, 12 days, travel included marched from Lee and Lenox to Stillwater.

John Lewis, private Capt. Seth Murray's co., Maj. Jon'n Clapp, enlisted July 9, 1777, discharged Aug. 8, 1777, service 1 mo. 6 days; marched on expedition to Ft. Edward and Merses Creek.

John Lewis, private, Capt. Hunt's co. Col. Jackson's Regt., enlisted May 30, 1777 for 3 years; belonged Boston; reported family in camp.

John Lewis private on warrant for pay dated July 7, 1784, of Capt. Peleg Peck's co.

John Lewis private on warrant for pay dated M'ch 23, 1779, of Capt. Elisha Hedge's co., Col. Freeman's Regt., service on secret expedition to R. 1. Sept. 1777.

John Lewis private on Depreciation Roll, Capt, Henry Jackson's co., Vor 1st 3 years service 1777-1780. John Lewis, sergeant. Capt. Joel merged into the Books to which they Smith, Col. John Glover, dated Aug. 1, 1775, enlisted May 15, 1775, service 2 mos. 21 days; resided Marblehead.

John Lewis, private, Capt Aaron Smith's co., Col. Benj. Gill's Regt., enlisted Aug. 15, 1777, discharged Nov. 29, 1777, 3 mos. 27 days.

John Lewis on list of men appointed on committee for Cumberland co. to raise men to go to Canada.

John Lewis on list of men engaged for Cont. army out of Col. Hawes' Regt.: belonging to Boston, enlisted for Hingham, enlisted in Capt. Langdon's co. Col. Jackson's Regt.

John Lewis, Lieutenant of Depreciation roll of Col. Rufus Putnam's Regt. 3 yrs. service 1777-1780.

John Lewis, private, Capt. Hooper's co., enlisted Sept. 1, 1776, service 2 mos. 15 days, roll Marblehead, discharged dated Nov. 15, 1776. Also on roll of same co. enlisted July 18, 1775, 3 mos. 22 days' service.

John Lewis on list of men mustered in Suffolk co. to serve in Capt. Brown's Regt., Col. Henry Jackson's Regt.: return made by Nath'l Barber M.M., Boston July 20,1777.

## 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 proved parts of others they zwill be mother in law. B

belong. Each name is numbered when first printed and whenever the name is repeated this number follows in brack-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.

## Hints for Contributors.

In writing matter for the printer use only one side of the sheet, note paper preferred. In giving dates, give year, month and day whenever known. Write all middle names in full. Give names and addresses of such people as you think may be able to complete the record but get it yourself if possible and spare the editor. Old newspaper files, tomb stones, family Bibles and records, official records of the town. school and church, burial certificates, county and probate records, old deeds and letters are some of the more important sources of information. Don't forget however the stores of information which the old people can give-Get them interested and then "pump them dry." Most important of all, don't get discouraged yourself. How can you interest others, if you yourself are not alive with enthusiasm?

## Family Record Questions.

- 1. Name in full: initials are often a source of confusion.
  - 2. When and where born?
- 3. When and where married and by whom?
- 4. To whom married? Always give name in full and in case of the wife give her maiden name.
- 5. Give date of birth of your "better half or halves."
- 6. Give cause, place and date of death.
- 7. Names of parents-in-law, being sure to give maiden name of your

- 8. Place or places of residence.
- 9. What is your occupation?
- 10. When and where educated?
- 11. What public office have you held?
- 12. What service in army or navy?
- 13. What traditions in your family?
- 14. Give any interesting events in family history.
- 15. Names of your children with places and dates of birth.
- 16. If they are married answer ques tions 3 to 15 inclusive for them.
  - 17. Dates of death for ch. dying unm.
- 18. Names of your brothers and sisters with dates of birth and as much more of their family history as you can give or obtain from them the complete record.

19. Names of your parents. Be sure to give your mother's maiden name with names of her parents.

- 20. Dates of birth, marriage and death.
  - 21. Names of your father's parents. 22. Dates of birth, marriage and
- death. 23. Names of children with dates of
- birth. 24. Any further history of these uncles and aunts that you can obtain.
- 25. Anything you can learn of your earlier ancestry. Much of this will probably be fragmentary. It is one object of the LEWISIANA to make this complete for you but you must do your part.

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

CHAPTER CCXCII.

FROM THE NEW HAVEN, CT., LEADER.

There were over 1,000 persons present at the testimonial concert and presentation to Principal John G. Lewis (v p 66 Vol. IX) of the Webster school on Wednesday evening, May 24, 1899, at Music hall and it was an interesting and profitable occasion for all come under his instruction. He knew

concerned and the veteran teacher has reason to feel proud of the kind remembrances of his former pupils. He was presented with a check of \$700 which represents subscriptions from a few friends and admirers that are wealthy, but much of it represents small subscriptions of his former pupils irrespective of their condition in life, who wished to testify their appreciation of the man who has for forty years been in continuous service and still is as principal of the Webster school.

The exercises opened with an address by Postmaster James A. Howarth, who also presided over the meeting. He spoke in eulogy of Principal Lewis and said that he was a man who in his long and useful life had done more for public schools than any other man. His address was vigorously applauded. Then a chorus of voices from the class of '99 led by Professor Jepson sang "Come let us be Happy." Next C. J. Bushnell of New York rendered a vocal solo. Donald McLane, a solo on the violin, and Miss Lydia A. Kraft, a selection on the piano, all of which were heartily applauded. As the next speaker Mr. Howarth introduced Superintendent Calvin N. Kendall. Mr. Kendall said that he considered the present occasion a unique one not only in the history of New Haven schools, but also of the Americon school system. That a teacher could during 40 years continue to teach in the same school and win the love and affection of his pupils and retain unbounded respect after they had grown to manhood and womanhood, he considered remarkable. Mr. Lewis, he said, never wearies of telling of the success of this boy or that girl who has graduated from the old school. And by the way, Mr. Asher related Mr. Lewis' remarkable memory of the names of all the pupils who had something of the subsequent history of them all, too, and delighted to speak of them.

The John G. Lewis Association was then organized with James A. Howarth class of 1864, as President.

A vocal solo by Miss Kate A. Hofer completed the musical part of the program, and Lawyer Harry W. Asher of the board of education, and himself an old Webster school boy, presented Mr. Lewis with a testimonial of the esteem in which he was held by all present in the form of a check for \$700. In presenting the gift he spoke of the great work which had been done by Mr. Lewis, and on behalf of all his former pupils wished him the best of health and success in his advancing years.

Principal Lewis was much affected. He expressed his thanks for the munificent gift and his appreciation of their kind remembrances.

He said among other things: "I knew you all as children, and I know you just the same now that you are grown up. I can see many of you. when boys and girls, in your seats and at your recitations. I know your traits of manner and your traits of character. Of my regard for you, you need no assurance from me. For your testimonial you have my hearty thanks for this gathering words cannot express my feelings. All of you I count as my lifelong and trusty friends. Not every man has such friends: not every man can count them for forty years. I want to take every one of you by the hand and wish you all Godspeed."

Among the speakers who related reminiscences of their career in Webster school was L. K. Gould of Bridgeport, a lawyer, of the firm of Gould & Traey in that city, who attended Webster school more than 30 years ago. He said that perhaps another instance could not be found where so many of

a principal's old pupils could thus gather from all sections and testify their love and affection as had been done in this case. And he for one was glad to be able to say what had been done for him by the faithfulness and untiring work of Mr. Lewis, whom all loved and respected.

After many impromptu speeches by former pupils the program was concluded by the singing of a song specially written for the occasion by a friend. At the conclusion of the exercises there was quite a reunion of old friends in the hall and Mr. Lewis had to shake the hands of dozens of his old pupils who paid him many compliments and expressed many good wishes.

#### BOOK XII.

WILLIAM LEWIS, Farmington, Ct.
CHAPTER CLXIV.

FROM HISTORY OF WELLS, VT.

Levi (954 v p 183 Vol. 1X) lived a short distance north of the village on the site of ground now owned by Nathan Crandall. He was a tanner by trade, d 1811 ae 37. 5 ch b.

1267.I. Artemus.

1268.II. Levi unm. res. Wells (1869).

1269.III. Orlin.

1270.IV. Norman removed to Ripton, Vt.

1271.V. Theodore, Dr.

Benjamin (1239) came into town in 1807 and settled on the place now owned by Hiram W. Lewis: he d 1847 and his wife 1862. 5 ch b.

1272.I. Louisa m John C. Jr., son of Rev. John C. and Persis (Swift) Hopson of Wallingford, Ct. He hasheld various town offices. 3 chb. 1277.I Caroline m a Colvin, res. Pawlet.

1278.11. Warren.

1279.111. Henry m dau of Geo. W. Sprague of Poultney, Vt.

1273.II. Ethelbert.

1274.III. Benjamin, Jr.

1275.IV. Amasa H.

1276. V. Abba m William Goodrich, son of David. 3 ch b.

1280.1. Edwin, merchant Fair Haven Vt.

1281.II. Rensselaer.

1282.III. Melissam George Carter. (to be continued.)

#### CHAPTER CLXV.

FROM HISTORY OF POULTNEY, VT.

Aaron (1212 v p 165, Vol. IX) b Wells, Vt. Feby. 1, 1789 m Polly Wilcox of Wells, and removed to Poultney, to the place where he resided until his death, two and a half miles south of the village. He was an industrious and thrifty farmer, a member of the Episcopal church, to which he was much attached, and a quiet, inoffensive and valuable citizen. He d Mar. 1869; his widow d Sept. 1871; she left by will \$500 to the Baptist church in East Poultney. 4 ch b

1283.I. David b Mar. 5, 1812.

1284.II. Aaron b Oct. 17, 1815 res in Granville, N. Y., has several ch. 1285.III. Mary b Nov. 25, 1817 d June 20, 1875.

1286.IV. Chauncey b July 16, 1825 d ae 9 mos.

David (1283) m Maria L. Noble; res in Poultney Village, 2 ch b

1287.1. Egbert b June 20, 1849 d June 7, 1869.

1288.11. Albert b Feb. 21, 1856 d ae 5 years.

#### CHAPTER. CLXVI.

FROM BENNINGTON, VT." MENTAL REPAST."

One Mr. Lewis, [Levi (954) v p 183, Vol. IX], a tanner in Wells, was engaged in the concerns of his calling, his horse at the same time being in his mill grinding bark. The wheel lived to good old age.—ED.]

drawn by the horse was very wide, proportionately high, and above a ton in weight. It was made of wood, and filled with long and hard cogs, or trunnions, for the breaking of the bark. His child, a boy of two or three years of age [Levi (1268) ED.] had followed him out and, unobservedly, got within the circle of the wheel, near the stake. Soon after, the child in attempting to get out to his father, was knocked down by the shaft and the ponderous wheel ran over his head and crushed it in a dreadful manner. Two skillful surgeons were im mediately sent for, and soon arrived; the child lay apparently almost lifeless, his breathing was scarcely perceptible. On examination, the skull was found to be much fractured behind, by one of the cogs, and over one eye by another: from the fracture behind, several pieces of loose bone were taken out and nearly a spoonful of the brain removed from the wound. The opinion of the surgeons was, death must inevitably, and speedily ensue and therefore, to attempt to trepan the skull would be but to give pain, without the most distant prospect of reaping any vantage.

The wounds were, therefore, only cleansed in the most tender manner; and without hope, the afflicted parents and sympathetic neighbors attended, expecting every moment the child would breathe his last. Its breathing, however became more and more perceptible, till at length opened his eyes and asked his mother for something to eat. He accordingly received food, and was apparently refreshed thereby. Nature, the handmaid of Heaven, wrought a surprising work in his favor, and he is now apparently healthy, active, and sensible as the children in general in the neighborhood of his residence. [He

#### CHAPTER CLXVII.

FROM THE MUNSON RECORD.

Record of ch of Amasa and Rachel (953 Lewis) Munson v p 183. Vol IX. Levi (1247) d Oct. 22, 1872 m 1822 Sophia Galbraith who d 1844; a tanner, res Orleans, Ind. 9 ch b first 4 Fairfield, Ind.

I. Maria Louisa b 1823 d 1840.

II. Amaryllis b 1825.

III. Mary Ann b 1826 m James Tefft.

IV. Amzi Lewis b May 28, 1828.

V. Wm. M. b Aug. 1829 m 1852 (?) has 2 daus. res Mitchell, Ind.

VI. Cordelia b 1834 m 1851 (?) a Hammers 3 ch b res Lawrence, Ind.

VII. Elizabeth b 1836 m a Brady. 2 ch res Mitchell, Ind.

VIII. Sarah b 1838 m Wethers; res Sagoote, Ind.

IX. Jane b 1840.

#### CHAPTER CLXVIII.

FROM NEW HAVEN, CT. REGISTER.

In Southington, Conn. of old age m Saturday night, May 27, 1899 Mrs. Nancy Root Potter (1104 v p 38, Vol. IX) ac 98 years and 24 days. The last of her four ch (2 sons and 2 daus.) died in 1852.

Dr. Root, her father, witnessed service in the war with Great Britain for the independence of the 13 original colonies. This made Nancy a "true daughter" of the Revolution, and as such she was elected an honorary member of Hannah Woodruff Chapter, D. A. R. when the chapter organized two years ago. Owing to her inability to attend the meetings of the chapter, the chapter met with her at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Kilborne, with whom she has resided for many years. Mrs. Potter had lost none of her faculties, being able to see without glasses, could hear quite distinctly, showing no effort in carrying on a conversation of 20 minutes or more.

She said that years ago she had rheumatism. That, she claimed to have outgrown. Her birthday anniversaries have always been observed in a befitting manner of late years, and in them she found a great deal of enjoyment. Her death was peaceful, being most certainly due to old age. as a week ago Saturday she fell off into a peaceful sleep, and for 8 days she calmly slept, no nourishment passing her lips.

#### CHAPTER CLXIX.

FROM TIMLOW'S HISTORY OF SOUTH-INGTON, CONN.

Record of ch of Ensign William (807 v p 102 Vol VI) and Elizabeth (Scott) Lewis.

Chauncey (845) d Apr. 28, 1855 m (1) Apr. 7, 1788 Lois, dau of Isaac and Mary (Bristol) Woodruff b 1767 d. Dec 4, 1797; m (2) Apr. 28, 1800 Sibyl Hill. He was at the taking of Stony Point; was in the detail of 30 men first sent out to lay the foundations of Fort Putnam, West Point; is said to have been in the boat sent to overtake Arnold; was in service six and a half years, enlisting when 15; a member of Washington Life Guards, a sufferer at Valley Forge; witnessed execution of Andre, and saw British lay down their arms at Yorktown. 8 ch b.

1289.I. Dana.

1290.II. Albert.

1291.III. Mary m Dec. 2, 1832, Gideon Dunham of Kensington, Ct.

1292.IV, Artenta.

1293. V. Chauncev.

1294.VI. Eliza.

1295. VII. Harriet.

1296.VIII. Francis W. b Jany. 21, 1816 m Dec. 7, 1840 Sarah C. dau of Moses W. and Mary (——) Beckley. He has a boot and shoe store at Southington. 2 ch b

1297.1. Vernelia E. b Apr. 11, 1845. 1298.II. Harriet A. b Oct. 9, 1846.

1299.I. Artenta b 1787 d Feb. 19, 1803.
1300.II. Belinda b 1789 d Dec. 24, 1817
m Aug. 28, 1816 Salmon Upson b
Oct. 28, 1791 son of James and
Mary (Cowles) Upson.

1301.HH. Betsey b 1792 (?).

1302.IV. son

1303.V. Emily b 1798 (?) m May 22, 1823 Frederick Hyde.

1304.VI. William b 1800 (?) m Lydia Brown of Kensington, Ct. who d. May 1, 1866 ae 64. a ch.

1305.I. George B. m May 11, 1847. Hulda A. Evans.

Levi (848) m Aug. 2, 1801 Sally Bunnell of Berlin, Ct.

Charles (849) d New Haven, Ct. Apr. 19, 1868.

#### BOOK XIX.

JOHN LEWIS, Wales to Va., 1640. CHAPTER XXVII.

FROM GENEALOGY OF THE LEWIS FAMILY BY WM. TERRELL LEWIS.

Charles Crawford (73 v p 88 Vol. IV) b in Albemarle Co. Va. in 1761. was a hatter by trade. He emigrated to Rutherford Co. N. C. with his father before the Revolutionary war, and settled on Mountain Creek, four miles west of Rutherfordton. When the Revolutionary war commenced he was only fourteen years of age, but after he arrived at a proper age was in the service. It is not known how long he served in the army as he never applied for a pension. After his death the following certificate (now filed in the archives of the War Department at Washington) was found among his papers, which together with other living evidence, enabled his widow to prove his services and to draw a pension:

This is to certify that Charles Lewis,

Sergeant, has faithfully served out his tour of three months, in General Lillington's brigade to the southward.

ROBERT GILKEY, Captain.

ANDREW HAMPTON, Colonel.

Charleston, S. C. March 24, 1780.

He acted as a magistrate for some years in Rutherford Co. N. C. after which he was elected in 1798 as a member of the Legislature and only served one term. It was the only time that he aspired to that office. He was afterward elected, during life or good behaviour, to the office of register of the county, which office he held upward of thirty years, until about the time of his death, which occured in 1833 on the same farm upon which he had settled before the Revolution.

In 1786 he m Elizabeth (b 1770 Rutherford Co. N. C. d there 1851) dau. of George Russell and his wife Molly Underwood widow of John Whiteside. ch b Rutherford N. C.

217.I. George Russell b 1788.

218.II. Pitman b 1789.

219.III. Mary b 1791.

220.IV. Sarah b 1793.

221.V. John b 1795.

222.VI. Mildred b 1799.

223. VII. Elizabeth b 1800.

224. VIII. Charles C. Jr. b 1802.

225.IX. Nancy b 1804.

226.X. Preston b 1806.

227.XI. Jesse T. b 1808.

228.XII. Wm. Terrell b 1811.

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BOOK XXXV.

ROBERT LEWIS, Gloucester-co., Virginia.

CHAPTER 105.

FROM THE MERIWETHERS.

Record of eh of John and Elizabeth (298 Lewis) Wells v p 39 Vol. VII. 8 eh b.

527.I. Thomas Lewis d June 4, 1849, on the Plains en route for Cal.

528.II. George N. m Miss Roberts: 4, 1810, d Dec. 9, 1895. 5 ch b. killed by lightning June 14, 1849. ın Lincoln-co. Mo.

529.III. Anne d Mar. 26, 1852, George D. Meriwether, her cousin.

530.IV. Henry F. m Feb. 25, 1851, Harriet Emeline b Sept. 21, 1833. dau. of Dr. Frederick G. and Sarah J. (Loving) Gilmer. Her sister Isabella J. b May 14, 1835. m June 13, 1861, Thomas Walker Lewis (340 v p 102 Vol. IX., 9 ch b.

1. John Gilmer b Sept. 14, 1853.

2. Henry Harvie b Feb. 18, 1855.

3. Edwin b Feb. 25, 1857.

4. Thos. Lewis b July 16, 1858.

5. Frederick G. b June 15. 1860.

6. Charles M. b June 20, 1862.

7. Sarah J. b Sept. 8, 1867.

S. Wm. Loving b Feb. 27, 1870.

9. Overton B. b Aug. 22, 1871.

531.V. Lydia Laurie m Nov. 3, 1852, Charles James b Feb. 2, 1829, son of Dr. Fontaine and Winefred Adeline (Miller | Meriwether. ch b.

1. Bettie W. b July 28, 1854.

2. Bettie G. b Aug. 19, 1855.

3. Chas. J. F. b Aug 16, 1857.

4. Henry M. b Sept. 16, 1859.

5. Addie M. b July 15. 1862.

6. George Winn b June 3, 1864.

7. Nannie Walker b Nov. 11, 1866.

8. Jane W. b Apr. 22, 1868.

9. Thomas W. b Apr. 1, 1871.

10. Frederick G. b. May 1, 1873.

11. John Lewis b. Sept. 23, 1875. 532. VI. Bettie M.

533. VII. John.

534. VIII. Jane.

## BOOK XLIII.

SAMUEL LEWIS, Somerset-co. N.J. CHAPTER XXVIII.

BY ELLA S. HUNTINGTON, HAMILTON OHIO.

Thomas (33 v p 154 Vol. IX) m. Apr. 4, 1832 Margaret VanNostrand b. Oct. 580.1. Horace Willard b Dec. 20, 1847,

183.I. Adaline b Sept. 12, 1833.

184.II. Wm. Thomas b. Sept. 5, 1836. 185.III. Chas. Henry b. Aug. 12, 1839,

d. Sept. 12, 1855.

186.IV. Cornelius VanNostrand Dec. 25, 1843, d Jany. 30, 1845. 187. V. Albert b Aug. 1, 1845.

Adaline 183 m Mar. 17, 1858, S. D. Ayres. Sch. b.

188, I. Annie L. b. Apr. 27, 1859, d.

189.11. William J. b Sept. 16, 1860, d.

190.III. Nettie b Dec. 1, 1861.

191.IV. Lewis C. b Nov. 29, 1864.

192. V. Stella b May 3, 1867.

193.VI. Addie b Feb. 15, 1869, d.

194.VII. Albert b Aug. 14, 1871.

195. VIII. Olin b Jany. 3, 1873.

William Thomas 184 has 8 ch. 196.1. Clara b Jany. 29, 1863.

197.II. Charles A. b Feb. 18, 1864.

198.III. Margaret S. b Feb. 25, 1866. 199.IV. Edward P. b Apr. 16, 1868. 200. V. Owen b Dec. 23, 1869.

201.VI. Stella A. b Feb. 4, 1872. 202. VII. Dora b June 25, 1875.

203. VIII. William b June 15, 1882.

Albert 187 m Lucretia-3 ch b. 204.I. Edward.

205:II. Helen.

206.III. Stewart.

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## BOOK XLIV.

WILLIAM LEWIS, Roxbury, Mass. CHAPTER LXIII.

BY GEO. HARLAN LEWIS, N.Y. CITY. Sally Wait Lewis (548 p 76, Vol. IX) m Mar. 5, 1845, at So. Royalston, Mass., Dr. Horace Burroughs Austin of South Royalston, his 2d wife). He b Aug. 13, 1806, in Vt., and d Aug. 17, 1855, by accident at Athol. Mass. where they resided. She d May 7. 1892 at the house of her son in Spencer, Mass. 2 ch b. 1st at So. Royalston. 2d at Athol.

m in Clinton, Mass. Dec. 28, 1875, Miss M. Lillian Moore of Clinton. They reside at Spencer, Mass. 581.II. Ella Myrtle b July 15, 1855, m Jany. 8, 1882, James Russell Palmer of SanBernardino, Cal., where they reside.

Dr. H. B. Austin had 3 ch. by m (1) none by m (2).

## BOOK LIV.

EVAN LEWIS, Wales to Pa. 1682. CHAPTER XVIII.

FROM YALE ALUMNI WEEKLY.

Charlton Miner Lewis (5 v p 186, Vol. IX) was born in Brooklyn, N. Y.. March 4, 1866. His father, Charlton T. Lewis. (3 v p 106 Vol. IX) a graduate of Yale in the Class of Fifty-Three, is a prominent lawyer of New York, and a philologist. He is a descendant of an old New England family.

Professor Lewis, while at college won the Hurlbut Scholarship in Freshman year, took first premiums in English Composition in Sophomore year, was a member of the Chi Delta Theta and Phi Beta Kappa, and was an editor of the Literary Magazine. He was a member of the Junior Society of Psi Upsilon and the Senior Society of Skull and Bones. Upon his graduation in 1886, he spent a year in graduate study of History and Political Science at Yale, then two years at the Columbia Law School, from which he received the degree of LL.D. in 1889. He was at once admitted to the New York Bar, and, in 1890, became connected with the law firm of Sullivan & Cromwell of New York City. where he remained until the fall of 1894, at which time he was called to an instructorship in the University. took up his work here in September. 1895, after a year of preparatory study in New York City. He received the degree of Ph.D. from Yale in the summer of 1898, and at the same time was made Assistant Professor.

### BOOK LIX.

WILLIAM LEWIS, New Jersey, 1685.

CHAPTER XIII.

FROM THE MORRIS FAMILY.

Mary Griffitts (71 v p 170 Vol. IX) b Oct. 8, I836, m May 13, 1856, Rev. Stevens Parker, D. D., Warden of Racine College, b Oct. 25, I830, son of William and Julia Maria (Stevens) Parker. 2 eh b.

96.I. Alexis DuPont b July 26, 1859, m Sept. 14, 1887, Eliza Bowley b Aug. 8, 1859, dau of Samuel LeCompte and Eliza Grey (Bowley) Bryan. 3 ch b.

- I. Anne Bryan b July 3, 1889.
- 2. Helen Lewis b Oct. 3, 1890.
- Emily LeCompte b Nov. 6,1893.
   II. Mary Griffitts b July 15, 1861, d Dec. 30, 1887.

Charles Smith (72) b. July 10, 1838, d. 1897, m. Oct. 2, 1861, Marion E. dau. of Maj. Gen. Charles W. Sandford of N. Y. [For obituary v p 143, Vol. VIII,—ED.] 1 ch b.

98.1. Charles Redwood b Mar. 24, 1866, d. July 25, 1866.

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## BOOK LXXV.

PAUL LEWIS, R. I., 1770.

CHAPTER XXII,

By M. LOUISE BIRGE, BRISTOL, CT. Record of ch of Amos and Polly

(7 Lewis) Palmer v p 188, Vol. IX. 23.1. Mary m Britton Whitehead. 2 ch b.

- 1. Alphonzo d in Civil War.
- Courtland res Norwich, Ct. 2 ch
   Emily d Feb. 27, 1895, at Willimantic, Ct. m Henry Benchley. 6 ch b.
  - Laura m Harley Soule. 2 ch b.
     Harley d ae 4½ years.

Laura d ae 20 years.

2. Jane m James Henna: res Hart-

ford, Ct. 3 ch b.

- 1. Hattie.
- 2. James.
- 3. David.
- 3. Angeline m Dr. Oscar Wakefield. 2 ch b.
  - 1. son d childhood.
  - 2. son d 1895 Bloomington, Ills.
- 4. Josephine m Frank Morrison. 3 ch b. She res with her father on Winter-st. Willimantic, Ct.
  - 1. Edward.
  - 2. Mabel.
  - 3. William.
- 5. Henry d 1895, Willimantic.
- 6. Edward.
- 25.III. Lucy Harriet b Apr 20, 1819, New Canterbury, Ct. d. Feb 22, 1896, Willimantic, Ct., m Nov. 6. 1842. John Sayles Smith. 6 ch b. 1. Nathan Trumbull b June 10,
  - 1844 d July 8, 1864.
  - 2. Matilda Louise b Dec. 11, 1846 m Feb. 1, 1893 Hon. John Birge.
  - 3. James Munroe b Mar. 3, 1848, d Sept. 13, 1852.
  - 4. Emma Antoinette b Oct. 1, 1850 m Feb. 28, 1874 Henry Morrison of Pawtucket, R. I. 2 ch b.
    - I. Clifford Brewster b Sept. 27, 1880.
    - 2. Gertrude Louise b Mar. 29. 1882.
  - 5. James Munroe b June 18, 1853 m Oct. 3, 1875 Lizzie Clark. ch b.
    - 1. John Raymond b Feb. 23, 1887.
  - 2. Clifford Clarkb Oct.16,1890. 6. Mabel Young b June 17, 1857 m Apr. 22, 1880 Alfred F. Howard of Portsmouth, N. H.
- Vol. VI. [Charles Backus is Bank at Danielson, Ct.-ED.]

28.VI. Charles v record p 188 Vol.VI. 1885. No ch.

118.VII. 119.VIII. (all d infancy v p 188 Vol.

## BOOK LXXIX.

NATHANEL LEWIS, Wells, Vt. CHAPTER VII.

BY EMMA LEWIS MOREY, MAQUOKETA IOWA.

John (12 v p 171 Vol. IX) was a Methodist minister. He d near Erie, Pa. He had a brother Amos (18) who eame from Pa. to Wis. where he d many years ago.

John (12) and Rhoda (Hall) Lewis had 4 ch b.

19.I. Levi.

17.II. Abner.

20.III. Almond.

21.IV. Olive m Raphael Cole, her own cousin, res Charles City, Iowa.

Abner (17) v p 188 Vol. IX, d at Winona, Minn. where his widow still

Almond (20) also a Methodist minister, preached at Clymer, N. Y. then near Erie, Pa. and later at Broadhead, Wis. where he d. He m Sarah Jenner. 6ch b.

22.I. John b Dec. 3, 1825.

23.II. Jenner Rev res Black Earth, Wis. 6 ch b.

28.I. Burdette res Fennimore,

24.III. Alvah res near San Francisco. 5 ch.

25.IV. Almond res near Evanston, Ills. 26.V. dau d in Penn.

27.VI. dau d near Madison. Wis.

John (22) a earpenter by trade, d May 20, 1869 at Thayer, Mo. m May 5, 1842 at Clymer, N. Y. by Rev. Almond Lewis (20) Emma Amanda 26.IV. Amos Burrows v record p | 159 Rhodes b Granville, N. Y May 23, 1828. Her mother was Sarah Maria Norton. cashier of Windham Co. National Emma (Rhodes) Lewis m (2) Feb. 5, 1871 at Maquoketa, Iowa, Andrew 27. V. Sally v record p 188 Vol. VI. Martin Morey who d in Neb. Nov. 20,

John (22) and Emma A. (Rhodes) Lewis had 2 ch b.

29.I. Esther Amelia b Nov. 16, 1847 Galena, Ills.

30.II. Jay b Dec. 1. 1850 Maquoketa, Iowa.

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#### BOOK XCV.

WILLIAM LEWIS, 1735, Chester, Pa.

CHAPTER I.

By Mary J. Longnecker, Allentown, Pa.

The following taken mainly from account of one of our local papers at time of my father's death contains all that we know of our line.

Samuel Lewis (v p 80 Vol. VIII) one of the pioneers of the iron industry of this country was of Scotch-Irish ancestry. The first of the family to come to this country was William Lewis, the grandfather of the subject of this sketch, who landed on these shores in 1735 and located in East Nantmeal township, Chester county, on a property now known as the Isaac VanLeer farm. There Samuel Lewis. the father of the deceased, was born and raised and there also was born Samuel Lewis, Jr. His father moved from the VanLeer farm when Mr. Lewis was 7 years old to the Springtown forge farm, along the Brandywine, in Chester county, and operated the Four Fire Forge. His father died when Samuel was 17 years old and during the days of his boyhood he learned considerable of the forge business. His father manufactured iron for the use of the Continental army and also supplied iron for the soldiers of the war of 1812. The mother of the deceased with her own hands wove blankets for the use of the soldiers who fought during the war.

William (I) had son,

Samuel (2) d 1829, had ch.3.I. Samuel b July 23, 1805 d July 31, 1897.

4.II. William d 1830.

5.III. Jane.

(to be continued.)

## Record of Life.

ENGAGEMENTS.

Miss Clementine Lewis of Portland, Ore, to Sherman R. Hall, Yale '95 S.

#### MARRIAGES.

On Tuesday, Nov. 22. 1898 at St. Paul's church, Paterson, N. J. by the Rev. David Stuart Hamilton, Jane Godwin, dau of Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Campbell, to Vivian M. Lewis.

#### DEATHS.

William Lewis Burton, a well-known resident of Brooklyn, N. Y. died at his home, No.192 Schermerhorn street. He was a native of Albany and had lived in Brooklyn many years. He was a member of Benedict Post, G.A.R.

William Lewis Bedford, a respected resident of Otego, N. Y. died at his home in that village age 74 yrs. Mr. Bedford had been a resident of Otego for about sixty years, and for years had been sexton of Evergreen Cemetery. Besides his wife, whom he m in 1848, he is survived by two sons, Joseph of Oneonta, and Edgar of Meredith, one daughter, Mrs. Clara Phillips of Otego, one brother, George, of Franklin and one sister, Mrs. Jane Terrell, of Chelsea, Mass.

At Freedom, N. Y. Sept. 6, 1897 Elizabeth Williams, widow of the late John P. Williams, aged 70 years.

She was born in Wales, May 3,1825. In 1833 she with her parents, John and Avarinah Lewis, came to America and settled in Utica, N. Y. where she was converted and baptized. She was largely instrumental in helping Rev. J. C. Williams of Scotia, N. Y. to secure his college course of study.

Two brothers, deacon John, of the Union avenue church, Brooklyn, and William Lewis of Buffalo, three sons and a daughter, and a large circle of friends mourn her loss.

On Nov. 19, 1898 at his residence 29 Park Strasse, Cassel, Germany the Rev. Robert Wardell Lewis, priest of the Diocese of New York, ae 70 years, for the past 7 years chaplain to the Anglo-American congregation at Gottingen.

## Notes.

Among the special addresses given during Lent 1899 at the church of the Holy Sepulchre, N. Y. City, "Christ the Sympathetic." was given by the Rev. James G. Lewis, D. D. of Trin-College, Toronto....Florence Lewis of Kansas won (Mar. 1899) one of the three most important prizes given at Bryn Mawr College a fellowship sufficient to defray the expenses of a year's study in Europe...Miss Mary Eliza Lewis has resigned the chair of English at the University of South Dakota in order to resume her graduate study at the University of Chicago .... Fourteen girls, the largest class graduated in the history of Mrs. and Miss Cady's school, will receive their diplomas in June 1899. For the first time too in the school's long history are the graduates all New Haven Ct. girls. Among them is Margaret Russell Lewis whose essay is Browning's Eve" .... Wm. "Mrs. Eugene Lewis writes in the Metropolitan on Judge Choate, New York's first ambassador at St. James....Dr. A. B. Lewis is nominated for councilman at Norwich, Ct...Charles E. Lewis is special agent of the Treasury Dept. at Niagara Falls....C. B.Lewis and wife were among the passengers of the Cymric from Liverpool Feby. 3d....The widow of James M. Lewis

of Chelsea, Ind. Ter. received on his death \$2,000 from the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association of N.Y. City. He had paid \$129.60 in premiums.... George Lewis, a barber, of Baltimore was fined \$10 for kissing a girl. wife paid the fine .... A trolley car hit the carriage in which Ethel and Grace Lewis of Mt. Vernon, N. Y. were riding. Although the horse was killed and carriage was demolished the young ladies were not seriously injured....The N. Y. State Board of Health, at its annual meeting May 11, 1899, re-elected Dr. Daniel Lewis of New York City as its President.

## Clippings.

Hand-Book of Metallurgy.—By Dr. Carl Schnable. Translated by Henry Lewis, M.A. Vol. I., Copper. Lead, Silver and Gold. Vol. II., Zine, Cadmium, Mercury, Bismuth, Tin, Antimony, Arsenic, Nickel, Cobalt, Platinum, Aluminum, London and New York, The Macmillan Company. 927 illustrations.

It is a curious fact that there does not exist in the English language a single complete treatise on metallurgy. Such being the position in regard to the literature of the subject, the translator has rendered the English speaking metallurgist a distinct service in translating the most recent and exhaustive work on the subject in any language, from the pen of an eminent metallurgical authority.

The skeletons of two Indians were unearthed at Gildersleeve, Ct. recently. The place where they were found was on a hill near the river, and it is thought that this hill was once used as an Indian burying ground. A great many Indian relics have been found in this vicinity at various times, and some years ago, when John Lewis

was excavating for the cellar for his residence near this place, he found several skeletons and some old relies.

Frederick Lewis of Manhatten, who with his brother, leases the shooting privileges on Smith's Point, reported some pretty lively duck shooting this spring. The East Bay was still frozen over, and Smith's Point was the eastern limit of the open water of the Great South Bay. He improved the feeding grounds by stewing corn, and the black ducks came to the decoys like chickens when he opened his season. His guides' were Will Rose and Dan Havens, and he bagged fiftythree black ducks and eight broadbill. He said the ducks cost him just \$8 each in expenses, but it was sport.

## Queries.

To the readers:—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 clue which has long been sought for in vain. For convenience of reference these queries will be numbered. Always give number in replying.

84. Wanted ancestry of James Lewis who m Mar. 26, 1769 at Stonington, Ct. Susanna Debbil (Daboll) dau of Nathan and Susanna.

85. Among the subscribers in 1797 to Benjamin Trumbull's D.D. History of Connecticut were

George Lewis, Stratford.

Rev. Isaac Lewis, D.D. West Greenwich.

Zachariah Lewis, Mr. Tutor, Y.Coll. Naboth Lewis, Middletown.

George Lewis, Chatham.

Elisha Lewis, Hartford.

Information is desired as to ancestry of the last three.

### List of the Books of Lewises.

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XCIII. Charles, 1740, Virginia.
XCIV. John, 1777, Philadelphia

### Lewis Coat of Arms.

XCV. William, 1735, Chester-co., Pa.

Authentic coat-of-arms of the "Warner Hall Lewises," done in water colors, size 10 by 12, mailed to any address, post paid, on receipt of \$5.00. See Illustration, p. 114, Vol. IX.

Address,

MISS MARY MINOR LEWIS. University of Virginia, Va.

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