

## QUERY INSTRUCTIONS

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**ALLISON, BENNETT, BOCKMAN, COOK/KOCH, DOWNS, GAITO, HORWEDEL, SETFORD:** Seek vitals for Carl (Charles) KOCH (Cook) born c1841 in Germany and died c1878 in Jersey City, HudCo., NJ. He married Franzisca HORWEDEL and had children: Caroline SETFORD (Edna, Edith Bennett, Beatrice Allison, of Haverstraw, NY), Charles, Wilhelm (William) married Helen BOCKMAN, and Ada (Edith) GAITO. Children used the surname DOWNS. *Contact: Beverly G. Tabak, 63 Flora Drive, Stratford, CT 06614-2329.*

**BROOKS, LIPPENCOTT:** Seek parents of, date and place of death for Abiah G. LIPPENCOTT, b ca 1839 in NJ or IL, wife of Thomas Henry BROOKS (8 Mar

1838 - 5 Jul 1888), married 31 Dec 1859 in Bridgeton, CumCo. Children: Almarine Judson, Lydia, William Henry, Rachel, Emma, Alice, Benjamin, Mabel. *Contact: Susan Smoktunowicz 101 Clubhouse Rd., Windsor, CT 06095-2402, e-mail: <ssmoktun@snet.net>.*

**BURR:** Seeking burial location for Theodosia Bartow Prevost BURR, died 18 May 1794, New York, NY. Formerly lived at The Hermitage, Ho-ho-kus, NJ and married to Aaron BURR. *Contact: Mary Bhuta, 1554 - 10th St., Los Osos, CA. 93402-1706, e-mail: <mrb29@sbcglobal.net>.*

**GUSTAFSON:** Seeking information on Henning GUSTAFSON who was born 22 May 1883 in Hallavadet, Bergstena, Vastergotland, Sweden (southern part of Sweden). Henning immigrated to the United States and lived in Wood Ridge, BerCo, NJ. His brother Gustaf, born 1877, lived in Pine Plains, New York. Another brother Herman (Harry), born 1870, lived in Minneapolis, MN and then moved to Saskatchewan, Canada. Also, looking for living descendants of these families. *Contact: Lynn Matalski, e-mail <cheetawoman@hotmail.com>.*

**HOFF, MOURITS, STEVENS:** Seek living male with surname STEVENS who is a descendant of Joseph STEVENS (will 28 Apr 1713) and wife Geertruy MOURITS (d. c1720) of SomCo, NJ. Line is through son John or Henry (will 1773) and Catlintie (Hoff) STEVENS. Will pay for y-dna testing to learn family of Joseph STEVENS. *Contact: Dr. Charlotte V. Groff, 624 N. Cass St., Berrien Springs, MI 49103, e-mail: <cgroff@remc11.k12.mi.us>.*

**GRANT, KING, PHOENIX, VAN FLEET, WILLIS:** Seeking information on James KING (1711-1785) who married Margaret [--?--]. Lineal descent through: George KING (1744-1799) married Maria PHOENIX. Adam KING (1760-1840) married Margaret GRANT. James KING (1791-1879) married Phoebe WILLIS. Charles KING (1815-1886) married Mary Elizabeth VANFLEET. All of MorCo, NJ. *Contact: Joyce King, 3063 South Xanthia Street, Denver, CO 80231, e-mail: <jkkingen34@yahoo.com>.*

**LETTS, WORTMAN:** Seek parents and grandparents of Margaret WORTMAN born 14 Aug. 1774 in NJ, married Azariah LETTS 5 Feb. 1801, died 2 Apr. 1859 and buried in Grove Cemetery, Trumansburg, NY. *Contact: Carlita Beltz, 928 NW Irvinedale Dr., Ankeny, IA 50023, e-mail: <cbanken@yahoo.com>.*

**PREVOST, SCHMIDT:** Seeking account ledgers for Paul Henri Mallet PREVOST who operated a store called "The Big Gun" in Alexandria (Frenchtown), HunCo. The store operated over three generations and Paul was succeeded by his son Louis M. PREVOST. In 1957 Dr. Hubert SCHMIDT wrote several newspaper columns, Old Times in Northwest New Jersey, in which he wrote that the store accounts for 1797 have been preserved. *Contact: Martha Kendall, 186 E. Hebron Turnpike, Lebanon, CT 06249, e-mail: <jkend@aol.com>.*



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**ALLEN, FORREST:** Am trying to find the parents of Abraham ALLEN 1770-1837 born in Amwell Twsp., Hunterdon Co., NJ and the parents of William V. FORREST born in Scotland 1835 -1902. He lived in Hudson Co., NJ in the late 1800s. *Contact: Ginny Zebe, 4980 S.E. Hanson Circle, Stuart, FL 34997, e-mail: <ginchas@bellsouth.net>.*

**ANNIN, MORFORD, TAYLOR:** I am looking for information on parentage of William ANNIN, born abt 1718 in Scotland & resided in SomCo, NJ. Information on the parents of Sarah Ann MORFORD bn 1802 in MonCo, NJ married James Grover TAYLOR abt 1828. *Contact: Pauli Sears, 204 Maddox Drive, Brentwood #61, Fairfield Bay, AR 72088, e-mail: <dpsears@artelco.com>.*

**BRANT, MUNDY:** Seek parents/siblings of Phebe Cutter MUNDY (1799 in or near Rahway, NJ - 5 August 1880 Broome Co., NY) who married in 1823, probably in Broome Co., NY to Amos M. BRANT. Had children Emily Gregory, Amos Augustus, Ellis Mundy, Lyman A. The family lived in Conklin, Chenango and Binghamton in Broome Co., NY, from the early 1800s on. *Contact: Barbara Babcock, e-mail: <barbabcock@comcast.net>.*

**CABLE, FAIRCHILD, KRING:** Seeking info on Henry CABLE (1795-1835) and his wife, Permelia KRING (Cring) (1802-1853), of Pequannock, MorCo., NJ. She is prob a dau of Hartman CRING, of Pequannock per NJ June 1793 Tax List. Henry CABLE and Permelia KRING are buried at Parsippany Cemetery, Rte. #6, Bloomfield Turnpike, Parsippany. In 1850 US Census of Hanover, NJ, widow Permelia (Kring) CABLE was residing as a poss Boarder/Relative (??) with Dr. Stephen FAIRCHILD and his wife, Euphemia. Other Cable children include daughters, Parmelia (b. 1819); Ann Eliza (b.c. 1821-22) and son, William H. CABLE (b.c. 1831-33) in NJ, probably

Pequannock, MorCo. *Contact: Michael Whelan, 28 Alicia Terr., Windsor Locks, CT 06096-2614, e-mail: <mwgyrene@cox.net>.*

**CARR, EDSALL, COOLEY:** David CARR's 1799 will, published in SusCo, lists 9 children: Edsall (Edsel), Absolom, Julia, Abigail, Polly, Robert, John, Elizabeth and David (born 13 April 1797). His wife's name was given as Jane. She and his brother William CARR were co-administrators. William then lived in Orange County, New York. One witness was Hannah EDSALL. Was she a relative? When did David CARR move to New Jersey? Was he married twice? His daughter Julia married a COOLEY. When? Where? Sons Edsall, Absolom, Robert and young David all moved to Marion County, Ohio. Where did Jane and the daughters go after 1799? *Contact: Verna Forbes Willson, 920 40th Street, Ogden, Utah 84403-2487.*

**CARR, EVENSALL, NEGUS, POST:** Seeking information on Samuel CARR purportedly born in Totowa, New Jersey 19 Dec. 1768, and married to Mary (Post?) born 5 Nov 1773. Samuel and Mary CARR had at least 3 sons, all born in New Jersey: David born 2 July 1793; Robert born 8 August 1802; Alpha born 22 May 1812; and perhaps Gabriel Post CARR born about 1805. David CARR is my ancestor and he married Rebecca EVENSALL in Sussex, NJ on 28 Dec 1814. The CARR's migrated to Wayne Co., New York after 1814 where Samuel died in 1825 and Mary died in 1842. David CARR had a large family of more than 13 children, including James Edward CARR born in New York (or possibly New Jersey) on 28 Oct. 1815. He and his wife Sophronia NEGUS had a family in Wayne Co, New York that included my great grandfather Daniel Webster CARR. David and Rebecca CARR moved to Shiawassee Co., Michigan in the mid-1800s where they died and were buried. I am looking to find Samuel CARR's parents and their country of birth. *Contact: Paula Hoffman, 1845 Fir Avenue, Holton, MI 48425.*

**CORBY, MEAD(E), WARD:** Seek any info on parents/family/marriage/death of Z. (Zadock?) C. WARD born circa 1821 Essex Co. NJ and wife, Lydia A. MEAD(E) b. ca 1825 NJ. He was a shoemaker in Carbondale and Blakely PA in 1850, 1860 & 1870 Census. The 1880 Census enumerates the family in Alachua, FL living next to daughter, Ann and her husband, Ezra DICKERSON. Z.C. & Lydia's children - Adeline/Maria A., Henrietta, Ira, Ann/Anna, Raymond M., Anson, Charles A./Augustus &

William T. Could Z.C. be Zebina WARD's son? Also, is there a possible connection to the CORBY family of Orange, EssCo, NJ? *Contact: Lorraine Roth, 384 Maple St., Haworth, NJ 07641, e-mail: <lorraine.roth3@verizon.net>.*

**FINESVILLE UNION CEMETERY:** Seeking descendants of those interred in the Finesville Union Cemetery in Pohatcong Township, WarCo. *Contact: Sharon K. Smith, 337 Route 627, Milford, NJ 08848-1772, e-mail: <sksmith03@earthlink.net>.*

**GRANT, KING, PHOENIX, VAN FLEET, WILLIS:** Seeking information on James KING (1711-1785) who married Margaret [--?--]. Lineal descent through: George KING (1744-1799) married Maria PHOENIX. Adam KING (1760-1840) married Margaret GRANT. James KING (1791-1879) married Phoebe WILLIS. Charles KING (1815-1886) married Mary Elizabeth VANFLEET. All of MorCo, NJ. *Contact: Joyce King, 3063 South Xanthia Street, Denver, CO 80231, e-mail: <jkkinggen34@yahoo.com>.*

**MOELLER, SAUER:** According to a State of NJ Certificate and Record of Marriage, Charles Frederick SAUER, Jr. married Henrietta MOELLER in Fanwood, NJ on 17 Aug 1918. The wedding was performed by Percy PEMBERTON, Pastor of Branch Mills and Mountainside Union Chapel. I cannot find that chapel. Can anyone assist me in locating this chapel or its successor? *Contact: Esther Grace Sauer Manara, 950 Willow Valley Lakes Dr Apt K-505, Willow Street, PA 17584-9663, e-mail: <vjmanara@yahoo.com>.*

**STACHE, STARN, THOMSON:** In his will dated 27 November 1773 (Hunterdon #938J), Jacob STARN names Jacob Starn THOMSON as the son of Col. Mark THOMSON and Catherine STACHE (her maiden name) of "New York". Jacob Starn THOMSON (28 Nov 1771 - 13 Dec 1832) lived in SusCo/WarCo and was very active politically. Seeking more information on Catherine STACHE. *Contact: Michelle Chubenko, 149 Tyler Avenue, Carteret, NJ 07008-1725, e-mail: <michelle@chubenko.us>.*

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**BALDWIN, CRANE, HAYS, HAYES, SAYRE:** Stephen (Hayes) HAYS born 10 April 1761 and died 13 May 1837. Possibly had 4 wives Eunice SAYRE, Sarah CRANE, Sarah BALDWIN, and an unknown fourth. Looking for parents and siblings. Served in Rev War as NJ Volunteer from 1776-1781. When did ancestors come to America and from where? *Contact: Alpha C. Sambor, 475 Butternut Street, Middletown, CT 06457.*

**BARTOLANZO:** Searching for Dante BARTOLANZO's family in 1930 U.S. Federal census. Family members include spouse, Ida, and son, Leo. Believed to live on Anderson Street or 2nd Ave in Raritan, Somerset County. May have lived elsewhere in the county. Have been unable to find by searching index or browsing. *Contact: Vincent Manara, e-mail: <vjmanara@yahoo.com>.*

**BUNTIN/BUNTING, FRY/FRISE/FRISSÉ, POLING:** Seeking parents of Mary FRY/FRISE/FRISSÉ who had 1755 license to marry John POLING of Middletown, and parents of Elizabeth FRY who had 1755 license to marry John's son Samuel POLING of Middletown. Need name of first wife of John POLING, Samuel's mother, b. ca 1706-1715. Also parents of Richard BUNTIN (b. before 1738) whose daughter Mary married Richard POLING, son of Samuel and Elizabeth (Fry) POLING. *Contact: Judi Watson, 9082 Gavelwood Court, Springfield, VA 22153-1126, e-mail: <PvtGreenie@AOL.com>.*

**CANNON, CARPENTER, GIBSON, HALL, PILE, SHARP, SMITH:** Seek connection between families described below, history of Pile's Grove (Salem County, West Jersey) including reason for and outcome of lawsuit, and B/M/D dates of all parties. Deeds and wills of West Jersey show a 10,000 acre tract known as *Pile's Grove* owned by Thomas PILE,

b. London Eng., d. Piles Grove bet. 17 Aug (will) and 19 Oct (probate) 1695. His wife Sarah CANNON d. Piles Grove 04 Mar 1683/4. They had four children: Elizabeth d. Salem 1699, m. William HALL of Dublin, Ire., d. Salem 1728; Sarah m. Simon GIBSON; and sons Abraham and Ephraim of whom nothing is known. William HALL appears to have been a large landowner, and wife Elizabeth the main beneficiary of the wills of both parents. It appears that the HALLS inherited Pile's Grove. Here the record of the family ends.

Later a Hannah PILE, d. Mannington after 17 Sept 1757, daughter of John PILE, owner of Piles Grove, m. Samuel SMITH, d. 1738 Mannington. Her will dated 17 Sept 1757, identifies 4 children: son Pile SMITH, dau. Hannah b. 21 Dec 1723, m. 17 Oct 1742 Preston CARPENTER; dau. Elizabeth m. Isaac SHARP, and dau. Mary Ann. By his will, Samuel SMITH left their 700 acre residence known as the Smith farm, afterward as the Josiah Miller farm, located next to the Salem Almshouse, equally to his daughters Hannah and Elizabeth. This farm eventually came to belong solely to the CARPENTER family. Samuel SMITH ordered another property sold to pay for the "law suit I have now pending about Pile's Grove," and that "if my executor recovers for my son Pile the one-half of Pile's Grove land," then that land goes to Pile and the farm left to him is devised instead to his daughters. *Contact: Barbara De Mare, 155 Polifly Road, Hackensack, NJ 07601, e-mail: <BarbaradeMare@yahoo.com>.*

**DESPREAUX, LEONARD, MATTHEWS, SEWING, SWAN:** Seeking lineage of Sarah MATTHEWS, married 14 January 1809 to Joseph LEONARD who died 4 June 1824 at age 36. In his will dated 23 January 1824, he names wife Sarah and seven children: Thomas, Joseph, Alice (married Morgan SWAN), Sarah, Ann Mariah (married to Jonathan SEWING), Charlotte (married to Louis DESPREAUX) and Deborah. *Contact: Douglas Morehouse, 10 Cypress Road, Somerset, NJ 08873-2804.*

**ENGLISH, NAPIER, NEWELL, RHEA:** Researching the ENGLISH family for which the borough of Englishtown was named. Family tradition has it that the three ENGLISH brothers: James, David

and Robert came to this country from Ireland sometime before 1730, but we have no proof. James married Margaret RHEA, David married Elizabeth NAPIER and Robert married Elinor NEWELL, all prominent families of Monmouth County. The three brothers were all members of "The Old Tennent Church". We would like to know : 1) where they came from before settling in Monmouth County; 2) where their properties were located in the Englishtown area; and 3) where their gravesites are located. *Contact: Laurence A. English, 4046 220th Pl. SE, Issaquah, WA 98029.*

**HART, PLUMLEY, PLUMBLY:** Seek information on family of John PLUMLEY/PLUMBLY (1788-1863), married to Mary HART (Absolum(3)/Benjamin(2)/Ralph(1)), parents of Abraham C., Benjamin F., Jane H., Sarah Louise, Eliza Ann. Resided HuntCo, MerCo, MidCo. *Contact: Marti Marshall, 413 Hickory, New Ulm, TX 78950, e-mail: <marti@industryinet.com>.*

**PICKLE, SMITH:** Seeking the father of my GG-Grandfather Henry H. PICKLE, born 25 June 1796 (place unknown), married to Mary SMITH on 3 October 1824 in Hunterdon Co., NJ. Only NJ reference found has been in a Ohio Genealogical Society resource that provides that Henry was an orphan and bound to a Mr. SHARP. Between 1830 and 1840, Henry and Mary took their five children and moved to Gallia County, OH where they had five more children. Henry and Mary are buried in Gallia County. Have found no sources that indicate who among the PICKLEs in NJ might have been his father. *Contact: Geneva Damron, 15609 Golfview Drive, Riverview, MI 48193.*

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