



# CHENOWETH FAMILY NEWSLETTER

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## BOARD OF DIRECTOR NOMINATIONS

Since the inception of the Chenoweth Family Association, more than 8 years ago, the same 9 individuals have served on the Board of Directors. This is not a complaint but it does indicate complacency on the part of the family.

According to the By-Laws that are currently in existence, 3 of these individuals were to be replaced at each National Reunion. This would provide a nucleus of continuity and as well as a breath of fresh blood. During the past reunions the same individuals were elected to the Board, whether this is because they

Were doing such a good job or because no other individuals “cared” to run for the position is not known.

### BOARD OF DIRECTORS 06-08

**BILL CHINWORTH**  
(Chairman) Tucson, AZ

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(Secretary) Lafayette, IN

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**PETER CHENOWETH**  
(at large) Hephzibah, GA

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(resigned)

**JENNIFER LANE SMITH**  
(at large) Searcy, AR

**GREG WULKER**  
(at large) Milford, OH

What is known is that the time has come for change and in to assist with this change your Board is attempting something different. Nominations for 4 seats on the Board of Directors are opened with this newsletter. In order to be elected to the Board an individual needs to be either a blood relative or a spouse. Individuals can nominate themselves.

Nominations will remain open until June 1, 2008. At this time the June newsletter will be put together and nominees will be announced. All nominees will be contacted prior to this time to confirm that they are willing to serve if elected.

From June 1<sup>st</sup> until July 15<sup>th</sup> all Chenoweth Family Association members will have an opportunity to vote. Those individuals elected will be contacted in advance of the reunion, while the formal announcement will be made at the reunion. Their first board meeting will be on the final day of the reunion, Sunday, July 27<sup>th</sup>, at which time the Board will elect its slate of officers for the coming two years.

Nominations can be sent to your editor, Peter Chenoweth at [p.chenoweth@comcast.net](mailto:p.chenoweth@comcast.net).

Please, take this opportunity to serve your Family Association and make a difference. The, no YOUR, Chenoweth Family Association has come so far in the past few years, but there is so much further that it can go. Your

help is very much needed to get this accomplished.

# Editorial

By Peter Clinton Chenoweth, Editor

This newsletter has always attempted to provide you, the reader, with a selection of articles that are not only genealogically informative, but also historically informative and at times humorous. Never before has there been an editorial section, but the newsletter does have an editor and once in a while an item occurs that I feel obligated to speak out about.

For the past 10 years a small group of individuals (about 15 total) have kept the Chenoweth Family Association “ship” afloat and headed in what they felt was the proper direction. The individuals have done everything from being on the Board of Directors to organizing and putting together the National Family Reunions. Many of these individuals are tired and wish to have new blood and fresh ideas take their place so that they can pursue other interests to benefit the Association.

In this newsletter the announcement was made that nominations are open for new members to the Board of Directors. The same 9 individuals have served since its conception, though many volunteered to serve only to get the ball rolling.

Another area that needs individuals is the formation of a focus group with regards to where the Association is heading. Our chairman, Bill Chinworth, has attempted to put forth many of these thoughts in the past (i.e. planning several years in advance where the reunions should be held). As Dick Buchanan so eloquently put it....

*“.. I offer a feeling I have had for some time in regard to the "mission" of the CFA. I might suggest for your (well, the Board's) consideration a meeting of a "focus group" consisting of a few intensely interested CFA members ( a dozen people) who would explore where they feel the CFA should be heading. They could express what they feel the CFA goals should be, what processes are needed to pursue these goals, and how does progress towards the goals get measured. So often organizations/companies remain "short-sighted" with the result being that "if you always do what you already did, you will always get what you already got". I would be willing to participate in such a group.”*

There are many other projects that can use new individuals assistance: The formation of a Reunion Committee, someone willing to take over the DNA project, someone willing to become the editor of the newsletter, to name just a few. I am sure that new “blood” can envision many more that could be formed.

With more than 1500 cousins on the email list that receive this newsletter from a database of over 150,000 individuals, surely there must be a few that are willing to step forward and assist with these and other projects. If individuals don’t step forward there might not be a Chenoweth Family Association much longer but simple a handful of individuals that work on the preservation of the genealogical lines.

# COMMENTS FROM THE CLAN

*(The following e-mails have been received from members of the family with regards to the newsletter. Comments, articles, questions and other items for this newsletter are always appreciated.-editor)*

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Thanks for the quick response and for the Newsletter copy. Now I have more to add about a section of the newsletter.

In "Comments from the Clan" Sue Solomon on 3/28/07 draws attention to the first auto license issued in Texas to W.B. Chenoweth for his bus. Your comment back was that this is really William Benjamin Wood is inaccurate. This is William Benjamin Chenoweth(6) from Joseph(5) Benjamin F.(4) Thomas Jr(3) Thomas(2) John(1) – my grandfather. The Dallas Morning News article you included was fairly accurate, except that he died April 1, 1946 in Terrill, TX.

20 Dec 2007  
Joe Chenoweth

*Thanks Joe. Definitely a typo on my part... One of the fortunate things about web publishing is you can correct your mistakes...- Jon Egge*

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I am just beginning to research my ancestry. Your website has been a great help. I am Byron Richard Chenoweth from Burlington, Iowa. From researching the site, it looks like my line is Thomas(2) Richard(3) Richard(4) Ira L.(5) Lemon(6) John I.(7) Albert L.(8) John Albert(9) and me (10).....Thanks for a great resource. Please add me to "cuz" list.

10 Dec 2007  
Byron Chenoweth

*Must be kismet as I tried to phone you a few weeks (months?) ago, figuring correctly that you might be the son of John Albert. I got your answering machine and never tried back. That said, thank you for contacting me. You are the first contact I have had with the descendants of John I (don't know his middle name, but Isaac would be a guess) and Hester Gertrude Aumick. – Jon Egge*

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Jon, thanks for all that hard work on behalf of the family. Since I have been exposed to my Chenoweth roots, I have had a unique fascination for the journey, Maryland, Virginia, Kentucky, Missouri, Kansas and thereafter many points southwest and west. Learning about our family is like walking across America. Thanks again for all the time and energy spent on your love of family.

8 Dec 2007  
Alan Casebier

*You have hit upon one of the joys of genealogy involving a colonial family. The grand march across the country, fanning out in many directions, moving west seeking something better...The Casebier line is a remarkable subset of the Chenoweth family. I had no idea that so many of the modern day Casebiers belonged to the descendants of Elizabeth and David Casebier. I have always enjoyed the story that Catherine Crissy Casebier went to school with Abe Lincoln... – Jon Egge*

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Always good to get the quarterly newsletter. I just wanted to say that I had the same trouble try to do FTM 2008 also. Hope all is well.

5 Dec 2007  
Ken Neundorf

*Amen, it was a nightmare. Took 24 hours to convert a file to something impossible to move. I should have read the comments on the web first. I had no idea what I was getting into. The upshot was I got a version 16 (had 13) for about \$20 which gave me 6 months free on ancestry.... The only good that came out of this was the discovery of a pretty interesting genealogy newsletter. [http://blog.eogn.com/eastmans\\_online\\_genealogy/](http://blog.eogn.com/eastmans_online_genealogy/). – Jon Egge*

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Thanks for your continuing great newsletters! I hope your place is high and dry. I have seen some "high-water" stories in Woodinville today.

6 Dec 2007  
Bill Garber

*Yeah Bill it is, I live up on the plateau. I did have our paddle boat float away (the lake came up about 4 or 5 feet and 6 hours)...but a kindly neighbor brought it back... I did try to go down to the PO Monday during the rain. The traffic in Woodinville was so bad, I just turned around.. There are a couple of low sways in Woodinville that fill with water when it rains hard and really upsets accesses....Thanks for thinking of us...Don't build in a flood plain. – Jon Egge*

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**I am attaching a 1949 story written by my great-grandmother, Lou Elea Hart Irvine (1874-1960), who was daughter of Calvin Hart & Julia Foggy, and granddaughter of James Montgomery Hart and Eleanor Chenoweth of Randolph Co., VA (now WV). I thought you might like to use it on your Chenoweth site. I have bolded the paragraphs mentioning her grandparents James Montgomery Hart and Eleanor Chenoweth. Thank you for all that you do!**

**6 Dec 2007  
Catherine (Ferguson) Thompson**

*That is a wonderful contribution. Thank you so much, it has been posted to the website and can be found at:*

*<http://www.chenowethsite.com/chentale.htm#en1796>*

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**It's been a long time! How have you been doing? By the looks of the site (it's been quite a while since I've been able to get on) you've been pretty busy with it. I noticed that the updates I gave you on Lillie (Dunn) Howell's side of the tree haven't been put on there yet. Let me know if you need anything else. Darcy's son Jared is getting married in May, but I have no idea what her last name is, I'll find out and let you know. Take care, and thanks again for all the work you've put into this site.**

**5 Dec 2007  
Angela J. Hawks**

*Angel...It is in my file. The last time we updated the website was in 2003. We are some 28,000 names beyond that. I am just too busy trying to get the 1870 Census done to think about an update. Sorry.... – Jon Egge*

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**Thanks so much for all the time and effort you have put into this massive project! I'm always interested in reading the quarterly newsletters. Looking forward to hearing more from you in the future.**

**5 Dec 2007  
Terry & Randy Tully**

*Thanks Terry for keeping the link. I lost over 100 cousins in this last mass mailing. You never finished tying yourself in. I have nothing after Rachel. Sure would like to get this line in. I thought it was so interesting that Rachel's aunt married Joseph Van Cleave and that is why Rachel was living with the Van Cleave's in Iowa in 1860... – Jon Egge*

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**What happened to the print? I have 18 pages of 1 paragraph and it is just impossible to read!**

**5 Dec 2007  
Lesley Stavola**

*Best to get a copy off the net. I was in a hurry and just pasted the net version in and didn't take the time to redo Pete's list in some sort of format. It is not easy. If I include the newsletter in the Email I get so many people who reply sending this huge text page back to me. Yet I want to keep their 2 line letter. If I don't send it and just refer people to the web, it doesn't get read and we get a poor response. If I attach the formatted newsletter it is big and get's rejected by too many providers. The plain text version is a work around. I will try to take more steps next time, but I get tired of all the messing around. To top it off, my Email provider, Comcast, has put me in "Email Jail" for 48 hours for "spamming" in sending out the newsletter. – Jon Egge*

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**I love all of the information we get from you. Please continue the GOOD work you do. Have a good holiday. I hope you are not in the part of Oregon that was hit by bad weather.**

**5 Dec 2007  
Mary Lou Wheatley**

*Yeah Bill it is, I live up on the plateau.. – Jon Egge*

# **HUGH STAMPER c1620-1676**

## **(Grandfather of Mary Calvert Chenoweth)**

**By Greg Wulker**

Hugh Stamper was born about 1620 in northern England, in the county of Cumberland, now called Cumbria. Not much is known about his early life, but it is believed he was the son of a Thomas, who was the son of Ambrose Stamper. He may have been a blacksmith, as records in Lurgan, Ireland refer to his son as a "smith".

There were Stampers living in northern England, before 1538, near Holm Cultram Abbey, built in the 1100's by the Cistercian Monks. These Stampers, were possibly of Scottish ancestry, as the land previously was in the hands of the Scots.

In fact, one Hugh Stamper, who was listed as "not a monk", was the Abbey Bailiff for Holm Cultram, and later was listed as living on one of the Abbey's tenement farms with a 21 year lease. The location of this cottage and ½ acre garth was in the town of Sandenhouse, not far from the Abbey. Another mention of a Hugh Stamper says he was a professor at Carlisle University in 1562.

No clear connection has been made yet to the other Hugh Stampers, but surely there is one.

The next we know of the younger Hugh Stamper is that he married about 1648/49 in Cumberland, England to a lady named Briget. This marriage probably took place at All Saints Parish, Bolton, Cumbria. Her last name has not been found, but she is said to have been from the town of Bolton Wood, a small village in Cumberland, and not far from where Hugh Stamper was living.

In May of 1650, a daughter was born to them, named Mary. Another daughter Judith, born the 12<sup>th</sup> of June 1652 in Bolton Wood, later would marry John Calvert.

In Cumberland at the same time, "our founding Friend" George Fox was spreading the Quaker religion, and in August of 1653, was on his way to visit Thomas Bewley at Halt-cliff Hall. He was later arrested and imprisoned for seven weeks at Carlisle Castle prison for preaching at Holm Cultram Abbey. Hugh Stamper about this time, aligned himself with the new religion, and can be found in the records of Carlisle prison dated 1654.

Anno 1654: "Thomas Bewley and Hugh Stamper, standing at the Sessions in Carlisle with their hats on, were by the Justices committed to prison without any legal cause assigned. After a months confinement they were discharged without paying fees. But Hugh Stamper was afterwards arrested for fees and imprisoned and detained there for one and twenty weeks." It does not mention why he received the latter sentence.

About the same time, another daughter Sarah was born, and a son named Daniel, was born in 1656.

Hugh Stamper is mentioned again in the following records of Carlisle Prison along with Francis Robson.

"In 1662, Francis Robson, for being at the like peaceable meeting to worship God, was fined by Judge Kennedy 20 shillings, for which fine the Sheriff's Bailiffs took from him a horse worth L5. Hugh Stamper, for the like cause, was fined by the Judge 5 shillings, and imprisoned about eight weeks, and had a kettle taken from him worth 14 shillings." It was common for Quakers to refuse to pay local tithes to support the Church of England or local government, so they could be arrested, and tithes taken from them, or imprisonment. The Quakers termed this "Sufferings", and began to keep records of these actions. The popular Quaker form of non-conformity was refusing to pay tithes, remove your hat to authority, and speaking with the words "thee and thou", which at the time was disrespectful to officials.

### **Removal to Ireland**

Sometime between 1662 and 1663, Hugh Stamper, along with his wife and children removed with a group of Quakers to near Lurgan, county Armagh, Ireland. His name appears on the Hearth Tax list in "Lurgan Town" dated 1663-1665, showing one hearth, and taxed at 2 shillings, the fee at that time.

The removal into Ireland seems to have coincided with the English Parliament passing the Act of Uniformity in 1662. This Act was in part, meant to re-introduce the Book of Common Prayer in England and make it compulsory for religious services. It also required episcopal ordination for all ministers. Another part of the Act was the Conventicle Act, passed in 1664 which forbade conventicles (a meeting of unauthorized worship) of more than 5 people who were not members of the same

household. The purpose was to prevent dissenting religious groups from meeting. It isn't known if Hugh Stamper left England on his own accord after his 1662 imprisonment, or was forced out of the country with the enactment of the new laws.

In the Quaker minutes at Lurgan Meeting, Ireland, it is here that Hugh's daughter Mary is listed as marrying on the 12 July, 1671 to Thomas Walker, a weaver in Lurgan.

On the 29<sup>th</sup> of May 1673, the marriage of daughter Judith is recorded at Stranmillis, a small town near Belfast, Ireland. She married John Calvert, whose family had emigrated earlier from Yorkshire, England. In 1673, Hugh Stamper is also found, listed as a witness to the Quaker marriage ceremony of Valentine Hollingsworth, and wife Ann.

In county Armagh, near Moyraverty, can be found the oldest burial ground for Quakers in Ireland. It is called Lynastown, and was named so for one William Lynas who died in 1658. He was not allowed to be buried in the regular church graveyard, so his son Thomas donated the land for Quaker burials. In records of the Lurgan Quaker Meeting in 1673, twelve trustees were appointed for the burial ground. Four of the twelve named were: Daniel Stamper, listed as a "smith" in Lurgan; Thomas Walker, a "weaver" in Lurgan; John Calvert, listed as a "freeholder", and Valentine Hollingsworth, John Calvert's brother in law.

One of the last times we hear of Hugh Stamper, are from the records of the Lurgan Meeting, where Hugh is listed as being present for the 2<sup>nd</sup> month, and 3<sup>rd</sup> month of 1675. That would actually be April and May, as March was the first month of the Quaker calendar.

## Burials

Lastly, the records of Lynastown graveyard record the following burials.

Hugh Stamper, buried 9 July 1676; Briget Stamper, buried 12 January 1681; Sarah Stamper, daughter of Hugh and Briget, buried the 23 December 1674; and son Daniel buried the 24<sup>th</sup> November 1684, age 28 years.

Of the two remaining known children of Hugh and Briget Stamper, Judith Calvert Chenoweth (John), went to Pennsylvania with the fleet of William Penn in 1683, and settled on land in Upper Providence Township, later called Delaware County. Judith died sometime after 1704; John Calvert died in 1699, and was buried in Philadelphia.

No further evidence has been found yet as to where Mary Stamper Walker (Thomas) went. There names do not appear in the Lynastown burial records, but there is an indication that they may have remained in Lurgan. Mary was living in 1689. There are many Walkers listed on a list from 1695 giving donations for a new Quaker church building in Lurgan. On the list is a Thomas Walker, and Thomas Walker Jr.

On an old map of Lurgan town, the property of John Calvert and Thomas Walker are adjoining each other, on the west side of the main street, across from the marketplace.

Records of Lurgan Quaker meeting dated the 22<sup>nd</sup> of the 7<sup>th</sup> Mo.(Sept.)1680, indicate a "difference" between John Calvert and William Matthews. "George Hodsgen, Robert Hoope, William Porter and James Bradshaw were appointed to "end ye Difference" betwixt John Calvert and William Matthews, "about ye fence on their backsides" with what expedition they can.

For additional reading on the Internet, search: The Sinton Family, Holm Cultram Abbey, Carlisle Castle, and Lynastown burial ground.

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## How's your Chenoweth Expertise?

By Jon Egge

Name the 3 Chenoweth males, as part of the family of John and Mary, who are recorded in Cora Hiatts book, but omitted from the Harris book.

Answer next newsletter in an article that I will write.



# IN MEMORIAM HONOR ROLL

*With thanks and appreciation to Dot Tucker-Houk of Maryland who makes much of this list possible each newsletter. This year 65 Chenoweths were reported dying in the SSA system. Until the last two months we had identified 100% of them. There are now 4 unidentified. Any help in placing these individuals would be appreciated:*

- **Richard J. Chenoweth** b: Sep 09, 1949 d: Oct 26, 2007 issued MD (Westminster, Carroll, MD)
- **Shirley Terry Chenoweth** b: Aug 05, 1919 d: Dec 09, 2007 issued IN (Billings, Yellowstone, MT)
- **Stephen A. Chenoweth** b: Apr 07, 1948 d: Aug 28, 2007 issued TN (Milford, Otsego, NY)
- **Susan J. Chenoweth** b: Jan 01, 1942 d: Dec 18, 2007 issued MI (Detroit, Wayne, MI)

**age unknown - EDITH BERNICE BAKER** April 2007. She was the 2<sup>nd</sup> wife of PAUL EUGENE<sup>10</sup> COBERLY (*CHARLES RUSSELL<sup>9</sup>, GEORGE WASHINGTON<sup>8</sup>, JOHN PERRY<sup>7</sup>, MARGARET<sup>6</sup> CHENOWETH, ROBERT T.<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) who was born March 18, 1913 in Gilmer Co., WV, and died June 11, 2003 in Greenville, Greenville Co., SC.

**age 78 - CAROL JEAN CHENOWETH nee HELD**, daughter of GEORGE HELD and JENNIE CARLSON, was born October 23, 1929 in Lusk, Niobrara Co., WY, and died February 19, 2008 in Houston, Harris Co., TX. She married September 07, 1949 in Lusk, Niobrara Co., WY EDGAR ALVA<sup>9</sup> CHENOWETH (*ALVA ELMER<sup>8</sup>, JOHN DOTHERDY<sup>7</sup>, ISAAC NEWTON<sup>6</sup>, WILLIAM PUGH<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*). He was born August 02, 1923 in Wyoming. Carol as Miss Wyoming was 1<sup>st</sup> runner up and "Miss Congeniality" in the Miss America pageant in 1948.

**age 84 - ROBERT NEWTON<sup>9</sup> CHENOWETH, JR.** (*ROBERT NEWTON<sup>8</sup>, JOHN DOTHERDY<sup>7</sup>, ISAAC NEWTON<sup>6</sup>, WILLIAM PUGH<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born March 21, 1923 in Kansas, and died December 20, 2007 in Missouri. He married ANNIE MILDRED SPORTSMAN in Englewood, Arapahoe Co., CO. She was born May 12, 1921, and died March 14, 2004 in Carrollton, Carroll Co., MO.

**age 83 - THELMA MARIE CHENOWETH nee BECHTLE**, daughter of RALPH BECHTLE and LAVINA GRIFFITTS was born September 08, 1924 in Colorado, and died November 19, 2007 in Colorado. She married January 29, 1950 in California DERREL WAYNE<sup>9</sup> CHENOWETH (*FLOYD<sup>8</sup>, DANIEL MCLEAN<sup>7</sup>, ISAAC NEWTON<sup>6</sup>, WILLIAM PUGH<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*). He was born November 16, 1928 in Springfield, Baca Co., CO, and died June 28, 1986 in Springfield, Baca Co., CO.

**age 71 - MARY LOUISE<sup>10</sup> RAINES nee PHILLIPS** (*RUSSELL<sup>9</sup>, MARY VINNIE<sup>8</sup> ROWAN, WILLIAM JEHU<sup>7</sup>, RACHEL A.<sup>6</sup> CHENOWETH, JEHU<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born February 28, 1935 in Elkins, Randolph Co., WV, and died July 23, 2006 in Elkins, Randolph Co., WV. She married (1) unknown COBERLY. She married (2) ROBERT DALE RAINES July 05, 1968.

**age 65 - DONALD GEORGE<sup>10</sup> PHILLIPS** (*RUSSELL<sup>9</sup>, MARY VINNIE<sup>8</sup> ROWAN, WILLIAM JEHU<sup>7</sup>, RACHEL A.<sup>6</sup> CHENOWETH, JEHU<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born October 27, 1941 in Coalton, Randolph Co., WV, and died February 13, 2007 in Morgantown, Monongalia Co., WV. He married NORMA RUTH

**age 97 - VIRGINIA LOUISE<sup>9</sup> HOLBERT nee ROWAN** (*WELLINGTON MARSTILLER<sup>8</sup>, ELI CHENOWETH<sup>7</sup>, RACHEL A.<sup>6</sup> CHENOWETH, JEHU<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born May 24, 1909 in Mabie, Randolph Co., WV, and died January 01, 2007. She married (1) J. FRED MOONEY January 03, 1931. He was born January 23, 1888 in Charleston, Kanawha Co., WV, and died February 25, 1952 in Fairmont, Marion Co., WV. She married (2) HARRY EARL HOLBERT June 15, 1976. He was born January 21, 1905 in Mannington, Marion Co., WV, and died July 30, 1987 in Fairmont, Marion Co., WV.

**age 72 - JUANITA JEAN<sup>9</sup> MOORE nee ROWAN** (*ESLIE<sup>8</sup>, LEE CHENOWETH<sup>7</sup>, RACHEL A.<sup>6</sup> CHENOWETH, JEHU<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born June 03, 1934 in Mabie, Randolph Co., WV, and died May 13, 2007 in Belington, Barbour Co., WV. She married (1) RICHARD ALLEN COLLETT March 06, 1954. He was born January 03, 1932, and died August 07, 1999. She married (2) JACK EUGENE MOORE May 02, 1969.

**age 88 - STERLING<sup>9</sup> SINGLETON** (*MARTHA B.<sup>8</sup> HART, JOHN CHENOWETH<sup>7</sup>, EZRA PUGH<sup>6</sup>, ELEANOR 'NELLIE'<sup>6</sup> CHENOWETH, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born May 14, 1919 in Braxton Co., WV, and died January 28, 2008 in Bridgeport, Harrison Co., WV. He married MARIE MOORE August 20, 1947.

**age 96 - LESTON LEE<sup>9</sup> CHENOWETH** (*LESTON ELBERT<sup>8</sup>, JOHN<sup>7</sup>, DANIEL<sup>6</sup>, SAMUEL<sup>5</sup>, JONATHAN<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born July 03, 1911 in Caldwell, Canyon Co., ID, and died November 25, 2007. He married BARBARA LUCILLE HOBBS, daughter of PRESTON HOBBS and LUCILLE MORRIS. She was born January 15, 1923 in Alton, Clearwater Co., FL, and died July 01, 1994.

**age 47 - GENE ROLAND<sup>11</sup> CHENOWETH** (*ROLAND MILTON<sup>10</sup>, JOHN WILLIAM 'JOHNNY'<sup>9</sup>, THOMAS ADISON<sup>8</sup>, JOHN BENTLY<sup>7</sup>, WILLIAM HAYCRAFT<sup>6</sup>, JACOB VAN METER<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born November 14, 1950 in Michigan, and died December 10, 2007 in Michigan. He married SUSAN MATHIS 1974.

**age 76 - RAYMOND J.<sup>10</sup> GIBSON** (*ETHEL<sup>9</sup> CHENOWETH, JAMES LEMUEL<sup>8</sup>, WILLIAM LEMUEL<sup>7</sup>, JOHN HENTON<sup>6</sup>, JACOB VAN METER<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born June 26, 1931 in Myrtle Point, Coos Co., OR, and died February 03, 2008 in Kennewick, Benton Co., WA. Raymond was married.

**age 90 - HOPE NORTON**, son of GEORGE NORTON and MAGGIE RUSSELL, was born November 23, 1917 in Arkansas River near Sand Springs, Tulsa Co., OK, and died February 19, 2008 in Perry, Noble Co., OK. He married November 07, 1943 in Sapulpa, Creek Co., OK LIBBIE JEAN<sup>8</sup> CHENOWETH (*CLARK BRADEN<sup>7</sup>, JOSEPH STEAVEN<sup>6</sup>, JAMES HACKLEY<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)

**age 77 - PAUL S. DEYO**, son of CHARLES DEYO and MAUDE BATLEY, was born December 28, 1928 in Keokuk, Lee Co., IA, and died September 14, 2006 in Keokuk, Lee Co., IA. He married CLARA LOUISE<sup>8</sup> CHENOWETH (*PERCY GRAYSON<sup>7</sup>, DAVID JOHNSTON<sup>6</sup>, JAMES HACKLEY<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*). She was born January 23, 1907 in Pike Co., IL, and died March 11, 2002 in Keokuk, Lee Co., IA.

**age 66 - LENA ELAINE<sup>10</sup> BLODGETT nee CHENOWETH** (*DARRELL NELSON<sup>9</sup>, HORACE CASPER<sup>8</sup>, JAMES WESLEY<sup>7</sup>, WILLIAM THOMAS<sup>6</sup>, CASPER<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM S.<sup>4</sup>, JOHN<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born November 17, 1941 in Enterprise, Wallowa Co., OR, and died December 04, 2007 in Kennewick, Benton Co., WA. She married (1) LESTER SCHUMAN. She married (2) WILLIAM J. BLODGETT. He was born October 19, 1944, and died October 28, 1995 in Washington.

**age 81 - JOHN LAWRENCE TERBERG**, son of JOHANN TERBERG and AMELIA WILLIAMS, was born March 18, 1926 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA, and died October 25, 2007 in San Bernardino, San Bernardino Co., CA. He married January 31, 1953 in Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co., CA JEAN MARIE<sup>9</sup> MOORE (*MARIE RUTH<sup>8</sup> CHENOWETH, HARRY JESSE<sup>7</sup>, WILLIAM THOMAS<sup>6</sup>, CASPER<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM S.<sup>4</sup>, JOHN<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*)

**age 89 - JAMES ROY<sup>9</sup> WADSACK** (*VELLA MAUDE<sup>8</sup> YEITER, CORA MAYE<sup>7</sup> WILSON, JAMES MADISON<sup>6</sup>, ELEANOR<sup>5</sup> CHENOWETH, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, JOHN<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born Abt. September 1918 in Finney Co., KS, and died December 02, 2007 in Derby, Sedgwick Co., KS. He married LUCILLE IRENE FRIEDRICH, daughter of WILLIAM FRIEDRICH and MELVINA SUNBURG.

**age 74 - MABLE MARIE CHENOWETH nee CONWAY** 1952, daughter of JOHN CONWAY and IVA SHOEMAKER, was born June 20, 1923 in Illinois, and died September 26, 2007 in Illinois. She married JOSEPH EARNEST<sup>8</sup> CHENOWETH (*JOHN BIRDINE<sup>7</sup>, JOSEPH W.<sup>6</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, JOHN<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*). He was born May 22, 1918 in Fulton Co., IL, and died February 20, 1991 in Illinois.

**age 87 - EDNA FAY<sup>10</sup> VENNARD nee LEMMONS** (*ERNEST LYLE<sup>9</sup>, JAMES EVERETT<sup>8</sup>, GEORGE THOMAS<sup>7</sup>, NANCY<sup>6</sup> ASHBROOK, LEV<sup>5</sup>, MARY W.<sup>4</sup> CHENOWETH, JOHN<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born January 18, 1920 in Russellville, Lawrence Co., IL, and died August 16, 2007 in Vincennes, Knox Co., IN. She married JOHN MILTON VENNARD, son of CHARLES VENNARD and ESTELLA SCHNEIDER. He was born July 11, 1917 in Russellville, Lawrence Co., IL, and died June 09, 1996 in Robinson, Crawford Co., IL.

**age 88 - SHANNON CECILE<sup>9</sup> GRAHAM nee CHENOWETH** (*SAMUEL JAMES<sup>8</sup>, JAMES SOLOMON<sup>7</sup>, JAMES FRANCIS<sup>6</sup>, JAMES FRANCIS<sup>5</sup>, NICHOLAS RUXTON<sup>4</sup>, THOMAS<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born November 25, 1919 in Winona, Shannon Co., MO, and died December 07, 2007 in Jefferson City, Cole Co., MO. She married WILLIAM CLEMENT GRAHAM January 10, 1939 in Greene Co., MO. He was born January 28, 1917 in Greene Co., MO, and died January 23, 1953 in KOREA. Shannon, my 5<sup>th</sup> cousin, was a constant help to me in the line of Thomas(3). See newsletter article: Jun 2007

**age 76 - BONNIE LUCILLE<sup>10</sup> CLINE nee CHENOWETH** (*CLEABORN RAY<sup>9</sup>, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN<sup>8</sup>, JAMES SOLOMON<sup>7</sup>, JAMES FRANCIS<sup>6</sup>, JAMES FRANCIS<sup>5</sup>, NICHOLAS RUXTON<sup>4</sup>, THOMAS<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born July 21, 1930 in Vienna, Johnson Co., IL, and died April 08, 2007 in California. She married ARTHUR L. CLINE. He was born November 29, 1921, and died August 1972.

**age 32 - TRACY TODD<sup>10</sup> CHENOWETH** (*STEVEN DALE<sup>9</sup>, ROBERT GEORGE<sup>8</sup>, ROBERT GEORGE<sup>7</sup>, JAMES HARTSOCK<sup>6</sup>, JAMES<sup>5</sup>, THOMAS<sup>4</sup>, RICHARD<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born January 18, 1975 in Houston, Harris Co., TX, and died October 22, 2007.

**age 69 - WILFORD<sup>10</sup> CLARENCE McGRATH** (*WILFORD<sup>9</sup> McGRATH LORETTA MAY<sup>8</sup> CRAWFORD, ELSWORTH ADAM<sup>7</sup>, LAURA K.<sup>6</sup> WALTERS, KATHERINE<sup>5</sup> ASHBROOK, AARON<sup>4</sup>, MARY<sup>3</sup> CHENOWETH, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born April 04, 1938, and died May 16, 2007 in California

**age 95 - CELIA H. CHENOWETH nee BRACHOCKI** was born November 22, 1912, and died January 15, 2008 in California. She married April 03, 1964 in Orange Co., CA ARTHUR A.<sup>8</sup> CHENOWETH (*ALFORD LUTHER<sup>7</sup>, ELISHA ARTHUR<sup>6</sup>, ARTHUR LAWRENCE<sup>5</sup>, ARTHUR<sup>4</sup>, ARTHUR<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*). He was born August 01, 1919 in Decatur Co., KS, and died October 24, 1973 in Orange Co., CA

**age 90 - JO ANNA CHENOWETH nee LYMAN**, daughter of PATRICK LYMAN and LULA WALKER, was born November 11, 1917 in Redlands, San Bernardino Co., CA, and died February 13, 2008 in New Mexico. She married June 11, 1938 in Jay, Delaware Co., OK WILLIAM BURREL<sup>8</sup> CHENOWETH (*WILLIAM GUY<sup>7</sup>, HENRY SEAMAN<sup>6</sup>, HENRY<sup>5</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>4</sup>, JOHN<sup>3</sup>, RICHARD<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*). He was born October 07, 1917 in Tulsa, Tulsa Co., OK, and died September 09, 2004 in Albuquerque, Bernalillo Co., NM.

**age 84 - LADORNA RHEA CHENOWETH nee ROMINE** was born August 25, 1923, and died November 08, 2007 in Arizona. She married AMOS HARDIN<sup>8</sup> CHENOWETH (*HOWARD PINCKNEY<sup>7</sup>, JOHN ADDISON<sup>6</sup> GUS<sup>5</sup>, JOHN AUGUSTUS<sup>4</sup>, NICHOLAS<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, RICHARD<sup>1</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*). He was born May 13, 1918 in Mato Grosso, BRAZIL, and died July 02, 2006 in McNeal, Cochise Co., AZ.

**age 61 - BONNY<sup>9</sup> MONTGOMERY nee CHENOWETH** (*CLARENCE FREDERICK 'JIM'<sup>8</sup>, CHARLES RICHARD<sup>7</sup>, WILLIAM ANDREW<sup>6</sup>, RICHARD<sup>5</sup>, RICHARD B.<sup>4</sup>, JOHN<sup>3</sup>, ARTHUR<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born February 03, 1946 in Tennessee, and died May 01, 2007 in Virginia. She married WALTER HERBERT MONTGOMERY.

**age 87 - WILLIAM BEASEMAN<sup>8</sup> CHENOWETH** (*JOHN EDGAR<sup>7</sup>, THOMAS BEASMAN<sup>6</sup>, JOHN BAXTER<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup>, ARTHUR<sup>3</sup>, ARTHUR<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born November 07, 1920 in Trinidad, Las Animas Co., CO, and died January 29, 2008 in Colorado. He married (1) JEAN (BAYNE) GILBERT December 20, 1956 in Woodbridge, New Haven Co., CT, daughter of WILLIAM GILBERT and DOROTHY BLAHESTER. She was



born January 16, 1922 in New Haven, New Haven Co., CT, and died January 19, 1990. He married (2) MARY ANDREWS BAIN July 26, 1992 in Jefferson Co., CO.

**age 85 - JUSTIN CARL<sup>9</sup> NARUM** (*BLANCHE CHARLOTTE<sup>8</sup> CHINOWORH, JUSTIN ROBERT<sup>7</sup>, ALEXANDER<sup>6</sup>, ROBERT S.<sup>5</sup>, ARTHUR<sup>4</sup>, ARTHUR<sup>3</sup>, ARTHUR<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born April 10, 1922 in Manyberries, AB, CANADA, and died July 05, 2007 in Calgary, AB, CANADA. He married MARGARET LUFT September 21, 1949 in Calgary, AB, CANADA. She was born September 08, 1917 in Calgary, AB, CANADA, and died October 21, 1997 in Calgary, AB, CANADA.

**age 77 - GLENN J. DOUDEN**, son of SETH DOUDEN and ROBERTA BENNETT, was born January 28, 1930 in Harrisburg, Dauphin Co., PA, and died December 06, 2007 in North Carolina. He married NANCY<sup>9</sup> CHENOWETH (*ALBERT ALEXANDER 'BUD'<sup>8</sup>, ARTHUR TRIMMER<sup>7</sup>, GEORGE F.<sup>6</sup>, RIXTON<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup>, RICHARD<sup>3</sup>, ARTHUR<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*).

**age 78 - WILLIAM A.<sup>8</sup> CHENOWETH, JR.** (*WILLIAM A.<sup>7</sup>, RICHARD TURNER<sup>6</sup>, HORACE 'HORRIS' O.<sup>5</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>4</sup>, RICHARD<sup>3</sup>, ARTHUR<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born July 30, 1917 in Baltimore City, MD, and died January 04, 2008 in Baltimore City, MD.

**age 72 - TED R. EADS**, son of HOLLIS EADS and BLANCHE GRAY, was born September 08, 1935 in Kokomo, Kokomo Co., IN, and died December 13, 2007 in Kokomo, Kokomo Co., IN. He married SHIRLEY JEAN<sup>9</sup> CHENOWETH (*LEONARD MOODY<sup>8</sup>, THOMAS ALBERT<sup>7</sup>, WILLIAM C.<sup>6</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>5</sup>, THOMAS<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*).

**age 63 - BONNIE L. CHENOWETH nee ADAMSKI** was born December 23, 1943, and died December 07, 2007 in California. . She married June 11, 1961 in Sacramento Co., CA WALTER LEE<sup>9</sup> CHENOWETH, JR. (*WALTER LEE<sup>8</sup>, WALTER<sup>7</sup>, NELSON<sup>6</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>5</sup>, THOMAS<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*).

**age 81 - ALEXANDER MERCER** was born July 11, 1925 in Detroit, Wayne Co., MI, and died June 08, 2007. He married BESSIE DAVIS<sup>9</sup> MOORE (*JAMES HAMBLETON<sup>8</sup>, JAMES HAMBLETON<sup>7</sup>, MARIA JONES<sup>6</sup> CLARK, CAROLINE<sup>5</sup> SCOTT, THOMAS<sup>4</sup>, SARAH<sup>3</sup> CHENOWETH, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*).

**age 80 - JAMES HAMBLETON<sup>9</sup> MOORE, III** (*JAMES HAMBLETON<sup>8</sup>, JAMES HAMBLETON<sup>7</sup>, MARIA JONES<sup>6</sup> CLARK, CAROLINE<sup>5</sup> SCOTT, THOMAS<sup>4</sup>, SARAH<sup>3</sup> CHENOWETH, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born October 30, 1926 in Waverly, Pike Co., OH and died October 19, 2007 in Columbus, Franklin Co., OH

**age 84 - BEULAH MAE GRIMES nee SHARRAH**, daughter of THOMAS SHARRAH and LAURA CHERRY, was born October 20, 1922, and died August 08, 2007 in Washington. She married FLAVE LEE<sup>8</sup> GRIMES, JR. (*ESTELLA LEE<sup>7</sup> CHENOWETH, FINIS EDWIN<sup>6</sup>, JAMES FOSTER<sup>5</sup>, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN<sup>4</sup>, THOMAS<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*). He was born June 21, 1919 in Denton Co., TX, and died November 03, 1992 in Adams, Umatilla Co., OR.

**age 62 - PAMELA SUE GRIMES nee HOOKER**, daughter of ALVIN HOOKER and GLADYS McLOUTH, was born May 10, 1945, and died December 16, 2007 in Washington. She married GERALD LEE<sup>9</sup> GRIMES (*FLAVE LEE<sup>8</sup>, ESTELLA LEE<sup>7</sup> CHENOWETH, FINIS EDWIN<sup>6</sup>, JAMES FOSTER<sup>5</sup>, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN<sup>4</sup>, THOMAS<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*).

**age 90 - ILA LORENE<sup>8</sup> HUMAN nee WELLS** (*HARRIET LEVINA<sup>7</sup> FAULKNER, AVARILLA CAVARELLE<sup>6</sup> PARRISH, JOHN HENRY<sup>5</sup>, RUTH<sup>4</sup> CHENOWETH, THOMAS<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born December 24, 1916 in near Schofield, Polk Co., MO, and died February 06, 2007 in Missouri. She married JAMES CHARLES HUMAN.

**age 76 - JAMES WILLIAM<sup>8</sup> BATES** (*WILLIAM MCKINLEY<sup>7</sup>, VICTORIA<sup>6</sup> PARRISH, MEREDITH L.<sup>5</sup>, RUTH<sup>4</sup> CHENOWETH, THOMAS<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born July 24, 1928 in Martin, Carbon Co., UT, and died March 15, 2005 in Utah. He married ELLEN MYRLE BENTLEY September 27, 1952 in Spring Glen, Carbon Co., UT, daughter of ELBA BENTLEY and VIVIAN HAMILTON. We belatedly learned of Jim's death. He was an avid genealogist and was of much help with Ruth's family.

**age 78 - WILLIAM JAMES<sup>8</sup> LOWREY** (*AERES ELIZABETH<sup>7</sup> BASINGER, EMMA<sup>6</sup> CHENOWETH, ELIJAH PERRIN<sup>5</sup>, THOMAS<sup>4</sup>, THOMAS<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born December 28, 1931 in Riverside Co., CA, and died May 10, 2007 in Loma Linda, San Bernardino Co., CA. He married DARLYNE PORTER Abt. 1957.

**age 79 - EUGENE CARL 'GENE'<sup>8</sup> CHENOWETH** (*WILLIAM ARTHUR<sup>7</sup>, REASON COLONY 'REESE<sup>6</sup>, ARTHUR<sup>5</sup>, JOSEPH<sup>4</sup>, ARTHUR<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born August 01, 1928 in Greenfield, Highland Co., OH, and died February 21, 2008 in Colorado. He married (1) BETTY LOU HITCHCOCK February 1957 in Okaloosa Co., FL. He married (2) JOANNE R. He married (3) JAN WENDEL

**age 106 - EDWIN LORRAIN<sup>8</sup> LEWIS** (*ORLANDO LORRAIN 'ORLEY<sup>7</sup>, SARAH ELLEN 'SALLIE<sup>6</sup> CHENOWETH, REASON SHRIVER<sup>5</sup>, ABSOLUM B.<sup>4</sup>, ARTHUR<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born May 11, 1895 in Ohio, and died August 06, 2001 in Illinois. Though Edwin's death is outside the range normally used for the newsletter obit list, his age is remarkable and one of the oldest that I know of in the file.

**age 89 - OLLA MAHOMA<sup>7</sup> GRAHAM nee CHENOWETH** (*GEORGE EDGAR<sup>6</sup>, BENJAMIN FRANKLIN<sup>5</sup>, LUKE<sup>4</sup>, ARTHUR<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born October 21, 1918 in Hinton, Caddo Co., OK, and died January 08, 2008 in Oklahoma. She married (1) KENNETH MARVIN HEFFRON November 20, 1935 in Oklahoma. He was born March 13, 1913 in Oklahoma, and died Bef. 2008. She married (2) VIRGIL HARRIS. She married (3) CHARLES GRAHAM.

**age 71 - RICHARD A. 'RICK'<sup>8</sup> SCOWDEN** (*NOAH CLEVELAND<sup>7</sup>, SAMUEL PARKER<sup>6</sup>, DORCAS<sup>5</sup> CHENOWETH, ARTHUR<sup>4</sup>, RICHARD<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born August 14, 1936 in Carroll Co., IN, and died December 09, 2007 in Delphi, Carroll Co., IN. He was married

**age 92 - MARIANNA CHENOWETH nee BOWMAN**, daughter of FREDERICK BOWMAN and ELIZABETH HARLACHER, was born November 14, 1915 in Monticello, White Co., IN, and died December 10, 2007 in North Carolina. She married September 25, 1942 in Monticello, White Co., IN JOHN THOMAS 'JACK'<sup>8</sup> CHENOWETH (*HARRY S.<sup>7</sup>, THOMAS DANIEL<sup>6</sup>, IRA M.<sup>5</sup>, THOMAS T.<sup>4</sup>, RICHARD<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*). He was born December 13, 1919 in Tippecanoe Co., IN, and died February 10, 1975 in Lafayette, Tippecanoe Co., IN.

**age 55 - ENRIQUE<sup>8</sup> CHENOWETH NORIEGA** (*RAMON<sup>7</sup>, SOMERVILLE 'SAMUEL<sup>6</sup>, FRANCIS A.<sup>5</sup>, THOMAS C.<sup>4</sup>, ELIJAH<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born May 15, 1952 in Chihuahua, MEXICO, and died September 15, 2007 in Milwaukee, Milwaukee Co., MN.

**age 83 - EDWIN W. BURNES**, was born April 27, 1924, and died December 19, 2007 in Florida. He married HELEN<sup>7</sup> EESLEY (*LILLY DALE<sup>6</sup> CHENOWETH, JOSEPH HILL<sup>5</sup>, ELIJAH<sup>4</sup>, ELIJAH<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*). She was born January 16, 1924 in Franklin Co., OH, and died June 01, 2000.

**age 93 - ELVA HENRIETTA<sup>8</sup> FRAME nee FULKS** (*ORVALLE WILSON<sup>7</sup>, LUCY JANE<sup>6</sup> CHENOWETH, ABRAHAM JOHN<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, ABRAHAM<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born September 09, 1913 in Roann, Randolph Co., IN, and died August 19, 2007 in Richmond, Wayne Co., IN. She married ROBERT FRAME March 17, 1934.

**age 78 - JOSEPH VERNON<sup>8</sup> CHENOWETH** (*ELMER ELLSWORTH<sup>7</sup>, JOHN ARTHUR<sup>6</sup>, ABRAHAM JOHN<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, ABRAHAM<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born January 01, 1917 in Ohio, and died December 21, 2007 in Brighton, Livingston Co., MI. He married BEATRICE PAULINE ALLEN May 12, 1945 in Brighton, Livingston Co., MI, daughter of KENNETH ALLEN and ALICE HICKS. She was born February 01, 1920 in Michigan, and died September 20, 2005 in Brighton, Livingston Co., MI.

**age 92 - RALPH B. BRATCHER** was born June 09, 1915, and died November 18, 2007 in Missouri. He married October 05, 1940 AUDA BERNICE<sup>8</sup> CHENOWETH (*DELNER WILLIAM<sup>7</sup>, JOHN WESLEY<sup>6</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>5</sup>, JOEL<sup>4</sup>, ABRAHAM<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*). She was born December 03, 1918 in Gentry Co., MO, and died January 06, 2007 in Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO

#### UNKNOWN LINES:

**age 95 - THELMA L.<sup>5</sup> MECK** (*ACHASH MARIE<sup>4</sup> CHENOWETH, GEORGE M.<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, GEORGE OF THE BACK RIVER UPPER HUNDRED-MARYLAND*) was born April 28, 1912 in Denver, CO, and died January 05, 2008 in Colorado Springs, El Paso Co., CO. She married GILBERT LORENZ

**age 86 - ANNA VIRGINIA CHENOWITH nee HEIN** was born October 06, 1921, and died January 30, 2008. She married ALLEN WESLEY<sup>3</sup> CHENOWITH (*CHARLES ELMER<sup>2</sup>, CHARLES MARRIED ANNIE DOLL - MARYLAND*). He was born September 23, 1913 in Baltimore Co., MD, and died March 26, 1980 in Baltimore Co., MD.

**age 70 - JAMES EDWIN<sup>6</sup> CHENOWETH, JR.** (*JAMES EDWIN<sup>5</sup>, EDMOND BOLES<sup>4</sup>, JAMES W.<sup>3</sup>, EDMUND D.<sup>2</sup>, THOMAS MARRIRD ANN QUIRK - LOUISIANA*) was born July 15, 1936 in Roswell, Chaves Co., NM, and died December 13, 2006 in San Diego Co., CA. He married RUTH LUTZ June 27, 1965 in San Diego Co., CA. James added significantly to our knowledge of this line which has been found to be a 100% match to the DNA of John the progenitor

**age 86 - LINWOOD ROGER HART** was born July 09, 1920, and died May 13, 2007. He married MARTHA ELIZABETH<sup>5</sup> CHENOWITH (*WALTER ELMER<sup>4</sup>, HARRY JEROME<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM H.<sup>2</sup>, RICHARD C. MARRIED ANNE-MARYLAND*). She was born December 18, 1922 in Maryland, and died June 18, 1986 in Baltimore City, MD.

**age 97 - BERNICE M. CHENOWETH** was born May 31, 1910, and died September 29, 2007 in California. She married CLARENCE CLINTON C HENOWETH, son of CECIL CALVERT CHENOWETH and MARIE HARSHMAN. He was born February 16, 1916 in Ohio, and died April 03, 1992. CECIL CALVERT CHENOWETH has never been placed, his parents were born in Indiana, the mother being Maria.

#### OTHER LINES:

**age 75 - EDITH PEARL<sup>5</sup> CHENOWETH** (*PERCY HUDSON<sup>4</sup>, EDWIN (NMN)<sup>3</sup>, FREDERICK<sup>2</sup>, JOHN BORN CAMELFORD, CORNWALL APT 1811*) was born August 30, 1932 in Raleigh, Wake Co., NC, and died January 23, 2008 in Palo Alto, Santa Clara Co., CA. She married HAROLD JOSEPH December 23, 1956 in Palm Springs, CA. Edith has been a constant delight at all our reunions. She will be sorely missed

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# GRANDSONS OF JOHN1

(15<sup>th</sup> Installment of a series)

By Jon Egge

## The First Elijah

There are 11 Elijahs in my file, 9 are in the line of Thomas. Certainly 8 of these are named after Elijah, the 2<sup>nd</sup> youngest son of Thomas, and the first instance of this name in the family. It is likely that the one Elijah in William's line was also named for Elijah. This Elijah was the son of William Chenoweth, a son of Thomas Chenoweth and Elizabeth Watson. William's sister Nancy had married her cousin Elijah, Jr. and William used the name of his brother-in-law. The other of the 2 Elijahs outside of the Thomas line, was born in Randolph Co., VA in 1819. The last instance of an Elijah was Elijah Pringle Chenoweth, born in 1891 and a great, great grandson of the first Elijah. The family of Elijah is robust. He married Rachel Foster, the sister of Cassandra, the wife of one of his older brothers, Thomas, Jr. Born on Back Creek in Frederick Co., as a young child, Elijah accompanied his parents to Old Towne, MD. Here he married on August 25, 1785, Rachel Foster, the daughter of the Rev John Foster and Elizabeth Lewis. After the death of his father Thomas, Elijah migrated with his siblings to Mason Co., KY and then across the Ohio River, up the Scitio River Valley, finally settling in the southwest corner of Franklin Co., on side by side farm with his brother Thomas, Jr. and Rachel's sister Cassandra. They were among the first settlers of the area and it is said that Elijah had the first apple orchard in the area.

Elijah served in the American Revolution and this service is described in Harris as follows:

"Elijah and his brother Thomas was in a detachment of men that were sent under the command of Colonel William Crawford to Sandusky, Ohio Territory to put down an uprising of Indians allied with the British. On Jun 5 1782, Col Crawford, several of his officers and some enlisted men were taken prisoner by the Indians. Fortunately, Elijah and Thomas were not among those captured. After summarily killing some of the men, the Indians took Crawford and the rest of the men to what is now Crawfordville in Wyandot Co., Ohio. On June 11, they arrived at the Delaware village where other Indians had gathered from other villages to watch as Crawford was tortured and burned at the stake."

This service has been recognized by the SAR but is not on the DAR lists as far as I know. The History of Franklin Co. describes Elijah as follows "Elijah and Rachel (Foster) Chenoweth, natives of Maryland, were early settlers in Kentucky, and about 1793 emigrated to Pike County, and settled near what is now the southern boundary of Ross Co. They arrived in the fall of 1799, to Pleasant township, Franklin County being the first pioneers. Elijah Chenoweth was born June 12, 1762 and died December 5, 1828. His wife died April 17, 1825." Both are buried in the Chenoweth cemetery located on Elijah's farm in Franklin Co. Elijah wrote his will July 21<sup>st</sup> and died less than 5 months later.

Elijah and Rachel had 10 children, nine would live to marry. Thomas the oldest married Rachel Morgan in Fayette Co., OH. In 1830 they moved to Vermilion Co., IL. Their son Francis was in Oregon by 1850. Francis was the father of Somerville, who married in Sonoma, Mexico, the ancestor of Daniel Fred. Elizabeth, called Sally, was the oldest daughter of Elijah. She married John Foster Kerr on December 06, 1804 in Ross Co., OH. He didn't know the parents of John Kerr, but there were a number of Kerr-Chenoweth marriages. Parts of Elizabeths family ended up in Oregon. John Foster Chenoweth, the second of 4 sons of Elijah that married settled in Madison Co., OH with his wife Margaret 'Peggy' Ferguson. Descendants of their son Hezekiah went to Northern California. A daughter, Malinda Horatio, married Henry Farrar an English immigrant that had large lines that settled in Kansas. Malinda's brother Lewis Foster also went to Kansas. Several of the children remained in Ohio like Jeremiah Browning, Elijah, and Francis Marion. Elijah's daughter Sarah married John Haines and went to Illinois. Joseph married Margaret Heath and remained in Ohio settling in Franklin Co. We have not successfully traced much of the family of Cassandra who married John Morgan. Her family was last seen in Pickaway Co., OH. Rachel married Jesse Woods and though she died at about the age of 30, her two children would go to Iowa and then Oregon and form a large family documented in the Henkle Genealogy. Like his brother Joseph, Elijah, Jr. would remain in Ohio. He married his cousin Nancy Chenoweth, a daughter of Thomas Chenoweth of Clark Co. in the line of William, Jr. The lines of Ruth, the youngest daughter, can only be traced today through her one daughter Rachel Davidson who married Jesse L. Partlow in Illinois. Like her sister Rachel, Ruth who had married James Davidson, died after 6 years leaving 2 small children.

In the 1850 Census, there were 25 families from Elijah, numbering 129 people found mostly in Ohio but also IL, IA, WA and WI.

ELIJAH<sup>3</sup> CHENOWETH (*THOMAS*<sup>2</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>1</sup>) was born June 12, 1762 in Frederick Co., VA, and died December 05, 1828 in Franklin Co., OH. He married RACHEL FOSTER August 25, 1785 in Allegany Co., MD, daughter of JOHN FOSTER and ELIZABETH LEWIS. She was born August 11, 1768 in Virginia, and died April 17, 1825 in Franklin Co., OH.

Children of ELIJAH CHENOWETH and RACHEL FOSTER are:

- i. THOMAS C.<sup>4</sup> CHENOWETH, b. May 22, 1786, Allegany Co., MD; d. September 16, 1849, Vermilion Co., IL; m. RACHEL MORGAN, September 09, 1811, Fayette Co., OH; b. 1785, Virginia; d. Aft. 1860, Illinois.
- ii. ELIZABETH 'SALLY' CHENOWETH, b. June 22, 1789, Mason Co., KY; d. February 12, 1875, Dover Center, Fayette Co., IA; m. JOHN FOSTER KERR, December 06, 1804, Ross Co., OH; b. October 10, 1785, Hampshire Co., VA (now WV); d. December 30, 1848, Iowa.
- iii. LEWIS CHENOWETH, b. August 26, 1791, Mason Co., KY; d. December 1792.
- iv. JOHN FOSTER CHENOWETH, b. September 15, 1793, Mason Co., KY; d. January 15, 1887, Fairfield twp., Madison Co., OH; m. (1) MARGARET 'PEGGY' FERGUSON, March 21, 1811, Franklin Co., OH; b. October 28, 1795, Kentucky; d. October 28, 1863, Ohio; m. (2) SUSAN (DUNCAN) ?, Aft. 1863; b. Abt. 1803, Virginia; d. November 1884, London, Madison Co., OH.
- v. SARAH 'MARY' CHENOWETH, b. October 15, 1795, Mason Co., KY; d. Bef. 1880, Illinois?; m. JOHN HAINES, January 29, 1813, Franklin Co., OH; b. 1783, Virginia; d. 1844, Illinois.
- vi. JOSEPH CHENOWETH, b. September 05, 1798, Ross Co., OH (now Pike Co.); d. January 09, 1869, Franklin Co., OH; m. (1) MARGARET HEATH, December 12, 1816, Franklin Co., OH; b. August 07, 1796, Kentucky; d. December 22, 1861, Franklin Co., OH; m. (2) MARGARET WILLIAMS, Aft. 1861; b. Bet. 1793 - 1813; d. Unknown.
- vii. CASSANDRA C. CHENOWETH, b. December 09, 1800, Pleasant, Franklin Co., OH; d. Bef. 1880; m. (1) JOHN MORGAN, 1816, Franklin Co., OH; b. September 28, 1794, Montgomery Co., VA; d. February 28, 1849, Vermilion Co., IL; m. (2) JOSEPH MORGAN, Aft. 1850, Franklin Co., OH; b. Bet. 1785 - 1805; d. Unknown.
- viii. RACHEL CHENOWETH, b. December 14, 1803, Franklin Co., OH; d. 1833, Vermilion Co., IL; m. JESSE WOOD, October 04, 1827, Franklin Co., OH; b. March 24, 1804, Pendleton, VA; d. September 08, 1890, Corvallis, Benton Co., OR.
- ix. ELIJAH CHENOWETH, JR., b. August 15, 1806, Pleasant Twp., Franklin Co., OH; d. April 07, 1898, Franklin Co., OH; m. NANCY CHENOWETH, April 16, 1827, Clark Co., OH; b. October 25, 1806, Clark Co., OH; d. March 20, 1874, Franklin Co., OH.
- x. RUTH C. CHENOWETH, b. November 19, 1809, Franklin Co., OH; d. April 09, 1835; m. JAMES DAVIDSON, April 03, 1828, Franklin Co., OH; b. June 03, 1805, Ohio; d. January 03, 1875, Danville, Vermilion Co., IL.

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## Genealogy Tip

By Randy Wynn (courtesy Rootsweb.com 5 Aug 1997)

I am one of the least qualified to give tips, but I had not seen this addressed.

I was in the area of my relatives for a family reunion and decided to spend some time in a couple of the local libraries. I was stopped by the clerk before I could enter the genealogy sections, and asked to sign the guest book. At first this seemed a bother, then the thought hit me. Since these were small libraries and the sign-in book was small, why not look for people researching the same names. I found quite a few searching some of my surnames. When I returned home I promptly wrote letters to each and every one. I received a call from one of them in two days saying that she had been looking for my information and that she had all the ancestors that I did not have in this one line. This has proved to be a great find for me, all because someone took the time to sign the guest book with complete contact information.

Don't neglect to sign the book, and don't overlook it as a research tool!

# Welcome to the Clan

## January:

(JOHN) Kristin May Cochran  
(JOHN) Mia Katherine Chappell

## February:

(JOHN) Troy Robinson  
(JOHN) Gunnar Joel Beck  
(JOHN) Zoie Ann Jones

## March:

(ARTHUR) Thomas Charles Strouse  
(WILLIAM) Kyle James Baitz  
(JOHN) Max Carlton Aaron

## April:

(JOHN) Madeleine Lou Moss

## May:

(THOMAS) Rocco N. Huffman  
(JOHN) Joshua Martin Eneim  
(JOHN) Jackilyn Mae Greeley

## June:

(JOHN) Kieran Nicole Lee

## July:

(JOHN) Breanna Nicole Staley  
(THOMAS) Gabriella Mariah Mundy  
(JOHN) John Thomas McNeil, IV  
(JOHN) Georgia Grace Darrington  
(JOHN) Grace Fluckiger  
(JOHN) Roy Nathaniel Short

## August:

None known

## September:

(Thomas) Lilyana Marie Whitehead  
(JOHN) Micah Alan Young

## October:

(THOMAS) Meredith Christine Cordova  
(JOHN) William Kiev Darrington  
(JOHN) Olivia Elison

## November:

(JOHN) Genna Faith Bess  
(JOHN) Ethan Clayne Shakespear  
(JOHN) Blake Chenoweth

## December:

(WILLIAM) Lynlee Kota Chenoweth  
(ARTHUR) Ford Benjamin Foster  
(JOHN) Tianne Nielson  
(WILLIAM) Illiana Bliss Baber  
(ARTHUR) Lacy Micheal Chenoweth

## Birth Month not known:

(RICHARD) Jackson Chinouth

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## Finding the Chenoweth Site

By Jon Egge

I didn't perhaps pick the best URL name for our family genealogy, but by the time I got around to getting a unique URL most common Chenoweth listings were taken. Oh well. In the early days I would register with webcrawler and some genealogy list sites. This was always time consuming. Then along came Google who picked us up and has kept the site among their top ten Chenoweth listings for years. Many cousins have found us by googling the Chenoweth name. Recently I went to the new Dog Pile search engine. It notes our site from Google, Ask and Yahoo! Search. Ask has the best site description (The Families of John **Chenoweth** & Mary Calvert ... Overview links to over 428 pages of the **Chenoweth** Site.) I don't know how you get a search machine to correctly describe a site. Being a front page listing on a search engine is a big plus, and Google, Ask, Yahoo and Dog Pile are honest search machines. I wonder about MSN which doesn't even list the site at all. As a side note, a place called quantcast.com describes site visitors as follows: *This site reaches approximately 10,508 U.S. monthly uniques. The site attracts a senior, mostly Caucasian, slightly more female than male audience.* I guess that's us cousins. There are many genealogy surname sites which claim to want to tell you about Chenoweth but not a one, even ancestry.com, references our site, which is after all, the premier site for Chenoweth genealogy.



# MOMENT WITH THE WEBMASTER



By Jon Egge  
(Cottage Lake, Woodinville, WA)  
(Descendant of Dr Henry S.5 Chenoweth of Chillicothe, OH)  
JAMES FRANCIS<sup>4</sup>, THOMAS<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>

## The Shoemakers of Anne Chenoweth

In March of 2006 I was contacted by Alan Porter Blackburn when he found his name at the website. At last I was in contact with a descendant of Anne Chenoweth, the youngest daughter of Arthur of Bartholomew Co., IN. This section of the database is 100% reconstruction. In Cora's book she misplaces Arthur's children under Arthur, Jr. She however did successfully describe Arthur's children, John and Rachel, albeit in the wrong place, but Absolom was wrong as was Arthur and nothing was known of the other daughters. Harris incorporated Cora's mistakes but added marriages and families for the daughters Margaret and Elizabeth. The lines of Arthur were corrected by Jonathan Paul and I was slowly able to resurrect the real lines of Absolom. We knew however that the daughters Mary (Polly) and Ann were alive when Arthur left his will in 1828 in Bartholomew Co. We still don't know what happened to Mary. There are some possibilities, the most likely is that she is the Mary who married George Finley in Jefferson Co., KY on 17 Sep 1797. Arthur was in Jefferson Co. at the time and his daughter Mary would have been 19. I was able however to tie in the marriage of Anne Chenoweth, found in the Harris research listings of unknown marriages to John Ritchie Shoemaker. This marriage occurred on November 20, 1828 in Bartholomew County about the time that Arthur died. The location is a dead give away as is John Shoemaker as he was a friend of Arthur's and two of his daughters had married Rachel's children, William and Arthur Chenoweth. Ann was John's second marriage. Connie Einspahr, a descendant of John Shoemaker by his first marriage, told me that Ann had children and they were to be found with her in Clinton Co., IN. By that time John Shoemaker had died and Anna had remarried to a Smith as she was living with her 3 sons, Leonard, James and Newton. The 3 boys are also listed in the will of John Shoemaker proved 6 Dec 1848, as is Ann is wife.

Connie Einspahr apparently had been in contact with Alan Porter Blackburn as she gave me a straight descendant line to him, which I included. Pete and I added family information from the 1880 and 1900 Census for Leonard Shoemaker whose family we were able to find in Blue Earth Co., MN. But we had made little other progress. Now came Alan with work researched by his mother that added 6 full pages of descendants from Leonard Shoemaker. I had not had a daughter line expansion like this in sometime. Interesting Allan's immediate family now puts part of the Chenoweth family in Brazil.

ANNE<sup>4</sup> CHENOWETH (*ARTHUR<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born May 18, 1793 in Jefferson Co., KY, and died Unknown. She married JOHN RITCHIE SHOEMAKER November 20, 1828 in Bartholomew Co., IN, son of LEONARD SHOEMAKER and EUNICE RITCHEY. He was born October 07, 1794 in Tennessee, and died Bef. December 06, 1848.

Children of ANNE CHENOWETH and JOHN SHOEMAKER are:

- i. LEONARD C.<sup>5</sup> SHOEMAKER, (see below)
- ii. JAMES G. SHOEMAKER, b. Abt. 1831, Indiana; d. 1854.
- iii. NEWTON H. SHOEMAKER, b. Abt. 1833, Indiana; m. REBECCA L. BEATY, September 13, 1854, Clinton Co., IN; b. Abt. 1833, Indiana.

LEONARD C.<sup>3</sup> SHOEMAKER (*ANNE CHENOWETH<sup>4</sup>, ARTHUR<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born September 05, 1829 in Indiana, and died Bef. 1900. He married MARIA L. IRWIN Bef. 1850. She was born February 1832 in Indiana.

Children of LEONARD SHOEMAKER and MARIA IRWIN are:

- i. JOHN<sup>4</sup> SHOEMAKER, b. August 25, 1852, Indiana; d. August 13, 1857, Indiana.
- ii. JAMES ROBERT SHOEMAKER, b. February 25, 1854, Indiana; d. January 05, 1857, Indiana.



- iii. ANN M. SHOEMAKER, b. Abt. 1858, Missouri; m. WILLIS H. WEBBER, 1875; b. Abt. 1854, New York.
- iv. VIRGINIA SHOEMAKER, b. May 03, 1860, Linn Co., MO; d. October 21, 1920; m. G.A. GARDNER, 1883; b. Bet. 1845 - 1965.
- v. WILLIAM N. SHOEMAKER, b. January 20, 1862, Indiana; d. June 09, 1947; m. EDNA LUCINDA WOOD, Abt. 1885; b. November 30, 1858, Illinois; d. July 1948.
- vi. VALINDA JULINA 'LINNY' SHOEMAKER, b. September 13, 1863, near Ft. Wayne, Allen Co., IN; m. NELS PETERSON; b. August 1854, SWEDEN.
- vii. INDA M. SHOEMAKER, b. Abt. 1865, Indiana; m. HENRY FOX, 1882; b. March 1859, Illinois.
- viii. AUSTIN C. SHOEMAKER, b. Abt. 1868, Indiana.
- ix. BENJAMIN F. SHOEMAKER, b. August 03, 1870, Minnesota; d. July 06, 1949; m. ALICE WRAY, June 23, 1897; b. January 09, 1877; d. February 07, 1959.

## Hiram and a descendant

Arthur Chenoweth of Pike Co., OH had a large family by two wives. The list in the Harris book is 18, but the estate records of Arthur as analyzed by Glenda Lloyd finds only 14, eight by his first wife Elizabeth Williams and 6 by the second wife Susannah. We are not sure of Susannah's surname. Some accounts have Carter, others Carr or Kerr. Both surnames had other links with the families of Thomas(2). Arthur firmly established himself in Pike Co., his home being used as the first court house for the newly formed county. Knowledge has slowly been added over the years as to Arthur's lines, but a great deal is still missing. Elizabeth Williams was the apparent daughter of Vincent Williams, an immigrant from Wales. This information came from postings by Don Matson and an email of George M. Williams. Elizabeth's 8 children were 5 daughters and 3 sons. There is much missing from the record. Though marriages are given for the two oldest daughters, Elizabeth to Samuel Corns and Mary to Henry Carter, neither family has ever been found, even though we have a listing of some of Mary's Carter children. The same is basically true of the daughter Ruth who married Benjamin Grimes. Once again we have a list of children and even a marriage for one of Ruth's daughters but what is known ends there and not brought into present day. Rachel, another of the daughters, does not fare much better. She married Isaac Rogers and though we have the names of 5 children, none is carried past 1880. Only Martha, the 5<sup>th</sup> daughter, who married Peter Shriver, has a well documented family line that traces down to present day descendants.

The 3 males are much better documented by virtue of the Chenoweth name. Though Joseph and his wife died leaving small children, their children and their families continued to live on in the Pike Co. area. Absolom as well fathered a large family that resided in the Pike Co. area. George's family is only scantily known, but at least three of his sons are traced through Texas and into the west, though the male name has died out. Susannah, who survived Arthur had 6 children, 2 sons and 4 daughters. Susananh took her children to Indiana after Arthur's death. The daughter Tamar apparently never married. Luke who married Polly McElwain went on to Iowa, dying there just before the 1850 Census. His large, well defined family moved onto Missouri and Oklahoma. Harriett Chenoweth married Amos Branson Smith and settled in Iowa. This is the line of Glenda Lloyd. The youngest daughter Millie was lost to us until recently documented by Glenda and Sandy Obie. An article on this is found in the February 2003 newsletter. Ada married Charles Parnam Boswell and settled first in Tippecanoe Co. and then neighboring Benton Co. We have a little bit of Ada's family and a descendant in the form of Dale Andrew Brown of Washington. Hiram, the other son remains elusive. He and his wife Nancy Wolfe died in 1843 leaving 4 small children. In 1850 the 3 sons are all found living with their Aunt Ada in Tippecanoe Co. The daughter Elizabeth is not there but she is given to have married Nathaniel P. Merritt in 1851. Sadly this couple has never been found in a subsequent Census. Both the sons Joseph and Arthur married in Tippecanoe Co. Joseph to Luna Elvira Boswell, assumed to be related to Ada's husband Parnam. Arthur married later to Mary DeFreese on November 26, 1864. John is not found after the 1850 census, but I have long suspected that he is the John Wesley Chenoweth who married Mary Ann Anderson in Piatt Co., IL. on April 05, 1860.

Joseph's family is tracked through the 1870 Census living at the time in Iroquois Co. The daughters are found in 1880, but the 2 sons and Joseph and his wife have never been located. Two of the daughters, Hattie and Myrtle, married in Madison Co., IN and the other daughter Eva is found there as a servant in the 1880 Census. There is an unidentified Charles Chenoweth age 30 listed as a cousin to a Ross family in the same county. Joseph and Luna had a son Charles who should be age 26. Perhaps this is he. The whereabouts of the other son, William, is unknown. Neither of the two married daughters, Hattie to Charles D. Wellington and Myrtle to Charles Piper has been traced to living descendants.

In 1998 I was contacted by Sue Ellen Peglow of Arkansas who said she was a descendant of Hiram's through the son Arthur. Sue never elaborated on this past any information I had at the time and I soon lost track of her. This past year, Peter expanded on our knowledge of the family of Hiram's son Arthur, tracing the family of Arthur's daughter Jennie and her marriage to Charles H. Blessing. There was one son, Arthur Marcus Blessing, mentioned in the Harris book and also cited by Sue as her grandfather. Pete's information led me to reconnect with Sue and I am hoping that lead will eventually lead to more information. It is at present the only descendant line of Hiram's family that we have to present day.

An interesting point in all this is the name Alonzo. John Wesley Chenoweth who married Mary Ann Anderson named a son Alonzo Chenoweth. I have only one other instance of the name Alonzo Chenoweth in the database. Now Ada Chenoweth Boswell had a son named Hiram Alonzo Chenoweth born about a year after Ada's brother Hiram died. This leads me to wonder if Hiram might have been Hiram Alonzo Chenoweth. This would certainly boost the case for John Wesley Chenoweth being the son of Hiram. I would also like to get a DNA sample from the family of John Wesley. Proving him to be part of the family would virtually close the deal as there simply are no other John Chenoweths born about 1837 in Indiana known within the family. In support of the name Alonzo being important to Hiram's family Jennie's son Arthur Marcus Blessing named one of his sons, Alonzo Paul Blessing.

HIRAM<sup>4</sup> CHENOWETH (*ARTHUR<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1806 in Ross Co., OH (now Pike Co.), and died 1843. He married NANCY WOLFE April 02, 1829 in Pike Co., OH. She died 1843.

Children of HIRAM CHENOWETH and NANCY WOLFE are:

- i. ELIZABETH<sup>5</sup> CHENOWETH, b. Aft. 1829, Pike Co., OH; m. NATHANIEL P. MERRITT, June 01, 1851, Benton Co., IN; b. Aft. 1819.
- ii. JOSEPH CHENOWETH, b. Abt. 1831, Vermillion Co., IN; m. LUNA ELVIRA BOSWELL, March 09, 1851, Tippecanoe Co., IN; b. Abt. 1835, Virginia.
- iii. ARTHUR CHENOWETH, b. November 24, 1834, Vermillion Co., IN; d. August 10, 1897; m. MARY DEFREESE, November 26, 1864, Tippecanoe Co., IN; b. July 1846, HOLLAND; d. April 22, 1910, Otterbein, Benton Co., IN.
- iv. JOHN CHENOWETH, b. Abt. 1837, Vermillion Co., IN.

ARTHUR<sup>5</sup> CHENOWETH (*HIRAM<sup>4</sup>, ARTHUR<sup>3</sup>, THOMAS<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>*) was born November 24, 1834 in Vermillion Co., IN, and died August 10, 1897. He married MARY DEFREESE November 26, 1864 in Tippecanoe Co., IN. She was born July 1846 in HOLLAND, and died April 22, 1910 in Otterbein, Benton Co., IN.

Children of ARTHUR CHENOWETH and MARY DEFREESE are:

- i. JENNIE N.<sup>6</sup> CHENOWETH, b. September 17, 1865, Indiana; d. Unknown; m. CHARLES H. BLESSING, February 19, 1890, Benton Co., IN; b. September 1861, Indiana.
- ii. GEORGE ARTHUR CHENOWETH, b. 1867, Indiana; d. 1876, Illinois.
- iii. GRETA BELLA CHENOWETH, b. June 09, 1869, Illinois; d. June 10, 1901; m. FRANK P. ROWE, February 19, 1890, Benton Co., IN; b. May 1862, Indiana.
- iv. NELLIE CHENOWETH, b. Abt. 1873, Illinois; d. May 17, 1888, Bolivar Twp., Benton Co., IN.
- v. LIZZIE CHENOWETH, b. May 13, 1877, Indiana; m. EARL A. VAN NATTA, October 16, 1895, Benton Co., IN; b. March 1883, Indiana.
- vi. ERNEST CHENOWETH, b. March 1880, Indiana; d. July 05, 1882, Tippecanoe Co., IN.
- vii. CHARLES HIRAM CHENOWETH, b. January 15, 1885, Benton Co., IN; d. 1946, buried Pond Grove cemetery, Warren Co., IN; m. WINIFRED MAY HOWRIGHOUSE, December 25, 1906, Benton Co., IN; b. 1883, Indiana; d. July 05, 1952, Tippecanoe Co., IN.
- viii. BLANCHE CHENOWETH, b. Bet. 1866 - 1890.

## Pike County, Illinois

When I first started entering Chenoweths into the database, I made a number of confusions between those in Pike Co., OH and Pike Co., IL. Both were counties that became large settling points for the Chenoweth family as it moved west. Both still are home to Chenoweths who have lived in those environs for over 200 years in the case of Pike Co., OH and 170 years in the case of Pike Co., IL. Part of my befuddlement was the auto fill in the Family Tree Maker program and I quickly had to become very attentive as to which Pike Co. was correct. Pike Co., OH was a bastion of the Thomas(2) family. Families of 6 of the children of Thomas settled here, sons: John, Arthur, Richard and Abraham and The Downings of Mary and some of the Scotts of Sarah. Actually some of these were only in neighboring Ross Co. from whence Pike Co., was formed in 1815. Both descendants of Arthur and Abraham stayed on in this area long after the others had moved on. Pike Co., IL on the other hand was settled by families of John(2). From Kentucky came the families of John(2) from two grandsons, Jonathan and William, both sons of William(3), and the cousin marriage of Abraham Chenoweth and Rachel, the daughter of Arthur(3). Also settling in Pike Co. were the families of Phebe Ashbrook Tucker, a daughter of Mary(3). The Tuckers had come to Illinois via Ohio.

There are several parallel instances of common county names of two or more states that were heavily populated by Chenoweths. These include Randolph Co with West Virginia being the long time home of John(4) and Indiana, the destination of the Baltimore descendants of William(4) the son of Arthur, Jr. Washington Co was the Tennessee home of the lines of John(3), the son of Richard as was Washington Co., AR some 40 years later. Washington Co., IN was the home for John(4) the son of John Chenoweth of Hampshire Co., VA. There were Chenoweths in Warren Co., OH and to a lesser extent Warren

Co., IN. There were the abutting counties of Vermillion Co., IN and Vermilion Co., IL with added problem of the missing “L” in the case of Illinois. These are but the most common of dozens of other instances.

In 1850 there were 30 families numbering 141 people of the Chenoweth family living in Pike Co., IL, about 15% of the known Census enumeration that we have detail for from that decade. 14 of these bore the Chenoweth name and 16 were daughter lines, including 6 of Phebe’s families whose presence was made known to me though the research of Jennifer Lane Smith of Arkansas. By 1860, the population, despite the outward migration to Missouri, Arkansas and California, had climbed to 157 people in 28 families. One of these was George Shriver from the Thomas(2) line, migrating from Highland Co., OH [George was a son of Peter Shriver and Martha Chenoweth who had married in Ross Co. which formed in part into Pike Co., OH]. Family names included: Akin [also Aiken], Alsbury, Brooks, Chenoweth, Davis, DeWitt, Gaston, Gregory, Gremm, Head, Kile, Meadows, Reeder, Rigg, Sago, Shriver, Thompson, Triplett, Tucker, Tuey, Watkins, Wing. The extensive data we have of the 1880 Census tells us that this population had grown to 179 in the ensuing 20 years. I have no idea what the Chenoweth population of this county is today. I know that Wayne Williams Chenoweth, a 9<sup>th</sup> generation descendant still lives in Chambersburg, Pike Co., IL but unfortunately he was completely uninterested in talking to me. This past March (2007) however I was contacted by Debbie Damron whose Grandmother Clara Louise Chenoweth was born in Pike Co. Clara descends from James Hackely Chenoweth one of the sons of William Chenoweth of Nelson Co., KY. James had come to Pike Co. about 1833, shortly after his Kentucky marriage to Artemisia Catherine Birkhead. As Debbie looked at the website she also found the name of her grandfather on her father’s side, Frank S. Mills. This was part of Phebe’s family and it became apparent that Debbie’s mother Pauline had married her 6<sup>th</sup> cousin in the form of Paul Franklin Mills. Neither Debbie nor her parents had known of this relationship, but I certainly had expected the possibility of the event given the length of time so many families had lived in the area. This marriage combined the families of William(3) with his sister Mary(3). But Debbie’s surprising discoveries were not yet over, for a week later she discovered that Albert Durbin, the father-in-law of Clara’s first husband, was also a descendant, listed at the website and Clara’s marriage to Paul Durbin was a 5<sup>th</sup> cousin once removed marriage. Paul, too was a Ashbrook/Tucker descendant. Paul was Pauline’s father, bring her 2<sup>nd</sup> relationship to her husband somewhat closer as 3<sup>rd</sup> cousins once removed. I find this a delightful story of shared heritage.

## Military Service

The Military service page created by Pete Chenoweth continues to grow, as information becomes available. Nancy Forsyth, was delighted when we launched this page. She had asked me to consider such a page early on in the first year of the website. Nancy had served in the Navy Waves and had met her husband when he returned from the Pacific. Born Mildred Ann Hannah, Nancy descended from the line of Stephen Ross Chenoweth, a Kentucky line of over 200 years. The Chenoweth family has a long proud history of serving our country in defense of the nation. There are some 34 listings for family members who served in the American Revolution. Well over 60% of the family can trace to a line that qualified for DAR or SAR rolls. I know in recent years I have been contacted by a half dozen cousins currently involved in Iraq. The Civil War page lists the service of over 380 family members on both sides of the conflict. The names of nine family members are inscribed on the Vietnam War Memorial in Washington DC. The most entries however can be found in those that served in World War II, the largest military involvement in our history. To date we have listings of over 500 family members, 56 of which died in service. Among these numbers are 3 who served in the Bataan defense force and endured the Bataan Death march. One of these survived the over 3-year captivity in a POW camp and one died during this harsh internment. The third managed to escape captivity while later being transported. Two of these individuals were descendants of Elijah, son of Thomas, who served in the American Revolution.

MERVYN D.<sup>8</sup> CHENOWETH (*ARCHIE DEAN*<sup>7</sup>, *SIMEON*<sup>6</sup>, *HEZIKIAH*<sup>5</sup>, *JOHN FOSTER*<sup>4</sup>, *ELIJAH*<sup>3</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>2</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>1</sup>) was born February 15, 1913 in Oakland, Alameda Co., CA, and died January 01, 1987 in Hawaii. He is buried with his wife DORTHEA RUTH MONTGOMERY in the National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific, HI. Known as the Punchbowl, Deanna and I visited there a couple of years ago looking up the grave of her uncle, Hans Martin Luokkala who died just before the end of the war, being strafed by an enemy plane onboard ship. Mervyn returned from his ordeal to marry and has one daughter Vana Chenoweth Lott.

LYLE<sup>7</sup> EESLEY (*LILLY DALE*<sup>6</sup> *CHENOWETH*, *JOSEPH HILL*<sup>5</sup>, *ELIJAH*<sup>4</sup>, *ELIJAH*<sup>3</sup>, *THOMAS*<sup>2</sup>, *JOHN*<sup>1</sup>) was born about June 1917 in Franklin Co., OH, and died July 25, 1942 in a Japanese prison camp, The PHILIPPINES.

WILLIAM CLEMENTS<sup>9</sup> CHENOWETH (JUSTIN ALONSO 'JUDD'<sup>8</sup>, WILLIAM LEWIS<sup>7</sup>, MATHIAS ROSE<sup>6</sup>, LEWIS ROSE<sup>5</sup>, JOHN<sup>4</sup>, ARTHUR<sup>3</sup>, JOHN<sup>2</sup>, JOHN<sup>1</sup>) was born September 30, 1914 in West Union, Clark Co., IL, and died June 24, 2004 in Seattle, King Co., WA. Bill was a West Point graduate. Before the war, while stationed in Ohio he found and married ANN CHENOWETH KARRAKER, his 6th Chenoweth cousin, in Kentucky, reuniting the families of Absalom and Arthur, both sons of John(2). As described in his obituary, Bill “..was one of 70,000 American and Filipino troops who surrendered to the Japanese on April 9, 1942, and marched more than 60 miles across the island of Luzon with no food and water. Chenoweth could have been one of about 11,000 soldiers who died on the Bataan Death March. But his iron will kept him going through the march and for more than two years in a Japanese prison camp, his family said. “He kept thinking to himself, 'It can't end

like this,' and visualizing my mother and brother," said Ann Morrison of Knob Noster, MO., one of Mr. Chenoweth's two daughters. Mr. Chenoweth eventually escaped when a Japanese transport ship he and other prisoners were aboard was hit by American torpedoes. Most of the prisoners went down on the ship, but Mr. Chenoweth escaped over the side and swam to an island, where he met Filipino guerrillas. He was later taken by submarine from the Philippines to Australia, and he returned to the United States in 1944. His persistence characterized Mr. Chenoweth throughout his life, his family said, from his Oregon childhood to his military service and his family life."

I am sure that many more names will be added as cousins become aware of this fine family tribute to those who served our country: <http://www.chenowethsite.com/chenwar.htm>

## Another brief discussion of male lines....

In May 2005, we had a contact from a Bruce Chenoweth, a grandson of Roy Burbank, in the line of Richard Beasman of Baltimore. Bruce is one of only 6 ninth generation males from this ancient Baltimore line. Today we have 20 male lines that extend down from the 29 known male-Chenoweth grandsons of the family. Six of those are from John and six are from Thomas, leaving only 8 lines to be divided among the other 3 sons. Richard has one, Thomas two, so Arthur has 5 lines, one of which we know, that of Samuel, will not continue, reducing the future total to nineteen.

It is not easy to get an accurate picture of the present family. We are now some 77 years, almost a lifetime, past the 1930 Census. In 1930, we presently estimate there might have been as many as 1,716 male-Chenoweths living. This figure would be on the high end of an actual figure or lack of death dates. We have presently found only 1,396 of these in the Census. The 1930 Census is at the low end of our success range which runs from a high of 93.4% (for the 1850, the baseline Census) to a low of 81.4% for the 1930. It may be that we have over estimated the family size in 1930 by missing a number of death dates or it may be that the hurried indexing of the 1930 census leaves some missing. We have actually found more males (1,407) in the 1920 Census and it is unlikely that the figure would have gone down, at least it would be the first negative growth in the family between any succeeding decade. That alone seems to support a certain gap in the 1930 indexing. A corroboration of this is the fact that there was a 16% population growth in this country during the 1920s. Granted some of this is immigration, but the Chenoweth family would certainly have experienced a similar growth as to the general population.

The dynamics of the family, can be captured with some certainty through the 7<sup>th</sup> generation. For the Chenoweth family, the 7<sup>th</sup> generation male-name begins in 1833 and ends 1946, beginning with Marshall Chenoweth born in Randolph Co., WV, a grandson of William Pugh [John2], and ending with Billy Wayne Chenoweth in Texas, a great grandson of George Washington Chenoweth of Candem Co., MO in the line of Arthur. This trailing end is young for a number of reasons. Richard was the last of Arthur's sons. He fathered children into his 70s and Billy Wayne's grandfather was born when George Washington was 60 years old. There is 120 years between the birth of Richard in 1755 and his last grandson John P. in 1875. We know of 811, male-Chenoweths born to 7<sup>th</sup> generation. The 8<sup>th</sup> generation should be closed off by now, but we are not certain as to who the last 8<sup>th</sup> generation male would be, as our family knowledge obviously begins to taper off. I need to take the time to expand the spreadsheet we are using to include all known males. At present it attempts to include all known males born before 1950 that we know of. Bruce is an example that we don't know everything once we leave the 1930 framework. There is obviously no data field to use and we can only work with projections from what we know.

The 8<sup>th</sup> generation begins in 1857 in the form of James Milton Chenoweth in Illinois [a John2 Thomas3 line]. Our spreadsheet has 835 males in the 8<sup>th</sup> generation, but naturally misses anyone we might know about born after 1950 and of course everyone we don't yet have in the database. I do know of a 8<sup>th</sup> generation male born in 1983. The family is in the 14<sup>th</sup> generation on the leading edge, but I have yet to document a male past the 13<sup>th</sup> generation. Daughter lines by nature always become the vanguard. The 9<sup>th</sup> generation is at this point probably reaching it's final member but certainly with the last 8<sup>th</sup> generation that I know being born in 1983 this may not yet be the case and my knowledge of this generation is some what lacking. By 1950, we know of 577 8<sup>th</sup> generation males, 185 in the 10<sup>th</sup> generation and 8 in the 11<sup>th</sup> generation. I have more in the database, but so far the last half-century has not been organized into a matrix that we can view in perspective. I doubt if I have the names of 50% of what has been born in the last say 20 years.

As an aside, we have never been able to find Roy Burbank in the 1910 Census, one crucial to the family genealogy as it would have listed his first wife and the 2 children. Otherwise from 1900 to 1930, the other three Censuses, Roy was in New Rochelle. Bruce tells me he worked as a policeman for the town adding that in 1910 he was still probably living on a houseboat, a domicile that seems to have been missed in the Census. It isn't that there is a lot missing, but when you are shooting for the moon to get everyone, you find that you fall a little short all the time.

# ' 96 SUMMER OLYMPICS REVISITED

By Peter Chenoweth

During a recent trip to Atlanta, my wife and I took the opportunity to visit Centennial Park, site of a portion of the 1996 Summer Olympics. During the preparations for the Olympics individuals were able to purchase special bricks that became the walkways through the park. These bricks could be embossed with personalized inscriptions. We had purchased one of these bricks and had our name and home town placed on it, but had never taken the opportunity to view it.

A search of the automated index, indicated not only where our brick was located, but 8 other bricks that had been purchased by a Chenoweth. Of these I have only been able to identify, with reasonable certainty, 2 of them. It would be nice to know the story behind these other bricks.

If anybody is interested I took digital pictures of these bricks and would be willing to share them.

## **(Our brick)**

CHENOWETH'S  
ST CLOUD, FL

## **(2 bricks purchased by a Richard K. Chenoweth)**

CHAD J. MCARDLE	DICK CHENOWETH
CONYERS, GA	CONYERS, GA

## **(brick was purchased by a Dr Chenoweth)**

CODY WATERS '95  
MARIST HIGH

## **(2 bricks that are probably a family)**

MEG – ERIK – SCOTT	DAVID & LINDA
CHENOWETH	CHENOWETH

## **(2 bricks purchased by Christine Ann Kessler – probably her parents)**

JOHN KESSLER	MAXINE KESSLER
EDMOND, OK	EDMOND, OK

## **(details unknown)**

RAY CHENOWETH  
APOLLO BEACH, FL

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## Questions That Haunt Me??

Can you cry under water?

How important does a person have to be before they are considered assassinated instead of just murdered?

Why do you have to “put your two cents in”..but it’s only a “penny for your thoughts”? Where’s that extra penny going to?

Why does a round pizza come in a square box?

What disease did cured ham actually have?

Why is it that people say they “slept like a baby” when babies wake up like every two hours?

Why are you IN a movie, but you’re ON TV?

Why do people pay to go up tall buildings and then put money in binoculars to look at things on the ground?

If the professor on Gilligan’s Island can make a radio out of a coconut, why can’t he fix a hole in a boat?



# DO YOU KNOW THESE PEOPLE?

*In past issues we asked you to take a look at information that we had gathered with regards to 600 Chenoweth marriages. In this issue we offer another 150 marriages that we have been unable to place. As always with this column any help in identifying these individuals would be greatly appreciated.*

Surname	Given	Bdate	mDate	Mstate	Spouse	spouse bdate
Chenoweth	Mary J.		4 Jan 1885	IN	Somer, William A.	
Chenoweth	Mary Jewell	25 Nov 1908	15 Feb 1927	TX	Baker, Theodore	30 Mar 1905-OK
Chenoweth	Mary K.		Mar 1946	AL	Not listed	
Chenoweth	Mary Louanne		21 Dec 1984	FL	Axline, Richard Daniel	
Chenoweth	Mary Louise		Abt 1937	AZ	Hormachea, Ray	
Chenoweth	Mary M.	Abt 1920	12 May 1955	CA	Scully Charles Yardley, Jr	
Chenoweth	Mary Magdalene		10 May 1959	NV	Lee, Eddie A.	
Chenoweth	Mary McNiel		11 Feb 1803	KY	Able, Samuel	
Chenoweth	Mary O.		20 Apr 1925	ID	Townsend, Floyd S.	
Chenoweth	Maryjane M.	Abt 1924	17 Nov 1956	CA	Barnes, Herbert T.	Abt 1916
Chenoweth	Matilda		10 Apr 1894	IN	Berry, Matthew H.	
Chenowith	Mattie		12 Dec 1889	KY	Nash, Edmund S.	
Chenoweth	Max Duane		10 Jun 1969	NV	Rabey, Dee Ann	
Chenoweth	May		15 May 1838	IL	Ingries, William H.	
Chenoweth	Melba L.		2 Sep 1962	NV	Smith, Clinton D.	
Chenoweth	Melissa		14 Nov 1882	IN	Eauchamp, Leander	
Chenoweth	Michael A.	Abt 1972	1 Jul 2000	CT	Smart, Kimberly A.	Abt 1972
Chenoweth	Michael M.	Abt 1926	10 May 1963	CA	Poore, Marie Farrar	Abt 1925
Chenoweth	Michelle Rena		22 Apr 1985	NV	Abner, James L.	
Chenoweth	Mildred A.		Nov 1960	AL	Not listed	
Chenoweth	Milton		Bef 1882		Butler, Louisa	
Chenoweth	Mitchell L.	Abt 1957	24 Sep 1982	TX	Wedig, Diana L.	
Chenoweth	Mollie A.		28 Sep 1876	IN	Porter, David A.	
Chenoweth	Mollie F.		21 May 1884	IA	Reynolds, David A.	
Chenoweth	Monique Michelle		21 Mar 2005	NV	Ericksen, Keith-Lee Dalh	
Chenoweth	Morris W.	Abt 1908	19 Jul 1949	CA	Winter, Gladys Olson	Abt 1905
Chenoweth	Nadine	C –IA	18 Sep 1937	MO	Darling, Leroy	C –IA
Chenoweth	Nancy		15 Apr 1860	IL	Breed, Lewis A.	
Chenoweth	Nancy		15 Mar 1898	OH	Dennewitz, Charles G.	
Chenoweth	Nancy		3 Nov 1842	OH	Davis, James W.	
Chenoweth	Nancy		28 Nov 1850	IN	Moore, Edward	
Chenoweth	Nancy J.		22 Jan 1878	OH	Goodfellow, John J.	
Chenoweth	Nancy J.				Loveal, William	
Chenoweth	Nancy K.	Abt 1963	11 Apr 1998	TX	Brown, Thomas L.	Abt 1961
Chenoweth	Nancy Karen		23 Mar 1973	FL	Griffith, John Lewis	
Chenowith	Nancy L.	Abt 1962	1 Jun 1985	CA	Wagner, Anthony J.	Abt 1962
Chenoweth	Naomi Ruth		Abt 1947	FL	Foxworth, Al Vernon	
Chenoweth	Natalie Elaine		12 Jun 1984	NV	Ratigan, Kenneth Janes	
Chenoweth	Natalie Elaine	Abt 1972	10 Oct 1987	NV	McDaniels, Christopher Shawn	
Chenoweth	Natalie Elaine		11 Sep 1993	NV	Nunes, Patrick Shane	
Chenoweth	Nathan S.	Abt 1975	26 Aug 1994	KY	Marlow, Charlene M.	Abt 1976
Chenoweth	Nellie E.		22 Feb 1895	OH	Clark, Wallace	
Chenoweth	Nellie E.		8 Feb 1894	IN	Myers, Michael	
Chenoweth	Nicholas R.		3 Oct 1825	KY	Thomas, Sarah	
Chenoweth	Nicole R.		11 Feb 2000	NV	Gibbs, Darren G.	
Chenoweth	Nora	C –IL	Bef 1907		Linley, W.G.	
Chenoweth	Nora		28 Nov 1885	IN	Routh, John B.	
Chenoweth	Norma L.	Abt 1932	7 Jun 1952	CA	Duiker, Marion A.	Abt 1910



Chenoweth	Norma L.		Jul 1966/Div	FL	Snider, Ronald D.	
Chenoweth	Norma Louise		30 May 1970	FL	McCann, Robert G.	
Chenoweth	Olivia Ida		27 Feb 1926	IN	Turner, Arley	
Chenoweth	Olla	Abt 1875	3 Jul 1893	KS	Odall, Jesse	Abt 1872
Chenoweth	Opal M.		30 Jan 1993	CO	Curry, Robert L.	
Chenoweth	Orville D.		22 Dec 1953	WA	Stout, Nancy Lee	
Chenoweth	Oscar B.		Oct 1966	AL	Not listed	
Chenoweth	Pamela L.	Abt 1956	1 Mar 1974	CA	Graham, Larry B.	Abt 1950
Chenoweth	Pamela Lee		20 Jun 1995	NV	Power, James Thomas, Jr	
Chenoweth	Patricia A.	Abt 1969	31 Jan 1997	TX	Lofton, Leslie A.	Abt 1965
Chenoweth	Patricia L.	Abt 1940	3 Jan 1981	CA	Milner, Joseph H.	Abt 1939
Chenoweth	Patricia Lynn		Abt 1993	WA	Matson, William James	
Chenoweth	Patrick D.	Abt 1966	29 Sep 1987	TX	Philippi, Sarah J.	Abt 1963
Chenoweth	Patrick D.	Abt 1951	24 Dec 1973	CA	Tavasieff, Katherine T.	Abt 1953
Chenoweth	Paula Marie		15 Mar 1993	NV	Hynes, Paul Joseph	
Chenoweth	Paulette		31 Jul 1999	NV	Chenoweth, James D.	
Chenoweth	Pauline A.	Abt 1905	18 Jan 1975	CA	Arundell, Ernest K.	Abt 1895
Chenoweth	Peggy Lynn		19 Oct 1992	NV	Watters, Loren L.	
Chenoweth	Pernie Ann		7 Jun 1946	SD	Daniels, Edward W.	
Chenoweth	Phyllis A.	Abt 1930	13 Dec 1965	CA	Kruezer, Lowell J.	Abt 1927
Chenoweth	Phyllis Marie	26 Mar 1933	11 Apr 1966	TX	Vancepreghy, John Paul	17 Dec 1921
Chenoweth	Polly		24 Oct 1829	OH	Derby, William	
Chenoweth	Polly		27 Mar 1837	OH	Hughes, Stephen	
Chenoweth	Polly A.	Abt 1854-IN	6 Jul 1879	IN	Banks, William A.	Abt 1846-MD
Chenoweth	Priscilla E.		25 Sep 1862	IA	Norton, Jesse J.	
Chenoweth	Priscilla J.	Abt 1931	19 Jul 1965	CA	Bray, Wayne A.	Abt 1933
Chinneworth	R.A.		2 Jan 1879	MO	Graham, Lou	
Chenoweth	Rachel		28 Aug 1831	IN	Best, Solomon	
Chenoweth	Rachel		24 Mar 1783	VA	Fryatt, Robert	
Chenoweth	Rachel		20 May 1830	IN	Knox, Samuel	
Chenoweth	Rachel A.		1 Nov 1878	IN	Rickner, William S.	
Chenoweth	Rachel R.		5 Jul 1992	NV	Plante, Christopher A.	
Chenoweth	Ramona Belle		7 Nov 1964	NV	Amell, Robert Vincent	
Chenoweth	Randal Lee		9 Apr 2004	NV	Lehfeldt-Wood, Barbara Joyce	
Chenoweth	Raymond D.	Abt 1945	30 Apr 1966	CA	Pullins, Shirlene R.	Abt 1945
Chenoweth	Raymond James		25 Aug 1973	FL	Bedell, Dawn Marie	
Chenoweth	Raymond James		20 Dec 1981	FL	Jimenez, Esperanza	
Chenoweth	Raymond M.	Abt 1934	29 May 1954	CA	Wallace, Nancy R.	Abt 1936
Chenoweth	Rebecca Ann		17 Dec 1835	VA	Berkeley, Benjamin T.	
Chenoweth	Rebecca Marie		30 Dec 2000	FL	Cracchiola, Matthew Alan	
Chenoweth	Rebecca N.		10 Sep 1999	CO	Gagnon, John E.	
Chenoweth	Regina Isabelle		9 Dec 1995	FL	Leonard, Mark Doty	
Chenoweth	Rhonda C.	Abt 1954	4 Jul 1972	CA	Pollard, Richard R.	Abt 1954
Chenoweth	Rhonda Renea		13 Apr 2001	FL	Wallace, William Harlan, Jr	
Chenoweth	Richard	Abt 1856			?, E.J.	
Chenoweth	Richard	Abt 1851-MD			?, Elizabeth	Abt 1857-MD
Chenoweth	Richard		29 Dec 1829	MD	Brawner, Mary Ann	
Chenoweth	Richard Alan	C -FL	23 Feb 1980	FL	Young, June Audrey	
Chenoront	Richard J.	24 Feb 1872	2 Jun 1908	IN	Jones, Dora E.	
Chenoweth	Richard S.	Abt 1952	8 Oct 1977	CA	Falvin, Karen A.	Abt 1953
Chenoweth	Richard Stanley		19 Jun 1972	NV	Clark, Donna Elizabeth	
Chenoweth	Richard T.		3 Apr 1970	NV	Twedten, Ann Marie	
Chenoweth	Robert		Bef Feb 1993	KY	Cox, Janet K.	
Chineth	Robert		8 Nov 1868	MO	Gibson, Amandy	
Chenoweth	Robert A.	Abt 1936	4 Oct 1980	CA	Parker, Pennye E.	Abt 1946
Chenoweth	Robert Alan		29 Apr 1978	FL	Rodgers, Susan Joyce	

Chenoweth	Robert G.	Abt 1930	28 Dec 1968	TX	Armstrong, Nancy J.	Abt 1930
Chenoweth	Robert G.	Abt 1930	23 Aug 1980	TX	Batts, Hazel R.	Abt 1932
Chenoweth	Robert G.	Abt 1930	11 Dec 1987	TX	Runion, Joyce	Abt 1957
Chenoweth	Robert H.		12 Dec 1974	NV	Bias, Shirley Ann	
Chenoweth	Robert J.	Feb 1871-TN	Abt 1891		?, Maggie A.	Feb 1871-OH
Chenoweth	Robert L.	Abt 1954	16 Jun 1973	CA	Luttrell, Janey L.	Abt 1952
Chenoweth	Robert L.	Abt 1954	27 May 1993	KY	Bright, Rita A.	Abt 1950
Chenoweth	Robert L.	Abt 1927	7 Feb 1953	CA	Myers, Nancy J.	Abt 1930
Chenoweth	Robert P.	Abt 1927	13 Jan 1950	CA	Aguero, Trini	Abt 1931
Chenoweth	Robert S.	Abt 1957	14 Jul 1984	TX	Tessmer, Susan M.	Abt 1960
Chenoweth	Rodah C.		13 Oct 1853	IL	Clark, James A.	
Chenoweth	Ronald		28 Aug 1981	CO	Stark, Beverly K.	
Chenoweth	Rosemary Ann		25 Jan 1978	NV	Bryan, Lester G.	
Chenowith	Ross		12 Apr 1947	NV	Timmons, Olive C.	
Chenowith	Roxanne Jean	(Jackson)	16 Jul 1973	FL	Tenore, Bernard Joseph	
Chenoweth	Roy C.		17 Oct 1911	CO	Talbot, Irene	
Chenoweth	Ruby B.		Abt 1952	FL	Sims, Joseph M.	
Chenowith	Ruth		25 Jan 1942		Barnett, Henry C.	31 May 1910
Chenoweth	Ruth	30 Mar 1907-KS	Aft 1930		Harbaugh, Glenn Lloyd	Abt 1911-PA
Chenoweth	Ruth		4 May 1812	OH	McCalb, James	
Chenoweth	Ruth		27 May 1917	IL	Smith, Carl Oliphant	
Chenoweth	Ruth Ann	28 Nov 1822	14 Apr 1841	IN	Scott, Edwin	
Chenoweth	Ruth Ann		6 Jan 1850	IL	Williams, Henry J.	
Chenoweth	Ruth C. (Stone)		22 Apr 1975	FL	Blodgett, G. Allen	
Chenoweth	Ruth Loraine		10 Feb 1943	NV	Gottesman, Charles John	
Chenoweth	Ruth R.	Abt 1923	13 Mar 1962	CA	Mahoney, Vincent J.	Abt 1921
Chenoweth	S.E.	Abt 1866	1 May 1892	AR	Arnold, Elijah W.	Abt 1840
Chenoweth	Samantha		13 Nov 1865	IA	Allen, William H.	
Chenoweth	Samuel	Abt 1791-PA			?, Harriet	Abt 1823-IA
Chenowith	Sandra Kay		30 Dec 1993	FL	Perry, Michael Alan	
Chenoweth	Sandra L.		17 Jul 1993	KY	Flynn, Kevin J.	
Chenoweth	Sandra L.	Abt 1945	11 Jun 1966	CT	Loomis, Richard E.	Abt 1936
Chenoweth	Sandra L.	Abt 1954	2 Nov 1973	CA	Peck, Derran S.	Abt 1954
Chenoweth	Sarah		24 Aug 1897	TN	Gallagher, Denny F.	
Chinalworth	Sarah		8 Jan 1864	MO	Hampton, John	
Chenoweth	Sarah	Abt 1850	17 Jan 1875	KS	Holbert, George	Abt 1846
Chenoweth	Sarah		Abt 1806	KY	Lovett, Elias	
Chenoweth	Sarah				Mann, Steven	5 Apr 1904
Chenoweth	Sarah		12 Dec 1886	WV	Martin, Joseph	
Chenoweth	Sarah		Abt 1825	KY	Sheets, Samuel	
Chenoweth	Sarah		Abt 1815		Wicoff, Henry	
Chenoweth	Sarah		8 Dec 1857	MO	Dickerson, Harry	
Chenoweth	Sarah Ann		21 May 1849	KY	Meade, David	
Chenoweth	Sarah E.		14 Dec 1853	KY	Eggen, William	
Chenoweth	Sarah E.		23 Jul 1858	TN	Hoover, Abraham (Dr)	
Chenoweth	Sarah Jane		25 Apr 1868	IN	Jeffers, Joseph	
Chenoweth	Sevola D.	Abt 1953	30 Dec 1975	CA	Arrington, John K.	Abt 1954
Chenoweth	Sharon Elaine		25 Apr 1996	NV	Blanco, James Ronald	
Chenoweth	Shawn Edward		31 Dec 2003	NV	Graves, Loretta Kay	
Chenoweth	Sherron Y.	Abt 1948	26 Mar 1965	CA	Wienne, Milton J.	Abt 1932
Chenoweth	Sherry		19 Jan 1962	NV	Howe, Clifford Joseph	
Chenoweth	Shirley A.	Abt 1937	31 Jan 1964	CA	Herman, Fred G.	Abt 1931
Chenoweth	Shirley A.	Abt 1947	1 Sep 1984	CA	Powers, Jimmie L.	Abt 1960
Chenoweth	Sidney		2 Aug 1818	MD	Curry, Thomas	
Chenoweth	Sidney	Abt 1876	28 Jun 1899	IN	Faigle, Lewis W.	