## THE WESTCOTT FAMILY QUARTERLY

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NATIONAL NEWS

FROM Edwin Heath, chairman 1990 Reunion Dear Cousins,

We have diligently been hunting for convenient facilities for the National Westcott Society Reunion August 24,25,26, 1990.

Tentatively, we have the Brick Tower Motel in Concord, New Hampshire. The courtyard surrounds an outdoor pool. Rooms are about sixty dollars per night, contain two double beds, children 12 and under, free of charge.( Lodging in New Hampshire is not inexpensive, as every season here is " peak season.")They have given us the use of their former dining room for our meeting room. Free coffee, and no one minds if we bring in coffee cake or donuts. There are plenty of restaurants nearby.

Plan to fly into Manchester, NH, and we will have transportation for you from there to Concord. It's about half an hour to the airport.

How many are interested in a cruise on the 3 tiered Mt. Washington on Lake Winnipesaukee? As soon as more information is available, we will want feed back. We are working on a Saturday afternoon cruise, lasting about 3 hours around the lake.

Future newsletters will have more details in regard to the banquet and other activities.

Have appreciated hearing from those who have offered assistance and would like to hear from more of you, especially if you have something you'd like on the program or if you'like to help.

Plan to bring children to create interest in keeping this Society active in future years.

Your vacation should be fun in New Hampshire in 1990 !

Sincerely,

Edwin Heath,Sr.Chairman 17 Cremin St., Concord,NH 03303

HAVE YOU BEEN TO MONTREAL RECENTLY, OR SEEN THE MAINE WOODS ? HOW ABOUT A TRIP TO NOVA SCOTIA, OR AROUND GASPE PENNINSULA, AND QUEBEC.

NEW HAMPSHIRE HAS SOME VERY GOOD COUNTY FAIRS AT THIS TIME OF THE YEAR. AND SOME GOOD CAMP GROUNDS IN THE MOUNTAINS OR AT THE BEACH. SO, MAKE YOUR PLANS NOW TO COME TO NEW HAMPSHIRE THIS FALL. SEE YOU AT THE REUNION AUGUST 24-25-26,1990.

In July,1989, the Quarterly listed some lost and/or inactive members. In this issue the list is continued. Please help the SSWD Society by looking over the list to see if you know someone and can help find them. Thank-you, Editor, Pauline W. Dennis SSWD LAST NAME MAN FIRST STREET

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Some of these people are just lost to us because we did not get a recent update on address. Some of you brothers, sisters, mothers, and aunts would be helping a lot if you would notify the editor or the treasurer of new address of these cousins. The Honorary Life members are important to all of us, but it's so easy to lose track when someone moves in with other family or retirement center. Help them keep in touch with the National news by notifying Paul Lewis or Pauline W. Dennis.

Others on this list have just not paid their dues for at least 2 years. To become reinstated send money to Paul Lewis. Those of you who are just going on the list will get this last issue of the news to remind you what you're missing, as you read about the 1990 Reunion in New Hampshire, so send Paul the last couple years dues. Those who have been on this list for awhile will have to rely on others to remind you, because you will not be receiving this Quarterly. This is where family, friends, and state chapters need to get to work. Our constitution says, if you have been on the inactive list for a year, you may be reinstated for this years current dues.

Do it today ! It's so easy to put this notice aside and say you'll write a check tomorrow, but we all know how that goes. We forget. And then we say to ourselves and/or spouse," Did I write that check for the Westcott National Society ?" So, sit down <u>right now.</u> and send your dues to Paul, send a check for the over due amount to reinstate you.Call your Uncle, cousin, son and tell them you saw their name on this list, and give them Paul's address so they can SEND MONEY, and while you're on the phone, make plans to meet them at the National Reunion in New Hampshire.

PAUL LEWIS BOX 267 RIVERTON,CT 06065

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### NATIONAL SOCIETY NEWS

### HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS

CONGRATULATIONS TO THESE MEMBERS WHO HAVE TURNED 80 IN 1990. THEY ARE ON THE SSWD ROLL AS HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS AND NEED NOT PAY DUES EACH YEAR.

496	MRS.CARLOS R.	MERRICK	856 COLLEGE AVE.	MENLO PARK	CA 94025
480	MRS.EDNA M.	PORTER	1805 N.8TH ST.BLD.6A	RED OAK	IA 51566
A-66	MRS.GLADYS M.	SORRACHI	9 LAKEVIEW PARK	COLUMBIA	CT 06237
499	MRS.LYLE D,SR	WESCOTT	PO BOX 2901	LAKE MARY	FL 32746

### NEW SSWD MEMBERS

A-72	M/M	HARRY	WESCOTT	880 MAIN ST.BX498 RD2	BARNSBORO	NJ	08080
798	M/M	SCOTT A.	DIMICK	PO BOX 892	COBLESKILL	NY	12043
799	M/M	PAUL W.	WESTCOTT	7162 NASH RD.	NO.TANAWANDA	NY	14120
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801	MRS	ELIZABETH	EHRHARDT	201 WYNNEWOOD DR.	ABSECON	NJ	08201
802	M/M	WILLIAM	WESTCOTT	23535 CARLOW RD.	TORRANCE	CA	90505
803	M/M	EARL E.	HATFIELD	8235 NEW HOPE RD.	ADAMSVILLE	OH	43802
804	M/M	ROBERT S.	BEDNARCZUK	36 POPLAR DR.	SO.ZANESVILLE	OH	43701
805	M/M	THOMAS	HAWLEY, JR.	6502 EDMONTON AVE.	SAN DIEGO	CA	92122
806		VERNA L.	HANLEY	19705 PINEHURST LN.	SALINAS	CA	93906
807	M/M	LEWIS W.	BROY	138 CECELIA	TOMS BROOK	VA	22660
808	M/M	WILMOT	CARTER	5505 N.OCEAN BLV.SUSSE	BOYNTON BEACH	FL	33435
809	M/M	MARVIN M.	WOLFF	5413 BARR RD.	FERDALE	WA	98249
810	M/M	BARLOW M.	WESTCOTT	1215 FOSDICK DR.	COLORADO SPRS.	CO	80909

The address of these new Honorary Life members and new members is printed here so that you can drop them a note of personal greeting. We are proud to have 55-60 Honorary Life Members on our mailing list.

### WESTCOTT GENEALOGY - VOLUME # 3

" Members have been good about sending in update sheets for volume #3, but there is so much more to be collected. All descendants of Stukely ( and probable descendants) are eligible to be included in this edition. <u>There is no charge</u> <u>involved for those included in the book of update !</u> After books are printed and ready for sale, anyone desiring a copy can purchase one at a fair price. Material will be accepted until the cut-off date, <u>Dec 1990.</u> I do appreciate and sincerely thank every "cousin" who has been in touch and sent info to me."

> Edna J. Lewis Box 267 Riverton,Ct 06065

### 1990 NATIONAL REUNION - NEW HAMPSHIRE - AUGUST 24,25,26

Site - Brick Tower Motel 414 So. Main St. Concord, NH 03301 Phone (603) 224-9565

Rates - Single-\$ 52.00, Double-\$ 58.00, extra person \$ 6.00 each, under 12-free Make reservations <u>directly</u> with the motel, at least 30 days in advance. Motor homes - no charge - camping nearby

Buffet, social, and officers meeting will be held at the motel <u>Friday night</u> and Sat. am.

<u>Sat. noon</u>: Cruise aboard the Mt. Washington, on Lake Winnipesaukee for 3 1/2 hours, group rates for 25 or more adults \$ 11.00, children 5 -12 \$ 5.00 under 5, free

<u>Sat. evening</u> : Annual meeting, dinner and dance

<u>Sunday</u> : Continental breakfast and Church

### A novelty "auction" is planned for Friday night. Donations of homemade items, like holders, mittens, pillowcases, doilies, aprons, anything that may be tucked in a suitcase to take home, will be appreciated. Everyone will be a winner.

If you have a musical talent, group talent, or a skit you,d like to add to the entertainment Friday night, we'd appreciate it. Let's make it a fun night.

Please, let us know if you are bringing your children so that we can plan activities.

Side trips you might want to plan on include: The new Christa McAuliffe Planetarium opening June 1; The State House will be open Friday,Aug.24; Our newest and biggest shopping mall is about 2 miles from the motel; the most modern Psychiatric Hospital and most modern prison in the US are located here. We can make arrangements to see them if you notify us in advance.

Forms to make your reservations with us for the banquet, cruise and these side trips will be in the July Quarterly.

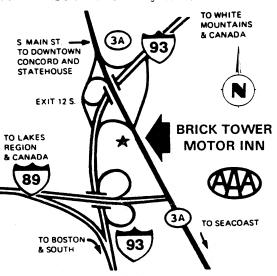
New Hampshire is a beautiful state, August is a nice month, and we've tried to make everything as economical and convenient as possible. We do sincerely want you to make this reunion.

> Ed and Thelma Heath 17 Cremin St. Concord, NH 03303

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### "A Good Man For The Community"

Harold was one of six children born to Rollin and Maryette (Phillips) Wescott in Wells. Vt. The year was 1904. His family, whose lineage was traced to the founding of Providence, Rhode Island in 1635, operated a cheese factory there as did his brother, Phillip, when he came to East Poultney.

Harold came to Poultney in 1926 and went to work for Williams Chevrolet as a mechanic, a skilled one by all accounts.

Harold opened his own garage in November of 1929. He later expanded his operation by purchasing and tearing down one of the old Borden Milk plant buildings and reconstructing it in the back of the garage. It is now used for storage.

With his wife, the former Elrena Kelley (1906-1987) of Middletown Springs, Vt. and their two children, Correne and Bud (Harold, Jr.), the family lived above the Chrysler-Plymouth Dealership for the first years. In the late 1940's they purchased the Federal home on the old line between. East and West Poultney.

With the help of his wife, the family prospered, acquiring several properties in Poultney, Middletown Springs and Hampton, NY, both commercial and rural, including the Pontiac Garage in Poultney Village.

Harold held the first bus contract for the Poultney School system, using his mechanics for drivers. He operated on a very close margin, trying not to overcharge for the service. He often drove a spectator bus to games himself charging only for gas, not his time. This was his contribution to the athletic programs of the Poultney schools.

He was a tireless worker for the Methodist Church, toiling in any capacity which was needed including reconditioning items donated for the Church's annual auction. A dedicated member of the Poultney Rotary Club and its community projects, he was an avid volunteer for committees for Poultney's annual Halloween party for the Poultney youths. the annual chicken barbecue and the yearly block dance. In connection with Rotary he became a Paul Harris Fellow.

Before home freezers were in common use, Harold was instrumental in establishing the Poultney Freeze Locker Co-op, several times using his own money to bail it out of financial difficulty. eventually purchased the building and leased it for a grocery store only to have it gutted by a fire in 1959. But he was not one to be defeated and rebuilt the interior cement block building. He sold it to the Clarks in July 1979.

A sportsman, Harold loved to hunt, sometimes "just taking his gun for a walk" through the farm land and woods of his hunting camp in Middletown Springs. A member of the Poultney Fish and Game Club, he helped to build the Poultney Valley Club, the original Fish and Game Club building co-owned with the Poultney Grange. He was also one of the founders of the Poultney Development Corporation.

He was a Justice of the Peace but usually declined to marry couples because his personal belief was that a marriage should be performed by a man of God. However he did work in local government on the Board of Civil Authority.

Harold spearheaded the Poultney fund raising drive for the new Rutland Regional Medical Hospital constructed on Allen Street in Rutland. He was also one of the founders of the Poultney Development Corporation.

When time permitted, Harold enjoyed working the land, raising his own berries and vegetables as well as caring for his property holdings, many times doing his own carpentry, plumbing and repair work. His cleaning of a septic system was the most aromatic occupation he ever held, according to his family who was gathered and waiting dinner for him one Thanksgiving Day.

He also cared about the general state of the environment as evidenced by his annual participation in Green Up Day, when he did his part collecting roadside litter.

Many charities benefited from his generosity as well as countless individuals who received his quiet help. He never made a show of his giving, believing that you did for others because you wanted to.

He passed from this life in 1979 and was laid to rest in the Middletown Springs Cemetery.

"Titles on tombs are vainly spent a man's good name is his best monument."

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### FROM THE LETTER BOX

### From Edna J. Lewis -Connecticut

" We are very pleased by the response of cousins who have ordered the reprint of Whitman's Westcott Genealogy volume I and II. As of this date we have FOUR (4) sets left.The income from the last four sets will be earmarked for the College Loan Fund." So, if you want a copy of I and II, you need to contact Edna soon.

### From Malcolm R. Westcott of North York, Canada

In the January Quarterly, your list of lost members included my brother, Charles J. Westcott, Jr. He died in November 1984, and his widow, Elizabeth F. Westcott now lives at 998 Bent Road, Hatfield, PA,19440. There are five children and ( I think) five grandchildren.

I am the author of a recently published book as per the enclosed flyer.

The Psychology of Human Freedom A Human Science Perspective and Critique

by M.R. Westcott 1988. Approx. 3 figs., 226 pp. Softcover \$34.00 ISBN 96809-1

Dr. Westcott gives a thorough review of the psychological research on human freedom. He presents a vigorous critique of the natural science approach, and offers a contrasting human science perspective, illustrated through empirical studies.

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### From Phyllis Reed - Vermont

Melanie Reed was a contestant in the Miss T.E.E.N. ( teens encouraging excellence nationally) in Barre, Vt recently. Melanie was chosen 2nd runner-up and Miss Congeniality, she also received a top award for the community service catagory. She is a Granville, NY high school senior, and the daughter of Don and Phyllis Reed of Wells, Vt and granddaughter of Mabel Wescott of East Poultney, VT.( Taken from the Lakes Region FreePress, Oct, 1989.).

From Robert D. Hill, 4417 Edinbrook Terrace, Brooklyn Park, MN 55443

Seeking information on MIRANDA M. WESCOTT b-4 Nov 1824 Erie County, NY. She married Rev. Elisha J. McClelland in 1841 in Niagara County,NY or Knox County,Ohio. Were her parents Harden & Diantha Wescott of Alden/Marilla,Erie,NY? Harden was born @ 1799 in Otsego Co, Ny and Diantha born @ 1801 in Oneida Co,NY. They had a son named Theodore born @ 1839 in Alden,NY. Mira da died in Monona,Clayton,Iowa on 26 Oct 1913. Her second marriage was to Timothy Stiles in 1878.

Thank you....

Robert D. Hill

### From John Wescott, Sr. Hagerstown, Maryland

John's son, <u>Peter</u>, spent time in Africa with the Peace Corp. He was featured in an article, Just folks, recalling his experiences in Malawi, Africa. Peter Wescott lived in Mzuzu, a town of 20,000 people and traveled to villages by motorcycle or Jeep to help build rural access roads. He was charged with designing the roads, getting materials, working with the foreman and actually teaching the villagers how to construct the roads.

When his Peace Corp contract was terminated, Peter spent time in Kenya and Botswana where he worked on housing development.

### VITAL STATISTICS

Pamela Wescott Avery Schaeffer and husband, Chuck, of Mays Landing, NJ, have a <u>baby girl, Sarah,</u> born July 9, 1989. She's doing very well and keeping her parents very busy. Maternal grandmother is Wilma Wescott Avery of Port Republic, NJ.

Dan Lewis <u>married</u> Dr. Maren Dietz of Germany in Weinheim, Germany, 28 April 1989. Maren has now closed her office to take a year's leave to care for their baby Kathrin Elena. Dan is a civilian employee of the USA government in Germany. Fraternal grandparents, Paul and Edna Lewis, had a chance to visit the new family, when Dan had major surgery. They report the baby is a darling and all is well.

### Oscar Eugene Place

It is with deep sadness that I inform you of the <u>death</u> of my husband, <u>Oscar</u> <u>Eugene Place</u> on Oct. 29,1989. My husband was born Feb.1,1914. After military service in WW II from 1941 to 1945, he lived in Massachusetts until 1950 when he returned to Warwick, RI, where he lived until his death.

His mother was Ethel Westcott Place, who was a member of SSWD before her death in 1980 at the age of 89 years. She lived in Warwick, RI, the home of Stukely Westcott, all her life.

He is survived by his wife, Helen K. a son, Philip Westcott Place, and two grandchildren. Sincerely, Helen K. Place, 291 Chatham Ct, Warwick, RI 02886

### William Westcott Hopkins

<u>William Westcott Hopkins</u>, of 36 Maple Ave.,Little Silver, NJ, died on August 15, 1989. It was his express wish that the Society be notified.

Born on March 19, 1906 son of Harold N. and Elizabeth Lent Hopkins, he married Marion Harder in December, 1933.

He is survived by his wife, Marion; daughter, Jane Malinda( Hopkins) Finn of Howell, NJ; and two sons, Stephen Westcott Hopkins of North Carolina; and Mark Leland Hopkins of Long Valley, NJ; 9 grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

### From Betty Acker Ohio-

Those who attended our gathering in Ohio in 1988 had the opportunity to meet my <u>mother, Helen (Keyes) Westcott.</u> She became bedfast early in 1989 and <u>died</u> Dec.13th. My father, Charles S. Westcott, died in 1970. During their 49 years of marriage, they had two enduring interests: gardening and fishing – and of course the close contact with their daughter and granddaughter over the years.

After 40 years of teaching my father wrote:

Within a teacher's treasure chest A host of pleasant mem'ries rest, Of voices, laughs, a smiling face, Of blackboards, desks, a distant place:

But nothing there surpasses this For everlasting, perfect bliss: A father offering his hand, Who says, "My boy thinks you are grand".

Today people are still saying to me," Charlie was my favorite teacher." I miss them both very much.