

THE BROWER FAMILY CIRCLE

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This newsletter is published with the hope that with enough interest, someone will send in the necessary information to fill out all the blank spaces in Brower-Brewer-Brouwer lines clear back to the countries in Europe, where we all originated from. At the present time, there are a lot of unanswered questions.

Anyone having Brower lineage may have their lines published here, as long as they send in a release authorizing such publication. All queries are welcomed as well. The cost is being born by the publisher in order to generate interest in the Brower line. Send your lineage to:

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Since the last time we published many things have occurred to make continuance almost impossible for several months. In order to continue the proper sequence of numbering, even though it is 1980, this series will be Vol II, No. 2 dtd July 1977.

From the Roster of Iowa Soldiers in the War of the Rebellion, Vol 5
Published by authority of the General Assembly at Des Moines, Iowa
in 1911 we find:

34th Infantry Company K

Brower, Erastus L. Aged 37. Residence in Janesville, born in New York.
Enlisted 15 Aug 1862, mustered on 4 Nov 1862. Mustered out on 15 Aug
1865 in Houston, TX (Co B 38th Infantry).

38th Infantry Company B

Brower, Erastus L. Aged 37. Residence in Janesville, born in New York.
Mustered 4 Nov 1862. Transferred to Co I, 34th Inf. Note: Apparently
the 34th and 38th Infantrys were consolidated. This occurred on 1 Jan 1865.

41st Infantry Battalion Company B

Brower, Edward D. Aged 20. Residence in Iowa City, born NY, enlisted
18 Oct 1861. Transferred to Co L, 7th Cav., on 25 Apr 1863.

The following information and lineage is furnished by Mrs Nona L Osborn
of 4315 E 75th St Tulsa, OK 74136.

Nona Lee (Roberts) Osborn
b. Billings, Oklahoma

Her Father:
Lloyd C Roberts
b. 11 Jun 1898
d. 31 Oct 1971

His Mother:
Ida Eveline Brower
b. 03 Nov 1862
p.b. DeWitt Co, Ill
d. 28 Oct 1950
p.d. Tonkawa, OK

Her Father:
James Emanuel Brower
b. 08 Feb 1833
p.b. Guernsey Co, OH
d. 25 Dec 1910
p.d. Garfield Co, OK

His Father:
Abraham Brower
b. ca 1808
p.b. Maryland

His Father:
**Emanuel Brower
b. 27 Mar 1772
m. 29 Oct 1802
p.m. Maryland
d. 08 May 1850

His Father:
Emanuel Brower, SR
b. date unknown
d. 1820
p.d. Frederick Co, Maryland

His Father:
Christian Brower
b. 1715-1718
p.b. Germany
p.m. Chester Co, PA
d. Unknown
p.d. Chester Co, PA

His Father:
Hubert Brower

** Brower, Emanuel b. 28 March 1772 d. 8 May 1850, aged 78 years 1 month and 11 days. Place of death is given as Londonderry Township in Guernsey County, OH. Married Susanna_____. She was b. 8 Jan 1778 and d. 15 Aug 1854, aged 76 years 7 months and seven days in the same township. They lie in McCoy's Church Cemetery.

Emanuel's will listed children as: John, Abraham, Mary Ann, Elizabeth, Sarah and Abigail. A grandson, Alfred, is also mentioned. The will is dated 26 Jan 1844.

The John Brower listed above d. 17 Aug 1875. His will is dtd 24 May 1875. Children listed as follows: Mary Ann Bond, Eliza Anderson, Susan Stephens, Alice Bernard and Sarah Master, Thoms B Murray and Alfred.

From Mrs Edna T Brewer of 1603 E Tallent St Rapid City, South Dakota 57701 we have the line of her husband who d. 10 Apr 1976.

(I am copying the work of Mr John T Brewer, Sr from some papers he sent me back in 1976. Notice the change from Bogardus to Brouwer to Brewer.)

Everardus Bogardus arrived in New Amsterdam on the "Southberg" in Apr 1633. He was the first clergyman (minister) in the settlement. He married Annet_____, widow of Rulof Jans(son) of Holland. She had four (4) children by Jans (son).

Everardus Bogardus sailed on the ship "Princess" on a visit to the fatherland and was shipwrecked on the coast of Wales on 27 Sep 1647. Annetjie, his wife d. in Bess_____, now called Albany in 1663.

Children of Everardus and Annetjie were:

William b. 163_(?) and m. Wintjie Sybrant in Aug 1659.
Cornelius b. 9 Sep 1640
Jonas b. 4 Jan 1643
Pieter b. 2 Aug 1645

Children of William and Wintjie (Sybrant) Bogardus were:

Everardus b. 2 Nov 1659 died young
Futgs b. 16 Mar 1661
Anna b. 2 Oct 1663 m. Jacobus Brewer(Brouwer) 4 Feb 1683

Jacobus (Brouwer) Brewer b. 1655 Gowanus, Long Island and d. 2 Apr 1732, in Brooklin, New York. His wife, Anna Bogardus was bapitized on 3 Oct 1663 and d. 1732-1733 in Brooklin. Their children were:

Sybrant b. 30 Mar 1684 m. Sarah Webber on 22 May 1706
Jacobus b. 08 May 1687 m. Pieterella De La Montagne 22 Oct 1709
William b. Died Young
Elizabeth b. 15 Nov 1694 M. Jacob Pieters Quackenbush 7 Sep 1712
d. 15 Mar 1769
Adam b. 29 Mar 1696 m. Deborah Allen on 17 Jul 1717
Pieter chr 29 Mar 1699 m. Elizabeth Quackenbush 18 Nov 1721

Sybrant (Brouwer) Brewer b. 30 Mar 1684, m. Sarah Webber, daughter of Woofer(?) Webber by his second wife. Their children:

Jacobus	b. 2 Mar 1707	d. 1765	m. Mary Webber 1726.
Aranout	b. 22 Oct 1708		
Cornelius	b. 14 Oct 1713		
Sybrant	b. 21 Dec 1715		
Jennetie	b. 29 Jan 1718		
Petrers	b. 30 Mar 1720		

Jacobus Brewer b. 2 Mar 1707 m. Mary Webber in 1726. Their child listed:

Isaac	b. 1727	d. 1788	m. _____ (?)Butler.
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Isaac Brewer b. 1727, m. _____ Butler. Their children:

Mathew	b. 1757	d. 1825	m. Mary Magdalene Emery in the year 1778 in the State of Delaware.
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William
John
Adam
Saul

Mathew Brewer b. 1757 and m. Mary Magdalene Emery in 1778 in Delaware.

Their children listed:

Charity	b. 1779		
Elizabeth	b. 1782		
Sarah	b. 11 Aug 1785		
Matthew	b. 6 Jul 1789		
Jacob	b. 22 Sep 1790	d. 20 Nov 1866	
John	b. 5 Sep 1793		
William	b. 25 Jan 1796	d. Young	
Conrad	b. 4 May 1798		
Mary	b. 5 Mar 1802		

Jacob, son of Mathew, was born in Delaware and died in Coshocton, OH. He was married in Green County, PA in 1812 to Cassandre McDonald. She was b. 22 June 1789 and d. 7 Mar 1856 in Ohio. Their children:

John	b. 1 Feb 1813	m. Minnerva Priest 2 Feb 1834	in PA
Mary	b. 17 Jul 1815	d. 15 Feb 1890	m. _____ (?)Black
Phoebie	b. 12 Aug 1816		
Elizabeth	b. 1 Jan 1819		
Sarah	b. 8 Jul 1821		
Jane	b. 27 May 1824	d. 24 Jul 1907	
Cassandra	b. 18 Nov 1826	m. _____ (?)Barclay	
Jacob	b. 28 Jul 1828	d. 2 Oct 1903	
Abner	b. 28 Aug 1830		
Alpheus(?)	b. 29 Jun 1833	d. 13 Jul 1853	

John Brewer, son of Jacob, who was b. 1 Feb 1813 and d. 6 Sep 1885, was married to Minnerva Priest, daughter of John and Mary (Mercer) Priest. Married on 2 Feb 1834, their children:

Mary b. 1834
 James b. 9 Nov 1836 m. Nancy Ann Osborn in 1858(?)
 Harriet J b. 9 Sep 1838
 Jacob H b. 21 Apr 1841
 Sarah M b. 1847 d. 1910(?)
 Winfield S b. 1852 d. 13 Dec 1912 m. 15 Oct 1874 to
 Margaret D. Arrasmith(?)

NOTE: The father, John Brewer who was b. 1 Feb 1813 and d. 6 Sep 1885 lies in the Lusks Chapel in Marshall, Indiana.

Jacob Harrison Brewer was b. 21 Apr 1841 m. Elizabeth Lusk on 9 Oct 1864. Their children:

Salmon b. _____ (?) d. 9 Apr 1910
 Almeda b. _____ (?)
 John Jacob b. 23 Apr 1875
 Jessie Irvin b. _____ (?)

(From Mrs Marge Brower Box J Fullerton, Nebraska 68638)

Margaurite (Marge) E. (Leonard) Brower
 b. 30 Nov 1926 in Boise, ID
 m. 9 Jul 1949 to John Martin Brower

John Martin Brower
 b. 7 Mar 1924
 p.b. Grand Island, Nebraska

NOTE: Another lady working on this same line is:

Louise A Kurrasch
 622 Arbor Court
 Independence, OR 97351

His Father:
 Robert Clark Brower
 b. 12 Oct 1896
 p.b. Fullerton, Nebraska
 m. 19 May 1923 to Lenore Sussanah Heyrock

His Father:
 Martin Irenius Brower
 b. 21 Mar 1847
 p.b. Ashtabula City, OH(?)
 m. 1885
 d. 20 Jun 1920
 p.d. Fullerton, Nebraska

His Father:
 Arlinous Brower
 b. 1 Mar 1811
 p.b. Herkimer City, NY
 m. 1845 in Ohio
 d. 20 Jun 1920(?)

His Father:
 Abram Brower
 m. Phylotia Webster

No other data

(From Ms Mary Brower of 8041 East Ocotillo Drive Tucson, AZ 85715)

Mary Brower
b. 11 Mar 1964
p.b. San Jose, CA

William John Brower
b. 17 Feb 1925
p.b. Oil City, PA

His Father:
William John Brower
b. _____(?)
p.b. Guernsey, Co, Ohio
d. 9 Dec 1940
p.d. Minisink Ford, NY

His Father:
William Brower
b. _____(?)
p.b. _____(?)
m. Rachel Thompson

Books by Browers

Fifty Years Below Zero by Charles D. Brower
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(NOTE: Charles Brower was the man that Wiley Post and Will Rogers were to see when they crashed years ago).

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