

## Heir-A-Parent

The following stories are reprints from the Fall 1976 - Heir Lines  
The Heir Line name was not used until the 1990's it was called  
Genealogical Society of Siskiyou County from 1972 to 1997.

## Grandfatherly War Ancestor of Harvin Leo Lander

1. Benjamin Josworth the fifth was born September, 1753 in Point Shirley or Lancaster near Boston, Mass., the son of Benjamin the Fourth. He served as a private in Captain Job Cushing's Regiment in Captain John White's Company. He marched to Burlington, Vermont on an alarm of July 1777. He later enlisted at Lancaster, Mass. in 1778 in Captain Samuel King's Company, Col. Thomas Marshall Regiment. He served as a private for 9 months from the time of their arrival at Fishkill, New York, June 7, 1778 until discharged at West Point, Mar. 7, 1779. From a descriptive list of men mustered on May, 1778, his residence was Lancaster, age 25, height 5 feet 5 inches, complexion fair, hair and eyes dark. See Mass. Soldiers and Sailors of the Revolution, pages 207 and 369. Benjamin lived in Bradford County, Pennsylvania later. His wife was Mary. At least two of his children were Susannah and Benjamin, Jr. Benjamin, Sr., died Dec. 27, 1847 in his 94th year at Burlington, Penn., and is buried at Coler's Cemetery. The census of pensioners of 1840 shows him age 85 living in Burlington with his daughter and son-in-law John Walthorn, a hatter by occupation.

2. Benjamin, Jr., born about 1785, probably in Delaware. His wife is unknown, it may have been Joy as a son was named Eben Joy Josworth. He lived at Towanda. They had 5 children.

3. His daughter, Susan Josworth, was born Aug. 6, 1808, in Pennsylvania. She married about 1822 Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ Lyne, and married for the second time to James Wilcox about 1827. She died Aug. 26, 1869, in Hammond, Indiana.

4. Harriet O. Lyne, Susan's daughter was born Feb. 27, 1823 in Pennsylvania. In 1841, she married James W. Phillips in Lake County, Indiana. Harriet died on June 14, 1899 at Scio, Oregon.

5. Effie Jane Phillips, 1851-1919.
6. George D. Lander, 1871-1947
7. Jud F. Lander, 1912.
8. Harvin Leo Lander, 1939.

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**EVGENE BOWLING** "Star"  
Staff '19, Editorial B. S. Gazette.  
"Five people go off they are our  
pride & joy. So do we."

**ALBERT TERRY** "Lancer"  
Debate '18, Staff '19, Vice Pres.  
Student Body '19.  
"I live for to learn. My other my  
pride."

**GEORGE ALBEE** "Cap"  
Mineral Com. Spring '18, Staff '19.  
"His friendly personality adds  
pleasure everywhere."

**FERDINAND BEINER** "Star"  
Promote Club '18, Agricultural  
Club '19, Staff '19, Vice Club '19.  
"Lively, but all else."  
"We will give the devil his due."

**WILLIAM BUSS** "Star"  
Editorial from San Jose High, San  
Jose (California), Staff '19, Editor  
B. S. Gazette.  
"He does not merely get his work."

**MARGARET K. FAIRBANKS** "Wagon"  
Promote Club '18, Agricultural  
Club '19, Staff '19, Student Body  
Staff Government Committee '19.  
"Laid history lessons, I am just done."



**VICTOR PAGE** "Cap"  
Editorial from Campbell High,  
Campbell, California, Vice Club '19.  
"His return to his school for the  
world."

**MARGARET BRIDGEMAN** "Wagon"  
Promote Club '18, Commercial Club  
'19, Staff '19.  
"Pleasantly cheerful always."

**WALDO J. SMITH** "Wagon"  
Track '19, Agricultural Club '19, '20,  
Promote Club '19, Student Body '19,  
'20, "Lively" and "The North Man-  
ager" '19, Debate '19, Vice Club  
'19, as secretary vice was '19.  
"He remains in our hearts as our  
most good friend."

**LOIS CALDWIN** "Wagon"  
Promote Club '18, Student Body '19,  
'20, "Lively" and "Wagon" '19, Vice  
Student Body '19, Staff '19, Vice  
Club '19.  
"Such a friendly person."  
"She always has a good word for  
everybody."

**ANTHONY CALKINS** "Wagon"  
Commercial Club '19, Promote  
Club '19, Agricultural Club '19,  
Student Body '19, '20, '21, Vice Student  
Body '19, '20, '21, President Student  
Body '19-21.  
"His smile never fades with a new  
face on earth and sky."

**ANDREW McCAULEY** "Wagon"  
Promote Club '19, B. S. Gazette  
'19, B. S. Gazette '21, Secretary of  
Agricultural Club '19, Staff '19,  
Vice Club '19, 1st Vice B. S. Gazette  
Vice Student '19.  
"One of our very best students."  
"This is the very best of perfection."



**ROBERT NEAL** "Star"  
Basket Ball '19, Chairman Social  
Committee '19, Commercial B. S. Ga-  
zette '19, Staff '19, Agricultural-Army  
Service Club '19.  
"He does a number of the various  
jobs which are great honor for anyone  
like me like himself."

**ELLA CALDWELL** "Wagon"  
Agricultural Club '19, Staff '19, The  
Club Club '19.  
"I laugh it really a hundred times  
in my heart."

**JOHN SHEDD** "Cap"  
Promote Club '19, Athletic Club '19,  
Vice Club '19, Vice Pres. Service  
Club.  
"I consider myself to be a very  
happy person to study."

**LYNN LANGHEYN** "Cap"  
Promote Club '19, Vice Pres. Club  
'19, Student Body '19, '20, Staff '19,  
Vice Club '19, Capt. B. S. Gazette  
'19, Vice Student Body '19, Vice  
Service Club '19.  
"Pleasant. Not a day goes by."

**DEBORAH HOLLAND** "Star"  
Basket Ball '19, '20, Vice Club  
'19.  
"Sweetest smiles from the best the  
best of every day life."

**LEONETTA WILSON** "Wagon"  
Editorial from Santa High, Santa,  
Cal.  
"I study in the school. The world  
and humanity will I come."



**INCE SMITH**  
Promote Club '19, Agricultural  
Club '19, "Yreka North Reporter" '19.  
"His was youth for his country."  
"Lively in politics."

**ELICE CHRISTENSEN** "Wagon"  
Promote Club '19, Staff '19, Vice  
Club '19.  
"Her smile is our joy, gentle and  
kind - an ever-ready thing to women."

**EDWARD NORTH** "Wagon"  
Editorial from Wichita High School,  
Wichita, Kansas, Vice Club '19,  
Staff '19, Student Body '19, Agricultural  
High School Editorial '19, Student  
Body Staff Government Committee  
'19.  
"All the good days are ahead, and  
I'm not feeling well."

**ANDREW SANDHORN** "Cap"  
Vice, Freshman Class '19, Basket  
Ball '19, Secretary B. S. Gazette '19.  
"The only Yreka born of Finnish  
parents."

### AMHERST GRADUATES

**ELIOTT HARRISON** "Wagon"  
"In you like it" '19, Basket Ball '19,  
'20, Chairman Student Body Staff  
Government Committee '19, Vice  
Club '19, Vice, Supervisor Class '19.  
"Everybody's friend - nobody's in-  
emy."



## Revolutionary War Ancestor of Marvin Leo Lander

1. Daniel Whitmore, the son of John and Mary Burnell Whitmore, was born Oct. 6, 1758 in Baldwin, Maine. On April 16, 1782 he married Anna T., daughter of Jeremiah and Mary Hill. In the 1840 census of Pensioners, Daniel Whitmore was listed as aged 81, residence Unity, Waldo County, Maine, and as living with Jesse Whitmore. His service was as a private with the Massachusetts Line. An index of Revolutionary War Pensioners living in Maine showed Daniel was then 75 years old and living in Waldo County. He had lived at Gorham, then Unity. He had 10 children. He died in 1846. A biography of Walworth County, Wisconsin in 1892 for his grandson indicates that Daniel at age 16 took part in the Battle of Bunker Hill. The grandson was named Joseph Whitmore.

2. Daniel's son Joseph Alva Whitmore was born at Gorham, Me. on March 12, 1787. He married Hannah Call of Dresden. They were pioneers of Spring Prairie, Walworth County, Wisconsin, and he died there on Dec. 25, 1865. They had 12 children.

3. Abigail A. Whitmore was born Nov. 7, 1814 in Maine. In January 22, 1834, at LaPorte County, Indiana, she married Dr. Ansel Asa Hemenway (1806-1895) the son of Asa and Susanna Clark Hemenway. Abigail christened the town of Spring Prairie, Wisconsin. She died on June 14, 1902 at Eugene, Oregon and is buried in Oakhill Cemetery. They had 7 children.

4. Dr. Stacy H. Hemenway was born Jan. 13, 1836 at Pleasant, Indiana and died Feb. 19, 1914. He served in the Civil War from Illinois and later also as full Regimental Surgeon for the 41st, U. S. Colored Troops. He later served as the physician for the Yainix Indians in Klamath Falls, Oregon. His second wife was Charlotte T., daughter of Oliver H. Stanley and Nancy Ann Hatfield, pioneers of Siskiyou County, California in 1853. They had three sons.

5. Claudius Galen Hemenway was born March 10, 1889 at Olene, Klamath County, Oregon. He married Alice Stow who was the daughter of Elias Ho do and Alice Celina Snyder Stow. They had six children. He died March 5, 1932.

6. Vera Rosy Hemenway was born Feb. 14, 1918 at Redding, California. She married Bud F. Lander in 1936 at Red Bluff. They have five sons.

7. Marvin Leo Lander was born at Red Bluff in 1939.

Revolutionary War Ancestors of Harvin Leo Lander, Red Bluff, Ca.

1. ABRAHAM WESTERVELT, son of Jurion Westervelt and Cornelia A. Van Voorhis, was born Sept. 11, 1720 in New York. He married on May 4, 1744 at Hockensack, Hendrickje, daughter of Joost and Trietje (Martese) Van Duskirk. Abraham's patriotic service was in New York. (O.A.R. Patriot Index, page 731.) He died July 28, 1796.

2. Jan-John Westervelt, born July 3, 1761 at Schraalenburgh, New Jersey, was the son of Abraham and Hendrickje Westervelt. He married about 1783 Hannah Van Kleeck of Poughkeepsie, New York. He served as a private from New York. (O.A.R. Patriot Index, page 731. He died Feb. 20, 1843 in Bergen County, New Jersey.

3. Effa, daughter of John and Hannah Westervelt, was born May 1, 1784 at Poughkeepsie, New York. She married for the second time at Bloomfield, New York Pierre Phillips, a native of Chichery, Yonn, France. She died Feb. 26, 1850 in Lake County, Indiana. She and her husband are buried in Dutton-Phillips Cemetery. Her grave has a O.A.R. marker on it, indicating that she is a daughter of a Revolutionary War soldier. They had 11 children.

4. James Westervelt Phillips was born Feb. 17, 1819 in New York. He was the son of Pierre and Effa Phillips. He married in 1841 Harriet Olive Lyne, and died in Aug. of 1884 at Albion, Nebraska.

5. Effa Jane Phillips was born July 12, 1851 at Herrickville, Indiana, the daughter of James and Harriet Phillips. She was married June 18, 1866 at Crown Point, Indiana to Albert Louis Landore, son of Michael and Sarah Ann Kennedy Landore. Effa died June 24, 1919 at Hopmer, Oregon. She had 10 children.

6. George Vertram Lander, son of Albert and Effa Lander, was born Aug. 16, 1871, in Ross Lake County, Indiana. He married Sept. 22, 1894 in Gervous, Oregon, Katherine Lillian Isham, daughter of William Uriah Isham and Mary Amanda Fowler. He died July 9, 1947 at Red Bluff, California, father of 9 children.

7. Bud Franklin Lander son of George and Katherine, was born Jan. 7, 1912 near Salem, Oregon, married Oct. 19, 1936, Vera Rosy Hamerway. They had 5 sons and live in Red Bluff.

8. Harvin Leo Lander, son of Bud and Vera Lander, was born Sept. 25, 1939 at Red Bluff, California.