

DESCENDANTS OF

JOSEPH WETHERHOLD

GREAT GRANDSON OF

CAPT. JOHN JACOB WETHERHOLD

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Foreword

This partial history of the lineage of Captain John Jacob Wetherholt was compiled by the writer with the hope that it would prove interesting to many of his living descendants. In this effort I want to thank those who responded to my request for information, and especially to Saraellen E. Wetherhold, of Emmaus, Pa., and Sylvester Wetherhold of Saratoga Springs, N. Y.

Gathering data for a family history has its good points; you meet relatives that you would not meet under ordinary circumstances. It is interesting, but it can also be disappointing.

In June of this year I was curious as to what might have happened to William Wetherhold, son of John (B1) who settled in Illinois and married a Miss Boyer; they had a daughter named Ella. I wrote to the State Capitol in Springfield. Here is the reply from the Bureau of Vital Statistics:

"We cannot fill the attached request because it relates to a record presumably filed before January 1, 1916, and is, therefore, only in the file of the county clerk of the county in which the event took place. Only that county clerk can make corrections or issue copies of this record.

"Enclosed is a list of addresses of county seats, to aid you in directing your request to the appropriate county clerk."

Right there I stopped. Believe it or not, there are over one hundred counties in Illinois. I decided to concentrate on the lineage of Joseph Wetherhold, first son of John (B1), and his two sons, Nathan and Elias.

There are many more members of the Wetherhold Family to be heard from. A Family Reunion could bring much information to light.

Ray G. Wetherhold

November, 1969.

The Wetherhold Family

ON October 22, 1754, there arrived at Philadelphia two brothers named John Nicholas and John Jacob Wetherholt. They had probably both seen military service in Germany, as they entered the army of the province soon after their arrival.

(1) John Nicholas Wetherholt was born in 1724 and on December 21, 1755, was commissioned captain in the First Battalion of the Second Pennsylvania Regiment. He was in command of Fort Everett during the French and Indian war and the muster roll of his company is given in the chapter relating to that war. In 1762 he resided in Heidelberg Township, where he was taxed in 1764 on seventy acres of land.

(2) John Jacob Wetherholt was born in 17... He was commissioned a Lieutenant in Major Parson's town guard on December 21, 1755, and in April, 1756, was stationed at Deitz Blockhouse. On September 21, 1756 he was commissioned captain, and on September 2, 1757, was paid 88 pounds, 6s, 6d. for enlisting fifty-three men in the provincial service. He was a man of undaunted courage and believed that he was invulnerable to bullets. He remained in the provincial service and on October 7, 1763, left Bethlehem with Lieutenant Jonathan Dodge, Sergeant Laurence McGuire and a small party of soldiers on the way to Fort Allen. The party stopped for the night at the tavern of John Stenton, about a mile north of Howertown, in the Irish settlement.

Early next morning, October 8th, Captain Wetherhold ordered one of his men to get his horse ready and as he opened the door he was shot and instantly killed by a party of Indians who had surrounded the tavern. Captain Wetherhold then went to the door and was mortally wounded. The sergeant then attempted to pull in the Captain and shut the door, but was dangerously wounded. The Lieutenant succeeded in closing the door, but meanwhile other Indians shot Stenton, the landlord, through a window, who ran a mile and then dropped dead. Captain Wetherhold crawled to a window and shot an Indian dead, who was about to set fire to the house. The other Indians then took their comrade's body and left, going toward the Lehigh. On the way they killed several persons and crossing the river into Whitehall township, killed or wounded fifteen or twenty persons, a full account of which is given in the chapter on the massacre of 1763.

A few hours later the news reached Bethlehem and a small armed force was sent to bring in the wounded men for surgical treatment. Captain Wetherhold died the next day, October 9, 1763, at the Crown Inn and was buried on the 10th in the graveyard that was located near Second and Ottawa streets, South Bethlehem.

Captain Wetherhold resided in Lynn township, where his widow, Susanna, and his three children, resided in 1764 on a tract of 150 acres, which he owned. In 1766 his widow married Michael Kern. His children were:

1. Jacob
2. Susanna
3. Catharine

- (A1) Jacob Wetherhold, son of Captain John Jacob and his wife Susanna. We have no information on the family of Jacob, other than he had a son: John.
- (B1) John Wetherhold, son of Jacob (A1), of whom tradition says that on a certain occasion he rode away on a white horse and never returned, having doubtless been killed by Indians. His widow later sold the land and removed from the township. They had three sons.
1. Joseph.
 2. William, who settled in Illinois, married a Miss Boyer and had a daughter named Ella.
 3. George.
- (C1) Joseph, son of John Wetherhold (B1) became a farmer and tanner and the owner of the homestead. He later removed to Allentown, where he resided at the northeast corner of 11th and Hamilton streets, and died in 1859. He married Sarah Acker and had four children. They were:
1. Nathan.
 2. Elias.
 3. Anna, born October 5, 1819, died February 16, 1906, married Joseph Kline.
 4. Lydia, married Joel Haas. They were members of the Reformed Church.
- (D1) Nathan Wetherhold, son of Joseph and Sarah (Acker) Wetherhold, was a farmer and tanner at Lyon Valley. He married Polly, daughter of John and Sophia (Ebert) Mosser, of Mosserville. They had eight children:
1. Araminta, married Peter Werley.
 2. Helena, married D. Frank Knerr.
 3. Sarah S., married John A. Knerr.
 4. Aquila, married Francis A. Peter.
 5. John W., of Ballietsville, who married Amelia Bachman.
 6. Ida, married Charles Boger. Had a daughter, Helen.
 7. James A., married Alice Peter.
 8. George A.
- (D2) Elias Wetherhold, son of Joseph and Sarah (Acker) Wetherhold, was born February 12, 1826, in Lowhill Township. He was reared on his father's farm and became a merchant in Hynemansville, where he successfully carried on business for forty years, and was postmaster for over thirty years. Sometime during the 1870's he was granted 160 acres of land by the government in the vicinity of Iola, Kansas. He took his oldest son, Chester, with him to Kansas to fulfill government regulations, after which he leased the farm to a tenant. In 1904, Sylvester, another son, was sent by the family to Kansas to investigate conditions on the farm. Oil wells had sprung up in that part of Kansas but no oil was discovered on the Wetherhold property, and after some fifty years of ownership it was sold. Elias was married to Amelia E., daughter of David and Magdalena (Neff) Stein, born September 14, 1831.

He died on May 4, 1888 and was buried at Seiberlingsville. His wife, Amelia, died in Allentown on November 29, 1918 and was buried on Greenwood Cemetery. Later his body was exhumed, as were also those of three of their children who had died in infancy, and placed beside that of his wife on Greenwood. They had ten children:

1. Chester Joseph David
2. Mathew M.
3. Mary Elizabeth
4. Charles Azariah
5. Annie E.
6. Sylvester
7. Edward H.
8. Ella S.
9. William F.
10. George D.

DESCENDANTS OF NATHAN WETHERHOLD (D1)

(E5) John W. Wetherhold, son of Nathan and Polly (Mosser) Wetherhold, was born in 1853 and died May 19, 1917. He was married to Amelia Bachman, born February 23, 1854. During his life he was a tanner in Lyon Valley and a farmer in Ballietsville, the latter being recorded as his address. There were nine children:

1. Robert N., born February 19, 1873.
2. Harry Ulysses, born October 24, 1874.
3. Charles, born August 22, 1877.
4. Steward, born May 29, 1879, died in infancy.
5. Allen, born December 9, 1880, died in infancy.
6. Fred, born December 23, 1881.
7. Joseph, born January 20, 1886.
8. Howard, born September 2, 1888, died in infancy.
9. Gertrude, born June 3, 1891.

(F1) Robert N. Wetherhold, son of John W. and Amelia (Bachman) Wetherhold, was born February 19, 1873. He married Emma Hollenbach and lived at Lyon Valley until 1905 when he moved to Allentown where he conducted a grocery store at 9th and Tilghman streets. There were four children:

1. Ray A.
2. Ernest H.
3. Clement.
4. Clair.

(G1) Ray A. Wetherhold, son of Robert N. and Emma (Hollenbach) Wetherhold, was born December 16, 1892, and died April 14, 1950. He married Elsie Koch, born January 9, 1896. He was a clerk with Bethlehem Steel Company; an excellent pianist, and from 1926 to 1931 was a theatre organist. They had the following children:

1. Ray A., Jr., born October 24, 1916.
2. Richard K., born January 25, 1918.

3. William K., born May 30, 1921.
 4. Marjorie L., born February 3, 1926.
 5. Catherine R., born December 16, 1931.
- Address: 1019 Hanover Ave., Allentown, Pa.

(H1) Ray A. Wetherhold, Jr., son of Ray A. and Elsie (Koch) Wetherhold, was born October 24, 1916. He married Elizabeth J. Pinter, born July 10, 1925. He is an insurance agent. Retired, Air Force Reserves with the rank of Major. They have two children:

1. Cheryl Ann, born January 26, 1950.
2. Ray A., III, born June 19, 1953.

Address: 1818 E. Cedar St., Allentown, Pa.

(J1) Cheryl Ann Wetherhold, daughter of Ray A. and Elizabeth J. (Pinter) Wetherhold, Jr., was born January 26, 1950. She married Joseph Petrakovich, born June 28, 1945. He is an installer for Bell Laboratories.

Address: 1116 Tilghman St., Allentown, Pa.

(H2) Richard K. Wetherhold, son of Ray A. and Elsie (Koch) Wetherhold, was born January 25, 1918. He married Lois Snyder, born March 1, 1917. Richard is a Textile Engineer with I. DuPont Inc. There are five children:

1. Joanne, born December 21, 1936.
2. James, born June 30, 1942.
3. Jane, born August 24, 1945.
4. Janet, born October 11, 1949.
5. Jeffrey, born April 12, 1962.

Address: 1910 Walnut St., Allentown, Pa.

(J1) Joanne A. Wetherhold, daughter of Richard K. and Lois (Snyder) Wetherhold, was born December 21, 1936. She married Robert A. Lucas, born June 13, 1935. He is a Professor at Lehigh University. They have four children:

1. Michael J., born December 14, 1958.
2. Elizabeth A., born December 20, 1959.
3. Leslie A., born September 24, 1963.
4. Marya C., born November 17, 1967.

Address: 2604 Walnut St., Allentown, Pa.

(J3) Jane Wetherhold, daughter of Richard K. and Lois (Snyder) Wetherhold, was born August 24, 1945. She married Clifford Cummings, a student at Cornell University, majoring in veterinary medicine. Address: 1204 Dryden Road, Ithaca, N. Y.

(H3) William Koch Wetherhold, son of Ray A. and Elsie (Koch) Wetherhold, was born May 30, 1921. He is a salesman for Electronic Computers, and is married to Carolyn Scheidel, born July 28, 1935. There are no children with this union; however, having been previously married to Mae Hobart, there are three children:

1. Bonnie Lee, born June 23, 1942.
 2. William Jr., born April 10, 1944.
 3. Joan, born January 3, 1949.
- Address: 832 Lombardy Ave., Lansdale, Pa.

(J1) Bonnie Lee Wetherhold, daughter of William K. and Mae (Hobart) Wetherhold, was born June 23, 1942. She married Marvin B. Souder, born May 21, 1941. They have the following children:

1. Kelly Ann, born April 5, 1963.
 2. Jamie, born July 21, 1964.
 3. Daneen, born February 11, 1969.
- Address: 15 Main St., Richlandtown, Pa.

(J2) William K. Wetherhold, Jr., son of William K. and Mae (Hobart) Wetherhold, was born April 10, 1944. He married Marlene Leister, born September 5, 1946. They have one child: Shani Lee, born August 14, 1967.

Address: 152 N. Hellertown Ave., Quakertown, Pa.

(J3) Joan Wetherhold, daughter of William K. and Mae (Hobart) Wetherhold, was born January 3, 1949. She married Ronald Wenholt, born September 18, 1943. They have one child: Coleen, born December 28, 1967.

Address: 393 Thatcher Road

(H4) Marjorie L. Wetherhold, daughter of Ray A. and Elsie (Koch) Wetherhold, was born February 3, 1926. She married Leige P. Opdyke, born September 16, 1923. Mr. Opdyke is a watchmaker. There are two children:

1. Lee Randall, born May 29, 1950; died May 30, 1950.
2. Karen Lee, born October 7, 1951.

Address: 816 N. Kearney St., Allentown, Pa.

(H5) Catherine R. Wetherhold, daughter of Ray A. and Elsie (Koch) Wetherhold, was born December 16, 1931. She married Kenneth Conroy, born June 12, 1929. He is an Aircraft Electronic worker. They have four children:

1. Sheri D., born August 16, 1953.
2. Kim, born August 16, 1959.
3. Theresa, born March 28, 1967.
4. Colleen, born November 2, 1968.

Address: 1060 Concord St., Costa Mesa, Calif.

(G2) Ernest H. Wetherhold, son of Robert N. and Emma (Hollenbach) Wetherhold, was born October 21, 1894. He was married to Clara M. Fry, a daughter of Harry Fry. She was born March 12, 1894; died May 14, 1967. After a long employment at Farr's Shoe store in Allentown, Ernest is now retired and lives at 316 Berger Street in Emmaus, Pa. The couple had three children:

1. Donald, born August 8, 1922.
2. Nancy Jane, born May 16, 1925.
3. Barbara Ann, born June 4, 1929.

- (H1) Donald Wetherhold, son of Ernest and Clara (Fry) Wetherhold, was born August 8, 1922, and was married to Doris Elkin. They have three children:
1. Douglas, born October 31, 1951.
 2. Dirk, born May 17, 1954.
 3. David, born November 19, 1961.
- Address: 1134 Little Lehigh Dr., Allentown, Pa.
- (H2) Nancy Jane Wetherhold, daughter of Ernest and Clara (Fry) Wetherhold, was born May 16, 1925. She was married to John McDowell. Address: 281 East Wilson St., Costa Mesa, Calif.
- (H3) Barbara Ann Wetherhold, daughter of Ernest and Clara (Fry) Wetherhold, was born June 4, 1929. She was married to Robert Traugh and now lives at 1627 Water Street, Indiana, Pa. They have two children:
1. Pamela, born June 6, 1956.
 2. Kimberly, born September 28, 1958.
- (G3) Clement Wetherhold, son of Robert N. and Emma (Hollenbach) Wetherhold, was born August 4, 1899. He married Edna Schuler. He was employed by the Heimbach Baking Company. They had three children:
1. Clement M., Jr.
 2. Robert L.
 3. Doris Edna.
- Address: 1040 Green St., Allentown, Pa.
- (H1) Clement M. Wetherhold, Jr., son of Clement and Edna (Schuler) Wetherhold, was born June 26, 1920. He married Ruth Whitebread, born March 8, 1915. There are no children.
- Address: 3334 Oxford Circle North, Allentown. Pa.
- (H2) Robert L. Wetherhold, son of Clement and Edna (Schuler) Wetherhold, was born August 1, 1922; died February 8, 1963. He married Joyce Drew, born September 25, 1926. There were two children:
1. Robert, born August 4, 1947.
 2. Brenda, born October 17, 1948.
- Address: 3842 Hamilton St., Allentown, Pa.
- (H3) Doris Edna Wetherhold, daughter of Clement and Edna (Schuler) Wetherhold, was born March 23, 1930. She married Richard Conrad, born May 21, 1929. They have three children:
1. Richard, Jr., born August 6, 1956.
 2. Carol, born October 7, 1957.
 3. Sandra, born January 14, 1960.
- Address: 729 N. 11th St., Allentown, Pa.

- (F2) Harry Ulysses Wetherhold, son of John W. and Amelia (Bachman) Wetherhold, was born October 24, 1874. He married Jennie Cook, born May 12, 1875. He was a steam shovel operator and road supervisor and lived at 417 S. Whitehall Ave., Allentown, Pa. There were ten children:

1. Herman, born March 29, 1897.
2. Roy, born June 16, 1898; died March 13, 1965.
3. Paul, born October 23, 1899.
4. Earl, born August 4, 1901; died May 5, 1951.
4. Margaret, born October 12, 1902.
6. John, died in infancy.
7. Harold, born December 28, 1907.
8. Stewart, born May 13, 1909.
9. Dorothy, born December 24, 1915.
10. Arthur, died in infancy.

- (G1) Herman Wetherhold, son of Harry U. and Jennie (Cook) Wetherhold, was born March 29, 1897. He married Edna Weaver. He served as a Timekeeper for the Lehigh Portland Cement Company at Ormrod and also as Investigator for Cedarbrook County Home. Address: 230 N. 12th St., Allentown, Pa. There were three children:

1. Leonard
2. Lois
3. Faye

- (H1) Leonard, son of Herman and Edna (Weaver) Wetherhold, was born He married Eloise Hazardeane Adams. They have two children: Leonard, Jr., born August 1, 1948; and Gary, born October 30, 1949. The family lives in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

- (H2) Lois, daughter of Herman and Edna (Weaver) Wetherhold, was born She married Woody Woodruff. They have two children. David, born October 2, 1958; and Laura, born March 4, 1961.

- (H3) Faye, daughter of Herman and Edna (Weaver) Wetherhold, was born She is unmarried.

- (G2) Roy Orlando Wetherhold, son of Harry U. and Jennie (Cook) Wetherhold, was born June 16, 1898; died March 13, 1965. He was a machinist for the Lehigh Portland Cement Company at Ormrod for some years, after which he was engaged by the Bonney Forge and Tool Company, where he remained until his retirement in 1965. He was married to Helen George. They had the following children:

1. Annie M., born May 21, 1920.
 2. Ernest Albert, born February 27, 1925.
- Address: Neffs, Pa.

- (H1) Annie M. Wetherhold, daughter of Roy Orlando and Helen (George) Wetherhold, was born May 21, 1920. Besides being a housewife for her husband Edwin Peters, she is employed in a

clothing manufacturing company. Her husband is a foreman for Bonney Forge and Tool Company, Allentown. Their address: Schnecksville, R. D. 1. They have one child: Pamela, born July 31, 1951.

- (H2) Ernest Albert Wetherhold, son of Roy Orlando and Helen (George) Wetherhold, was born February 27, 1925. He was a Sergeant in the 586th Anti-Aircraft Artillery Battalion of the United States Army from 1943 to 1946. He was married to Vera Anna Salter, born April 3, 1928. She was a hair dresser. At present both husband and wife are employed at Western Electric Company. They have the following children:
1. Diane Elaine, born March 18, 1948.
 2. Donna Lee, born February 16, 1956.
 3. Kevin Roy, born December 26, 1957.
 4. Patty Jane, born October 16, 1964.
- (J1) Diane Elaine Wetherhold, daughter of Ernest Albert and Vera Anna (Salter) Wetherhold, was born March 18, 1948. She is married to Eugene C. Weiss, born June 7, 1946. He is a plumber by trade and was a Sergeant in the U. S. Air Force with the 99th Bomb Wing of the 8th Air Force stationed at Westover Air Force Base, Mass., from 1964 to 1968. They have one child: Timothy James, born August 5, 1966. Address: R. D. 1, Slatington, Pa.
- (G3) Paul S. Wetherhold, son of Harry U. and Jennie (Cook) Wetherhold, was born October 23, 1899. He was never married. His employment consisted of Stores Clerk for Lehigh Portland Cement Company, Ormrod Plant; and Stock Clerk at Mack Truck Corporation, Allentown. Address: 1929 Ruth St., Allentown, Pa.
- (G4) Earl Cook Wetherhold, son of Harry U. and Jennie (Cook) Wetherhold, was born August 4, 1901; died May 5, 1951. He was married to Elsie Mae Klipple, born July 13, 1906. He was a painter. They had the following children:
- Address: Emmaus, R. D. 1, Pa. 18049
1. Doris M.
 2. Earl Carlton
 3. Saraellen E.
 4. Harry J. E.
 5. Laird J.
 6. Dale F.
 7. Bruce P.
 8. Wallace D.
 9. Douglas M.
- (H1) Doris M. Wetherhold, daughter of Earl C. and Elsie Mae (Klipple) Wetherhold, was born February 13, 1925. She married Captain John Glina, a pilot in the U. S. Air Force, born June 2, 1923; died September 14, 1961. Mrs. Glina was employed

as a bookkeeper until her marriage. Her address: 657 Spruce St., Emmaus, Pa. 18049. There were two children:

1. Dawn Elizabeth Glina, born December 23, 1956.
2. Gail Ann Glina, born September 16, 1958.

(H2) Earl Carlton Wetherhold, son of Earl C. and Elsie Mae (Klipple) Wetherhold, was born March 31, 1927. He married Helen Agnes Gancy, born August 8, 1931. He is an estimator with Lehigh Structural Steel Company, and lives at 309 N. 2nd Street, Emmaus, Pa. 18049. They have two children:

1. Eric Alan, born January 27, 1957.
2. Dean Jeffrey, born March 19, 1962.

(H3) Saraellen Elizabeth Wetherhold, daughter of Earl C. and Elsie Mae (Klipple) Wetherhold, was born January 2, 1929. She is a secretary for Air Products and Chemicals, Inc., and lives at Route 1, Box 239, Emmaus, Pa. 18049. She is unmarried, interested in the Wetherhold Family History and has given the writer valuable assistance.

(H4) Harry James Edward Wetherhold, son of Earl C. and Elsie Mae (Klipple) Wetherhold, was born May 28, 1931. He married Betty Lou Keller, born November 5, 1932. He served as an MP in the United States Army and in civilian life is a plumber for Wayne Feather, Inc., Emmaus, Pa. He lives at Route 1, Box 239A, Emmaus, Pa. 18049. They have four children:

1. Karen Lou, born September 22, 1953.
2. Kevin Michael, born June 5, 1957.
3. Kurt James, born April 29, 1961.
4. Kyle Harry, born March 8, 1966.

(H5) Laird John Wetherhold, son of Earl C. and Elsie Mae (Klipple) Wetherhold, was born February 21, 1935. He married Barbara Joan Matura, born April 17, 1942. He graduated from Penn State University in June, 1962, and is employed at Mack Trucks. They have the following children:

1. John Laird, born June 24, 1961.
2. Allen Christopher, born Nov. 24, 1962; died Nov. 24, 1962.
3. Christine Marie, born December 19, 1963.

(H6) Dale Franklin Wetherhold, son of Earl C. and Elsie Mae (Klipple) Wetherhold, was born January 27, 1932. He married Marlene Mae Evans, born July 20, 1935. He is employed as a welder for Morysville Body Works and lives at Route 1, Zionsville, Pa. 18092. They have three children:

1. Michael Dale, born September 17, 1952.
2. Kathy Ann, born May 11, 1958.
3. Scott Allan, born May 15, 1960.

(H7) Bruce Paul Wetherhold, son of Earl C. and Elsie Mae (Klipple) Wetherhold, was born July 6, 1937. He married Geraldine Brancadora, born March 26, 1945. He served four years in the Air Force—electronic technician. Attended Penn State University.

Employed at Bethlehem Steel Corporation in electrical maintenance. His address is 2234 South Lumber St., Allentown, Pa. 18103. They have one child: Donna Marie, born May 15, 1968.

- (H8) Wallace David Wetherhold, son of Earl C. and Elsie Mae (Klipple) Wetherhold, was born August 7, 1939. He married Jacqueline Evelyn Cooper, born October 16, 1943. He served in the Navy and is a truck driver for George Brown, Inc. Their address is: R. D. 1, Zionsville, Pa. 18092. They have the following children:

1. David Wallace, born March 2, 1964.
2. Daniel Thomas, born January 6, 1967.
3. Darren Douglas, born April 8, 1969.

- (H9) Douglas Michael Wetherhold, son of Earl C. and Elsie Mae (Klipple) Wetherhold, was born January 30, 1948. and died June 11, 1967. He attended Bloomsburg State College. He lived at Route 1, Box 239, Emmaus, Pa. 18049.

- (G5) Margaret Wetherhold, daughter of Harry U. and Jennie (Cook) Wetherhold, was born October 12, 1902. She is married to Monroe Schaadt, and they had the following children:

1. Dalton, born May 24, 1927.
2. Richard D., born May 29, 1928.

Address: 1929 Ruth Street, Allentown, Pa.

- (H1) Dalton Schaadt, son of Monroe and Margaret (Wetherhold) Schaadt, was born May 24, 1927. He is a Vice President and Senior Trust Officer of the First National Bank of Allentown. He is married to Mae Loeb. They have one child: Lisa Kay, born February 14, 1955. Address: 13 Chippewa Dr., Allentown, R. D. 3, Pa.

- (H2) Richard D. Schaadt, son of Monroe and Margaret (Wetherhold) Schaadt, was born May 29, 1928. He is Asst. Vice President and a Loan Officer of the First National Bank of Allentown. He is married to Nancy Nagy. They have three children:

1. Jennifer Carol, born January 16, 1966.
2. Susan Elizabeth, born December 19, 1967.
3. Amy Kristine, born November 30, 1968.

Address: 1517 Union Street, Allentown, Pa.

- (G6) John Wetherhold, son of Harry U. and Jennie (Cook) Wetherhold, died in infancy.

- (G7) Harold Wetherhold, son of Harry U. and Jennie (Cook) Wetherhold, was born December 28, 1907. He is a Traveling Freight Agent for Central Railroad of New Jersey. He married Miriam Reimert and had a daughter, Janice. After Miriam's death he married Marion Rex. Address: 32 N. 6th St., Allentown, Pa.

- (H1) Janice Wetherhold, daughter of Harold and Miriam (Reimert) Wetherhold, was born She married Richard Mikylychak. They have two children:
1. Lynn, born July 11, 1954.
 2. Lori, born February 27, 1959.
- (G8) Stewart Guy Wetherhold, son of Harry U. and Jennie (Cook) Wetherhold, was born May 13, 1909. He is a Teller at the First National Bank, Allentown. He married Eleanore Eberhart; they have two children. Address: 316 S. Fulton St., Allentown, Pa.
1. Ronald
 2. Joan
- (H1) Ronald Wetherhold, son of Stewart Guy and Eleanore (Eberhart) Wetherhold, was born He married Mary Frederick. They have two children:
1. Cathy, born December 27, 1960.
 2. Mark, born December 7, 1966.
- (H2) Joan Wetherhold, daughter of Stewart Guy and Eleanore (Eberhart) Wetherhold, was born She married Robert Schaffer. They have two children:
1. Foster, born September 17, 1961.
 2. David, born November 19, 1965.
- (G9) Dorothy Wetherhold, daughter of Harry U. and Jennie (Cook) Wetherhold, was born December 24, 1912. She married Eldan F. Mann, born December 31, 1912. He is an insurance agent. They have a daughter, Carol.
- (H1) Carol Mann, daughter of Eldan F. and Dorothy (Wetherhold) Mann, was born December 9, 1944. She is married to Robert Leh.
- (F3) Charles Wetherhold, son of John W. and Amelia (Bachman) Wetherhold, was born August 22, 1877. He married Gertrude Nagle. He was employed as a chauffeur. There were five children:
1. Walter
 2. Anna
 3. Ruth
 4. Katherine
 5. Naomi
- (F6) Fred Wetherhold, son of John W. and Amelia (Bachman) Wetherhold, was born December 23, 1881. He was a stationary engineer. He married Irene Kline and had one child: Marcella.
- (F7) Joseph Wetherhold, son of John W. and Amelia (Bachman) Wetherhold, was born January 20, 1886. He was a painter. He married Daisy Fenstermaker and had one child: Norwood.
- (F9) Gertrude Wetherhold, daughter of John W. and Amelia (Bachman) Wetherhold, was born June 3, 1891. She married Harry Wicand. No children.

(E8) George A. Wetherhold, son of Nathan (D1) and Polly (Mosser) Wetherhold, was born at Lyon Valley, in Lowhill Township, Lehigh County, January 17, 1866. He attended the township schools and later pursued a course of advanced study at the Allentown Business College, after which he was employed for a year as a clerk in a general store at Danville, Montour County, Pa., and then at Allentown as a clerk in the shoe department of H. Leh & Co. There he was promoted to the head of this department and filled this position for ten years, his service with this firm covering a period of twenty-one years. In 1908 Mr. Wetherhold and Owen W. Metzger organized the present firm of Wetherhold & Metzger, and conducted a successful business which is still in existence. He and his family were members of St. John's Lutheran Church, in which he served as a member of the vestry for one term. He was married on October 3, 1894 to Mary M. Daeufer, daughter of Francis and Mary (Schmucker) Daeufer, of Allentown. They had two children:

1. Marie D.
2. Leila D.

(F1) Marie D. Wetherhold, daughter of George A. and Mary M. (Daeufer) Wetherhold, married Russell Shira.

(F2) Leila D. Wetherhold, daughter of George A. and Mary M. (Daeufer) Wetherhold, married Fred Newhard.

DESCENDANTS OF ELIAS WETHERHOLD (D2)

(E1) Chester Joseph David Wetherhold, son of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born June 23, 1856; died March 2, 1932. He was married to Ida Jane Blose, daughter of David Blose and his wife Sarah Schmick. She was born September 26, 1871; died June 12, 1936. There were five children:

1. Percy Elias David
2. Blanche Ida
3. Hilda May
4. Harvey Chester
5. Frederick Blose

(F1) Percy Elias David Wetherhold, son of Chester Joseph David and Ida (Blose) Wetherhold, was born August 4, 1892, and died March 27, 1906.

(F2) Blanche Ida Wetherhold, daughter of Chester Joseph David and Ida (Blose) Wetherhold, was born July 26, 1894. On March 21, 1921, she married Edwin Jacob Zuber, a son of Jacob Zuber and his wife Emma Gerhard. Edwin was born May 21, 1898, and died August 13, 1964. Blanche lives at 521 N. 10th St., Allentown, Pa.

(F3) Hilda May Wetherhold, daughter of Chester Joseph David and Ida (Blose) Wetherhold, was born April 6, 1897; died February 17, 1898.

(F4) Harvey Chester Wetherhold, son of Chester Joseph David and Ida (Blose) Wetherhold, was born July 25, 1899. On February 26, 1921

he was married to Nathalia Isabelle Wieder, a daughter of Levi and Rebecca (Schwoyer) Wieder, born April 25, 1902. There were three children:

1. Bette Lucille
2. Donald Tilden
3. Harvey Edwin

(G1) Bette Lucille Wetherhold, daughter of Harvey Chester and Nathalia (Wieder) Wetherhold, was born July 14, 1922. She married Joseph Filipovits (born April 20, 1921) of 1740 Washington St., Northampton, and have three children:

1. Jo Ann Elizabeth, born October 8, 1947.
2. Janice, born July 19, 1949.
3. Jill Eileen, born April 21, 1954.

(H1) Jo Ann Filipovits, daughter of Joseph and Bette Lucille (Wetherhold) Filipovits, was born October 8, 1947; married Francis Csensits of Northampton. They have two children:

1. Lisa Jo, born August 7, 1964.
2. Tod Francis, born March 24, 1965

(G2) Donald Tilden Wetherhold, son of Harvey Chester and Nathalia (Wieder) Wetherhold, was born January 27, 1924. He is employed as a laboratory technician at Coplay Cement Company; married to Blodwyn Gyer of Catasauqua. His service record: MoMM 3rd Class, served in World War II. Navy Service: Pacific Theatre Ribbon, American Theatre Ribbon, Philippine Liberation Ribbon, 1 star. They live at 1040 W. Union St., Fullerton, and have three children:

1. Donald Mark, Jr., born February 17, 1960.
2. David Arthur, born July 9, 1961.
3. Robin Lyn, born September 10, 1962.

(G3) Harvey Edwin Wetherhold, son of Harvey Chester and Nathalia (Wieder) Wetherhold, was born May 8, 1927 in Allentown. He is employed as a mail clerk at Bethlehem Steel Company and is married to Betty McKeever of Catasauqua. His service record: Corporal in the Second Marine Detachment in Germany from October, 1950 until June 17, 1952. They live at 1263 Echo Drive, Fullerton, and have two children:

1. Carole Louise, born August 30, 1956.
2. Cathy Jean, born January 13, 1958.

(F5) Frederick Blose Wetherhold, son of Chester Joseph David and Ida (Blose) Wetherhold, was born November 12, 1908. On November 22, 1947 he was married to Agnes Adamcik, a daughter of Nicholas and Anna (Bartek) Adamcik, born April 3, 1915. His service record shows he was a Corporal, Field Artillery; served three years and nine months in World War II. For 19 months he was in France, Belgium, Luxembourg and Germany; balance of the time in the United States. Distinguished Citation Five Battle Star Campaign.
Address: 537 N. 16th St., Allentown, Pa.

- (E2) Mathew W. Wetherhold, son of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born 1856; died 1862.
- (E3) Mary Elizabeth Wetherhold, daughter of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born May 9, 18...; died December 6, 1862.
- (E4) Charles Azariah Wetherhold, son of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born June 23, 1862; died March 15, 1950. He was married in 1889 to Sarah Ann Leiby, born March 8, 1860; died October 6, 1948. He was brought up on his father's farm in Hynemansville in Weisenberg Township, receiving his education in the township school, and in business colleges at Allentown and Easton. At the age of 20 he was employed at farming and storekeeping at Wadsworth, Ohio, and Kempton, Pa., for three years, when he secured a position as clerk in a large hotel at Milford, Delaware; remaining there for four years. His father having died, he then returned to the homestead and conducted the farming operations until 1906, when the stock was sold and he removed to Allentown, to become a member of the firm, the Wetherhold Grocery Company, located at 212-214 North Fifth Street. While at Hynemansville he filled the office of Postmaster for ten years and was a member of the Reformed Congregation at Seiberlingsville Union Church, which he served as a Deacon. They had three children:
1. Angeline A.
 2. Ralph V.
 3. Mark A.
- (F1) Angeline A. Wetherhold, daughter of Charles A. and Sarah Ann (Leiby) Wetherhold, was born January 21, 1890. On February 24, 1945, she was married to Dr. Elmer K. Kilmer, who was born July 16, 1885, and died August 2, 1964. Angeline lives at 715 N. 9th St., Allentown, Pa.
- (F2) Ralph V. Wetherhold, son of Charles A. and Sarah Ann (Leiby) Wetherhold, was born April 28, 1893; died November 15, 1956. He was married to Annabel Kline, born October 14, 1900, and died April 7, 1951. He was remarried to Olive Kline, his first wife's sister. Ralph was a graduate of Muhlenberg College and obtained a degree from Lehigh University. He taught at Allentown High School and was faculty director of athletics there for many years, as well as recreational director of Allentown's playgrounds. Ralph and Annabel had two children:
1. Jean O.
 2. Betty
- (G1) Jean O. Wetherhold, daughter of Ralph V. and Annabel (Kline) Wetherhold, was born February 22, 1920. She was married to George Werley, born May 10, 1918. They have three sons:
1. C. George, born January 24, 1940.
 2. Ralph, born May 13, 1952.
 3. Michael, born April 28, 1954.
- (G2) Betty Wetherhold, daughter of Ralph V. and Annabel (Kline) Wetherhold, was born October 18, 1921. She was married to Winton Evans, born November 17, 1917. They have one child: Penelope, born July 20, 1944.

- (F3) Mark Andrew Wetherhold, son of Charles A. and Sarah Ann (Leiby) Wetherhold, was born November 30, 1896; died November 13, 1955. He was married to Ruby Kline, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Kline of Emmaus, Pa. Ruby was born October 27, 1900. Mark was a 2nd Lieutenant in World War I, a graduate of Muhlenberg College and taught in the Allentown Public School system for many years. They had three children. Ruby is remarried to Russell Sage Miller.
1. James Charles, born May 1, 1922.
 2. Henry Kline, born March 5, 1924.
 3. Janet Kline, born July 1, 1929.
- (G1) James Charles Wetherhold, son of Mark A. and Ruby (Kline) Wetherhold, was born May 1, 1922; married Ruth Adams, born May 5, 1923. They have one son, George Adams Wetherhold, born August 23, 1952.
- (G2) Henry Kline Wetherhold, son of Mark A. and Ruby (Kline) Wetherhold, was born March 5, 1924. He has a son, Gary H., born December 4, 1951.
- (G3) Janet Kline Wetherhold, daughter of Mark A. and Ruby (Kline) Wetherhold, was born July 1, 1929. She married Richard Buchecker Snyder, born May 5, 1928. They have four children:
1. Richard Lee Snyder, born September 22, 1950.
 2. Thomas Dale Snyder, born November 30, 1953.
 3. Susan Jane Snyder, born April 21, 1955.
 4. Jay Alan Snyder, born March 7, 1959.
- (E5) Annie E. Wetherhold, daughter of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born May 6, 1864, and died February 2, 1943. She married Wallace D. Zimmerman, born December 22, 1859, and died May 16, 1954. He was an excellent accountant and held a responsible position with several firms. He was a member of the firm of Wetherhold Grocery Company. His last position was with PP&L. They had three children:
1. Blanche Ella Zimmerman, died in infancy.
 2. Edward W. Zimmerman, born in 1894; married Margaret S. Swartwood on June 24, 1922. She died on March 16, 1968, after a very short illness which was discovered to have been caused by tuberculosis. Ed served in the U. S. Navy during World War I. He graduated from Muhlenberg College and spent most of his teaching career at Allentown High School. He is now retired but interested in cancer research. Lives at 1829 Congress Street, Allentown, Pa.
 3. Frances Zimmerman, died in infancy.
- (E6) Sylvester Wetherhold, son of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born March 5, 1866. He married Ida Lucyann Kuhns, daughter of George and Mary (Dornblaser) Kuhns, on December 25, 1886. He was reared on his father's farm at Hynemansville, Pa., and later became employed at John Bowen's grocery store in Allentown. In 1906 he became a partner in the Wetherhold Grocery Company, 212-214 N. 5th Street. After a year there he left to become a traveling salesman for the wholesale grocery firm of J. A. Eberts & Company, with warehouses in

Bethlehem, Allentown, Bangor, Easton and Scranton. He died June 20, 1936; his wife Ida, died May 20, 1942. They had nine children:

1. Amelia Mary, born June 4, 1887.
2. Warren Wallace, born April 7, 1889.
3. Sylvester, born November 25, 1890.
4. Raymond George, born March 7, 1893.
5. Paul Elias, born July 27, 1894.
6. Esther May, born September 16, 1896.
7. Edward Kuhns, born 1898, died July 29, 1899.
8. Joseph Daniel, born February 25, 1901.
9. Arline Pearl, born November 17, 1907.

(F1) Amelia Mary Wetherhold, daughter of Sylvester and Ida (Kuhns) Wetherhold, was born June 4, 1887. On December 25, 1907, she was married to Luther H. Lutz (born May 21, 1881; died November 23, 1954). Both were graduates of Kutztown State College and taught school for a time. Mr. Lutz left the teaching profession and for a short time was an insurance agent. He easily passed the examination for Railway Mail Service, where he remained until his retirement. They had five children:

1. Paul Wetherhold, born August 29, 1908.
2. John Willard, born January 20, 1912.
3. Luther Henry, Jr., born September 1, 1913.
4. Grace Harriet, born January 21, 1915.
5. Frances Ida, born December 3, 1916; died December 29, 1926.

(G1) Paul Wetherhold Lutz, son of Luther H. and Amelia (Wetherhold) Lutz, was born August 29, 1908. On June 7, 1930 he married Florence R. Moll. She was born September 2, 1908, and died October 17, 1969. Besides being a skilled musician on trombone, Paul has been a member of Trinity UCC Choir, Allentown, for many years. He has been employed in the U. S. Postal service practically since graduation from high school. They had one child: Marilyn Louise.

(H1) Marilyn Louise Lutz, daughter of Paul W. and Florence (Moll) Lutz, was born November 21, 1933. On August 30, 1953 she was married to Irwin T. Edgar. Both are graduates of Kutztown State College. Mr. Edgar is Science Education Advisor, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Public Instruction. They have two children:

1. Paula Jane, born August 7, 1955.
2. Michelle Kay, born October 14, 1957.

(G2) John Willard Lutz, son of Luther H. and Amelia (Wetherhold) Lutz, was born January 20, 1912. On November . . ., 1936 he married Hazel Marie Puckett, born May 16, 1918. They reside in Baltimore and have one child: Patricia Carol.

(H1) Patricia Carol Lutz, daughter of John W. and Hazel (Puckett) Lutz, was born June 4, 1941. On September 5, 1959, she married

David V. Ankeny. They had one child: John David, born September 2, 1960.

- (G3) Luther Henry Lutz, Jr., son of Luther H. and Amelia (Wetherhold) Lutz, was born September 1, 1913. On April 8, 1939 he married Evelyn D. Kuhns, born January 28, 1918. They have four children:
1. Ralph F., born January 11, 1942.
 2. Linda Lee, born August 13, 1947.
 3. Luther Henry, III, born June 27, 1950.
 4. John Paul, born December 5, 1953.
- (H1) Ralph F. Lutz, son of Luther H., Jr., and Evelyn (Kuhns) Lutz, born January 11, 1942, was married to Nancy Wilson on December 2, 1961. She was born November 25, 1940. They have two children:
1. Kelly Ann, born August 27, 1962.
 2. Scott David, born September 26, 1963.
- (G4) Grace Harriet Lutz, daughter of Luther H. and Amelia (Wetherhold) Lutz, was born January 21, 1915; was married December 25, 1932, to Richard G. Green, born October 18, 1904. They have two children:
1. Richard G., Jr., born January 24, 1934.
 2. Dorothy M., born June 27, 1938.
- (H1) Richard G. Green, Jr., son of Richard G. and Grace H. (Lutz) Green, was born January 24, 1934; married on June 9, 1962, to Valerie M. Pearson of Manchester, England. They have two children:
1. Frank Daniel, born January 14, 1964.
 2. Jennifer Ann, born June 13, 1969.
- (H2) Dorothy M. Green, daughter of Richard G. and Grace H. (Lutz) Green, was born June 27, 1938; married on March 24, 1956, to William W. Baines. They have two children:
1. William W., Jr., born April 20, 1959.
 2. Christopher Michael, born June 8, 1965.
- (F2) Warren Wallace Wetherhold, son of Sylvester and Ida (Kuhns) Wetherhold, was born April 7, 1889. For a year after graduating from eighth grade in the public schools of Allentown he was employed at the W. R. Lawfer & Co. Department Store (now Zollinger-Harned). He obtained employment at the Bethlehem Steel Company where, aided by a course with International Correspondence School, he moved from machinist apprentice, step by step until he became lay-out foreman. At the request of the company he passed up regular retirement age and remained until he had put in 50 years. He married Elsie E. Frederick, and had two children. Address: 28 N. 11th St., Allentown, Pa.
1. Mary A.
 2. Frederick W.

- (G1) Mary A. Wetherhold, daughter of Warren Wallace and Elsie (Frederick) Wetherhold, was born November 2, 1916. She became a registered nurse, graduating from Allentown Hospital School of Nursing. Through an unfortunate marriage she was left with a son, Edward F. Nickles, born July 27, 1931. She is married to Walter W. Miller, born March 10, 1910.
- (H1) Edward F. Nickles, son of Edward and Mary A. (Wetherhold) Nickles, was born July 27, 1931. He married Mazie White, born April 21, They have five children:
1. Roslyn, born August 15, 1956.
 2. Geoffrey, born July 14, 1960.
 3. Mary, born November 9, 1961.
 4. Keith, born February 7, 1963.
 5. Kenneth, born June 1, 1964.
- (G2) Frederick W. Wetherhold, son of Warren Wallace and Elsie (Frederick) Wetherhold, was born May 28, 1924. He is employed with the Bell Telephone Company in Reading, Pa. He married Eleanor Tressler, born April 19, 1916. They have one child: Karen.
- (H1) Karen Wetherhold, daughter of Frederick and Eleanor (Tressler) Wetherhold, was born June 25, 1947. She is married to Robert Haucisen. They have a son: Nathan.
- (F3) Sylvester Wetherhold, son of Sylvester and Ida (Kuhns) Wetherhold, was born November 25, 1890. In 1913 he married Marguerite Alice McGourty of Plattsburgh, N. Y. She was born March 17, 1891 and died February 28, 1969. When quite young, Sylvester entered the employment of Searle and Dressler, Allentown, as an apprentice printer, and later with Berkemeyer & Keck, then located at 9th & Hamilton streets. He enrolled with the Empire Linotype School in New York. Several years of moving from one firm to another gained him the experience he needed. He was a linotype machinist operator, and was for many years mechanical superintendent of *The Saratogian*, a daily paper at Saratoga Springs, New York, where he now lives in retirement. He is one of the guiding hands in the publishing of this book.
- (F4) Raymond George Wetherhold, son of Sylvester and Ida (Kuhns) Wetherhold, was born March 7, 1893. In 1919 he married Lillian (Eliza Ann) Edwards, born September 13, 1895, in Liverpool, England. In 1908 was one of the original members of the Young America Band of Allentown. He became interested in writing music as a hobby, first duets, then quartets and finally for full band. His "Salute To Allentown" march was twice broadcast by Paul Lavalie and His Band of America. Another march, "Allentown Fair Centennial" was used as background music for a circus act on the Ed Sullivan show which emanated in Germany. For almost forty years he has been a member of the Allentown Band, and quite a number of years in the Allentown Symphony Orchestra. In 1907 he followed his brother's footsteps and started to learn the printing trade with H. Ray Haas & Company, Allentown. Moving from one operation to another, he also

became a linotype machinist-operator. There were three children:

1. Betty Janet, born November 15, 1920.
2. Kenneth Edwards, born November 20, 1924.
3. Raymond Sylvester, born December 25, 1932.

Address: 101 E. Elm St., Emmaus, Pa. 18049

- (G1) Betty Janet Wetherhold, daughter of Raymond G. and Lillian (Edwards) Wetherhold, was born November 15, 1920. She was married to Charles J. Kline, Jr., a former lieutenant in the Navy Air Force. She is a graduate of East Stroudsburg State College where she was editor of "The Stroud" (yearbook) in her senior year. Presently she is a Phys Ed instructor at Southern Lehigh. They have four children:

1. Sharon Lee, born October 3, 1946, a graduate of Kutztown State College.
2. Carter Kenneth, born August 18, 1950.
3. Tracey Louise, born August 24, 1956.
4. Andrea Jane, born April 23, 1958.

Address: 169 Jefferson St., Emmaus, Pa. 18049

- (G2) Kenneth Edwards Wetherhold, son of Raymond G. and Lillian (Edwards) Wetherhold, was born November 20, 1924. He is a veteran of World War II, with three years service in the Signal Corps, two of which were in the Pacific area (Okinawa and Korea). He married Alice Cullen of Mahanoy City, Pa., a registered nurse. She holds a responsible position in a mental institution in California. Kenneth is proficient in electronics. There are no children.
Address: 449 So. Pampas Ave., Rialto, California.

- (G3) Raymond Sylvester Wetherhold, son of Raymond G. and Lillian (Edwards) Wetherhold, was born December 25, 1932. He is a salesman for Belknap Hardware and Manufacturing Company of Louisville, Kentucky, in the Delaware area. His hobbies are flying and music; plays clarinet and saxophone very well. He married Virginia Crump of Louisville, Kentucky, born January 15, 1931. They have four children:

1. Christopher George, born April 11, 1953.
2. Donna Lee, born January 21, 1955.
3. Laura Ann, born February 15, 1957.
4. Vickey Lynn, born April 17, 1963.

Address: R. D. 2, Harrington, Delaware 19952

- (F5) Paul Elias Wetherhold, son of Sylvester and Ida (Kuhns) Wetherhold, was born July 27, 1894. He is a veteran of World War I and was in training at Petersburg, Virginia, at the time of the armistice and consequently never saw service overseas. He was never married. He was a linotype operator for H. Ray Haas & Company. Due to impaired eyesight he was accepted at Phoebe-Devitt Home in 1968. Paul was one of the original members of the Young America Band, organized in June, 1908, in Allentown.

- (F6) Esther May Wetherhold, daughter of Sylvester and Ida (Kuhns) Wetherhold, was born September 16, 1896. On January 6, 1916, she was married to Ramon P. J. Rabenold, born February 26, 1893; died October 17, 1959. They had the following children:
1. Ruth Esther, born August 21, 1916.
 2. Richard Sylvester, born November 30, 1918; killed in Service during Battle of the Bulge, World War II, on January 16, 1945.
 3. Lois Alice, born February 18, 1928.
- (G1) Ruth Esther Rabenold, daughter of Ramon P. J. and Esther May (Wetherhold) Rabenold, born August 21, 1916. On September 7, 1942 she was married to Robert Kenneth Buchert (born March 22, 1917). He is a son of Charles and Mabel (Schoemaker) Buchert. They had the following children:
1. R. Kenneth, born September 25, 1944.
 2. JoAnne, born September 23, 1946.
- (H1) Robert Kenneth Buchert, Jr., son of Robert Kenneth and Ruth Buchert, was born September 25, 1944. On September 16, 1962, he was married to Fay Paulus (born May 23, 1946) daughter of Wilbur and Mary Paulus. They have two children:
1. Terri Lee, born March 19, 1963.
 2. Valerie Lynn, born November 9, 1964.
- (G2) Richard Sylvester Rabenold, son of Ramon P. J. and Esther May (Wetherhold) Rabenold, was born November 30, 1918. He was killed in Action, January 16, 1945 at Sterpigny, Belgium. On September 27, 1941 he was married to Mildred Sevilla Shafer (born March 20, 1920), daughter of Perry M. and Sevilla E. (Weber) Shafer. On August 23, 1947, his widow was married to James E. Miller, son of Alderman Thomas Miller. The Rabenolds had two children:
1. Richard Thomas Rabenold, born March 24, 1942.
 2. Carole Ann Rabenold, born May 17, 1943.
- (H1) Richard Thomas Rabenold
- (H2) Carole Ann Rabenold, daughter of Richard S. and Mildred S. (Shafer) Rabenold, was born May 17, 1943 in Allentown. On October 3, 1964, she was married to Ronald Beck. They have one child: Linda Jean, born March 12, 1965.
- (G3) Lois Alice Rabenold, daughter of Ramon P. J. and Esther May (Wetherhold) Rabenold, was born February 18, 1928. On July 28, 1948, she was married to Charles W. Kimble, Jr. (born December 3, —), son of Charles W. Kimble, Sr., and his wife Carrie E. (Ruth) Kimble. They had three children:
1. Brian Jay, born December 15, 1948.
 2. Barbara Jane, born June 12, 1950.
 3. Alice Ruth, born March 18, 1959.
- (F8) Joseph Daniel Wetherhold, son of Sylvester and Ida (Kuhns) Wetherhold, was born February 25, 1901. He married Ethel Lillian Smith, born December 1, 1909. Joe learned the trade of watchmaking with

his uncle, E. H. Wetherhold (E7) and several years after the death of the latter, went with Kay Jewelry Company. The couple had two children:

1. Joseph John Wetherhold
2. Bruce Smith Wetherhold

Address: 1113 Turner St., Allentown, Pa.

- (G1) Joseph John Wetherhold, son of Joseph Daniel and Ethel (Smith) Wetherhold, was born November 2, 1933. Not married. Jack, as he is best known, served three years in the United States Army, 50 percent of the time in Alaska. He is a graduate of CREI of Washington, D. C., with a degree in electronics and is employed at this time (1969) by Mitchell TV Service of Allentown, Pa.

Address: 1113 Turner St., Allentown, Pa.

- (G2) Bruce Smith Wetherhold, son of Joseph Daniel and Ethel (Smith) Wetherhold, was born April 12, 1936. He married Donna Peffer, of Altoona, Pa., born May 21, 1942. Bruce holds a B.S. degree in Physical Education from Lock Haven State College and is a member of the faculty at Kutztown State College. He served four years in the United States Navy at various bases in the Pacific, including six months on the Aircraft Carrier "Midway." He is working on a master's degree. They have two children:

1. Scott Allen, born June 17, 1964.
2. Keith, born June 21, 1967.

Address: 1026 Chew St., Allentown, Pa.

- (F9) Arline Pearl Wetherhold, daughter of Sylvester and Ida (Kuhns) Wetherhold, was born November 17, 1907. She married Paul Samuel Gerhart, born January 14, 1904, son of Samuel L. and Hattie M. (Diehl) Gerhart. There were three children:

1. Donald Homer Gerhart
2. Marian Arline Gerhart
3. Paul Samuel Gerhart, II

- (G1) Donald Homer Gerhart, son of Paul Samuel and Arline Pearl (Wetherhold) Gerhart, was born July 16, 1929. He married Ann Dreibelbies, daughter of Ralph and Anna (Sensenig) Dreibelbies. They have one child: Stephanie Ann Gerhart, born December 26, 1967. Address: 12037 Ridge Rd., Largo, Florida.

- (G2) Marian Arline Gerhart, daughter of Paul Samuel and Arline Pearl (Wetherhold) Gerhart, was born April 27, 1931. She married Orin Richard Atherton, Jr., born June 21, 1929, son of Orin Atherton. There are no children. Address: Corning, California.

- (G3) Paul Samuel Gerhart II, son of Paul Samuel and Arline Pearl (Wetherhold) Gerhart, was born June 20, 1940. He married Barbara Kay Borger, daughter of Calvin and Myrtle (Green) Borger. They have two children:

1. Scott Hamilton Gerhart, born October 2, 1963.
2. Cherita Marie Gerhart, born November 29, 1966.

Address: Allentown, Pa.

- (E7) Edward H. Wetherhold, son of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born July 2, 1867, at Hynemansville, in Weisenberg Township and there attended the public school. He entered his father's store (general store and post office) at that place and served as a clerk until he was 17 years of age, when he learned the trade of jeweler at Hamburg, Berks County. After working at his trade for several years at different places, he embarked in the jewelry business for himself at Allentown in 1890 and carried it on with increasing success. He was first located on North 7th Street and in 1895 moved to 738 Hamilton Street. In 1906 he purchased the premises at 723 Hamilton Street where he remained until his death, which occurred on January 26, 1927, aged 59 years, 5 months and 24 days. In 1900 he married Anna Caroline Lawfer, daughter of William R. and Hannah (Kleppinger) Lawfer. She was born October 15, 1873 and died January 24, 1941. Her father was the founder of the W. R. Lawfer Department Store at 6th and Hamilton Streets, now the Zollinger-Harned Company. They had two sons:
1. William Elias.
 2. John Ellis, born October 14, 1902; died November 2, 1909.
- (F1) William Elias Wetherhold, son of Edward H. and Anna Caroline (Lawfer) Wetherhold, was born August 14, 1901. He married Lillian Viola Erich on June 17, 1926, a daughter of George Franklin and May A. (Newhard) Erich. Her father was in the building supplies business in Allentown and also served a term as Mayor of the City of Allentown. Lillian was born January 9, 1902. They have three children:
1. Edward Erich, born April 1, 1927.
 2. George Erich, born June 29, 1929.
 3. Anna May, born August 29, 1932.
- (G1) Edward Erich Wetherhold, son of William E. and Lillian V. (Erich) Wetherhold, born April 1, 1927; married Faye Schaffer on September 20, 1958. She was born July 21, 1931, a daughter of Helen Schaffer of Catasauqua. They have two children:
1. Millicent Ann, born October 5, 1960.
 2. Wendy Erich, born January 1, 1962.
- (G2) George Erich Wetherhold, son of William E. and Lillian V. (Erich) Wetherhold, was born June 29, 1929.
- (G3) Anna May Wetherhold, daughter of William E. and Lillian V. (Erich) Wetherhold, was born August 29, 1932.
- (E8) Ella S. Wetherhold, daughter of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born April 19, 1869; died March 12, 1933. Unmarried, she devoted her life assisting her brother Edward in the jewelry business.
- (E9) William F. Wetherhold, son of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born June 14, 1870; died August 2, 1937. Through an accident on his father's farm at the age of 12 he became a mental patient. During the writer's boyhood we remember him as an occasional visitor. He seemed kind, and good, but he preferred to remain at the State institution, where he died.
- (E10) George D. Wetherhold, son of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born 1873. He died in childhood.

(C3) George Wetherhold, the third son of John (B1) was born February 17, 1801, in Lynn Township, and died October 4, 1869. He was married to Elizabeth Rinker, daughter of Abraham Rinker. She was born December 28, 1803, and died November 11, 1881. Mr. Wetherhold learned the trade of tailor, which he carried on for a time. He removed to Allentown and conducted a hotel business for upward of thirty years, at the northwest corner of 7th and Hamilton streets for six years, (known as The Eagle Hotel), and then on the southeast corner of 7th and Walnut streets for 25 years. His prominence led to his election as Sheriff of the county in 1841, and his re-election in 1844. During his service of six years his residence was in the County prison, the office of prison warden not yet having been created. They had twelve children:

1. Charles
2. William
3. George
4. Henry H., 1836-1838
5. Allen J., 1842-1862
6. Moulten
7. Matilda, married Albert Biehl.
8. Eliza, died young.
9. Sarah, married Levi Martin and died April 28, 1911, aged 79 years.
10. Ann, married Jonathan Barrall.
11. Emma, married William Beck.
12. Mary, 1830-1855.

(D3) George Wetherhold, the third son of George (C3), was born in Lynn Township. He learned the trade of cigar maker, which he followed for a time at Rahway, N. J., until 1861, when he removed to Allentown. He was married to Catharine Swartz, who died in 1909, at the age of 85 years. His remains were interred in the Union Cemetery at Allentown, but hers in the Fairview Cemetery. They had seven children:

1. George
2. Winfield
3. Richard
4. Sydney
5. Wharton
6. Ida, who was accidentally burned to death while still young.
7. Minerva, died in infancy.

(E1) George M. Wetherhold, eldest son of George Jr. (D3) was born at Rahway, N. J., July 1, 1861, and in his infancy accompanied his parents to Allentown, where he received his education in the public schools. He learned the trade of barber, but followed this trade for only a year, when he removed to Chicago, Ill., where he learned the trade of pretzel baker, which he carried on for seven years. He then returned to Allentown (1888) and embarked in the local express business, which he conducted very successfully, at one time employing nine men and twelve horses. In politics he was a Republican. On July 30, 1881 he was married to Mary Newhard, daughter of David and Martha (Heimbach) Newhard.

She died August 6, 1898, aged 37 years. On December 24, 1907 he married as his second wife, Elizabeth M. Lafey, daughter of Jeremiah and Emma (Gilbert) Lafey, of Klinesville, Berks County.

ANOTHER BRANCH OF THE FAMILY

Some years ago, as we were gathering data on the Wetherhold Family, one of my sons who is living in Delaware informed me that there is another Wetherhold in the telephone directory besides his name. On my next trip to Delaware, we drove 20 miles to Seaford to see Mr. William Wetherhold. He had gone to pick up a son who was to be brought home from college, so we missed meeting him, but his wife gave us some information, and later we had a letter from "Bill." He said his sister, a retired school teacher would be able to give us more information than he could.

We got in touch with Miss Katharine A. Wetherhold (his sister) who was in Maine at the time. She wrote us a very nice letter; however, she did admit that the information she could give was very limited as they were not a "clannish" family. She remembered going to reunions in Kutztown and Allentown.

Following is the information we received. Maybe someone can enlighten us further.

- (A1) Oscar Benjamin Wetherhold, born October 4, 1854. He was an active Mason and held political offices in Reading, Pa. He married Mary Alice Reinoehl. There were two children:
 - 1. Florence
 - 2. William Reinoehl
- (B1) Florence Wetherhold, daughter of Oscar Benjamin and Mary Alice (Reinoehl) Wetherhold, was born January 18, 1880. She married L. Ed. Riegel. There were two children:
 - 1. Robert (Riegel) was a professor of History at Dartmouth and has retired. No children.
 - 2. Oscar (Riegel) married Jane, a musician from Philadelphia, had five children and possibly grandchildren. Oscar is a professor of Journalism at Washington and Lee University. He studied at the Sorbonne and believed to have been in Intelligence in Europe during World War II.
- (B2) William Reinoehl Wetherhold, son of Oscar Benjamin and Mary Alice (Reinoehl) Wetherhold, was born April 6, 1899. He married Florence R. Moyer. He is a graduate of Peirce Business School. There were three children:
 - 1. Dr. John M.
 - 2. Katharine A.
 - 3. William David

- (C1) Dr. John M. Wetherhold, son of William Reinoehl and Florence R. (Moyer) Wetherhold, was medical director of the DuPont Plant at Carney's Point, New Jersey. He died October, 1964, aged 58.
- (C2) Katharine A. Wetherhold, daughter of William Reinoehl and Florence R. (Moyer) Wetherhold, was unmarried. No date of birth given. In 1965 she retired from teaching after 39 years of service. Her home is in Reading, Pa.
- (C3) William David Wetherhold, son of William Reinoehl and Florence R. (Moyer) Wetherhold, was born April 28, 1916. There are several children. Address: R. D. 1, Seaford, Delaware.

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DESCENDANTS OF

JOSEPH WETHERHOLD

GREAT GRANDSON OF

CAPT. JOHN JACOB WETHERHOLT

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Foreword

It is just a little more than a year since we went to press with the first edition of "The Wetherhold Family" booklet. We realized that our information should have been more complete, and could have been, with a little greater effort; but, not being a professional historian, we were very grateful for any help we could get.

After the book was printed we immediately began correcting mistakes and gathering information for another printing, which of course was an uncertainty at the time.

On August 5th, the undersigned made a trip to Doylestown where we visited the Bucks County Historical Society Museum and Library. In the library Saraellen found a book written by Professor Daniel Rupp. Among the ship arrivals she found the following:

"October 22, 1754 — Ship Halifax, Thomas Coatam, Captain, from Rotterdam, last from Corves — inhabitants from Wurtemberg, Hesse, Franconia, and the Palatinate." Then came a list of the passengers, among them was J. Jacob Wetherholt. We did not see the name John Nicholas Wetherholt.

While gathering material for the first book, we had letters from members of two different branches of the family who expressed the belief that we came from Holland. We think perhaps they were confused with the fact that the ship sailed from Holland.

We are making an effort to find members of the Wetherhold family in Illinois, but so far have been unsuccessful.

We have, however, made some progress locally. We have found the burial place of Nathan and Polly Wetherhold, as well as our progenitor, Joseph, and his wife Sarah.

Further investigation led us to what is believed to have been the Wetherhold Homestead in Lyon Valley. Oliver Kressley of Lowhill Township informed us that he was personally acquainted with Robert N. Wetherhold, who left the homestead in 1905 to open a store at 9th and Tilghman streets in Allentown; and that he was the last member of the family to live there.

We spoke to the present owner, Mr. Carl Lenz, who told us that the proposed Trexler Dam will put most of the homestead under water. This is to be regretted, because, having seen the place, we realize what a beautiful spot it must have been. Back of the house (or to the east) possibly 200 yards away there is a creek, flowing freely, and immediately beyond, a steep wooded hillside.

All the reports state there was a tannery at the homestead. Mr. Kressley says there was a creamery there. When this transition took place is a mystery. Robert N. Wetherhold's father, John W., we are told, was a tanner in Lyon Valley and a farmer in Balliettsville.

We are inclined to believe the tannery to have been a fact. Perhaps the following incident which occurred when we started the printing trade back in 1907, will help to get you on our side.

In the early days of my apprenticeship I worked with Mr. Milton P. Haas, father of H. Ray Haas, founder of the firm. One day, during conversation, he was curious as to where my parents lived before moving to Allentown. I told him my father was raised in Hynemansville. He suggested that probably he was related to the Wetherholds who had the tannery near there. Before joining his son in the printing business, Mr. Haas had been a salesman for Allentown Shoe Manufacturing Company, and later the Philip Schneider Shoe Company; his territory covering Pennsylvania and four adjacent States. So it is quite possible that he had first hand knowledge of the Wetherhold Tannery.

After the first printing of "The Wetherhold Family" booklet we realized how little we knew of the burial places of our ancestors. The more we thought about it the more curious we became; so, on a Sunday afternoon we took a trip to Lowhill Church, believing this the most logical place to commence our search. Our hunch was correct, as we discovered first, the graves of Nathan and Polly Wetherhold. After taking several pictures we continued our search and not too far away we found the graves of Joseph and Sarah, parents of Nathan and Elias. However, for some unknown reason there is a grave between that of Joseph and Sarah. This may have been the result of a second marriage. Angeline Wetherhold Kilmer says Joseph was a wealthy man but a second marriage after Sarah died removed his wealth from the family.

The stone at Joseph's grave is not the original one, which indicates that someone has shown an interest in marking the spot, and had the old stone replaced with one more modern.

The graves of John W. Wetherhold and his wife Amelia, nee Bachman, as well as several of their children, are also located at Lowhill Church.

Since Heidelberg Church is less than a mile from Lowhill, we searched both cemeteries there, but found no Wetherhold buried on either one.

We hope you will find this book a little more interesting than the first edition.

Saraellen E. Wetherhold
Ray G. Wetherhold

January, 1971

The Wetherhold Family

ON October 22, 1754, there arrived at Philadelphia two brothers named John Nicholas and John Jacob Wetherholt. They had probably both seen military service in Germany, as they entered the army of the province soon after their arrival.

(1) John Nicholas Wetherholt was born in 1724 and on December 21, 1755, was commissioned captain in the First Battalion of the Second Pennsylvania Regiment. He was in command of Fort Everett during the French and Indian war and the muster roll of his company is given in the chapter relating to that war. In 1762 he resided in Heidelberg Township, where he was taxed in 1764 on seventy acres of land.

(2) John Jacob Wetherholt was born in 17... He was commissioned a Lieutenant in Major Parson's town guard on December 21, 1755, and in April, 1756, was stationed at Deitz Blockhouse. On September 21, 1756 he was commissioned captain, and on September 2, 1757, was paid 88 pounds, 6s, 6d. for enlisting fifty-three men in the provincial service. He was a man of undaunted courage and believed that he was invulnerable to bullets. He remained in the provincial service and on October 7, 1763, left Bethlehem with Lieutenant Jonathan Dodge, Sergeant Laurence McGuire and a small party of soldiers on the way to Fort Allen. The party stopped for the night at the tavern of John Stenton, about a mile north of Howertown, in the Irish settlement.

Early next morning, October 8th, Captain Wetherhold ordered one of his men to get his horse ready and as he opened the door he was shot and instantly killed by a party of Indians who had surrounded the tavern. Captain Wetherhold then went to the door and was mortally wounded. The sergeant then attempted to pull in the Captain and shut the door, but was dangerously wounded. The Lieutenant succeeded in closing the door, but meanwhile other Indians shot Stenton, the landlord, through a window, who ran a mile and then dropped dead. Captain Wetherhold crawled to a window and shot an Indian dead, who was about to set fire to the house. The other Indians then took their comrade's body and left, going toward the Lehigh. On the way they killed several persons and crossing the river into Whitehall township, killed or wounded fifteen or twenty persons, a full account of which is given in the chapter on the massacre of 1763.

A few hours later the news reached Bethlehem and a small armed force was sent to bring in the wounded men for surgical treatment. Captain Wetherhold died the next day, October 9, 1763, at the Crown Inn and was buried on the 10th in the graveyard that was located near Second and Ottawa streets, South Bethlehem.

Captain Wetherhold resided in Lynn township, where his widow, Susanna, and his three children, resided in 1764 on a tract of 150 acres, which he owned. In 1766 his widow married Michael Kern. His children were:

1. Jacob
2. Susanna
3. Catharine

NATHAN WIEDERHOLD + wife
 MARIA MOSSER baptized
 WEISSBERGER
 UNION

JAMES ALLEN
 b. 10 JUN 1858 SPANISH
 bp 17 JUL 1858 JOHANN MOSSER
 & REBECCA

PETER WEELEYsch MARY EMMA b 17 Apr 1861
 5 MAY 1861

JOEL HAAS + LYPHIA'S
 DAD
 Amelia m. Elias Olney

- (A1) Jacob Wetherhold, son of Captain John Jacob and his wife Susanna. We have no information on the family of Jacob, other than he had a son: John.
- (B1) John Wetherhold, son of Jacob (A1), of whom tradition says that on a certain occasion he rode away on a white horse and never returned, having doubtless been killed by Indians. His widow later sold the land and removed from the township. They had three sons.
1. Joseph.
 2. William, who settled in Illinois, married a Miss Boyer and had a daughter named Ella.
 3. George.
- (C1) Joseph Wetherhold, son of John Wetherhold (B1) was born January 17, 1794 and died July 19, 1865. He married Sarah Acker, born January 24, 1796 and died July 6, 1858; they were buried at Lowhill Church Cemetery. He was a farmer and tanner, and the owner of the homestead. He later removed to Allentown, where he resided at the northeast corner of 11th and Hamilton streets. There were four children:
1. Nathan, born November 30, 1817; died July 16, 1891.
 2. Anna, born October 5, 1819, died February 16, 1906, married Joseph Kline.
 3. Elias, born February 12, 1826; died May 4, 1888.
 4. Lydia, married Joel Haas.
- (D1) Nathan Wetherhold, son of Joseph and Sarah (Acker) Wetherhold, was born November 30, 1817, and died July 16, 1891. He married Polly, daughter of John and Sophia (Ebert) Mosser, of Mosserville. She was born April 22, 1821 and died October 3, 1890. They were buried on Lowhill Church cemetery. Nathan was a farmer and tanner at Lyon Valley. They had eight children:
1. Araminta, married Peter Werley.
 2. Helena, married D. Frank Knerr.
 3. Sarah S., married John A. Knerr.
 4. Aquila, married Francis A. Peter.
 5. John W., of Ballietsville, who married Amelia Bachman.
 6. Ida, married Charles Boger. Had a daughter, Helen.
 7. James A., married Alice Peter.
 8. George A.
- (D3) Elias Wetherhold, son of Joseph and Sarah (Acker) Wetherhold, was born February 12, 1826, in Lowhill Township. He was reared on his father's farm and became a merchant in Hynemansville, where he successfully carried on business for forty years, and was postmaster for over thirty years. Sometime during the 1870's he was granted 160 acres of land by the government in the vicinity of Iola, Kansas. He took his oldest son, Chester, with him to Kansas to fulfill government regulations, after which he leased the farm to a tenant. In 1904, Sylvester, another son, was sent by the family to Kansas to investigate conditions on the farm. Oil wells had sprung up in that part of Kansas but no oil was discovered

on the Wetherhold property, and after some fifty years of ownership it was sold. Elias was married to Amelia E., daughter of David and Magdalena (Neff) Stein, born September 14, 1831. Elias died on May 4, 1888 and was buried at Seiberlingsville. His wife, Amelia, died in Allentown on November 29, 1918 and was buried on Greenwood Cemetery. Later his body was exhumed, as were also those of three of their children who had died in infancy, and placed beside that of his wife on Greenwood. They had ten children:

1. Chester Joseph David
2. Mathew M., born June 2, 1858; died December 20, 1862.
3. Mary Elizabeth, born May 19, 1860; died December 6, 1862.
4. Charles Azariah
5. Annie E.
6. Sylvester
7. Edward H.
8. Ella S.
9. William F.
10. George D.

DESCENDANTS OF NATHAN WETHERHOLD (D1)

(E5) John W. Wetherhold, son of Nathan and Polly (Mosser) Wetherhold, was born in 1853 and died May 19, 1917. He was married to Amelia Bachman, born February 23, 1854. During his life he was a tanner in Lyon Valley and a farmer in Ballietsville, the latter being recorded as his address. There were ten children:

1. Robert N., born February 19, 1873.
2. Harry Ulysses, born October 24, 1874.
3. Charles, born August 22, 1877.
4. Steward, born May 29, 1879, died June 30, 1881.
5. Allen James, born December 9, 1880; died September 13, 1882; aged 1 year, 9 months, 4 days.
6. Fred, born December 23, 1881.
7. Joseph, born January 20, 1886.
8. Howard H., born July 12, 1888; died August 26, 1889; aged 1 year, 1 month, 14 days.
9. Gertrude, born June 3, 1891.
10. Sady May, born November 23, 1897; aged 21 days.

(F1) Robert N. Wetherhold, son of John W. and Amelia (Bachman) Wetherhold, was born February 19, 1873. He married Emma Hollenbach and lived at Lyon Valley until 1905 when he moved to Allentown where he conducted a grocery store at 9th and Tilghman streets. There were four children:

1. Ray A.
2. Ernest H.
3. Clement.
4. Clair.

(G1) Ray A. Wetherhold, son of Robert N. and Emma (Hollenbach) Wetherhold, was born December 16, 1892, and died April 27, 1950.

He married Elsie Koch, born January 9, 1896. He was a clerk with Bethlehem Steel Company; an excellent pianist, and from 1926 to 1931 was a theatre organist. They had the following children:

1. Ray A., Jr., born October 24, 1916.
2. Richard K., born January 25, 1918.
3. William K., born May 30, 1921.
4. Marjorie L., born February 3, 1926.
5. Catherine R., born December 16, 1931.
6. Mary Ann, born January 2, 1934, died January 31, 1934.

Address: 1019 Hanover Ave., Allentown, Pa.

- (H1) Ray A. Wetherhold, Jr., son of Ray A. and Elsie (Koch) Wetherhold, was born October 24, 1916. He married Elizabeth J. Pinter, born July 10, 1925. He is an insurance agent. Retired, Air Force Reserves with the rank of Major. They have two children:

1. Cheryl Ann, born January 26, 1950.
2. Ray A., III, born June 19, 1953.

Address: 1818 E. Cedar St., Allentown, Pa.

- (J1) Cheryl Ann Wetherhold, daughter of Ray A. and Elizabeth J. (Pinter) Wetherhold, Jr., was born January 26, 1950. She married Joseph Petrakovich, born June 28, 1945. He is chief inspector in research development at Spinlon, Inc., Quakertown, Pa. Address: 710 N. 6th St., Allentown, Pa.

- (H2) Richard K. Wetherhold, son of Ray A. and Elsie (Koch) Wetherhold, was born January 25, 1918. He married Lois Snyder, born March 1, 1917. Richard is a Quality Control Engineer with I. DuPont Inc. There are five children:

1. Joanne, born December 21, 1936.
2. James, born June 30, 1942.
3. Jane, born August 24, 1945.
4. Janet, born October 11, 1949.
5. Jeffrey, born April 12, 1962.

Address: 1910 Walnut St., Allentown, Pa.

- (J1) Joanne A. Wetherhold, daughter of Richard K. and Lois (Snyder) Wetherhold, was born December 21, 1936. She married Robert A. Lucas, born June 13, 1935. He is a Professor at Lehigh University. They have four children:

1. Michael J., born December 14, 1958.
2. Elizabeth A., born December 20, 1959.
3. Leslie A., born September 24, 1963.
4. Marya C., born November 17, 1967.

Address: 2604 Walnut St., Allentown, Pa.

- (J3) Jane Wetherhold, daughter of Richard K. and Lois (Snyder) Wetherhold, was born August 24, 1945. She married Clifford Cummings, a student at Cornell University, majoring in veterinary medicine. Address: 1204 Dryden Road, Ithaca, N. Y.

- (J4) Janet Wetherhold, daughter of Richard K. and Lois (Snyder) Wetherhold, was born October 11, 1949. On August 4, 1970, she married William Stanley, born September 20, 1949. He attended Lehigh Community College. The couple is now living in Taiwan, where he is in the U. S. Navy, Seaman C.T.
- (H3) William Koch Wetherhold, son of Ray A. and Elsie (Koch) Wetherhold, was born May 30, 1921. He is a salesman for Electronic Computers, and is married to Carolyn Scheidel, born July 28, 1935. There are no children with this union; however, having been previously married to Mae Hobart, there are three children:
1. Bonnie Lee, born June 23, 1942.
 2. William Jr., born April 10, 1944.
 3. Joan, born January 3, 1949.
- Address: 832 Lombardy Ave., Lansdale, Pa.
- (J1) Bonnie Lee Wetherhold, daughter of William K. and Mae (Hobart) Wetherhold, was born June 23, 1942. She married Marvin B. Souder, born May 21, 1941. They have the following children:
1. Kelly Ann, born April 5, 1963.
 2. Jamie, born July 21, 1964.
 3. Daneen, born February 11, 1969.
- Address: 15 Main St., Richlandtown, Pa.
- (J2) William K. Wetherhold, Jr., son of William K. and Mae (Hobart) Wetherhold, was born April 10, 1944. He married Marlene Leister, born September 5, 1946. They have one child: Shani Lee, born August 14, 1967.
- Address: 152 N. Hellertown Ave., Quakertown, Pa.
- (J3) Joan Wetherhold, daughter of William K. and Mae (Hobart) Wetherhold, was born January 3, 1949. She married Ronald Wenhold, born September 18, 1943. They have one child: Coleen, born December 28, 1967.
- Address: 393 Thatcher Road
- (H4) Marjorie L. Wetherhold, daughter of Ray A. and Elsie (Koch) Wetherhold, was born February 3, 1926. She married Leige P. Opdyke, born September 16, 1923. Mr. Opdyke is a watchmaker. There are two children:
1. Lee Randall, born May 29, 1950; died May 30, 1950.
 2. Karen Lee, born October 7, 1951.
- Address: 816 N. Kearney St., Allentown, Pa.
- (H5) Catherine R. Wetherhold, daughter of Ray A. and Elsie (Koch) Wetherhold, was born December 16, 1931. She married Kenneth Conroy, born June 12, 1929. He is an Aircraft Electronic worker. They have four children:
1. Sheri D., born August 16, 1953.
 2. Kim, born August 16, 1959.

3. Theresa, born March 28, 1967.
4. Colleen, born November 2, 1968.

Address: 1060 Concord St., Costa Mesa, Calif.

- (G2) Ernest H. Wetherhold, son of Robert N. and Emma (Hollenbach) Wetherhold, was born October 21, 1894. He was married to Clara M. Fry, a daughter of Harry Fry. She was born March 12, 1894; died May 14, 1967. After a long employment at Farr's Shoe store in Allentown, Ernest is now retired and lives at 316 Berger Street in Emmaus, Pa. The couple had three children:

1. Donald, born August 8, 1922.
2. Nancy Jane, born May 16, 1925.
3. Barbara Ann, born June 4, 1929.

- (H1) Donald Wetherhold, son of Ernest and Clara (Fry) Wetherhold, was born August 8, 1922, and was married to Doris Elkins. They have three children:

1. Douglas, born October 31, 1951.
2. Dirk, born May 17, 1954.
3. David, born November 19, 1961.

Address: 1134 Little Lehigh Dr., Allentown, Pa.

- (H2) Nancy Jane Wetherhold, daughter of Ernest and Clara (Fry) Wetherhold, was born May 16, 1925. She was married to John McDowell. Address: 281 East Wilson St., Costa Mesa, Calif.

- (H3) Barbara Ann Wetherhold, daughter of Ernest and Clara (Fry) Wetherhold, was born June 4, 1929. She was married to Robert Traugh and now lives at 1627 Water Street, Indiana, Pa. They have two children:

1. Pamela, born June 6, 1956.
2. Kimberly, born September 28, 1958.

- (G3) Clement Wetherhold, son of Robert N. and Emma (Hollenbach) Wetherhold, was born August 4, 1899. He married Edna Schuler. He was employed by the Heimbach Baking Company. They had three children:

1. Clement M., Jr.
2. Robert L.
3. Doris Edna.

Address: 1040 Green St., Allentown, Pa.

- (H1) Clement M. Wetherhold, Jr., son of Clement and Edna (Schuler) Wetherhold, was born June 26, 1920. He married Ruth Whitebread, born March 8, 1915. There are no children.

Address: 3334 Oxford Circle North, Allentown, Pa.

- (H2) Robert L. Wetherhold, son of Clement and Edna (Schuler) Wetherhold, was born August 1, 1922; died February 8, 1963. He married Joyce Drew, born September 25, 1926. There were two children:

1. Robert, born August 4, 1947.
2. Brenda, born October 17, 1948.

Address: 3842 Hamilton St., Allentown, Pa.

(H3) Doris Edna Wetherhold, daughter of Clement and Edna (Schuler) Wetherhold, was born March 23, 1930. She married Richard Conrad, born May 21, 1929. They have three children:

1. Richard, Jr., born August 6, 1956.
2. Carol, born October 7, 1957.
3. Sandra, born January 14, 1960.

Address: 729 N. 11th St., Allentown, Pa.

(F2) Harry Ulysses Wetherhold, son of John W. and Amelia (Bachman) Wetherhold, was born October 24, 1874. He married Jennie Cook, born May 12, 1875. He was a steam shovel operator and road supervisor and lived at 417 S. Whitehall Ave., Allentown, Pa. There were ten children:

1. Herman, born March 29, 1897.
2. Roy, born June 16, 1898; died March 13, 1965.
3. Paul, born October 23, 1899.
4. Earl, born August 4, 1901; died May 5, 1951.
5. Margaret, born October 12, 1902.
6. John, died in infancy.
7. Harold, born December 28, 1907.
8. Stewart, born May 13, 1909.
9. Dorothy, born December 24, 1915.
10. Arthur, died in infancy.

(G1) Herman Wetherhold, son of Harry U. and Jennie (Cook) Wetherhold, was born March 29, 1897. He married Edna Weaver. He served as a Timekeeper for the Lehigh Portland Cement Company at Ormrod and also as Investigator for Cedarbrook County Home. Address: 230 N. 12th St., Allentown, Pa. There were three children:

1. Leonard
2. Lois
3. Faye

(H1) Leonard, son of Herman and Edna (Weaver) Wetherhold, was born He married Eloise Hazardeane Adams. They have two children: Leonard, Jr., born August 1, 1948; and Gary, born October 30, 1949. The family lives in Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

(H2) Lois, daughter of Herman and Edna (Weaver) Wetherhold, was born She married Woody Woodruff. They have two children. David, born October 2, 1958; and Laura, born March 4, 1961.

(H3) Faye, daughter of Herman and Edna (Weaver) Wetherhold, was born She is unmarried.

(G2) Roy Orlando Wetherhold, son of Harry U. and Jennie (Cook) Wetherhold, was born June 16, 1898; died March 13, 1965. He was a machinist for the Lehigh Portland Cement Company at

Ormrod for some years, after which he was engaged by the Bonney Forge and Tool Company, where he remained until his retirement in 1965. He was married to Helen George. They had the following children:

1. Annie M., born May 21, 1920.
2. Ernest Albert, born February 27, 1925.

Address: Neffs, Pa.

- (H1) Annie M. Wetherhold, daughter of Roy Orlando and Helen (George) Wetherhold, was born May 21, 1920. Besides being a housewife for her husband Edwin Peters, she is employed in a clothing manufacturing company. Her husband is a foreman for Bonney Forge and Tool Company, Allentown. Their address: Schnecksville, R. D. 1. They have one child: Pamela, born July 31, 1951.
- (H2) Ernest Albert Wetherhold, son of Roy Orlando and Helen (George) Wetherhold, was born February 27, 1925. He was a Sergeant in the 586th Anti-Aircraft Artillery Battalion of the United States Army from 1943 to 1946. He was married to Vera Anna Salter, born April 3, 1928. She was a hair dresser. At present both husband and wife are employed at Western Electric Company. They have the following children:
1. Diane Elaine, born March 18, 1948.
 2. Donna Lee, born February 16, 1956.
 3. Kevin Roy, born December 26, 1957.
 4. Patty Jane, born October 16, 1964.
- (J1) Diane Elaine Wetherhold, daughter of Ernest Albert and Vera Anna (Salter) Wetherhold, was born March 18, 1948. She is married to Eugene C. Weiss, born June 7, 1946. He is a plumber by trade and was a Sergeant in the U. S. Air Force with the 99th Bomb Wing of the 8th Air Force stationed at Westover Air Force Base, Mass., from 1964 to 1968. They have one child: Timothy James, born August 5, 1966. Address: R. D. 1, Slatington, Pa.
- (G3) Paul S. Wetherhold, son of Harry U. and Jennie (Cook) Wetherhold, was born October 23, 1899. He was never married. His employment consisted of Stores Clerk for Lehigh Portland Cement Company, Ormrod Plant; and Stock Clerk at Mack Truck Corporation, Allentown. Address: 1929 Ruth St., Allentown, Pa.
- (G4) Earl Cook Wetherhold, son of Harry U. and Jennie (Cook) Wetherhold, was born August 4, 1901; died May 5, 1951. He was married to Elsie Mae Klipple, born July 13, 1906. He was a painter. They had the following children:
- Address: Emmaus, R. D. 1, Pa. 18049
1. Doris M.
 2. Earl Carlton
 3. Saraellen E.
 4. Harry J. E.
 5. Laird J.

6. Dale F.
 7. Bruce P.
 8. Wallace D.
 9. Douglas M.
- (H1) Doris M. Wetherhold, daughter of Earl C. and Elsie Mae (Klipple) Wetherhold, was born February 13, 1925. She married Captain John Glina, a pilot in the U. S. Air Force, born June 2, 1923; died September 14, 1961. Mrs. Glina was employed as a bookkeeper until her marriage. Her address: 657 Spruce St., Emmaus, Pa. 18049. There were two children:
1. Dawn Elizabeth Glina, born December 24, 1956.
 2. Gail Ann Glina, born September 16, 1958.
- (H2) Earl Carlton Wetherhold, son of Earl C. and Elsie Mae (Klipple) Wetherhold, was born March 31, 1927. He married Helen Agnes Ganey, born August 8, 1931. He is an estimator with Lehigh Structural Steel Company, and lives at 309 N. 2nd Street, Emmaus, Pa. 18049. They have two children:
1. Eric Alan, born January 27, 1957.
 2. Dean Jeffrey, born March 19, 1962.
- (H3) Saraellen Elizabeth Wetherhold, daughter of Earl C. and Elsie Mae (Klipple) Wetherhold, was born January 2, 1929. She is an instructor in archery and goes deer hunting during bow hunting season. Bowling is another of her hobbies. She is a secretary for Air Products and Chemicals, Inc. and lives at Route 1, Box 239, Emmaus, Pa. 18049. She is unmarried, interested in the Wetherhold Family History and has given the writer valuable assistance.
- (H4) Harry James Edward Wetherhold, son of Earl C. and Elsie Mae (Klipple) Wetherhold, was born May 28, 1931. He married Betty Lou Keller, born November 5, 1932. He served as an MP in the United States Army and in civilian life is a plumber for Wayne Feather, Inc., Emmaus, Pa. He lives at Route 1, Box 239A, Emmaus, Pa. 18049. They have four children:
1. Karen Lou, born September 22, 1953.
 2. Kevin Michael, born June 5, 1957.
 3. Kurt James, born April 29, 1961.
 4. Kyle Harry, born March 8, 1966.
- (H5) Laird John Wetherhold, son of Earl C. and Elsie Mae (Klipple) Wetherhold, was born February 21, 1935. He married Barbara Joan Matura, born April 17, 1942. He graduated from Penn State University in June, 1962, and is employed at Mack Trucks. They have the following children:
1. John Laird, born June 24, 1961.
 2. Allen Christopher, born Nov. 24, 1962; died Nov. 24, 1962.
 3. Christine Marie, born December 19, 1963.
- (H6) Dale Franklin Wetherhold, son of Earl C. and Elsie Mae (Klipple) Wetherhold, was born January 27, 1932. He married Marlene Mae Evans, born July 20, 1935. He is employed as a

welder for Morysville Body Works and lives at Route 1, Zionsville, Pa. 18092. They have three children:

1. Michael Dale, born September 17, 1952.
2. Kathy Ann, born May 11, 1958.
3. Scott Allan, born May 15, 1960.

- (H7) Bruce Paul Wetherhold, son of Earl C. and Elsie Mae (Klipple) Wetherhold, was born July 6, 1937. He married Geraldine Brancadora, born March 26, 1945. He served four years in the Air Force — electronic technician. Attended Penn State University. Employed at Bethlehem Steel Corporation in electrical maintenance. His address is 2234 South Lumber St., Allentown, Pa. 18103. They have one child: Donna Marie, born May 15, 1968.
- (H8) Wallace David Wetherhold, son of Earl C. and Elsie Mae (Klipple) Wetherhold, was born August 7, 1939. He married Jacqueline Evelyn Cooper, born October 16, 1943. He served in the Navy and is a truck driver for George Brown, Inc. Their address is: R. D. 1, Zionsville, Pa. 18092. They have the following children:
1. David Wallace, born March 2, 1964.
 2. Daniel Thomas, born January 6, 1967.
 3. Darren Douglas, born April 8, 1969.
- (H9) Douglas Michael Wetherhold, son of Earl C. and Elsie Mae (Klipple) Wetherhold, was born January 30, 1948. and died June 11, 1967. He attended Bloomsburg State College. He lived at Route 1, Box 239, Emmaus, Pa. 18049.
- (G5) Margaret Wetherhold, daughter of Harry U. and Jennie (Cook) Wetherhold, was born October 12, 1902. She is married to Monroe Schaadt, and they had the following children:
1. Dalton, born May 24, 1927.
 2. Richard D., born May 29, 1928.
- Address: 1929 Ruth Street, Allentown, Pa.
- (H1) Dalton Schaadt, son of Monroe and Margaret (Wetherhold) Schaadt, was born May 24, 1927. He is a Vice President and Senior Trust Officer of the First National Bank of Allentown. He enlisted in the Air Force on October 26, 1944, but was not called until July, 1945; then discharged on November 22, 1946. He is married to Mae Loeb. They have one child: Lisa Kay, born February 14, 1955. Address: 13 Chippewa Dr., Allentown, R. D. 3, Pa.
- (H2) Richard D. Schaadt, son of Monroe and Margaret (Wetherhold) Schaadt, was born May 29, 1928. He is Asst. Vice President and a Loan Officer of the First National Bank of Allentown. Richard entered the Army in July, 1951; went to Korea in May, 1952; remained until June, 1953, and discharged a month later. He is married to Nancy Nagy. They have three children:
1. Jennifer Carol, born January 16, 1966.
 2. Susan Elizabeth, born December 19, 1967.
 3. Amy Kristine, born November 30, 1968.
- Address: 1517 Union Street, Allentown, Pa.

- (G6) John Wetherhold, son of Harry U. and Jennie (Cook) Wetherhold, died in infancy.
- (G7) Harold Wetherhold, son of Harry U. and Jennie (Cook) Wetherhold, was born December 28, 1907. He is a Traveling Freight Agent for Central Railroad of New Jersey. He married Miriam Reimert and had a daughter, Janice. After Miriam's death he married Marion Rex. Address: 32 N. 6th St., Allentown, Pa.
- (H1) Janice Wetherhold, daughter of Harold and Miriam (Reimert) Wetherhold, was born December 31, 1930. She married Richard Mikylychak. They have two children:
1. Lynn, born July 11, 1954.
 2. Lori, born February 27, 1959.
- (G8) Stewart Guy Wetherhold, son of Harry U. and Jennie (Cook) Wetherhold, was born May 13, 1909. He is a Teller at the First National Bank, Allentown. He married Eleanore Eberhart; they have two children. Address: 316 S. Fulton St., Allentown, Pa.
1. Ronald
 2. Joan
- (H1) Ronald Wetherhold, son of Stewart Guy and Eleanore (Eberhart) Wetherhold, was born He married Mary Frederick. They have two children:
1. Cathy, born December 27, 1960.
 2. Mark, born December 7, 1966.
- (H2) Joan Wetherhold, daughter of Stewart Guy and Eleanore (Eberhart) Wetherhold, was born She married Robert Schaffer. They have two children:
1. Foster, born September 17, 1961.
 2. David, born November 19, 1965.
- (G9) Dorothy Wetherhold, daughter of Harry U. and Jennie (Cook) Wetherhold, was born December 24, 1912. She married Eldan F. Mann, born December 31, 1912. He is an insurance agent. They have a daughter, Carol.
- (H1) Carol Mann, daughter of Eldan F. and Dorothy (Wetherhold) Mann, was born December 9, 1944. She is married to Robert Leh.
- (F3) Charles Wetherhold, son of John W. and Amelia (Bachman) Wetherhold, was born August 22, 1877. He married Gertrude Nagle. He was employed as a chauffeur. There were five children:
1. Walter
 2. Anna
 3. Ruth
 4. Katherine
 5. Naomi
- (F6) Fred Wetherhold, son of John W. and Amelia (Bachman) Wetherhold, was born December 23, 1881. He was a stationary engineer. He married Irene Kline and had one child: Marcella.



Wetherhold homestead at Lyon Valley. Steep hillside and dense underbrush made it difficult to obtain a satisfactory picture.



Home of Elias Wetherhold as it looked in 1969. Left front door, partially hidden by post, was entrance to post office and store at Hynemansville.



Grave of Joseph Wetherhold on Lowhill
Cemetery.



Graves of Nathan and Polly Wetherhold on Lowhill Cemetery.



Graves of Elias and Amelia Wetherhold on Greenwood Cemetery, Allentown.

We have eleven pictures (in color), including the ones in this book, which we will be glad to supply at cost (approximately 30c each, plus postage) to anyone who will make his wishes known. Call Ray G. Wetherhold, 101 E. Elm St., Emmaus, Pa. 18049 Phone 965-2956

- (F7) Joseph Bachman Wetherhold, son of John W. and Amelia (Bachman) Wetherhold, was born January 20, 1886; died November 11, 1932. He married Daisy Fenstermaker, born March 8, 1888; died March 16, 1961. He was a painter. They had a son, Norwood, born March 23, 1915.
- (G1) Norwood Steward Wetherhold, son of Joseph B. and Daisy (Fenstermaker) Wetherhold, was born March 23, 1915. He married Mary Jane Sneed (Marsh), born March 1, 1915. He was appointed Assistant Principal at Annapolis High School in 1957. Graduated from East Stroudsburg State College in 1937; Master's Degree from Temple University in 1950. Spent 32 months in the U. S. Navy — 11 of which were in the South Pacific.
Address: 820 Monroe St., A-206, Annapolis, Md. 21403
- (F9) Gertrude Wetherhold, daughter of John W. and Amelia (Bachman) Wetherhold, was born June 3, 1891. She married Harry Wicand. No children.
- (E8) George A. Wetherhold, son of Nathan (D1) and Polly (Mosser) Wetherhold, was born at Lyon Valley, in Lowhill Township, Lehigh County, January 17, 1866. He attended the township schools and later pursued a course of advanced study at the Allentown Business College, after which he was employed for a year as a clerk in a general store at Danville, Montour County, Pa., and then at Allentown as a clerk in the shoe department of H. Leh & Co. There he was promoted to the head of this department and filled this position for ten years, his service with this firm covering a period of twenty-one years. In 1908 Mr. Wetherhold and Owen W. Metzger organized the present firm of Wetherhold & Metzger, and conducted a successful business which is still in existence. He and his family were members of St. John's Lutheran Church, in which he served as a member of the vestry for one term. He was married on October 3, 1894 to Mary M. Daeufer, daughter of Francis and Mary (Schmucker) Daeufer, of Allentown. They had two children:
1. Marie D.
 2. Leila D.
- (F1) Marie D. Wetherhold, daughter of George A. and Mary M. (Daeufer) Wetherhold, married Russell Shira.
- (F2) Leila D. Wetherhold, daughter of George A. and Mary M. (Daeufer) Wetherhold, married Fred Newhard.

DESCENDANTS OF ELIAS WETHERHOLD (D3)

- (E1) Chester Joseph David Wetherhold, son of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born June 23, 1856; died March 2, 1932. He was married to Ida Jane Blose, daughter of David Blose and his wife Sarah Schmick. She was born September 26, 1871; died June 12, 1936. There were five children:
1. Percy Elias David
 2. Blanche Ida
 3. Hilda May
 4. Harvey Chester
 5. Frederick Blose
- (F1) Percy Elias David Wetherhold, son of Chester Joseph David and Ida (Blose) Wetherhold, was born August 4, 1892, and died March 27, 1906.
- (F2) Blanche Ida Wetherhold, daughter of Chester Joseph David and Ida (Blose) Wetherhold, was born July 26, 1894. On March 21, 1921, she married Edwin Jacob Zuber, a son of Jacob Zuber and his wife Emma Gerhard. Edwin was born May 21, 1898, and died August 13, 1964. Blanche lives at 521 N. 10th St., Allentown, Pa.
- (F3) Hilda May Wetherhold, daughter of Chester Joseph David and Ida (Blose) Wetherhold, was born April 6, 1897; died February 17, 1898.
- (F4) Harvey Chester Wetherhold, son of Chester Joseph David and Ida (Blose) Wetherhold, was born July 25, 1899. On February 26, 1921 he was married to Nathalia Isabelle Wieder, a daughter of Levi and Rebecca (Schwoyer) Wieder, born April 25, 1902. There were three children:
1. Bette Lucille
 2. Donald Tilden
 3. Harvey Edwin
- (G1) Bette Lucille Wetherhold, daughter of Harvey Chester and Nathalia (Wieder) Wetherhold, was born July 14, 1922. She married Joseph Filipovits (born April 20, 1921) of 1740 Washington St., Northampton, and have three children:
1. Jo Ann Elizabeth, born October 8, 1947.
 2. Janice, born July 19, 1949.
 3. Jill Eileen, born April 21, 1954.
- (H1) Jo Ann Filipovits, daughter of Joseph and Bette Lucille (Wetherhold) Filipovits, was born October 8, 1947; married Francis Csensits of Northampton. They have two children:
1. Lisa Jo, born August 7, 1964.
 2. Tod Francis, born March 24, 1965
- (G2) Donald Tilden Wetherhold, son of Harvey Chester and Nathalia (Wieder) Wetherhold, was born January 27, 1924. He is employed as a laboratory technician at Coplay Cement Company; married to Blodwyn Gyer of Catasauqua. His service record: MoMM 3rd

Class, served in World War II. Navy Service: Pacific Theatre Ribbon, American Theatre Ribbon, Philippine Liberation Ribbon, 1 star. They live at 1040 W. Union St., Fullerton, and have three children:

1. Donald Mark, Jr., born February 17, 1960.
2. David Arthur, born July 9, 1961.
3. Robin Lyn, born September 10, 1962.

- (G3) Harvey Edwin Wetherhold, son of Harvey Chester and Nathalia (Wieder) Wetherhold, was born May 8, 1927 in Allentown. He is employed as a mail clerk at Bethlehem Steel Company and is married to Betty McKeever of Catasauqua. His service record: Corporal in the Second Marine Detachment in Germany from October, 1950 until June 17, 1952. They live at 1263 Echo Drive, Fullerton, and have two children:

1. Carole Louise, born August 30, 1956.
2. Cathy Jean, born January 13, 1958.

- (F5) Frederick Blose Wetherhold, son of Chester Joseph David and Ida (Blose) Wetherhold, was born November 12, 1908. On November 22, 1947 he was married to Agnes Adamcik, a daughter of Nicholas and Anna (Bartek) Adamcik, born April 3, 1915. His service record shows he was a Corporal, Field Artillery; served three years and nine months in World War II. For 19 months he was in France, Belgium, Luxembourg and Germany; balance of the time in the United States. Distinguished Citation Five Battle Star Campaign.

Address: 537 N. 16th St., Allentown, Pa.

- (E2) Mathew M. Wetherhold, son of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born 1856; died 1862.
- (E3) Mary Elizabeth Wetherhold, daughter of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born May 9, 1860; died December 6, 1862.
- (E4) Charles Azariah Wetherhold, son of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born June 23, 1862; died March 15, 1950. He was married in 1889 to Sarah Ann Leiby, born March 8, 1860; died October 6, 1948. He was brought up on his father's farm in Hynemansville in Weisenberg Township, receiving his education in the township school, and in business colleges at Allentown and Easton. At the age of 20 he was employed at farming and storekeeping at Wadsworth, Ohio, and Kempton, Pa., for three years, when he secured a position as clerk in a large hotel at Milford, Delaware; remaining there for four years. His father having died, he then returned to the homestead and conducted the farming operations until 1906, when the stock was sold and he removed to Allentown, to become a member of the firm, the Wetherhold Grocery Company, located at 212-214 North Fifth Street. While at Hynemansville he filled the office of Postmaster for ten years and was a member of the Reformed Congregation at Seiberlingsville Union Church, which he served as a Deacon. They had three children:

1. Angeline A.
2. Ralph V.
3. Mark A.

- (F1) Angeline A. Wetherhold, daughter of Charles A. and Sarah Ann (Leiby) Wetherhold, was born January 21, 1890. On February 24, 1945, she was married to Dr. Elmer K. Kilmer, who was born July 16, 1885; died August 2, 1964. She lives at 715 N. 9th St., Allentown.
- (F2) Ralph V. Wetherhold, son of Charles A. and Sarah Ann (Leiby) Wetherhold, was born April 28, 1893; died November 15, 1956. He was married to Annabel Kline, born October 14, 1900, and died April 7, 1951. He was remarried to Olive Kline, his first wife's sister. Ralph was a graduate of Muhlenberg College and obtained a degree from Lehigh University. He taught at Allentown High School and was faculty director of athletics there for many years, as well as recreational director of Allentown's playgrounds. Ralph and Annabel had two children: 1. Jean O. 2. Betty.
- (G1) Jean O. Wetherhold, daughter of Ralph V. and Annabel (Kline) Wetherhold, was born February 22, 1920. She was married to George Werley, born May 10, 1918. They have three sons:
1. C. George, born January 24, 1940.
 2. Ralph, born May 13, 1952.
 3. Michael, born April 28, 1954.
- (G2) Betty Wetherhold, daughter of Ralph V. and Annabel (Kline) Wetherhold, was born October 18, 1921. She was married to Winton Evans, born November 17, 1917. They have one child: Penelope, born July 20, 1944.
- (F3) Mark Andrew Wetherhold, son of Charles A. and Sarah Ann (Leiby) Wetherhold, was born November 30, 1896; died November 13, 1955. He was married to Ruby Kline, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James J. Kline of Emmaus, Pa. Ruby was born October 27, 1900. Mark was a 2nd Lieutenant in World War I, a graduate of Muhlenberg College and taught in the Allentown Public School system for many years. They had three children. Ruby is remarried to Russell Sage Miller.
1. James Charles, born May 1, 1922.
 2. Henry Kline, born March 5, 1924.
 3. Janet Kline, born July 1, 1929.
- (G1) James Charles Wetherhold, son of Mark A. and Ruby (Kline) Wetherhold, was born May 1, 1922; married Ruth Adams, born May 5, 1923. They have one son, George Adams Wetherhold, born August 23, 1952.
- (G2) Henry Kline Wetherhold, son of Mark A. and Ruby (Kline) Wetherhold, was born March 5, 1924. He married Annetta Stephen in June, 1947. They had a son, Gary H., born December 4, 1951. The couple was divorced in 1964 and Henry was remarried May 18, 1968 to Bette Ziegler Berry.
- (H1) Gary H. Wetherhold, son of Henry K. and Annetta (Stephen) Wetherhold, born December 4, 1951, was married to Martha Stoughton of Atlanta, Georgia, on February 13, 1971.
- (G3) Janet Kline Wetherhold, daughter of Mark A. and Ruby (Kline) Wetherhold, was born July 1, 1929. She married Richard Buchecker Snyder, born May 5, 1928. They have four children:

1. Richard Lee Snyder, born September 22, 1950.
 2. Thomas Dale Snyder, born November 30, 1953.
 3. Susan Jane Snyder, born April 21, 1955.
 4. Jay Alan Snyder, born March 7, 1959.
- (E5) Annie E. Wetherhold, daughter of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born May 6, 1864, and died February 2, 1943. She married Wallace D. Zimmerman, born December 22, 1859, and died May 16, 1954. He was an excellent accountant and held a responsible position with several firms. He was a member of the firm of Wetherhold Grocery Company. His last position was with PP&L. They had three children:
1. Blanche Ella Zimmerman, died in infancy.
 2. Edward W. Zimmerman, born in 1894; married Margaret S. Swartwood on June 24, 1922. She died on March 16, 1968, after a very short illness which was discovered to have been caused by tuberculosis. Ed served in the U. S. Navy during World War I. He graduated from Muhlenberg College and spent most of his teaching career at Allentown High School. He is now retired but interested in cancer research. Lives at 1829 Congress Street, Allentown, Pa.
 3. Frances Zimmerman, died in infancy.
- (E6) Sylvester Wetherhold, son of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born March 5, 1866. He married Ida Lucyann Kuhns, daughter of George and Mary (Dornblaser) Kuhns, on December 25, 1886. He was reared on his father's farm at Hynemansville, Pa., and later became employed at John Bowen's grocery store in Allentown. In 1906 he became a partner in the Wetherhold Grocery Company, 212-214 N. 5th Street. After a year there he left to become a traveling salesman for the wholesale grocery firm of J. A. Eberts & Company, with warehouses in Bethlehem, Allentown, Bangor, Easton and Scranton. He died June 20, 1936; his wife Ida, died May 20, 1942. They had nine children:
1. Amelia Mary, born June 4, 1887.
 2. Warren Wallace, born April 7, 1889.
 3. Sylvester, born November 25, 1890.
 4. Raymond George, born March 7, 1893.
 5. Paul Elias, born July 27, 1894.
 6. Esther May, born September 16, 1896.
 7. Edward Kuhns, born 1898, died July 29, 1899.
 8. Joseph Daniel, born February 25, 1901.
 9. Arline Pearl, born November 17, 1907.
- (F1) Amelia Mary Wetherhold, daughter of Sylvester and Ida (Kuhns) Wetherhold, was born June 4, 1887. On December 25, 1907, she was married to Luther H. Lutz (born May 21, 1881; died November 23, 1954). Both were graduates of Kutztown State College and taught school for a time. Mr. Lutz left the teaching profession and for a short time was an insurance agent. He easily passed the examination for Railway Mail Service, where he remained until his retirement. They had five children:
1. Paul Wetherhold, born August 29, 1908.
 2. John Willard, born January 20, 1912.

3. Luther Henry, Jr., born September 1, 1913.
 4. Grace Harriet, born January 21, 1915.
 5. Frances Ida, born December 3, 1916; died December 29, 1926.
- (G1) Paul Wetherhold Lutz, son of Luther H. and Amelia (Wetherhold) Lutz, was born August 29, 1908. On June 7, 1930 he married Florence R. Moll. She was born September 2, 1908, and died October 17, 1969. Besides being a skilled musician on trombone, Paul has been a member of Trinity UCC Choir, Allentown, for many years. He has been employed in the U. S. Postal service practically since graduation from high school. They had one child: Marilyn Louise.
- (H1) Marilyn Louise Lutz, daughter of Paul W. and Florence (Moll) Lutz, was born November 21, 1933. On August 30, 1953 she was married to Irvin T. Edgar. Both are graduates of Kutztown State College. Mr. Edgar is Science Education Advisor, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Public Instruction. They have two children:
1. Paula Jane, born August 7, 1955.
 2. Michelle Kay, born October 14, 1957.
- (G2) John Willard Lutz, son of Luther H. and Amelia (Wetherhold) Lutz, was born January 20, 1912. On November ..., 1936 he married Hazel Marie Puckett, born May 16, 1918. They had one child: Patricia Carol.
- Address: 2616 Lackawanna Court, Adelphi, Md. 20783
- (H1) Patricia Carol Lutz, daughter of John W. and Hazel (Puckett) Lutz, was born June 4, 1941. On September 5, 1959, she married David V. Ankeny. They had one child: John David, born September 2, 1960. The couple was divorced and Patricia was remarried to William G. Roland. John David was adopted by the Rolands and the couple now have a second child, William Clark Roland, born January 29, 1971. Address: 5801 Cherrywood Terrace, Apt. 102, Greenbelt, Md. 20770
- (G3) Luther Henry Lutz, Jr., son of Luther H. and Amelia (Wetherhold) Lutz, was born September 1, 1913. On April 8, 1939 he married Evelyn D. Kuhns, born January 28, 1918. They have four children:
1. Ralph F., born January 11, 1942.
 2. Linda Lee, born August 13, 1947.
 3. Luther Henry, III, born June 27, 1950.
 4. John Paul, born December 5, 1953.
- (H1) Ralph F. Lutz, son of Luther H., Jr., and Evelyn (Kuhns) Lutz, born January 11, 1942, was married to Nancy Wilson on December 2, 1961. She was born November 25, 1940. He is a lieutenant in the Coast Guard, stationed at Gloucester, N. J. They have two children:
1. Kelly Ann, born August 27, 1962.
 2. Scott David, born September 26, 1963.
- (H2) Linda Lee Lutz, daughter of Luther H., Jr., and Evelyn (Kuhns) Lutz, was born August 13, 1947. On September 16, 1967 she

was married to Joseph E. Sosnowsky, born February 8, 1947. They have a daughter, Gerri Lynn, born January 3, 1969.

- (G4) Grace Harriet Lutz, daughter of Luther H. and Amelia (Wetherhold) Lutz, was born January 21, 1915; was married December 25, 1932, to Richard G. Green, born October 18, 1904. They have two children:

1. Richard G., Jr., born January 24, 1934.
2. Dorothy M., born June 27, 1938.

Address: 908 Filmore St., Allentown, Pa.

- (H1) Richard G. Green, Jr., son of Richard G. and Grace H. (Lutz) Green, was born January 24, 1934; married on June 9, 1962, to Valerie M. Pearson of Manchester, England. Dick served four years in the U. S. Navy — 3 months basic, 9 months in San Diego; 2 years in Japan aboard the Carriers Midway, Oriskany and Philippine Sea; and 1 year in Winter Harbor, Maine. They have two children:

1. Frank Daniel, born January 14, 1964.
2. Jennifer Ann, born June 13, 1969.

Address: 2004 S. Hall St., Allentown, Pa.

- (H2) Dorothy M. Green, daughter of Richard G. and Grace H. (Lutz) Green, was born June 27, 1938; married on March 24, 1956, to William W. Baines. They have two children:

1. William W., Jr., born April 20, 1959.
2. Christopher Michael, born June 8, 1965.

Address: 503 N. Gilmore St., Allentown, Pa.

- (F2) Warren Wallace Wetherhold, son of Sylvester and Ida (Kuhns) Wetherhold, was born April 7, 1889. For a year after graduating from eighth grade in the public schools of Allentown he was employed at the W. R. Lawfer & Co. Department Store (now Zollinger-Harned). He obtained employment at the Bethlehem Steel Company where, aided by a course with International Correspondence School, he moved from machinist apprentice, step by step until he became lay-out foreman. At the request of the company he passed up regular retirement age and remained until he had put in 50 years. He married Elsie E. Frederick, and had two children. Address: 28 N. 11th St., Allentown, Pa.

1. Mary A.
2. Frederick W.

- (G1) Mary A. Wetherhold, daughter of Warren Wallace and Elsie (Frederick) Wetherhold, was born November 2, 1916. She became a registered nurse, graduating from Allentown Hospital School of Nursing. Through an unfortunate marriage she was left with a son, Edward F. Nickles, born July 27, 1931. She is married to Walter W. Miller, born March 10, 1910.

- (H1) Edward F. Nickles, son of Edward and Mary A. (Wetherhold) Nickles, was born July 27, 1931. He married Mazie White, born April 21, They have five children:

1. Roslyn, born August 15, 1956.
2. Geoffrey, born July 14, 1960.
3. Mary, born November 9, 1961.
4. Keith, born February 7, 1963.
5. Kenneth, born June 1, 1964.

Address: 8169 O'Connor Crest, Norfolk, Va. 23503

- (G2) Frederick W. Wetherhold, son of Warren Wallace and Elsie (Frederick) Wetherhold, was born May 28, 1924. He is employed with the Bell Telephone Company in Reading, Pa. He married Eleanor Tressler, born April 19, 1916. They have one child: Karen.

Address: 605 March Street, Shillington, Pa. 19607

- (H1) Karen Wetherhold, daughter of Frederick and Eleanor (Tressler) Wetherhold, was born June 25, 1947. She is married to Robert Hauelsen. They have a son: Nathan.

- (F3) Sylvester Wetherhold, son of Sylvester and Ida (Kuhns) Wetherhold, was born November 25, 1890. In 1913 he married Marguerite Alice McGourty of Plattsburgh, N. Y. She was born March 17, 1891 and died February 28, 1969. When quite young, Sylvester entered the employment of Searle and Dressler, Allentown, as an apprentice printer, and later with Berkemeyer & Keck, then located at 9th & Hamilton streets. He enrolled with the Empire Linotype School in New York. Several years of moving from one firm to another gained him the experience he needed. He was a linotype machinist operator, and was for many years mechanical superintendent of *The Saratogian*, a daily paper at Saratoga Springs, New York, where he now lives in retirement. He is one of the guiding hands in the publishing of this book.

- (F4) Raymond George Wetherhold, son of Sylvester and Ida (Kuhns) Wetherhold, was born March 7, 1893. In 1919 he married Lillian (Eliza Ann) Edwards, born September 13, 1895, in Liverpool, England. In 1908 was one of the original members of the Young America Band of Allentown. He became interested in writing music as a hobby, first duets, then quartets and finally for full band. His "Salute To Allentown" march was twice broadcast by Paul Lavalie and His Band of America. Another march, "Allentown Fair Centennial" was used as background music for a circus act on the Ed Sullivan show which emanated in Germany. For almost forty years he has been a member of the Allentown Band, and quite a number of years in the Allentown Symphony Orchestra. In 1907 he followed his brother's footsteps and started to learn the printing trade with H. Ray Haas & Company, Allentown. Moving from one operation to another, he also became a linotype machinist-operator. There were three children:

1. Betty Janet, born November 15, 1920.
2. Kenneth Edwards, born November 20, 1924.
3. Raymond Sylvester, born December 25, 1932.

Address: 101 E. Elm St., Emmaus, Pa. 18049

- (G1) Betty Janet Wetherhold, daughter of Raymond G. and Lillian (Edwards) Wetherhold, was born November 15, 1920. She was

married to Charles J. Kline, Jr., a former lieutenant in the Navy Air Force. She is a graduate of East Stroudsburg State College where she was editor of "The Stroud" (yearbook) in her senior year. They have four children:

1. Sharon Lee, born October 3, 1946, a graduate of Kutztown State College. On March 7, 1970, Sharon was married to Barry Browne of Reading, Pa. She is a librarian in Palisades School System and lives at Green Lane, Pa.
2. Carter Kenneth, born August 18, 1950; enlisted in the U.S. Navy August 19, 1970.
3. Tracey Louise, born August 24, 1956.
4. Andrea Jane, born April 23, 1958.

Address: 169 Jefferson St., Emmaus, Pa. 18049

- (G2) Kenneth Edwards Wetherhold, son of Raymond G. and Lillian (Edwards) Wetherhold, was born November 20, 1924. He is a veteran of World War II, with three years service in the Signal Corps, two of which were in the Pacific area (Okinawa and Korea). He married Alice Cullen of Mahanoy City, Pa., a registered nurse. She holds a responsible position in a mental institution in California. Kenneth is proficient in electronics. There are no children.

Address: 17805 Lorne Street, Reseda, California 91335

- (G3) Raymond Sylvester Wetherhold, son of Raymond G. and Lillian (Edwards) Wetherhold, was born December 25, 1932. He is a salesman for Belknap Hardware and Manufacturing Company of Louisville, Kentucky, in the Delaware area. His hobbies are flying and music; plays clarinet and saxophone very well. He married Virginia Crump of Louisville, Kentucky, born January 15, 1931. They have four children:

1. Christopher George, born April 11, 1953.
2. Donna Lee, born January 21, 1955.
3. Laura Ann, born February 15, 1957.
4. Vickey Lynn, born April 17, 1963.

Address: R. D. 2, Harrington, Delaware 19952

- (F5) Paul Elias Wetherhold, son of Sylvester and Ida (Kuhns) Wetherhold, was born July 27, 1894. He is a veteran of World War I and was in training at Petersburg, Virginia, at the time of the armistice and consequently never saw service overseas. He was never married. He was a linotype operator for H. Ray Haas & Company. Due to impaired eyesight he was accepted at Phoebe-Devitt Home in 1968. Paul was one of the original members of the Young America Band, organized in June, 1908, in Allentown.

- (F6) Esther May Wetherhold, daughter of Sylvester and Ida (Kuhns) Wetherhold, was born September 16, 1896. On January 6, 1916, she was married to Ramon P. J. Rabenold, born February 26, 1893; died October 17, 1959. They had the following children:

1. Ruth Esther, born August 21, 1916.

2. Richard Sylvester, born November 30, 1918; killed in Service during Battle of the Bulge, World War II, on January 16, 1945.
 3. Lois Alice, born February 18, 1928.
- (G1) Ruth Esther Rabenold, daughter of Ramon P. J. and Esther May (Wetherhold) Rabenold, born August 21, 1916. On September 7, 1942 she was married to Robert Kenneth Buchert (born March 22, 1917). He is a son of Charles and Mabel (Schoemaker) Buchert. They had the following children:
1. R. Kenneth, born September 25, 1944.
 2. JoAnne, born September 23, 1946.
- (H1) Robert Kenneth Buchert, Jr., son of Robert Kenneth and Ruth Buchert, was born September 25, 1944. On September 16, 1962, he was married to Fay Paulus (born May 23, 1946) daughter of Wilbur and Mary Paulus. They have two children:
1. Terri Lee, born March 19, 1963.
 2. Valerie Lynn, born November 9, 1964.
- (G2) Richard Sylvester Rabenold, son of Ramon P. J. and Esther May (Wetherhold) Rabenold, was born November 30, 1918. He was killed in Action, January 16, 1945 at Sterpigny, Belgium. On September 27, 1941 he was married to Mildred Sevilla Shafer (born March 20, 1920), daughter of Perry M. and Sevilla E. (Weber) Shafer. On August 23, 1947, his widow was married to James E. Miller, son of Alderman Thomas Miller. The Rabenolds had two children:
1. Richard Thomas Rabenold, born March 24, 1942.
 2. Carole Ann Rabenold, born May 17, 1943.
- (H1) Richard Thomas Rabenold
- (H2) Carole Ann Rabenold, daughter of Richard S. and Mildred S. (Shafer) Rabenold, was born May 17, 1943 in Allentown. On October 3, 1964, she was married to Ronald Beck. They have two children:
1. Linda Jean, born March 12, 1965.
 2. Patricia Kathleen, born April 28, 1968.
- (G3) Lois Alice Rabenold, daughter of Ramon P. J. and Esther May (Wetherhold) Rabenold, was born February 18, 1928. On July 28, 1948, she was married to Charles W. Kimble, Jr. (born December 3, —), son of Charles W. Kimble, Sr., and his wife Carrie E. (Ruth) Kimble. They had three children:
1. Brian Jay, born December 15, 1948.
 2. Barbara Jane, born June 12, 1950.
 3. Alice Ruth, born March 18, 1959.
- (F8) Joseph Daniel Wetherhold, son of Sylvester and Ida (Kuhns) Wetherhold, was born February 25, 1901. He married Ethel Lillian Smith, born December 1, 1909. Joe learned the trade of watchmaking with his uncle, E. H. Wetherhold (E7) and several years after the death

of the latter, went with Kay Jewelry Company. The couple had two children:

1. Joseph John Wetherhold
2. Bruce Smith Wetherhold

Address: 1113 Turner St., Allentown, Pa.

- (G1) Joseph John Wetherhold, son of Joseph Daniel and Ethel (Smith) Wetherhold, was born November 2, 1933. Not married. Jack, as he is best known, served three years in the United States Army, 50 percent of the time in Alaska. He is a graduate of CREI of Washington, D.C., with a degree in electronics. He is in business at 12th and Linden streets, Allentown, servicing television and radio.

Address: 1113 Turner St., Allentown, Pa.

- (G2) Bruce Smith Wetherhold, son of Joseph Daniel and Ethel (Smith) Wetherhold, was born April 12, 1936. He married Donna Pepper, of Altoona, Pa., born May 21, 1942. Bruce holds a B.S. degree in Physical Education from Lock Haven State College and is a member of the faculty at Kutztown State College. He served four years in the United States Navy at various bases in the Pacific, including six months on the Aircraft Carrier "Midway." They have two children:

1. Scott Allen, born June 17, 1964.
2. Keith, born June 21, 1967.

Address: 1026 Chew St., Allentown, Pa.

- (F9) Arline Pearl Wetherhold, daughter of Sylvester and Ida (Kuhns) Wetherhold, was born November 17, 1907. She married Paul Samuel Gerhart, born January 14, 1904, son of Samuel L. and Hattie M. (Diehl) Gerhart. There were three children:

1. Donald Homer Gerhart
2. Marian Arline Gerhart
3. Paul Samuel Gerhart, II

Address: 19 Court Street, Lehigh, Pa.

- (G1) Donald Homer Gerhart, son of Paul Samuel and Arline Pearl (Wetherhold) Gerhart, was born July 16, 1929. He married Ann Dreibelbies, daughter of Ralph and Anna (Sensenig) Dreibelbies. They have one child: Stephanie Ann Gerhart, born December 26, 1967. Address: 12037 Ridge Rd., Largo, Florida.

- (G2) Marian Arline Gerhart, daughter of Paul Samuel and Arline Pearl (Wetherhold) Gerhart, was born April 27, 1931. She married Orin Richard Atherton, Jr., born June 21, 1929, son of Orin Atherton. There are no children. Address: Corning, California.

- (G3) Paul Samuel Gerhart II, son of Paul Samuel and Arline Pearl (Wetherhold) Gerhart, was born June 20, 1940. He married Barbara Kay Borger, daughter of Calvin and Myrtle (Green) Borger. They have two children:

1. Scott Hamilton Gerhart, born October 2, 1963.
2. Cherita Marie Gerhart, born November 29, 1966.

(E7) Edward H. Wetherhold, son of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born July 2, 1867, at Hynemansville, in Weisenberg Township and there attended the public school. He entered his father's store (general store and post office) at that place and served as a clerk until he was 17 years of age, when he learned the trade of jeweler at Hamburg, Berks County. After working at his trade for several years at different places, he embarked in the jewelry business for himself at Allentown in 1890 and carried it on with increasing success. He was first located on North 7th Street and in 1895 moved to 738 Hamilton Street. In 1906 he purchased the premises at 723 Hamilton Street where he remained until his death, which occurred on January 26, 1927, aged 59 years, 5 months and 24 days. In 1900 he married Anna Caroline Lawfer, daughter of William R. and Hannah (Kleppinger) Lawfer. She was born October 15, 1873 and died January 24, 1941. Her father was the founder of the W. R. Lawfer Department Store at 6th and Hamilton Streets, now the Zollinger-Harned Company. They had two sons:

1. William Elias.
2. John Ellis, born October 14, 1902; died November 2, 1909.

(F1) William Elias Wetherhold, son of Edward H. and Anna Caroline (Lawfer) Wetherhold, was born August 14, 1901, and died October 8, 1970. On June 17, 1926 he was married to Lillian Viola Erich, a daughter of George Franklin and May A. (Newhard) Erich. Her father was in the building supplies business in Allentown and also served a term as Mayor of the City of Allentown. Lillian was born January 9, 1902. There were three children:

1. Edward Erich, born April 1, 1927.
2. George Erich, born June 29, 1929.
3. Anna May, born August 29, 1932.

(G1) Edward Erich Wetherhold, son of William E. and Lillian V. (Erich) Wetherhold, born April 1, 1927. On September 20, 1958, he married Faye LaRue Schaffer of Catasauqua, Pa., born July 21, 1931. He graduated from Allentown High School in 1945; served three years in the Air Force (1946-1949), discharged as Sergeant. Recalled for one year during Korean War. Graduated in 1956 from Tri-State College, Angola, Indiana, with B.S. in Radio Engineering. Employed 1½ years with RCA in Camden, N. J., 2½ years with Allen Organ Company, Macungie, Pennsylvania, as Electronics Engineer; since 1962 at Honeywell, Inc., Test Instruments Division, Annapolis, Maryland, as Electronics Engineer. Amateur radio, licensed since 1949 as W3NQN. During 1967, 1968 and 1969 has written six articles for American Radio Relay League's Official Journal, QST, which were concerned with the application of modern filter design techniques to amateur radio. Active in tennis, he is Captain of the County Tennis Association Interclub tennis team, has won several tournaments with his wife Faye as his mixed-doubles partner, who is also very active in this sport; teaching and playing. They have two daughters:

1. Millicent "Penny" Ann, born October 5, 1960.

2. Wendy Erich, born January 1, 1962.

Address: 102 Archwood Ave., Annapolis, Maryland. 21401

- (G2) George Erich Wetherhold, son of William E. and Lillian V. (Erich) Wetherhold, was born June 29, 1929. He graduated from Allentown High School, then attended the University of Delaware for a year. In July, 1949, he enlisted in the U. S. Navy, attending Electronics Technician School at Great Lakes Naval Training Center in preparation for duty in maintaining and repairing ship-board communications equipment. After his service in the Navy, he attended Tri-State College at Angola, Indiana, majoring in Electrical Engineering, graduating with a B.S. degree. In 1956 he completed a 4-month course with Sperry Gyroscope Company Field Engineering School, on maintenance and repair of Sperry flight instruments.

His professional experience has been with Lockheed-Georgia Company; Westinghouse Air Armament Division of Baltimore, where, jointly with another engineer, he is the holder of a patent; and Sperry Gyroscope Company of Great Neck, L. I., New York.

His recreational interests consist of All-weather hiking and back-packing, (member of the Georgia Appalachian Trail Club); white-water canoeing, (treasurer of Georgia Canoeing Association); reloading of target ammunition, competitive pistol and rifle target shooting, (vice-president of Lockheed-Georgia Gun Club, member of National Rifle Association); and snow skiing. He is unmarried and lives at R. D. 1, Alburtis, Pa. 18011, where he is conducting experiments in mechanical data processing.

- (G3) Anna May Wetherhold, daughter of William E. and Lillian V. (Erich) Wetherhold, was born August 29, 1932. She is employed by the Stuyvesant Insurance Company, a subsidiary of General Acceptance Corporation. Like her brothers, she puts her spare time to good use, having been a Gray Lady for three years; she is also a Junior Girl Scout leader, and a member of the Allentown Hiking Club. Her favorite sport is swimming.

Address: 103 S. 13th Street, Allentown, Pa. 18102

- (E8) Ella S. Wetherhold, daughter of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born April 19, 1869; died March 12, 1933. Unmarried, she devoted her life assisting her brother Edward in the jewelry business.
- (E9) William F. Wetherhold, son of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born June 14, 1870; died August 19, 1937. Through an accident on his father's farm at the age of 12 he became a mental patient. During the writer's boyhood we remember him as an occasional visitor. He seemed kind, and good, but he preferred to remain at the State institution, where he died.
- (E10) George D. Wetherhold, son of Elias and Amelia (Stein) Wetherhold, was born 1873. He died in childhood.

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DESCENDANTS OF JOHN WETHERHOLD (B1)

- (C3) George Wetherhold, the third son of John (B1) was born February 17, 1801, in Lynn Township, and died October 4, 1869. He was married to Elizabeth Rinker, daughter of Abraham Rinker. She was born December 28, 1803, and died November 11, 1881. Mr. Wetherhold learned the trade of tailor, which he carried on for a time. He removed to Allentown and conducted a hotel business for upward of thirty years, at the northwest corner of 7th and Hamilton streets for six years, (known as The Eagle Hotel), and then on the southeast corner of 7th and Walnut streets for 25 years. His prominence led to his election as Sheriff of the county in 1841, and his re-election in 1844. During his service of six years his residence was in the County prison, the office of prison warden not yet having been created. They had twelve children:

1. Charles
2. William
3. George
4. Henry H., 1836-1838
5. Allen J., 1842-1862
6. Moulten
7. Matilda, married Albert Biehl.
8. Eliza, died young.
9. Sarah, married Levi Martin and died April 28, 1911, aged 79 years.
10. Ann, married Jonathan Barrall.
11. Emma, married William Beck.
12. Mary, 1830-1855.

- (D3) George Wetherhold, the third son of George (C3), was born in Lynn Township. He learned the trade of cigar maker, which he followed for a time at Rahway, N. J., until 1861, when he removed to Allentown. He was married to Catharine Swartz, who died in 1909, at the age of 85 years. His remains were interred in the Union Cemetery at Allentown, but hers in the Fairview Cemetery. They had seven children:

1. George
2. Winfield
3. Richard
4. Sydney
5. Wharton
6. Ida, who was accidentally burned to death while still young.
7. Minerva, died in infancy.

- (E1) George M. Wetherhold, eldest son of George Jr. (D3) was born at Rahway, N. J., July 1, 1861, and in his infancy accompanied his parents to Allentown, where he received his education in the public schools. He learned the trade of barber, but followed this trade for only a year, when he removed to Chicago, Ill., where he learned the trade of pretzel baker, which he carried on for seven years. He then returned to Allentown (1888) and embarked in the local express business, which he conducted very successfully, at one time employing nine men and twelve horses. In politics he was a Republican. On July 30, 1881 he was married to Mary Newhard, daughter of David and Martha (Heimbach) Newhard. She died August 6, 1898, aged 37 years. On December 24, 1907 he married as his second wife, Elizabeth M. Lafey, daughter of Jeremiah and Emma (Gilbert) Lafey, of Klinesville, Berks County.