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THE HENRY HENDRICKS HERALD

March 1980

DEAR FAMILY MEMBERS:

Again it is time to chat with you on the progress of the family organization. An executive meeting was called to take a realistic look at where we stood on publishing our next book. It was decided that it would not be possible to have the book printed and bound by the August 9, 1980 reunion. It was decided to have a rough draft copy for inspection at the August 9, 1980 reunion. The deadline dates as stated in the last HERALD should try to be met. Family data will be accepted until thirty (30) days after you receive this letter. Corrections will be accepted through the end of June, 1980. The month of July will be spent finalizing the data on the computer and printing all the known data for the draft copy of the book.

Everyone should be involved in submitting information through your individual organizations to Dale Walker. This brings up the subject of organization. Please, each family organize at least a President and Genealogist. Begin with yourself and work back to the fourth generation

from Henry Hendricks.

Here is my family as an example: My children (8th generation) communicate back and forth to me. I represent my family to my father's family. My brother, as President of my father's family, communicates with the John Henry Hendricks family. My cousin, H.F.Kidd, communicates or represents my family to the 4th generation family of Joseph Smith Hendricks. Lindell Cooper, the President of the Joseph Smith Hendricks family represents the decendants of Joseph Smith Hendricks to the Henry Hendricks Family Organization. Reunions to be held at the perogative of each family. The Henry Hendricks Family Organization will hold a family reunion every five years. (See illustration.)

HENRY HENDRICKS FAMILY ORGANIZATION.

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(4th Generation)

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(5th Generation)

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(5th Generation)

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DON H. HENDRICKS

(7th Generation)

Don H. Hendricks, President
(And Board Member to
John Harlow Hendricks Family Organization)

Please get organized and report all family information to Dale Walker for Entry onto the computer. His address is: 441 Douglas St., Salt Lake City, Utah 84102.

In July of 1980 the computer will give us a copy of all the known information. This work

is urgent! Please give it your immediate attention!

This will be an ongoing thing. The computer will be used to continue to store up information. Do not give up your organization after the book is published. Keep submitting new births, deaths, marriages, changes of address and histories as they occur. The data will be entered on to the computer as it comes in.

The cost of the computer has been held to a minimum, thanks to the donated time of those involved with the programming. It was estimated in the executive session and ratified in the special Board meeting in July that the Book would cost about \$30,000 for printing, binding and computer time. It was decided to pre-sell the books at \$30.00 per book and to use \$5.00 of the \$30.00 for computer expenses to allow the computer programmer to continue working. However, this will not cover the total cost of programming and data input.

In order to keep the computer cost to a minimum, a contract was signed with BYU Computer services to allow the Hendricks Family to utilize their data input machines. In order to do this a program must be made to accept our computer program. This can be done at \$15.00 per hour for programmer time. We pay a maximum of \$500.00 for the program. If the programming takes longer than 33 hours, BYU will stand the expense. After the programming is completed, there will be a service charge of 75¢ per hour used for data input. This will allow a typist to enter the data instead of a key punch operator, Over the years this will save us hundreds and maybe thousands of dollars.

In order to meet this expense if any of you would like to make a donation, send it to Larry Hendricks, Treasurer, payable to "Computer Expense". See donation slip on page 5.

For those interested in the reprint of the RED Book as is, we now have orders and money for 10 copies. We must have 500 copies guaranteed before we can print. The price is \$25.00 per copy.

Another matter that has come up, and I would like your consideration, is that some of our family members have met with calamities that are devestating, to say the least. How would you feel about starting an emergency fund. Persons receiving help would repay interest free, after they recover from the calamity. The members of the Board would decide who was eligible and what help would be given. Any comments should be addressed to myself, Don H. Hendricks, 2131 South Meridian, Blackfoot, Idaho 83221.

Dale Walker and I attended the Kentucky Clan Reunion. We were made to feel welcome and a part of our family there. It was good to meet with them. Both Dale and I wish to thank our

Kentucky Cousins for their kindness to us.

Mr. Henry Broderson has consented to be the superv_ising genealogist for the gathering of their family information. James P. Hendricks from Grand Junction, Colorado, will continue to represent the Kentucky Clan to the Henry Hendricks Board.

The minutes of the Clan Reunion held at Mammoth Cave, August 3-5, 1979 are as follows:

"The meeting was called to order by George W. Hendricks who introduced Henry Broderson, Henry introduced Steve and Becky Emerich, who is the minister and his wife in Canton, Ohio. Harry Claypool goes to his church. Mr. Emerich was called upon to give the invocation.

"Next came the presentation of Elijah Hendricks and his cake for his 90th birthday.

He gave a rendition about A.C. Hart during the Civil War.

"All visitors and new members were welcomed. Mr. & Mrs. Emerich were adopted as

new members as well as a Mammoth Cave Ranger, Bethal Hagler.

"We had the pleasure of two of our cousins from Utah and Idaho--Dale Walker and Don Hendricks. They gave reports on the Hendricks Genealogy additional (or longer) edition. The purpose of this is to continue research and also to keep up records.

"Of Elija Hendricks and his brothers and sisters' children are believed to be

numbered at 25, while in total attendance was 75 in number.

"Now for what most of the people might be interested in. The committee for next reunion (1980) are Henry Broderson, Bob Claypool and Cheri Claypool. It was decided that next years meeting place will be General Bulter State Resort Park in Carrollton, Kentucky. It was also suggested to get reservations in early (around the end of May or first of July). Also 1981 reunion members were chosen. They are Joe Hendricks, Nathan Hendricks and Mrs. Becky Hendricks.

"We are Now again going to start up the Clan News. We ask for all to please write a paragraph or two. You can write to: Karen Claypool, 1106 Lincoln, Anderson, Indiana

46011.

"The meeting was ended by a songfest led by George W. Hendricks, with a special recital done by Danny Hendricks and his wife-to-be, Jackie." (Submitted by Karen Hensley)

We are looking forward to seeing our Kentucky Cousins at the August 9, 1980 reunion. May the Hearts of us children be turned to our fathers lest we be smitten with a curse, (Malachi 4:6) Love to all, Don H. Hendricks, President.

Mr. Lee H. Nelson of 2433 S. Woodhollow Way, Bountiful, Utah 84010 Phone (801)292-0593, has accepted the position of Finance Chairman and becomes a member of the Executive Board of the Henry Hendricks Family Organization. Please give him your cooperation.

At the opening of the Executive Meeting held in Provo, Utah on July 7, 1979 our President Don H. Hendricks welcomed the group with the following greeting, which is appropriate for all members of the family: "The Church is a vehicle by which we can reach and prepare ourselves and our families for Eternity. The purpose of this family organization is to gather this family together and prepare for Eternity. It is essential that we work to publish a compila-tion (of our records) as near perfect as is possible to make. It will take the complete effort of each individual member of the family to make this a reality,"

THE FOLLOWING ARE MESSAGES FROM THE INTRA-FAMILY ORGANIZATIONS:

GREETINGS TO ALL Hendricks Family Members from JOSEPH SMITH HENDRICKS descendants:

A family reunion was held August 4, 1979 by the Joseph Smith Hendricks descendants at the Indian Springs Natatorium, near American Falls, Idaho. There were about 50 members present, and a delicious and bounteous pot-luck picnic was shared and enjoyed by all, preceeding a business meeting.

Business meeting was conducted by Lindell Cooper, President. It was noted that Don Hendricks was absent and excused, since he was attending a reunion of the Hendricks family in Kentucky.

Jack Hendricks reported on the emergency Board Meeting of the Henry Hendricks Organization in Rexburg, where more information was received concerning the proposed new Henry Hendricks Book. He urged all family members to get their family group sheets in as it is planned to have the material for the new book proof read by the next H. Hendricks reunion. The \$30.00 deposit on the new books by as many as possible will cut down on the total cost.

Jack's wife Lola added to Jack's remarks by urging family member to also include a half page history with each family head and remarked that histories are vital and add to the effectiveness of the data. She also urged all families to organize, and pointed out that all sheets

sent into the Genealogical Society in Salt Lake must be documented.

A highlight of the meeting was a report by Nolan Hendricks about Joseph Smith Hendricks. Since very little history concerning him is available in the Red Book or in family records, it was delightfull to hear first hand about him from one of his grandchildren who, as a child, knew him. Nolan had also collected tidbits for this history from others, also. More information will be collected and it is hoped a brief history of Grandfather Hendricks can then be made available to all his descendents.

A beautiful larger-than-queen sized quilt was raffled off, with the funds going into the Henry Hendricks expenses. The quilt, which was made up of floral blocks hand-painted and hand-quilted, was made by Francis Clouser and her daughter, Venna Harris. The quilt was won by La

Dene Hendricks.

Counting advance sales on the new book, dues collected, quilt raffle and money taken in on sales of pictures, will copies and gamily group sheets, about \$400 was realized to assist in the expences of the Hendricks Organization.

Most Sincerely; Lindell Cooper, by Blanche Cooper Box 40, Dietrich, Idaho 83324

Newsletter for the REBECCA HENDRICKS LEWIS FAMILY:

Time is of the essence! To those of you who are receiving the Herald for the first time, let me explain. Rebecca had 3 children who had posterity. These 3 sons each had 3 wives. We need a head geneologist for each of these wives. She had 29 grandchildren with posterity and we need a representative for each one of these families to collect family group sheets and addresses for that particular family. I have sent out many letters asking for help. If you didn't receive a letter it is because I do not have an address. Please write to me if you can help. So far we only have 2 representatives as follows:

George Arthur Lewis
(Myself) Georgia Lewis Klingler
Rt. 2, Box 327-M
Rigby, Idaho 83442

Robert Charles Lewis
Millie L. Thomas
48 Maplewood Ave.
Pocatello, Idaho 83201

We need you to send your family group sheets. Please send them to me for now, until we can

get representatives. Please let me know if you would be willing to help.

If you want your families in the new book we must have your family group sheets now! Remember, if you do not send in your family group sheets your name will not appear in the new book. We are not copying from the Red book. We are seeking additional and corrected information. We NEED A FAMILY GROUP SHEET FOR EVERY FAMILY. It is important to have the name and address of the husband, or wife, if husband is deceased, in the square where it says "Name and address of person submitting this sheet." If they are both deceased write "deceased" in the square. It is also important to have zip codes.

We also need to gather life stories. We want to print as many as we can. We would like a life story on all married or adult descendants of Rebecca Hendricks Lewis. We would like one typewritten page. However, longer stories would be desired on Rebecca and her children. If you have stories or any information, or pictures, please send all you can. We do not have a picture

of Rebecca. Do any of you have one?

Many thanks goes to Millie Thomas who sent in many family group sheets for the family of

Robert Charles Lewis. We thank her for all her time and work.

A word about <u>dues!</u> Much research has been done for this family from dues and donations. The Henry Hendricks Family Organization asks for \$5.00 contribution from each family a year for dues, and of course, any amount you wish to donate. This is very important for our organization to maintain it's standards. Every time I attend a board meeting I am amazed at the work this organization is doing in our behalf. All the information we submit is computerized which is such a great help in getting things in order and ready for printing of a new book. Many, many hours are devoted to this work and we owe them much appreciation and thanks. I for one am very proud to be a descendant of Henry Hendricks!

I would like to thank Diane Hendricks of the William Dorris Hendricks Organization. She is always willing to answer questions and give help in any way. She truly gives me inspiration to

keep going and keep trying.

Sincerely: Georgia Lewis Klingler Rt. 2, Box 327-M, Rigby, Idaho 83442

EDITORS NOTE: Many families have written the same information concerning their desire to have information in for the new book, and this will be edited out of the following letters.

ALSO, The family REALLY does need funds for paying for the computer time. You can help with this matter in two ways: 1. Direct donation for computer time. 2. Pre-printing purchase of as many books as you can, for you and yours.

Dear Family Members of the WILLIAM DORRIS HENDRICKS Family:

Thank you for your response to my letter in the last Hendricks Herald. Since then we have received the family group sheets of Elizabeth Mahala Lewis. They were gathered by Ina Denson. We appreciate her work as she has had major health problems and was still willing to do the work. Also I sent in the sheets that I had for Ortencia Merrill.

For the family of Milo Andrus--before Birdie Merrill died, she took a bunch of family group sheets to Dale Walker. We have those, but they are current only to 1972. If you have had marriages, births or deaths since 1972, we need that information. Please send it to Gayle Davis, 541

E. 55 South, Provo, Utah 84601.

Near the end of July I received 3 more families. We received Aunt Libbie and Uncle Saul's family from Veryl Roberts. She has been busy getting a missionary son off to Japan, so we thank her for her efforts. We still need Rex Nelson and Lynn Austin there.

Also I have the family of Alfred Dorris Hendricks that was sent in by Cliss Davis. Thanks

Cliss. She also sent a life story on Alfred.

And there was a big envelope from Edna Egan for the Drusilla Hillman family. She has been helping her mother, Aunt Pearl, as she hasn't been too well this spring. That makes 17 families now that have been turned in--17 out of 37. Also I received a phone call from Pauline Shaw saying that she would soon mail in the family of Ellen Walton.

Mildred Dorcheus sent her family group sheets for the Amanda Millissa Pond family and also

I have the family of Aldean Hendricks Smith from Willard's family.

I am worried about the families of Almira Esmeralda Merrill, Joseph Smith Hendricks, and Frank-lin Davenport Hendricks as I have had no response from these families at all. Please send me a copy of your family group sheet (really we need 3 copies). If you do not send in your family group sheet your name will not be in the new book.

If you would like your life story in the book, please send one typed page.

Branch genealogists please send me your family group sheets just as soon as possible.

We express best wishes to Erma Abbot and husband in their 50th anniversary.

More detailed information on the Histories:

Histories shall be submitted type written, double spaced, on one side only of plain white type paper. 70 characters and spaces on one line, would be most helpful. The last Hendricks Herald was mailed to 891 descendants of William Dorris Hendricks, and since then I have added 24 more names to our mailing list. Thank you so much for helping me

with this large task. Please keep up the great work.

Vance and Diane Hendricks 513 Maple Drive, Rexburg, Idaho 83440.

To the family of TABITHA HENDRICKS RICKS:

The plans for the new Hendricks book are going forward. I have contacted at least one in each family, for which I have addresses, by personal letter. However, I am still short addresses for some families.

Do any of you have an address for anyone from the James (Uncle Jim) Ricks family, which included James Earell, Lucretia Agnes Warnock, Lucretia Edna Griddle, Kate A. Farr, Clarence A. Ricks, Lawrence A. Ricks and Mary Alice Windsor?

Also the Samuel Ricks family, a son named Kenneth Turner Ricks?

If there are any of you who have not received a letter from me and you belong to the Tabitha Ricks line, please contact me. I need addresses and a family group sheet for each married descendant.

I want to thank Georgia Ricks for all the information on the Peter J. Ricks family, Tabitha Robertson for the sheets and addresses of all of her family and Alice Tout for some of Uncle Brig's family. I was really excited to have Lucille Strecker send me all of the addresses of the Sarah Catherine Ricks Turman descendants. I am sure her sheets will be coming soon. They really have a wonderful family organization.

Vance and Diane Hendricks, representatives of another Hendricks line, said to their group "When the new book is published, one worry I have is that you will say 'Why isn't my name in it?'" I hope you will feel that it is important that you send me your sheets and addresses so

that no one will be missed on the Tabitha line. Hoping to year from you, I am

Norrine Ricks Parkinson 615 11th St., Idaho Falls, Idaho 83401 WANTED: Descendants of ALLEN HENDRICKS and ELIZABETH HENDRICKS:

If you are a descendant of either of the following children of Allen Hendricks and Elizabeth Reed:

Rebecca Eliza Hendricks and John Austin Tippets, John Nelson Hendricks and Minnie Emily Jarvis, Samuel Allen Hendricks and Eliza Abigail Hendricks.

and you have not yet sent in your family group sheets, please complete your sheets as soon as possible (including current mailing addresses for each family) and send to Mrs. Gayle H. Elieson, 2647 Hartford Street, Salt Lake City, Utah 84106, in order to insure that your family will appear with the latest, up-dated, correct information in the New Hendricks book now being prepared for publication.

Also, if you wish to reserve a copy of the book, please include your check for \$30.00 for

each book desired.

Gayle Elieson.

To ALL members of the HENRY HENDRICKS FAMILY ORGANIZATION:

From Tad D. Hendricks, Chairman of the 1980 Reunion:

The 1980 Hendricks Reunion is planned for August 9, 1980 at the 19th and 22nd Mard in Salt

Lake City, Utah. The address is 225 West 5th North Street. The original 19th Ward building of

which James Hendricks was the first Bishop, is just a half block up the street.

Invited are all descendents of Henry Hendricks. Those of you traveling long distances and would like accommodations reserved may contact Tad D. Hendricks at 514 West 4800 South, Ogden, Utah 84403. According to your wish he will secure Hotel, Motel or private homes. Sincerely yours, Tad.

HENRY HENDRICKS FAMILY ORGANIZATION Income Statement Year ended July 31, 1979 (with comparable figures for 1978)

<pre>Dues Geneology contributions Interest Book Subscriptions</pre>	7-31-79 \$380.00 450.00 203.19 175.00 \$1,208.19	7-31-78 \$516.50 695.00 127.98 -0- \$1,339.48				
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	\$1,212.47	1,957.70				
Net Increase (Decrease): Total assets at beginning of year.	(4.28) 3,759.92	(618,22) 4,378,14				
Total assets at end of year:	\$3,755.64	\$3,759.92				
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1980 Dues, \$5.00 per family, or \$5.00 per each single adult:	\$
Reprint of Red Book, as is, \$25.00 each. No. of copies	\$
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TO: HENDRICKS FAMILY ORGANIZATION

RESEARCH REPORT

13 October 1979

It has previously been accepted that Hendrick Hendricks (Husband of Altje Couwenhoven and father of Henry Hendricks who married Sarah Thompson) was the son of William Hendricks (Hendricksen) and Willemptje Thys Laen Van Pelt. It has now been proved that this connection is incorrect.

William did have a son named Hendrick, but it was not the Hendrick who married Altje Couwenhoven. The father of the Hendrick who married Altje Couwenhoven was also named Hendrick Hendricks (Hendricksen). He married Helena Cortelyou (daughter of Jaques Cortelyou of French descent) between 1700 and 1707. Whether Helena is the mother of Henrick or whether Hendrick Sr. was married previously and that previous wife is the mother of Hendrick (Jr.) has yet to be proved, although preliminary information seems to indicate that Helenawas the mother.

Helena Cortelyou was married twice before she married Hendrick Hendricks. Her first husband was Nicholas Rutgersz Ven Brunt of the very prominent Van Brunt family of Long Island. He lived only a few months after their marriage and was dead by the time their first child was

born. Helena then married Denyse Teunissen, by whom she had seven children.

Helena was probably dead by about 1720. Hendrick Hendricks (Sr.) died in Monmouth County, New Jersey in 1735. On 9 October 1735 his son Hendrick (husband of Altje Couwenhoven) applied

to administer his father's estate.

According to two articles in the New York Genealogical and Biographical Record (Vol. 55 and Vol. 103), the Hendrick Hendricksen who married Helena Cortelyou was the son of Jacob Hendricks Hafte (who arrived in New York in 1663 on the ship DeRooseboom and who was a nephew of Adriaen Lambertsz) and his wife Geesje Bartels, daughter of Bartel Claesen and Hildegonde, his wife.

As you can see, these connections are made more difficult because of the common Dutch practice of using patronymics. There are some discrepancies in the information in the above paragraph and this information needs to be proven more conclusively before it can be accepted.

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