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EDWARDIAN RIGGSES OF AMERICA I:

ELDER BETHUEL RIGGS (1757–1835)  
OF MORRIS COUNTY, NEW JERSEY, AND  
HIS FAMILY THROUGH FIVE GENERATIONS

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## CORRECTIONS

The page, sketch, note, line, and person numbers refer to those in the published version of the book (*Elder Bethuel Riggs*, 2006). Footnotes in these additions are to be inserted among the published footnotes, in the appropriate order.

5 Jan. 2007: p. xviii, Picture Credits, and plate XIV, fig. 18 caption:

According to Jennifer Bumann, source of the photo of the sons of John Shaw, the identities are “[back row] – Robert, Joe, Jonathon nickname ‘Jot’, [front row] – James, John, Will,” as she recorded them when visiting her mother’s cousin Evelyn Mason several years ago. Evelyn has the original glass picture.

[Thanks to Jennifer Bumann.]

This clashes with the identification of James as the man at the lower right as recorded in the *History of Lee County, Texas* (p. xviii), so I offer it as an alternative.

6 Jan. 2007: p. 603, in the title of appendix K:

“Rigg’s” should be “Riggs’s”

15 Feb. 2007: p. 591, line 4:

“is” should be “was”

6 May 2009: p. 256, note 1180:

“Warren Co.” should be “Warrick Co.”

26 June 2009: p. 253, note 1159 should be changed to:

“U.S. census, 1880, Eddyville, Wapello Co., Iowa, ED 55, r. 367, p. 11C, dw. 232, fam. 232. Isaac resided in dw. 227.”

28 Oct. 2009: p. 81, note 362, append:

“The date of the move to Missouri conflicts with a Revolutionary War bounty land claim by Rebecca Applegate, widow of Zebulon Applegate, who states in her affidavit that she and Zebulon were married 8 Aug. 1813, Campbell Co., Ky., by 'Johnathan' Riggs a Baptist minister [NARA M804, New Jersey, W10367]. Indeed they were bonded on 22 July 1813, Campbell Co., Ky. [Worrell, *Northern Kentucky Marriages*].”

1 Mar. 2010: Sketch 346. ANNIE LORANA<sup>4</sup> BOREN (<sup>79</sup>*Nancy Jane*<sup>3</sup>, *Nathaniel*<sup>2</sup>, *Bethuel*<sup>1</sup>), pp. 533–534:

In Annie's birth and death information on lines 1–2 of the sketch, p. 533:

“born 4 May 1873 (gravestone), Utah Terr., died 15 Aug. 1959” should be “born 4 May 1874 (death certificate) or 4 May 1873 (gravestone), Utah Terr., died 15 Aug. 1954, Phoenix, Maricopa Co., Ariz.”

The death date error appears in the transcription of gravestones I cited in note 2876, so note 2876 (p. 533) should be changed to:

“Gravestone photograph, *Pima Cem., Graham Co., Ariz.*, ‘Follett | Joseph Edward | Feb. 7, 1860 | Apr. 21, 1950 || Annie L. Boren | May 4, 1873 | Aug. 15, 1954’; death certificate, Ariz. State Dept. of Health, state file no. 4661, registrar’s no. 1726, Anna Follett, died 15 Aug. 1954, Maricopa Co. General Hospital, Phoenix, Maricopa Co., resident of Sun Valley Rest Home, 126 W. Maryland, Phoenix, female, white, widowed, housewife, born 4 May 1874, Utah, aged 80, father Boren Bryant, born Utah, mother Nancy Jane Riggs, born Utah, informant Mrs. Arthur Bodine, Miami, Ariz., cause congestive heart failure, buried 17 Aug. 1954, Pima Cem., Pima, Ariz.”

[Thanks to Margaret Pattison, who also supplied a digitized photocopy of the death certificate.]

Based on this new evidence I would change Annie's name to Anna everywhere or to Anna/Annie.

1 Mar. 2010: Sketch **347. ROSETTE<sup>4</sup> BOREN** (<sup>79</sup>*Nancy Jane<sup>3</sup>, Nathaniel<sup>2</sup>, Bethuel<sup>1</sup>*), p. 534:

Change Lewis's birth information ("born Feb. 1859 (1900 census), Utah Terr.") to this birth, death, and burial information: "born 27 Sept. 1857 (death certificate) or Feb. 1859 (1900 census), Pleasant Grove, Utah Terr., son of Calvin and [Pleasant?] Ann (Allred) Moore, and died 12 Nov. 1942, aged 85, Globe, Gila Co., Ariz., and was buried 14 Nov. 1942, Pinal Cem.<sup>[1]</sup>"

[Thanks to Margaret Pattison, who supplied a digitized photocopy of the death certificate.]

Based on this new evidence I would change Rosette's name to Rosetta/Rosette everywhere.

11 Mar. 2013: Sketch **344. JOHN CLARENCE<sup>4</sup> RIGGS** (<sup>78</sup>*Nathaniel<sup>3</sup>, Nathaniel<sup>2</sup>, Bethuel<sup>1</sup>*), pp. 529–531:

Correction to the first paragraph of the sketch, line 3+ on p. 530:

"Maggie (Brazil) Large" should be "Maggie (Bazil) Large"

Also, in that sketch, for child **1044 Redelia Ethel Riggs**, p. 530, make this correction:

"five boys and one girl" should be "five girls and one boy"

[Thanks to Cindy McReynolds for both of these corrections.]

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1. Death certificate, Ariz. State Dept. of Health, state file no. 82, registrar's no. 115, Lewis Moore, 12 Nov. 1942, Globe, Gila Co., resident of Miami, Gila Co., male, white, farmer, widowed, wife Rosetta Moore, aged 85 years, born 27 Sept. [no year], Pleasant Grove, Utah, father Calvin Moore, born unknown, mother [Pleasant?] Ann Allred, born unknown, informant Mrs. J. W. Ruyle of Miami, Ariz., buried 14 Nov. 1942, Pinal Cem., cause cerebral hemorrhage.

24 Oct. 2022: Sketch 8. **SAMUEL<sup>2</sup> RIGGS** (<sub>1</sub>*Bethuel*<sup>1</sup>), pp. 118–122:

Correction to the first paragraph of the sketch, p. 118, third line:

“18 Aug. 1835” should be “4 Aug. 1835”