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ARE YOU GOING TO DELHI? The Tenth Annual Reunion will be held in the parlors of the First Baptist Church, Delhi, New York on Tuesday, August 16th, 1960. Morning hours will be devoted to registrations and again meeting and talking with friends, old and new.

The Ladies Aid Society will serve luncheon at noon, followed by the business meeting at about 2:00 p.m.

We hope to have speakers from the Delaware County Historical Association at the meeting to give us the latest news concerning the Judge Gideon Frisbee Historical Home, and, this will be our Tenth Reunion. We hope all previous attendance records will be shattered. You folks have known about this meeting for an entire year, and we trust you have made the necessary arrangements and plan to attend.

Please make Banquet reservations to Wyatt C. Frisbee, Riverdale Farm, Delhi, New York as soon as you read this notice - closing date August 10th. The Banquet will be served at 6:30 p.m. and the cost will be \$2.00 per person.

Sleeping arrangements may be secured by reservation to any of the following:

- Buena Vista Motel, Andes Road, Delhi, New York
- Richard White Guest Home, 144 Main Street, Delhi, N. Y.
- Miss Marjorie Palmer, 26 Clinton Street, Delhi, N. Y.
- Mrs. Helen Reed, 17 Franklin Street, Delhi, N. Y.
- Mrs. Claude Smith, 7 Clinton Street, Delhi, N. Y.
- Miss Margaret Schafer, 163 Main Street, Delhi, N. Y.
- Wyatt C. Frisbee, Riverdale Farm, Delhi, N. Y.

DO IT NOW!. Drop Wyatt a card telling how many people will attend in your party, and make your sleeping reservations EARLY. You may wish to turn in your newly filled in Green Blanks at the meeting. Also, plenty of Green and Blue Blanks will be available.

See you at Delhi, August 16th, 1960.

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A NEW BOOK Is outdated the minute it leaves the printers, and a genealogy is not up-to-date unless - - - -  
Why? You may ask, was not the genealogy brought up-to-date before it was printed? Every effort was made by the compiler to make it so, but that is only half the story. The other half is YOU.

On May 7th, I mailed out 37 envelopes each containing a green blank to persons bearing our family name in Chicago and vicinity. At this writing, June 14th, exactly three of these blanks have been returned. Naturally, the other names and information concerning them, cannot be included in the new edition of our family genealogy. Sorry, but it will have to be that way, unless they - - - -

Return the Green Blank for processing. Also, in order to double check dates, place names and events which happened after you sent in your green blank, another is included as part of this Bulletin. If you sent in your green blank prior to 1960, please fill in all the information requested thereon and mail it to me. Should you need additional blanks - request them and they will be on their merry way to you, pronto.

It will take pretty close to one year to get the material now on file into shape for the printer. The double checking of some 250 additional blanks (providing all are filled-in and returned) will add a few more months against this date - BUT - real satisfaction will be gained by this last effort to make the new book as complete as possible.

Also, and this is where your cooperation is needed. Please take a few minutes and make a list of all people bearing our family name in any of its various spellings, together with their present address from your telephone, or other, directory, and send them to me. I do not want to miss a person in this "last fall" ~~kick~~ for information, even tho it will add more time against date of publication, and you and I will know that every effort was made, and names not appearing in the new book were "omitted" for lack of cooperation by themselves.

I have received several requests for copies of the new book, and I cannot (at this time) tell them when it will be published, or the cost. I have done some missionary work in selecting the publisher, but no firm will commit themselves for a period longer than 90 days. It has been said ~~back~~ the Frisbee-Frisbie Genealogy, by Edward S. Frisbee, sold for \$10.00 back in 1926, and with prices on the rise today, chances are the new book will cost slightly more. I do have about twenty copies of the 1926 book left - 778 pages, unused, uncut, have been stored for over 30 years - \$6.30 postpaid, with a few with soiled covers at \$5.00 postpaid.

When these grand, old books are gone - they will be gone forever. They do contain many interesting stories and biographies that will not appear in the new book. So, get your copy while they still are available.

Olin E. Frisbee  
Comstock, New York

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James Allen (3)

Cousin Jim Peck writes: "Once upon a time, Bramans Corners was a wonderfully happy place for me; maybe it is a ghost town now. My mother died when I was six months old and then my grandmother, Charlotte Jenkins Frisbee, took and cared for me until I was five years old. Grandfather, John H. Frisbee, worked at repairing boots and shoes and also wooden handles for all kinds of tools. He was a kindly and lovable man. Grandmother was an oldtime nurse and would go out day or night to anyone in the countryside who needed help. She was loved and respected throughout the neighborhood. So, you see, my early boyhood years were good because my dear, old grandparents brought me up to always be kind to everyone."

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Melvin Peck 3466

"I've always remembered a little bit of verse that my grandmother used to oftime say - 'So many creeds that tie and bind  
When really all this old world needs  
Is just the way of being kind."

Mother  
Prudence  
Ann 3466  
Melvin Peck  
Minnie  
Belle  
Charlotte  
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To make a long story short, my father married a second wife in 1881 and they, with my three sisters, went to Iowa and lived on a Federal Grant of a 320 acre homestead out in the virgin prairie. They stayed on for three years in order to get a title deed. My father then sold it for two dollars per acre and came back east in 1885. The land now is worth around \$500 per acre. They took me away from dear, old Bramans Corners to live in the cheese factory at Berryville, New York from whence we moved to Gloversville in April, 1888."

"Grandfather Frisbee died in 1886, and my grandmother soon thereafter. The littlehouse where they lived with me has been gone for many, many years. The last time I was there was only the cellar wall left. Yes, Bramans Corners was quite a settlement in those olden days; grandfather's shop, the cider mill, a grocery store, blacksmith shop, two churches, a schoolhouse and old Doctor Braman's office. Today there is just one church and a gas station; that is all - - but my memories will never be gone, for it was my old hometown."

(When one reaches the sunset years of life, one is prone to remember, quite vividly, happenings in early childhood days, and as Cousin Jim writes, never to be forgotten memories will persist. We would have it that way even tho it were possible to forget. Olin.)

We met Ada Frisbie Johnson, Verne, and Joyce Ann and Dennis Paul their children, for the first time at Delhi at the last reunion. Ada has been hunting a "missing link" in her family branch for many years, and, as occasionally happens, a green blank (from Cousin Stanton L. Frisbie, Portland, Oregon) cleared up much of the long south after information.

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Is Cousin Ada happy? You may be sure she will wear a broad smile when we again meet them at Delhi this year. (They must attend in order to show the movies Verne took of "we uns" last year.)

This bulletin is being mailed out to 276 names on our mailing list as of July 12, 1960. How the Clan is increasing, especially in the Texas, California and Illinois areas. Eleanor)

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