Genealogy Records - Steward Family Line

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Introduction

This document contains *Genealogy Records* for families and individuals in our *Steward Family Line* and is available on *Our Jordan Family Web Pages* as part of our Jordan family history. The *Steward Family Line* is one branch within our Jordan, Scholdberg and Steward family. *Genealogy Records* for the *Scholdberg Family Line* and the *Jordan Family Line* are planned but are not available at this time.

For ease of use, the above <u>*Table of Contents*</u> includes active links along with a simplified genealogy chart to assist in selecting items of interest. Merely touch the line or page number to move to a section of interest.

Records primarily include transcriptions of birth, baptismal, marriage, death records though others may be included.

Records are organized around families and thus the various records that are indexed in the above *Table of Contents* are titled by the husband and wife. Records for an individual when younger are with their parent's. This placement parallels the way the *Address Records* and the *Census Records* are organized. In general the records for an individual will be in two places. That is the before marriage records will be found with their parents and those at and after marriage with their own family group.

Spellings of names and places vary for different records and sometimes individuals changed some part of their names or used nicknames or abbreviations. In the transcriptions that follows, the names are transcribed as they were recorded in the original record source.

In order to help preserve our Jordan family history and to make that history more widely available, *Our Jordan Family Web Pages* was created in the early years of the 21st century.

While quite successful in its goals, it became clear with the passage of time, that a web site with many hundreds of pages was not easy to print or to electronically download. Thus in the later part of the first decade of the 21st century, I began to compile various categories of information such as Jordan Family Address Lists, Jordan Family Census Records, Jordan Genealogy Source Records, Oscar Scholdberg's Voyages, Recollections of theJordans and the Jordan Stories into pdf documents.

Such pdf files will make it easier to download files for preservation on our many computers and they will also allow much easier printing of pages and for studied analysis as desired. As part of this effort, a *Jordan PDF Downloads* web page was created. From this page, all currently available pdf's from *Our Jordan Family Web Pages* can be accessed.

You are encouraged to download the various Jordan, Scholdberg, and Steward pdf files, not only for your own study but to also help preserve for future generations hard to obtain data and information about our common Jordan, Scholdberg and Steward origins and history. Files are updated every once in a while, and checking about once a year is a reasonable frequency. Version dates are shown at the beginning of the *Table of Contents*.

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What's New

Going forward it is intended to briefly describe what major items were added since the last version of this document.

- 1. 10/11/17: Miscellaneous format updates.
- 2. 12/8/2012: Primarily formatting changes and fixes of a few typo's along with some reorganization.
- 3. 1/3/2012: Primarily formatting changes and fixes of a few typo's.

File Connections

As follows are other files that connect with *Genealogy Records - Steward Line*. All are available at *Jordan PDF Downloads* as individual pdf documents with titles and file names as listed below.

1. The Jordan Story

File: Stories_Jordan.pdf

Summary: The Jordan Story provides a written history of the origins of our Jordan family. As part of this story there are many appendices and sections.

2. Historical Jordan Family Addresses

File: Addresses_Jordan_Historical.pdf

Summary: Contains chronological address listings for various families in the Jordan/Steward/Scholdberg line.

Linkage: Elizabeth Priscilla Steward 1st married Knut Oscar Scholdberg and after his death she married James Jordan.

- 3. Jordan Family Census Records
 - File: Census_Jordan_Historical.pdf

Summary: Contains census transcriptions for various families in the Jordan/Steward/Scholdberg line.

Linkage: Elizabeth Priscilla Steward 1st married Knut Oscar Scholdberg and after his death she married James Jordan.

4. Genealogy Records - Steward Line

File: Records_Steward_Line.pdf

Summary: Contains transcriptions and some scanned records for various families in the Steward part of the Jordan/Steward/ Scholdberg line.

Linkage: Elizabeth Priscilla Steward 1st married Knut Oscar Scholdberg and after his death she married James Jordan.

Steward Family Line Introduction

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A *Steward Family Genealogy* follows to provide an index to our Steward families.

Genealogy Records are included in this document for those families with red checks.

It may be helpful at times to return to the *Table of Contents* above to find a family of interest rather than scrolling through.

Overview Steward Genealogy

John Isaac Steward born about 1793-96 in Norfolk County, England $\sqrt{}$ Sarah Richman born about 1801-1803 in Chatham, Kent County, England $\sqrt{}$

- 1. Robert Melville (or Melvin) Steward born 1821-1824 in Poplar, England $\sqrt{}$
 - 1. Jemima Mary Steward born 26 March 1846 \checkmark
 - 2. Louisa Steward born 26 April 1848 √
- Joseph John Steward between 1824-1826 in Poplar, Eng √
 Elizabeth Holloway between 1825-1830 in Poplar
 - Elizabeth Priscilla Holloway Steward born 27 February 1847 in Poplar, England Married Knut Oscar Scholdberg and later James Oscar Jordan
 - 2. Joseph John Steward born 18 June 1849 in Poplar, England
 - 3. Charles Hooper Steward born 28 February 1851 in Poplar, England
 - 4. William Robert Steward born 23 August 1853 in Poplar, England
 - 5. Henry Steward born 22 March 1858 in Poplar, England
- 3. John Isaac Steward born 2 July 1828 in Poplar, England $\sqrt{}$
- 4. Mary Ann Steward born 2 May 1832 in Poplar, England √
- 5. Elizabeth Sally Steward born 3 October 1836 in Poplar, England $\sqrt{}$

Other Family Lines

To Be Added

John and Sarah Steward's Family Genealogy Records

To date, the earliest known Stewards ascending from our Scholdberg and Jordan lines are John Steward and Sarah Richman. They married in Poplar, England on 26 November 1820 at St Dunstan in Stepney, County of Middlesex in England. Stepney is in the borough of Tower Hamlets. At the time or shortly thereafter they lived in the nearby town of Poplar and remained there for the duration for their lives.

Genealogy Records

Records included are:

- 1. John Steward and Sarah Richman's Marriage Record
 - 1. Robert Melville Steward's Baptismal Records
 - 2. Joseph John Steward's Baptismal Records
 - 3. John Isaac Steward's Baptismal Records
 - 4. Mary Ann Steward's Baptismal Records
 - 5. Elizabeth Sally Steward's Baptismal Records

It is thought that Sarah Steward died shortly after the 1851 Census. John's destiny is unknown and while he has been searched for with and without Sarah for 1861 and also with relatives, no 1861 record Census record for John and Sarah Steward has been found.

John Steward and Sarah Richman's Marriage Record

MARRIAGES solemnized in the Parish of St. Dunstan Stepney in the County of Middlesex in the Year 1820

John Steward of this Parish and Hamlet of Poplar, Bachelor

and Sarah Richman of this Parish, same Hamlet, Spinster

were married in this Church by Banns with Consent of

this *Twenty Sixth* Day of November in the Year One thousand eight hundred and *Twenty*.

By me Evan James, Curate

This Marriage was solemnized between us John Steward

Sarah Richman

In the presence of John Tucker

Charlotte White

No. 527

Interpretation

John Steward married Sarah Richman on 26 November 1820 at St. Dunstan in Stepney. John Steward and Sarah Richman were the parents of Joseph John Steward who was born about 1824-1826 in Poplar, Tower Hamlets.

A different John Steward married a Sarah Tasker in the Parish of Saint George on April 26, 1819. St. George is also in the Poplar area. I was informed of these two John Stewards by Geoff Rolf in December 2009 as he tried to determine which was his and which was mine. After additional research, we are fairly confident, that Sarah Richman is in my line and Sarah Tasker is in his. There were several pieces of circumstantial evidence, but among the key was a James Steward birth around April 1820 with the father John Steward listed as a butcher and the baptism taking place at St. Mary Whitechapel, the home parish of Sarah Tasker. It is believed there is no connection between the two Steward families.

On the John Steward and Sarah Richman marriage record, it appears that John wrote his name, but Sarah placed her X and the curate wrote it for her.

Dave Jordan

April 15, 2010

Robert Melville Steward's and Joseph John Steward's Baptismal Records

BAPTISMS solemnized in the Parish of St. Dunstan, Stepney, in the County of Middlesex in the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty - *Eight*

	Child's		s' Name		Quality,	By whom the
When Baptized	Christian Name	Christian	Surname	Abode	Trade or Profession	Ceremony was Performed
3 September [1828] No. 2109	Robert Melville	John and Sarah	Steward	Poplar	Shipwright	E. James
3 September [1828] No. 2109	Joseph John	John and Sarah	Steward	Poplar	Shipwright	E. James

Interpretation

Robert Melville and Joseph John Steward were both baptized on 3 September 1828 at St. Dunstan, Stepney at the same parish that their parents, John and Sarah were married.

Robert Melville and Joseph John Steward are believed to be the oldest children of John and Sarah Steward. Unfortunately no birth dates are mentioned. Based on the 1841 Census data when Joseph John Steward's age was stated as 15 years, his year of birth calculates to 1825-1826. Thus he was about 2-3 years old at the time of the baptism. It is believed that Robert Melville was older as he did not appear in the 1841 Census with the family. John and Sarah were married in late November 1820. Given a legitimate birth, Robert was likely born between 1821 and 1824 and probably closer to 1821 as he was out of their Nelson Place home in 1841. His middle name, Melville is intriguing and may be the surname of another ancestor such as his paternal grandmother's maiden name.

A 16 January 1833 baptismal record indicates a third son John Isaac Steward was born on 2 July 1828 just a few months before Robert and Joseph's baptism. Thus there appears to be a pattern in the family of waiting a number of years before baptizing.

Dave Jordan

April 15, 2010

Robert and Jemima Steward's Family Genealogy Records

Robert Melville Steward was born about 1821 in either Stepney or Poplar England. His parents were John and Sarah Steward. Robert Steward does not directly ascend from our Scholdberg and Jordan lines, but he is the older brother of Joseph John Steward who does. Robert Melville Steward married Jemima Mary Miller on 27 April 1845 at St. Anne's, Limehouse, County of Middlesex, England. It was hoped that for 1861 there might be some other family members. However, there was none.

For the 1851 Census, Jemima, a widow with hers and Roberts children is living at the same address as Joseph and Elizabeth Steward; Joseph is her brother-in-law. Thus it appears that Robert passed away shortly before the 1851 Census. No death records have yet been found for him. Robert has also not been found in the 1841 Census.

For the 1861 Census, Jemima, unmarried is living with her children. It was hoped that for 1861 there might be some other family members. However, there was none.

Genealogy Records

Records included are:

- 1. Robert Melvin Steward and Jemima Mary Miller's Marriage Record
 - 1. Jemima Mary Steward's Baptismal Records
 - 2. Louisa Steward's Baptismal Records

Robert Melvin Steward and Jemima Mary Miller's Marriage Record

1845 Marriage solemnized in *the Parish Church* in the *Parish* of *St. Anne Limehouse* in the County of *Middlesex*

No.	When Married	Name and Surname	Age	Condition	Rank or Profession	Residence at Time of Marriage	Father's Name and Surname	Rank of Profession of Father
186	April 27 [1845]	Robert Melvin Steward	Full Age	Bachelor	Shipwright	Limehouse	John Steward	Shipwright
100		Jemima Mary Miller	Full Age	Spinster		Limehouse	James Henry Miller	Shipwright

Married in the Parish Church according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church, by Banns by me, R. Randius.

This marriage	Robert M. Steward	in the Presence	John Joseph Steward
was solemnized between us,	Jemima Mary Miller X her Mark	of us	Ann Williams X her Mark

Interpretation

Robert Melvin Steward married Jemima Mary Miller on April 27, 1845 at St. Anne in Limehouse. His father was John Steward, Shipwright and Jemima's father was James Henry Miller, also a shipwright.

Robert Melvin Steward was the son of John Steward and Sarah Richman. He was baptized on 3 September 1828 with an estimated birth of between 1821 and 1824. His age at his marriage would thus be between 21 and 24. His parents lived in Poplar and it appears he moved to nearby Limehouse, probably for work. He was not with them during the 1841 Census. His profession, shipwright is the same as his father and his father-in-law and is a skilled position. His baptismal record showed his name distinctly as Melville but the marriage shows it as Melvin and a baptismal record for his children show Melbourne. It is not clear if he changed it or if there were misunderstandings when it was written.

Jemima later appears as a widow and head of her own household in the March 30, 1851 Census with two younger daughters and without Robert. She is in a separate household but the same address as Robert's younger brother Joseph Steward who now has his own household. Thus it appears that within 5 years of the marriage that Robert had died, probably between 1848 and 1851. In April of 1851, Jemima was 29 years old, or about 23 years old at the time of her marriage.

Dave Jordan

April 18, 2010

Jemima Mary Steward and Louisa Steward's Baptismal Records

BAPTISMS solemnized in the Parish of ALL SAINTS, POPLAR, In the County of MIDDLESEX, in the year 1850

		Child's	Parents' Name Child's			Quality,	By whom the
Born	When Baptized	Christian Name	Christian	Surname	Abode	Trade or Profession	Ceremony was Performed
March 26, 1846	November 17 th [1850] No. 1488	Jemima Mary	Robert Melbourne and Jemima Mary	Steward	Poplar	Ship Carpenter	R.L. Vaughn
April 20, 1848	November 17 th [1850] No. 1489	Louisa	Robert Melbourne and Jemima Mary	Steward	Poplar	Ship Carpenter	T.T. Bazel

Interpretation

Jemima Mary and Louisa Steward were both baptized on November 17, 1850 at All Saints, Poplar indicating that both parents had moved from Limehouse to Poplar since their marriage in 1845.

Three variants have now been seen on Robert's middle name: Melvin, Melville, and Melbourne. It is not clear if he changed it or if there were misunderstandings when it was written.

Jemima later appears as a widow and head of her own household in the March 30, 1851 Census with two younger daughters and without Robert. She is in a separate household but the same address as Robert's younger brother Joseph Steward who now has his own household. Thus it appears that within 5 years of the marriage, and less than 4 months after this baptism that Robert had died. In the 1851 Census for Jemima Steward, daughter Jemima is shown but not Louisa. Instead there is a two year old Susan. Either Susan was another child and Louisa had died, or they chose to rename Louisa Susan.

Dave Jordan

April 24, 2010

Joseph and Elizabeth Steward's Family Genealogy Records

Joseph John Steward was born about 1825 in Poplar, England. His parents were John and Sarah Steward. Joseph John Steward ascends from our Scholdberg and Jordan lines. Joseph John Steward married Elizabeth Holloway in Poplar, England on 11 June 1848 at St. Mary's Stratford Bow, Bow, County of Middlesex in England.

Genealogy Records

Records included are:

1. Joseph and Elizabeth Steward's Marriage Record

- 1. Elizabeth Priscilla Holloway's Baptismal Record
- 2. Joseph John Steward's Baptismal Record
- 3. Charles Hooper Steward's Baptismal Record
- 4. William Robert Steward's Baptismal Record
- 5. Henry Steward's Baptismal Record
- 2. Joseph Steward's Death Record
- 3. Elizabeth Steward's 1893 Britannic Ship Arrival Record
- 4. Elizabeth Steward's Death Record

To date, the 1861 Census for Joseph and Elizabeth Steward have not been found, though extensively searched for. However, a blank record, linked above has been inserted should one be found.

Joseph John Steward died 23 October 1892 in Poplar and thus the 1891 Census Record is his last. In August 1893, his wife Elizabeth Steward joined her daughter and two grandsons as they emigrated to America and Chicago in particular. Elizabeth Steward is then listed as part of your daughter, Elizabeth Jordan's household for the 1900 Chicago Census.

William and Caroline Steward's Family Genealogy Records

William Robert Steward was born 23 August 1853 in Poplar, England. His parents were Joseph and Elizabeth Steward. Joseph Steward ascends from our Scholdberg and Jordan lines. Joseph Steward married Elizabeth Holloway in Poplar, England on 11 June 1848 at St. Mary's Stratford Bow, Bow, County of Middlesex in England.

Genealogy Records

Records included are:

1. William Holloway Steward and Caroline Hoyles' Marriage Record

William Holloway Steward and Caroline Hoyles' Marriage Record

1872 Marriage solemnized at *St. Thomas Church* in the *parish* of *Bethnal Green* in the County of *Middlesex*

No.	When Married	Name and Surname	Age	Condition	Rank or Profession	Residence at Time of Marriage	Father's Name and Surname	Rank of Profession of Father
	May 19, 1872	William HollowaySte ward	20	Bachelor	Paper Hanger	20 Wade, Poplar	Joseph Steward	Stevedore
199		Caroline Hoyles	21	Spinster		20 Stafford St. Hagger- ston, [Hackney]	Joseph Hoyles	Green Grocer

Married in the *Parish Church* according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church, *after Banns* by *John* [possibly *Pajohance*].

This marriage	William Holloway	in the Presence	Arthur Hoyles
was solemnized	Steward	of us	
between us,	Caroline Hoyles X		Caroline Hoyles X

Interpretation

William Holloway Steward married Caroline Hoyles on May 19, 1872 at St. Thomas Church in Bethnal Green. His father was Joseph Steward, Stevedore and Caroline's father was Joseph Hoyles whose occupation appears to be green grocer.

William Holloway Steward was the son of Joseph Steward and Elizabeth Holloway. William was born 23 August 1853 in Poplar. His middle name at birth was Robert, probably after his recently deceased uncle. At some point he changed it to be his mother's maiden name. What a nice boy and a terrific thanks as it easily identified him when searching the indexes for numerous William Stewards.

The change to William Holloway Steward from William Robert Steward also more clearly showed his name as connected to his maternal grandfather whose name was William Holloway. To date, William Holloway has not been found in the records, but the change by William makes one wonder whether he knew his grandfather and decided to use the Holloway middle name to complete the namesake.

His age at his marriage, though stated as 20 was actually 18. Of course it was not unusual to make yourself a little older, especially if the girl was a little older. His residence at 20 Wade Street was the same as his parents.

Dave Jordan

April 15, 2010

Robert and Mary Steward's Family Genealogy Records

William Robert Steward was born 23 August 1853 in Poplar, England. His parents were Joseph and Elizabeth Steward. Joseph Steward ascends from our Scholdberg and Jordan lines. Joseph Steward married Elizabeth Holloway in Poplar, England on 11 June 1848 at St. Mary's Stratford Bow, Bow, County of Middlesex in England.

Genealogy Records

Records included are:

1. Robert Henry Steward and Mary Ann Smith's Marriage Record

Robert Henry Steward and Mary Ann Smith's Marriage Record

1881 Marriage solemnized at *the Parish Church* in the *Parish of St. Jude Bethnal Green* in the County of *Middlesex*

No.	When Married	Name and Surname	Age	Condition	Rank or Profession	Residence at Time of Marriage	Father's Name and Surname	Rank of Profession of Father
0.01	March 8, 1881	Robert Henry Steward	23	Bachelor	Engineer	20 Wade	Joseph Steward	Engineer
391		Mary Ann Smith	22	Spinster		9 Canrobert Street [Bethnal Green]	John Smith	Pipe Maker

Married in the *Parish Church* according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church, *after Banns* by *Sidney* [perhaps *Ett*] *Sergeant Curate*.

This marriage was solemnized between us,	Robert Henry Steward	in the Presence	Frederick William Cudler	
	Mary Ann Smith X her mark	of us	Caroline Steward X	

Interpretation

Robert Henry Steward married Mary Ann Smith on March 8, 1881 at St. Jude Church in Bethnal Green. His father was Joseph Steward, Engineer and Mary's father was John Smith whose occupation Rope Maker.

Robert Henry Steward was the son of Joseph Steward and Elizabeth Holloway. William was born 22 March 1858 in Poplar. His name on the birth registration was merely Henry with no middle name. His use of Robert was probably after his recently deceased uncle from around 1850. His age at his marriage, though stated as 23 was actually 22, though he would be 23 in a couple of weeks. His residence at 20 Wade Street was the same as his parents.

The witness Caroline Steward is probably the wife of Robert Henry's brother William Holloway Steward, the former Caroline Hoyles.

Dave Jordan - April 16, 2010

John and Jane Steward's Family Genealogy Records

John Isaac Steward was born 2 July 1828 in Poplar, England. His parents were John and Sarah Steward. John Isaac Steward does not directly ascend from our Scholdberg and Jordan lines, but he is the younger brother of Joseph John Steward who does.

Genealogy Records

Records included are:

1. John Isaac Steward and Jane Ann Hooper's Marriage Record

John Isaac Steward and Jane Ann Hooper's Marriage Record

1854 Marriage solemnized at the Church in the parish of Poplar in the County of Middlesex

No.	When Married	Name and Surname	Age	Condition	Rank or Profession	Residence at Time of Marriage	Father's Name and Surname	Rank of Profession of Father
325	June 5 [1854]	John Isaac Steward	Full Age	Bachelor	Laborer	Jeremiah Street	John Steward	Shipwright
320		Jane Ann Hooper	Full Age	Spinster		Chrisp Street	James Hooper	Lighterman

Married in the Church by Banns according to the Rites and Ceremonies of the Established Church, by Banns by [could be F.S. Maryhall, but probably not].

This marriage	John Isaac	in the Presence	Thomas Charles
was solemnized	Steward	of us	Hooper
between us,	Jane Ann Hooper		Emma Wain

Record of Banns

No. 331	Banns of Marriage between				
John Isaac Steward and Jane Hooper	of this Parish				
Were Published as follows: 1st, on Sunday May 21 by 2nd, on Sunday May 28 by CLB 3rd, on Sunday June 4 by					

Interpretation

John Isaac Steward married Jane Ann Hooper on June 5, 1854 at the Parish Church of Poplar, All Saints Poplar. His father was John Steward, Shipwright and Jane's father was James Hooper, Lighterman.

John Isaac Steward was the son of John Steward and Sarah Richman. The father sometimes used Isaac as his middle name and sometimes Joseph. Young John Isaac was baptized on 16 January 1833 at All Saints Poplar; he was born 2 July 1828 in Poplar, England. His age at his marriage would thus be 26 years old. His parents lived in Poplar as did his brother Joseph Steward. In fact in 1851, there was a Hooper family living in the same building as Joseph Steward. There are a number of connections between the Stewards and Hoopers and these are explored in the Story Section. See A Steward/Hooper Connection.

Based on information in the 1861 Census, Jane was 33 years old in 1861 or about 26 years old at the time of her marriage. She was a couple of years older than her husband.

Dave Jordan - April 15, 2010