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Learning about DELANO history and genealogy DELANO KINDRED

The DELANO KINDRED is a Society, incorporated in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, organized exclusively for educational and charitable purposes to perpetuate the memory and genealogy of the ancestors and descendants of Philippe de Lanoy, the progenitor of most DELANOs in the Americas, who arrived at Plymouth in 1621 on the FORTUNE.

FROM THE EDITOR

In this issue we tell the story about the search of the Dillinger family in their quest to document their confusing line of descent from Dillinger to Delano. Now that our DELANO KINDRED web site is operational we have received a number of queries and questions from our web site visitors. One included the photo album of an unknown Delano family. We have included the story of the search for this family and some of the ensuing plans that have evolved from it. Also included is information about the 2011 Annual Meeting and Reunion in Stillwater, MN. We have included news about some of our members' activities, an update about the Vrouwekerk Plaque and the Annual Questionnaire. In the final adjustments to the previous newsletter (NL #64), we missed the scrambling of part of page 7 that occurred in a last minute punctuation correction. We are sorry we missed it and have inserted a corrected NL #64 page 7 in this issue for your convenience. If your membership expired on 31 December 2010, this will be the last newsletter you will receive unless you renew your membership. Please renew your membership now for 2011 so you will continue to receive the *Bonnes Nouvelles* 2011 issues. We have included a 2011 Membership Application in case you have misplaced the Dues Renewal Form sent to you in October. Unfortunately a story of a visit to the NEHGS could not be included due to space limitations. We plan to include it in our next issue. We wish every one a very Happy New Year.

From Dillinger to Dillingno to Delano

A Confusing Line of Descent Supported by DNA

For many years Cousins **Peggy Beals** and her brother, **David Dillinger** have been researching their line of descent from their father, George Edward Dillinger of Lawrence, MA who was born in Maine in 1901. From their grandfather's marriage certificate they found that when he married Lena A. Miller in Boston in 1892 his name was George Edwin Dillingno. They also found that a copy of their father's birth certificate had been altered from Dillingno to read Dillinger. Why was their family name changed to Dillinger from Dillingno? From other members of the family they discovered that the name change was a family decision in 1920, because of their ancestor's stammer problem.

The marriage certificate of their grandfather (George Edwin Dillingno) states "George E. Dillingno, age 34, b. Bridgton, Me, parents George W. and Angelina P." Who were George W. and Angelina Dillingno and where did they or their parents come from? Cousin Peggy visited the Bridgton, ME town hall and saw entries that indicated George Washington Delano and his wife Angelina Perley Burnham had four children. Also, she found the death certificate of a George W. Dillingno that stated he died on 1 February 1880 in Victoria Harbor, Ontario, Canada. The certificate further mentioned he was born in Naples, ME, just a few miles south of Bridgton, in 1826. This seemed to suggest that George W. Dillingno, father of their grandfather George E. Dillingno, and the George W. Dillingno who died in Victoria Harbor, Canada were the same person. But were they the same person?

Cousin Peggy's sister-in-law, who was recently a genealogist for the California Mayflower Society, alerted Peggy to the marriage of Angelina Perley Burnham to a George Delano of Sebago, ME. In the GHAAHD on page 249 there are entries about a George Washington Delano who married Angelina Perley Burnham. The GHAAHD showed that George Washington Delano was born in Sebago, ME, located about 10 miles south of Bridgton, ME and about 7 miles east of Naples, ME. It indicated he married Angelina Perley Burnham in Bridgton, ME on 1 May 1849 and that he died in Victoria Harbor on 1 November 1880. This George Washington Delano, the son of George and Rhoda B. (Cook) Delano of Sebago, ME, was born 12 December 1826. The GHAAHD states that George and Rhoda also had another son, John Cook Delano who was born in 1828.

There are many George Washington Delanos in the GHAAHD, but Peggy's information seemed to fit best with the information about George Washington Delano on page 294. George Washington and Angelina Perley Delano had 4 children—the 3rd being George Edwin Delano who was born in Bridgton, ME on 2 September 1853 and the 4th being John Henry Delano who was born in Victoria Harbor, Canada on 22 November 1855. However there is no mention of the surname Dillingno in the GHAAHD data. When Cousin Peggy and her husband visited Victoria Harbor, Canada, they found a street in the newer part of town called John Dillingno St.

If this information "fit" is correct, George W. Dillingno and George Washington Delano are the same person and his son, John Henry Delano, is likely the John Dillingno for whom the street in Victoria Harbor is named. At the suggestion of her sister-in-law, Cousin Peggy contacted Cousin **Muriel Cushing**. At this point Cousin David Dillinger, coordinating with Cousin **Terry Delano**, applied for a 37 marker DNA test. David's DNA results showed an excellent match with the Philippe de Lanoy DNA signature that was developed as an early part of the DELANO KINDRED DNA Project. This proved that this Dillinger family is definitely descended from Philippe de Lanoy.

Research by Cousin Muriel shows the likely line of Cousins Peggy and David Dillinger is George Edward Dillinger¹⁰, George Edwin Dillingno⁹, George Washington Dillingno⁸, George Delano⁷, Edmund Chandler Delano⁶, Ezekiel Delano⁵, Amasa/Amaziah Delano⁴, Jonathan Delano³, Dr. Thomas Delano², Philippe de Lanoy¹. Although

there is some primary source data lacking in generations six (Edmund Chandler Delano) and seven (George Delano), the results of the DNA test prove the Dillinger – Delano relationship.

Muriel notes George Washington Dillingno, son of George and Rhoda (Cook) Delano, is believed to be the only known descendant of this family to be recorded with the surname change. Cousin David visited Bridgton, ME after the 2010 Reunion where they obtained records of George Washington Dillingno. It appears that other male members of the family including George and Rhoda



Delano's other son, John Cook Delano, retained the Delano surname.

We thank Cousins Peggy Beals and David Dillinger for sharing the information they have discovered and Cousin Muriel for research into this interesting and perplexing line of descent. The GHAAHD General Index starting on page 543 lists no Dillingno surnames, however the War Records of DELANO listing on page 533 does list recorded surname variations that approach the spelling on Dillingno e.g. Dillinou, Dillanou, Dillennou, and Dillonow. We look forward to more discoveries in this line.

2011 Annual Meeting and Reunion in Minnesota

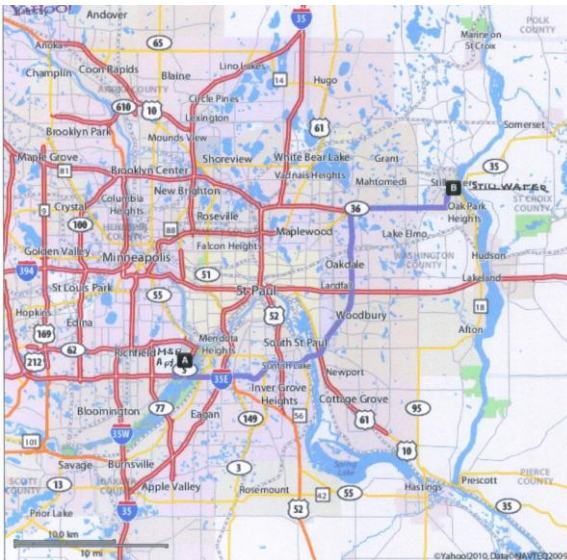
As previously announced, our 2011 Annual Membership Meeting and Reunion will be held at the Lowell Inn, in Stillwater, Minnesota on Friday 17 June and Saturday 18 June. Stillwater, located about 15 miles northeast of St. Paul, is directly across the St. Croix River from the state of Wisconsin. Stillwater is often referred to as the birthplace of Minnesota. In 1848, a territorial convention that began the process of establishing Minnesota as a state was held in Stillwater at the corner of Myrtle and Main Streets. Minnesota officially became a territory in 1849 and became a state in 1858. The convention selected three leading Minnesota cities as locations for three important public institutions: Minneapolis got the University of Minnesota, Saint Paul became

the capital, and Stillwater was chosen as the site of the territory's first prison. The Minnesota Territorial Prison was opened in 1853. Today the Warden's House is the site of the Washington County Historical Society.

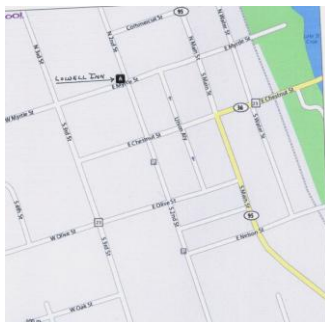
In the second half of the 19th century lumbering was the predominant industry in the St. Croix River Valley. Consequently Stillwater became an important center for this industry. Fresh cut logs were sent down the St. Croix and were collected, and processed in Stillwater's many sawmills. The town became a key port for river steamboats that plied the lower St. Croix and the Mississippi Rivers during this time.

Today Stillwater is a popular center for tourists who enjoy the historic downtown's used bookstores, antique shops, restaurants, bed and breakfasts, historical sites and the scenic St. Croix River (Wisconsin–Minnesota) valley. DELANO history is entwined with the early days of Stillwater with Francis R. Delano who, among other things, was the first warden of the Minnesota Territorial Prison (GHAHD p. 500).

Getting there:



By Air: Minneapolis-St. Paul Airport, located south of Minneapolis, is the major airport serving the area. Turn right from the airport entrance road onto Rt. 5, go southwest about a mile and then take the Exit onto I-494 towards the east. Follow I-494 east curving north on the eastern side of St. Paul, where it becomes I-694,



to Rt. 36 at Exit 52. Go east on Rt. 36 to downtown Stillwater. At the third stop light, Myrtle St., turn left at the light, and then turn right at the first cross street, which is Second Street. The Lowell Inn is located at the corner of Myrtle & Second St.

By Car:

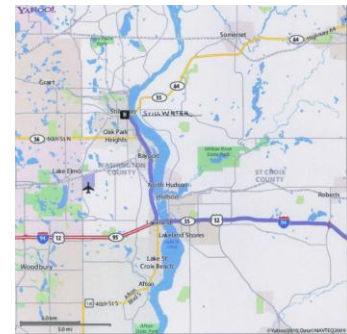
From the South and West: Coming east on I-90 take I-35 North. Coming north on I-35 take I-35 East to I-494 at Exit 99. Go east on I-494 curving north to Rt. 36 at Exit 52 and follow the above directions to Stillwater on Rt. 36.

From the North: Heading south on I-35 or southeast on I-94 take I-694 east then south to Rt. 36 at Exit 52 and follow the above directions to Stillwater on Rt. 36.

From the Midway Amtrak Station: Assuming you have a rental car, on leaving the Amtrak Station turn right on Transfer Road heading north curving to the right onto W. Pierce Butler Route. Continue on W. Pierce Butler Route past a slight jog to the right to Snelling Ave. North (Rt. 51). Turn left on Snelling Ave. and head north about 16 miles to Rt. 36 and follow Rt. 36 east to Stillwater following the above directions.

From the East:

Heading west on I-94 after crossing the St. Croix River take the exit onto Minnesota Hwy 95 North and proceed through Bayport into downtown Stillwater. At the third stop light (Myrtle) turn left and then right at the first cross street (Second).



Reunion Advance Registration and Reservations:

To adequately plan and support the meals and other reunion events, we must have advance notice of those who plan to participate in each event. Reunion Advanced Registration and Reservations should be made by **2 June 2010**. This year Registration and Reservation forms will be sent to our Treasurer, Cindy Prosser in order to deposit your Reunion checks in a timelier manner.

Guestroom

Accommodations:

The Lowell Inn:

The Lowell Inn is located at 102 North Second St. in Stillwater, MN 55082.

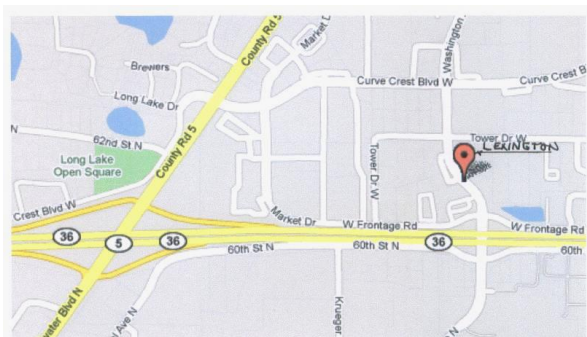


Since it is an old inn, it was not possible to obtain a

group rate since there are very few rooms of similar sizes. Consequently, guestroom accommodations will vary depending on the size of the rooms and the time in the week, generally, between \$109.00 (for a small cozy room) to \$159.00 (Standard Deluxe Room) on Friday and Saturday and \$79.00 to \$119.00 Sunday through Thursday. These rates include taxes. Breakfast is not included in the room rate, but parking in the municipal parking ramp is included. The Inn's parking policy is one validation per day. By March, 12 new rooms should be ready for occupancy. Although, currently these rooms are not priced, we expect them to be about the same price as the regular king and queen sized rooms. The new rooms will be elevator accessible whereas the old part of the inn has no elevator and guests will need to use the stairs to the guest rooms on the second, third and fourth floors. Lowell Inn reservations can be made via phone (651) 439-1100 or e-mail: info@lowellinn.com. Please note that the Lowell Inn has a **cancellation policy of five (5) days advance notice**. Our contact at the Lowell Inn is Leigha should anyone have a question.

Lexington Inn & Suites

We have a guaranteed rate at the Lexington Inn & Suites for up to 10 regular rooms. We can get more rooms set aside if needed. The regular room rate for the DELANO KINDRED Reunion is \$88.10 per night plus taxes which is estimated at an additional \$12. This rate includes a deluxe continental breakfast also. The Lexington Inn is about 3 miles from downtown Stillwater and the Lowell Inn and is located just off Rt. 36 as you approach Stillwater at



200 Washington Avenue. There are a number of restaurants and shopping (Wal-Mart) very close by to the Lexington Inn if members wish these things. The web address is: <http://www.lexingtonhotels.com> and

the phone number is: (651) 275-1401 or (877) 539-7070 (Toll Free) and our contact there is Ms. Jan Bergstrom if there is a question.

Reunion Registration:

Early Registration for those who arrive on Thursday, 16 June will be in the Mt. Vernon Room of the Lowell Inn from 2:00 to 4:00 PM.

Registration for those arriving on Friday, 17 June will be held in the same room between 1:00 and 2:00 PM.

Late Registration on Saturday, 18 June will be held between 8:30 and 9:00 AM before the Annual Membership Meeting.

Events:

Thursday evening dinner cruise: Because many of our members have shown an interest in arriving a day early, an evening dinner cruise on the St. Croix River is scheduled on Thursday 16 June. The cost of the cruise is \$22 per person for the dinner and cruise including tax. There is a cash bar, of course, that is open during the two hour cruise and dinner. We have set up a reservation with the cruise company, but all interested members must make their own reservation for tickets by calling the Stillwater River Boat and Packet Company. When making your individual reservation and payment be sure to ask for the "DELANO KINDRED Group" rate for the Thursday evening dinner cruise. The web site is: <http://www.stillwaterriverboats.com> and the phone number is: (651) 430-1234.

The cruise boat is scheduled to leave the dock at 6:30 PM. If you plan to attend please note your intent on the Reunion Reservation form inserted in this newsletter.

Currently, most of the events that take place at the Lowell Inn are expected to be held in the Mt. Vernon Room. The rooms may change depending on our attendance.

On Friday, 17 June, our **Genealogical and Informational Symposium** will be held between 2:00 and 4:00 PM. The **Welcome Light Buffet Dinner** will be held in the Mt. Vernon Room starting at 6:00PM with the buffet dinner starting at 7:00 PM. In lieu of a cash bar, waitresses will be available to take drink orders. It will be a night of fellowship and pleasantries where one can meet and greet new members as well as visit with old acquaintances. Other events may also be scheduled that evening. The buffet menu will include: Soup du Jour, Assorted Deli Meats and Salad, Cookies and Desert Bars, Coffee and Tea.

The **2011 Annual Membership Meeting** will be held in the Mt. Vernon Room at 9:00 AM right after

Late Registration. We plan to have the minutes and the committee reports available at registration to reduce the overall time of the Annual Meeting as we have done in previous years. We plan to have the group photograph after this meeting.

Lunch and Tour: As usual lunch will be at each individual's option. The afternoon tour will be a combined trolley tour that includes the Historic Warden's House, now the site of the Washington County Historical Society, and a tour of Historic Stillwater. The tour will start at the Lowell Inn, stopping at the Warden's House, then continue onward through Historic Stillwater. The tour will end at the Lowell Inn; however there will be an option to leave the tour in downtown Stillwater for those who wish to do so. The cost of this combined tour is \$18.00 per person including gratuity.

The **2011 Banquet Dinner** on Saturday evening will be served at 7:00 PM in the Mt. Vernon Room. Again, waitresses will be available to take drink orders. The Banquet Dinner includes an entrée choice of Almond Encrusted Walleye (a local specialty), or Beef Pot Roast with demi-glaze. A vegetarian entrée will also be available. The meal will also include a garden salad, rolls, butter, coffee and tea. Dessert will include a choice of Chocolate or Lemon Mousse. Our scheduled **Speaker** will be Brent Peterson, President of the Washington County Historical Society.

DELANO FAMILY ALBUM FOUND

Early in December our Web Site received a message from a lady who had inherited a family photo album of a Delano Family. She said that she had inherited it from one of her aunts who used to be a nanny for the Delano children of this family. She had no use for it and would like to return it to the family if anyone was interested in it. She had scanned a couple of the pages in the hopes that would help identify the people in the photos. The photos appeared to be from the late 1800s.

Cousin **Terry Delano** could not imagine that the DELANO KINDRED would not want to accept the album. It was decided that the album should be sent to our Historian/Librarian



Cousin **Ann Harris** for the time being. It was hoped that Ann could scan the rest of the pages in the album and then place them on a CD disk.

Who was the family in the photos? At the suggestion of Cousin **Carolyn Clarke**, Cousin Terry queried the album's donor and found that the aunt's name was Minnie Goetz and that she worked for a Delano family in Mount Savage, MD—a small town northwest of Cumberland. Armed with that information, Cousin **Muriel Cushing** checked the 1880 Census for Minnie Goetz and found she was listed as living with Warren and Jennie Delano in Mount Savage.

Warren Delano (GHAARD p 505) was born in Newburg, NY on 11 July 1852, the son of Warren and Catherine Robbins (Lyman) Delano. Being a brother of Sarah Delano Roosevelt, he is an uncle of FDR. He married Jennie Walters in Baltimore on 11 July 1876. Warren became the Manager of the Mt. Savage Fire Brick Company in Mt. Savage (near Cumberland), which had been a family concern since 1841. Later he was a principle official of the Union Mining Company. He was an entrepreneur in the coal industry and helped to organize the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad, of which James Roosevelt (father of FDR) was the General Manager.

Jennie was the daughter of the industrialist William Thompson Walters, a well known collector of fine art. Her brother Henry, also an art collector, established the famed Walters Art Museum in Baltimore which holds his and his father's art collections. It was Henry Walters who gave architect, William Adams Delano (1874-1960) his first major commission (see *Bonnes Nouvelles* #45, p 8).

While in Mount Savage, the Delano family lived in "Bruce House" until the spring of 1882. Seven of Warren and Jennie Delano's children are listed on p. 506 of the GHAARD. The young Franklin D. Roosevelt spent part of his summers at Warren and Jennie's Mount Savage home. We have included a photo of Warren Delano III with one of his daughters that came from this album.

Thanks to Muriel's research we now knew who the family was, but who would be able to identify the different people in the photos?—many being Warren and Jennie's children. Fortunately we have several members related to this family. Cousin **George DeLano** contacted Cousin **Diana D. Gardner**. It turns out that Diana is a great grand daughter of Warren and Jennie through their son Lyman who was born on 16 July 1883. Cousin Diana was excited to learn about finding this album and will work with Cousin Ann in identifying the photos.

Cousin Diana will contact others of her family and with them and the aid of her own photo albums it is believed that many of the photos can be identified. We thank Cousin Diana for her willingness to help in this effort.

Notice of Deadline For the Submission of Motions for The 2011 Annual Meeting

As noted elsewhere, the 2011 Annual Meeting will be held on Saturday, 18 June 2011 at the Lowell Inn in Stillwater, MN. In accordance with the DELANO KINDRED Bylaws (changed at the 2007 Annual Meeting), all Motions must be received by the Secretary no later than Sunday, 20 March 2011 (90 days before the Annual Meeting).

NEW MEMBERS

We are happy to welcome our new members who have joined our Family Society since August 2010.

California

Esma J. Crossley of Carmichael

Delaware

Mrs. Ronald L. Elliott of Shelbyville

Massachusetts

Barbara Lee Kelly of Abington

John Kelly of Abington

New York

John F. Douglass of White Plains

WELCOME ABOARD COUSINS!! We look forward to many years of fellowship with each of you and we hope that membership in the DELANO KINDRED will be a source of pride and pleasure for you.

Membership Dues Reminder

Membership Dues Renewal Forms have been mailed to all members whose membership expired on 31 December 2010. If you are unsure if you need to renew your membership, please look at your mailing address label. It has the expiration date of your DELANO KINDRED membership. If the date on your mailing label is "Dec. 2010" then your membership expired on 31 December 2010. If you have sent in your dues for 2011 and your mailing label shows Dec 2010, it will be updated soon. If you have misplaced your Membership Dues Renewal Form we have enclosed a 2011 Membership form that you may use to send in with your renewed dues.

2010 ANNUAL QUESTIONNAIRE

In this issue of the *Bonnes Nouvelles*, the last issue of the year, we have included the 2010 Annual

Questionnaire. We distribute the questionnaire in order to receive the views of the membership. Your Board will try to act on your suggestions whenever feasible. While almost every questionnaire seeks your views about the location of Annual Meetings and Reunions, at times other subjects are also covered.

Please take time to complete your questionnaire and please mail it to reach us by 1 March 2011. This is **YOUR** Society and we would like to hear **YOUR** thoughts and ideas. The results of the questionnaire responses will be presented in the March 2011 issue of the *Bonnes Nouvelles*.

Thank you for your help!

DELANO PARK

DECATUR ALABAMA IN THE SNOW

Before the great December snow storm came up the central and northern east coast, it slid across the south central portion of the country including Decatur, Alabama where there is a Delano Park, named after Sarah Delano Roosevelt. Decatur, Alabama was a planned destination of Cousin **Sallie Miller** of Mt Clemens, MI, as part of a family Thanksgiving Reunion. Before she departed we sent her information about Delano Park from the *Bonnes Nouvelles* # 41 on p. 8. Well, it was not snowing at the time Cousin Sallie planned to be in Decatur. However had she waited until December she might have been greeted with this snowy scene that Cousin **Judy Yarborough** of Birmingham kindly sent us. From her photo it appears prudent to bring along a snow shovel for a walk in the park. We thank Cousin Judy for sending us the photo.



VROUWEKERK PLAQUE STATUS

We, and Dr. Jeremy Bangs as well, were surprised to learn that the German firm that had supplied the initial cost estimate for making the plaque last year has raised its price well above the estimate they previously provided. This was clearly unacceptable to Dr. Bangs. From what he could determine, the firm's added costly requirements were, in his view, unnecessary.

Therefore, new arrangements were made with another foundry. A new model of the Vrouwekerk had to be crafted so that the image of the church could be made part of the plaque. The model

is now complete and will soon be taken to the foundry located about 100 miles southeast of Leiden.

Although the progress has been slow, the process is moving forward. We hope the process will continue without interruption. We will keep you posted on the progress in the next edition of the *Bonnes Nouvelles*.

THE KELLEY FAMILY VISITS THE PHILIP DELANO HISTORICAL MARKER IN DUXBURY, MASSACHUSETTS

Cousin **Virginia Kelley** sent us a newspaper clipping from the *Rappahannock Record* showing a photo of a visit by her grandsons Hurst and Hugh Kelley and her great grandchildren to the Philip Delano Historical Marker on the grounds of the Ellison High School in Duxbury, Massachusetts last summer. We are happy to receive news about those who have visited the Philip Delano Historical Marker, erected by the DELANO KINDRED and



Tying generations together

Standing below the historical marker of their immigrant ancestor, Philip Delano, are Hurst Kelley with his two children and his brother, Hugh Kelley, with his four children. Hurst and Hugh are the grandsons of Virginia Kelley, whose mother was Emily Delano of Kilmarnock. They are the 12th and 13th generations from Philip and are from the Dr. Thomas Delano line.

dedicated on 17 June 2005. Cousin Virginia is an eleventh generation descendant of Philippe de Lanoy through his son Dr. Thomas Delano so her family pictured in the newspaper are thirteen and fourteen generation descendants. We thank Cousin Virginia for sending the clipping photo to us.

JORGE A. DELANO RECEIVES AWARD

We received the good news from Cousin **Jorge Delano** that to his surprise he won the Naval History contest promoted by the Naval Museum in Valparaiso. He entered a paper on Captain Delano's (Paul Delano 1775-1842, GHAAHD p. 470) adventures in the Independence of Chile. Jorge said that he was

happy because maybe Captain Delano will now be better remembered by Chilean

historians of today, since the old ones did not even mention him in their works. Jorge had a great time,

bumped into his old Naval Academy pals and even a few professors who are well into their 90's. Admiral Edmundo Gonzalez, the Navy Chief, (equivalent to our Chief of Naval Operations) presented Jorge with the award check (see photo).



A decade ago, after a visit with Cousin **Frank Delano** in Warsaw, VA (*Bonnes Nouvelles* #35 p. 10) Jorge drove to Norfolk, VA with Cousin **George DeLano** to board his old sailing ship "Esmeralda" (from his Midshipmen's days) for a short trip to Baltimore. Edmundo Gonzalez was the ship's captain at that time. Times have changed for the better since then and we believe it was fitting that Cousin Jorge's paper about Captain Paul Delano Tripp, who fought for Chilean independence, should win the prize in the year of Chile's bicentennial celebration. Chile declared its Independence from Spain on 18 September 1810. Congratulations Jorge!



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Articles and information about descendants of the DELANO family are always welcome and greatly appreciated by your editor. Every effort will be made to include them as soon as space permits. Comments and requests for back copies may be requested by writing to George B. DeLano, Editor, at 4277 Wiltshire Place, Dumfries, VA 22025-3148. The back cost is currently \$3.00 per copy.

It has been our practice to mail one *BONNES NOUVELLES* to each member-household address. It may be desirable, especially in the case of Family Memberships, that more than one copy is sent to a member-household address. If you wish an additional copy, free of charge, for another member in your household, please send the name and membership number of that member to the editor.