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Cover picture: The Andrew Anderson Family. Back row, left to right: his children Mary, Joe and Abby; her son Phil Austin. Front row with their children, Olaf, Andrew, Gertrude, Candace (Dolly) and Robert. Will Austin is missing from the picture. Courtesy Lillian Pilcher. (See story starting on page 91, from Judith Upton's book, *Glimpses of Gate*.)

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President's Message

Summer is here and it's time to take your genealogical research on the road. Get out the maps and walk in the footsteps of your ancestors. Visit cemeteries, the old homestead, find the houses where your parents and grandparents lived, the schools they went to, stroll the streets of the towns and cities they knew! Visit the court houses and see the actual records in hard copy. It is amazing what still survives. If all that is too far away to be practical, there are libraries and archives including the Fiske Library for New England Research and the National Archives in Seattle and the Heritage Quest Research Library in Sumner. Check out their web pages for classes, seminars and summer open hours.

Don't forget the LDS Family History Centers. Each branch has its own unique collection of microfilm and microfiche on permanent loan from the Library in Salt Lake City which means that you may be able to see the index or records without paying the rental fee.

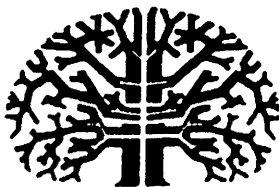
Summer meetings are also on the agenda for some of the northwest heritage groups. The Northwest Cornish Society will have a picnic and program at Fort Borst Park in Centralia on July 22. The Seattle Branch of the American Society of Germans from Russia will have a picnic on Saturday August 26 at the Edmonds City Park. The Czech-Slovak Interest Group of the Eastside Genealogical Society will be meeting in Kirkland on July 15. Each of these groups have websites where information on upcoming meetings is posted. Look it up, contact a member and meet with people who are doing research in the same areas you are.

Whatever you decide to do – have a wonderful summer!
See you in September!

Pat Harper
President



Reminder: Dues are due September 1



Olympia Genealogical Society Application for Membership

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Washington State Genealogical Society Conference

April 7 & 8, 2006, Olympia, Washington

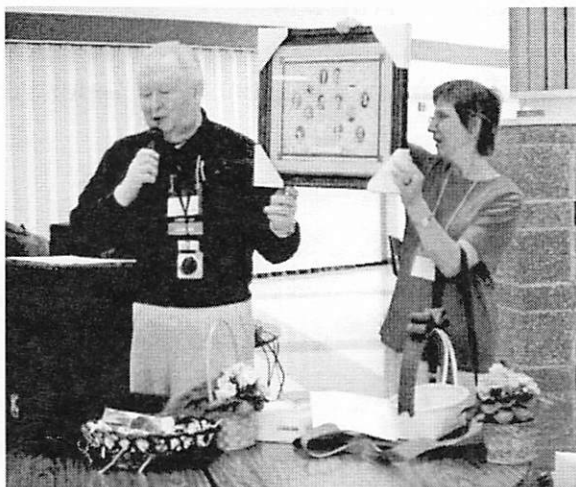
The 2006 WSGS Conference was a rousing success, from competent registration workers and other helpers, through the lively and lovely Irish dancers, the variety of breakfast & lunch foods, the sales tables, the raffle, and the many excellent speakers, headed by John Kitzmiller.



OGS Registration

Stephen Eric Baylor, WSGS President, wrote the following in the May-June 2006 WSGS Newsletter:

The 2006 conference of the Washington State Genealogical Society was a successful event enjoyed by 165 attendees. Those in attendance were treated to several wonderful presentations, many dealing with research in the British Isles. The host society, Olympia Genealogical Society, came through with flying colors. Everything including venue, presentations, vendors, and food service were all well received. Congratulations to the many volunteers who made the conference an enjoyable gathering, particularly chairpersons Richard Johnson, Steve Morrison, and Kerry McHugh Upton.



One of the fine raffle prizes!



Scoil Rince Slieveloughane (SRS) Irish Dancers

2006 Genealogical Events Calendar Update

1-4 Aug 2006 - Provo, UT

The 38th annual Brigham Young University Family History and Genealogy Conference will be held August 1-4, 2006, in the BYU Conference Center. More than 100 classes will be offered throughout the conference allowing participants to gain new skills and helpful information. Classes will focus on Beginning Family History, Family History Center Support, Computers and New Programs, Europe/Nordic Research, British Research, U.S. Research, Methodology, and Publishing Family Histories. We invite you to attend the conference to learn new techniques and to build and strengthen your family ties through genealogy and family history. The conference will be held in the BYU Conference Center (770 East University Parkway, Provo, Utah). For reservations and information, go to their website listed above.

30 Aug – 2 Sept 2006 – Boston, MA

The Federation of Genealogical Societies & The New England Historic Genealogical Society presents the FGS/NEHGS Conference. See www.fgs.org for more details.

6-13 Sept 2006 - Vancouver, BC

Millennia Corporation presents a seven-day cruise from Vancouver, BC, Canada, to Juneau, Glacier Bay, Skagway, Ketchikan and back to Vancouver. Genealogy classes taught by Dave Berdan, Ken McGinnis, Geoff Rasmussen and Jim Terry will be offered on the days out to sea. Learn the features of Legacy 6.0. For reservations and information, go to their website listed here: www.legacyfamilytree.com/Cruise2006Info.asp

9 Sept 2006 - Silverdale, WA

Puget Sound Genealogical Society is holding a seminar on Saturday, September 9, 2006 featuring Donna Potter Phillips at the Silverdale Community Center, 9729 Silverdale Way, Silverdale, WA. Donna will speak on "Immigration to America, Migration across America, Military Records and Leaving a Legacy." Pre-registration is \$25.00 before Aug. 16 and \$30.00 after Aug. 16. For information, go to their website listed above, or email Seminar Chairman at cindys@wavecable.com.

30 Sept 2006 – Sumner , WA

Heritage Quest Research Library presents "Late" Summer Quest. Digging in Dead Man's Land with Jim & Debbie Johnson See website for details and more summer classes. www.hqrl.com

6-7 Oct 2006 – Keizer, OR

Genealogical Council of Oregon presents the Oregon Statewide Biennial Genealogy Conference. Theme: Migration – The Process of Change with Paula Stuart-Warren, CG.

7 Oct 2006 - Spokane, WA

Eastern Washington Genealogical Society will have Michael John Neill, of Moline, IL, as their Fall Workshop key speaker in Spokane, WA. Mr. Neill said this will be his first visit to the state of Washington. A national speaker, he writes a column for Ancestry Daily News, administers a Roots Web message board, as well as being a co-writer for several mid-west states in the famous "Red Book". More information will be forthcoming. Program chairman, Pat Mielbrecht, can be reached at pastout@direcway.com

21 Oct 2006 – Tacoma, WA

The Tacoma-Pierce County Genealogical Society Annual Fall Seminar with Lloyd Bockstruck on Lesser Used Genealogical Records and more.

<http://www.rootsweb.com/~watpcgs/events.html> for more information.

13-14 April 2007 - Wenatchee, WA

The Washington State Genealogical Society will hold their 2007 Annual Conference and Business Meeting at the Wenatchee Center Hotel & Conference Center. The theme will be, "Climbing Your Family Tree." More information will be forthcoming, but you should think about getting your reservations at the hotel now as there are other activities going on that weekend in Wenatchee. The hotel telephone number is 1-800-663-1144 and tell them you are with the Washington State Genealogy group. The rate of one night (1 or 2 people) is \$93.00 plus taxes. We have 40 rooms reserved and can get more, if needed and they are available. Details will be posted as they become available, but be sure to mark your calendars now.

www.Rootsweb.com/~wsGS/

**2006 March-July New Books at the Olympia Library**

The Crooked & Narrow Streets of Boston by Annie Haven Thwing.
Genealogy 974.461 THWING 1920

Directory of Genealogical & Historical Societies, Libraries, and Periodicals in the US and Canada Vol. 1 & 2 Edited by Dina C. Carson.
Genealogy 929.1025 DIRECTOR 2006

Donated by Jewell Dunn

Church Cemeteries of Upper Hanover County, VA by Judith P. Lowry & L. Eugene Atkinson.
Genealogy 975.54 LOWRY 2004

Church Cemeteries of Lower Hanover County, VA by L. Eugene Atkinson & Judith P. Lowry.
Genealogy 975.54 LOWRY 2004

The History of Long Island from its Discovery and Settlement to the Present Time.... by Benjamin F. Thompson.
Genealogy Micro 974.721 THOMPSON 1943.
This is shelved with the Genealogy books.

Donated by Earle McNeil

Haddock's Centennial History of Jefferson County, N.Y. from 1793 to 1894 by John A. Haddock. Genealogy 974.757 HADDOCK 1895

Portrait and Biographical Album of Lenawee County, Mich.
Genealogy 977.4 PORTRAIT 1888

Donated in Memory of Janice Smith

Denizations and Naturalizations in the British Colonies in America by Lloyd deWitt Bockstruck. Genealogy 929.1 BOCKSTRUCK 2005

Purchased with OGS Funds

Church of Ireland Records by Raymond Refausse.
Genealogy 941.5 REFAUSSE 2005

Tracing Your Donegal Ancestors by Godfrey F. Duffy
Genealogy 941.5 DUFFY 1996

Annals and Antiquities of the Counties and County Families of Wales, Vols. 1 & 2 by Thomas Nicholas, M.A., Ph.D, F.G.S., &c.
Genealogy 942.9 NICHOLAS 1991

Donated in Memory of Wayne Hannah

A Hannah Family of West Virginia compiled by Wayne & Maureen Hannah
Genealogy 929.2 HANNAH 2000

Other Donations

Norden: A Guide to Scandinavian Genealogical Research in a Digital World
By Art Jura. Genealogy 948 JURA 2003

Norwegian Research Guide by Linda M. Herrick and Wendy K. Uncapher
Genealogy 948.1 HERRICK 2004

Purchased by Timberland Regional Library

New England Court Records: A Research guide for Genealogists and Historians by Diane Rapaport. Genealogy 974 RAPAPORT 2006
(There is also a circulating copy of this book.)

Pedigree Charts of OGS Members

If you are an OGS member and would like to have your pedigree chart printed here, please send your pedigree information to the Quarterly editor, OGS, P.O.Box 1313, Olympia, WA 98507-1313 or email to franand@earthlink.net

Submitted by **Thomas Delano Wurth**,
(Ahnentafel numbering)

1. **WURTH**, Thomas Delano: b. 19 Jun 1937, Spokane, Washington; m. 9 Apr 1968, Chula Vista, California, to Pauline Alice ALLEN b. 28 Oct 1937, Ketchikan, Alaska.
2. **WURTH**, Thomas Cleveland: b. 19 Nov 1884, Plattsmouth, Nebraska; m. 16 July 1913, West Point, Nebraska; d. 25 Dec 1971, Spokane, Washington
3. **SMITH**, Mary Fannie: b. 24 Aug 1893, Boone, Nebraska; d. 13 Apr 1986, Spokane, Washington.
4. **WURTH**, Albert: b. 4 May 1859, Jerseyville, Illinois; m. 17 Oct 1883, Plattsmouth, Nebraska; d. 20 Nov 1938, Valentine, Nebraska.
5. **BARRY**, Jane: b. 17 Feb 1865, Marysville, Ohio; d. 08 Aug 1927, Mission, South Dakota.
6. **SMITH**, William Henry: b. 14 Jul 1864, Columbia, Pennsylvania; m. 3 Aug 1892, Wheeling, Iowa; d. 12 Jun 1943, Columbus, Nebraska.
7. **WILSON**, Eden: b. 30 Aug 1866, Pleasantville, Iowa; d. 29 Feb 1928, Columbus, Nebraska.
8. **WURTH**, Vincent: b. 6 Jan 1829, Baden Baden, Germany; m. 16 Apr 1855, Jersey County, Illinois; d. 13 Feb 1914, Jerseyville, Illinois.
9. **KITZENBERGER**, Friederica: b. 1838, Wurttemberg, Germany; d. 1870, Jerseyville, Illinois.
10. **BARRY**, Thomas L.: b. 1824, Pennsylvania.
11. **HEADLEY**, Sarah (Sadie): b. 1828, Monroe County, Ohio.
12. **SMITH**, Mahlon Johnson: b. 23 Nov 1840, Chester County, Pennsylvania; m. 9 Jul 1862, Columbia, Pennsylvania; d. 25 Jul 1915, Albion, Nebraska.
13. **CLARK**, Fannie Catherine: b. 8 Jun 1842, Mt. Joy, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania; d. 20 Dec 1922, Columbus, Nebraska.
14. **WILSON**, John: b. 24 Jun 1824, Knaresborough, Yorkshire, England; m. 25 Dec 1854, Preston, Lancastershire, England; d. 1 Sep 1899, Pleasantville, Iowa.
15. **METCALF**, Mary: b. 31 May 1826, Sedbergh, Yorkshire, England; d. 21 Jan 1923, Pleasantville, Iowa.

Excerpts from *Glimpses of Gate*

According to the author, Judith Upton, the following is an example of creating a character by having people who knew him describe him at different periods of his life.

Reverend Andrew Anderson

"We landed in Olympia March 19, 1884. We stopped with my sister, Martha Burch, until a place could be secured. This was finally accomplished by renting a place from a Mr. Rose below Oakville. For the use of the place I was to split and set some 3,000 hop poles. The house was occupied by a wood rat."
Reverend Anderson

Story:

Andrew was born in Helsingland, Sweden, in 1840. His family left in the spring of 1849, and arrived by wagon in Illinois in October. There his mother died in premature childbirth, and his father and youngest brother, Olaf, died of cholera. He was the oldest, left with a younger brother and sister. They were placed into separate foster families.

Andrew was mustered into the 30th Illinois Volunteer Infantry in 1861. "The irreligious conditions that shocked me at first soon wore off, and I enjoyed the camp life, but not perfectly, for its rudeness and wickedness found a silent protest in my heart." He was an eye-witness to several battles, including that at Shiloh, before he was mustered out in 1864.

During a camp meeting in Illinois in 1868, he was "clearly and most satisfactorily converted, and was most deeply impressed to the purpose of the ministry." In 1870 he was licensed to preach, in 1875 he married Mary Deacon. She caught pneumonia in 1880 and died within four days. Andrew was left with four young children. He was re-married to Candace Otelia Austin in 1881. "Her strength of character, I believed, would be a help to my children." They moved their family to Washington Territory, where he became a circuit-riding preacher. In reflecting on his calling, he said, "I am impressed with...the importance of the work of which I have had an insignificant part. The work of the church is the cultivation of the moral and spiritual nature of man. All the good are not dead, and all that are living are not bad." Excerpted from the Autobiography of Reverend Andrew Anderson

"I used to say to my father, 'Why don't you get a church?' And he said, 'There's a lotta young bucks that want those jobs,' so he took the things that other people didn't want to do. He went to Grand Mound, Mima Prairie, Little Rock, Independence, and as far as McCleary and Yelm. And that was riding a horse. He preached at Gate in the (Big) Schoolhouse. He never spent a lot of time preparing sermons. He did that when he was out doing his farm work. During the week he farmed like anyone else. My father was quite a strict man. I can't remember him laughing a great deal, but he would get amused." Gertrude Anderson Ross

"Will Austin [Candace's son] and his step-brother Joe were near an age, and were chums in work and play. When Will was around 12 and Joe 10, they were sent out to plow in the field near the house. Grandpa Anderson sat by the window that overlooked the field while he read and prepared his sermon for his circuit rounds that week. The boys would start the oxen down the furrow and run around on the other side and catch up and go on across. They were not getting the work done fast enough, so he went

out to straighten out the foolishness. He asked what they were doing, and they said there was a yellow jacket nest in the ground and that was the only way they could plow. He said, 'Cowards, cowards. Give me those handles and I'll show you how.' He took over and started through the nest that was nicely stirred up from the last round, and as he neared it he started slapping and swatting yellow jackets. As he went faster and faster he was saying, 'My conscience, my conscience.' You couldn't hurry oxen, and Grandpa's conscience was bothering him pretty bad by the time he got across the field. Once was enough to show how it was done, and he retreated to the house. Secretly I expect they wondered what he would use for exclamations." Lillian Pilcher

When Andrew turned 75, Oliver Brewer had a birthday party for him. Guests included Rev. Ebenezer Hopkins, Rev. Wilson, and Jacob Filz, who had all served in the Civil War with him. Anderson moved in with his daughter Abby, who lived close to the train depot, and continued to go out preaching "until he was frail."

"While he was a very effective and a most faithful pastor, he was so retiring and humble in estimating his own abilities that he always kept to himself in rural appointments... No pastor in this conference ever traveled more miles to preach in small communities which would have been without the Gospel, if it had not been for him. He had the spirit of the pioneer preacher, and was welcomed in the humblest homes, where he entered into the life of the people and inspired them with his Godly and sincere life." Joseph P. Marlatt, Pastor First M.E. Church, Everett, in tribute to the memory of Rev. Anderson, who died in March, 1916.

Sophia Ann Osmer Smith

The author, Judith Upton, suggests that we could ponder on whether Sophia was a "typical" pioneer woman, and in what ways (marrying an older man, losing children, moving away from family etc). And in what ways would it affect her world view and what she passed on to her daughters?

One of Sophia's lasting memories from her childhood in Pennsylvania was of the Indian braves who were passing by and would come in to lay by her family's fire at night. They would leave before daylight, with wild birds or game left behind to pay for their lodging.

When her mother died and her older sister married her teacher, Sophia was left keeping house for her father, brothers and little sisters. It's thought that that's when she developed the temper "which she displayed until the very last."



When she was sixteen, her family was living in Kansas. She went to fetch water from Diamond Spring Creek, and found thirty-three year old Adolphus Smith from Middle Creek resting there. He said he never saw anything so pretty. They were married at her father's in January of 1860,

Sophia had seven children in fourteen years. Five lived for only one to 28 months, and died from "cholera morbus infantum." When she developed scurvy, the doctor recommended she eat raw potatoes. They didn't have potatoes, or the money to buy them. That was when her teeth were weakened, and a traveling dentist came to her home and pulled them. She had three more children.

After they were married, Sophia came across papers that indicated that Adolphus had not only been in Australia, but had married there and had a son. Apparently his wife wouldn't come to this country with him, so he had divorced her. While the discovery "created quite a furor," they seem to have resolved it, as it was never mentioned in the family until a few years before their death.

Their oldest son was twenty-three and already working in California when they decided to move their remaining family west from Kansas in 1885. Even with John Henry home to help with the move, it took a week to get everything ready. Sophia baked a five gallon can of doughnuts to bring along, and took a coffee pot to heat up on the stove in the corner of the passenger coach. They also took a single woman friend, Theresa Magradey, so she would have someone to watch out for her in the west. She got a job in Olympia working for a seamstress. They rode out on an "immigration" train that would stop along the way so people could look over the country.

When they arrived at Tenino, James Eshom met them at the station and took their goods by wagon out to the Gate farm. When they arrived, the Rectors were still there, so the Smiths stayed with Eshoms until they could move into their own home.

Tragedy followed Sophia. Her son Frank died at 17 of pneumonia, and John Henry died at 31, unmarried, of smallpox. Her last three children, all girls, lived. One never married, one never had children, and one had five children, only three of whom survived to adulthood.

Sophia died in at Gate in 1926, at the age of 85, and is buried in the Odd Fellows Cemetery in Tumwater, Washington.

Adolphus Rheuben Smith, Store Owner

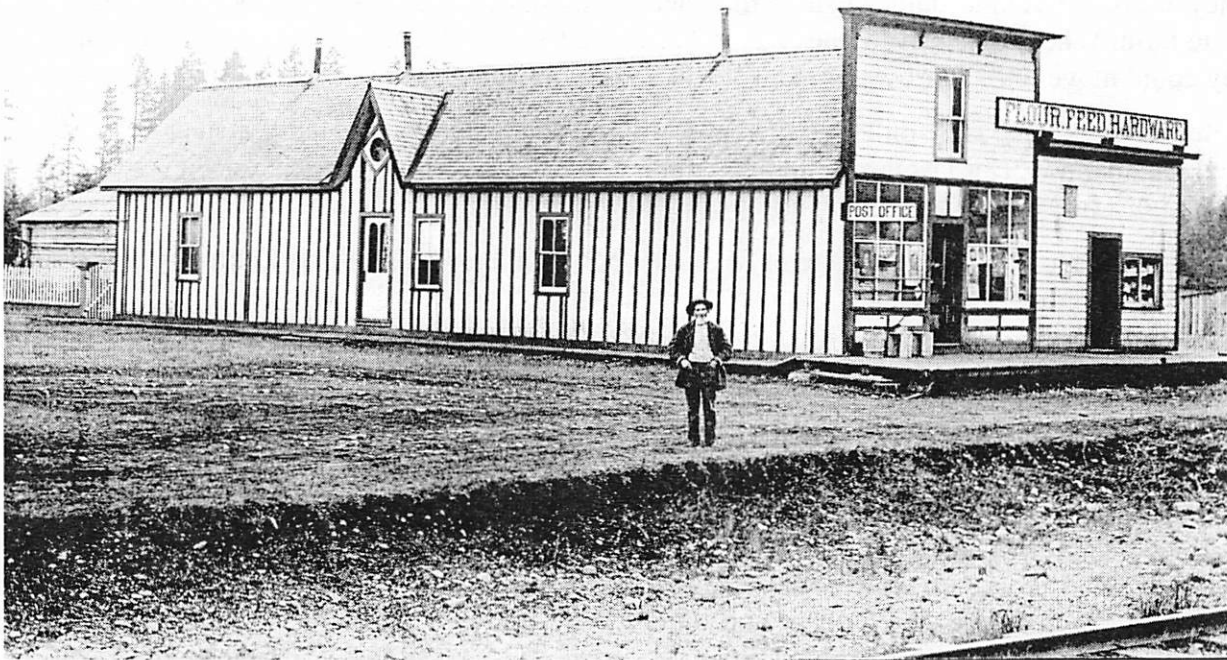
The colorful life of the man who opened the first store, A. R. Smith, unfolded through stories told by his only granddaughter, Lillian Austin Pilcher, and documents she shared. Born in Vermont in 1827, Adolphus was raised in the east by a mother widowed young, and graduated from the common schools. He made a public profession of religion in the land of Goshen in the fall of 1842. He was declared "qualified to instruct youth in an English school in the State of New Hampshire" by the time he was 18. He apparently graduated from Andover College, where he was on the rowing team. Afterward, he went to Australia in search of health and stayed there four years, then came home by way of Europe, traveling through England and Ireland.

Lillian reported that "some people thought Grandpa was a liar, bit it wasn't so much what he said as what he didn't say. He just let them think what they wanted to. When someone would remark that Australia must be a pretty place to see, he'd just agree that it was, with no further explanation. But he'd been there all along."

We do know that in 1860, he reappeared in Lawrence, Kansas and was married to Sophia Ann Osmer. In Lawrence, they had a hotel and rooming house right by the railroad switching station. They boarded and lodged the train men and had a little store in front of the building. During those years, he had a wagon in which he traveled all over western Kansas and Utah selling beads and tin wear to the Indians and frontiersmen, sometimes swapping for buffalo hide robes. When he came west the first time, he worked for room and board a winter at Bruce Dodge's so he could see how the weather was around this area. He wrote back to Sophia saying she need not pack the buffalo robes, as they would not need them out here.

He wanted a farm with a little creek on it, but "most of the good land was taken." In 1885 he purchased Farndale, a section and an eighty acre timber claim, extending to the edge of the Chehalis Indian Reservation, owned by the three orphaned Rector boys, Frank, 26, Jesse and Irvine, 21. It already had a house and barn on it, some fruit trees and a shed or two, some animals and equipment.

When both of his young adult sons died leaving him without farm hands, Adolphus, now in his mid-fifties with three young girls still at home, needed an additional way to support his family. He kept the farm and gardened there, while building the store with attached living quarters, and a barn, in Gate proper.



"Grandpa A. R. Smith and his store, one of the first buildings in Gate City, Washington. This was a jumpin' off place, the end of the line. Grandpa began building before the railroad completed the line. He built there before the water tank was put up or the depot was built on the west end of town. The family moved into living quarters on the right side of the store. In 1890, Grandpa was appointed Office of Postmaster at Gate City, with all the 'powers, privileges, and emoluments,' which included the right to marry people. The mail arrived by train at least twice a day." Courtesy Lillian Pilcher

Note the barn at the left, and the post office sign on the corner of the building.

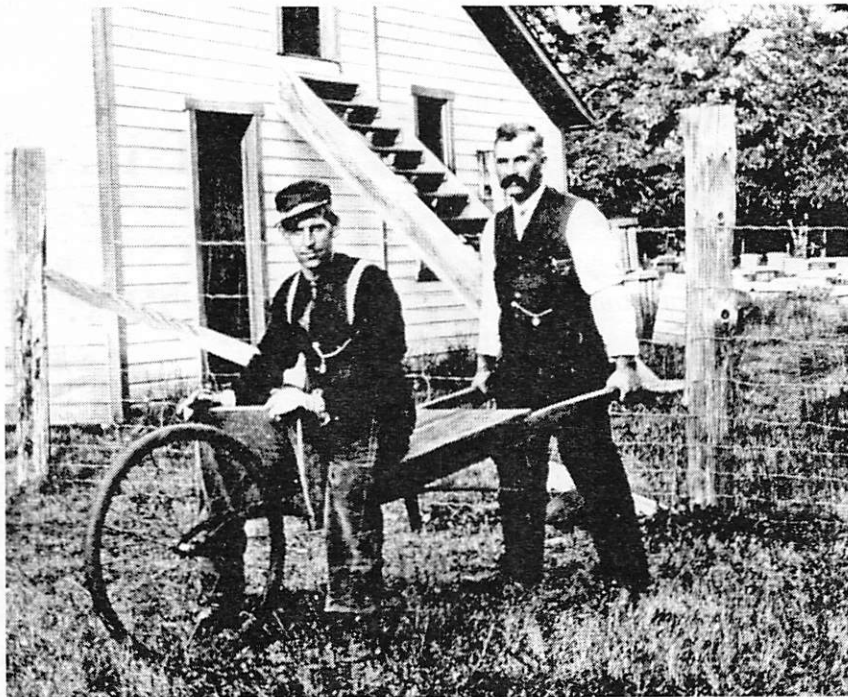
Besides selling supplies and having the post office, the store served other purposes. People would come in and change their clothes there because they would get muddy traveling the roads to get to the train depot. They'd go on about their business, and come back to the store and pick up their clothes. Before there were banks, the local merchants would cash checks for people. There was a lean-to for a feed room where Smith kept his money in a small metal box. When he cashed checks, he counted it out in gold. Once someone got off the train and tried to hold up the store. After they got to banking, his oldest daughter Josie would take the horse and buggy to Centralia and do business with hundreds of dollars in gold. There are records of Smith assuming mortgages for his neighbors with interest at 12% per annum.

When the logging camps closed, people started moving out of town leaving their debts at the store unpaid. It almost broke Smith, so he sold out his stock, and then sold the store to Porters to live in. It was torn down around the time of World War II, and Virgil Brandt took the long timbers to build the roof on his house. Smiths retired in Olympia, where Adolphus took out library books in Latin and Greek. He died in 1906 at 75 years of age, and was buried in Tumwater.

Beeman Blair

George Blair, a bachelor, married Jack Mitchell's mother, Della Ames Mitchell, in 1918. Jack Mitchell told the story of Gate's resident "apiarist."

This is step-dad Blair, with the wheelbarrow that he wheeled his honey on. He built that in 1902. This is the shop that he built. He had his bees right back in there. [In the wheelbarrow] is Cecil Armstrong, who was there at Gate for years and years. Courtesy Jack Mitchell.



"He was born in Pennsylvania, but he come to Gate from Luddington, Michigan, where he was raised. There were great big advertisements back there in the newspaper about Gate City going to be a big railroad terminal. He read them advertisements and wanted to come West. He come out here in 1901 and stayed over an awful rough winter. It poured down rain, and he got disgusted and went back to Michigan. They had a real hard winter there, so the next year he come back to Gate and stayed. His folks come out after he did. Eventually the whole family all come out.

Beekeeping was his business all his life. He had his shop right across from the little school house. We lived on down the lane. Them hills there at Gate at that time was all red with acres and acres of fireweed. That's what he made his honey off of. It makes way milder honey than anything else. It's white, prèt'near crystal clear, a little clearer than clover honey. They saved maple honey for themselves. The bees would hang like wisteria from broadleaf maple.

Step-dad rented flat cars one time and put bees way up into Bordeaux's woods. It was just a tryout. The Northern Pacific took 'em up to Bordeaux, then the loggin' company hooked on and hauled 'em up in the woods. He got 'em closer to the fireweed, thought they'd make more honey. The bees flew it home two, three miles and give as much honey as the ones sittin' up there in the middle of it. He put out 100 stands. They didn't do a bit better than the ones that flew up there.

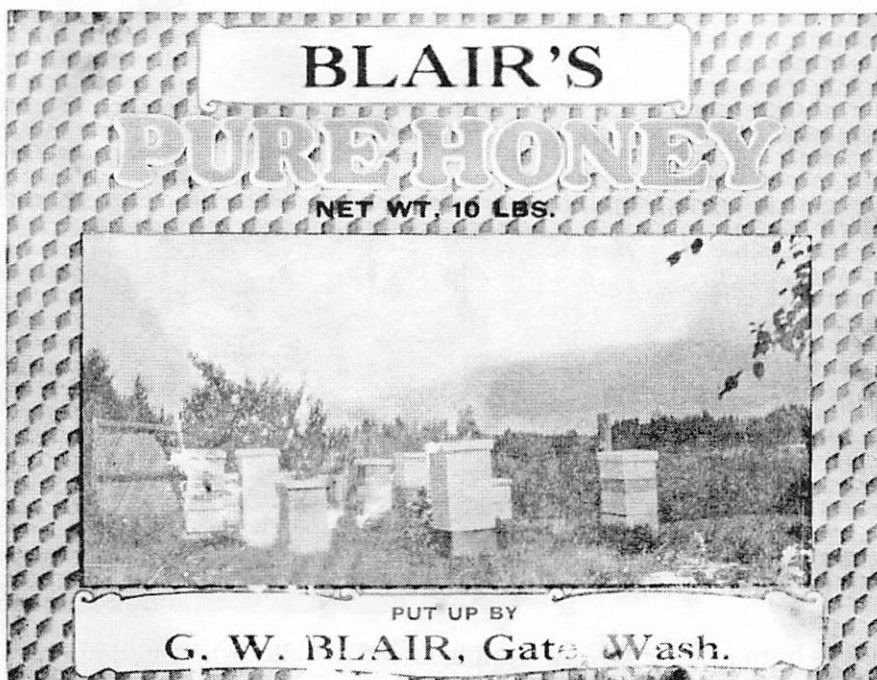
He run 300-350 hives with two acres to one hive of bees. He had 75,400 colonies of bees He would build the frames that you would put into the hives for them to put their combs on. He would buy two or three pounds of bees to start a new hive from California or as far back as Louisiana. He'd buy new queens every two years to keep good quality stock.

It would take about two weeks just to do the extracting, 1800 pounds a day was our limit. He put up twelve to fifteen ton a year. He had a honey pump, pumped it from the extractor up to the settling tank. Then it was all strained through cheesecloth, and stored in five gallon cans. At that time we got about seven or eight dollars for a five gallon can. He'd work hard two weeks, then go on vacation two weeks.

He was the most wealthy man in Gate. He made \$84,000 on bees. The first year there was income tax he paid over \$5000. At the last, step-dad Blair was bedridden seven years from a heart attack. He went out of business. They sent a letter from Washington, D.C. to the Gate post office to ask what happened to the trade."

An original honey label from George Blair's ten pound can of local honey. Courtesy Lillian Pilcher

"He advertised at one time in twenty-seven different papers. He continually advertised in the Seattle PI, Tacoma Ledger and Oregonian. He sent it parcel post in ten pound pails. He shipped honey all over the world, as far as Germany, up to twenty-seven pails a day."
Lynn Mitchell



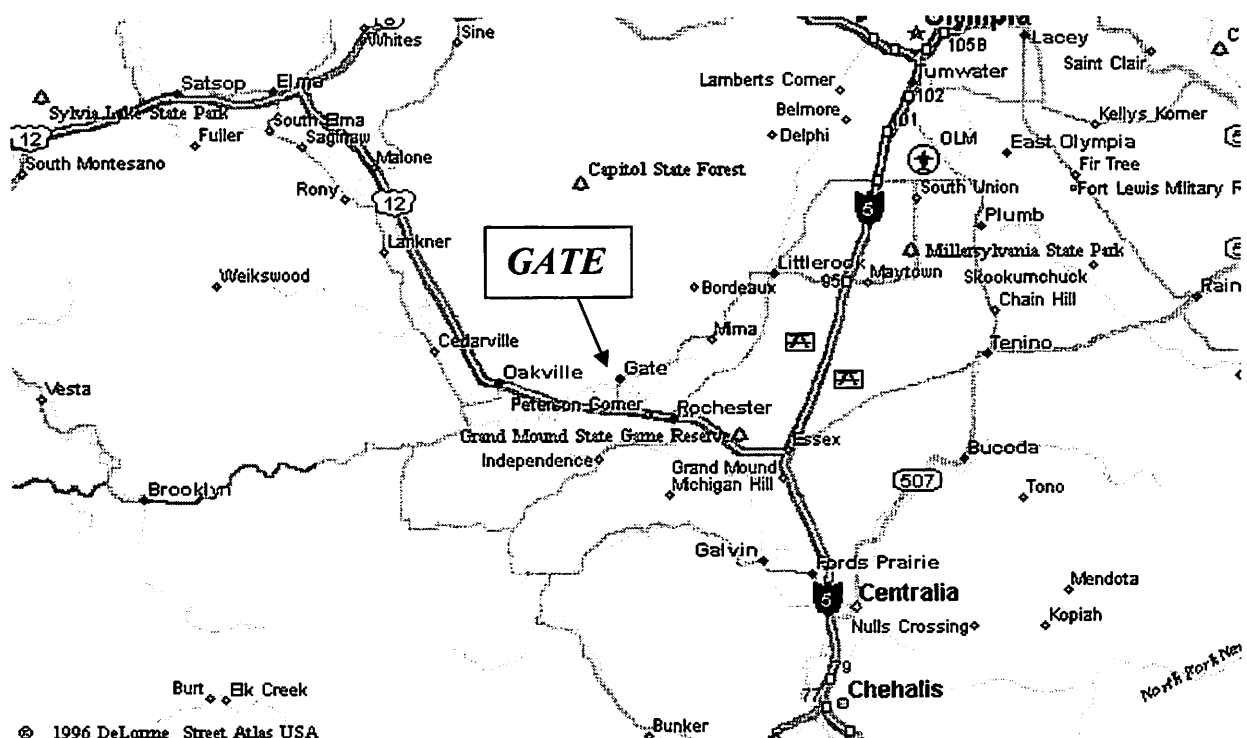
These stories are taken from *Glimpses of Gate* which can be ordered by emailing the author, Judith Upton, at gateproject@comcast.net. It sells for \$25 which includes tax, and requires \$2.75 for S&H.

More about Gate:

(From an internet article by Paul Curtiss of Tacoma, WA)

Gate City boomed as a railroad center in 1890's. The town expected to be the site of the railroad shops which were later built in South Tacoma. The city is located at a narrow end of the Black River Valley and was considered the gateway to the Grays Harbor area, the "Gateway to the Coast." The original name applied by the Northern Pacific Railroad Company in 1890 was Harlowe Junction, in honor of Charles Harlowe, a railroad engineer. It was the junction of the railroad lines from Lakeview and Centralia. The station name was changed to Gate City on August 10, 1891. In some references the name has been reduced to Gate. The town site was dedicated by Samuel C Woodruff, its plat being recorded on October 11, 1890. Woodruff was also involved with the Olympia and Tumwater Railway, Light and Power Company, The Olympia, Tumwater and Brighton Park Motor Railway Company and the West Side Railway Company - all in Olympia. The town is located 22 miles south of Olympia, west of Centralia, on the Black River, southwest Thurston County. Thurston (S26, T16N, R4W) Tacoma Gate Line 18 Hk WA Centralia 13.8 and Tacoma Grays Harbor Line 16 Hk WA St Clair 28.6

Section of map showing location of Gate, Washington



Memorials

Grace M. Soenke

(31 December 1916 – 30 March 2006)

Grace M. Soenke died at her home on March 30, 2006 at the age of 89; Grace was born on December 31, 1916 at Eagle Point Township, Wisconsin. She was preceded in death by her husband, Leonard P. Soenke, four sisters, and two brothers. She is survived by her son Eric (Genie) Bauer, Bonny Lake, Washington, two daughters, Christine (Darwin) Van Berkomp, Powers Lake, North Dakota, and Mycole (Donald) Olsen, Kent, Washington. Grace is also survived by three step daughters. Linda (Greg) Shay, Seattle, Washington, Paula (John) Kennedy, Colbert, Washington, and Karen (Larry Elk) Soenke, Newport, Washington. Grace has 10 grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren, and 2 great, great grandchildren. Grace was a member of the Daughters Of Norway, MOOA, Military Widows, Degree of Honor and the Olympia Senior Center. Grace was also very active in her church. Memorial services will be held at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church on April 8, 2006 at 2:00 p.m. The family requests that in lieu of flowers, donations be made to the American Cancer Society, or Gloria Dei Lutheran Church.

The Olympian, Wednesday, April 5, 2006

Grace had been a member of Olympia Genealogical Society continuously since 1998.

Carol Josephine Deborah Brady Gamino

(25 December 1937 – 10 April 2006)

Mrs. Carol J. Gamino, a 36-year resident of Thurston County, died on Monday, April 10, 2006, after several years of declining health from pulmonary fibrosis.

"Carol Jo", as she was known to the family, was born on December 25, 1937. She was one of five children born to William Henry Brady, Sr. and his wife, Vera May Towner, in Los Angeles County, California. Carol graduated in 1956 from Garfield High School in Los Angeles. She married the love of her life, Augustine Gamino of San Bernardino, California, on October 13, 1956. They lived in various cities in the Southern California area until 1970, when they moved with three of their four children to rural Thurston County. Their fourth child was born here in Washington.

Carol was a loving wife, "Mama", and "Nana" to her family. Waiting to be together once again are her devoted husband, Augie; and their children and their families, Patt "Sugar" O'Neil, her husband, Kevin, and their children, Jamie and Laura, all of Olympia, Katie Perry, and her husband, Darrell, of Olympia, Andy "Drew", and his fiancée, Missy Schwartz, of Bellingham, and Tom, of Aberdeen, and his family, daughters Danielle and McKayla, and their mother, Tracy, of Crofton, Maryland. She was a wonderful sister to Vera May Benjamin, of Petaluma, California, Ann Padilla, of Oracle, Arizona, and Bill Brady, Jr., of Killeen, Texas. She also was a dear aunt to over one hundred nieces and nephews to three generations out. She was preceded in death by her parents, Bill Sr. and Vera May, and her older brother, Gerald Brady.

Along with the visitation, a Rosary will be said in her honor on Tuesday, April 18, 2006, at 7:00 p.m. at the Woodlawn Mortuary Chapel on Mullen Road in Lacey. A Funeral Mass will be said on Wednesday, April 19, 2006, at 10:00 a.m. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church on Bowker Street in Lacey. Following a reception at Hallen Hall, there will be a commitment ceremony at Olympic Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Tumwater. It is suggested that memorial donations be sent to the Thurston County 4-H or to the Holy Rosary School in Tacoma, Washington.

The Olympian, Saturday, April 15, 2006

Carol (with her husband) had been a member of Olympia Genealogical Society most years from 1983 to 2004.

THURSTON COUNTY MARRIAGE RECORDS – 1893 PACKETS (unless otherwise noted)

01/01/1893 [Marr Book M3-6] – BRICKER, C. H. of Olympia and WIRICK, Emma of Olympia by J. S. McCallum, Minister. Consent of mother of bride. Witnesses: H. F. Bilger and Lucy M. Hildebrand. Filed 01/03/1893. [License Book II-197 – 12/28/1892]

01/02/1893 [Marr Packet 1892]– McCLELLAND, Harvey of Olympia and GUNSTON, Maggie of Olympia by S. A. Bright, Minister. Certificate of G. A. Ingersoll. Witnesses: Geo. A. Ingersoll and Jane E. Ingersoll of Olympia. Filed 01/16/1893 [License Book II-197 – 12/30/1892]

01/04/1893 - DRAKE, George L. of South Union and FORD, Eva of Mound Prairie at Olympia by R. B. Crandall, Jr. Consent of father & mother of bride. Witnesses: J. P. Moore and D. G. Paisley.. Filed 01/03/1893 [License Book II-198 - 01/03/1893]

01/11/1893 - BETHEL, Clarence H. of South Bay, Thurston Co and KANDLE/CANDLE, Della of Tumwater at Tumwater by W. E. Prichard, Baptist Minister. Certificate of Chas. H. Pridham. Witnesses: Chas. Pridham, Olympia, and Euphemill O'Bannon. Filed 01/26/1893 [License Book II-198 - 01/11/1893]

01/11/1893 - HARTMAN, William F. of Shylock, Thurston Co. and BENNETT, Laura E. of Pierce Co. at Olympia by T. J. Lamont, Clergyman. Certificate of Henry Labin. Witnesses: Jenise A. Lamont and E. Blanche Lamont. Filed 02/04/1893 [License Book II-198 - 01/11/1893]

01/12/1893 - HUTTON, William Wood of Olympia and WIRICK, Waty Ann Fry of Olympia at Olympia by R. B. Crandall, Jr. Certificate of C. H. Bricker. Witnesses: C. H. Bricker and W. B. Namia, both of Olympia. Filed 01/10/1893 [License Book II-198 - 01/10/1893]

01/15/1893 [Marr Return #178] - WINSLOW, C. A. of Mud Bay and BAKER, Civilla M. of Mud Bay at Olympia by E. H. Goodwin, Minister. Consent of Wm. O. Baker. Witnesses: Frank Labor and Etta Labor. Filed 11/07/1893 [License Book II-199 - 01/14/1893]

01/15/1893 [Marr Return #177]- MIX, R. J. of Mud Bay and WHEELER, Martha Isabel of Mud Bay at Olympia by E. H. Goodwin, Minister. Certificate and consent of R. J. Wheeler. Witnesses: Frank Laber and Etta Laber. Filed 11/07/1893 [License Book II-199 - 01/14/1893]

01/19/1893 - McTURK, Lee of Tacoma and REAVES, Rena of Tacoma at Olympia by J. C. Rathbun, J.P. Certificate of John Langley. Witnesses: Ada Brandon and John Langley. Filed 01/20/1893 [License Book II-199 - 01/19/1893]

01/22/1893 - LITTLEJOHN, George N. of Olympia and HUITT, Anna of Littlerock at by H. F. Tyler, Minister. Consent of Mrs. Mary E. Gilmore, mother of bride. Witnesses: Emma Littlejohn and Benjamin W. Denny. Filed 02/11/1893 [License Book II-199 - 01/21/1893]

01/27/1893 - ELLIOTT, John P. of South Bay and KEE, Rebecca M. of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania at Olympia by Rufus T. Chase, Rector, St Johns Church, Olympia. Both of age. Witnesses: William K. Eshing and May E. Scammel. Filed 02/01/1893 [License Book II-200 - 01/27/1893]

02/08/1893 - MORRISON, Wm. G. of Bucoda and PRINCE, Sirrilda of Bucoda at Olympia by R. B. Crandall, J.P. Consent of parents of both. Witnesses: John Aldridge and W. A. Patterson. Filed 02/09/1893 [License Book II-200 - 02/08/1893]

02/16/1893 - STEBBINS, Rufus Levi of Rainier and BLANKENSHIP, Maggie Helen of Rainier at Rainier by Alex C. Blankenship, V.D.M. Consent of father of bride. Witnesses: A. G. Henderson and Hattie A. Henderson, both of Rainier. Filed 02/21/1893 [License Book II-200 - 02/13/1893]

02/27/1893 - LLOYD, Harry of Shelton, Mason Co. and ERICKSON, Jennie of Shelton, Mason Co. at Olympia by M. G. Royal, Deacon, M. E. Church. Certificate of R. C. Corey. Witnesses: R. C. Corey and Kate Corey, both of Olympia. Filed 02/27/1893 [License Book II-200 - 02/27/1893]

03/04/1893 - PRIDHAM, Charles H. of Olympia and BETHEL, Griselda of Olympia at Olympia by Napoleon Hoagland, Minister, First Unitarian Church. Certificate of Clarence H. Bethel. Witnesses: Geo. A. Barnes and Mrs. P. C. Hale. Filed 03/04/1893 [License Book II-201 - 03/04/1893]

03/27/1893 - BRAY, Frederick of Olympia and HAZELWOOD, Sarah J of Olympia at Olympia by R. B. Crandall, J.P. Certificate and consent of J. S. Dobbins, guardian of bride. Witnesses: Narcissa D. Berry and John Fry, both of Olympia. Filed 03/27/1893 [License Book II-201 - 03/27/1893]

04/02/1893 - JEWELL, Frank D. of Olympia and CONINE, May of Yelm at Roy, Washington by George P. Wood, J.P. Certificate of J. W. Dent. Witnesses: J. C. Conine and A. W. Wert. Filed 04/04/1893 [License Book II-201 - 03/31/1893]

04/02/1893 - GRIM, Elmer E. of Olympia and TICE, Lottie D. of Olympia at Olympia by S. A. Bright, Minister. Certificate and consent of Mrs. Sarah E. Tice. Witnesses: Chas. E. Duncan and Cora A. Rich, both of Olympia. Filed 04/03/1893 [License Book II-201 - 04/02/1893]

04/10/1893 - WOODRUFF, Samuel Crosby of Olympia and BURNTRAGER, Edith Margaret of Olympia at Olympia by Rufus Chase, Rector, Epis. Church, Olympia. Certificate of Thos. F. Basse. Witnesses: W. F. Keady and M. O'Conner, both of Olympia. Filed 04/12/1893 [License Book II-202 - 04/10/1893]

04/14/1893 - STOCKAND, W. A. of Rainier and BLANKENSHIP, Lou of Rainier at Olympia by T. J. Lamont, Clergyman. Certificate of George Gelbach and consent of father of bride. Witnesses: Mrs. T. J. Lamont and Blanche Lamont, both of Olympia. Filed 04/24/1893 [License Book II-202 - 04/14/1893]

04/16/1893 - MILLS, James M. of South Union and LAWRENCE, Maggie R. of South Union at South Union by R. G. Pettibone, Minister. Certificate of Jesse T. Mills. Witnesses: R. W. Gilliland and Alex McIntyre, both of South Union. Filed 06/21/1893 [License Book II-202 - 04/15/1893]

04/24/1893 - KREIDER, Henry R. of Mabton, Yakima Co. and McCARTHY, Anna of Solomon City, Kansas at Olympia by Fr. Claessens, Priest. Certificate of John Clees. Witnesses: Mr. and Mrs. Kreider. Filed 04/25/1893 [License Book II-202 - 04/22/1893]

04/26/1893 - SCAMMELL, Walter S. of Tacoma, Washington and HARTMAN, Lucy A. F. of Olympia at Olympia by Rufus G. Chase, Minister. Certificate of Charles E. Hartman. Witnesses: Geo. B. Scammel and Wm. K. Esling. Filed 05/21/1893 [License Book II-203 - 04/25/1893]

04/26/1893 - SUTHERLAND, Daniel of Olympia and TAYLOR, Lena L. of Olympia at Olympia by T. J. Lamont, Clergyman. Consent of Mrs. K. E. DeVine, mother of bride. Witnesses: O. C. Prindel and Finlay McDonald. Filed 05/18/1893 [License Book II-203 - 04/26/1893]

04/29/1893 - AVERY, James R. of Olympia and LOVELL, Clara Marinda of Seattle at M.E. Parsonage, Tumwater by R. Massey, Minister. Certificate of George Gelbach. Second marriage for both. Witnesses: Anna Houston Massey and Eva Allred, of Tumwater. Filed 05/02/1893 [License Book II-204 - 04/29/1893]

04/30/1893 - HUFF, Gabriel Ludlow of Beaverton, Washington Co., Oregon and HUMPHREYS, Emily Eliza of Olympia at M. E. Church, Tumwater by R. H. Massey, Minister. Certificate of Mrs. Arthur Payne. Second marriage for both. Witnesses: Anna Houston Massey and Anna E. Bayes. Filed 05/02/1893 [License Book II-203 - 04/27/1893]

04/30/1893 - SERPA, J. R. of Olympia and LUTZ, Laura of Seattle, Washington at Olympia by Chas. Claessens, Priest. Certificate of Jacob Klein. Witnesses: Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Brown. Filed 05/01/1893 [License Book II-203 - 04/28/1893]

05/01/1893 - KINSEY, George Planzo of Los Angeles, California and OWENS, Marguerite of Bucoda at Olympia by M. J. Gordon, Judge. Certificate of G. S. Prince. Witnesses: Edward E. Dillon and Annie Dillon. Filed 05/11/1893 [License Book II-204 - 05/01/1893]

05/01/1893 - REEVES, Judson W. of Olympia and NICHOLS, Carrie E. of Olympia at Olympia by S. Alonzo Bright, Minister. Consent and certificate of Mrs. Kittie L. Reeves. Witnesses: Leland J. Henderson and Harriet E. Henderson, both of Olympia. Filed 05/01/1893 [License Book II-204 - 05/01/1893]

05/04/1893 [Marr Packet 1891-Return #151] - LITTLEJOHN, B. F. of Olympia and BESSE, Cecelia J. of Olympia at So. Union, WA by E. Hopkins, Minister. Certificate of Charles W. Hayden. Witnesses: William Findley and Maggie Besse. Filed 10/16/1893. [License - 05/04/1891]

05/11/1893 - GRAY, William W. of Sumner, Washington and HYDE, Estella V. of Olympia at Olympia by N. P. Ledrick, Minister. License issued in Pierce Co. Witnesses: Chas. W. Duffield and Anna Duffield, both of Olympia. Filed 05/18/1893 [License - 05/10/1893]

05/27/1893 - HILLGROVE, Thomas C. of Montesano, Chehalis Co. and SARGENT, Eliza M. of Olympia at Olympia by O. C. Lacey, J.P. Certificate of Samuel J. Sargent. Second marriage for groom. Witnesses: Saml. J. Seovgeret and John Aldridge, both of Olympia. Filed 06/16/1893 [License Book II-205 - 05/27/1893]

06/01/1893 - MITCHELL, H. W. of Seattle and DeSHAZE, Ellen Olive of Olympia at Olympia by J. C. Rathbun, J.P. Consent of parents of E. O. DeShaze. Witnesses: Andrew Boesel and Mary Elswick. Filed 06/01/1893 [License Book II-205 - 05/31/1893]

06/05/1893 - BREWER, Alonzo O. of Elma and HALLIDAY, Helen of Elma at Olympia by S. A. Bright, Minister. Certificate of A. Ellis and consent of parents of Helen Halliday. Witnesses: Arthur Ellis and Emily Ellis, both of Olympia. Filed 06/06/1893 [License Book II-205 - 06/05/1893]

06/14/1893 - PATTERSON, Robert B. of New Kamilche and HAYES, Margaret of New Kamilche at Olympia by Fr. Claessens, Priest. Certificate of A. L. Campbell. Witnesses: Mrs. Quinn of Kamilche, Mr. Tules of Olympia. Filed 06/15/1893 [License Book II-205 - 06/13/1893]

06/14/1893 - LIVEY, Frank J. of Tacoma and ALLEN, Mable of Tacoma at Olympia by Napoleon Hoagland, Minister, Unitarian Church. Certificate of Jos. Chilberg. Witnesses: Mrs. I. Russell and Mary A. Whitney.. Filed 06/14/1893 [License Book II-206 - 06/14/1893]

06/30/1893 - KAGY, Dell M. of Chambers Prairie and PARSONS, Lela May of Chambers Prairie at Chambers Prairie by S. A. Bright, Minister. Certificate of David Fleetwood. Witnesses: David Fleetwood of Thurston Co and Thos. J. Miller of Olympia. Filed 07/01/1893 [License Book II-206 - 06/29/1893]

07/03/1893 - DAVIES, Even of Yelm Station and CAYLOR, Mary E., Mrs. of Yelm at Olympia by O. C. Lacey, J.P. Certificate of Wm. D. Sumpter. Witnesses: John Aldridge and J. F. Cales, both of Olympia. Filed 07/31/1893 [License Book II-206 - 07/03/1893]

07/09/1893 - HENRY, Alexander of South Union and HENRY, Clara E., Mrs. of South Union at Home by H. F. Tyler, Minister. Consent of George Gelbach. Second marriage for both. Clara is the widow Lewis. Witnesses: Alice E. Parsons and Mrs. Sadie Tyler. Filed 07/14/1893 [License #1073 - 07/08/1893]

07/12/1893 - SHIELDS, Elmer E. of Centralia, Washington and COONS, Cina Bell of Olympia at Olympia by T. J. Lamont, Clergyman. Consent of W. C. Hazzard. Witnesses: W. C. Hazzard and Cinda Coons. Filed 07/18/1893 [License #1074 - 07/11/1893]

07/19/1893 - ELDER, Edwin H. of Roseburg, Oregon and BRODEN, Rose A. of Olympia at Olympia by Fr. Claessens, Priest. Affidavit of W. M. Martin, Olympia. Witnesses: John J. Downey and Katherine Engley, both of Olympia. Filed 07/27/1893 [License Book #1075 - 07/19/1893]

07/27/1893 - MacDONALD, Ernest C. of Olympia and BRINTNALL, Aria Cliffe of Olympia at Olympia by C. L. Diven, Minister. Consent of J. W. Pierce. Witnesses: Gov. John H. McGraw of Seattle and Ex-Gov. Elisha P. Ferry of Olympia. Filed 07/28/1893 [License #1076 - 07/26/1893]

07/27/1893 - STROUT, Lorenzo S. of Olympia and CHAPMAN, Minnie E. of Olympia at Olympia by S. A. Bright, Minister. Affidavit of Geo. S. Hopkins. Witnesses: V. R. Wilson and Allie B. Chapman, both of Olympia. Filed 07/28/1893 [License #1077 - 07/27/1893]

08/10/1893 - MORFORD, William T. of Sunnysdale, Washington and MUMFORD, Velma L. of Olympia at Olympia by S. A. Bright, Minister. License issued in King Co. Witnesses: C. R. Harrold and E. L. Hannah, both of Olympia. Filed 08/12/1893 [License - 08/08/1893]

08/12/1893 - WOLCOTT, George B. of Anacortes, Washington and WEARKMISTER, Dora E. of Olympia at Olympia by T. J. Lamont, Minister. Witnesses: not listed. Filed 08/31/1893 [License #1078 - 08/12/1893]

08/21/1893 - COLE, John M. of Ellensburg, Washington and BETHEL, Maria Angoinette of Olympia at Olympia by T. J. Lamont, Minister. Affidavit of Chas. H. Pridham. Witnesses: Chas. H. Pridham and John T. Bethel. Filed 08/31/1893 [License #1079 - 08/21/1893]

08/22/1893 - McPHERSON, Oliver M. of Gate City and YOCOM, Ada May of Gate City at Gate City by E. W. Smith, J.P. Affidavit of Ada Mary Yocom. Witnesses: S. Eva Smith and John R. Douglas, both of Gate City. Filed 09/01/1893 [License #1080 - 08/22/1893]

08/23/1893 - MONROE, Dan of Olympia and BENJAMIN, Louella of Olympia at Olympia by W. E. Prichard, Baptist Clergyman. License issued in Pierce Co. Witnesses: W. Shroder and Mrs. W. E. Prichard, both of Olympia. Filed 08/31/1893 [License - 08/19/1893]

08/24/1893 - AUSTIN, John A. of Mud Bay and FOWLES, Sadie M. of Mud Bay at Summit Lake by W. E. Prichard, Baptist Clergyman. Certificate of H. Martin, Olympia. Witnesses: L. P. Fowles and R. M. Fowles, both of Summit Lake. Filed 08/25/1893 [License #1081 - 08/23/1893]

08/24/1893 - STRINGER, Sidney W. of Olympia and SEARGENT, Mary A. of Olympia at Olympia by O. C. Lacey, J.P. Affidavit of S. J. Sargent. Witnesses: Wm. Stringer of Olympia and Mrs. H. K. Kendall. Filed 10/06/1893 [License #1082 - 08/24/1893]

08/24/1893 - HUBBARD, Harry B. of Olympia and WIMAN, Flora C. of Olympia at Olympia by S. A. Bright, Minister. Consent of groom's father, H. O. Hubbard. Witnesses: Jns. S. Newcomb and Elizabeth E. Newcomb, both of Olympia. Filed 08/31/1893 [License #1083 - 08/24/1893]

08/31/1893 - JONES, Jacob E. of Pickering, Mason Co and FOSTER, Stella M. of South Bay at Olympia by J. C. Rathbun, J.P. Consent of G. E. Foster. Witnesses: Sophia Foster and Leona Foster. Filed 09/11/1893 [License #1084 - 08/31/1893]

09/06/1893 - STEDMAN, Edward Wm. of Chambers Prairie and PARSONS, Alice Eliza of Chambers Prairie at Chambers Prairie by Dr. Bright, Minister. Affidavit of H. G. Parsons. Witnesses: E. B. Raymond and H. G. Parsons. Filed 11/01/1893 [License #1086 - 09/06/1893]

- 09/07/1893 - RESLER, Albert D. of Bucoda and YANTIS, Rosa L. of Shelton at Olympia by M. J. Gordon, Superior Court Judge. Affidavit of A. N. Yantis. Witnesses: W. H. Roberts of Olympia and C. V. Leach. Filed 09/07/1893 [License #1087 - 09/07/1893]
- 09/09/1893 - LAWRENCE, John of Franklin, King Co and HARRIS, Maggie of Franklin, King Co at Bush Prairie by R. H. Massey, Minister. Affidavit of John Mills of South Union. Witnesses: James Mills and Mrs. S. Custer. Filed 10/19/1893 [License #1088 - 09/09/1893]
- 09/10/1893 - HOLCRAFT, Thos. P. of Olympia and McROSTIE, Jeannie of Olympia at Olympia by T. J. Lamont, Clergyman. Affidavit of Jno. H. Ogden. Witnesses: Eva C. Kirkendall and R. E. Stenner. Filed 09/11/1893 [License #1089 - 09/09/1893]
- 09/12/1893 - ANDERSON, Henry C. of Yelm and KANDLE, Maggie of Yelm at Olympia by J. C. Rathbun, J.P. Affidavit of Geo. A. Barnes. Witnesses: R. B. Crandall and A. W. Ladwell. Filed 09/12/1893 [License #1090 - 09/12/1893]
- 09/19/1893 - POWE, William B. Jr. of Olympia and WHITTAKER, Loretta of Mud Bay at Olympia by S. A. Bright, Minister. Affidavit of F.W.Aldrich. Duplicate entry shows 9/20/1893 as the license date, 9/19/1893 as the marriage date, and 10/12/1893 as the filing date. Witnesses: Caroline Powe and F. W. Aldrich, both of Olympia. Filed 09/26/1893 [License #1091 - 09/19/1893]
- 09/20/1893 - CLIFFORD, Grove of Olympia and CARRIER, Mary Elamer, Mrs. of Olympia at Olympia by J. C. Rathbun, J.P. Affidavit of H. R. Hill. Second marriage for groom. Witnesses: J. S. Carney and Minnie Carney. Filed 10/05/1893 [License #1092 - 09/20/1893]
- 09/21/1893 - McNAMARA, D. W. of South Bend, Pacific Co and BRAUTIGAN, Luduska of Olympia at Olympia by J. C. Rathbun, J.P. Affidavit of John C. Brautigan. Witnesses: J. C. Brautigan and Jeanette Brautigan, both of Olympia. Filed 10/05/1893 [License #1093 - 09/20/1893]
- 10/03/1893 - BERWENT, Jacob of Pacific Co and HALTER, Mary of Olympia at Olympia by O. C. Lacey, J.P. Affidavit of Albert A. Gottfeld. Witnesses: Albert A. Gottfeld and D. Gottfeld, both of Olympia. Filed 10/06/1893 [License #1094 - 10/03/1893]
- 10/05/1893 - KELLY, James of Olympia and STAPLETON, Alice of Olympia at Olympia by J. C. Rathbun, J.P. Affidavit of Pat. J. Maloney. Witnesses: Wm. Kearney and Lizzie Stapleton, both of Olympia. Filed 10/05/1893 [License #1095 - 10/05/1893]
- 10/10/1893 [Marr Return #205] - SMITH, Albert B. of Rainier and INMAN, Florence C. of Rainier at Rainier by H. T. Curl, Minister. Affidavit of C. M. Inman of Rainier. Witnesses: W. J. Inman and Ensie E. Cowdery, both of Rainier. Filed 12/11/1893 [License #1110 - 12/09/1893]
- 10/15/1893 [Marr Return #156] - WHITE, Frank L. of Olympia and McGLOTHLEN, Estella C. of Yelm at by B. F. Coates, J.P. Witnesses: Thomas McGlothlen and G. W. McGlothlen, both of Yelm. Filed 10/18/1893 [License #1096 - 10/13/1893]
- 10/17/1893 [Marr Return #163] - BRAND, Robert of Tenino and KLINGBIL, Mary of Tenino at Olympia by J. C. Rathbun, J.P. Affidavit of Elmer Grim, Thurston Co. Witnesses: Chas. E. Duncan and Carry Erickson. Filed 10/23/1893 [License #1097 - 10/16/1893]
- 10/18/1893 [Marr Return #157] - BOOTH, Arthur A. of Olympia and KELLEY, Mamie of Olympia at Olympia by S. A. Bright, Minister. Affidavit of E. E. Booth. License says groom from Seattle and bride from Vallejo, California. Witnesses: Laura Coates and Elmer E. Booth, both of Olympia Filed 10/19/1893 [License #1098 - 10/17/1893]

10/26/1893 [Marr Return #172] - REYNOLDS, Jasper N. of Yelm and KANDLE, Annie of Yelm at Olympia by J. C. Rathbun, J.P. Affidavit of Walter Kandle. Witnesses: Walter Kandle and J. C. Rathbun. Filed 10/28/1893 [License #1099 - 10/26/1893]

10/28/1893 [Marr Return #173] - RUTLEDGE, Frank J. of Little Rock and ERNST, Leah of Olympia at Olympia by J. W. Welch, Minister. Affidavit of Fred Ernst. Witnesses: Miss Alice Allen of Olympia and Mr. L. A. Mason. Filed 10/30/1893 [License #1100 - 10/28/1893]

10/30/1893 [Marr Return #181] - SIMONSON, DeMott of Seattle and AUREEN, Imogene of Seattle at Olympia by T. J. Lamont, Clergyman. Affidavit of Josephine Brown of Olympia. Second marriage for both. Witnesses: Josephine H. Brown and Jennie A. Lamont. Filed 11/07/1893 [License #1103 - 10/30/1893]

10/30/1893 [Marr Return #228] - SIMMONS, Johnny of Oyster Bay and SAM, Julia of Mud Bay at Oyster Bay by M. G. Mann, Minister. Affidavit of M. G. Mann of Lake View. Groom 1/2 Indian. Witnesses: Jimmy Tobin and Johnny Williams. Filed 03/26/1894 [License #1101 - 10/30/1893]

10/30/1893 [Marr Return #229] - SIMMONS, Jimmy of Oyster Bay and MIX, Lucy of Oyster Bay at Oyster Bay by W. G. Mann, Minister. Affidavit of M. G. Mann of Lake View. Third marriage for groom. Witnesses: Johnny Simmons and Julia Simmons. Filed 03/26/1894 [License #1102 - 10/30/1893]

11/02/1893 [Marr Return #182] - MOLIQUE, John W. of Granite Falls, Snohomish Co and SNETHEN, Effie E. of Granite Falls, Snohomish Co at Olympia by T. J. Lamont, Clergyman. Affidavit of Nelson Tunin of Olympia. Witnesses: Jennie A. Lamont and Vina McCay. Filed 11/07/1893 [License #1104 - 11/02/1893]

11/05/1893 [Marr Return #179] - NEWSUM, Joseph M. of Mud Bay and WOLF, Angelina of Piqua, Mioma Co, Ohio at Mud Bay by E. H. Goodwin, Minister. Affidavit of Ira B. Manvill. Second marriage for groom. Witnesses: John Hays and Caroline Hays, both of Olympia. Filed 11/07/1893 [License #1105 - 11/04/1893]

11/13/1893 [Marr Return #184] - LOVELL, William Henry of Tumwater and BROWN, Samantha V., Mrs. of Tumwater at Tumwater by Chas. E. Hewitt, J.P. Affidavit of George Gelbach of Thurston Co. Second marriage for both. Witnesses: Wm. M. Heath and Diana Heath. Filed 11/21/1893 [License #1106 - 11/13/1893]

12/07/1893 [Marr Return #206] - HOLMAN, Chas. Sheets of South Bay and LUCAS, Grace Sarah of South Bay at South Bay by Rufus S. Chase, Minister, St Johns Church. Affidavit of W. H. Smith. Witnesses: Frank Holman and Mrs. M. Gliddein, both of South Bay. Filed 12/13/1893 [License #1109 - 12/07/1893]

12/12/1893 [Marr Book 3-42] - CUBITT, William J. of King Co. and BIERLY, Dena of King Co at Olympia by J. S. McCallum, Minister. License issued in King Co. Witnesses J. S. McCallum and Mrs. J. S. McCallum. Filed 12/20/1893. [License - 12/11/1893]

12/13/1893 [Marr Return #208] - McFARRAN, Cory A. of Olympia and ROBERTS, Annie, Mrs. of Olympia at Olympia by J. S. McCallum. Affidavit of Thomas B. Roberts. Second marriage for bride. Witnesses: Albert McFarran and Amelia Roberts. Filed 12/20/1893 [License #1111 - 12/13/1893]

12/20/1893 [Marr Return #215] - SMITH, James L. of Grand Mound and PIERCE, Abbie V. of Little Rock at Little Rock by R. H. Massey, Minister. Affidavit of Will. W. Pearce. Third marriage for groom. Witnesses: W. J. Wagner and E. P. Snanet(?) of Grand Mound. Filed 01/11/1894 [License #1112 - 12/13/1893]

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Send queries to Fran Anderson at franand@earthlink.net or Quarterly editor, Olympia Genealogical Society, P.O.Box 1313, Olympia, WA, 98507-1313.

HILTY	Seeking information regarding grave site and husband of Helen (Watson) HILTY. Her last residence was Olympia, and I believe her son lived there also. She divorced early in marriage and died in September 1979.
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WATSON	Seeking information regarding grave site and possible marriage and children of Robert WATSON. His last residence was Olympia, and he died Nov. 17, 1992.
	Marilyn Morrison, 3740 NW Orilla St., Poulsbo, WA 98370 hmmorrison@earthlink.net

VADEN	Wylie L., wife Mary J.. 1880 Census, Poughkeepsie, NY. Children: George M., Chester V., Sceliam B., Fannie R., Freddie D., Maud M.. Lived in Waterbury, CT through 1940's or longer. My grandfather was Chester. Would like to hear from any relatives.
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Cynthia Case LeMere, 1111 Archwood DR SW #321,
Olympia, WA. Formerly of Milford, CT

SMITH	Alta Green SMITH was born to Joseph P. GREEN and Susanna WEGLEY in 1866 (her obit states 25 April 1866). I would like to confirm her place of birth--either Ohio or Pennsylvania. Joseph GREEN and his family moved from Pennsylvania to Minnesota about 1888. I would also like to connect with any descendants to compare information on Joseph GREEN (Alta's father) who immigrated from Italy as a child. Joseph is our 'mystery man' and since Alta was their oldest living child (the oldest--Agnes was probably her name--died at around 16 months of age) I am hoping that she may have passed on information to her children. My direct ancestor is Alta's brother, Albert, and he stayed in Minnesota all his life.
GREEN	
WEGLEY	

Alta married Charles SMITH in Pennsylvania around 1883. Alta's children that I know of are: Everett Lavern, Clem, Alpha Gertrude, Leland, Edna, Bertha, Delbert. I believe that Alta and Charles and at least some of the children moved to Washington in the late 1920's or early '30's. Alpha, Clem, and Everett Lavern died in Olympia but I am not sure where the other children were.

Patricia Frey, 27773 Broderson Rd, Cohasset MN 55721
Please contact me at thefreys@a.paulbunyan.net

EXCHANGE NOTES

by

Jean Laws & Pat Philippsen

The publications mentioned are sent to our society in exchange for our Quarterly which is sent to them. They are filed alphabetically by state and county in the vertical files in the genealogical section of the Olympia Library. Some of them are eventually bound and placed with the bound periodicals in the genealogical section or in storage at the Montesano Library but can be ordered at the reference desk to be sent to your library for your use.

**FREE
PUBLICATIONS**

Whitman Co G S Mar 2006: This society is giving away free misc. genealogical publications so be sure and check each issue as this one includes ones from New Jersey, Ill. and Neb.

**CW AMNESTY
PAPERS**

You may be familiar with Civil War records but do you know about Amnesty papers which pertain to civilians, amnesty oaths and Confederate Citizen's files? These are all in the national archives.

**NJ HIST. RECORDS
ONLINE**

Wash. State G S Newsletter Mar-Apr 2006: Always a good publication to learn about Wash societies but lots of other places also as they have a section on national and international news. This issue has a long article on Trenton N. J. Hist Society records online.

**BONNEVILLE
COUNTY**

Idaho G S Winter 2005 and Spring 2006 combined: This double issue features Bonneville Co info and resources including many family stories, records, pictures, histories etc. Also a scary article about how today's technology such as microfilm, digital photos and such are fading away. So in the future we may have photographs of our grandparents but not of our grandchildren. Paper may be bulky but it lasts.

**SCARY TECH
FUTURE****BALLEW FAMILY**

Ballew Family Journal May 2005: A family association can be very helpful in genealogical research especially when they have a fine publication such as this. There are 24 spellings of the name as listed on the cover. They are celebrating their 25th anniversary.

**WPA INTERVIEW OF
REV. L. J. ANTHIS**

Oklahoma G S Vol 51 # 1 2006: In the 1930's the WPA (Works Progress Administration) to all you youngsters, carried out many interviews of early pioneers. This issue has an interview of Rev L J Anthis of Guthrie Ok and is very informative on early life there. You should try to find a similar source in your research areas.

**DESCENDANTS OF
ONIAL**

Chelan Valley G S Feb. 2006: If you're Irish, you must be an Onial! A 5th century Irish warlord known as Niall of the 9 hostages has at least 3 million descendants according to new genetic studies done by Trinity College in Dublin. Some of the common surnames are O'Neill, O'Connor, O'Donnell, O'Reilly, Flynn McGovern, McManus, Molloy, O'Rourke and others.

**EARLY GRAYS
HARBOR**

Grays Harbor G S Jan-Mar 2006: A new feature will be a different aspect of lives and times of Grays Harborites. This issue is about early Grays Harbor City.

**BREMERTON CITY
DIRECTORY P-W**

Puget Sound G S Mar 1996: This issue has P-W of the Bremerton City Database which is an alpha listing of businesses, St. addresses and directory year. Also a list of Bremerton's founding fathers.

ANTI-LIQUOR PETITIONS	Willamette Valley G S Winter 2006: A good source for anyone researching in early Or. are the anti-liquor petitions. The one published in this issue is dated 1854 and is of those persons in Marian Co only, but there were many more in existence. It's only a signature but that is precious to genealogists if you find one.
WINTHROP FAMILY	Cornerstone G S Waynesburg Pa Feb 2006: The book "That Winthrop Woman" by Anya Seaton is based on a fascinating and controversial person, Elizabeth Fones Winthrop Feake Hallett. Here is an article about her and the Winthrop family that had ties to Greene Co Pa. including a pedigree chart.
SMALL TOWN FUN	Just for fun--you know you're in a small town.. .when you miss Sunday at church and receive a get well card, when you drive into a ditch 5 miles from town and word gets back before you do, when you dial a wrong number and talk for 15 minutes anyway and many more. Actually, some of these things have happened to me in Oly Wash.
MERCHANT'S EXCH OF ST. LOUIS	St Louis G S Winter 2005: A history of the Merchant's Exchange of St Louis with an alphabetical list of deaths of members from 1875-1910.
PEDIGREE OF A HOME	Clark Co WA G S Winter/spring/summer 2005: The family tree of a house might give you ideas on doing the same. This traces a home from 1866 to present.
OVERNIGHT AT WV STATE ARCHIVES	West Augusta W V Mar Apr 2006: There is an organization called Mining Your History Foundation in Charleston W V which holds an annual Hoot Owl. This is an over night research experience in the W V State Archives. A genealogist's dream! Participants bring sleeping bags in case they need some shut eye.
PERSONAL DISASTER PLAN FOR GENIES	Fiske Genealogical Foundation in Seattle Mar 2006 newsletter has a Personal Disaster Plan for genealogists to save all their hard work in case a disaster does happen. Are you ready" Read this and you may pick up some useful hints.
ST LOUIS G. S. DROPS EXCHANGE	St Louis G S: This society is dropping us from their exchange list due to cost of printing and postage and the use of the internet as a source for genealogical information. If anyone would like to subscribe on their own, membership is \$28. You can subscribe at www.stlgs.org .
LIFE 100 YEARS AGO	Oregon G S Spring 2006: Wonder what life was like 100 years ago? Here is an article that will astound your children and grandchildren. For instance, then the only reliable way to send a message long distance and quickly was by telegram. The only use for electricity in a home was lighting. Women could only vote in New Zealand, Finland, and parts of Australia, USA and Canada and some local UK elections. We have come a long way.

1871-1887 "THE NEW NORTHWEST"	Whitman Co WA Apr 2006: This issue has an article about a publication "The New Northwest" which was published 1871-1887 by an ex school teacher and farmer's wife, Abigail Scott Dunning. She also helped organize the Whitman Co. women's Suffrage Ass. The entire publication is on microfilm in the WSU Holland Library and several pages from it in this issue.
TEXAS PIONEERS	Ft Worth Tex Feb 2006: This society has a new project called Pioneer Families of Tarrant Co. To qualify you need proof of descent from a person who was a resident during or prior to 1870. An article on one such pioneer, Alfred Madison Hightower was written by the 7th grade History honors class of Smithfield Middle School. Another on pioneer Eli Smith was written by a Texas history LAMP class of Smithfield Jr H S What a great way to involve young people in doing genealogy.
ALFRED H. MADISON	
ELI SMITH	
GENEALOGICAL MYSTERY SERIES	I have come across a new genealogical mystery series by author Fiona Mountain. They are about a detective/genealogist in the Cotswolds of England. I read "Pale as the Dead" and the next one is called "Bloodlines. "
NATIONAL ROAD 1806 TO 1829-30	Muskingum Oh G S Mar-Apr 2006: The story of the National Road , which began in 1806 in Md and ended up in Muskingum Co Oh in 1829-30 is given here. This history names people and businesses along the way and calls it the road that built a nation. Many of our ancestors must have traveled it at some time.
PARKE FAMILY	Parke Society newsletter Vol 41 # 3 2006: Another family society which sends us its newsletter. It would be of interest to anyone researching any form of that name. Also . this publication has a lengthy article called "Who Owns Genealogy? Cousins and Copyright" which should be of interest to any genealogist. It is quite extensive with definitions, questions and answers. Vol 42 # 1 2006 has more Parke information including update on their DNA project, a Park family reunion and mysteries of the Lineage Keys unveiled. This is an explanation of their lettering system to keep all the Park lines straight. You may want to use the same system to sort out your family lines.
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RECORD SYSTEM	
COLUMBUS DELAN LOCKARD – MYSTERY	New Mexico Genealogist Mar 2006: Most of the families and records in this publication are on Hispanics but there in an intriguing article this time on Columbus Delan Lockard: a New Mexico Mystery whose death was the subject of speculation for many years.
ARCHIBALD FRANKLIN LEONARD: FIRST STORE, CHURCH IN AREA (FT. WORTH)	Footprints Quarterly Journal, Nov 2005, Ft. Worth Gen. Society: Interesting account of the life of Archibald Franklin Leonard (1816-1876), pioneer and community leader who helped build and organize Tarrant County. He opened and operated the first civilian store in Fort Worth. He and his family helped to found the first church in the county and two others. He served as the first County Clerk and later served nearby counties as well in the Texas Legislature.
HOOD CEMETERY, TARRANT CO, TX	Hood Cemetery: Located in Tarrant County on the Tomas M. Hood survey, within present day city limits of Southlake, Texas. Named for Mr. Hood, it contains the graves of many settlers who came to Tarrant County during the first ten years of permanent Anglo settlement in the area.

POOR FARM 1906-1919 FORT WORTH, TX	The Poor Farm: Records of residents from 1906-1919. Names A. M. Morgan through Sam Sansom. Names are spelled exactly as they were written in book found in the Clerk of County Commissioners Court, Tarrant County, Fort Worth, TX.
PROBATE INDEX	Tarrant County Index to Probate Records (Names Williams, Mildred B. through Yoakum, Sadie)
CW PENSIONS	Approved Civil War Pensions for Tarrant County, Texas (Names Gordon, Thomas S. through Yeates, Thomas B.)
GERMANS FROM RUSSIA ONLINE	Willamette Valley Gen. Soc. Newsletter, Salem, OR, Feb. 2006: Germans from Russia websites: American Historical Society of Germans from Russia (AHSGR) www.ahsgr.org Germans from Russia Heritage Society (GRHS) www.grhs.com Odessa: A German-Russian Genealogical Library www.odessa3.org
TAMA COUNTY, IA: HISTORY OF HIGHLAND TWP	Tama County Historical Society & Tracers Gen. Soc., Tama County Museum News, Tama Co., Iowa, Jan. 2006: History of the settlement of Highland Township
SALT CREEK CENSUS	1860 U. S. Census Salt Creek Township, Tama Co., IA (Names Lyon, J. F. through Young, P.)
PODCAST OF GENEALOGY GUYS	Boulder Genealogical Society Quarterly & Newsletter, February 2006: Interesting websites: Genealogy Guys Podcast, George C. Morgan and Drew Smith, national speakers http://genealogyguys.com/ Like a radio show over internet. Informative, fun to listen to. They share personal experiences regarding research trips and much more
DANISH EMIGRATION	Danish Emigration Archives http://www.emiarch.dk/ Archives collection includes private letters, manuscripts, diaries, biographies, newspaper clippings, photographs, portraits and more. The website is in Danish and English. Click on the database button on the home page.
W. VA DEATHS	West VA Vital Records. Deaths from 1917 - 1954. You can see and print an actual death certificate. Some marriages and births for a few counties (pre 1900).
1880 MAP OF BOULDER COUNTY	Samuel Freeze 1880 Map of Boulder County, Co, Part 6. Continuation of a series of articles based on data extracted from a Samuel Freeze 1880 Map of Boulder, Co., CO. Owners of land by section.
QUERIES HOW TO	Queries that work in Genealogy: Tips on writing a good query letter
U OF CO GRADS	Graduates from the University of Colorado, Boulder, CO 1877-1921
BOULDER CITY DIRECTORY PART 6	Boulder City Directories Address Index 13th St. - 21st St. Part Six of a Series

ONLINE INDEX OF COLORADO MARRIAGES 1975 TO PRESENT	Researching Marriage Records in Boulder County: The Colorado Department of Health & Environment maintains a searchable online index of Colorado marriages from 1975 to present at www.sctc.state.co.us/marriages/default.aspx Several Colorado counties offer searchable indexes through their Clerk and Recorder's office web sites.
100 YEARS OF PIKE RUN TWP, PA	Keyhole, Gen. Soc. of Southwestern PA, Jan 2006 Winter Issue: 100 years of West Pike Run Township comprised of the villages of Daisytown, Crescent Heights, Walkertown, Shiretown, White Hall and Clover Hill, its early history, the township's greatest resident and the Vesta No. 4 Mine - the largest bituminous mine in the world.
HISTORY OF ARLINGTON, WA	The Stillaguamish Valley Gen. Soc., The Stillaguamish Star, Jan-Feb 2006: History of Arlington (continued from November - December 2005 issue).
MUSKINGUM, OH	The Muskingum Newsletter, Jan-Feb 2006, Zanesville, OH: 1890-91 Muskingum Co. Villages and Post Offices
ONLINE GERMAN ILLS AND JOBS	Westward Into Nebraska, Jan 2006, Greater Omaha Gen. Soc.: Interesting website: German illnesses and occupation lists - http://worldroots.com/brigitte/occupat.htm
WOOD COUNTY, WV DEATHS	West Augusta Historical & Gen. Soc., Jan-Feb 2006: Wood County, WV deaths 1940 - 1949
MARRIAGES	Wood County Marriages (Wood County Marriage Book 43)
CENSUS 1910	Wood County, WV 1910 Census (City of Parkersburg)
POOR HOUSE/FARM	South King County Gen. Soc., Jan/Feb 2006: Were your ancestors ever in the poorhouse? Poor houses or poor farms were tax-supported residential institutions to which people were required to go if they could not support themselves. For the full story of poor houses, go to www.poorhousestory.com
1400 OCCUPATIONS	News 'n Notes, St. Louis Gen. Soc., Jan 2006: Web resources: Check out nearly 1400 occupations < cpcug.org/user/jlacombe/terms.html >
MISSOURI COUNTY MAPS 1804 TO 1889	Missouri County formation maps at < mymissourigenealogy.com/mo_maps/mo_cf.htm > allow you to pick one of forty nine years between 1804 and 1889 to see what the state county maps looked like in that year.
WALLA WALLA AIR BASE	Blue Mountain Heritage, Walla Walla Gen. Soc., Dec 2005: Articles on the Walla Walla Air Base
WW II LETTERS	Letters in the Union Bulletin from various servicemen during WW II.

BRITISH GENEALOGY	Westward Into Nebraska, Greater Omaha Gen. Soc., Mar 2006: British Genealogy: http://expertgenealogy.com/free/Britain.htm
DNA TESTING INFO	Kittitas Kinfolk, Apr 2006: When to Use DNA by Alan Smith. For information about DNA testing, go to www.familytreedna.com
MILITARY CEMETERIES GRAVE LOCATIONS ONLINE	Nationwide Gravesite locator from the VA. Veterans buried at 120 national cemeteries since the Civil War; also some state veteran's cemeteries. Arlington National Cemetery burials since 1999. Includes name, dates of birth and death, military service dates, service branch and rank, if known, cemetery information and grave location within cemetery. http://www.cem.va.gov/index.htm
1911 CANADIAN CENSUS ONLINE	1911 Canadian census is now online. Search by geographical location, not surname. http://www.collectionscanada.ca/archivianet/1911/index-3.html
LOST IRISH FRIENDS IN BOSTON 1831-1921	October 1831 through October 1921, the Boston Pilot printed a "missing friends" column from people looking for "lost" friends and relatives who had emigrated from Ireland to the U. S. This collection of 31, 711 records is available as a searchable database.
CEMETERY & OBITS DAWSON CO., MT	The Tree Branch, Glendive, Montana, Mar 2006: Marsh, Montana Cemetery, Dawson County. Once known as Jehovah Lutheran, now Hope Lutheran. Surnames Brenner - Weishaur. Most obituaries are available.
DEATH NOTICES DAWSON CO., MT	Gluecksthal Lutheran Cemetery, 1913-1924. Sometimes called Hoyt School Lutheran Church. Surnames Gaub - Kelle Dawson County and Eastern Montana Death Notices as listed in area newspapers. Aug - Dec 2005. Adams, Thomas - Wyman, Neva Lists birth date, parents, spouse and other information.
MONTANA DEATH INDEX ONLINE	Montana Death Index, all counties, all years. Search in 10-year increments: http://www.rootsweb.com/~cemetary/montana/dawson.htm
STRUESEL KUCHEN RECIPE	The American Historical Society of Germans from Russia Greater Seattle Chapter, Mar/Apr 2006: Fred Roth's famous Struesel Kuchen recipe. He was a baker for 48 years.
"CONFIDENTIAL" CA MARRIAGES	Yakima Valley Gen. Soc., Mar 2006: Page 18 has an interesting explanation of "confidential marriages in California"
ONE-STEP PORTAL TO ELLIS ISLAND & OTHER DATABASES	Quarterly, So. Dakota Genealogical Society, Apr 2006: One-Step Portal offers many search capabilities not found in the usual offerings from Ancestry.com, RootsWeb, the Ellis Island online database or social security death indexes. The One-Step Portal does not have its own databases. It performs better and more efficient searches of other databases. To try, go to Stephen Morse's http://www.stevemorse.org
EPIDEMICS IN US FROM 1657-1886	Page 22 lists some of the major epidemics in the United States from 1657- 1886. Many cases of people disappearing from records can be traced to dying during an epidemic or moving from the affected area.

LIST OF CANADIAN RECORDS ON ANCESTRY.COM	The Bulletin, Winter Feb 2006, The Gen. Soc. of South Brevard, Melbourne, FL: Pages 5-7 contain a lengthy list of searchable Canadian records on Ancestry.com
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COAST ARTILLERY TROOPS 1916 PNW	Roster of the Coast Artillery Troops of the Pacific Northwest, March 1916.
FORT STEVENS, OR	Roster Detachment Quartermaster Corps, Fort Stevens, Oregon
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1900 CENSUS, CLIMAX	1900 Oregon Census for Jackson County, Precinct 16, Climax
ANTIOCH CEMETERY	Antioch Cemetery, Part II. Ragsdale, Jane - Zippi, Gabriel
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NORTH DAKOTA DEAD & MISSING VARIOUS WARS	Bismarck Mandan Historical and Gen. Soc., The Dakota Homestead Historical Newsletter, Mar 2006: Honor List of Dead and Missing for the State of North Dakota for the Spanish American War 1898-99, Mexican Border Campaign 1916-17, WWI 1917-18, WWII 1940-46 and Korean Conflict 1950-53.
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