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MEETINGS: The Olympia Genealogical Society meets the 2nd Thursdays of the month from September to June in the Thurston County Courthouse at 7:00 pm. Anyone interested is welcome to attend.

QUARTERLY: Articles and information for the Quarterly should be submitted by the 15th of the month prior to publication to the editor.

COVER: This photograph is of David and Mary Frances Kindred Provoe and family. Family members present were (from left) Raymond Provoe, Laura May Provoe Brown, Sarah (Essie) Jane Provoe Spencer, William Wallace Provoe, Isabelle(a) Rebecca Provoe Wast, Rosa Harriett Provoe Garrard, John Walter Provoe, Francis Marion Provoe. The photo was taken in 1907-1908 at a house at Waddle Creek.



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January, February and March 2004Pat Harper, Editor

OGS Quarterly Events Calendar

<u>Event</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Time</u>
OGS General Meeting	Thursday	January 8	Thurston County Courthouse	7:00 PM
Beginner's Workshop	Saturday	January 17	Olympia Library Meeting Room	7:00 PM
British/Canadian Interest Group	Thursday	January 22	LDS Family History Center	7:00 PM
OGS Board Meeting	Monday	January 26	Smith Building	7:00 PM
OGS General Meeting	Thursday	February 12	Thurston County Courthouse	7:00 PM
Beginners Class Part 1	Tuesday	February 17	Olympia Library Meeting Room	6:30 PM
OGS Board Meeting	Monday	February 23	Smith Building	7:00 PM
British/Canadian Interest Group	Thursday	February 26	LDS Family History Center	7:00 PM
Beginners Class Part 2	Tuesday	March 2	Olympia Library Meeting Room	6:30 PM
Beginners Class Part 3	Tuesday	March 9	Olympia Library Meeting Room	6:30 PM
OGS General Meeting	Thursday	March 11	Thurston County Courthouse	7:00 PM
British/Canadian Interest Group	Thursday	March 25	LDS Family History Center	7:00 PM
OGS Board Meeting	Monday	March 29	Smith Building	7:00 PM

For a look at local and state genealogical information for Washington State see the archives webpage: <http://www.secstate.wa.gov/history/genealogy.aspx>

Upcoming OGS Meeting Topics

OGS Meeting, January 8, 2004

"Using Land and Tax Records for Genealogy"

By Connie Bailey, OGS Vice President

Even serious researchers sometimes find land and tax records daunting. However, we appreciate the importance of these documents. To help us reduce our apprehensions, **Jewell Dunn**, who has extensive experience with land and tax records at home and abroad, will address us on the topic.

OGS Meeting, February 12, 2004

"Using The Washington State Library"

By Connie Bailey, OGS Vice President

As members of the Olympia Genealogy society we've all expressed concern about the perpetuation of the Washington State Library as a research Facility. This month **Jan Walsh** comes to us from the library to bring us up to date on the political fortunes of the library, and the current news on its holdings and services.

OGS Meeting, March 11, 2004

"Researching Your Irish Ancestry"

By Pat Harper

Millions of people emigrated from Ireland to the United States starting in Colonial times and up to the present. **Kerry McHugh** will share with us her experiences while looking for her Irish roots and offer insights into researching in the Emerald Isle. Pat and Rob Harper will provide background pictures from their Irish trip.

A Report from Leschi Elementary School

By Ed Swan

I had an unusual opportunity on September 30th. My daughter, the executive director for Seattle Community Day Schools, asked if I would like to help with an open house at Leschi Elementary School in Seattle where Seattle Community Day Schools has a

before and after school program. "Would I like to be at one of the stations and show what ever genealogy was available for parents that were interested?" I would be on one of the schools high speed connections and could do what ever I wanted.

When I got there I really figured I would get a chance to do some research for myself and see how a high speed connection worked. Didn't happen. I had a series of people. They didn't know much about their families but were interested in finding whatever they could.

These people knew something about their parents, and a little about their grandparents. Their grandparents had died after 1964. I went to rootsweb.com and went to the Social Security Death Index. We found the grandparent that they were interested in. I printed the information available. I also printed a copy of the S-5 form so they could send it to the Social Security Administration and find the grandparent's parents

The one problem came when my first client gave me the information concerning his grandfather. He told me that his grandfather had died in Seattle but we were unable to find him in the index. While he went to call his mother to get information that would be Better than he had, I decided to widen the search. I dropped Seattle from the search and there he was. Both mother and son (he was in his thirties) were wrong. He died in Bellevue. We checked the Heritage Quest Census database for 1920 (the grandfather had been born in 1899). He should have been 21 and perhaps living on his own. He didn't show up probably because he was not head of the household he was living in. We looked in Texas because he had been born there and had registered for SSI there. We know that SSI didn't begin until the mid-thirties so 1920 should have turned him up. I again printed a

copy of the S-5 form to get a copy of the card made when he signed up. He left happy.

I had one failure to find the person that we were researching. We looked for an uncle that was a nationally known Jazz musician. He may not have had a card since he was self employed. However, the young woman took me to a web page devoted to the Uncle which was really interesting to me. Although we hadn't found him I showed her some additional places to look for him on her own.

Everyone was happy and so was I. I learned that sometimes simple things are all that are needed to make people happy. They all left with more information than they had had before. They didn't need ten generations one was enough. I learned a couple of things about using the computer. These young people were using computers in their jobs and were very competent and were willing to share what they knew. I shared genealogy and met some nice people, maybe some of them will turn into genealogists.

Hope you all have as much fun with genealogy as I did that night. Good Hunting. Ed

Seminars and Other Events of Interest to Genealogists

By Pat Harper

Dr. John Phillip Colletta presents
A Day with the Feds.

Clark County Genealogical Society

March 20, 2004, 9 am. to 4 p.m.

Washington State School for the Deaf

See webpage for details: www.ccggs-wa.org

Yakima Valley Genealogical Society

Seminar Speaker: Patty McGinty

April 10, 2004

Details: <http://www.rootsweb.com/~wayvgs/>

Olympia Genealogical Society Seminar

Sherry Irvine, CRGS presents

Saturday April 24, 2004

First United Methodist Church - Olympia,
Washington

- Background to Irish Research
- Church records in Ireland
- Heritage Centers in Ireland
- Tithe Allotment Books

See flyer elsewhere in this Quarterly.

Washington Reads - - Ongoing Program

Jan Walsh chooses books related to the 150th anniversary of the Washington Territory which was created in 1853

The Northwest Coast, or, Three Years' Residence in Washington Territory, by James G. Swan

James Swan, Cha-Tic of the Northwest Coast: Drawings and Watercolors from the Franz & Kathryn Stenzel Collection of Western American Art, by George A. Miles, presents 115 original drawings by James Swan.

Ghost Canoe, by Will Hobbs - a young adult novel. Ages 9 and up.

Boston Jane, Wilderness Days, by Jennifer L. Holm - a young adult novel ages 9 and up.

Where Do I Sleep? A Pacific Northwest Lullaby, written by Jennifer Blomgren, and illustrated by Andrea Gabriel, is a beautifully illustrated and colorful lullaby book about the animals the pioneers found when they arrived in the Washington State Territory. Children's picture book.

For further details see the Washington State Library Website: www.stateLib.wa.gov

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Brave New World of 2004

Greetings ... in this our first edition of the Olympia Genealogical Society "Newsletter- Quarterly". I hope you are enjoying our first attempt at a new format and that you hope will pass on your thoughts about it on to Pat Harper, Phyllis Solter, or myself. The challenges we have experienced this past year make it exciting times for all of us. So are you ready for that Brave New World of 2004?

Let's start the year out with some good news. Our membership is up over last year!!! This is due in part to the several Beginners Workshops. The Olympia Timberland Library will be running two beginning genealogy classes over the spring. The first will be an all day workshop on Saturday, January 17th with Connie Bailey. If you like something more spread out, try a three evening workshop, currently scheduled for Tuesdays on Feb 17th, March 2nd and March 9th from 6:30-8:30 p.m. with Jewell Dunn. If you're a novice these are just great experiences. Call the library to sign up. Thanks to everyone helping on these events, because they directly benefit OGS.

Our next big event will be the spring seminar — FINDING YOUR IRISH ROOTS. It will be on Saturday, 24 April 2004 at the United Methodist Church on Legion Way in Olympia. This year's speaker, Sherry Irvine CGRS, FSA Scot, is an author, lecturer, MyFamily.com instructor, and keynote speaker at the 2003 Australasian Congress, Melbourne, Australia. Sherry was suggested by several of the Board members, and since she lives in Victoria, BC transportation costs to get her to Olympia should be low. She even agreed to be "*billeted with a society member as long as there is no smoking and no pets - and I can make a decent cup of tea.*"

This will also be a great seminar because of the little things. We just finalized the arrangements for our lunch time entertainment the *Scoil Rince Slieveloughane* (SKS) Irish Dance Troupe. They should add flair to our lunch, and help keep the energy flowing from the morning into the afternoon session. They will just be back from the World Championships in Dublin where they placed two dancers.

The *Heritage Quest Research Library* will again be our book vendor at the seminar. I know that last year's speaker even bought a book or two from them. We plan a special order of Emerald Isle books just for us, and even some written by our speaker. This will be so much fun, you've got to come and check out all the books ... even if you don't attend the seminar.

With all due respect to Dean Hunter's Scots-Irish seminar in 1998, I am looking forward to this event as being the first "Irish" seminar for OGS. So whether your roots were GREEN or ORANGE, plan on having a grand time at this year's seminar. Mark your calendar and tell a friend.

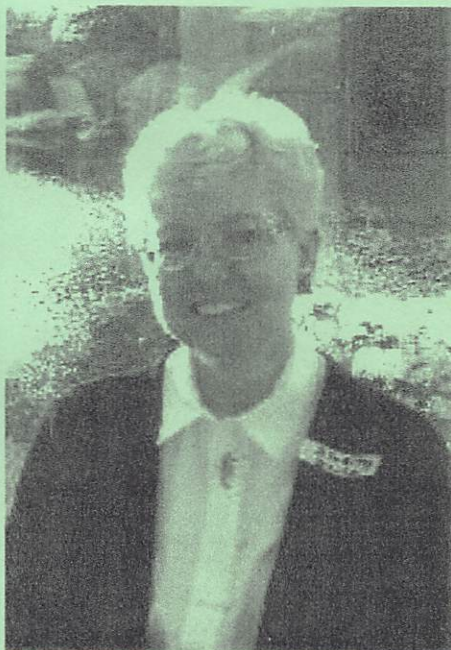
Steven W. Morrison, President



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Announces



FINDING YOUR IRISH ROOTS

Sherry Irvine CGRSSM & FSA Scot

*Author, Lecturer, MyFamily.com Instructor,
and Keynote Speaker at the 2003 Australasian Congress,
Melbourne, Australia*

- **BACKGROUND TO IRISH RESEARCH**
- **HERITAGE CENTERS IN IRELAND**
- **CHURCH RECORDS IN IRELAND**
- **TITHE APPLLOTMENT BOOKS**

Saturday, 24 April 2004 -- From 9am TO 3pm

United Methodist Church

1224 Legion Way SE, Olympia, WA - (only ½ mile from I-5)

Registration \$35 & OGS Members \$30

- **Door Prizes and Sales Tables**
 - **Book Vendor - Heritage Quest Research Library**
- **Lunch Entertainment provided by the SKS Irish Dancers**
- **Lunches Available for \$10 with Preregistration by April 17th**

To Pre-Register: WWW.rootsweb.com/~waogs

Or Contact: Steven W. Morrison, Foxhallguy@comcast.net or 360.459.3678

Hello Everyone and Happy New Year from the Olympia Timberland Library!

If you visit the Genealogy Section of the Olympia Library you will see that the shifting of genealogy books to the new (to us) shelves has begun. If any OGS members would like to work off the extra holiday goodies by helping with the move, please contact me (Pat Harper) at home 866-1106 or at the library 352-0595. OGS can now purchase additional books and there have also been great donations from members and non-members.

New books in Genealogy include:

- Memorial Book for Kenneth Gilmore Corbett, Jr.:
Naval Pensioners of the United States 1800-1851 by Lloyd de Witt Bockstruck
Genealogy 359.0092 Bockstoc 2002
- Genealogical Research in Nova Scotia by Terrence M. Punch Genealogy 971.6 PUNCH 1998
donated by Marilyn Connon in memory of her father Monte Smart.
- Donated by Judy Kennedy:
The Marriage Registers of Upper Canada/Canada West. Vol. 12: Eastern District 1801-1865
compiled by Dan Walker and Fawne Stratford-Deval Genealogy 971.3 Marriage 2000
The Lanark Society Settlers: Ships' Lists of the Glasgow Emigration Society 1821
by Gerald J. Neville Genealogy 971.3 Neville 1995
- Donation: Amish Immigrants of Waldeck and Hesse by John M. Byler Genealogy 943
BYLER 1993
- In memory of Donald Evans Smith: East Prussians from Russia by Michael J. Anuta
Genealogy 929 Anuta 1994
- Memorial Gifts given by the Olympia Genealogical Society:
Mayflower Families Through Five Generations Vol. 16, part 2 - John Alden
Mayflower Families Through Five Generations Vol. 18, part 3 - Richard Warren
Mayflower Families Through Five Generations Vol. 19 - Thomas Rogers
Mayflower Families Through Five Generations Vol. 20, part 1 - Henry Samson
All are in Genealogy 973 Mayflower
- The Great Migration: Immigrants to New England 1634-1635 Vol. III G-H Genealogy
929.374 Anderson 1999
- In Memory of William H. Wakefield: Mayflower Families Through Five Generations Vol.
21, part 1- John Billington Genealogy 973 Mayflower
- In Memory of B.J. Moe: Dictionary of American Family Names, 3 Vols. Genealogy 929.4097
Dictiona 2003
- Carolyn Wright has donated pristine copies of the Encyclopedia of American Quaker
Genealogy which have been used to replace missing and damaged copies. She also included
copies of the American Quaker Genealogy Newsletter.

The next list contains all of the CD-ROM's on the Genealogy Computers at the Olympia Library. Several people have donated additions to the original purchases made by OGS. The computers were also replaced in the regular four year rotation adopted by Timberland Regional Libraries at no extra cost to OGS. Jon Pitchford of TRL Computer Services coordinated the whole operation.

It is important for everyone to know that although the CD-ROM's are only at the Olympia Library, AncestryPlus and Heritage Quest are available on *ALL* of the Catalog Computers in *ALL* of the Timberland Libraries in Lewis, Mason, Grays Harbor, Pacific, and Thurston Counties. Heritage Quest is also available remotely to TRL cardholders by going to www.trlib.org and clicking on Reference Resources.

CDROM Source	Category	TITLE	New
Heritage Quest	Census Index	1850 U.S. Census Index, Western States	x
Heritage Quest	General	African-Americans in the 1870 U.S. Federal Census	x
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	AL, 1800-1900	
Family Tree Maker	General	AL, AR, FL, LA, MI, MN, OH, WI, 1700s-1907	x
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	AL, GA, SC, 1641-1944	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	AR, 1779-1992	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	AR, 1850-1900	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	AR, MS, MO, TX, 1766-1981	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	AZ, CA, ID, NV, 1850-1951	
Family Tree Maker	Census Index	Baltimore, Chicago, St. Louis, 1870	
Family Tree Maker	General	Canadian Genealogy Index, 1600s-1900s	x
Family Tree Maker	Military Records	Confederate Soldiers, 1861-1865	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	County & Family Histories: Pennsylvania, 1740-1900, Disk 1	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	County & Family Histories: Pennsylvania, 1740-1900, Disk 2	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	Family Finder Index Disk 1 (A-C)	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	Family Finder Index Disk 2 (D-I)	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	Family Finder Index Disk 3 (J-P)	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	Family Finder Index Disk 4 (Q-Z)	x
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	GA, 1754-1850	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	GA, 1851-1900	
Heritage Books, Inc.	Genealog. Histories	Historical & Genealogical Records of West Central Ohio	
Heritage Books, Inc.	Genealog. Histories	Histories and Genealogies of Southeast Pennsylvania, Part A	
Heritage Books, Inc.	Genealog. Histories	Histories and Genealogies of Southeast Pennsylvania, Part B	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	IL, 1851-1900	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	IL, IN, 1790-1850	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	IL, IN, KY, OH, TN, 1720-1926	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	IN, 1851-1900	
Family Tree Maker	General	Index to Griffith's Valuation of Ireland, 1848-1864	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	KY, 1851-1900	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	KY, NC, TN, VA, WV, 1728-1850	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	LA, 1718-1925	
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	Local & Family Histories: New England, 1600s-1900s	x
Family Tree Maker	Military Records	MA Civil War Soldiers and Sailors, 1861-1865	x
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	MA, 1633-1850	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	MD, 1655-1850	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	MD, NC, VA, 1624-1915	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	MI, WI, 1830-1900	
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	Mid-Atlantic Genealogies, 1340-1940	x
Heritage Books, Inc	Marriage Index	Miscellaneous Virginia Marriage Records	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	MO, 1851-1900	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	MS, 1800-1900 & FL 1823-1900	
Family Tree Maker	Immigration Index	Naturalization Records: Philadelphia, 1789-1880	x
NEHGS Register	Genealog. Histories	New England Historical Genealogical Register, Volumes 111-130, 1957-1976	

CDROM Source	Category	TITLE	New
NEHGS Register	Genealog. Histories	New England Historical Genealogical Register, Volumes 1-20, 1847-1866	
NEHGS Register	Genealog. Histories	New England Historical Genealogical Register, Volumes 131-148, 1977-1994	
NEHGS Register	Genealog. Histories	New England Historical Genealogical Register, Volumes 21-40, 1867-1886	
NEHGS Register	Genealog. Histories	New England Historical Genealogical Register, Volumes 41-55, 1887-1901	
NEHGS Register	Genealog. Histories	New England Historical Genealogical Register, Volumes 56-70, 1902-1916	
NEHGS Register	Genealog. Histories	New England Historical Genealogical Register, Volumes 71-90, 1917-1936	
NEHGS Register	Genealog. Histories	New England Historical Genealogical Register, Volumes 91-110, 1937-1956	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	New York City, 1600s-1800s	
Family Tree Maker	Census Index	New York City, 1870	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	NJ, 1680-1900	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	NY #2, 1740s-1880s	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	OH, 1789-1850	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	OH, 1851-1900	
Family Tree Maker	Immigration Index	Passenger & Immigration Lists: Boston, 1821-1850	x
Family Tree Maker	Immigration Index	Passenger & Immigration Lists: New York, 1820-1850	x
Ancestry.com	General	Periodical Source Index for 1999	
Family Tree Maker	Military Records	Revolutionary War Soldiers & Sailors, Disk 1	
Family Tree Maker	Military Records	Revolutionary War Soldiers & Sailors, Disk 2	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	Selected areas of NY, 1639-1916	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	Selected States, 1728-1850	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	Selected U.S./International Marriage Records, 1340-1980	
Family Tree Maker	Death Index	Social Security Death Index (A-K)	x
Family Tree Maker	Death Index	Social Security Death Index (L-Z)	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	Southern Biographies & Genealogies, 1500s-1940s	x
Heritage Books, Inc	General	The Virginia Genealogist on CD-ROM, 1957-1976	
Family Tree Maker	Marriage Index	TN, 1851-1900	
Family Tree Maker	Military Records	U.S. Soldiers, 1784-1811	x
Family Tree Maker	Mortality Index	United States, 1850-1880	
Family Tree Maker	General	VA Land, Marriage, and Probate Records, 1639-1850	x
Heritage Books, Inc	General	Vital Information from theGuion Miller Roll (Eastern Cherokee Court of Claims) 1906-1909	
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	World Family Tree Volume 1	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	World Family Tree Volume 2	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	World Family Tree Volume 3	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	World Family Tree Volume 4	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	World Family Tree Volume 43	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	World Family Tree Volume 44	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	World Family Tree Volume 45	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	World Family Tree Volume 46	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	World Family Tree Volume 47	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	World Family Tree Volume 48	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	World Family Tree Volume 49	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	World Family Tree Volume 5	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	World Family Tree Volume 6	x
Family Tree Maker	Genealog. Histories	World Family Tree Volume E1	x
Ancestry.com	Military Records	WWII & Korean Conflict Overseas Interment	x

Alma Greenwood has donated the following reels of microfilm to the collection at the Olympia Library:

- 2 reels 1880 MO Census
 - Newton County (part)
 - Nodaway
 - Oregon
 - Osage
 - Pemiscot
 - Perry (part)
- 1 reel Knox County, Tennessee Genealogy
 - Abstracts from Will Book A, Deeds
 - Land Surveys and Tax List of 1800's
 - Cumberland River Baptist Church Minutes 1804-1877
- 1 reel Knox County Tax Records
 - Will Book A & index 1803-1842
 - Will Book B 1851-1862
- 2 reels Kentucky Tax List
 - Knox County 1800-1829 (Missing 1813-1814)
 - Knox County 1830-1859 (Missing 1832)
- 1 reel Knox County Marriage Licenses, Bonds
 - Book A 1800-1806
 - Book B 1851-1881
 - Book BB 1863-1886
 - Book C 1868-1872
- 1 reel 1850 Kentucky Census
 - Knox, Larue, Laurel, Lawrence and Hatcher Counties
- 1 reel 1860 Kentucky Census
 - Knox, Larue, Laurel Counties

OGS Exchange Chair, Jean Laws, has contacted Genealogy Societies across the Pacific Northwest about exchanging their publications for ours. So far we have received books from Willamette Valley and Kittitas County.

Many book donations have gone to cataloging and will be available to researchers over the next couple of months.

Look for those lists in upcoming editions of the quarterly.

One Tribe or Two

by
Jewel Dunn

While eating lunch one day in my favorite pub, I overheard the waitress say that her great-grandmother was Native American but she did not know what tribe. Since I had come to know Kathy, (the waitress) quite well, I decided to ask if she would mind if I used her family for a project that I was doing. The family that I had picked out for my project originally was from another state, and using her family would be a lot more convenient for me. Little did I know that this project would open several doors for me. I would learn about early Olympia-Tumwater history, and become a volunteer at the SW. Washington Regional Archives.

Kathy knew that her great-grandmother had lived in the Black Lake area of Tumwater and later in Shelton and that's about all she knew. I proceeded to fill in the blanks. We came to find out that Kathy's great-great-grandparents were from two different tribes; the Chehalis from Oakville, and the Stikine from the southern panhandle of Alaska. The following is the family documentation from Kathy's great-grandmother back.

1. **Lillian May Provoe**, daughter of John Walter and Mary (Holthusen) Provoe, was born 18 July 1898 Littlerock, Thurston County, WA and died 11 December 1978¹ Aberdeen, Grays Harbor, Washington. On 3 July 1916² she first married **Richard Clarence Brown**, son of Sidney Hampton and Rebecca (Pethold) Brown. Richard Clarence Brown was born 19 February 1894³ in Thurston County, Washington and died 14 October 1958⁴ in Juneau, Juneau County, Alaska. He is buried in Evergreen Catholic Cemetery⁵ in Juneau, Juneau County, Alaska.

¹Funeral information provided by Whiteside Undertaking Company, Montesano, Grays Harbor County, WA., copy of page 85-78, copy of original.

²Marriage Return of Thurston County, Washington #4141 recorded 3 July 1916, they were married by Walter Crosby, Justice of the Peace.

³Bible Records of Sidney Hampton Brown Family, provided by Bernice Van Mechelen, copy of birth page, no publishing date. Laura (Provoe) Brown was the grandmother of Bernice's husband and she had possession of Bible. Laura Brown was married to Thomas Nelson Brown older brother to Richard Clarence Brown.

⁴Book "Funeral Records Juneau, Alaska" containing Master Index of Funeral Records of C. W. Young Co., Juneau-Young Co., and Charles Carter Mortuary 1898-1964 by the Gastineau Genealogical Soc., FHL call #979.82/J1 V32, page 14, entry line34.

⁵Ancestral File LDS Church #AFN:14S9-T7R, death date 14 Oct.1958 and burial date 17 Oct.1958 matches funeral home dates.

Lillian May Provoe went to school at the North Star School located off Waddle Creek Road in the Delphi area of Thurston County from 1908-1915⁶. When she married Richard Clarence Brown, he worked in the woods. She was divorced⁷ from Richard Clarence Brown in Mason, County. Lillian was married second to Anthony Ortgies. She lived in Shelton until she was moved into Grays Harbor Convalescent Center in Aberdeen⁸ where she lived until her death. Lillian was buried beside her sisters at the Masonic Memorial Park in Tumwater, WA, 14 December 1978, Block 80A, row seven, lot 30. Anthony "Tony" Ortgies, Lillian's second husband died 28 October 1966.

Richard Clarence Brown and Lillian May Provoe had the following children:

- I Kenneth Eugene Brown, born 8 September 1917
- ii Robert Stanley Brown, born 12 December 1921 ⁹Grays Harbor, WA.

2. John Walter Provoe, son of David and Mary Francis (Kindred) Provoe, was born ca 1873¹⁰ in Thurston County, Washington and died 30 March 1926¹¹ in Shelton, Mason County, Washington. He married 23 June 1896¹² at Delphi, Thurston County, Washington **Mary Holthusen**, who was born 1880 in Kansas and died 30 January 1935¹³ in Anacortes, Skagit County, Washington, daughter of Paul Peter and Elise Margeretha (Peterson) Holthusen. Mary Holthusen second married 11 August 1932¹⁴ Shelton, Mason County, Washington Samuel S. Shultz.

⁶Book "Tons of Memories, Black Lake, Delphi, Waddle Creek School Pictures and History" Timberline Library call #371.01 1998. Photos of Classes and of North Star School 1908-1915.

⁷Mason County Washington, Court Divorce file #2017

⁸R.L. Polk Directory 1975 Aberdeen and Hoquiam (Grays Harbor County, Wash), Pub. 1976, page 390, line 47, Lillian Ortgies reside Grays Harbor Conval. Cntr.

⁹FHL film #1712133, WA State Birth Index, section "B650", Grays Harbor County, parents Richard C. Brown and Lillian Provoe, born 12-12-1921, certificate #304-W.

¹⁰Two years have been given for John Walter Provoe's birth, one on his death certificate is 22 August 1871. The other 1873 on his marriage certificate. The birth year 1873 would be in line with his age being 7 on the 1880 U.S. Federal Census Thurston County, Washington Territory, page 103, family 28-28, line 21 dated 1 June 1880. Also age 7 on the Washington Territorial Census, person #861 in the "P" section, line 10, copy of original from the SW Regional Archives in Olympia, Washington.

¹¹Washington State Death Certificate, Mason County, registration number 22, record #26, recorded 30 March 1926 by F.M. Gage.

¹²(1896) Marriage Return #1305 of Thurston County, Washington, age listed as 23, born State of Washington, resided at Delphi, Washington. Copy from original located at the SW Washington Regional Archives in Olympia, Washington.

¹³Washington State Death Certificate, Skagit County, Anacortes, registration #11, record #53, recorded 1 February 1935 by Marium Wathiam.

¹⁴Marriage return Mason County, WA #1523 dated 11 Aug 1932, and Licence book page 73 dated 11 Aug., 1932.

John Walter Provoe was working for Swan and McKay Logging¹⁵ when he passed away. He did not leave a will, but there was a Probate File¹⁶ listed with the Bureau of Indian Affairs. It listed that he had an allotment on the Quinault Indian Reservation¹⁷, but never resided there. He is buried in the Masonic Cemetery in Tumwater, Thurston County, Washington¹⁸.

John Walter Provoe and Mary Holthusen had the following children:

- I Lillian May Provoe
- ii Blanche Viola Provoe
- iii Jessie Provoe
- iv Laura Provoe

3. **Mary Francis Kindred**, daughter of John R. Kindred and "Sally" Ump-Kane, was born 8 November 1853 in Tumwater, Thurston County, Washington Territory¹⁹ and died 11 August 1936²⁰ Elma, Grays Harbor County, Washington. She married 24 January 1870 at her father house in Thurston County, Washington Territory²¹,

4. **David Provoe**, born 1849 Cowlitz Prairie, Lewis County, Washington Territory and died 12 November 1925²² in Oakville, Gray Harbor, Washington, son of John Baptist and Elizabeth Isabelle "Contoe" Provoe.

Mary Francis and David Provoe had a homestead²³ out on Waddle Creek²⁴ Road in the Delphi

¹⁵ Copy of Funeral information from Mills and Mills Funeral home, no page number out of year 1925, copy of original.

¹⁶United States Bureau of Indian Affairs, Tahola Indian Agency, Hoquiam, Grays Harbor County, Washington probate file #414-35, dated 29 December 1934, 6 pages.

¹⁷ United States of America Indian Trust Patent, (21 Stat. 199) 80 acres, dated 21 April 1933, described as SE1/2 of NE, Sec. #21, Twsp. 21N, R11W, in the Willamette Meridian, Certificate #1063562, recorded 21 April 1933 by Leafie E. Dietz and Emma L. Wannen. BLM Serial # WAORAA 104771.

¹⁸ Map of Masonic Cemetery in Tumwater, Thurston County, Washington, Blk. 80, Row 20, graves 6 and 2S. Although his wife was re-married she is buried by him under the last name "Provoe". In the Burial book, her last name is listed as Schlitz. They are buried one row over from his parents.

¹⁹Obituary dated Friday, 14 August 1936 " The Oakville Cruiser", page on column 4 states that she was born in the "Little Rock" area which is where her father, John R. Kindred had his donation land claim.

²⁰ Washington State Death Certificate register #20, register district 777-1, recorded 12 August 1936 by W.A. Smith in Grays Harbor County, Washington.

²¹ Washington Territory Licence Index Vol. 1, page 36. Copy of actual record dated the 24th of January 1870 page #49. Recorded by D. R. Bigelow probate clerk, 22 April 1870.

²²State of Washington Death Certificate register #12, register district #R-6, filed 14 November 1925 by C. N. Mills in Grays Harbor County, Washington..

²³Washington Territory Deed Book #42 page 557, Homestead Certificate #1628, Application #154, 160 Acres. Described as N1/2 of SW 1/4 , and S1/2 of NW 1/4, Twsp 17N, R3W, of the Willamette Meridian date 1901.

²⁴ Copy of Thurston County, Washington Metzsker Township Map of area dated Jan.

area of Thurston County which they got a Patent for in 1901. This was a big logging and farming area. They lost the homestead for non payment of taxes²⁵ and moved onto the Chehalis Indian Reservation before 1910²⁶ and lived with Charley Conhepe. Charley Conhepe was an uncle by marriage²⁷ who had property on the Chehalis Indian Reservation²⁸. Charley Conhepe died after 1915 and left his estate to his step daughter Mary Sampson Johns, who was a cousin to Mary Francis Provoe²⁹.

David and Mary purchased 10 acres right off the Chehalis Indian in 1914³⁰. Mary Francis moved to her daughters sometime after David's death in 1925³¹. Mary did not have an allotment on the Chehalis Indian Reservation although she did have one on the Quinalt Indian Reservation³², but never lived there. Mary Francis was living with her daughter Sarah Sellers³³ in Elma, Grays Harbor County when she passed away. Mary Francis and David Provoe are buried together in the Masonic Cemetery in Tumwater³⁴ not far from where her parents and grandparents³⁵ donation

1973.

²⁵Tax records for Thurston County Washington 1909 book 5, page , line was the last time he paid taxes. In 1910 it was paid by T. J. Kegley. No treasurer deed was found in the Thurston County Grantee book for 1908-1915 for the sale of the property.

²⁶ Federal Census 1910 Indian Population, Chehalis County, Oakville Precinct, Chehalis Indian Reservation, page 285-286, line 25-28, dated 22 April 1910, listed are David Provoe, Mary Francis Provoe, Raymond Provoe their son, and Ida West their granddaughter, Ida's mother was Isabelle (Provoe) West.

²⁷Affidavit of David Provoe dated 8 April 1912 stamped by Office of Indian Affairs 22 May 1912 #51172. Taken at Chehalis Co., WA, Witnesses Norman Richards and Frank Stevens Indian Agents.

²⁸Map of Chehalis Indian Reservation and Allotments by the Government Land Office field note first dated 1873 and re-measured in 1935. Copy from micro-film held in the Washington State Library in Olympia.

²⁹Will of Charley Conhepe, 2nd husband of Marie "Kom-heet", received at Office of Indian Affairs, 28 August 1915, states "I, Charlie Conhepe , of the Chehalis Reservation", "to Mary Sampson Johns, my step-daughter"... "In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 3rd day of August 1915", Charlie Conhepe his thumb print(X). Witnesses Oscar H. Keller, Chief Clerk, Tacoma, WA and Joe Pete, Oakville, WA.

³⁰Sale of 10 acres from H. and Ada Martindale to David Provoe for \$200 on 18 November 1914, Deed book 127 page 21 Chehalis County, WA, Filed and recorded 27 November signed by R. G. Trask County Auditor.

³¹Federal Census 1920 Grays Harbor County, Chehalis Indian Reservation, ED 102, sheet 2A, family #24-24, line 4-6, dated 16 January 1920, listed are David Provoe, Mary Francis Provoe, and their son Raymond Provoe.

³² United States of America Indian Trust Patent, (21 Stat. 199), Patent #1056996, 80 acres, issued 23 August 1932, described as N1/2 of SW, Sec.9, Twsp.22N, R12W, Willamette Meridian, in Grays Harbor County, Washington recorded by Leafie E. Dietz and Emma L. Wannen. BLM Serial #WAORAA 106427.

³³ Funeral information provided by Whitesides Undertaking, Montesano, Grays Harbor County, Washington, page #58 in year 1936.

³⁴ Map from Masonic Cemetery in Tumwater, Block 180, Row 21, graves 6 and 2S.

land claims were.

David Provoe was a steam engineer when he died³⁶. He had worked in the logging Industry most of his life. David's father was a French-Canadian who came to the Cowlitz Prairie with the Hudson Bay company. His father, John Baptist Provoe, married his mother who was a Stikine Indian woman from the area of Fort Wrangle, Alaska (then British Columbia). David's parents both died when he was young³⁷. He was adopted by the Cowlitz Indians³⁸ since his parents had always associated with them. When he was not living amongst the Cowlitz's he lived with his sisters in the same area until his marriage to Mary Francis Kindred.

Mary Francis Kindred and David Provoe had the following children:

- I Frank M. Provoe, born 1871.
- ii John Walter Provoe, born 1873.
- iii Isabelle Provoe, born 1874.
- iv William Wallace Provoe, born 1876.
- v Sarah Jane Provoe, born 1879.
- vi Laura Provoe, 1881.
- vii Rose Provoe, born 1886.
- viii Female child 1888. (Died and is buried at Waddle Creek Cemetery)
- ix Raymond Alexander Provoe, born 1889.
- x Mollie L. Provoe, born 1892 died 30 May 1893. (Buried Waddle Creek Cemetery)

5. *Ump-Kane "Sally"*, no birth date has been established for her. Sally died the spring of 1873³⁹. She was Chehalis Indian⁴⁰, daughter of Kom-Kane of the Black River Tribe and Huck-Ki-eali of

Listed on page 87 of the map book of burials.

³⁵David and Tallithia Kindred had a donation land claim #O-17 that was 640 acres, sec 2 and 3 of Twsp. 17N, R2W, of the Willamette Meridian, and sec 34 and 35 of Twsp. 18N, R2W of the Willamette Meridian, which today takes in about 2/3 of the present day City of Tumwater and reaches almost up to the Masonic Cemetery.

³⁶ Copy of funeral information from Jesse T. Mills Funeral Home of David Prove lists wife, children, occupation, etc. Copy provided by current Mills and Mills Funeral Home.

³⁷Affidavit by Jim Julius, member of the Chinook and Quinaielt Tribes, and neighbor in Chehalis Co., WA. Taken at Chehalis Co., WA and dated 8 April 1912 stamped by the Office of Indian Affairs dated 22 May 1912 #51172 and witnessed by Norman Richards and Frank Stevens Indian Agents.

³⁸Page 22, of Schedule of Unenrolled Indians of the Cowlitz Tribe, stamped by Office of Indian Affairs FEB-8 1919, #11837. Page 22 is dated January 1, 1919 and lists the family of David Provoe with notation to see Quinaielt Adoption case 1 and 6.

³⁹Donation land claim #0-658 certificate #353, page 15 affidavit of John B. Dauphine and David Provoe, states that Sally Kindred, wife of John R. Kindred died in Olympia, Washington Territory in the spring of 1873, sworn to J. T. Brown 22 March 1876 at the Olymipa Land Office.

⁴⁰ Response letter from United States Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs, dated 12 December 2001, provided by Jeanne LaRacque, copy of enrolment paper document No. 45/Kindred states that Sally "Ump-Kane" was grandmother of Albert L. Kindred and was a

the Upper Chehalis Tribe. Sally was married 4 June 1849⁴¹ in Lewis County, Oregon Territory to

6. John R. Kindred, son of David and Talithiah (Rainey) Kindred. John died 24 May 1900 in Olympia, Thurston County, Washington.

John R. Kindred was an early pioneer who came to Thurston County with the George Bush party in 1845. John R. Kindred had a Donation Land Claim in Thurston County that was out in the Delphi-Black Lake area. In the time leading up to his parent's death, John R. Kindred had a strained relationship with his brothers and sisters. In a notice taken out in the newspaper the "Washington Standard" 23 October 1869, John R. Kindred accused his brother James Kindred of working his son Lafayette Kindred and not paying him for his work. In the estate⁴² proceedings of John R. Kindred's parents, David and Tallithia Kindred, three of his siblings sued him for miss-use of his parents estate that was left to him by his parents will. B.C. Kindred, Nancy (Kindred) Parrott, and Elizabeth (Kindred) Simmons hired the attorney John P. Judson to bring the judgment against John R. Kindred. John would not recover financially from this and would die and be buried in a "potters field"⁴³.

Sally "Ump-Kane" and John R. Kindred were divorced⁴⁴ 27 January 1862. There is an oral tradition handed down that she remarried, but no proof was found to substantiate this story.

John R. Kindred and Sally "Ump-Kane" were the parents of the following children:

- I Nancy Kindred ⁴⁵, born ca 1850 Washington Territory.
- ii Lafayette Kindred ⁴⁶, born ca 1852 Washington Territory.

"Chehalis Indian". Question was asked if she had a death certificate for Lafayette Kindred who died ca 1911, or his son Albert L. Kindred who died 17 March 1913.

⁴¹ Donation Land Claim #0-658, page 10, affidavit of Daniel R. Bigelow, Justice of the Peace, dated 6 November 1853, Thurston Co., Washington Territory, gives the marriage date of 4 June 1849 as being in Lewis County, Oregon Territory..

⁴²Probate file of David and Tallithia Kindred, estate paper filed 23 August 1875 by John P. Judson, Attorney given to A.R. Elder, Probate Judge Thurston County, Washington Territory. There are over 200 pieces of paper in this file, it was not copied in it's entirety. It is available for viewing at the SW Regional Archive, Olympia, Washington.

⁴³Information for the obituary from the "Olympia Daily Paper" was given by A.Z. Lindley who was the Superintendent of the county poor farm, dated 23 June 1900.

⁴⁴Divorce was granted by House Bill 69 and 70 in the Territory of Washington, readings done on 23rd and 24th of January 1862 and passed on the 27th of January, by Jas. Leo Ferguson, Speaker of the House of Representatives, and A.R.Burbank, President of the Council. Copy of original take at the SW regional Archives, Olympia, Washington.

⁴⁵Donation Land Claim #O-658, page 10, affidavit of Daniel R. Bigelow, Justice of the Peace, dated 6 November 1853, Thurston County, Washington Territory, names all three children of Sally and John R. Kindred and states that Sally is an Indian and the children are half breeds.

⁴⁶Donation Land Claim #O-658 page 10, affidavit of Daniel R. Bigelow, Justice of the Peace, dated 6 November 1853, Thurston County, Washington Territory, names all three children of Sally and John R. Kindred and states that Sally is an Indian and the children are half breeds.

iii Mary Francis Kindred ⁴⁷, born 1853 Washington Territory.

7. Elisabeth Isabelle "Contoe" was born in Fort Wrangle, British Columbia (later Alaska). Died ca 1859-1861 in Lewis Co., WA married to **John Baptist Provoe (Jean Baptist Proebst)**, born in Canada and died Lewis Co., WA Terr.

Isabella Provoe's will was posted in Lewis County and reads in the first paragraph as follows:

"I, Issabella Provost, wife of John B. Provost and Mother of Harriett Farron and Matilda Provost my daughters and David Provost my son of the County of Lewis and Territory of Washington"

The will was sealed and subscribed the 15th of November 1859 and witnessed by F.P. Mannen and Joans Pike. Her mark was witnessed by Henry Miles the same day. It was recorded the 1st of Feb. 1861 by A.B. Dillinbaugh⁴⁸. It goes on to say that the will was received for recording on 14th of January 1861. This would mean that she died sometime between November of 1859 and January of 1861. There are no tombstones for Isabelle or John in the St. Xavier cemetery, they have lost several books from several fires. Since she is not listed in the 1860 Federal Census with the rest of her family she was probably deceased before July 12, 1860⁴⁹.

John B. Provoe (Probst) and his wife got a donation land claim in what is now Lewis Co., WA totaling 641.88 acres⁵⁰. It was located in Range 2W, Township 12N, and took in sections 34, 35 and 27 just west of Winlock, WA. The first mention of John Baptist Provoe was as a godfather to a baptism at the St. Xavier mission by Father Blanchet 7 April 1839⁵¹. In the census of 1854 for Lewis Co., it list Babtist Provost age 55 born Canada, Elizabeth age 36 born British Possession, Mathill age 8 and David age 5 both children born Washington Terr⁵².

Elisabeth Isabelle "Contoe" and John Baptist Provoe were the parents of the following children:

- I. Harriet Provoe born ca 1844
- ii. Matilda Prove born ca 1847
- iii. David Provoe born ca 1849

⁴⁷Donation Land Claim #O-658, page 10, affidavit of Daniel R. Bigelow, Justice of the Peace, dated 6 November 1853, Thurston County, Washington Territory, names all three children of Sally and John R. Kindred and states that Sally is an Indian and the children are half breeds.

⁴⁸Deed book B for Lewis County, WA page 56-58. Original in SW Regional Archive, Olympia, WA.

⁴⁹Federal Census Lewis Co., Territory page 44, Line 2 Harriet Provoe Faron line 5-7 Battese Provo, Matilda and David, enumerated 12 July 1860 by B.F. Yainty, post office Cowlitz Landing.

⁵⁰Microfilm copy National Archives film #203, Abstracts of Washington Donation Land Claims 1855-1902, Vol. 2 Certificated 272-699. Certificate number 686, claim 38.

⁵¹"Catholic Church Records of the Pacific Northwest, Vanoucover I & II and Stellamaris Mission", French Prairie Press, call number 979.531 NW, page 37, entry B102,. Volume read at Heritage Quest Library, Sumner, WA.

⁵²Original census in SW Regional Archive, Olympia, WA. It is also on microfilm in archive.

8. **Kam-Kane** of the Black River Tribe and **Huck-Ki-eeali** of the Upper Chehalis Tribe. Kom-Kane and Huck-Ki-eeali were the parents of the following children:

- I Kam-heet "Marie"⁵³ born ca 1835, she died in late 1905 or early 1906⁵⁴.
- ii Kli-tum "Lizzie"⁵⁵
- iii Ump-Kane "Sally" died in spring of 1873.



⁵³United States Western District Court, Mandate in Cause No. 309, Mary Francis Provoe, et al vs. United States of America, Tacoma, WA dated 24 February 1930. Marie was listed on pedigree chart #309E of the Court case, her daughter was listed as Mary Johns, wife of Sampson Johns.

⁵⁴Marie Conhepe is listed on the Chehalis Indian Census from 1894 till 30 June 1905 with 2nd husband Charley Conhepe. She is not listed in 1906, but Charley Conhepe is listed as a widower, copies of Chehalis Census from microfilm at Washington State Library covering 1894-1909.

⁵⁵United States Western District Court, Mandated in cause No. 309, Mary Francis Provoe, et al vs. United States of America, Tacoma, WA dated 24 February 1930. Lizzie was listed on the family pedigree chart #309E.

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1. Private, b 10 Feb.1942, Hartford, CT; m 30 May 1964 in Lacey, WA.

Second Generation (Parents)

2. **MCCOURT**, James, b 16 July 1912; d 23 May 1990 in Norwich, CT; m 2 Sept. 1939 in Montville, CT to

3. **KANE**, Kathryn Regina, b 25 Oct. 1913, d 2 Apr. 1989.

Third Generation (Grandparents)

4. **MCCOURT**, James, b 23 Dec 1869 in Dungannon, County Tyrone, IRE; d 14 Oct. 1927; m 11 Feb. 1896 in Hartford, CT to

5. **DALY**, Hannah M., b 17 Mar. 1869, Reallen, Kiskeam, County Cork, IRE.; d Apr. 1961, CT.

6. **KANE**, John Leo, b 27 Aug. 1891, Mariner's Harbor, N.Y. d 20 July 1951, Staten Island, N.Y; eloped 18 Jan. 1913 and married in N.J. to

7. **MERRELL**, Dorothy Isabelle, b Feb. 1895, Mariner's Harbor, N. Y.; not certain when she died

Fourth Generation (Great Grandparents)

8. **MCCOURT**, Samuel, b 19 Mar.1828, Dungannon, County Tyrone, IRE; buried 11 Oct. 1890, Edendork, County Tyrone, IRE; m 12 Feb. 1864, Dungannon, County Tyrone, IRE. to

9. **AGNEW**, Mary, b Feb 1835, Tully O'Donnell, IRE.; died early 1900's in CT.

10. **DALY**, William, b Mar 1835, Knockran, County Kerry, IRE; d. 23 Mar. 1925, Reallen, Kiskeam, IRE; m 4 Feb. 1865, Boherbue, Kanturk, IRE. to

11. **LYNCH**, Margaret, b about 1844; d Apr. 1868, Reallen, Kiskeam, IRE.

12. **KANE**, John m 11 Sept. 1883, Port Richmond, Staten Island, N.Y.to

13. **MULLIGAN**, Catherine Regina, b 30 July 1863; d 23 Nov. 1942; buried on Staten Island, N.Y.

14. **MERRELL**, Samuel Edward, b 12 Dec. 1863, Staten Island, N.Y.; d after 1945; m 28 Mar. 1886 at Northfield, N.Y.to

15. **GOLDMAN**, Victoria, b 24 Dec.1871 in Poland; d after 1895.

With the new year comes a new set of Thurston County Records. Over the next several issues we will be listing Thurston County marriages from Marriage Book 3.

Thurston County Marriage Book 3

PAGE 1 27 Nov 1892 - JACKSON, William of Olympia and JOHNSON, Lena Sophia of Olympia by J. Krondel, M.G. Certificate of J. Johnson. Witnesses: J. Johnson and Katrina Jakobson. Filed 11/29/1892 [License Book II-195 - 11/25/1892]

PAGE 1a 6 Sep 1877 - TRUCKWELL, James M. and VANEATON, Sarah M. at Grand Mound by Reece A. Brewer, J.P. At residence of bride's parents. Consent of parents. Witnesses: Flora E.. Brewer and Lizza VanEaton. Filed 09/06/1877 [License Book I-75 - 08/28/1877]

PAGE 1a 19 Aug 1877 - CASE, George W. and FRENCH, Alice R. at Grand Mound by Reece A. Brewer, J. P. At res of bride's parents. Written consent of both parents. Witnesses: Flora E. Brewer and Lila French. Filed 08/19/1877 [License Book I-74 - 08/15/1877]

PAGE 1b 27 Oct 1877 - MAY, Christ and BABE, Emma by Francis Henry, J.P. Certificate of M. Shult. Witnesses: Magnus Stuth and A. A. Phillips. Filed [License Book I-76 - 10/27/1877]

PAGE 1b 30 Sep 1877 - COOPER, Samuel M. and DOBSON, Elizabeth at Episcopal Church, Olympia by George Barton. Certificate of S. H. Steele. Witnesses: not named. Filed 10/05/1877 [License Book I-75 - 09/29/1877]

PAGE 1b 13 Oct 1877 - MAGEN, John and JOHNSON, Julia by John R. Thompson, M.G. Certificate of J. R. Thompson. Witnesses: not named. Filed [License Book I-76 - 10/13/1877]

PAGE 2 25 Nov 1877 - ALLEN, George S. and FARQUHAR, Annie E. at Presbyterian Church, Olympia by John R. Thompson, M.G. Written consent of parents. Witnesses: Joseph S. Allen and Ammelia Abbott. Filed [License Book I-77 - 11/24/1877]

PAGE 2 11 Nov 1877 - SOLBECK, Swan and SCHNEIDER, Molkina by John R. Thompson, M.G. Consent of parents. Witnesses: Flora Parsons and Conrad Schneider. Filed [License Book I-77 - 11/09/1877]

PAGE 2 22 Oct 1877 - GUYET, Frederick and DOBBIN, Nettle by David Utter, Unitarian Minister. Consent of parents Witnesses: J. S. Dobbins and Joseph Chilburg. Filed [License Book I-76 - 10/22/1877]

PAGE 3 7 Oct 1877 - FARQUHARSON, Alexander S. of San Francisco and GURLOCK/BURLOCK, Rose A. of Yelm Prairie at Yelm Prairie by A. Atwood, M.G., Methodist Episcopal Church. Consent of step-father. Witnesses: not named. Filed 01/07/1878 [License Book I-75 - 10/06/1877]

PAGE 3 20 Dec 1877 - RUSSELL, Hiram of Seattle and SMITH, Mary Jane, Mrs. of

Olympia by Atwood, M.G., Methodist Episcopal Church. Certificate of A. Atwood. Witnesses: not named. Filed 01/07/1 878 [License Book I-78 - 12/20/1877]

PAGE 3 28 Dec 1877 - TURVEY/PURVEY Edwin N. and INGALLS, Flora A. by David Utter, Unitarian Minister. Certificate of Mrs. A. Tilley of Olympia. Witnesses: William Clark and Swan Solbeck. Filed 12/29/1 877 [License Book I-78 - 12/26/1877]

PAGE 4 3 Feb 1878 - GLIDDEN, Frank H. and CRAIG, Mary S., Mrs. at res of James Holman by John R. Thompson, Presbyterian Minister. Certificate of Win. Billings. Witnesses: William Billings and James Holman. Filed [License Book I-79 - 02/02/1878]

PAGE 4 2 Feb 1878 - MURPHY, Seth C. and POWERS, Hattie B. by A. Atwood, Minister Methodist Episcopal Church. Certificate of W. S. Spear. Witnesses: not named. Filed 02/07/1878 [License Book I-79 - 01/31/1878]

PAGE 4 30 Jan 1878 - HOWE, Samuel D. and CLAPP, Elvira H. by John R. Thompson, Presbyterian Minister. Certificate of H. P. Thompson. Witnesses: H. Benedict and Frank Howard. Filed [License Book I-78 - 01/30/1878]

PAGE 5 3 Nov 1877 - LIBBY, William N. and LLOYD, Sarah K. at res of Mrs. Austin, Olympia by E. Marsh, J.P. Certificate of Mrs. Mary Rahurt. Witnesses: not named. Filed [License Book I-76 - 11/02/1877]

PAGE 5 8 Nov 1877 - WILLARD, Henry G. and LIVINGSTON, Josephine at res of Elizabeth Mason by E. Marsh, J.P. Certificate of Edwin Marsh. Witnesses: not named. Filed 02/16/1878 [License Book I-77 - 11/08/1877]

PAGE 5 25 Dec 1892 - GIBLIN, Chas. A. of Gate City and PATON, Mary F. of Rochester at Rochester by J. N. McDonald, M.G., Meth Episc. Certificate of Robt. M. Paton. Witnesses: Agnes E. Begg and Orrie Hetsler. Filed 12/29/1892 [License Book II -197 - 12/24/1892]

PAGE 5 3 Nov 1877 - COWELS, James and POTTER, Emma by E. Marsh, J.P. Certificate of Stephen Baker. Witnesses: not named. Filed [License Book I-76 - 11/03/1877]

PAGE 6 20 May 1878 - CHAMBERS, Hardaway and CONNELLY, Mary A. by Fr. A. J. Molinay. Certificate of parent - written consent. Witnesses: J. P. Judson, Mary A. Judson, Thomas Connelly, and George Chambers. Filed [License Book I-80 - 05/18/1878]

PAGE 6 1 Jan 1893 - BRICKER, C. H. of Olympia and WIRICK, Emma of Olympia at Olympia by J. S. McCallum, M.G. Consent of mother of bride. Witnesses: H. F. Bilger and Lucy M. Hildebrand. Filed 01/03/1893 [License Book II -197 - 12/28/1892]

PAGE 6 16 Dec 1877 - CAREY, Newton and YANTIS, Mattie N. at res of bride's father by Galen F. James, J.P. Written consent of father. Witnesses: John Yantis and Catherine F. Martin. Filed [License Book I -77 - 12/14/1 877]

PAGE 6 1 Mar 1878 - JOHNSON, John B. and CASTELLA, Mary Ann by A. R. Elder, Probate Judge. Written consent of R. H. Mifroy. Witnesses: A. A. Phillips and R. H. Milroy. Filed [License Book I -79 -03/01/1878]

PAGE 6 14 Mar 1878 - WARD, John Perry of Portland, Oregon and HORN, Laurey of Astoria, Oregon by Roger S. Green, WA Supreme Court Justice. Certificate of Emma Horn. Witnesses: Emma C. Horn of Astoria, OR and William H. Clark and Lara M. Clark, both of Olympia. Witnesses: not named. Filed [License Book I -79 - 03/14/1 878]

PAGE 7 19 Dec1877 - CAMERON, Harvey J. and SIMMONS, Catherine by Samuel G. Ward, J.P. Consent of parents. Witnesses: James Dunlap. Filed [License Book I -77 - 12/19/1877]

PAGE 7 2 May1878 - HODGDON, Stephen and TILLEY, Sarah by Reice A. Brewer, J.P. Both parties of age. Witnesses: Flora E. Brewer and Mary E. Brewer. Filed 05/02/1878 [License Book I-78 -01/29/1878]

PAGE 8 2 June 1878 - HACKSHAW, Horace and FRENCH, Lila by Reice A. Brewer, J.P. Certificate of G. W. French. Witnesses: Flora E. Brewer and Mary E. Brewer. Filed 06/02/1878 [License Book I -80 -06/01/1878]

PAGE 8 4 May 1878 - MATTHEWS, John H. of Centerville, Snohomish Co. and YOUNG, Nancy T., Mrs. of Olympia by A. Atwood, Methodist Minister. Certificate of W. J. Shazer. Witnesses: not named. Filed [License Book I-79 - 05/04/1878]

PAGE 9 6 May 1878 - EASTER, Wilbur W. of Seattle and SUTHERLAND, Edith J. by A. Atwood, Methodist Minister. Certificate of A. Atwood. Witnesses: not named. Filed 08/06/1878 [License Book I-80 - 05/06/1878]

PAGE 9 10 July1878 - MCMICKEN, Herbert and PARKER, Helen F. at res of bride's father by D.Thomas, M.G. Consent of parents. Groom is son of Gen. Win. M. McMicken. Bride is the dau. of Capt. and J. G. Parker of the Steamer Messenger. Witnesses: not named. Filed [License Book I-81 -07/09/1878]

PAGE 10 17 May 1878 - GORDON, Benjamin and PLUMB, Anny by A. Atwood, Methodist Minister. Certificate of H. B. Wood. Witnesses: not named. Filed 08/16/1878 [License Book I -80 -05/17/1878]

PAGE 10 1 July 1878 - WALTER/WALKER, John W. and WYLER/WYLIE, Sarah E. at res of Mrs. McAtee by E. Marsh. J.P. Certificate of C. C. Mix. Witnesses: not named. Filed [License Book I-81 - 07/01/1878]

PAGE 10 16 Aug1878 - TAYLER, Isaac B. and THORNTON, Rosetta by Thomas Tayler, M.G. Certificate of parents of both parties. Witnesses: not named. Filed [License Book II-1 - 08/13/1878]

PAGE 10 18 Aug 1878 - CHILBERG, Joseph and ABBOTT, Theresa Amelia at res of bride by David Utter, Unitarian Minister. Certificate of Fred Guyer. Witnesses: Isaac Chilberg and David Utter. Filed 08/20/1878 [License Book II-1 - 08/17/1878]

PAGE 11 30 Jun 1878 - EUGLER, Matthew E. and ARTHUR, Bertha, Mrs. by John R. Thompson, M.G. Certificate of B. N. _____. Witnesses: B. N. Guimett and L. Lomison. Filed [License Book I-81 -06/26/1878]

PAGE 11 12 Sep 1878 - SCAMMON, George M. of Chehalis Co. and NYE, Clara A. of Thurston Co. by A. C. Fairchild, M.G. Certificate of H. M. Sutton. Witnesses Mrs M A Fairchild and Minnie E.Nye. Filed [License Book II-1 -09/12/1878]

PAGE 11 14 Sep1878 - HENSON, James A. and POLLARD, Vivinda by Thomas Tayler, M.G. Certificate of Ara Pollard - parent. Witnesses: not named. Filed 09/14/1878 [License Book II-2 - 09/13/1878]

PAGE 11 30 June1878 - CALLOW/GALLOW, John and FERGESON, Annie at res of Jesse Ferguson by John R. Thompson, M.G. Certificate of Sam Ferguson. Witnesses: Hon. James Wood and Samuel Ferguson. Filed [License Book I-81 -06/15/1878]

PAGE 12 20 Aug 1878 - DODGE, R. B. and MARCY, Ada S./L. At res of bride's parents by W. J. Gosper, M.G. Certificate of M. L. M____. Witnesses: B. H. Marcy and H. B. Marcy. Filed [License Book II-1 - 08/13/1878]

PAGE 12 23 Oct 1878 - O'BRIEN, Rossell G. and STEELE, Fanny O. by Abel, Episcopal Minister. Certificate of A. H. Steele. Witnesses: Joseph S. Allen and Fannie Stephens. Filed [License Book II-2 -10/21/1878]

PAGE 12 5 Nov 1878 - YANTIS, John V. and HUME, Maggie at Hall of Champions of Red Cross by John R. Thompson, Presbyterian Minister. Certificate of Benj. Vincent. Witnesses: Clarence Bagley, A.R. Elder, and J. M. Murphy. Filed [License Book II-2 - 10/24/1 878]

PAGE 13 6 Nov 1878 - MCREAVY Edwin F. of Mason Co. and CONNOLLY, Abbie J. at Seattle by Fr.Em. Kauten. Certificate of R. W. Ryerson. Witnesses: not named. Filed [License Book II-3 - 1/05/1878]

PAGE 13 18 Oct 1878 - TILLEY, Joseph A. of Thurston Co. and PRETHER, Pantie of Lewis Co. at Grand Mound by Reece A. Brewer, J.P. License issued in Lewis Co. Witnesses: Flora E. Brewer and Mary E. Brewer. Filed 10/1 8/1 878 [License - 10/18/1878]

PAGE 14 12/30/1878 - CLARK, William H. and HOFFMAN, Fanny H./A. at res of bride's father by John R. Thompson, Presbyterian Minister. Certificate of L. A. Hoffman. Witnesses: George Gaston and Ella Clark. Filed [License Book II-4 - 12/30/i1878]

PAGE 14 1 Jan 1879- MILLER, Gideon W. and WOOD, Sarah B., Mrs. by John R. Thompson, Presbyterian Minister. Certificate of B. W. McMillan. Also Book M3-136. Filed 5 Jan 1887. Bride's name given as Lena E. Wood. Also Book M3- 145. Filed 6 Jan 1887. Witnesses: James R. Wood and Georgina F. Thompson. Filed [License Book II-4 -12/31/1878]

PAGE 14/15 4 Jan 1879 - DEWITT, Alexander and GLENN, Mary Jane by A. C. Fairchild, M.G. Certificate of C. H. Sylvester. Witnesses: Mrs. M. A. Fairchild and Emma L. Freeland. Filed 01/07/1879 [License Book II-5 -01/04/1879]

PAGE 16 27 Jan 1879 - STEPHENS, Henry of Lewis Co. and VANEATON, Mary Elizabeth at Grand Mound by Reece A. Brewer, J.P. Certificate of F. Henry. Ceremony at res of bride's parents. Witnesses: M. Trackwell and J. A. M. VanEaton. Filed 02/10/1 879 [License Book II-5 -01/24/1879]

PAGE 16 22 Dec 1878 - SHERMAN, William and SIMMONS, Elizabeth of Chehalis, Lewis Co. at near Grand Mound by Reece A. Brewer, J.P. License issued in Chehalis Co. Witnesses: E. N. Sargent and F. M. Rhoads. Filed 02/10/1879 [License -12/11/1878]

PAGE 17 14 Nov 1878 - BROWN, Chandler D. and AXTELL, Sarah Ellen by T. O. Morgan, M.G. Certificate of John G. Spans?. Witnesses: John C. Axtell and E. C. Axtell. Filed 02/13/1879 [License Book II-4 - 11/13/1878]

PAGE 17/18 23 Feb 1879 - HAWK, Willis and ASBURY, Vannetta at res of John M. Hawk by Francis Henry, J.P. Certificate of Mrs. Margaret A. Murray - parent of Vannetta Asbury. Witnesses: J. H. Munsen and G. G. Turner. Filed [License Book II-6 - 02/13/1879]

PAGE 18 5 May 1879 - SYLVESTER, C. H. of South Bay and BRUNN/BROWN, Edith, Mrs. by John R. Thompson, M.G. Certificate of Francis Henry. Witnesses: Georgina F. Thompson and George W. Bill. Filed 08/04/1879 [License Book II-6 -05/03/1879]

PAGE 18 25 Apr 1879 - MILLS, John W. and GILLILLAND, Fanny M. by G. W. Marfie?, Presbyterian Minister. Certificate of Geo. W. Mills - parent. Witnesses: Mary B. Miller and Mary L. Robinson. Filed 07/22/1879 [License Book II-6 -04/23/1879]

PAGE 19 21 May 1879 - FREEMAN, Asher M. and WALDMAN/WALDRON, Sarah A. by John R. Thompson, M.G. Certificate of parent. Witnesses: Hon. Roger S. Greene and Alfred P. Freeman. Filed 08/04/1879 [License Book II-7 - 05/20/1879]

PAGE 19 4 June 1879 - SCHNEIDER, Henry and CAMPBELL, Mary at Mud Bay by John R. Thompson, M.G. Certificate of parents of Mary Campbell. Witnesses: Swan Solbeck and Molkina Solbeck. Filed 08/04/1 879 [License Book II-7 - 06/01/1879]

TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE COMPANIES.

Postal Telegraph-Cable Co—M O'Connor, mngr, 508 Main.

Sunset Telephone & Telegraph Co—Reed blk; Robert Doragh, mngr.

Western Union Telegraph Co—Main, n w cor 5th; E A Stevens, mngr.

TEMPERANCE SOCIETIES.**INDEPENDENT ORDER OF GOOD TEMPLARS.**

Tacoma Lodge No 4—Byron Millett, C T; E E Martin, R S and L D. Meets at Tacoma Hall every alternate Friday evening.

WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION.

Mrs Charles Van Eaton, Pres; Mrs Margaret O'Keif, Sec; Mrs W H Treisch, Treas. Meets 2d and 4th Fridays at 2:30 p m at Mrs Crandall's, 607 Jefferson.

TUMWATER CITY GOVERNMENT.

Mayor—George W Hopp.

City Clerk—C E Hewitt.

Treasurer—C F Eastman.

Marshal—H B Cusack.

Police Justice—M Cole.

Councilmen—B A Vanderveer, M Cole, A Whitemarsh, F M Cooper, S N Jennings, C E Hewitt, clerk.

Public School—Theo D Young, prin; Mrs. T D Young, teacher.

CITY BOUNDARIES.

Beginning at the northeast corner of northwest quarter of section twenty-five, township eighteen north, range two west; runs thence north on subdivision line to the north boundary line of section twelve, township eighteen north, range two west; thence

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west on section line to northeast corner of northwest quarter of northwest quarter of section ten, township eighteen north, range two west; thence south along subdivision line to northeast corner of northwest quarter of northwest quarter of section twenty-seven, township eighteen north, range two west; thence east on section line to the place of beginning.

WARD BOUNDARIES.

First Ward—Commencing at a point where 4th st intersects the center of the channel of the Des Chutes water way as indicated by chart of Harbor Line Commission; running thence east in the center line of 4th st to its intersection with Cherry st; thence south on the center line of Cherry st to its intersection with Union st; thence west along the center line of Union st and on the line of Union st extended to its intersection with the aforesaid channel of Budd's Inlet; thence northerly along the center of said channel to the place of beginning.

Second Ward—Commencing at a point where 4th st intersects the channel of the Des Chutes water way as indicated by a chart of Harbor Line Commission; running thence northerly along the center of said channel to its intersection with Olympia Harbor; thence along said outer harbor line to the north boundary line of the city; thence east along said boundary line to its intersection with the line of Cherry st extended; thence along the center line of Cherry st, south to its intersection with 4th st; thence west along the line of 4th st to the place of beginning.

Third Ward—Commencing at the intersection of 4th st and Cherry st; running thence south along the center line of Cherry st to its intersection with Union st; thence east along the center line of Union st to the center line of Pear st; thence south along the center line of Pear st and the line of Pear st

extended, to the south boundary line of the city; thence east along the south boundary line of the city to the east boundary line of the city; thence north along the east boundary line of the city to its intersection with 4th st; thence west along the center line of 4th st to the place of beginning.

Fourth Ward—Commencing at the intersection of 4th st and Cherry st, running thence north along the center line of Cherry st and the line of Cherry st extended, to the north boundary line of the city; thence east along the north boundary line of the city to the east boundary line of the city; thence south along the east boundary line of the city to its intersection with 4th st; thence west along the center of 4th st to the place of beginning.

Fifth Ward—Commencing at the intersection of Pear st and Union st, running thence south along the center line of Pear st and the line of Pear st extended, to the south boundary line of the city; thence west along the south boundary line of the city to its intersection with the Des Chutes channel of Budd's Inlet; thence northerly along the center of the channel to a point where the center line of Union st extended intersects said channel; thence east along said line and the center line of said Union st to the place of beginning.

Sixth Ward—Commencing at the intersection of the south boundary line of the city with the Des Chutes channel of Budd's Inlet, running thence northerly along the center of said channel to the west line of the Harbor; thence northerly along the said Harbor line to the north boundary line of the city; thence west along the north boundary line of the city to the west boundary line of the city; thence south along the west boundary line of the city to the south boundary line of the city; thence east along said south boundary line of the city to the place of beginning.

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OLYMPIA STREET AND ADDITION GUIDE.

The Philadelphia block system of house numbering is used here. Main street is the east and west base lines and all streets running west from Main street are known as West First, West Second, etc. No prefix is used for streets running east from Main. On all streets running east and west the even numbers are on the north side. On all streets running north and south the even numbers are on the east side.

That portion of the city lying west of the Des Chutes river is properly within the city limits, but to prevent confusion, we have in this guide added "W Olympia" after the descriptions of all streets and additions in that part of the city.

STREETS AND AVENUES.

- A—First east of Eastside. From Washington av south to Central av.
- Adams—Third east of Main. From water front south to 15th, 18th to city limits.
- Aubert—Fifth west of water front. From Madison av north to Bowman av, W Olympia.
- B—Second east of Eastside. From Washington av south to 25th.
- Bay—Sixteenth extended. From Water west to Pleasant.
- Belknap—Fourth west of Main. From W 12th south to Capitol av.
- Bethel—Thirteenth east of Main. From Spring south to 4th.
- Bigelow av—Third north of 1st. From Quince east to Central.
- Boundary—Twelfth east of Main. From 4th south to city limits.
- Bowman av—Ninth north of W 4th. From water front west to city limits, W Olympia.
- Brawne av—Eighth north of W 4th. From water front west to city limits, W Olympia.

- C—Third east of Eastside. From Washington av south to 25th.
- Capitol av—First south of W 13th. From Water west to Patterson.
- Carlyon—West city limits. From Madison av north to Bowman av, W Olympia.
- Central—Fifteenth east of Main. From Spring south to Washington av.
- Central av—Between Washington av and 20th. From Chestnut east to city limits.
- Cherry—Fifth east of Main. From water front south to Pacific; Fremont to Lincoln; 18th to 22d.
- Chestnut—Sixth east of Main. From water front south to Lincoln; 18th to 22d.
- Church—Between Eastside and Boundary. From Pacific south to Fremont.
- Columbia—First west of Main. From water front south to 13th; 19th to 24th.
- Conger av—Sixth north of W 4th. From water front west to city limits, W Olympia.
- D—Fourth east of Eastside. From Washington av south to 25th.
- Davis—Second south of Union. From Jefferson east to Chestnut; Pear to city limits.
- Dayton—Fifth south of Union. From Jefferson east to city limits.
- Decatur av—Eleventh west of channel. From W 4th north to Madison av, W Olympia.
- E—Fifth east of Eastside. From Washington av south to 25th.
- East Bay av—Plum extended. North along water front.
- Eastside—Tenth east of Main. From 4th south to city limits.
- Eighteenth—From 1800 Main east to Chestnut.
- Eighth—From 800 Main east to city limits.
- Eleventh—From 1100 Main east to Jefferson.
- F—Sixth east of Eastside. From Washington av south to 25th.
- Fairview—Nineteenth east of Main. South along east city limits from 4th to Washington av.

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- Farragut av—Third west of channel. From W 4th north to Jackson av, W Olympia.
- Fifteenth—From 1500 Main east to Jefferson.
- Fifth—From 500 Main east to Eastside; Central to city limits.
- First—From 100 Main east to Quince.
- Foote av—Fifth west of channel. From W 4th north to Madison av, W Olympia.
- Fourteenth—From 1400 Main east to Jefferson.
- Fourth—From 400 Main east to city limits.
- Franklin—Second east of Main. From water front south to city limits.
- Fremont—Third south of Union. From Jefferson east to city limits.
- G—Seventh east of Eastside. From Washington av south to Olympia av.
- Garfield av—Second north of W 4th. From water front west to city limits, W Olympia.
- Garrison av—First east of Bethel. From Spring north to Bigelow av.
- Giles—Seventh north of W 4th. From water front west to city limits, W Olympia.
- Grant av—Second west of channel. From Seward north to Jackson av, W Olympia.
- Grape—First east of Eastside. From 21st south to city limits.
- Hancock av—Sixth west of channel. From W 4th north to Madison av, W Olympia.
- Harrison av—First north of W 4th. From water front west to city limits, W Olympia.
- Henderson—First west of city limits. From Pacific south to Washington av.
- Henry—Fourteenth east of Main. From 3d south to 4th.
- Henry—Second west of water front. From Madison av north to Brawne av, W Olympia.
- Jackson av—Third north of W 4th. From water front west to city limits, W Olympia.
- Jefferson—Fourth east of Main. From water front south to 22d.

EXCHANGE NOTES

by
Jean Laws

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 genealogy section of the Olympia Library. Some of them are eventually bound and placed with the bound periodicals in the genealogy 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

TOP MISTAKES

Big Bend Register, Grant Co WA Genealogical Society, March 2003. Grant Co WA 1920 census and naturalizations are featured. June 2003 continues the above records plus Top Mistakes in Genealogy . Can you guess what they are?

CONTEST WINNER

Oklahoma Genealogical Society *Quarterly* Vol 48 #2 2003. The family story writing contest winners are announced and the winner's story is featured here."The Last of the Choctaw Veaches." by William A Veitch

THE LETTER "K"

Sounder from the Sno Isle WA Genealogical Society, 2nd quarter 2003. What was happening in Snohomish 100 - 75 - 50 and 25 years ago? Read this issue and find out. There's also an Index to Snohomish Co biographies at Everett Public Library - letter "K".

**NATURALIZATION
INFORMATION**

Cornerstone Clues Aug 2003 Waynesburg PA Genealogical Society. This issue has a table of important dates regarding naturalization. It starts with 1790 when citizenship required a 2 year residency in US, 1 year in a state, and good character and ends with 1940 when the Alien Immigration Act required registration and fingerprinting at a local PO within 30 days of arrival.

**MURDER AND
MAYHEM IN IOWA?**

Tama Co, IA **Museum News** July 2003. What could be tamer than Tama Co IA you ask? This issue continues a series on murder and mayhem in Tama Co with an account of a Chelsea murder.

**LET'S TALK ABOUT
RELATIONSHIPS**

Rapid City SD **Black Hills Nuggets** Aug 2003 Here is a cousins chart and explanation that may make all those relationships come clear. Did you know your mother's sister's husband is not you uncle by marriage but he's your uncle, fair and square? Or that grandaunt and granduncle is preferred to great aunt and uncle? Now you know.

- CITING SOURCES** *Mason County Log*, Mason Co WA Genealogical Society Sep 2003. If you are writing your family history you will be interested in this series which includes documenting your sources, where to place source citations and what about an index. Also a chart on when each census was taken. Might help explain missing family members.
- SAVE THOSE HIGH SCHOOL YEARBOOKS** Whitman Co WA *Newsletter* Sep 2003. Have you used high school or college annuals for research--a good source for a picture of a family member. Some genealogical and historical societies or libraries have collections of these you might track down. Or consider donating them if you no longer want yours. An adoptee I helped once found her only picture of her mother this way.
- SEEING THE ELEPHANT** Sequoia Genealogical Society *Newsletter* Tulare Co CA Sep 2003. Interesting article on historical sayings. Two listed are Hang Town Fry and Seeing the Elephant--an expression by those traveling West. Wow your friends with this trivia.
- NOT NECESSARILY GREYNA GREEN** S King Co WA *News* Sep/Oct 2003. Where, oh where is that marriage record? We've been told that marriages were always recorded but sometimes hard to find. Consider that the license was in one county and marriage another.
- MEMBER TALES** *Backtracker* from Puget Sound Genealogical Society Sep 2003. Once again, this publication is filled with members' stories. Take a look--truth is stranger than fiction in genealogy searching. Some examples "Who were the parents of Thomas Magee?, How I found my father's family and last remains from the Bellevue Cemetery.
- CELINE DION'S AUNT?** *The Bulletin* South Brevard FL Sep 2003 Enlightening article on two Canadian Pioneers Zacharie Cloutier and wife Xainta Dupont, the ancestors of many of the French Canadians from Quebec. If you are also from these people, you are cousins to Celine Dion, Camilla Parker Bowles, Robert Goulet and Madonna. Also if you have searched the 1880 census and failed by surname, there are other ways to do it. Search by wife, ethnicity, country of birth, first name or residence to name a few. This issue has many other helpful hints.
- THANKS, ALMA** Donated by Alma Greenwood - *Prairie Pioneer* from Warren Co IL and *Blauvelt News* published by the Association of Blauvelt Descendants.

**COSTLY OHIO
ANCESTORS**

Toledo OH Area Genealogical Society *Newsletter* Sep 2003. Ohio vital records may be going up in price if a new bill passes in the legislature. The money generated will be used to digitize vital records and they will be available online. So that's the good and bad news from Ohio.

**HOW DID YOU SPELL
THAT?**

Researcher from Tacoma Pierce Co Genealogical Society, Summer 2003. There's a great article on AKA Immigrant Names. This covers intentional and unintentional name changes, confusing naming customs and using the one-step Ellis Island database that helps locate hard to find immigrants by various types of searches. If you had an ancestor who died of consumption, you should read "They died of Consumption" which details the history and many others aspects of this disease.

ABBREVIATION CHART

Family Tree Talks Muskegon Co MI Genealogical Society, Sep 2003. There is a useful article on abbreviation/acronym chart in alphabetical order. This should be very helpful when researching, keeping in mind some have more than one meaning and should be considered in context.

**YAKIMA VALLEY G.S.
HAS THEIR OWN
LIBRARY!**

Yakima Valley Genealogical Society *Bulletin*, Sep 2003. The society's extensive collection is now housed in their own library. Check this issue for address and hours and a long list of new acquisitions.

"SOMEDAY" IS HERE

Dakota Homestead Historical Newsletter, Bismarck Mandan Historical & Genealogical Society, Bismark, ND Sep 2003. A timely article by the President whose wife had a sudden stroke. Now she has the time but can't do all those projects she intended to do "someday". He says a good rule is to "Do it! Do it right. Do it right now" This is a lesson we could all heed. Also articles on Journaling and how to identify photos by comparison.

**GRAYS HARBOR G.S.
LIBRARY HOLDINGS &
HOURS**

Grays Harbor WA Genealogical Society Sep-Oct 2003 This society also has their own library and they are rapidly filling the shelves. You may want to check their holdings and hours and visit. A number of articles about this area are included in this issue.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Walla Walla Valley Genealogical Society *Blue Mountain Heritage* Sep 2003. Most of this issue is dedicated to the WW Fire Dept and early paramedics including histories, biographical sketches, news items and obits

- PIONEER DOCTORS** *Footprints* - Ft Worth TX Genealogical Society Aug 2003. Article on Tarrant Co pioneers of medicine and others.
- DEFINE "RECORD DENSITY"** Sioux Valley SD *Pioneer Pathfinder* Oct 2003. There's an interesting article on "Record Density" a term I am unfamiliar with. This includes records that were created, ones that survive, ones you have searched and how deeply you've searched. If you haven't covered these steps you may be missing good information.
- HELPFUL HINTS FROM MASON COUNTY** Mason Co WA *Log* Oct 2003. This issue is once again full of helpful hints. Some examples are search engines, try videotaping your memories if you can't write them, learning more about housing or living conditions of our ancestors, making a research plan for our descendants and much more.
- Mason Co WA *Log* Nov 2003 A lot of helpful hints in this issue as usual. Creating a family storybook, scanning tips, Orphan Trains, labeling and indexing collections to name a few.
- NGS IN ST LOUIS** Kittitas Co WA Genealogical Society *Kittitas Kinfolk* Oct 2003. Article about a visit to the St Louis MO Co library which has their own genealogy section. It now includes 20,000 vols. of the National Genealogical Society collection, so is worth a visit if you are in that area. Another helpful article on Scottish names and naming patterns.
- HISPANIC INTERESTS** *New Mexico Genealogist* New Mexico Genealogical Society Sep 2003. Anyone doing hispanic research should use this excellent publication. It concentrates on New Mexican and South Colorado families but should be helpful for others.
- OKLAHOMA PIONEER PAPERS** Oklahoma Genealogical Society *Quarterly* Vol 48, # 3, 2003. A very extensive and well documented account of the Abell, Able, etc. family from early Maryland through Kentucky, Missouri and on to Oklahoma. There is also a continuation of the index to the Oklahoma Indian-Pioneer Papers including interviews. If you can prove descent from an Oklahoma pioneer prior to 16 Nov 1907, you are eligible for First Families of the Twin Territories.
- 1870 "CENSUS FROM HELL"** San Luis Obispo Co CA Genealogical Society *Bulletin* Nov 2003 I was most interested in "1870 - The Census from Hell: the case of Cholame Valley". Apparently it is not the only place with problems in the 1870 census and this article gives us some insights

HOW MUCH CASH IS LEFT AFTER YOU SEE THE ELEPHANT?

Sequoia Genealogical Society *Newsletter* Tulare Co CA Oct 2003. There's an interesting article on cookbooks, especially those created from family or ethnic recipes. Might be a good project this winter. Nov 2003 There's an article on wagon trains with some interesting statistics. One is on the expenses for 4 persons. It came out at \$55.19 per person once you deduct the profit made by selling the wagon and oxen or mules. From the trips I've read about you would be lucky to still have them to sell. There was also a list of the chores given to children on the trip.

FAMILY BIBLES

Beaver Briefs Willamette Valley Genealogical Society Salem OR Sep 2003. The editor has done an article on the Scott Family Bible: a description and discussion which would be a useful guide for anyone with a family Bible to document and transcribe.

MILLER CO, ARKANSAS 1940'S DEATHS

Texarkana TX Genealogical Society *Quarterly* Fall & Winter 2003. This volume includes a great deal on Texarkana AR and TX. including Miller Co AR deaths 1941-48 and a history of Miller Co schools.

WHAT'S A CENOTAPH?

The Muskingum Muskingum Chapter, Ohio Genealogical Society, Vol 27 #8. An article on grave terms. Do you know the difference between burial ground, catacomb, vault, cenotaph, columbarium, contumilation and ossuary to name a few? You may run across these terms in your research and it should help.

GRANT CO NATURALIZATIONS

Grant Co Genealogical Society *Big Bend Register* Sep 2003. Many Grant Co records including the 1920 census and index to naturalization papers.

KANSAS CITY NEWS

Kansas City Genealogist Heart of America Genealogical Society Spring 2003. This issue contains excerpts from the Kansas City Times 1881 and the Oak Grove Banner -1923. Also Wornell family history and Wyandotte Indians move into Kansas.

WOODMEN

Federation of Genealogical Societies *Forum* Fall 2003. Many articles on many facets of genealogical research. The featured article in this issue "My Papa was a Woodman" is all about Modern Woodmen of America and how to access their records.

BE KIND TO VOLUNTEERS

Greater Omaha NE Genealogical Society *Westward into Nebraska* Oct 2003. A thoughtful article on look-ups. These are people on the internet who volunteer to look up information in their area. Follow the simple rules listed in this issue and be sure and say thank you.

- SKAGIT PIONEERS** Skagit Co Genealogical Society Newsletter Nov-Dec 2003. The society is collecting data for a pioneer book and would like submissions of family stories, photographs, and genealogical info from anyone with roots or connections to Skagit Co. They have also started publishing obits of descendants of pioneers or early families to Skagit Co that appear in the current paper.
- HOME VISITS** Chelan Valley Genealogical Society *Apple Orchard* Vol 14 Issue 3, 2003. This issue has a list of old homes in Chelan Wa with the name of the family and the address. A good idea especially for people visiting the area who have early family. Vol 13 issue 4 2003. How to access military data and burial records. These genealogical magazines we receive in exchange for our quarterly are full of good how-to and local records. Be sure to take advantage of this resource in our library when you have time this winter.
- WALLA WALLA'S 30TH** *Blue Mountain Heritage* Walla Walla Valley Genealogical Society Nov 2003. This is the society's 30th anniversary issue. It is filled with biographies of members with roots in the Walla Walla Valley.
- GREENE CO, PA** *Cornerstone Clues* from the Cornerstone Genealogical Society, Waynesburg PA Nov 2003. Many local records of Greene Co are included in this issue such as the 1840 Greens Twp census, Rosemont Cemetery records, Weaver and Lucas Behm Funeral home records and births in Richhill Twp.
- ABOUT ARTHUR FISKE** Fiske Genealogical Foundation *Newsletter* Sep 2003. This is a Seattle based library we should all be aware of and use. This issue has an article on Arthur Fiske the founder. Many of us knew Arthur and benefitted from his expertise. Now everyone can do the same through the resources in this library. Our copies of the newsletter will give you info on this vast collection.
- GERMAN RESEARCH IN ST LOUIS** St Louis MO Genealogical Society *Quarterly* Summer 2003. A complete article on researching in Springfield Mo and another on German research resources at the St Louis County library.
- TROUBLE IN KANSAS** Crawford Co KS Genealogical Society *Seeker* July-Aug-Sep 2003. This area in SE Kansas has a violent history and some of this is related in this issue. It was created as Cherokee Neutral Lands although Indians never settled here.

**IDAHO'S
MINIDOKA CO.**

Idaho Genealogical Society *Quarterly* Fall 2003. This issue features Minidoka Co. Each quarterly features a different county and there is a list of these on p. 11 of this issue. There's also an interesting article on The Society of the Cincinnati, the first veteran's organization established in the U S and the oldest patriotic-lineal society in the world.

**THE WOMEN OF
LANGLEY**

Sno-Isle Genealogical Society *Sounder* 3rd quarter 2003. There are many articles on Snohomish county including "The Domestication of Langley: the Distaff City council of 1920." Langley was the first municipality in the nation to elect an all women Mayor and council in 1919 after women were given the right to vote.

LEWIS & CLARK

Keyhole Genealogical Society of Southwestern Pennsylvania Oct 2003. We aren't the only ones celebrating 200 years of the Lewis and Clark Expedition. A discovery expedition of St Charles MO reenactment was held Aug 29 in Elizabeth PA. Also extensive info on the Prickett cemetery in Prickett's Fort State Park,

Additional and corrections to October 2003 Quarterly:

From the "Query" section - *Phyllis, can you please correct my email in the next Quarterly (assuming there is one). The underscore between pam_bill was missing in the last issue. Thanks!*

Pam Davidson

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