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ON THE COVER: The author's visit to the site of the Olympia Opera House, a grand building in Olympia, Washington, the site of great opera and music. The photo is thirty years old, published in the "Washington Journal" in the Olympia Opera House. (See Cover story on page 10.)

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MEETINGS: The Olympia Genealogical Society meets the 2nd Thursday of the month, September through June. Meetings are held in the Olympia Timberland Library at 7:00 p.m. Anyone is welcome to attend.

QUARTERLY: Articles and information for the QUARTERLY should be submitted by the 20th of the month prior to publication to Jerri McCoy, 4131 Frontier Dr SE, Olympia, WA 98501, phone: 459-3251.

ON THE COVER: John Miller Murphy seated on the stage of the Olympia Opera House. According to Rogue, Buffoons & Statesman, by Gordon Newell, "Murphy, the lover of good music and drama, invested the profits of thirty years of publishing the "Washington Standard" in the Olympia Opera House. (See Cover Story on page 10.)

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NEWS AND NOTES

OGS PROGRAM SCHEDULE

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| 13 Jan 1994 | - | Regular Meeting - 7:00 p.m. - Library Meeting Room
Program: Dave Hastings & Wayne Lawson from the State Archives |
| 10 Feb 1994 | - | Regular Meeting - 7:00 p.m. - Library Meeting Room
Program: TBA |
| 10 Mar 1994 | - | Regular Meeting - 7:00 p.m. - Library Meeting Room
Program: Clara Wulfsberg on "Oral History - Interviewing & Quality Tape Recording Techniques" |
| 14 Apr 1994 | - | Regular Meeting - 7:00 p.m. - Library Meeting Room
Program: Local author, Weldon Rau, "Pioneering the Washington Territory |
| 12 May 1994 | - | Regular Meeting - 7:00 p.m. - Rm 152, County Courthouse, Bldg 1
Program: Ron Bremer, of Salt Lake City, Mini-seminar. |
| 09 Jun 1994 | - | Regular Meeting - 7:00 p.m. - Library Meeting Room
Program: Darlene Hamilton of the Seattle Public Library |

SEMINARS

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| 16 Apr 1994 | - | OGS Spring Seminar, featuring Ruth Maness, of the Family History Library in SLC. Main topic is Scandinavian research.
Location is the First United Methodist Church on Legion St. |
| 28 Apr - 1 May 1994 | - | WA State Genealogical Society Annual Conference, in Vancouver.
Hosted by Clark County Genealogical Society. |
| 14 May 1994 | - | Idaho Family History Conference, Boise State Univ, \$17 Pre-registr. |
| 22-24 May 1994 | - | Northwest Regional Folklife Festival, Seattle Center. Largest Folk Music, Dance, Arts & Craft festival in Western US. |
| 4-6 Aug 1994 | - | Great Lakes Conference, sponsored by Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Ohio, Ontario, and Wisconsin State Genealogy Societies. Will cover over 80 topics. Location is Fort Wayne, IN. Write: The Great Lakes Conference, Genealogy Dept. ACPL, PO Box 2270, Ft Wayne, IN 46802. |

More information on these seminars is in the genealogy files at Olympia Timberland Library.

NATIONAL ARCHIVES WORKSHOPS

Two genealogical workshops are regularly offered at the National Archives regional office in Seattle. Reservations for these workshops can be made by calling (206)526-6507. The workshops are from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon on the following days:

Census Records: Feb 1, Mar 1, Apr 5, May 3

Military, Land, Naturalization & Immigration Records: Feb 8, Mar 8, Apr 12, May 10

OGS PUBLICATIONS FOR SALE

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MEMBERSHIP UPDATE

The following people have joined the Olympia Genealogical Society since our last Quarterly. We welcome each one of you, and wish you great success as you pursue your ancestors. These names should be added to your membership booklets.

CRAFT, CATHY, 1805 Thornton St, Olympia WA 98502-4161
GAST, SANDRA L., 9431 Hart Road SE, Olympia WA 98501
JONES, SYLVIA W. (JANES), 1910 Evergreen Park Dr, Olympia WA 98502
KANNAAR, SHIRLEY M. (STOKES), 22883 Longdown Rd, Cupertino CA 95014-2651
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DAZEY, DONALD & MARGARET, 856 Marvin Rd SE, Olympia WA 98503
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Zipcode changes:

From 98502 to 98512 for: Frances Anderson, Faughn Camus, Ken Corbett, Gary & Elizabeth Foote, Charlie & Bev Heeber, Chuck & Suzanne Hornbuckle, Clara Jacobson, Dorothy Lindseth, Robert & Virginia Matson, Dick & B.J. Moe, Marjory Murphy, Myrna Peterson, Myraleigh Farnsworth-Peters, Marion Richardson, Sidney & Dorothy Strong.

From 98503 to 98513 for: Steve Dodge, Daryl & Jessie Duerr, Augie & Carol Gamino, Karen Oakes, Lois & Daniel Roselle, Jim & Zeta Short, Olive Smith, Irv & Evelyn Wawrinofsky.

From 98506 to 98516 for: Darrell & Carole Holt, Olive Hull, Dick & Dodie Jones, Helen Lybecker, Stan & Bobbie Scott, Ruth Vanderslice.

DONATIONS TO THE OLYMPIA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

White, Kris and Cuthill, Mary-Catherine, editors, Overland Passages A guide to Overland Documents in the Oregon Historical Society. Oregon Historical Society Press. 1993. Donated by B.J. Moe. This book is arranged alphabetically by the name of the diarist or the author of the letter and includes the title, date of trip, date of writing, a description of the document, date and location of departure and arrival with a few details of the trip, and other information on each document. A copy of each document is available at the Oregon Historical Society. There is an every name index at the end. This is a valuable resource to anyone interested in the Oregon Trail.

Blattner, Teresa Divorces, Separations, and Annulments in Missouri 1769-1850. Heritage Books, 1993. Donated by Marjorie Queen. The information in this book comes from notices in early newspapers and court records. It is arranged by the newspaper or other source, but it is fully indexed. It was compiled in hopes it will solve some genealogical puzzles in Missouri families.

Kearney, Timothy, compiler. Abstracts of Letters of Resignations of Militia Officers in North Carolina 1779-1840. North Carolina Genealogical Society 1992. Donated by Marjorie Queen. This volume will serve the purpose of placing a name with a date and place in North Carolina. Also, the act of resigning quite often revealed personal information such as age, injury, sickness, etc.

Tuscarawas County, Ohio Connections II. Ancestor Charts from Across the United States each touching Tuscarawas County, Ohio. Tuscarawas County Genealogical Society, 1993. Donated by Marjorie Queen. Our collection already has Vol. 1 of this important record of persons passing through Ohio or into Ohio to stay. Following the charts is an every name index.

Wakefield, Robert S., Mayflower Families Through Five Generations: Peter Brown. Vol. 7, General Society of Mayflower Descendants, Plymouth MA, 1992. Donated by B.J. Moe.

Hinshaw, William Wade, Encyclopedia of American Quaker Genealogy: Virginia, Vol. VI, Genealogical Publishing Co, Baltimore MD, 1993 reprint. This is a memorial to John P. Thatcher & Keith S. Wilson. Donated by B.J. Moe.

PEDIGREE CHARTS OF OGS MEMBERS

Submitted by - Daryl Duerr, 6325 Sunrise Beach Rd NW, Olympia WA 98502

1. DUERR, DARYL JOHN b 21 Apr 1932 Anoka, MN; m 17 Mar 1972 Everett, WA to JESSIE L. WING
2. DUERR, REYNOLD JAMES b 1 Jan 1901 Albertville, MN; d 25 Oct 1978 Longview, WA; m to
3. SCHREINER, OLIVIA CECILA b 19 Jul 1909 McLean Co, ND; d 24 Aug 1972 Longview, WA
4. DUERR, MICHAEL EMIL b 29 Dec 1873 Frankfort, MN; m to
5. KAISER/KEISER, MARY b prob MN

6. SCHREINER, JOSEPH b 20 Nov 1878 Luxemburg, Germany; d 27 Feb 1934 Max, ND; m 30 Oct 1900 Watkins, MN to
7. KLINKNER, MARY M. b 27 Oct 1877 Strausburg, Germany; d 22 Dec 1967 Garrison, ND
8. DUERR, ANTHONY b Germany; m to
9. THERESIA b Germany

Submitted by - Jessie Duerr, 6325 Sunrise Beach Rd NW, Olympia WA 98502

1. WING, JESSIE L. b 12 Apr 1924 Olympia, WA; m 17 Mar 1972 Everett, WA to DARYL J. DUERR
2. WING, ARTHUR WILLIAM b 7 Oct 1887 Pittsburg, KS; d 8 Mar 1969 Shelton, WA; m 16 Dec 1922 Tacoma, WA to
3. RICHARDSON, ELLEN b 1 Mar 1890 Genesee, ID; d 9 Dec 1964 Tacoma, WA
4. WING, ALBERT b 8 May 1853 Dublin, OH; d Pendleton, OR; m 25 Nov 1880 Osage City, KS to
5. HECKARD, LOUISA b prob IL; d 9 Sep 1893 Port Townsend, WA
6. RICHARDSON, RICHARD F. b 20 Mar 1859 Natick, MA; d 9 Dec 1911 Spokane, WA; m 27 Jan 1886 Camden, NJ to
7. SOUTHARD, LUCY ANN b 19 Jul 1868 ME; d 16 Oct 1946 Olympia, WA
8. WING, JESSE b 1808 Pocasset, MA; d 2 Jan 1859 Worthington, OH; m 30 May 1830 to
9. SPRAGUE, CELINDA THANKFUL b Pocasset, MA; d 12 Sep 1875 Dublin, OH
10. HECKARD, J.C. b 5 Jun 1820 PA; d 14 Nov 1899; m to
11. HEREM, MERTIE b 1825 PA; d 29 Jan 1901
12. RICHARDSON, STEPHEN b 28 Aug 1830/32 Readfield, ME; d 14 Apr 1899 Genesee, ID; m 20 Mar 1858 to
13. HAMNER/HASTINGS, ORISSA b abt 1842
14. SOUTHARD, CYRUS b 5 Jun 1832
15. SOUTHARD, CORNELIA b 31 Dec 1840; d 4 Oct 1872 East Newport, ME
16. WING, JUDAH b 1 Mar 1770; d 10 Jan 1842
17. _____, REBECCA d Aug 1847
18. SPRAGUE, PARDON d Delaware, OH
24. RICHARDSON, ASA b 11 Nov 1787; d Jan 1873; m to
25. COTTLE, SARAH
26. HASTINGS, JONAS
27. HASTINGS, BETSEY
28. SOUTHARD, ISAAC b 17 Mar 1796
29. NICHOLS/NICKOLES, DIANA
30. SOUTHARD, AMOS b 1815; d 26 Jan 1880
31. SHIRLAND, CAROLINE

Submitted by Bee Friend, 1512 Brawne Ave NW, Olympia WA 98502

1. MIELKE, LORRAINE BERNICE b 7 Jul 1927 Black Creek WI; m 14 Dec 1963 Tumwater WA to JAMES ROSCOE FRIEND
2. MIELKE, WILLARD OTTO b 4 Oct 1893 Cicero, Outagamie Co, WI; d 7 Nov 1961 Olympia, WA; m 19 Jul 1916 Black Creek, Outagamie Co, WI to

3. ZULEGER, ESTELLA CAROLLUS b 6 Jan 1900 Grand Chute Twsp, Outagamie Co, WI; d 14 Aug 1977 Shelton WA
4. MIELKE, THEODORE A. b 22 Aug 1864 Wayne, Washington Co, WI; d 9 Aug 1944 Appleton, WI; m to
5. KUHN, KATHERINE b 28 Dec 1868 Washington Co, WI; d 14 Feb 1926 Green Bay, WI
6. ZULEGER, ROBERT FRANK b 11 Jan 1875 Cicero, WI; d 3 Jun 1957 Green Bay, WI; m 9 Jun 1896 to
7. MUTTART, SARAH b 15 Sep 1872 Osborne, WI; d Jan 1935 Cicero, WI
8. MIELKE, ADAM b 15 Apr 1832 Prussia; d 16 Nov 1917 Cicero, WI; m to
9. HUEBNER, WILHELMINA MARIE b 30 Sep 1838 Prussia; d 13 Apr 1906 Cicero, WI
10. KUHN, CHRISTIAN b 31 Mar 1839 Prussia; d 3 Feb 1922 Cicero, WI; m 9 Jun 1868 to
11. ANDERES, KATHARINA b 14 Sep 1849 Wurtemberg, Germany; d 24 Aug 1902 Cicero, WI
12. ZULEGER, ANTON b Aug 1845 Austria; d 16 Mar 1914 Cicero, WI; m 31 Aug 1869 to
13. HABBERMAN, ANNA b Jan 1845 Bohemia; d 30 Oct 1903
14. MUTTART, JERVIS b ca 1844 Montreal, Canada; d 20 Feb 1909 Appleton, WI; m to
15. COWLING, FANNIE b 20 Oct 1844 Cambridge, England; d 18 Feb 1937 Appleton, WI
16. MIELKE, MARTIN
17. JACOBITZ, LOUISE
18. HUEBNER, FRED
20. KUHN, MARTIN
21. HOFFMAN, EDITH
22. ANDERES, JACOB b 17 Sep 1817; d 18 Sep 1877
23. GRILL, ROSINA (ROSALIE)
28. MUTTART, JAMES
29. MULROONEY, BRIDGET
30. COWLING, GEORGE
31. FILBY, JANE

Submitted by Jim Friend, 1512 Brawne Ave NW, Olympia WA 98502

1. FRIEND, JAMES ROSCOE b 27 Jan 1930 Floyd Co, KY; m 14 Dec 1963 Tumwater, WA to LORRAINE BERNICE MIELKE
2. FRIEND, ANDREW JACKSON b 14 Oct 1880 Carter Co, KY; d 2 Jun 1943 Connersville IN; m 6 Feb 1907 Greenup Co, KY to
3. HUFFMAN, ROBERTA MAE b 3 Sep 1890 Greenup Co, KY; d 5 May 1973 Connersville, IN
4. FRIEND, CHARLES WESLEY b ca 1849 Carter Co, KY; d 18 Mar 1929 Carter Co, KY; m 5 Jun 1873 Carter Co, KY to
5. ONEY, AMANDA JANE b ca 1852 Floyd Co, KY; d 31 Dec 1931 Carter Co, KY
6. HUFFMAN, ROBERT ALLEN b 1834 Greenup Co, KY; d Greenup Co, KY; m to
7. McCORMACK, SARAH ELIZABETH b 28 Mar 1861 Greenup Co, KY; d 28 Dec 1946 Greenup Co, KY
8. FRIEND, JONAS (JAMES) b Apr 1818 Greenup Co, KY; d aft 1900; m to
9. WOOTEN, SARAH b 1822 Greenup Co, KY
10. ONEY, ALLEN b ca 1817 Knott Co, KY; d between 1860-1870; m 15 Jun 1847 to
11. MORRIS, AGNES b 1827 Floyd Co, KY
12. HUFFMAN, SOLOMON H. b ca 1804 VA; d aft 1880 Greenup Co, KY; m 20 Jan 1829 to
13. WARNOCK, ELIZABETH b Greenup Co, KY
14. McCORMACK, FLOYD b ca 1830; m 2 Dec 1854 to

15. RATLIFF, FRANCES b ca 1830
16. FRIEND, JACOB b ca 1768 Pendleton Co, WV; d 1834 Greenup Co, KY; m 23 Apr 1808 Greenup Co, KY to
17. STRATTON, ANN
18. WOOTEN, CHARLES
19. SMITH, FANNIE b 1785; d aft 1870
22. MORRIS, JOHNNIE b 1782
23. _____, NEOMY
24. HUFFMAN, JACOB
25. FLOYD, MARY
26. WARNOCK, SAMUEL
32. FRIEND, JACOB b ca 1730 WV; d 1818 Pendleton Co, WV; m ca 1749 Pendleton Co, WV
33. SKIDMORE, ELIZABETH d ca 1819
64. FRIEND, ISRAEL b ca 1690; d 1753 Frederick Co, MD; m to
65. _____, SARAH
66. SKIDMORE, JOSEPH b 1706; d 1778 Pendleton Co, WV; m to
67. CALDWELL, AGNES b Kent Co, DE
128. FRIEND, ANDREW b ca 1650; d aft 1740
129. _____, ISOBEL
132. SKIDMORE, JOSEPH
133. MILLER, REBECCA
134. CALDWELL, ANDREW
135. TRAIN, MARGARET
256. FRIEND, NICHOLAS d 1687
257. _____, ANNA d 1723
264. SKIDMORE, JOHN
265. _____, SUSANNA
528. SCIDMORE, THOMAS
529. _____, ELLEN

Submitted by Obie Hagge, 3826 80th SE, Olympia WA 98501

1. HAGGE, OBERT HENRY b 6 Oct 1923 Alamo, ND
2. HAGGE, OSCAR NORMAN b 9 Mar 1895 Menno, SD
3. HILLESTAD, HANNAH MARIE b 29 Nov 1899 Appleton, MN
4. HAGGE, PAUL ADOLPH b 14 Aug 1862 Rissa, Norway
5. NELSON, PAULINE b 22 Dec 1865 Gulbrandsdalen, Norway
6. HILLESTAD, JENS OLSEN b 1 Jan 1863 Norway
7. HILLESTAD, ANNA b 21 Apr 1869 MN
8. HAGGE, BERNT OLAUS b 2 Apr 1822 Trondhjem, Norway
9. NESVOLD, RAGNHILD PETERRA b 27 Jan 1836 Aalen, Norway
16. KLEIVA, OLE JOHANSEN b abt 1810 Norway
17. JORGENSEN, BERETH b abt 1812 Norway
18. NESVOLD, PETER IVERSEN b abt 1809 Norway
19. BRUSETVOLD, PETERNILLE ERNSTDATTER b abt 1811 Norway
38. BRUSET, ERNST b abt 1787 Norway

COVER STORY

Olympia's Yesterdays

Olympia Opera House

Olympia, from the beginning, had its fun singing, fiddling and acting. The upper story of one hotel, at the corner of State Avenue and Capitol Way, was known in 1853 as Washington Hall. It was the scene of all concerts, balls, and amateur dramatics. It was replaced ten years later by the Tacoma Hall, on the corner of Fourth Avenue and Columbia Street, remodeled from the Olympia Hall. This was the first building in town to be finished with plastered walls. It rented for \$10 a night to traveling groups who played David Copperfield, in "The Brigands" and "Lady of Lyons."

Theatrical demands developed with statehood. Early in 1890 improvements were made in the entertainment quarters of Columbia Hall, the city building erected in the late 1860's on Fourth Avenue between Franklin and Adams Streets. The Olympia Opera House was built in 1890 by newspaperman John Miller Murphy, at a cost of \$30,000. All the gilt and glamour of the era were to go into it. Sparing no pains, he obtained the services of the Scientific American of New York to draw plans, and engaged Sossman and Landers to build the scenery. Maroon plush opera chairs were made in Grand Rapids. It also boasted art

glass doors, electric lights, and oak and redwood on the interior. It was a three-story building, standing 55 to 140 feet on piles on the corner of Fourth Avenue and Plum Street. Its balustrade overlooked the water, before downtown was filled by dredging. The building could be seen for miles, and it lent an air to the town.

It helped to bring to Olympia many productions that would not come to other cities as small. For its opening night, sums as high as \$105 were paid at auction for box seats. Even general admission was \$10. There was not one of the 1,000 seats vacant. During the next thirty years a variety of acts including John Philip Sousa, Mark Twain, the Barrymores, and minstrel shows played to large crowds.

Motion pictures started the decline of the theater, and in 1925 it was condemned as a firetrap and torn down. The downtown Safeway now stands at approximately the site of the building.

MEMORIALS
for
THURSTON COUNTY PIONEER & HISTORICAL SOCIETY
1956

Olympia, Washington
Compiled by Bernice A. Sapp, Historian

(Continued from Vol. XIX, No. 4, p.105)

George Arthur Weatherill

died October 27, 1956, in an Olympia nursing home at the age of 73. He was born in England, June 4, 1883. He came to Olympia fifty-four years ago and was associated with his father in the oyster business for many years. He later established a greenhouse and worked as a florist until he retired fourteen years ago. He is survived by two brothers, Dick Weatherill, Santa Cruz, California, and Bill Weatherill, Paulsbo

Guy Elton Weaver,

native son, died October 4, 1956, in an Olympia hospital. He was born in Olympia, March 11, 1892, and had lived here all his life except for a period when he served with the navy during World War One. His home was on Route 1, Box 390. Mr. Weaver worked as a logger and in the oyster business. He was last employed by the Olympia Brewing Company. Surviving are one son, George Weaver, Olympia; one daughter, Mrs. William (Sarah) Leeper, Shelton; a step-son, Ben Trigg, Tacoma; a step-daughter, Mrs. Martin J. (Grace) Wynne, Tacoma; one brother, Henry Weaver, Malone, Washington; and twelve grandchildren. His wife, Myrtie, died in 1952.

Ethel Ione Webb,

widow of Delbert I. Webb, a custodian in the Olympia High School for many years, died in an Olympia hospital, August 19, 1956. She was born on May 1, 1882, at York, Nebraska, and came to Olympia at the age of four in 1886. She was married to Delbert I. Webb in Shelton in 1901. Mr. Webb died in Olympia three years ago. Mrs. Webb was a member of the Seventh Day Adventist Church. Surviving are three sons, Donald, Chicago, Lester, Tacoma, and Harold in Edgemont, South Dakota; three daughters, Dorothy Casebeer, Elsie Flahaut, and Jean Sjoboen, all of Olympia; a brother, Edwin Hendrickson, Olympia; two sisters, Mrs. Hazel Barnhill and Mrs. Eva Schmidt, both living in Tacoma; there are also twenty-one grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren.

Frank G. Wells

The funeral service for Frank G. Wells was held at the graveside in the Leschl Cemetery at Nisqually, September 1, 1956. Mr. Wells died in an Olympia hospital August 29, 1956, at the age of 70. He was born in Mason County, Washington, on February 20, 1886, and had lived at Nisqually most of his life. Surviving are his wife, Mary Wells, Nisqually; a son, Vicot Wells, Yelm; and two daughters, Florence Charley, and Edna Lilly, both of Yelm.

Richard A. Wells

was killed in an automobile accident near Lacey on June 9, 1956. He was born in Nisqually on September 22, 1925, and had lived in Nisqually most of his life. He was employed as a section hand by the Great Northern Railroad at the time of his death. Surviving are his wife, Rosie A. Wells, Nisqually; two sons, Richard and George, four daughters, Barbara, Josephine, Joyce and Georgette, all at home; eight brothers, Ralph, Ronnie, Reggie, Reubin, Robert, Roy and William, all living in Thurston County, and Raymond, living in Oregon; four sisters, Mrs. Rosetta Sanders, Mrs. Roberta Pickenell, Miss Ruthie Wells, and Miss Rena Wells, all of Thurston County.

Annie Elizabeth Werts

died October 29, 1956, at the age of 87. Mrs. Werts came to Olympia in 1893 and became Superintendent of the Westside Sunday School at the Baptist Tabernacle four years later. She held this position for nearly fifty years, retiring a few months ago because of ill health. Mrs. Werts was born in Milo, Maine, and came to Olympia from Rochester, New York, in 1893. Her husband, David W. Werts, died here in 1903. More than 2,000 children have passed through her Sunday School door since she came to Olympia. In another project for her own satisfaction, Mrs. Werts sent packets of Christmas cards during the Yule Season to addresses in distant lands. She has sent out around 29,000 cards all told. Her only survivor is a brother, Amos Buker, of Woodland, Washington.

Orlie Armina Wilson,

age 86, died March 31, 1956, in a Vancouver, Washington, hospital. She was born in Norborne, Missouri, and came to Olympia sixty-three years ago from California. She was married to James Wilson in 1889 in Kansas City, Missouri. He died here in Olympia in 1915. Mrs. Wilson lived at 720 Adams Street, and had been living in the Washington and Oregon Pythian Home at Vancouver, Washington, for the last several months. Surviving is one niece, Mrs. Beatrice Steele, of Independence, Missouri.

Essie Yelverton,

widow of the late William E. Yelverton, died in Roseburg, Oregon, September 16, 1956. The Yelvertons lived in Olympia from 1906 until Mr. Yelverton's death here in 1930. He was in the contracting business here and built the Roosevelt and the McKinley Schools. Among others, Mrs. Yelverton is survived by her daughter, Maude (Mrs. Dan) O'Bannon, at whose home she was living in Roseburg, Oregon, at the time of her death. Another daughter, Helen Kimball, lives in Olympia; a sister in Longview; a granddaughter, and two great-grandchildren.

C. Oscar Zandell

died in his home July 25, 1956, at the age of 73 years. He was born on Schneiders Prairie on September 9, 1882, and had lived here throughout his lifetime. He had been employed by the Brenner Oyster Company since 1918. Surviving are his wife, Alberta; three sons, A. D. Zandell, Anacortes, Kenneth, Bethel, Alaska, and M. E. Zandell, navy man whose home is in Wilmington, California; a daughter, Mrs. Victor (Evelyn) Ellison, Shelton; two sisters, Mrs. Olivia Moore, and Mrs. Con Gallagher, both of Olympia; six grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren.

Joseph G. Zimmerman

died May 8, 1956, in an Olympia hospital at the age of 74. He had lived in the Maytown district since 1891. His home was on Route 4. He was born in Forsythe County, North Carolina, October 10, 1881. He had worked for Thurston County Road District for many years. Surviving are his wife, Nellie; four sons, Harold and Gene, both of Olympia, Charles, Tiller, Ore.; two daughters, Laurel Reambeault, Maytown, and Miss Iris Zimmerman, Hoquiam; two sisters, Mary Cummings, Montesano, and Elizabeth Brewer, Centralia; twenty-one grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

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Abbreviations

AR# Alien Registration Number
CPI Court and Place of Issue
CDJ District Court Journal
NJ Naturalization Journal
PET Petition Number

AOD Administrative Order Date
CD Certificate Date
DI Declaration of Intention
NR Naturalization Record
SCJ Supreme Court Journal

#2466483 AARDE, John - age 36
Wife: Jenny Louise - age 35
Son: John Clifford, age 5
Residence: Tenino, WA
DI# 6404
AOD: 25 March 1927
CD: 21 February 1920
CPI: Superior Court, Pierce County
PET: 419 Thurston County

#5046986 AARDE, Richard - age 54
(Name changed from Dirk van der Aarde)
Residence: Tenino, WA
AOD: 27 March 1942
CD: 11 April 1942
CPI: Superior Court, Olympia
PET: 927

#3212756 ABERSFELLER, Annie - age 36
Residence: Bucoda
AOD: 28 March 1930
CD: 4 April 1930
CPI: Superior Court, Olympia
PET: 468, DCN Vol. 7, pg. 68

#3212758 ABERSFELLER, Frank - age 36
Residence: Bucoda
AOD: 28 March 1930
CD: 4 April 1930
CPI: Superior Court, Olympia
PET: 467, Vol. 7, pg. 67

#2470506 ABRAMS, John W. - age 46
Wife: Nettie - age 43
Residence: 301 E. 18th Ave. Olympia
(311 E. 17th Ave. Olympia)
AOD: 21 September 1928
DI#: 4447
CD: 3 December 1923
CPI: Superior Court, Grays Harbor Co.
PET: 451, Thurston County, Vol. 7, pg. 51

NJ ADAMS, Andrew
Nationality: Finnish
CD: 26 December 1889
PET: Vol. 2, Pg. 33

No. 6789123 ADISHIAN, Serma
Res: Dinuba, Ca.
b. 2-16-1890
Naturalized: 6-11-1948
Petition # 1862
Alien Reg. # 4755271

No. _____ ADOLPH, Harry
Res: CA
Pl. of b: Germany
Naturalized 4-3-1894
Vol. B. p. 164
Witnesses: W. J. Carlisle
J. W. Moller

No. 6771669 ADUAN, Raymondo Valdez
Res: Porterville, Ca.
b. 4-14-1903
Naturalized 11-21-1947
Petition # 1869
Alien Reg. # 4361695

No. 8933651 ADVIENTO, Damaso Andres
Res: Orosi, Ca.
b. 12-11-1901
Naturalized: 3-22-1968
Petition # 3218
Alien Reg. # A3 382 199

#16059 AETZEL, George Anatole - age 34
AOD: 3 October 1908
CD: 3 October 1908
CPI: Superior Court, Olympia
PET: 18, Vol. 4, pg. 18

No. 11985395 AGACID, Rosie Pascua
Res: Orosi, Ca.
b. 10-9-1953
Naturalized 7-12-1985
Petition # 5189
Alien Reg. # A 36 281 825
Namechange by Decree of Court
as part of naturalization:
"from Maria Rosita Pascua AGACID"

No. 8933603 AGBAYANI, Esmenia Acob
Res: Delano, Ca.
b. 10-1-1934
Naturalized 6-23-1967
Petition # 3188
Alien Reg. # A14 136 474

No. 13197016 AGBAYANI, Loreta Acoba
Res: Richgrove, Ca.
b. 6-7-1944
Naturalized: Feb. 19, 1988
Petition # 5612
Alien Reg. # A 37 490 415

No. 12172706 AGCAOILI, Delfin Abad
Res: Orosi, Ca.
b. 8-8-1918
Naturalized: July 18, 1986
Petition # 5534
Alien Reg. # A 38 050 827

No. 13197755 AGCAOILI, Monico Agtang
Res: Earlimart, Ca.
b. 5-1-1918
Naturalized: June 24, 1988
Petition # 5984
Alien Reg. # A 37 627 439

No. 13353990 AGCAOILI, Valentino Santos
Res: Porterville, Ca.
b. 2-14-1959
Naturalized: Oct. 20, 1989
Petition # 6270
Alien Reg. # A 38 109 376

No. 11210229 AGDEPPA, Cecilia Miguel
Res: Cutler, Ca.
b. 9-7-1944
Naturalized: 12-5-1980
Petition # 4369
Alien Reg. # A 35 146 885

No. 10253119 AGDEPPA, Pablo
Res: Cutler, Ca.
b. 1-5-1910
Naturalized: 12-7-1979
Petition # 4248
Alien Reg. # A 4 018 342

DCJ AGENEW, Geo. A. C.
AOD: 24 March 1859
Vol. 1, pg. 371

#6525705 AGLUGUB, Emilio Cariaga - age 33
Residence: St. Peters Hospital
AOD: 26 April 1946
CD: 26 April 1946
CPI: Superior Court, Olympia
PET: 1112
AR#: 1176030

No. 12171849 AGMATA, Emiliano Gandoli
Res: Richgrove, Ca.
b. 1-12-1953
Naturalized: July 18, 1986
Petition # 5524
Alien Reg. # A 37 488 886

NJ AGNEW, Thomas G.
Nationality: Canadian
CD: 5 October 1898
Vol. 2, pg. 12

No. 9670828 AGOR, Elena Barangan
Res: Tulare, Ca.
b. 9-15-1920
Naturalized: 12-2-1977
Petition # 4049
Alien Reg. # A 20 026 439

No. 10253165 AGPALZA, Consuelo Mercado
Res: Earlimart, Ca.
b. 12-12-1947
Naturalized: 12-7-1979
Petition # 4250
Alien Reg. # A 34 460 354

No. 8663893 AGPALZA, Danny Agbayane
Res: Orosi, Ca.
b. 12-2-1910
Naturalized: 6-23-1967
Petition # 3167
Alien Reg. # A5 468 872
Namechange by Decree of Court as
part of Naturalization:
"from Magdalino Agbayane AGPALZA

NJ AHERN, Michael
Nationality: Canadian
CD: 21 May 1898
Vol. 2, pg. 7

DCJ, AHERN, Patrick
3rd Jud. Distr. Oregon TY
CD: 31 March 1853

#102497 AHLF, Carl - age 29
Residence: Olympia, WA
AOD: 1 June 1909
CD: 1 June 1909
CPI: Superior Court, Olympia
PET: 22, Vol. 4, pg. 22

NJ AHLF, Peter Hermann
Nationality: German
CD: 1 November 1905
CPI: Superior Court, Olympia
Vol. 2, Pg. 98

- AIKEN, Batiste
Nationality: British
DI only, 6 November 1851
U.S. Dist. Ct., 3d Oregon
Vol. 1 List

SC AINSLIE, David G.
AOD: 13 July 1880
CPI: Supreme Court, Olympia
Vol. Wt. 1, pg. 260

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**BIOGRAPHICAL DATA ON THE WAR VETERANS
OF OLYMPIA AND THURSTON COUNTY, WASHINGTON**
(Abstracts - Some of the original records contain additional information)

(Continued from Vol. XIX, No. 4, p. 111)

Key to Cemetery Abbreviations

Bush - Pioneer Cemetery in Tumwater area	Leschi - Indian Cemetery on Nisqually Reservation
Cal - Calvary Cemetery	Mas - Masonic Memorial Park
Delphi - Cemetery at Delphi on Waddle Creek Rd	McLane - Cemetery at Mud Bay area
FMG - Forest Memorial Gardens	ODD - Odd Fellows Cemetery
Forest - Forest Lawn Cemetery, old part of FMG	OMG - Olympia Memorial Gardens
Grd Md - Grand Mound Cemetery	Pioneer - Ruddle Cemetery, Hick's Lake area

Name of Veteran War and Rank	Date of Death Age Date of Birth	Cemetery

LUBENOW, Harry William W2 Pvt 440 Sp C. A. Bn. Army	04 Dec 1961 60 22 Aug 1901	Mas
LUCE, John CW Co. B. 27 Ohio Inf	08 Jun 1925 85 29 May 1840	Tacoma Mt. View
LUCKOW, Frank R. (Buck) (ashes) W1 Pvt	27 May 1960 13 Jul 1894	Mas
LUNDEEN, Alton W1 Pfc Co. F 361st Inf	23 Dec 1961 71 16 Jul 1890	Grand Mound
LUNDEEN, Clarence L. W1 Cal	16 Oct 1952 62 20 May ??	Grand Mound
LUNN, Oscar W1 Wagoner	14 Jul 1948 53	Mas
LUPER, Floyd Orlie W2	18 Oct 1962 47 02 Mar 1915	Crem.

LYGUM, Hans W1 Pvt	23 Jun 1954 67 24 Oct 1886	Odd
LYNCH, Philip W. (ashes) W1 Pvt Marines	26 Aug 1950 49 12 Jun 1901	Mas
LYON, Dr. Don Dee Wi Pvt	27 Oct 1951 58 29 Oct 1892	Mas
LYTLE, Daman L. W1	08 Jul 1953 60 20 Dec 1894	Odd
MacCANNELL, Earle E. W1	18 Mar 1960 75 22 Jan 1885	Mas
MACKAY, William CW Cpl	15 Oct 1917 84 1838	Mas
MACKEY, William G. W1 Pfc	10 Nov 1952 57	Missouri Lowry City
MacWILLIAMS, Jesse W1 Pvt	18 May 1959 70 05 Apr 1889	Mas
MADDEN, Gerald A. (Jug) W2	03 Dec 1964 41 26 Jul 1923	Mas
MADDEN, Thomas W. W2 Pvt Co. C 41 Inf	22 Feb 1964 46 12 May 1917	Crem
MADDOX, Benjamin F. W1 W2 Cmdr	14 Dec 1956 28 Apr 1888	Masic
MALIN, Alonzo C. SW Artificer Co. B 1st Terr. Vols Inf (AZ?)	20 Feb 1940 65	Mas

MALLECK, George A. W2	19 Aug 1947 22	Mas
MALLINGER, George Lenard W1	10 Sep 1961 62 12 Jul 1899	Cal
MALLORY, Earnest R. W1 Cpl 361 Ambulance Co.	06 Jun 1959 67 16 Oct 1891	Cal
MALLOY, William A. W1 Navy Chief MM	01 Aug 1952 60 14 Jul 1892	Cal
MALMIN, Ira S. W1 PPC Co. A 18 Inf 55 PH & OLC	13 Mar 1959 62 28 Jul 1897	Odd
MALONE, John R. W1 Pfc Spec. Corp	12 Apr 1947 54 01 Feb 1893	Ephrata
MALONEY, John SW	25 Aug 1941 88	Florida
MANNING, Albert A. CW	25 Apr 1890(date not accurate) 70	Seattle
MANNING, Rayomd George W1 Pfc Ord Dept	17 Nov 1960 62 18 Sep 1898	Mas
MANNING, William H. CW 6 Mo. Cav	03 Nov 1927 81 08 Dec 1846	Mas
MANVILLE, George W. W1 Lt.	31 May 1909? 77	
MARCIA, Frank W1	26 Apr 1963 69	California Rosecrans Cem
MARKART, William (Moe) W1 Pvt 1/C 18 F. A.-5 Div	26 May 1925	Grand Mound

MARRON, William James W1 W2 T/5	03 Aug 1959 60 31 Mar 1899	Centralia Mt. View
MARSHALL, Christ. SW Sgt	18 Sep 1932 66	Mas
MARTIN, Albert Charles W1 Pvt	24 Jan 1948 58	Newport Washington
MARTIN, Aubrey Lee W2 USN C. G. Fireman 1/C	01 Apr 1962 58 07 Nov 1903	Odd
MARTIN, Elbert V. W1 Sgt	03 Apr 1956	Mas
MARTIN, Elijah W1 Pfc	14 Sep 1963 69 11 May 1894	Odd
MARTIN, Elmer E. W1 Cook 1st Co. 166 Brig (Depot)	14 Jan 1962 70 29 Oct 1891	Mas
MARTIN, Floyd Edgar W1	05 Apr 1965 75 06 Oct 1889	FMG
MARTIN, J. Edwin W1 Pvt 38 F.A.	25 Mar 1952 58 09 Jul 1894	Mas
MARTIN, Pauline D. W1 2nd Lt. Nurse Med Dept	04 Jun 1967 76 02 Jun 1886	Mas
MARTINA, Clifford W. W2 - AS USNR	31 May 1962 42 08 Aug 1919	Mas
MARTZ, Andrew J. CW Co. G 44 Mo. Inf	15 Nov 1923 78 21 Jul 1845	Odd

MASON, Donald Roy W2 USN S1c (RDM) USS Marcus Island	24 Sep 1961 34 03 Jan 1927	FMG
MASON, Roy Herbert W1 Pfc MG Comp 362 Inf	10 Jul 1963 72 12 Mar 1891	FMG
MASSEY, Rev. Richard H. CW Chaplain 4th Ill Vols	19 Mar 1911 80	Mas
MASSINGILL, Chas. Houston W1 Pvt	27 Apr 1946 51 29 Sep 1894	Mas
MASTERS, William CW pvt No obit.	26 Nov 1925 85 22 Feb 1840	Mas
MATHERS, Colver W2 Navy Lt. JG	07 Dec 1946 26 1920	Spokane Hazen-Yeager Cem
MATHEWMAN, Cyril Dene W1 Ch Yeoman	09 Feb 1965 60 20 Jun 1904	Mas
MATHEWS, Dr. Archibald CW Co. M 7th Reg Iowa Vols	10 Aug 1919 74 04 Mar 1845	Mas
MATHEWS, Donald E. W2 Cpl	1945	Kennewick Wash
MATHEWS, Floyd Lee W1 Pvt 44 Inf 13 Div	17 May 1954 58 03 Aug 1895	Odd
MATSON, Oliver CW Navy	03 Jan 1919 76 09 Jun 1842	Odd
MATT, Dona J. W2 Pfc 3021 Army Air Force Base Unit	23 Feb 1962 61 24 Aug 1900	OMG

MATTERN, Charles E. W1 M.E. Jr.	26 Dec 1963 69 31 Jan 1894	Mas
MAXWELL, Irwin S. W2 CSK USN	27 Apr 1961 42 05 Jul 1918	Cal
MAYES, Harry F. W1 Pfc 12 Inf Regt	18 Feb 1951 64 07 Feb 1887	Odd
MAYES, Stephen W1	28 Aug 1945 51 18 Dec 1893	Odd
MAYNARD, Evertt W1 Navy USNRF Subchaser Coxswain	07 Mar 1959 09 Mar 1894	Chehalis Fernhill Cem
McBRIDE, Charles W. W1	19 Sep 1963 71 02 Mar 1892	Hoquiam (Coleman)
McBRIDE, George Eldred W2 S/Sgt	03 Mar 1956 38 18 Apr 1918	Odd
McCAFFERTY, Green W1 Mex War also	06 Mar 1908 79 20 Dec 1828	McLane
McCANDLESS, Albert W1	09 Apr 1938	Mas
McCAUSLAND, Ezekial R. W1	18 Jan 1922 86	Mas
McCLAIN, Wade W1 - Wagoner Co. B 13 Ammo Tn	14 Mar 1959 64 07 Apr 1894	Mas

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QUERIES

Queries by members are free of charge. Non-members may list one free query per issue as space permits. Each query should contain at least one date (or approximation), one surname, one area or other information to identify the person being sought. Queries are subject to abbreviation. All queries should be typed or printed, and should be received four weeks prior to publication (i.e. by June 15 for the July issue).

Send queries to: Ed Swan, 1975 Lakemoor Pl SW, Olympia, WA 98502, or Query Editor, c/o Olympia Genealogical Society, PO Box 1313, Olympia, WA 98501.

REEDY	Philip REEDY d. 1831 Rockingham Co., VA, m. Elizabeth _____. Need pars of Elizabeth. Was Bernard Reedy of Shenandoah Co. VA, father of Philip?
GISH VINYARD	Jacob B. GISH b. 5 Feb 1767, m. Ann VINYARD d. 1828 d/o Jacob VINYARD, Botetourt Co., VA. Who was Ann's mother?
KLEIN	Philip KLEIN (1742-1815) m. 16 Oct 1771 Elizabeth _____. Need Surname and pars of Elizabeth.
SNIDER	Matthias SNIDER b. Cumberland Co. PA, and d. 1836 Botetourt Co., VA , m. Elizabeth _____. Need surname and pars for Elizabeth.
LUCAS	Philip LUCAS, b. 1752 Rodenbach, Ger., d. 8 Apr 1833 Fayette Co., PA. He was a Hessian Solder in the Revolutionary War. Philip m. Elizabeth ____ in Fayette Co., PA. Need surname and pars of Elizabeth.
CLICK	Maurice and Lois CLICK, Capitol Lake Towers #904, 1910 Evergreen Park Drive SW, Olympia, WA 98502-5917
COLLINS ERWIN	Doshia COLLINS was b 1870-80 to George and Catherine (ERWIN) COLLINS. Probably in Meigs Co. OH. Need all information on this family. Was George the son of Edmond COLLINS who was b in VA about 1808?
FRAZIER YAWKER/YOUKER	Morris FRAZIER m. Doshia COLLINS before 1900 in Meigs County, OH. He was the son of John and Margaret (YAWKER OR YOUKER) FRAZIER. Need all information on this family.
CALDERHEAD MISENAR	Gem (CALDERHEAD) MISENAR, 6225 Delphi Rd SW, Olympia, WA 98512

CAMBRY

From the November 1993 issue of the City of Tumwater Pioneer:
Attention Researchers. Pat Morrison is researching CAMBRY family history for a book she is writing, and has requested help from relatives or friends who may remeber the family. Pat can be contacted at 9611 Westbourne Ct, Cypress, CA 90630-2760.

EXCHANGE BULLETIN

Thirty volumes of various bulletins went to the bindery in December. I'd like to send another thirty as soon as possible. We must bind as much as possible, so that there will be room in the files for the new information which we are receiving.

The problem? There are missing issues for quite a few bulletins which should be going to be bound. Some of these issues may just have been misfiled, others may have been borrowed. The result is the same. We need those issues for complete bound volumes.

Replacement copies can be expensive, if they are available at all. It cost the Olympia Genealogical Society almost \$10 for two copies of one recent replacement. Another replacement problem is that it can take forever for some societies to even acknowledge our request - let alone to send replacement copies!

A partial list as of December 1993:

- CA SEARCHER, So Cal Gen Soc, Burbank CA - Nov 1990 & May 1993
- CA VALLEY GENEALOGIST, Hemet-San Jacinto Gen Soc - Jan & Apr 1989 (This may have preceded the start of our exchange.)
- MO BULLETIN, St Louis Gen Soc - Spring, Summer 1993 (Winter?)
- OR ROGUE DIGGER, Rogue Valley Gen Soc - Spring 1991, Winter 1993 (#4)
- WA BULLETIN, Seattle Gen Soc - Winter (Jan) 1992, Vol 41 #2
- WA TRAIL BREAKERS, Clark Co Gen Soc - Winter & Spring 1992
- WA APPLELAND BULLETIN, No Central Washington Gen Soc - Dec 1990
- WV TRI-COUNTJY RESEARCHER, Jan 1992, Vol 16 #1



LIBRARY CORNER

BY PAT HARPER

New Genealogy Books in the Timberland Library

At Olympia:

Into the Eye Of The Setting Sun: A Story Of The West When It Was New, by Charlotte Matheny Kirkwood. This book was edited from a manuscript written by Charlotte Matheny Kirkwood, who was five when her family came west on the Oregon Trail in 1843 -- the year of the Great Emigration.

Charlotte tells about her family and neighbors settling the new territory and their first years in Oregon's Willamette Valley. Interesting details on pioneer life. Good indexing by people, places, and subjects. R929.3795 Kirkwood

Genealogy From The Heartland. This is a catalog of titles in the Mid-Continent Public Library genealogy circulating collection. It was compiled by Martha L. Meyers, Kermit B. Karns, and Michael C. Henderson. Following the list of titles are indexes by author, locality, subject, and surname. The library is in Independence, Missouri, and circulates books nationwide through interlibrary loan. R929.3 MidCon. 1992.

Tracing Your Irish Ancestors, by John Grenham. This new book on Irish genealogy gives a clear guide to finding your Irish ancestors. From the beginning of your search in the United States (also Canada and Australia) to sources in Ireland, Mr. Grenham shows where to go and what information you will find. There are parish maps and lists of research services, genealogical societies, and record repositories. Beginners and experienced searchers in Irish genealogy should find this book useful. He shows how to use the major sources of information as well as those that are less obvious, such as occupation of the Genealogy Office. Counties are listed individually with their special sources. R929.1072 Grenham.

Not yet assigned to a library:

Gold Strike Surname Index, compiled by the Paradise (California) Genealogical Society. The volume contains 15,000 names from family group sheets and pedigree charts submitted by members and friends. Each name is coded to coincide with the name and address of its contributor. This was a gift from a Pacific County resident, so will probably be assigned to the Ocean Park Library, but Olympia residents can ask for it for library use only!

EXCHANGE NOTES

By Myraleigh Farnsworth Peters

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

If a family member belonged to this fraternal group there is information from 1870-1898 available. SASE to Mr. Shawn Manser, S30 W29524 Williams Way, Waukesha WI 53188. The data includes the member's name, lodge and his occupation. (Milwaukee Co WI Gen Soc REPORTER, Nov 1993)

ALL I WANT FOR CHRISTMAS IS A NEW SURNAME

Dear Santa: Don't bring me new dishes;
I don't need a new kind of game.
Genealogists have peculiar wishes,
For Christmas I just want a surname.

A new washing machine would be great,
But it's not the desire of my life.
I've just found an ancestor's birth date;
I now need the name of his wife.

My heart doesn't yearn for a ring,
That would put a real diamond to shame,
What I want is a much cheaper thing;
Please give me Mary's last name.

To see my heart sing with joy,
Don't bring me a red leather suitcase.
Bring me a genealogist's toy;
A surname with dates and a place!

Author unknown

(From the above REPORTER, attributed to the Illinois Gen Soc via TWIGS)

SEATTLE GEN SOC NEW ADDRESS

The Seattle Genealogical Society is now at their new address: 8511 15th Avenue NE, in Seattle's north end. The new location will make evening hours possible. Beginning January 10, the library and office will be open from 6:30pm to 9:00pm each Monday. There is adjacent parking. (Seattle Gen Soc BULLETIN, Autumn 1993)

SOME FEE INCREASES NE, CO & WI

The fee for a death certificate in NE has been raised to \$7, and the fee for a marriage record in CO to \$12, SGS members reported. Wisconsin birth records are now \$10 each, and death, marriage and divorce records \$7 each. WI processing will take three to six months, and a SASE should be enclosed. (Seattle Gen Soc BULLETIN, Autumn 1993)

**THRIFTY ABOUT
MARRIAGE**

On marriage certificates, the same address in a town is often given for both parties. This may not mean that they were living together, or even living in the same place mentioned. Declaring the same address avoided paying for two sets of banns in different parishes. (Seattle Gen Soc BULLETIN, Autumn 1993, from RELATIVELY SPEAKING of the Alberta Canada Gen Soc)

**FASTER MAIL
DELIVERY**

For faster delivery type or print all address information. Use black ink on a white background. Maintain a uniform left margin. Use only uppercase letters. Omit all punctuation. Include floor, suite or apartment numbers wherever possible. When mailing pieces with both a street address and a post office box - place the address where you want the mail delivered immediately above the bottom line. Put the city, state and zipcode in that order on the last line. Use standard two-letter state abbreviations. Leave one space between words and two spaces between the state and zipcode. Postal Services machines start reading at the bottom of the address and continue reading up six lines, or until they have enough information to sort the pieces correctly. (Marin Co CA KIN TRACER, Fall 1993, from San Joaquin Gen Soc GAS LITES)

**COOK YOUR
BOOK!**

The Library of Congress actually "cooks" any books they suspect of containing silverfish, lice or cockroaches. (Mildew, our problem here in WA?) Using dangerous and costly chemicals to keep their collections free from insects was impractical, so instead, they place the book in a microwave oven and "cook" it for 6 seconds on "WARM" or "LOW" setting. The heat kills any insects and any eggs. If you pick up a suspect book at a flea market or from an old attic, basement or garage, you may wish to use this method to be sure the book is free of pests before you place it on your bookshelf. BE SURE THERE ARE NO PAPER CLIPS, STAPLES OR OTHER METAL ITEMS attached to the book or binding before you microwave it or you can ZAP your microwave! (Marin Co CA KIN TRACER from Kansas City GENEALOGIST, Summer 1991)

**WORLD WAR II
VETERAN
INFORMATION
REQUESTED**

WW II Veterans are being asked to fill out an 18 page form that will become part of the preserved wartime history of our nation. If you are a WW II veteran, or know of one in your family, write for the forms. You may answer as many, or as few, of the questions as you wish. (Remember, a lot of WW II records were destroyed and this is a chance to try to fill in gaps.) To receive the forms write to: The United States Army Military History Institute, Carlisle Barracks, Carlisle PA 17013-5008. (THE BULLETIN, Nov 1993, Gen Soc of South Brevard in Melbourne FL, from Ohio Gen Soc, Mahoning Co Chapter, NEWS-LETTER of April 1993)

**WOMEN USING
FALSE
PRETENSES???**

The law against obtaining husbands under false pretenses, passed by the English Parliament in 1700 enacts: "That all women, of whatever rank, profession or degree, who shall after this act, impose upon, seduce, and betray into matrimony any of his majesty's subjects by virtue of scents, paints, cosmetic washes, artificial teeth, false hair, iron stays, bolstered hoops or high heeled shoes, shall incur the penalty of the law now in force against witchcraft and like misdemeanors; and the marriage under such circumstances, upon conviction of the offending parties shall be null and void." (Taken from the Perch Co HERALD, Ontario Canada, July 15, 1863. Via the So Brevard Gen Soc BULLETIN, Fall 1993) (Notice that nothing is said about enticing the ladies with lies, or the possible hiding on a non-existent chin under those whiskers!)

GENEALOGIST

Once I was a normal person before I climbed my family tree,
Now my forebears are acquainted they make a battle-ground of me,
My Great-grandpa Pat from Ireland makes me dance with happy feet,
But my English one Lord Ogley, Walks sedately down the street.
Then my Swedish Grandma, Olga, gives away each cent I make,
While my Scottish Grandma shudders at the things I waste and break.
My Great-grandma from Paris laughs and flirts the live-long day,
But my Great-grandma from Plymouth turns my head the other way.
Thus they differ, thus they argue, how I wish they would agree,
For I never can determine which of them is really me.

.....Miranda Snow Walton

(This was found in an old book under repair at the OK Historical Society Library. From the Oklahoma Gen Soc QUARTERLY, Vol 38, #4, 1993)

**CONFEDERATE
RESEARCH
CENTER AND
MUSEUM**

This facility is part of the Harold B. Simpson Hill College History Complex in Hillsboro TX. It has over 3500 books and pamphlets on the Civil War with emphasis on Confederate Military History, Capsule Histories of all 3220 Confederate Regiments, Special Units and Confederate Ships. Microfilm records include Index of the Confederate States, all service records of Hood's Texas Brigade, Texas newspapers published during the WAR, Post Returns of U.S. Forts in Texas and an informational file on Texas-Confederate soldiers. For information write to Mrs. Peggy Fox, Executive Secretary of the Research Center, PO Box 619, Hillsboro TX 76645. Telephone: (817)582-2555. (Oklahoma Gen Soc QUARTERLY, Vol 38 Number 4, 1993)

**LONGEVITY
CAN LEAD TO
GENEALOGICAL
COMPLICATIONS**

Big families, longevity and late marriages can cause confusion sometimes. A Dr. Green Lee Rea, who had charge of Charlotte NC's vital statistics as head of the Health Department in 1939, had (at age 59) a nephew who was 86 years old! His father had eleven children with a 57 year difference between the eldest and the youngest. This is only one of the very confusing relationships within his family. (Seattle Gen Soc BULLETIN, Autumn 1993, from THE CHARLOTTE NEWS, 1939)

**FRANK JAMES'
ASHES BURIED
WITH WIDOW'S
AFTER 29 YEARS**

Kansas City (MO) Times, July 7, 1944

The ashes of Frank James will be removed from their place in a bank vault, where they have remained since his death in 1915, and will be buried with the ashes of his widow, Mrs. Ann Ralston James, 91, who died yesterday

Frank James stipulated before his death that he wanted his body cremated, to be buried later at the time of his wife's death. The ashes were kept in the old New England Safe Deposit Company until 1938. Then Frank's son, Robert Frank James, who lives now on the James farm north of Kearney MO, had the ashes removed to a vault in the Kearney Trust company

Robert, the only survivor of his widowed mother, said yesterday his father had asked that his body be cremated after he saw the body of Jesse James, his notorious brother, removed from its grave on the family farm in 1902 . . . The body later was removed to the cemetery in Kearney, where curiosity seekers have chipped the monument down to the ground (The Kansas City GENEALOGIST, Heart of America Gen Soc, Kansas City MO, Winter 1993)

**VERY
INTERRRRRESTING!**

According to the National Enquirer of 6/29/93, the first Duke of Wellington had a small monkey-like tail, and had to have a hole cut in his saddle.

**WHICH WAR?
HERE'S A HELP**

Was your ancestor in one of these wars? Birthdate ranges may help to estimate possibilities.

<u>If born between</u>	<u>War</u>	<u>Dates of War</u>
1626-1656	Bacon's Rebellion	1676
1639-1743	Inter-Colonial Wars	1689-1765
1713-1743	Pontiac's Rebellion	1763-1765
1720-1763	American Revolution	1775-1783
1740-1763	Indian Wars	1790-1811
1762-1794	War of 1812	1812-1815
1762-1794	Black Hawk War	1846-
1848		
1796-1828	Mexican War	1846-1848
1806-1844	Civil War	1861-
1865		
1848-1880	Spanish American War	1898

(GENEALOGICAL GOLDMINE of the Paradise Gen Soc, Paradise CA, Fall 1993, from their member LaVonne Ketchum)

**BORN IN
VIRGINIA?
THAT'S WHAT
YOU THINK!**

If you have a reference that your ancestor was born in Virginia as early as 1728 or as late as 1863, it could indicate that the person was actually born in any of these places:

Illinois	1781-1818	Ohio	1728-1803
Indiana	1787-1816	Pennsylvania	1752-1786
Kentucky	1775-1792	Tennessee	1760-1803
Missouri	1775-1792	West Virginia	1769-1863
N Carolina	1728-1803		

(GENEALOGICAL GOLDMINE, as above)

**NEW YORK
EARLY TAX
RECORDS**

If you have lost an ancestor in NY around 1800, check tax records. The NYS Archives recently processed tax records for research that covers much of the state for 1799-1804. The records are arranged by county, year and town (not alphabetically) and there are some gaps in the records. Inquiries may be made regarding availability of information on a particular county. (BLAUVELT NEWS September 1993, from THE FAMILY TREE)

**SALT LAKE
GERMAN
RESEARCHERS
BEWARE! BE
PREPARED IN
ADVANCE**

In order to make room for a large quantity of Latin American films, a number of large blocks of German films at the Salt Lake FHL have been moved into less accessible storage. Most, but not all, of the removals can be accessed within two hours. If you will be visiting Salt Lake, and will be short on time, it may be advisable to request 3-4 weeks in advance that any less common films you wish to view (which are not duplicated in print) be made available if they are in storage. Mail your request to International Floor, Family History Library, 35 North West Temple, Salt Lake City UT 84150. (Tacoma-Pierce Co Gen Soc RESEARCHER, Winter 1994, from Topeka Gen Soc NEWS & VIEWS, July-Sept 1993)

**SOUTHERN
SYMPATHIZER
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In Missouri, and possibly in other "divided states", men who fought for or exhibited sympathies for the South lost their civil rights following the Civil War. If, during the war and post-war periods, a deed bears only a woman's signature, don't be misled into thinking she was a widow. (Tacoma-Pierce Co RESEARCHER, Winter 1994, from Columbine Gen and Hist Soc, CO, NEWSLETTER, via Nebraska State Gen Soc NEWSLETTER, Aug/Sep 1993)

**NYU TAKES OVER
HISTORICAL
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New York University has taken over management of the beleaguered New York Historical Society Library. According to the 12 Aug 1993 NEW YORK TIMES, a one-year agreement between the two institutions took effect 1 Aug 1993, and may eventually be extended.

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Missouri State Gen Soc Journal: Spring 1993.
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