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NEWSLETTER

JANUARY MEETING: Date: January 22, 1981
Place: Downtown Dallas Public Library Auditorium
Time: 10:30 a.m. - Pre-meeting talk on "Lineage and
Patriotic Societies" by Lloyd Bockstruck
Program: 12:00 noon - "Migrations" by Lloyd Bockstruck
Lunch: Bring your sandwich

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PRESENTATION - November meeting:

The members of the 1979-1980 executive board of the Dallas Genealogical Society make this donation to the Dallas Public Library in honor of Helen Stinson, DGS president 1979-1980. This is given in recognition of her service to the Society and is meant to convey our personal appreciation for the warmth and dignity she brought to her office, also, to express our pleasure in serving on the board of the Dallas Genealogical Society under her leadership.

Signed, for the board,
Adrienne Jamieson
Vice-president 1979-1980

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To promote the collection, preservation and publication of family records, we are proud to announce a competition,

THE BOURLAND AWARDS

First Prize, \$500 for the best book of family history published between 1 July 1978 and 30 June 1981.

Second Prize, \$200 for the runner-up.

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All entries will be judged on the basis of clarity of presentation, organization and overall excellence.

Both paper-bound and cloth-bound books are eligible.

Books published by HARP & THISTLE, LTD. will not be entered in this competition.

Books must be submitted by the author, editor or compiler. None will be accepted from publishing houses.

All entries must be received before 15 December 1981.

All books submitted for this competition become the property of HARP & THISTLE, LTD. None will be returned.

Rules and entry blanks may be had by writing to the above address. Please enclose a long SASE to expedite receipt of your entry blank.

The Awards Dinner will be announced in January 1982.

This competition has been announced in Everton's Genealogical Helper, July-August 1980.

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NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT:

As you know, there will be a City Charter election on January 17. The 1st proposition is to limit the tax rate. According to the Dallas Morning News (Sunday, December 21, 1980 - page 37A), this will mean a reduction of \$39.34 million in revenue to the city. The News says that the total budget cut will have to be made in the non-essential services dept.: street & sanitation, park & recreation, and the library system. Projected cut in the library budget is 33%. As a genealogist, I am not in favor of a proposition which will curtail library service, and I plan to vote against Proposition No. 1. While I have no wish to tell you how to vote, please consider the implications for the library when you vote.

Adrienne Jamieson

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HOPE YOU HAD A HAPPY & JOYOUS HOLIDAY SEASON!

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