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NEWSLETTER

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JANUARY, 1985 - MEETING

Date: Thursday, January 24, 1985
Place: Auditorium of the Central
Dallas Public Library
1515 Young Street
Time: 6:30 p. m. - social
7:00 p. m. - meeting

The program will be presented by Lloyd Bockstruck. The topic of his speech will be *Finding Your Immigrant Ancestors*. This is one of the most difficult tasks for a genealogist and we all need to learn more concerning this subject.

June Rayfield Welch, author of *A Texan's Garden of Trivia*, will also give a short talk entitled *Vignettes of the Texas Republic*.

DON'T FORGET THAT DUES ARE DUE IN JANUARY.

SEND YOUR CHECK TODAY.

GENEALOGICAL FORMS

The Dallas Genealogical Society sells forms in the Genealogical Section of the Central Dallas Public Library. An assortment of twelve forms is sold in one package. Also available are census sheets, family group sheets, census history sheets and pedigree charts.

SPRING WORKSHOPS

The East Texas Genealogical Society has set the date for their 8th annual seminar. It will be April 13, 1985. The speaker will be Robert Young Clay of the Virginia State Library, Archives Division, Richmond, Virginia. Mr. Clay will speak about Virginia Research. For further information write: Nell Everett and Lorene Conaway, Seminar Chairpersons, P. O. Box 6967, Tyler, Texas 75711.

The current Dallas Genealogical Society project:

**MICROFILM DONATIONS FOR
THE DALLAS PUBLIC LIBRARY
INDEXES TO UNION CIVIL WAR SOLDIERS**

The cost of each roll of microfilm is \$17.00, but contributions of any amount will be accepted. Remember that all donations to the Dallas Public Library are tax deductible.

Report by Lloyd DeWitt Bockstruck

The library has received the following contributions towards the acquisition of the indexes to Union Civil War soldiers.

Mr. Steven E. Hunt	7 rolls
Mrs. J. B. Floyd	1 roll
Mr. Russell Surles	2 rolls in memory of John Plath Green
Mrs. John G. Sims	2 rolls
The Irby N. and Marion H. Taylor Foundation	6 rolls
Mrs. Adrienne B. Jamieson	3 rolls in memory of Dee Thetford
Mr. Lloyd DeWitt Bockstruck	1 roll in memory of Dee Thetford
	1 roll in memory of John W. Anthony
Irving Woman's Club	2 rolls in honor of Lloyd DeWitt Bockstruck
Mrs. Flora Searcy Austin	6 rolls
Proceeds from "Tracing Your British Ancestors" Neiman-Marcus Fortnight Workshop	102 rolls

These have enabled the Genealogy Library to complete its holdings for all states west of the Mississippi by purchasing Mo., Iowa, Minn., and Wisc. and to begin acquiring Illinois on the east bank of the Mississippi.

38 lines Accordingly the Genealogy Library now has or has ordered the following states: Wash., Ore., Calif., Nev., Utah, Ariz., Colo., N. M., N. D., Neb., Kansas, Texas, Minn., Iowa, Mo., Ark., La., Miss., Ala., Fla., Ga., N. C., Va., W. Va., Md., D. C. and R. I. Tenn. & Ky. are available in book form.

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