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MARCH 28 WORKSHOP

Registration is still open for the March 28 Workshop, but as we have only a limited number of spaces left, be sure to get your reservation in right away. If your reservation is received after the spaces are filled, your name will be placed on a waiting list and you will be contacted if there are cancellations. Otherwise your check will be returned to you.

(There will be no regular meeting of the DGS in March -- the Workshop is our meeting.)

Our next regular meeting of the Dallas Genealogical Society will be on April 23rd. It will be a Day Meeting, at 11:00 A.M.

RENEWED CONCERN ABOUT LIBRARY BUDGET

It would be helpful if you write your City Councilman, the City Manager and Assistant City Manager in charge of the Library, expressing your interest in and concern for our Library System as planning for the new budget gets underway.

We have a first-rate Library System, and to just maintain what we have now, a minimum of \$16.5 million is needed for the 1987-88 Budget. We have added two new branch libraries to the system which is good for our city, but does stretch the amount of money available. Even this month the City Manager reduced the Library's budget 1.8% for this fiscal year, the end result of which is the loss of \$3,000 - \$4,000 out of our Genealogy funds. These are only tentative figures, but we need to keep our concern before city officials.

I G I Purchase Welcome Addition to Genealogy Resources

Many of us have used the Mormon Data Base of the births, baptisms and marriages (from all over the world), which is currently available on 7,752 sheets of microfiche, but has not been available to us here in Dallas. We are most grateful to Jean Tabb for the purchase of the larger portion of this microfiche, and to Lloyd DeWitt Bockstruck who completed the set with the purchase of the microfiche for Scotland. So we now have a complete set on order, and it should soon be available to all of us.

Our new DGS project is the acquisition of the MCCUBBINS COLLECTION -- on 76 rolls of microfilm of data assembled on early Piedmont North Carolina families. 8000 surnames are referred to in the 150,000 pieces of genealogical material -- previously available to us only by going to Salisbury, NC where the Collection is housed in the Rowan Public Library. Old Rowan County covered 26 North Carolina counties and parts of Tennessee, areas settled by English Quakers, Pennsylvania Dutch and Scots Irish. The wealth of the material is enormous, and we are eager to complete our needed funds (all of which must be in hand before it can be ordered). Donations and Memorials are welcome for this latest project in 1987 -- celebrating the 200th Anniversary of our Constitution. (The rolls of film cost \$20.00 each).

NEW MEMBERS of the DALLAS GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

Our Society is growing rapidly, with 568 members as of February 12, 1987 -- and more being added every day. Among our new members are the following persons, whom we welcome:

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A N N U A L S P R I N G W O R K S H O P

Saturday, 28 March 1987

PLACE: J. Erik Jonsson Central Library Auditorium
 1515 Young Street Dallas, TX.
 (formerly Dallas Central Library, across from City Hall)

TIME: Registration 9 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. Program 9:30 a.m to 4 p.m.

PROGRAM: TRANS-APPALACHIAN FRONTIER:
 ARKANSAS, KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE

SPEAKER: James R. Johnson, M.A., M.S.L.S., Ph. D.

Mr. Johnson is a well known and well received lecturer and educator in both national and area genealogical forums. He is past president, Association for Genealogical Education; teacher and lecturer of genealogy at Memphis Public Library, and National Genealogical Society Instructor Development Committee workshops. He is the author of the Arkansas and Tennessee chapters in Kenn Stryker-Rodda's Genealogical Research, Methods and Sources, 2nd ed., and has served as a speaker at Samford Institute of Genealogical and Historical Research; National Archives Institute; and NGS conferences of 1981, 83, 84 and 86, as well as state and local society seminars. Mr. Johnson was born in Arkansas and now resides in Memphis, TN. Don't miss this great opportunity to hear a top authority speaker.

FEE: \$15.00 per person

LUNCH: Participants may either bring a sack lunch or eat nearby. A list of places to eat will be available at the registration desk. Coffee and punch will be furnished by DGS.

Book vendors and suppliers will have displays in the East-West Room adjacent to the auditorium.

For a nominal fee, limited underground parking is available in the library basement (entrance on Wood Street), as well as street level parking on nearby lots.

Those who pre-register by Friday, 13 March 1987 will be included in the compiled index of surnames being researched by those attending.

SPACE IN THE AUDITORIUM IS LIMITED. TO ASSURE YOURSELF A SEAT COMPLETE THE FORM BELOW AND SEND IT WITH YOUR CHECK AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

Make checks payable to DALLAS GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY, and mail to:
 Spring 1987 Workshop, DGS
 P.O. Box 12648
 Dallas, TX 75225

NAME _____ ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____ TELEPHONE _____

List up to six surnames you are researching. An index of all names registered by March 13, 1987 will be compiled and furnished to each participant at the Workshop.

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