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APRIL, 1990 MEETING

DATE: Monday, April 23, 1990
Auditorium
J. Erik Jonsson Central Library
1515 Young Street at Ervay
Dallas, Texas

TIME: 10:00 Computer Interest Group
11:00 Meeting and Program

PROGRAM: A Dramatization: by Carol Piper

NOTICE!!!!!!!!NOTICE!!!!!!!!CHANGE OF MAY MEETING DATE.....

The May meeting of the Society will be held on Monday, May 21, 1990. A reception will be held in the East/West Room beginning at 6:00 p.m. Donations are welcome. If you can bring a dish or donate money to help out with costs of supplies, please call Barbara Rimmer at 722-0090. Please mark your calendars now.

COMPUTER INTEREST GROUP....this months discussion will be: Configuring Your Genealogy Program and Organizing Your Data For Entry, led by Mr. Bob Johnsey.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT.....Dorothy Bruce, Vice President, Membership

Regular Membership	540
Libraries/Societies	16
Life Members	34
Total DGS Membership	590

TREASURER'S REPORT.....Bill Jacoby, Treasurer

	ACTUAL YTD	BUDGET YTD
Income	14,118.61	30,100.00
Expense	12,138.93	24,150.00
Net Cash Flow	1,979.68	5,950.00

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THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATIONS.....Dorothy M. Hearner; Mr. & Mrs. G. N. Howson, Jr.; Heloise Ridgway; Mrs. Jack A. Russell; Jan McFarland, Patricia L. McGrew; and Mrs. R. G. Smith.
Donations to the library benefit all researchers.

UPCOMING EVENTS.....

Texas Scottish Festival & Highland Games, June 2 & 3, 1990
Presented by the Arlington Highland Games Association
Featuring Scottish Recording Artist - Alex Beaton
At Maverick Stadium, University of Texas at Arlington
For information call: 817/654-2293

STOVALL FAMILY ASSOCIATION REUNION

All descendants of BARTHOLOMEW STOVALL are invited to attend the Second National Reunion to be held on August 3-5, 1990, at the Holiday Inn Crowne Plaza, Memphis, Tennessee. Interested descendants should write or telephone: Mary Davis, President; Stovall Family Association; 15979 State Route 691; Nelsonville, OH 45764; Tel: 614/753-2660.

THE HUGUENOT SOCIETY OF TEXAS

Do you have a Huguenot ancestor? Twenty-one Presidents of the United States had French Protestant (Huguenot) ancestors. Forty-five States have Chapters in this prestigious historical lineage organization. For membership qualifications write to: M. S. Dickerson, M.D., State Registrar, 1205 E. Applegate Dr., Austin, Texas 78753.

MID-CITIES WORKSHOP

April 21, 1990 Spring Workshop, "Beginner to Advanced Problem Solving" 9:00 am to 4:00 pm at the Wesley Evangelical Methodist Church, 1424 Cavender Dr., Hurst, TX. Registration: \$15.00. Send check or money order to: Mid-Cities Genealogical Society, Spring Workshop, P. O. Box 407, Bedford, TX 76095-0407.

SAMFORD UNIVERSITY - Institute of Genealogy & Historical Research

26th Annual Session - June 17 - 22, 1990
The faculty of Samford University Institute of Genealogy and Historical Research is composed of outstanding, nationally known genealogical educators, is academically and professionally oriented and is recognized by the Board for the Certification of Genealogists. In addition, students with varied backgrounds enhance the opportunity of shared information and fellowship. For course and registration information write to: Institute of Genealogy & Historical Research, Samford University Library, Birmingham AL 35229; Tel: 205/870-2780.

To be Without a History is like Being Forgotten.....
To be Forgotten Must be the Worst Fate of All

From "Recollections of Summers on a New England Farm"
by Donald Hall

QUERIES ? ? QUERIES ? ? QUERIES ? ?

Queries do not require a Texas connection and are free to the members of the Dallas Genealogical Society (DGS). Non-members should include \$3 for each query. We reserve the right to abbreviate and condense. Send as many queries as you wish, and they will be printed as space permits.

Mail all queries to: Query Editor; DGS; P. O. Box 12648; Dallas, Texas 75225.

**NIMIT/NIMET
WERNING/
WERNEKING** Seeking information on the **NIMIT (NIMET)** and **WERNING** families. **Latislows NIMIT**, born 1844, Germany. Wife **Mary**, born 1845. Daughter **Ceathinne (Katie)**, died 1909, Kaufman Co., TX; married **William WERNING (WERNEKING)** 16 August 1899, Brazos Co., TX.
Susan WERNING; 5530 East Ashland; Fresno, CA 93727

**WERNING/
WERNEKING
NIMET
NELSON
TERRY** **William WERNING (WERNEKING)** first wife **Katie NIMET** died 1909, Kaufman Co., TX. Need help locating burial place. Married second wife, **Margret Ann NELSON**, 28 January 1910; died 17 August 1930, Dallas Co, TX. Third wife, **Mary Elizabeth TERRY**, born 1899, Ellis Co., TX. They resided in Ganesville, TX for a time. Any and all information would be appreciated.
Susan WERNING; 5530 East Ashland; Fresno, CA 93727

**LACY/LACEY
DAVIS** Seek parents, relatives, any information on **Mary Bell LACY**. She was born 14 February 1876 in Jackson Co., AR, but believe family moved to Dallas vacinity circa early 1880's. Married **Dee DAVIS** in 1891/2, probably in Collin, Cooke, Denton, or Dallas Co. They also lived in Red River Co. and Choctaw Nation, OK in late 1890's thru 1910. Five children: **Ada Opal, Allen Pierce, Ona Estelle, Orin Therese, and Elizabeth (Lizzie) Dee DAVIS**. **Mary Bell** was in Eastern Star, probably through **LACY** family. Cannot locate in 1900 census.
Valorie R. LEE; 2500 N. Van Dorn, # 227; Alexandria, VA 22302

**BRYANT
TAYLOR
RUTLAND
FUQUAY
BARRETT
MIDDLETON
MORGAN** Seeking information on **J. Goodman BRYANT**, born about 1825, NC; married in Barbour Co., AL, 1844, **Annis TAYLOR**, b. about 1826, SC (stepfather **CANNON**). Children born in Barbour and Henry Co., AL: **Thomas Lawson**, born 1845, married **Aletha Lou**; **Celie**, born 1850, married **Z. RUTLAND**; **Georgia**, born 1852, married **FUQUAY**; **Hinton G.**, born 1853; **John A.**, born 1856; **Benjamin Bishop**, born 1858, married **Mary**; **Alitha Ann**, born 1864, married **BARRETT**; **George W.**, born 1867, married (1) **MIDDLETON**, (2) **Ada MORGAN**, born 1877, Wood Co., TX. **Goodman** left family 1867-1878, possibly to OK. **Annis** and all but **Hinton** and **John** settled in Franklin Co., TX 1878. **Ben** in Rusk Co., TX. What happened to **Goodman**? Where in NC was he born? Where in SC was **Annis** born?
Norma WILCOX; 1551 NW 19th Street, # 1711; Grand Prairie, TX 75050

**PORTER
SCHLEICHER** Searching for **Charles W. PORTER**, married **Adelaide SCHLEICHER**, 24 April 1906. Did **Charles W. PORTER** reside in the city of St. Louis, MO in 1803, 1804? Recorded in the 1910 Dallas census with two children, not named. What were the children's names? Was **Charles** a junior?
Laura EDGAR; 26541 Tampico Place; Mission Viejo, CA 92691

SAMUEL Seeking information about **Edward H. SAMUEL**, born 1894; died 1958 Tyler, TX. Need name of wife, sons, and grandsons. One son, **William Edward**, was living in Dallas in 1958.
Barbara SAMUELS; 7805 Linda Lane; Anchorage, AL 99518

LETTER FROM THE WORKSHOP CHARIMAN

After hearing Ms. Leary at the National Genealogical Society Conference in Biloxi (where both of her talks had to be repeated because of the demand), and at Samford Institute last summer, I had no doubts in my mind as to who I wanted for the workshop speaker. Ms. Leary is not only entertaining and informative, she will open your eyes with new ideas of research methodology. Her talks won't be about where to find information, but how to use the information you find. For example, she'll not only show you how to read old handwriting, but that you can interpret the writer's age, health and mental state at the time! This takes an impersonal document and turns it into a living ancestor.

I feel sure that everyone will gain from Ms. Leary's wealth of knowledge as I have. I hope to see each and every one of you at April 21 at Jesuit. Applications at the library.

Because Ms. Leary is the president of the Board of Certification, she has graciously agreed to give a talk on becoming a certified genealogist on Friday April 20 from 3 to 4 at the Dallas Public Library. A list for sign up is located in the Genealogy section of the library.

Kelvin L. Meyers
Vice President/Workshop Chairman

CERTIFICATION SEMINAR

Our Spring Workshop lecturer, Helen F. M. Leary, c.g., President of the National Board of Certification of Genealogist has graciously agreed to lead us in a seminar on **HOW TO BE A CERTIFIED GENEALOGIST**, Friday, April 20, 1990, 3:00 - 4:00 p.m. in the Library Auditorium at the Dallas Central Library. Don't miss this opportunity to learn more about certification, sign up now in the Genealogy Section of the Library on the 8th Floor.

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