Mining the Motherlode: Using the LDS Resources in Dallas and in Salt Lake City

On January 30, 1999 the Dallas Genealogical Society is offering a full-day seminar. Experienced Salt Lake researchers will instruct us on using the materials available at the LDS Library in Salt Lake City, and on what is available at the local Family History Libraries and the Dallas Public Library. This "motherlode" of genealogical resources can be accessed in a variety of ways: microfiche, microfilm, and computer or in person at Salt Lake.

One doesn't have to travel to Salt Lake to use the majority of the LDS FHC materials, but given the opportunity, why not experience researching at the LDS Library in person? Join the DGS group as it travels to Salt Lake in April.

The seminar will prepare you for serious research, which you can then do at home or at Salt Lake. The research trip will allow you to put into practice all the good research techniques you learned in the seminar. If this is your first trip to Salt Lake, or if you want to make the most of your research time there, we strongly urge that you attend the seminar.

You can register for the seminar, the trip, or both with one form. The seminar at the Dallas Public Library is limited to 175 people and the trip is limited to 55 participants. Check your mail for a flyer with registration form or use the handy form on page five of this newsletter. Sign up today!

First in Lecture Series Well Received!

Bill Benson

Quit surfing and start researching was the advice that Cyndi Howells gave 450 genealogists gathered at the Lakewood Theatre in Dallas. They watched as she demonstrated the use of the World Wide Web as an access to research help and information. Her day-long lecture sessions were conducted while wearing a robe and "bunny slippers" as she went live "on line" to the Internet and used actual examples of how to use it. The search and connections she made were shown on the theater screen for all to follow her. Cyndi finished her lectures by answering the questions that came from the audience, and then autographing copies of her book.

The winners of the door prizes that day were Curtis Hopfinger, Lucille Cable, Mary Brainerd, Unda Dillon, Rosemary M. Schooldfield. Congratulations!

Be sure to register today for the remaining two lectures slated for 27 February 1999 (Lloyd Bockstruck) and 10 April 1999 (Elizabeth Shown Mills). Join us!
Regular Meetings: Unless otherwise indicated, DGS regular meetings are held on the 4th Monday, Jan.-May, and Sept.-Nov., in the auditorium of the J. Erik Jonsson Central Library (Dallas Public Library), 1515 Young Street, in downtown Dallas. Meetings begin at 7:00 p.m. with a reception at 6:30 p.m. in the East/West Room. Regular meetings are free, and visitors/guests are welcome.

Computer Interest Group (DGS/CIG): Unless otherwise noted, the DGS Computer Interest Group meetings are held at 6:30 p.m. on the 2nd Thursday, Jan.-May, and Sept.-Nov. in the auditorium of the library. Additionally the DGS/CIG holds a "question & answer" period in the library’s auditorium one hour prior to the regular DGS monthly meetings. Meetings are free, and visitors/guests are welcome.

DGS African-American Interest Group (AAIG): Unless otherwise indicated, meetings are held in the East/West Rooms of the library on the third Tuesday of each month at 6:30 p.m. Meetings are free, and visitors and guests are welcome.

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Membership
Individuals, libraries, or societies may apply for membership. Dues are $20 for twelve consecutive months, with membership beginning the month of payment. New member dues and renewals should be mailed to: DGS, PO Box 12446, Dallas, TX 75225-0446, and marked "Attn.: VP, Membership." Current members receive the Dallas Journal and the DGS Newsletter.
President’s Message
Carole Chew Ruska

Welcome to another year! Although the calendar year has just ended and begun again, we are right in the middle of the DGS year. Lots more exciting events are on the horizon.

The surname database has been expanded to 9,254 names, and the program has been simplified and upgraded. This database is on the computer behind the volunteer desk. Anyone can search, but only members can submit ancestor names, places, dates to the database. If you did not take advantage of this feature of membership when you joined, pick up a new membership form and submit your names. We are no longer limited to eight surnames. Be sure to put your name and phone number on the form and write MEMBER across it so we won’t think we lost the check. You never know when you might find a match in one of your lines right here in DGS.

Last May, the Society voted to keep the Endowment Fund, but to date $0.00 has been contributed to this fund. I am sorry that I did not think to remind you that a gift to any of our special funds—Endowment, Renee Smith Scholarship, and the Stern NARA—are tax deductible. Too late for 1998, but start early for your 1999 deductions.

Support of our fundraising events has been very good to date moving us nearer our goal of $17,800 as our gift to the library. Mark your calendars for the upcoming events described elsewhere in this issue and help make the Genealogy Section of the Dallas Public Library the best. The library and city council gave a Special Recognition to DGS for past contributions. Read about it in this issue, and be a part of next year’s contribution.

Thanks again for all your support, and I hope to see you at the DGS meetings and events in 1999!

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LOST & FOUND DEPARTMENT

At the Cyndi Howells Lecture on 14 November, two items were lost at the theatre and never claimed by the owners: small purple case with cleaning cloth for glasses and one black, cloisonné earring with pink flowers. To claim these items, please call Carole Ruska 214.324.2928.

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SPECIAL RECOGNITION FOR DGS!

(Reprinted from Oak Cliff Tribune, 5 Nov. 1998, Page 24, no byline; edited here)

On October 21, Mayor Ron Kirk gave special recognition to the Dallas Genealogical Society’s $70,500 gift given by the 1997/98 DGS Board to the Genealogy Section of the J. Erik Jonsson Central Library.

The gift will be used to purchase storage cabinets, computer equipment and research materials for the genealogy section. “All of these resources are much needed in what is one of the busiest public service areas of the library,” said Dallas Public Library director Ramiro Salazar.

Last year the library received a $15,000 gift from DGS. According to Sammie Lee, local arrangements’ chair and member of DGS, this year’s award was larger due to the 1997 National Federation of Genealogical Societies Conference. As host of the conference, DGS made $30,000, and earned another $10,000 by hosting the party “Dallas 100 Years Ago” at Old City Park. This was the Society’s first time to host a national conference.

The Dallas Genealogical Society is the oldest continuously functioning genealogical society in Texas, and has a long-standing relationship of both financial and volunteer assistance with the Dallas Public Library.

In 1995-96, DGS provided the library with $150,000 for a capital expansion project that included construction of a larger genealogy section and new shelving and furniture, as well as $15,000 for materials. During 1997-98, DGS volunteers contributed 3,513 hours to the genealogy section.

(President’s remarks: It is nice to get recognition for a job well done, and all members and volunteers deserve a pat on the back. The proclamation has been framed and is hanging in the genealogy section. Several council members asked questions about DGS and were very complimentary about our work.)
January Meeting Program
Beverly Johnston Holmes

What Will That Tell Me?
Genealogical Gems for Texas Research
You've lost your Texas ancestors somewhere between the 1870 and 1880 censuses. How can you track them down? You've heard rumors that your great-grandfather was involved in a bad real estate deal that would rival the I-30 Condo Scandal. Where do you find the details? You've heard that your great aunt moved to Polvo after she married. How can you find out where that is?

Our Hidden Treasures search in January will feature the Texas/Dallas History and Archives Division of Dallas Public Library. Manager Carol Roark will discuss research treasures on the 7th floor and show us how to answer these and other perplexing genealogical questions.

Please join us on Monday, 25 January at 7:00 p.m. in the DPL Auditorium. The social period, sales, and tape rentals begin at 6:30 p.m.

Note: For those of us without Texas ancestors, lessons can be learned on research techniques and types of documents that are available in regional libraries in other cities.

* Due to the inclusion of the DGS Publications Catalog, the Bulletin Board and the Beginners' Corner had to be left out of this issue. Look for them in the February newsletter!

Welcome to our NEW MEMBERS!
Vergie Freeman

The following family researchers joined our ranks between October and December of 1998:
Douglas W. ADAMS, Linda CLAY, Marie CROSSLEY, Annette DeBOSE, Delores and Richard DODGE, Elaine DRY, Jackie and Louis GUION, William and Georgia JOHNSON, Eileen and Jerry JONES, Julia Jan MATLOCK, Juanita MATTHEWS, David & Mary NABORS, Julie PHILLIPS, David K. and Gaynell SACHSE, Jean and Gene STANBERY, Theresa VAMAU, Kathy WILLISTON, Linda ARNOLD, Robert and Patricia EAGLE, Georgia and James HENDRIX, Margery and George PETROVICH, Janet SHAW, Dan and Beverly CLINTON, William and Mary FREEMAN, Mollie LONDON, John and Sara POWELL, Sr., John M. SHEPHERD, Frederick L. DOWNS, Cheryl HARRIS, Rita and Eugene PARRISH, Janelle SCRIBNER, Victoria and David SUDAN.

FHC at SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH
The Seminar: 30 January 1999

"I'm at the Dallas Library. What Now?"
Kris Richins (9:30 - 10:45 AM)
This session is a description of the LDS resources at the local Family History Centers and the Dallas Public Library Genealogy Section and how to access them for use in Dallas. Learn about the Salt Lake LDS catalog and how to obtain microfilm from Salt Lake for use in Dallas; interpretation of the International Genealogical Index data and its application: and how to get the "source" of the IGI data-all without leaving Dallas.

"Press a Key or Go Fiche"
Art Rubeck (11:00 - 12:15)
An exercise in the wonderful world of computers: the LDS catalog on computer and microfiche, and technology that is now available. Art will explain and demonstrate with his computer (projected on the big screen) the use of the microfiche and computer catalog as well as the Ancestral File program, a huge database of family records submitted to the LDS Library in Salt Lake.

"Now I'm in Salt Lake...Where Do I Go?"
Kris Richins (1:15 - 2:30 PM)
Kris explains the "ins and outs" once you are at the fabled "motherlode" of family history: vital records from the world, extractions of court records, thousands of books, and millions of rolls of microfilm. She will graphically tour the floors of the library, tell what is there, and how to do effective research while in the library.

"Making the Most of Your Time Before You Go and After You Get There!"
Pat Hatcher (2:45 - 4:00 PM)
Ya gotta have a plan! The volume of material available through the Family History Library and the Family History Centers is so great that it can be overwhelming and you can easily miss the solution to your research problem. With Pat's step-by-step plan and dozens of tips (learned the hard way), you'll find your success rate to be much higher.
The Research Trip: 25 April - 2 May 1999
$355 double $655 single
Cost includes:
- Seven nights at the Salt Lake Plaza Hotel (next door to the LDS Library)
- Shuttle transfer from and to the airport
- Welcome reception buffet Sunday evening with Salt Lake City Researcher as speaker
- Wrap-up party Friday night after library closes
Extra nights are available either before or after these dates at $43.50 each double; $87.00 single when scheduled and paid for with balance of trip cost.
When your deposit of $200 is received, you will be contacted about hotel arrival and departure requirements and room-sharing. There will be a pre-trip orientation; time/place to be decided.
Trip is limited to first 55 participants to make the required deposit. Deposit deadline is 1 APRIL 1999. Sign up NOW!

CALL FOR PAPERS: 1999 DGS Fall Festival of Genealogy
Barbara Baylis
The Dallas Genealogical Society will hold its annual regional workshop on Saturday, 16 October 1999, at the Dallas Convention Center. All interested speakers are invited to submit up to four proposed lecture topics for the conference. Each lecture will be a one-hour presentation. DGS insists on a profession syllabus following strict guidelines. Syllabus material will be required on a 3 1/2" disk or camera-ready hard copy. Instructions will be sent when a speaker is issued an invitation. Biographies are required on a 3 1/2" disk. The syllabus is copyright by DGS, therefore protecting a speaker's handouts. Speakers will be paid $50 for each lecture given. No other expenses will be covered. Everyone with a desire to speak MUST submit. No special invitations will be issued!
Interested individuals should submit proposals and questions to the DGS Fall 1999 Program Chairman: Barbara Baylis, 9835 Elmcrest Dr., Dallas, TX 75238-1831 OR brbaylis@aol.com OR faxed to 214-348-1164. The deadline for submitting topic proposals is 1 April 1999.
Proposals should include the following information:
1) Lecture title and a brief outline or abstract
2) A short summary for the program brochure (1 or 2 sentences)
3) Identification of audience level (beginner, intermediate, or advanced)
4) Speaker's full name, address, telephone, e-mail address and fax number.
5) A brief speaker biography (2-3 sentences) as well as previous speaking experience.

TOM THUMB REWARD CARD
The Tom Thumb Reward Card/Good Neighbor Program is an excellent way to help raise funds for DGS. The DGS account number for use with the Reward Card is #4253

New Year's Resolution: Renew or Subscribe to the FGS Forum Quarterly Magazine Now!
The Nov/Dec 1998 DGS Newsletter printed the old address by mistake. To subscribe to the Forum, mention DGS to get a discount, and send $11.00 to FGS Forum, P.O. Box 200940, Austin, TX 78720-0940. "Meet Me in St. Louis!" Aug. 1999 FGS Conference information at: http://www.fgs.org

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Only DGS members may take the trip. If you are not presently a member, add $20 to the deposit of $200 plus $20 for the seminar.
Make check out to: Dallas Genealogical Society
Mail to: DGS Salt Lake Seminar/Trip
P. O. Box 12446
Dallas, TX 75225-0446
DGS cannot accept phone registrations or credit cards.
DGS voice mail (214.670.7932) will say if events are full.

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Review of Some Searchable Lineage-Linked Databases

Helen J. Wilson

There are now many collections of genealogical data that may be searched for links. The ones described below also accept submissions from the public so that you may contribute your genealogical data for others to be able to search. Though not the final answer, they serve as a guideline of what to look for in original records and often allow you to contact submitters directly. The ones described below vary in medium, cost, indexing, display method, software requirements, amount of data and transfer requirements. In the matter of medium some are available on CD for purchase or utilization in a library; others are attainable by internet access. Some of them are free; others have a one time charge while still others charge a periodic fee for usage. As far as indexing goes some databases are just a list; others are indexed; and a few are cross-referenced. In some of the links we view pedigrees and group sheets while others are linked information on individuals or surnames. Some require a specific software program to access the database; others use one of several widely available programs; and a few require nothing more than a web browser. On one database you may print directly or save to disk; in others you must download or request remote access after registration of your database.

ANCESTRAL FILE

This well-known collection now contains over 29 million names. It is available at the Family History Library in Salt Lake City, in nearly 200 family history centers worldwide and now in many libraries including the eighth floor Genealogy section of the Dallas Public Library. The data comes from individuals who submit their personal data in GEDCOM format. You may mail or deliver a diskette to 50 East North Temple, Salt Lake City, UT 84150.

Information you may find in this collection will include birth, death, christening, marriage, burial dates and places, and LDS ordinance data. It is displayed in easily read pedigree and family group records with ease of navigation up and down the pedigree, between spouses and from index to pedigree. Ancestral would get highest marks for ease of operation and simple navigation. The first step is to input a surname, to which you can add a given name and/or birth year. You then choose the names you wish to study further from an index, following detailed directions on keys to press, etc. You may cache and save information you desire to a 3 1/2" disc or print the pages.

The LDS church, the publisher, attempts to merge duplications. The biggest criticism is that the database fails to include source documentation, errors when two or more individual submissions are merged, and a loose of correct data when it is merged with incorrect data. Ancestral File, however, remained one of the largest and easiest-to-use collections available, free of charge.

EVERTON’S ONLINE SEARCH

OLS is available by subscriptions ($15 for one month or $49.50 for one year). Everton has four collections of data from GEDCOMS, GEDSRCH I, GEDSRCH II, Pedigree, and Family Group File, all of which must be searched separately. The data is stored at the company’s web site (www.everton.com/info.htm) and is accessible via the Internet. A free sample search is available through GEDSRCH which indexes a very small sample.

A search requires a surname, to which you can add given name, birth or death date, city, county, and/or state and/or name of submitter. You access an index from which you select a pedigree view or a name of the submitter.

You can submit a GEDCOM via e-mail attachment, FTP transfer, or web upload, using Netscape browser. A submission gives you one month free subscription (To be continued)

Look! Up at the 8th Floor! It’s a Slumber Party! It’s an “All-Nighter!” It’s a . . .

Library Lock-in!

Mark your calendars and watch your mail for a registration form for this fun “members-only” event on 20 March 1999. (Registration is first-come, first-serve.) Twenty dollars will give you a safe place to park, research to your heart’s content, use of the various machines, computers, books, files, printers, AND refreshments. Between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m. join 59 other DGS members for a whole night of “fiching,” “rooting,” “ansearching,” and comparing research notes. Quiet conversation and munching will be allowed and if you want to bring your pillow and curl up in the corner (after you find your great-great grandmother) no one will blame you!
REPORT TO THE DALLAS GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY
General Business Meeting

Proposed Bylaw Changes

November 23, 1998

Committee:
Suzan Younger, Chair
Barbara Dossett
Karen Miller
Barbara Ware

The ad hoc committee appointed to review and recommend changes to the Bylaws of the Dallas Genealogical Society met on October 28, 1998. We unanimously recommend the following be approved for presentation to the general membership at the 23 November 1998 Business Meeting.

The proposed changes were presented to the membership in writing at the 23 November meeting. They will be published in the January 1999 DGS Newsletter and will be voted on by the general membership at the 25 January 1999 Business Meeting.

Article V, Section 4
The Vice President for Membership shall maintain the membership list; shall provide printed copies of additions and changes in the membership list at each board of directors meeting; shall forward Society dues to the treasurer; and shall place two (2) printed copies of the official membership list (as of October 31 - May 1) with the Society minutes before January June 1 of each year.

Reason: The change is being made to conform bylaws to actual practice of the society. There is no requirement that the placement of the official membership coincide with the fiscal year.

Article IX, Section 2 Standing Committees
The Budget Committee: The budget committee shall consist of the treasurer, who shall be chairman; the president, the executive vice president for workshops; the immediate past president; and the immediate past treasurer.

Reason: The change is being made to be consistent with the title in Article V, Section 2.

Article X, Section 2 The Society Endowment Fund
The Society's Permanent Endowment Fund is established and shall be administered for the benefit of the Dallas Genealogical Society within the limits allowed by law, and for the benefit of the Genealogy Section of the J. Erik Jonsson Central Library or its legal successor. Donations or contributions to the Endowment fund shall include, but are not limited to, a percentage of the Society's annual net income, said percentage to be established by the board of directors at its discretion. The Society treasurer will invest all moneys in this fund in interest-bearing securities; investments are specifically limited to Federal Government Securities or accounts at banks or saving institutions insured by the FDIC or FLIC. Each year the interest from this fund shall be used. Accrued interest may be placed into the Special Society Fund account at the discretion of the Board of Directors and be used for the purposes set out in Section 1 of Article X.

Reason: The Endowment Fund will not grow if interest is removed each year. This change allows the board the discretion to leave funds in the endowment and remove when the fund has grown to a sufficient size to make it useable.

Article XI, Section 4 Placement of Records
The secretary shall place a copy of the official membership list in the Society archives by January June 1 of each year.

Reason: The change is being made to conform bylaws to actual practice of the society. There is no requirement that the placement of the official membership coincide with the fiscal year.
Family Tree, 1991-1996-Weekly Newspaper Columns from *The Dallas Morning News* 
by Lloyd Dewitt Bockstruck. Compiled and edited by Dorothy Nash Roberts for the Dallas Genealogical Society. The book contains the full text of 282 columns in which Bockstruck reviews more than 700 genealogical publications, and cites references to hundreds of specific surnames, families, individuals, and events found in those publications. He adds his own unique insights in a style that has made him a nationwide favorite as a lecturer at conferences and seminars. The wide range of subjects includes all ethnic groups and virtually every state and many foreign countries. One appendix lists the column titles in chronological order; another lists the publications reviewed, also in chronological order. By using the appendices along with the extensive index, researchers can quickly find the references which relate to their areas of interest. 1998.

Hardbound (only), 8.5" x 11", 410 pp. (Available only in book form)  
Item #110  $47.50

*Dallas County, Texas: Genealogical Data from Early Cemeteries, Volume 1*
Contains approximately 12,000 interments in 50 cemeteries located in northern Dallas County, including Addison, Carrollton, Coppell, Farmers Branch, Garland, Richardson, Rowlett, Sachse and Dallas (north of Northwest Highway). Large, modern perpetual-care cemeteries are listed with mailing addresses and date of first burial, but not individual names. Surname and cemetery index. 1981. (Also available in microfiche)

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*Dallas County, Texas: Genealogical Data from Early Cemeteries, Volume 3*
Cemeteries included are: Edgewood, Floyd-Taylor, Hutchins, Patrick-Pruitt, Porter, Rawlins, and Stadden. Directions and Dallas Mapsco numbers are included for locating the sites. About 6,000 surnames are listed. Indexed. 1989. (Also available on microfiche)

Softbound, 5.5" x 8.5", 205 pp  
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See under MICROFICHE; available only on microfiche

*Dallas County, Texas: Marriages Volume 1, Books A-E (1846-1877)*
This volume includes 3,567 marriages copied from marriage record books of Dallas County. Every-name index by groom, bride, and individual who performed the ceremony. 1978. (Also available on microfiche)

Softbound, 8.5" x 11", 94 pp  
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*Dallas County, Texas: Marriages Volume 2, Books F-H (1877-1885)*
This second volume of Dallas County marriages contains more than 3,760 marriages. Same format and indexing as Volume 1. 1989. (Also available on microfiche)

Softbound, 8.5" x 11", 199 pp  
Item #104: $15.00
Dallas County, Texas: Index to Probate Cases, 1846-1900
Index to the names and case numbers of the 3,100 probate cases available (see MICROFILM). Names of executors and guardians are also indexed. 1978.
Softbound, 8.5" x 11", 72 pp Item #105: $10.00

Index to Memorial and Biographical History of Dallas County, Texas
A revised every-name index for use with the Memorial and Biographical History of Dallas County, Texas, (see MICROFILM.)
Softbound, 8.5" x 11", 72 pp Item #106: $8.00

The Dallas Quarterly 1989-1994 - print copies no longer available; see Microfiche.

The Dallas Journal, 1995-Present (formerly The Dallas Quarterly)
Now an annual publication of indexed Dallas County records. Limited quantities. Please inquire about availability before ordering. (Available also on microfiche)
Softbound 8.5" x 11" Item #107: $10.00 each

DALLASEARCH: A Guide to Genealogical Resources in Dallas County, Texas
This popular guide provides information on a variety of research resources in the Dallas area-including public records, college and university collections, Texas/Dallas and Genealogy collections at the Dallas Public Library, visitor information, and much more. Essential for research in the Dallas area. Revised 1993.
Softbound 5.5" x 8.5" (limited quantity available) Item #108: $5.00

MICROFILM for SALE

Dallas County, Texas: Original Probate Packets, 1846-1900
The first 3,100 packets of original probate documents, filmed in numerical order. All papers in each packet were filmed.
Thirty-five reels of 16mm film. The Index to Probate Cases (see BOOKS) may be used to determine which reels to order.
(Please allow 6 weeks for delivery.)
Available in 16mm microfilm ONLY Item #201: Per Reel $20.00

A Memorial and Biographical History of Dallas County, Texas
First published in 1892 by the Lewis Publishing Company, and filmed in 1977 by volunteers from the Dallas Genealogical Society. Every-name index also available (see BOOKS).
Available in 16mm microfilm ONLY Item #202: $20.00

The Dallas Quarterly, 1955-1988 Back issues of all DGS Quarterlies through 1988, are available on microfilm. Please indicate reel number when ordering.
Reel #1: Vol. 1-14; 1955-1968; 35mm
Reel #2: Vol. 15-22; 1969-1976; 16mm
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Texas Methodist: Newspaper Abstracts, Volumes 1-6, 1850-1885
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Texas Presbyterian: Newspaper Abstracts, Volume 1: 1846-1848, 1851-1854, 1876-1878
by Helen Mason Lu. Births, marriages, deaths and other information on early Texas families. Obituaries published in this and other religious newspapers are a great deal more detailed than those found in secular newspapers from the same time period. Every-name index included. 1992. (1 fiche)
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Texas Baptist: Newspaper Abstracts, 1855-1884
by Helen Mason Lu. This is the newspaper that early Texans, both Baptist and non-Baptist, relied upon for news of far-flung relatives and friends. Marriages, births, deaths and a wide variety of other information. Every-name index included. 1992. (1 fiche)
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Southwestern Presbyterian: Newspaper Abstracts, 1869-1877
by Helen Mason Lu. Published in New Orleans, this newspaper reported on people and happenings throughout Texas and enjoyed a wide readership in the state. Includes obituaries, weddings, birth announcements and other news items about early Texans. Every-name index included. 1992. (1 fiche)
Available in microfiche ONLY.

Family Tree: 1979-1991: Newspaper Columns in the Dallas Morning News
by Margaret Ann Thetford. Margaret Ann's 1,150 columns published in The Dallas Morning News are now available through DGS. The collection contains 12 years of queries with a Texas connection (not limited to the Dallas area); 12 every-name indexes; 7 topic and location indexes; and Margaret Ann's summary book on early columns. A unique research source for Texas families. (24 fiche or 1 microfilm, 16mm)
Please specify microfiche or microfilm

Dallas Quarterly Available in microfiche only. (1 fiche each)
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Volume 37 (1991)
Volume 38 (1992)
Volume 39 (1993)
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TEUBNER, ASHLEY, FOX (?), BOOZER

Would like to contact descendants of Fred TEUBNER and Bertha ASHLEY, m. 21 July 1901. Fred d. 1946 in Dallas. Children: Lance, Shirley (m. FOX?). Family history says that Bertha returned to hometown of Abilene with daughter. Lance may have remained in Dallas as he was older than Shirley. Would also like to contact Billy Ed Teubner or descendants. His parents were Edwin Means Teubner and Annise BOOZER.

Becky Teubner, Rt. 6, Box 6110, Paris, TX 75462
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FORD, HENSLEE
Dr. John Folker FORD was born 14 Oct. 1893 in Garland, TX. He apparently married in or near Dallas ca. 1917 to Ethel (surname unknown). Later he may have divorced Ethel and married Fay HENSLEE of Hunt Co., TX. There may have been children as a result of the first marriage and there was at least one child resulting from the second. Dr. Ford then divorced Fay and moved to New York City where he practiced medicine until his retirement. He relocated to Brownsville, TX and here he died 16 June 1968. His obituary makes no mention of any children other than those born to his third wife whom he married in NY. I'm searching for the name of this first wife and any children born to her. (I am a granddaughter Dr. Ford and his 2nd wife.) Any help is appreciated. Barbara F. Keithly, 3105 W. Waters Ave., Suite 208, Tampa, FL 33614
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Volunteer Opportunities: Willing to work for DGS? If so, please check all the areas where you could volunteer. Thanks!

____ Hospitality
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JANUARY 1999

13  DGS Board meeting - 7:00 PM
14  Computer Interest Group meeting - 6:30 PM @ library (See related article inside)
19  African American Interest Group meeting 6:30 PM @ library
21  GENTECH
25  DGS Meeting: *What Will That Tell Me?* Speaker: Carol Roark 7:00 PM @ library. (See page 4 for further details.)
30  SLC Orientation Workshop at the DPL 9:00 - 4:00 PM (See article and registration form inside.)

FEBRUARY

10  DGS Board meeting
11  CIG meeting (TBA)
16  AAIG meeting
22  DGS Meeting: *Treasures Hiding in Supplemental Censuses* (Barbara Dossett)
27  2nd in Lecture Series: *Mid-Atlantic States* (Lloyd D. Bockstruck)

MARCH

10  DGS Board meeting
11  CIG meeting
16  AAIG meeting
20  Members' Lock-In at the Library
22  DGS Meeting: *Special & Unusual Resources in the Genealogy Department* (Lloyd DeWitt Bockstruck)