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Hello all,

Attached is a list of items that have been donated to our library but do not fit our collection. I am offering them for postage or in exchange for something that pertains to Lenawee County, Michigan.

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From: karenrramos at gmail.com (Karen Ramos)

Date: Thu, 1 Dec 2011 13:13:23 -0800

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We have had a few solutions to the problem of putting our obituary

index online and all of them involve wonderful, anonymous volunteers.

Right now we have at least 698 FamilySearch volunteer typing name and date indexing to accompany the images of the Stockton-San Joaquin County Public Library's newspaper obituary card index. I don't know who these people are. They had completed nine percent of the project before the FamilySearch staff got our local volunteers started. The indexing started in mid-October. FamilySearch uploaded the browsable images on November 10. The database description says there are about 160,000 images. The volunteers are now in the middle of surnames starting with S. So, the indexing to accompany the database should be uploaded some time in early 2012. There is no way local volunteers using local database input could have accomplished this feat. As you may know, FamilySearch has two volunteers index each record. If there are discrepancies, an arbitrator looks at the record and makes the final decision. Think of the hours involved.

How did we accomplish this feat? Back in 1991, Phillip Adair from the Genealogical Society of Utah came through California microfilming records. I worked with him to film our newspaper index, our local history index and the obituary file.

FamilySearch is now digitalizing all of the microfilm in the Family History Library collection. While they have been saying it will take about eight years to finish this project, I think they are down to about seven years now. New projects are going straight to digital imaging.

Not knowing any of this, the archivist at one of our local history museums suggested that we digitalize this microfilm ourselves as a joint project of the library, the historical society, and the genealogical society. He even got an estimate of a \$1000.00 to put tiff images of the microfilm on CD. At that point, I contacted FamilySearch to see if they would prioritize our project if we would cooperate with them. I got back a generic email that said, basically, digitalizing is the easy part; actually indexing all their microfilm would take a hundred years. So, if an organization is willing to offer its members as volunteer indexers, FamilySearch would be happy to consider cooperation. Right now they are concentrating on vital records for the United States. So, our project fit right in.

One of our members is also a member of the California Genealogical Society and The California State Genealogical Alliance. Both groups are project partners with FamilySearch. She asked one of those people to get us in touch with the right person and the project just happened. We haven't had to do anything but supply some volunteers. The FamilySearch people have been wonderful. Real project partners supply arbitrators, volunteer training and oversight. I guess our project is so simple we weren't asked to do anything extra. I should mention somewhere that our local LDS Churches have volunteers working on the project too.

Our card file consists of three kinds of cards: citations to newspapers?1850 to 1964, names and death dates?1964 to mid 1974, and obituary clippings with citations from late 1974 to 1990.

After 1990, obituaries were incorporated into an online newspaper database that was written in MARC format. (We modified the use of some tags.) Unfortunately, when the library switched from DRA to Siri

it could not afford to pay for this separate database, but one of our tech librarians is working with FamilySearch to see if those obituaries could be added to FamilySearch too.

You can see the images right now at FamilySearch.org. Under "Browse by Location," choose "United States, etc" or "North America" (I kept seeing two different home pages yesterday). When the page loads Use the find command to go to "Joaquin: California, San Joaquin, County Public Library Obituary Index, 1850-1991"

We have two other volunteer obituary collections online.

First, the simplest online index to our local newspaper obituaries was done by some wonderful volunteer at Rootsweb. Below are a couple examples of her work at obits.rootsweb.ancestry.com

AAHL, Thomas Paul "Tom"; ; Cordova TN; Stockton Record (CA); 2005-11-10; mar
AAKHUS, Goldie B (); 100; Ottumwa IA>Manteca CA; Stockton Record;
2001-1-20; mar
AARDAPPEL, Karrol June (VAUGHN); 83; Benedict NE>San Diego CA;
Stockton Record; 2006-3-14; mar
AARON, William Lee; 70; Forgan OK>Stockton CA; Stockton Record; 1999-5-12; mar

She indexed all of the obituaries from The Stockton Record AKA The Record from 1999 through 2006.

You will notice that she included quite a few details from the obituary, depending on what was available: name, nicknames and maiden names, age, birth place, death place if not Stockton, newspaper title and newspaper issue date. The database has a standard format. Keyword indexing makes it easy to find our local newspaper and a person's name.

You may have local indexing here too. Do some keyword searching to see.

Another great volunteer at NewspaperAbstracts.com abstracted all vital records and local articles in several local newspapers from 1857 to 1871.

If you don't feel a proprietary need to keep your database in house. These are all outside options that are easy enough to be done by your own volunteers. And you don't even have to deal with the in-house headaches of maintaining the database.

Karen Ramos
San Joaquin Genealogical Society
Retired Librarian

From Munroe at oshkoshpubliclibrary.org Thu Dec 1 17:35:06 2011
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Message-ID: <0B9B56040724A840B3E632578923AD2306071F@magneto.wals.local>

Take a look at <http://www.oshkoshpubliclibrary.org/vitalrecords.html> and search "Smith." You'll start with listings where Smith is the birth

name. Click on a name and you'll get enough information to determine whether this is the right person. As you can tell from other results further down the list, this level of notes is available only for relatively modern entries. If I were starting from scratch now, I'd ask for it consistently.

This index combines three old files (hence some just date, some date and page), and indexing by members of the Winnebago Land Genealogical Society. They started with 1949 and worked their way back. The later years are easier to do and we got folks hooked this way. Once we had 40 years posted (the Library provides tech support and webpage), the requests started rolling in at \$5.00 per item. The statistics were used to demonstrate interest in local history as part of LSTA grant applications which have allowed us to digitized atlases and county histories. <http://uwdc.library.wisc.edu/collections/WI/OshkoshAtlases>

The details: Define your geographic boundaries. 19th century papers reprinted gory stories from all over. Index with middle initial if available. If it says "Mrs. James Smith" read the entire obit to see if you can determine her first name. If not, will you index "Smith, Mrs. James" or "Smith, James, Mrs." Will you use Rev. and Dr.? How will you handle Sister Mary Gertrude?

We're still at it, working on the short-run papers.

No, we don't clip (unless we have a whole bio file on a person), but some of our papers are on NewspaperArchive.com and the last 10 years on ProQuest.

Mara B. Munroe
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"History is where the evidence leads us; heritage is what we choose to remember and celebrate." Edward T. Linenthal, May 2005

From crscott at HeritageBooks.com Fri Dec 2 09:46:32 2011
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Date: Fri, 2 Dec 2011 09:46:32 -0500
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Please respond off line.

Thanks.

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 Cherokee Claims for Transportation and Subsistence, Special File 154: Vol. 1 - Dawn C. Stricklin. The Treaty of New Echota displaced the largest portion of the Eastern Cherokee, and

created massive claims records. Although the majority of Cherokees were left destitute after their migration to Indian Territory, the eighth article of the treaty provided some relief, however minimal, by providing both the cost of transportation and subsistence for one year. To receive these payments, individuals had to prove their Cherokee citizenship. As a result, invaluable affidavits were created by those individuals describing their lives and the lives of their families before during, and after the infamous Trail of Tears. While many of the Cherokee names contained in these records are clearly identifiable in the 1835 Cherokee Census (or Henderson Roll), there are many who are validated tribal members whose names are absent from that census. The first of a set of two volumes, this book guides inexperienced researchers through its pages beginning with the introduction that describes what the records are and how they were created, allowing readers to fully grasp the true value of the documents. Ms. Stricklin helps the researcher understand the transcribed documents contained in the book with three appendices that focus on the Cherokee language and how to understand the transcriptions and extracts, along with how to interpret the accompanying citations. A bibliography, suggested reading list, and complete name and place index are also included, so that researchers can utilize and gain the maximum benefit from the records contained in this publication.

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Thanks to all. Got a copy of the page we were missing.

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Subject: [Genealib] Periodicals Free for Postage NEHGS NY WA WI
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Cathy,

We would like to have the following periodicals:

American Ancestors, v 11

New England Ancestors, v 9

NY Columbia, v 5, 7, 8, 9, 10

Gemini, v 24-3,4 25-1,2

Journal Northern NY Amer.-Can Gen Soc, v 17-2

NYG&B NL, v 1-1,2 2to6 Index 1-6 7-1,2,3 8to12(1997-2001) 13-1,2,3
14-1,2

WA Clark Co Gen Soc, Clark Co Gen Soc, Membership Directory 1980, 1983,
1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993
Olympia Gen Soc Quarterly, v 27(2001)
Yakima Valley Gen Soc, v. 24-4

USA - AAHGS News (Afro-American Hist & Gen Soc), 1996-S/O 2000-S/O

2004-N/D 2006J/A 2009M/J 2010-N/D 2011-M/A,M/J

American-Canadian Genealogist, v 34-4 #118

American Genealogist, v 72 81Index of Names 83-2,3

American Genealogy Magazine, v 11-5,6 12-2,3,4

American Jewish History, v 84-3

Assoc Professional Genealogists Quarterly, v 18-1,2

Dorot (Jewish Genealogical Society), v 22-3

Family Chronicle, v 3-3,5,6 4-3,4,5,6 5-2,3,4,5 6-2,3,4,5,6 7-1,2

Family Records Today, v 5-3,4

Family Tree Magazine, v 2-5 3-3 4-2,4,6 5-5,6 6 7 8-1,2,3,4,5

Federation Gen Socs FORUM, 2-3

Genealogical Acorn (G.A.B. Publications, FL), v1-4

Great Migration Newsletter, v 5 to 10

Journal of the Afro-American Hist and Gen Soc, v 20-2 21-1 23-1

Southern Genealogists Exchange Quarterly, v 10-49,50,51 42-179 43-182,183

We will be glad to send postage reimbursement.

Thank you,

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New England Hist & Gen Register, v 148#592 151-601,603 154#614,616
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Clark Co Gen Soc, Membership Directory 1980, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987,
1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993
Olympia Gen Soc Quarterly, v 27(2001)
Piney Woods Newsletter, v 3-2
Seattle Gen Soc Bulletin, v 1972-Sep,Dec 1973-Mar 41-3 42-2,3,4 43-1,2
44 44-3 55-2
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From: dlwilson at pwcgov.org (Wilson, Donald L)

Date: Sat, 3 Dec 2011 15:21:16 -0500

Subject: [Genealib] What's New in RELIC (December 2011)

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WHAT'S NEW IN RELIC

December 2011

The Ruth E. Lloyd Information Center for Genealogy and Local History (RELIC), Prince William Public Library System, Bull Run Regional Library, 8051 Ashton Avenue, Manassas, VA 20109. 703-792-4540 Email: relic2 at pwcgov.org <<mailto:relic2 at pwcgov.org>> .

To read the latest lists of new materials available in RELIC click on http://www.pwcgov.org/library/relic/whats_new_in_relic.htm <http://www.pwcgov.org/library/relic/whats_new_in_relic.htm> .

RELIC PROGRAMS

Here are our latest offerings. Funding for RELIC programs is provided by the Friends of Central and Bull Run Libraries. Sign language interpretation is available for Prince William Public Library programs if requested at least three weeks in advance. To be notified of upcoming programs and new resources in RELIC, visit http://www.pwcgov.org/library/relic/whats_new_in_relic.htm <http://www.pwcgov.org/library/relic/whats_new_in_relic.htm> and click on Subscribe. All these programs will take place at the community room at Bull Run Regional Library, 8051 Ashton Avenue, Manassas, VA. Most programs last about one hour. You may register for any of these programs at 703-792-4540 or relic2 at pwcgov.org <<mailto:relic2 at pwcgov.org>> . For details see

http://www.pwcgov.org/library/relic/relic_programs.htm

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December 8, 11 am - The New Family Search, with Karen Jensen.

December 8, 7 pm - Finding Cousins through Family Tree DNA or 23 and Me, with J. J. "Jim" Logan (rescheduled from August 23).

January 12, 11 am - 20 Things You Can Do to Preserve Your Family History Now, with Tish Como.

January 24, 7 pm - Genealogy 101, with Beverly Veness.

"Genealogy Doctor": free counseling (contact us for an appointment).

SOME SEASONAL EVENTS

Dec. 4, 2-4 pm. "The National Jubilees of Peace," exhibit opens at the Manassas Museum, 9101 Prince William Street, Manassas. \$
www.manassasmuseum.org <<http://www.manassasmuseum.org/>>

Dec. 10, 11am-3pm. "Slave Holiday," tours of enslaved life at Ben Lomond Historic Site, 10321 Sudley Manor Drive, Manassas. \$
www.pwcgov.org/benlomond <<http://www.pwcgov.org/benlomond>>

Dec. 10, 11am-4pm. Holiday Open House at Rippon Lodge Historic Site, 15520 Blackburn Road, Woodbridge. \$ www.pwcgov.org/ripponlodge

Dec. 10, 2-5pm. Weems-Botts Museum's Annual Holiday Open House (free), Cameron and Duke Streets, Dumfries. Free.
<http://historicdumfries.com/weemsbotts.html>
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Dec. 17, 1-7pm. "Christmas at Historic Brentsville," concerts at 5 and 6 pm. Brentsville Courthouse Historic Site, 12229 Bristow Road, Brentsville. Free. www.pwcgov.org/brentsville

Dec. 17, 1-7pm and Dec. 18, 10am-3pm. "A Visit from Santa," Brentsville Courthouse Historic Site. Free. (Photos \$)

NEW AT FAMILYSEARCH.ORG

Presented by Karen Jensen

With a new emphasis on original records and education, the latest version of FamilySearch.org is better than ever. Karen Jensen, assistant director of the Centreville Family History Center, will show you how to explore these new features including the new Library Catalog, the Research Wiki, free online classes, and the world's largest free collection of genealogical records.

The program will be held on Thursday, December 8, at 11 a.m. To reserve a seat for this free program, contact RELIC at (703) 792-4540 or at relic2@pwcgov.org.

FINDING COUSINS THROUGH

FAMILY TREE DNA OR 23ANDME

Presented by J. J. "Jim" Logan

Learn how you can discover your cousins and common ancestors through groups employing the latest innovations in genetic DNA testing for ancestry, in a presentation by J.J. 'Jim' Logan. Dr. Logan is the group administrator for several DNA projects and a member of the Standards Committee of the International Society of Genetic Genealogists.

This program will be presented at Bull Run Regional Library on Thursday, December 8, at 7 p.m. To reserve a seat for this free program, contact RELIC at (703) 792-4540 or at relic2@pwcgov.org. (It was postponed from an earlier date because of the Virginia earthquake.)

20 THINGS YOU CAN DO

TO PRESERVE YOUR FAMILY HISTORY NOW

Presented by Tish Como

Even if you don't have the time or inclination to spend a lot of time researching or recording your family's history, there are some simple steps you can take to make sure that vital information, records, stories, and mementos are available for the next generations. RELIC's Tish Como will describe 20 easy ways to preserve your family's heritage in a program at Bull Run Regional Library on Thursday, January 12, at 11 a.m.

To reserve a seat for this free program, contact RELIC at (703) 792-4540 or at relic2 at pwcgov.org.

GENEALOGY 101

Presented by Beverly Veness

Those curious about their family history have an opportunity to learn about methods, strategies and resources for tracing their roots. The hour-long program, conducted by Beverly Veness of the RELIC staff, is scheduled for Tuesday, January 24, 2012, at 7 p.m. This program, "Genealogy 101," will highlight the numerous free genealogical resources available at RELIC and will explore basic techniques for tracking ancestors.

To reserve a seat for this free program, contact RELIC at (703) 792-4540 or at relic2 at pwcgov.org.

"Genealogy Doctor" Accepting Appointments for Research Help

Don Wilson, head of RELIC (the Ruth E. Lloyd Information Center for genealogy and local history at Bull Run Regional Library), sets aside time each month for free private sessions to mentor persons researching their family history. A thirty-minute session can be used to discuss and analyze an historical or genealogical problem that has stumped you.

Daytime and evening hours are possible. To set up an appointment, please call RELIC at 703-792-4540 or email relic2 at pwcgov.org. Bull Run Regional Library is located at 8051 Ashton Avenue, Manassas, VA 20109.

Have a question about Prince William County history, places or families? Need guidance with your genealogical research? You may contact RELIC staff for help and advice at Ask RELIC <<http://www.pwcgov.org/default.aspx?topic=040034001840001757>> or by calling us at 703-792-4540. Hours, September-June (ET): Monday-Thursday 10am-9pm, Friday-Saturday 10am-5pm, Sunday noon-5pm.

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Subject: [Genealib] Schuylkill to a good home
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We have an extra copy of the Blue Book of Schuylkill County to give away. It is by Mrs. Ella Zerbey Elliott, and is a compilation of family and historical journals with lots of Huguenots and Palatines, very early days, pub in 1916. Please let me know off-list and I'll send it on.

Judy Person

From graymatters at windstream.net Sun Dec 4 12:51:01 2011
From: graymatters at windstream.net (Martha Grenzeback)
Date: Sun, 04 Dec 2011 11:51:01 -0600
Subject: [Genealib] microfilm readers (again)--Indus?
Message-ID: <B0.41.06055.903BBDE4@pacmmta52>

Thanks to those who commented on the Indus reader! Our genealogy society has decided to try one--we've got a good price for it (Indus 4601-11), and if we like it we might get another one or two to replace a couple of our Dukanes. My dream, however, is to replace the rest of them with ScanPro 2000s..... :-)

Martha Grenzeback
Omaha Public Library

At 08:27 AM 11/30/2011, Beth E. Oljace wrote:

>We bought six Indus readers about 14 years ago. Two are still working.

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>I have an ambivalent feeling about microfilm readers in
>general. The gradations of focus and display available in a
>reader-printer aren't available on them and I always feel that
>they're rather primitive.

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>The Indus readers are workhorse machines and relatively easy to
>use. They stand up very well to children and teenagers. (Every
>summer, when kids get bored, we have several who come in and want to
>try the microfilm machines, as though they were an exotic toy. When
>the Cub Scouts come in to tour the Indiana Room, they are
>marvelously amused at how fast the film can go. One enterprising
>boy operated the forward advance with one hand and the magnification
>lever with the other, to his great amusement.) There's even a
>diagram showing how to load the film, although on the machines we
>have it's in a very obscure place. On one of our readers the lens
>tends to "pop out" periodically. Unfortunately, the metal housing
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Message-ID: <05E0BB56-4992-4483-80A8-2D7A080C3E62@comcast.net>

The book is taken. Happy Holidays to all.

Judy Person

From mkmannix at gmail.com Mon Dec 5 10:27:10 2011
From: mkmannix at gmail.com (Mary K. Mannix)
Date: Mon, 5 Dec 2011 10:27:10 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Free workshop, Friday, 20 Jan 2012, Dallas, TX: "Beyond the Genealogy Reference Desk: Genealogy is Bigger in Texas";
Message-ID: <CAPXojw_e=nwCCzURD01__ZNJikHCz0JDANRbybqvCoybdbcmVQ@mail.gmail.com>

The History Section of RUSA is delighted to announce a FREE genealogy workshop to be held on Friday, January 20, 2012 at the Central Library of Dallas Public Library. This full-day event will include lunch and a lite breakfast. The featured speakers include Lloyd Brockstruck (discussing collection development during harsh economic times), Aaron Holt (addressing Native American research), Sue Kaufman (speaking on early Spanish American records), and Ari Wilkins (presenting an African American case study --"The Story Behind the Fountain Hughes Case Study - Cross Country Research").

To register for this day please go to <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/5TQ73H2>.

Seating will be limited, so please register as soon as you can.

Please feel free to contact Mary Mannix at mkmannix at gmail.com if you have any questions.

This day is being made possible by the generous sponsorship of ProQuest.

Hope to see many of you there.

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From: maychan at reginalibrary.ca (May P Chan PHR)
Date: Mon, 5 Dec 2011 10:53:57 -0600
Subject: [Genealib] CLA - Local History & Genealogy Services Network
Message-ID: <E42A3F65D4A8114DBD3AA327AF33DF2F24E996D299@natasha.rpl.local>

Dear colleagues,

As many of you are aware, public interest in local history and genealogy is increasing. However, Canadian librarians and other information professionals do not have a similar organization such as the Local History & Genealogy division within RUSA within Canada to connect with their colleagues to discuss our specialized field.

Recently, the Canadian Library Association (CLA) has decided to expand its membership base by adding new interest groups. For the past couple of months, Penny Allen (Library Manager of Vulcan Municipal Library and genealogy instructor for the Education Institute) and I have been working to set up the new Local History & Genealogy Services network for CLA. This network is focused on providing a forum for Canadian librarians to exchange ideas and information, provide online training opportunities and a chance to network with colleagues in other organizations such as ALA and IFLA.

As part of the CLA proposal process, we need to gather 8 more signatures from librarians who have current CLA membership. If you are interested in supporting this initiative, please let send me an email off-list at maychan at reginalibrary.ca<mailto:maychan at reginalibrary.ca> and I will add you to the proposal as a supporting member. If you feel there any other forums or listservs that would be interested in this initiative, please feel free to forward this email to that list.

Thank you for your interest and support.

Cheers,
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Date: Mon, 5 Dec 2011 14:33:07 -0500
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Tomorrow at 2 PM, we will have a demo of the book2net spirit:

<http://book2net.net/en/book-scanner/book2net-spirit.html>

The cost is \$10,000.

I will let you know what we think. I am also asking some of my volunteers to come in and try it out.

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Date: Mon, 5 Dec 2011 15:38:35 -0500

Subject: [Genealib] an old vaudeville skit?

References: <0FE050AD16.A12552F9-0N8525795D.006B50EA-8525795D.006CE3D6@roanokeva.gov>

<4EDD2AF8.1090500@plfdpl.info>

Message-ID: <A16F2146B9A19C4093C673206FE2B982285BAF@MS1.Massillon.Lib.oh.us>

Charles H. Hoyt expanded it to A Parlor Match. You may find it that way.

Jean Adkins
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"Why waste your money looking up your family tree, just go into politics and your opponents will do it for you." Mark Twain

From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu on behalf of MaryEllen Rogan
Sent: Mon 12/5/2011 3:35 PM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
Subject: Re: [Genealib] an old vaudeville skit?

Contact the Billy Rose Theatre Collection at the New York Public Library. They may be able to help

Mary Ellen Rogan

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Assistant Director and Coordinator of Collection Development
Plainfield Public Library
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Plainfield, NJ 07060
908-757-1111 ext 132
me.rogan at plfdpl.info

On 12/5/2011 2:49 PM, Pam.Young at roanokeva.gov wrote:

> Hello and Help!
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> We have a patron looking for the an old vaudeville skit called " The Book
> Agent" (written by Frank Dumont) We can find lots of references to this
> piece but ... can;'t find the original text/script. Any ideas where we can
> look?
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> Many Thanks!
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> Pam B. Young
> Roanoke Public Libraries
> 706 S Jefferson St.
> Roanoke, VA 24016
> (540) 853-2073
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Date: Mon, 5 Dec 2011 16:23:13 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] an old vaudeville skit?
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Message-ID: <OFE2F5EAF6.F1E08CF5-0N8525795D.007576FA-8525795D.007580B1@roanokeva.gov>

Thanks!

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Pam B. Young
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From Pam.Young at roanokeva.gov Mon Dec 5 16:23:48 2011
From: Pam.Young at roanokeva.gov (Pam.Young at roanokeva.gov)
Date: Mon, 5 Dec 2011 16:23:48 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] an old vaudeville skit?
In-Reply-To: <A16F2146B9A19C4093C673206FE2B982285BAF@MS1.Massillon.Lib.oh.us>
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From jvaughan at bcpl.org Tue Dec 6 09:44:07 2011
From: jvaughan at bcpl.org (Jessica Vaughan)
Date: Tue, 6 Dec 2011 09:44:07 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Free Everton's Genealogical Helper Magazine
Message-ID: <CAEbnvh1SPgoPyZ2vwtg7u2Ee+jgeA2o7ZmQ3kFkqvDJOFVvnqQ@mail.gmail.com>

Would anyone like Everton's Genealogical Helper Magazines between the years 1986-2009? Here is what is available:

1985- Nov/Dec
1986-2001- full volumes
2004-2006- various

2007/2008- full volumes
2009- Jan/Feb

Please E-mail me at jvaughan@bcpl.org if you would like this collection

Thanks!

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From: [bookstoshare at gmail.com](mailto:bookstoshare@gmail.com) (G. R. Toms)

Date: Tue, 6 Dec 2011 10:40:06 -0600

Subject: [Genealib] Ideas for book scanner/copier?

In-Reply-To: <005201ccb384\$b6eb4a30\$24c1de90\$@org>

References: <CAPXojw_e=nwCCzURD01__ZNJikHCz0JDANRbybqvCoybdbcMVQ@mail.gmail.com>
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Message-ID: <CALgdB3KKfQT2-NwFhq2ZknArYWsSALCwj6sep=+h7U0329UKTA@mail.gmail.com>

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I have no idea of the cost and sorry to say, I did not write down the make and model. I would add that the Book2Net Spirit which Pam referred to is similar, and better in one respect: the one on trial in Salt Lake City has a "binder minder" edge which allows copying clear into the gutter of the book, but it still requires the book to be handled between copies to turn pages and re-position. The one Pam suggested allows the book to remain stationary and thus minimizes the handling of fragile books, so it is better.

Midwest Genealogy Center has a Minolta overhead scanner which is good for atlases, maps, and fragile books. It has a book cradle which allows for positioning and support, and only the pages have to be turned once the book is in place. I think it may be a PS3000 model. It works quite well, but is only connected to a printer, not to a computer to allow saving to a flash drive.

I have used that model in another setting with a computer and monitor attached, which was good, though a bit cumbersome. I think that was the fault of the software in that instance, but it was good to be able to see the result and then save it.

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From claytonduplicates at gmail.com Tue Dec 6 13:37:05 2011
From: claytonduplicates at gmail.com (Clayton Duplicates)
Date: Tue, 6 Dec 2011 12:37:05 -0600
Subject: [Genealib] Periodicals Free for Postage DAR NGS
Message-ID: <CAB-k0PZr1mDaLr32htP+pKsLkmQMX=qA9BFCSf0yJ1ac52rcnw@mail.gmail.com>

Please reply to claytonduplicates at gmail.com and include your mailing address in block form.

Clayton Library Center for Genealogical Research, via its volunteer group Clayton Library Friends, has the following duplicate periodicals available free for postage or will swap.
If you are interested in swapping please send your list of available genealogy periodicals.

DAR Magazine

1990 v 124-5 May
1992 v 126-7 Aug/Sep
1995 v 129-5,6 May & Jul
1995 v 129-5

American Spirit (name changed Jul 2001)

2007 v 141:1,5,6
2007 v 141:5,6
2008 v 142:3,4,5,6
2008 v 142:3,5,6
2008 v 142:3,5,6
2008 v 142:5,6
2008 v 142:5(Sep/Oct Quilts)
2009 v 143
2009 v 143:1,2,3,4,5
2009 v 143:1,2,3
2009 v 143:1
2010 v 144:
2010 v 144:1,2,3,4,5
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2010 v 144:2,4

DAR Newsletter (supplement to American Spirit), 2010 v 10-1,6

Texas DAR Bulletin

1990 v 35 Fall #5
1991 v 36 Fall #1
1992 v 36 Fall #3
1993 v 36 Spring #4, Fall #5
Centennial v 37 #5
1996 v 37 Fall #6
1997 v 37 Spring #7
2009 v 42 Fall #1

Texas Society NSDAR Annual Proceedings State Conference, 1990, 1991, 1993, 1997

NGS Newsletter, v 18 18-6 19-2,3,4,5,6 20-2,3,4,5,6 20-2,3
21-1,2,3,4,5 21-3,5
22-1,2,4,5 22-6 23 23-2,3,4 24 24-3,5 25-2,3,4,5,6 25-4,5,6 25-4

NGS Newsmagazine, v 26

NGS - National Genealogical Society Quarterly

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claytonduplicates at gmail.com
Volunteer, Clayton Library Friends
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From pcooper at irclibrary.org Tue Dec 6 16:31:26 2011

From: pcooper at irclibrary.org (Pam Cooper)

Date: Tue, 6 Dec 2011 16:31:26 -0500

Subject: [Genealib] Ideas for book scanner/copier?

References:

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Message-ID: <E6852750EC319149B1580A0DB19F9BA85D1B14@mail.irclibrary.org>

We just had a demonstration of the Book2net Spirit. Amazing!

1) Ease of use - excellent. It has a touch screen. The advanced option is an additional \$900. If I bought the machine today, I would include the advance option as it allows for multiple file formats: jpeg, tiff and PDF. Right now, the basic option scans to pdf and you have an alternate choice of printing to a network printer.

2) A tight bind can be scanned. Touch the screen after the scan and it will show you if the print is legible by enlarging the image.

3) The screen itself seems to be old fashion, but it was explained that it is similar to ATM machines and is very durable and capable of 5 million+ scans.

4) It will be extremely useful for scanning our archive materials. It is fast and does scan in color.

- 5) The table allows for scanning oversized books and documents - 13 x19.
- 6) It allows for a copyright waiver to come up on the machine when a person first gets on.
- 7) Every scan with the same subject can be put into its own folder.
- 8) Allows for a card-swipe or coin-op.
- 9) Window 7 operating system
- 10) Seven of my volunteers were here and they all loved it and thought it was easy to learn.

The sales person said she is the representative for the whole U.S. Contact information is below. The machine is made in Germany and the company is in Canada. It has only been out a year. I was told that Library of Congress has 12 of these machines.

Amanda Kramme
Book2Net Inc
352-318-0062
akramme at book2net.ca

They will be shown at the January ALA conference. If you have any questions, I will try to answer them. They are letting us keep it a week.

Gotta go, I have a million documents to scan!! <g>

Pam

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From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu
[mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf Of G. R. Toms
Sent: Tuesday, December 06, 2011 11:40 AM
To: Librarians Serving Genealogists
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From: sarakallen at gmail.com (Sara Allen)
Date: Tue, 6 Dec 2011 16:56:34 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Mozilla Firefox compatible with Ancestry Advanced Image Viewer
Message-ID: <CAFhFv6xEsF4=Uz8UGGQe_cB-7jPb4mpZV2cEyoXmEDoEOudf_w@mail.gmail.com>

Hi all,

If you are successfully using Ancestry Library Edition, Advanced Image Viewer (old version) with the browser Mozilla Firefox, would you please check the release number (version 3, v. 6, v. 7, etc.) under the *H*elp Menu, *A*bout Firefox, and write me off-list at sarakallen at gmail.com with information about which release you are using.

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Thanks,
Sara Allen
St. Joseph County Public Library
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From: RKilgallon at florencelibrary.org (Ruth Kilgallon)
Date: Tue, 06 Dec 2011 17:12:50 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Mozilla Firefox compatible with Ancestry Advanced Image Viewer
In-Reply-To: <CAFhFv6xEsF4=Uz8UGGQe_cB-7jPb4mpZV2cEyoXmEDoEOudf_w@mail.gmail.com>
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Message-ID: <WC20111206221250.340458@florencelibrary.org>

Please answer on list as I would like the same information. My patrons do not like the newer version.

Ruth
Ruth Munn Kilgallon
Library Associate II
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Florence, SC 29506
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843-413-7091- FAX

"A sense of humor can help you overlook the unattractive, tolerate the unpleasant, cope with the unexpected, and smile through the unbearable."
Moshe Waldoks

-----Original Message-----

From: Sara Allen <sarakallen at gmail.com>
To: genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu
Date: Tue, 6 Dec 2011 16:56:34 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Mozilla Firefox compatible with Ancestry Advanced Image Viewer

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Message-ID: <CAFhFv6ybPYPRr+rwt5ZZx4UEXNsnxdFDggW2KypuNtT4AzzU7A@mail.gmail.com>

I think I have answered my own question:

Ancestry is creating the new (universal) viewer because their (old) Advanced Viewer has problems with Firefox v. 4 and above. So, I think my library will try to stay with Firefox 3 as long as possible.

Thanks all!

On Tue, Dec 6, 2011 at 5:12 PM, Ruth Kilgallon <RKilgallon at florencelibrary.org> wrote:

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Message-ID: <CAfhFv6w4Njg0ah4KSvAp=aPq=t6pnmrn6jVa2+kxei9YZLQdXw@mail.gmail.com>

Hi all,

We have tried to use Ancestry (Library Edition) Advanced Image Viewer Beta at our library, but have found it lacks features our patrons need & want.

There is a place to send comments to Ancestry concerning this viewer. I did this, and I urge anyone else with comments to also take the time to send them in. It is a Beta product, which means they are still working on it and can more easily tweak things or make changes. When you are in the Advanced Image Viewer (Beta), there is a link called, "What's Changed," to the right of the "Share" button and to the left of the "Report Problem" button. This link will take you to a list of changes and at the very bottom will be a survey, which allows you to add any comments or suggestions about this product.

Please correct me if I'm wrong, as I may have missed something, but,

1) I don't see a way to print the "current view" of an image in this new viewer. All I see is the default to print the entire image.

2) I don't see a way to easily print a landscape oriented census image without it printing out on 2 pages instead of 1. It should default to 1 page, in my opinion.

My patrons do not want to fiddle with margins, scale the image, or go to print preview to make sure it is printing 1 page vs. 2, every time they want to print an image out of Ancestry successfully. It should be point and print. Our patrons pay for copies by the page and get pretty ticked off when 2 pages print instead of 1.

If anyone figures out how to do the above in the new Advanced Image Viewer Beta, please let me know!

Thanks,

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From meganthe librarian at gmail.com Wed Dec 7 04:51:00 2011

From: meganthe librarian at gmail.com (Megan Lewis)

Date: Wed, 7 Dec 2011 04:51:00 -0500

Subject: [Genealib] Ideas for book scanner/copier?

In-Reply-To: <005201ccb384\$b6eb4a30\$24c1de90\$@org>

References: <CAPXojw_e=nwCCzURD01_ZNJikHCz0JDANRbybqvCoybdbcMVQ@mail.gmail.com>
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Message-ID: <CAL768sX9XacaKmXPrbNNeHC-3WpSC_bM3Wbim_9f8Fpet0ScpA@mail.gmail.com>

We have a Knowledge Imaging Center, commonly referred to a KIC scanner. It's an overhead scanner so great for rare books and original documents. It does color or b&w scanning and can save in searchable PDF, 'quick' PDF, Jpeg, RTF and at least one other format that I can't remember. Patrons can email scans to themselves or save to a USB thumb drive. It even scans through mylar, so we don't have to take fragile documents out of their protective sleeves. Once someone gets used to the system, scanning goes quickly; there's even a foot

pedal available for faster scanning.

The 2 problems we have is that our IT has an 5MB email size limit, which is 10-15 pages, and that if a patron tries to use a USB hard drive that tries to install software it crashes the machine. The former we can't do anything about and the latter we solve by allowing USB thumb drives only. We also discovered that putting a white sheet of paper behind a small document such as postcard leads to a better image than having it on the scanner's black background.

The company website is <http://www.dlsg.net/kic.html>. The University of Texas San Antonio has an instructional video at <http://lib.utsa.edu/Kic/>.

Megan Lewis
U.S. Holocaust Memorial Museum
The above is entirely my own opinion.

On Mon, Dec 5, 2011 at 2:33 PM, Dorothy Demarest <demarestd at ecgrl.org> wrote:

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> what kind would you recommend?

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> Thanks,

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From mkmannix at gmail.com Wed Dec 7 17:11:29 2011

From: mkmannix at gmail.com (Mary K. Mannix)

Date: Wed, 7 Dec 2011 17:11:29 -0500

Subject: [Genealib] free to a bunch of good homes (Celebrating women : a brief history of women's organizations in Frederick County, Maryland)

Message-ID: <CAPXojw8f-up5X2skM00zYFHUY0MUTsaxZE8tugPgXJnSexirZA@mail.gmail.com>

I know this might be a bit of a stretch for many collections, but if anyone would like one of the items detailed below I got about ten to find a home for. They are bright and shiny and never used. It a nice publicaton with brief histories for about 35 organizations.

Title: Celebrating women : a brief history of women's organizations in Frederick County, Maryland.

Publication info: Frederick, Md. : Frederick County Commission for Women, 1998.

Physical description: 58 p. : b&w ; 28 cm.

Edition: 2nd ed.

Just let me know if you would like one.

Thanks for your time!

Mary

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Mary K. Mannix
Maryland Room Manager
C. Burr Artz Public Library
Frederick County Public Libraries
Frederick, MD

From mkmannix at gmail.com Wed Dec 7 17:19:14 2011

From: mkmannix at gmail.com (Mary K. Mannix)

Date: Wed, 7 Dec 2011 17:19:14 -0500

Subject: [Genealib] Free to a good home : Springs and spring houses

Message-ID: <CAPXojw80exreYdZivDqe3sj7XjB9NJej5zpj8pvOCTZE0+_8A@mail.gmail.com>

Also, got a hand-full of the item listed below. This is a real cute little publication; a number of nice photos. If you care at all about Mid-Atlantic vernacular architecture you will find it appealing. The author was a noted fish scholar. Just let me know.

Personal Author: Powell, Albert.

Title: Springs and spring houses / [Albert Powell].

Publication info: Frederick, Md. : Albert Powell, 1986.

Physical description: [8] p. : ill. ; 22 cm.

Edition: 1st edition

Thanks,

Mary

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Frederick, MD

From John.LaMont at spl.org Wed Dec 7 18:17:39 2011

From: John.LaMont at spl.org (John LaMont)

Date: Wed, 7 Dec 2011 15:17:39 -0800

Subject: [Genealib] photocopy request - History of the Highlands,

and of the highland clans. . .

Message-ID: <8E1265E8708F64448482052FBE46ABDEB5E6E49E48@EXMAILCLU.spl.org>

We are missing the "Map of Clans" from the following book and would like to get a photocopy for replacement. It seems the map was included in multiple editions of the book, but I haven't been able to find the map in digital copies freely available online. The bottom left portion of the map, which we still have, shows the Shetland Islands. In our copy, there is a "notice to the binder" as follows: The Binder is requested to insert Map of Clans at end of Dissertation.

--A History of the Highlands and of the Highland Clans with an extensive selection from the hitherto inedited Stuart papers, by James Browne, published 1849/50.

Please e-mail me direct if you have a copy of the book and can photocopy the map for me.

Thanks,

John LaMont
Librarian - Genealogy
Special Collections
The Seattle Public Library

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From Suzanne.Levy at fairfaxcounty.gov Wed Dec 7 18:23:26 2011

From: Suzanne.Levy at fairfaxcounty.gov (Levy, Suzanne S.)

Date: Wed, 7 Dec 2011 18:23:26 -0500

Subject: [Genealib] Ancestry Library Edition usage

Message-ID:

<99C1F7217998E84790D8D979BD81EF7424874E47@FFXEXVM01.FFX.CO.FAIRFAX.VA.US>

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Let me know offline.

Thanks.

Suzanne Levy (Suzanne.levy at fairfaxcounty.gov)

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From riffelj at bellsouth.net Wed Dec 7 18:45:28 2011

From: riffelj at bellsouth.net (JUDY A RIFFEL)

Date: Wed, 7 Dec 2011 17:45:28 -0600

Subject: [Genealib] Ancestry Library Edition usage

References:

<99C1F7217998E84790D8D979BD81EF7424874E47@FFXEXVM01.FFX.CO.FAIRFAX.VA.US>

Message-ID: <FF84CC54A19C4A81B85D2610E4BFA516@userc1z2hkl8s7>

FamilySearch has been adding a lot of collections. That may be part of the reason.

Judy

----- Original Message -----

From: Levy, Suzanne S.

To: genealib at lists.acomp.usf.edu

Sent: Wednesday, December 07, 2011 5:23 PM

Subject: [Genealib] Ancestry Library Edition usage

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genealib mailing list
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<http://mailman.acomp.usf.edu/mailman/listinfo/genealib>

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From dnjperson at comcast.net Wed Dec 7 19:53:05 2011
From: dnjperson at comcast.net (Don Person)
Date: Wed, 7 Dec 2011 16:53:05 -0800
Subject: [Genealib] Schuylkill Co PA book
Message-ID: <1A7268F0-CFE5-4CD4-8D47-095732C2119A@comcast.net>

The book is taken. Thanks for your interest.

Judy Person

From phillikerforsberg at yahoo.com Thu Dec 8 08:36:48 2011
From: phillikerforsberg at yahoo.com (Pat Hilliker Forsberg)
Date: Thu, 8 Dec 2011 05:36:48 -0800 (PST)
Subject: [Genealib] Having publication included in EBSCO database.
Message-ID: <1323351408.36422.YahooMailNeo@web110414.mail.gq1.yahoo.com>

Has anyone had EBSCO invite them to have their organization's publication (journal, newsletter, etc.) included in the EBSCO database.? What are the advantages, disadvantages?

Thanks for any input.

Pat Forsberg

Western New York Genealogical Society

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From pjones at okhistory.org Thu Dec 8 10:02:15 2011
From: pjones at okhistory.org (Patricia Jones)
Date: Thu, 8 Dec 2011 09:02:15 -0600
Subject: [Genealib] Free NY newspapers (microfilm)
Message-ID: <012c01ccb5ba\$5f85f1e0\$1e91d5a0\$@okhistory.org>

Hello!

We have the following NY periodicals ready to be donated:

National Observer (New York) : January 1970-July 1977
New York Times : January 1956-December 1993
Wall Street Journal : January 1960-December 1982

Washington Post : January 1972-October 23, 1986

New York Times Magazine : Jan 4-Mar 28 1987, reel 1 of 2; April 5-June 28, 1987, reel 2 of 2; Oct 4-Dec 27, 1987, reel 2 of 2
Please contact me off list if you would like to have any or all of these periodicals.

We will deliver them for free to libraries located in Oklahoma.

Out-of-state libraries just need to pay for the shipping.

Have a nice day!

Patricia K. Jones, MLIS
Technical Services Librarian
Oklahoma Historical Society
Phone: (405) 522-4025
Fax: (405) 522-2307

<mailto:pjones at okhistory.org> pjones at okhistory.org

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From GlasgowE at WTCPL.ORG Thu Dec 8 13:44:17 2011
From: GlasgowE at WTCPL.ORG (Elizabeth Glasgow)
Date: Thu, 8 Dec 2011 18:44:17 +0000
Subject: [Genealib] Ancestry Library Edition usage
In-Reply-To:
<99C1F7217998E84790D8D979BD81EF7424874E47@FFXEXVM01.FFX.CO.FAIRFAX.VA.US>
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Message-ID: <8553689BD2AE744CB6C110AB31422ECD01947857@OHWAR300.WPL.LOCAL>

Our overall computer usage has been trending down as well. Many of our patrons have mentioned that they have a subscription to Ancestry.com, so we've assumed that accounts for some of the decline.

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We may sit in our library and yet be in all the corners of the earth.
John Lubbock

From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu [genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] on behalf of Levy, Suzanne S. [Suzanne.Levy at fairfaxcounty.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, December 07, 2011 6:23 PM
To: genealib at lists.acomp.usf.edu
Subject: [Genealib] Ancestry Library Edition usage

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From tinstster2 at yahoo.com Fri Dec 9 00:42:16 2011

From: tinstster2 at yahoo.com (tinstster2 at yahoo.com)
Date: Thu, 8 Dec 2011 21:42:16 -0800 (PST)
Subject: [Genealib] Where Is The World's Largest Family History & Genealogy
Library Located?
Message-ID: <1323409336.35761.YahooMailRC@web180411.mail.gq1.yahoo.com>

Where Is The World's Largest Family History
& Genealogy Library Located?

According to the LDS Family History Library in Salt Lake City, Utah,
it is the "Largest library of its kind in the world." The collection
includes over 2.4 million rolls of microfilmed genealogical records;
727,000 microfiche; 356,000 books, serials, and other formats;
over 4,500 periodicals and 3,725 electronic resources.(08 DEC 2011).

The Library of Congress is billed as the largest library in the world,
"by shelf space and number of books." "In late November 2005, the
Library announced intentions to launch the World Digital Library,
digitally preserving books and other objects from all world cultures."
<http://www.academic-genealogy.com/bookspublicationsgenealogical.htm#Edpub>

WorldCat? "is the world's largest library catalog, helping
you find library materials online", with "1.5 billion items
available here through a library"

<http://www.academic-genealogy.com/librariesmuseums.htm>

WorldCat? :(dated 08 Dec 2011)

Search results for "genealog*"

limited to Libraries Worldwide

(WorldCat?) Results of about 797,454. [COMPARE]

WorldCat? :(dated 08 Dec 2011)

Search results for 'genealog* periodicals'

limited to Libraries Worldwide

(WorldCat?) Results of about 16,057. [COMPARE]

So where does the largest family history - genealogy library exist?

Is it somewhere together, between them all, within a nebulous
computer cloud? Yes. The worldwide accessible online database,
connected by institutions via the Internet.

<http://hothardware.com/News/Cloud-Computing-The-Future-Takes-Nebulous-Shape/>

The shape of the future appears in a study
of the University of California: Melvyl? System.

[http://www.academic-genealogy.com/
melvyluniversityofcaliforniagenealogyfamilyhistory.htm](http://www.academic-genealogy.com/melvyluniversityofcaliforniagenealogyfamilyhistory.htm)

- Browse Locality Consolidation: (Current - Misc.)

- A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

[http://www.academic-genealogy.com/
melvyluniversityofcaliforniagenealogyfamilyhistory.htm#Browse](http://www.academic-genealogy.com/melvyluniversityofcaliforniagenealogyfamilyhistory.htm#Browse)

- genealog* Search: (Current - Misc.) (Numbers)

- A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

[http://www.academic-genealogy.com/
melvyluniversityofcaliforniagenealogyfamilyhistory.htm#SEARCH](http://www.academic-genealogy.com/melvyluniversityofcaliforniagenealogyfamilyhistory.htm#SEARCH)

Google? (California + Google) provides additional, immediate free or subscription online access to records. Check resources with collections at Salt Lake City, Utah Family History Library. Use: Introduction to the Family History Library Catalog and Deciphering Family History Library Catalog Entries.

WorldCat?: University of California Libraries: provides current information on specific entries listed above, (full holdings, locations, call numbers, etc.); or, to find new additions in the entire collection. The general search can be done by subject or keywords; for example, use: "genealog*", etc., for the record collection.

As Google? Books Library Partners increases, the number of select, family history and genealogy records online proportionately increases. The process ultimately will provide an online database of information, to freely include out of copyright resources, and more restricted access to the more currently published data.
<http://books.google.com/googlebooks/partners.html>

For example, "UC libraries partner with Google to digitize books", has about 59,000 family history, or genealogy related records, in its current system, which will provide, when online, about one sixth of the volume of "356,000 books, serials, and other formats" located at the SLC, Utah, LDS Family History Library.
<http://www.universityofcalifornia.edu/news/2006/aug09.html>

Respectfully yours,

V. Chris & Tom Tinney, Sr.
<http://www.academic-genealogy.com/>

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From genealogy at daddezio.com Fri Dec 9 01:37:45 2011
From: genealogy at daddezio.com (Illya D'Addezio)
Date: Fri, 9 Dec 2011 01:37:45 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Preview Updated Home Page @ Genealogy Today
Message-ID: <317701ccb63d\$0f6be010\$2e43a030\$@daddezio.com>

Hi Everyone,

I'm making some home page changes for 2012, and would like to get some feedback... if you have a few minutes, please visit

<http://www.gentod.com/click.mv?NB=7719> and let me know what you think.
(There is also a link to the new home page on the old home page, in case you lose this email)

Thanks,
- illya

Illya J. D'Addezio, Owner
Genealogy Today LLC
New Providence, NJ 07974

Genealogy Today (online since 1999)
<http://www.genealogytoday.com/>

From jvaughan at bcpl.org Fri Dec 9 08:42:58 2011
From: jvaughan at bcpl.org (Jessica Vaughan)
Date: Fri, 9 Dec 2011 08:42:58 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] FREE Everton's Genealogical Helper magazines
Message-ID: <CAEbnvh0P9+7SwxShrHNQEdkePGK+fmnAYHqmE2sA1=Aj7GgNJA@mail.gmail.com>

FREE Everton's Genealogical Helper magazines if anyone is interested in them.

1985- Nov/Dec
1986-2001- full volumes

Please E-mail me at jvaughan at bcpl.org if you are interested.

Thanks!
Jessica V.

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From dlwilson at pwcgov.org Fri Dec 9 13:12:55 2011
From: dlwilson at pwcgov.org (Wilson, Donald L)
Date: Fri, 9 Dec 2011 13:12:55 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Reliquary's 34th issue has been posted.
Message-ID: <ABEB22CCB70E4A4CB7424A72FA667C2708EED9B5@sudley1.pwc.ad>

Reliquary's thirty-fourth issue has been posted.

You are invited to view and download the latest edition of Prince William Reliquary, a genealogical and historical magazine for Prince William County, Virginia, now published on an "occasional" basis, with its date reflecting its actual date of publication. We hope future issues will be more frequent, if not as regular as we once envisioned.

To view it requires version 7.0 of Adobe Acrobat, available as a free download.

<http://www.pwcgov.org/library/relic/reliquary.htm>
<<http://www.pwcgov.org/library/relic/reliquary.htm>>

Contents of the December 2011 issue include:

* Kate's Letters from Virginia: the Correspondence of Catharine (Caldwell) Davis, 1860-1871, transcribed by Carol Myers Rymes. Part one describes her arrival in Occoquan, Virginia, from Pennsylvania, her courtship and marriage, and evidence that a national conflict is about to begin.

* Who Was the First George Calvert of Stafford County, Virginia? by the Calvert Genealogy Group. Presents documentation that George Calvert (fl. 1690-93) is the father of George and John Calvert of Prince William County. Evidence of their connection to the Calvert family of Maryland is explored.

* Woodbridge School Circa 1927. A photo of the 45 students and 3 teachers of Woodbridge School, with possible identities of 19 persons. Please help us name those faces.

You may use Control+F to search the text for keywords of interest to you. Backfiles can be searched on Google using keyword(s) plus 'Prince William Reliquary.' Name indexes to volumes 1 through 7 are now posted online, as well as a topical guide to the first 33 issues.

We invite your comments and submissions.

Donald L. Wilson, Virginiana Librarian

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From jameslvick at yahoo.com Fri Dec 9 13:23:18 2011

From: jameslvick at yahoo.com (Larry Vick)

Date: Fri, 9 Dec 2011 10:23:18 -0800 (PST)

Subject: [Genealib] Having publication included in EBSCO database.

In-Reply-To: <1323351408.36422.YahooMailNeo@web110414.mail.gq1.yahoo.com>

References: <1323351408.36422.YahooMailNeo@web110414.mail.gq1.yahoo.com>

Message-ID: <1323454998.2783.YahooMailNeo@web112412.mail.gq1.yahoo.com>

Pat,

I may be misunderstanding your question, but I asked our society's quarterly bulletin editor about our experience with EBSCO. She was very positive. She said EBSCO handles subscriptions for our publication from other societies (those who we don't exchange newsletters with). EBSCO collects the subscription fee and then sends us a check. She hasn't has any problems with this arrangement.

Regards,

Larry Vick

Librarian

Genealogy Society of Palm Beach County (Florida)?

From: Pat Hilliker Forsberg <phillikerforsberg at yahoo.com>

To: "genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu" <genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu>

Sent: Thursday, December 8, 2011 8:36 AM

Subject: [Genealib] Having publication included in EBSCO database.

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Thanks for any input.

Pat Forsberg

Western New York Genealogical Society

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From: pstegel at aol.com (pstegel at aol.com)

Date: Tue, 13 Dec 2011 11:54:21 -0500 (EST)

Subject: [Genealib] Ludwig Denig (2 volumes) for postage cost

Message-ID: <8CE87CEFF309DB9-19E0-76988@webmail-d098.sysops.aol.com>

For cost of postage to first replier:

The picture-Bible of Ludwig Denig : a Pennsylvania German emblem book /
Ludwig Denig; Don Yoder
1990 1st ed.
English Book 2 v. : ill. (some col.) ; 22 x 24 cm.
New York, N.Y. : Hudson Hills Press in association with the Museum of American Folk
Art and the Pennsylvania German Society : Distributed in the United States ... by
Rizzoli International Publications, ; ISBN: 1555950345 (set : alk. paper). Vol. 1.
Text. -- v. 2 Plates

Respond to pstegel at aol.com

Peggy Tegel
Joliet, Illinois

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From nancy.richey at wku.edu Tue Dec 13 14:18:32 2011

From: nancy.richey at wku.edu (Richey, Nancy)

Date: Tue, 13 Dec 2011 13:18:32 -0600

Subject: [Genealib] Salyer Family Book for Postage

In-Reply-To: <mailman.33.1323536416.20017.genealib@mailman.acomp.usf.edu>

References: <mailman.33.1323536416.20017.genealib@mailman.acomp.usf.edu>

Message-ID: <26FB7C1A8577A144A8F2DFE8190C94DEF17CBBBA@EMBXB.ad.wku.edu>

Hello all,

I have a duplicate copy of this family history book available for postage costs.

Thank you,

Nancy

Nancy Richey
Assistant Professor/Librarian
Kentucky Library
Western Kentucky University
1906 College Heights Blvd.
Bowling Green, KY 42101
270-745-6092

From SBraden at Hedbergpubliclibrary.org Tue Dec 13 19:22:17 2011

From: SBraden at Hedbergpubliclibrary.org (Susan Braden)

Date: Tue, 13 Dec 2011 18:22:17 -0600

Subject: [Genealib] Online Genealogy Library Services Course this Summer

In-Reply-To: <75b0e1dd7773b.4dd63b92@wiscmail.wisc.edu>

References: <75b0e1dd7773b.4dd63b92@wiscmail.wisc.edu>

Message-ID: <7ABEFD8B6A968B46BBE8C4EF440620F32EF37009CC@valkyrie.hpl.local>

Hello, Irene -

Will you be offering this class again in the future?

Thank you for your time.

Sue Braden

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sbraden at hedbergpubliclibrary.org

From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu [genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf Of Irene Hansen [ihansen at wisc.edu]
Sent: Friday, May 20, 2011 9:59 AM
To: genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu
Cc: Anna Palmer; Kris--Siimmons CE Liberman
Subject: [Genealib] Online Genealogy Library Services Course this Summer

Hi Everyone,

I would appreciate if you could pass this information to your friends and colleagues. I will be teaching a 4-week online genealogy library services class again this summer, once in June and again in August. I hope to make some revisions to the course by June, and more revisions by August (I want to add some video lectures).

For more information and to register for either course, please see the following websites:

?Genealogy Library Services? (ONLINE), June 6-July 1, 2011, University of Wisconsin-Madison: <http://www.slis.wisc.edu/genealogy.htm>

?Genealogy Information Services? (ONLINE), August 1 - August 31, 2011, Simmons College, Boston: <http://alanis.simmons.edu/ceweb/workshop.php?id=48>

CourseDescription

This four-week online course will prepare students to provide library and archival services to genealogists. Students will acquire a practical knowledge of genealogical users and resources and explore related topics including reference, cataloging, collection development, outreach, and professional development.

Expectations

A pass/fail grade will be based on reading online material, participating in online discussions, and completing one short assignment.

Your Instructor

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Thank you,

Irene

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From jtrubey at chrl.org Wed Dec 14 12:47:49 2011
From: jtrubey at chrl.org (Jill Trubey)
Date: Wed, 14 Dec 2011 12:47:49 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Converting microfilm to digital
Message-ID: <001b01ccba88\$7efb78b0\$7cf26a10\$@org>

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From: daysa at oplin.org (Sandy Day)
Date: Wed, 14 Dec 2011 14:02:52 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Converting microfilm to digital
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Jill

While I have not researched exactly how much it would cost to digitize our 1000+ microfilms, I do know that is way beyond our library's means. We recently upgraded our microfilm readers from Canon Microfilm Scanner 400's (1998 technology) to ST Imaging View Scan. We purchased 3 for about \$10,000 each plus we had to also purchase a computer system to work with it for another \$1000 or so. This was just within our budget. I think Scan Pro pricing is very similar but I am not positive of that. The other problem that I see in digitizing is this. Wouldn't someone have to use your current microfilms to digitize? If this is the case then you would be without those

films for the duration of the project.

Lastly I did get info a couple years back on purchasing our own digitization equipment where we could do this in house. It was NOT cheap and you definitely would have the problem I mentioned above.

My two cents worth.

Sandy Day

Local Historian/Genealogist

Schiappa Library

Steubenville OH

From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu
[mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf Of Jill Trubey
Sent: Wednesday, December 14, 2011 12:48 PM
To: genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu
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From: Munroe at oshkoshpubliclibrary.org (Mara Munroe)
Date: Wed, 14 Dec 2011 13:09:04 -0600
Subject: [Genealib] Converting microfilm to digital
References: <001b01ccba88\$7efb78b0\$7cf26a10\$@org>
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From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu on behalf of Jill Trubey
Sent: Wed 12/14/2011 11:47 AM
The real question is, after you've converted these files, how long before you'd have to do it again . . . and then again? Anybody have unreadable 5 inch floppies? Files written on no longer supported versions of MS Office? No thanks, I'll stick to as close as I can to the original archival version, paper.

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Date: Wed, 14 Dec 2011 13:17:10 -0600

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Jill,

You might want to check with your local University to see if they are interested in assisting you with this project. The University of North

Texas has received funding and is working on digitizing local papers. This is the link to their collection that has already been digitized.
http://texashistory.unt.edu/explore/collections/TDNP/browse/?fq=untl_institution:CCGS
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From: ihansen at wisc.edu (Irene Hansen)

Date: Wed, 14 Dec 2011 15:41:37 -0600

Subject: [Genealib] Online Genealogy Library Services Course this Summer

In-Reply-To: <77c083fa3edf7.4ee917e9@wiscmail.wisc.edu>

References: <mailman.33.1323882016.15655.genealib@mailman.acomp.usf.edu>

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Hi Sue,

I'm not sure of my schedule for next year yet, but if I am able to teach this course again (it's a Continuing Education course for the Univ. of Wisconsin-Madison or Simmons College, or both), I will put a note in GENEALIB. You also can e-mail me again in the spring or summer at: irene.profile at gmail.com.

I keep hoping to add video lectures to this course on some different kinds of genealogy reference transactions, but it hasn't happened yet.... I think I need less shy friends, to act as patrons!

Irene Hansen

Continuing Education Instructor, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Reference Librarian, Wisconsin Historical Society, Madison

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> Hello, Irene -

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> Will you be offering this class again in the future?

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> Thank you for your time.

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> Sue Braden

> Reference Librarian

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> From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu [genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf Of Irene Hansen [ihansen at wisc.edu]

> Sent: Friday, May 20, 2011 9:59 AM
> To: genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu
> Cc: Anna Palmer; Kris--Siimmons CE Liberman
> Subject: [Genealib] Online Genealogy Library Services Course this Summer

> Hi Everyone,

> I would appreciate if you could pass this information to your friends and colleagues. I will be teaching a 4-week online genealogy library services class again this summer, once in June and again in August. I hope to make some revisions to the course by June, and more revisions by August (I want to add some video lectures).

> For more information and to register for either course, please see the following websites:

> ?Genealogy Library Services? (ONLINE), June 6-July 1, 2011, University of Wisconsin-Madison: <http://www.slis.wisc.edu/genealogy.htm>

> ?Genealogy Information Services? (ONLINE), August 1 - August 31, 2011, Simmons College, Boston: <http://alanis.simmons.edu/ceweb/workshop.php?id=48>

> CourseDescription This four-week online course will prepare students to provide library and archival services to genealogists. Students will acquire a practical knowledge of genealogical users and resources and explore related topics including reference, cataloging, collection development, outreach, and professional development.

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> Thank you,

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From Suzanne.Levy at fairfaxcounty.gov Wed Dec 14 19:45:36 2011
From: Suzanne.Levy at fairfaxcounty.gov (Levy, Suzanne S.)
Date: Thu, 15 Dec 2011 00:45:36 +0000
Subject: [Genealib] Updated list of books and periodicals to trade
Message-ID: <A5EF46EFC253D94BBC2168D68C200DAAD805@ffxexmgc01.FFX.CO.FAIRFAX.VA.US>

If you are selecting items, please don't just send us the item numbers. Cut and paste the full line with title and date information as well. Thank you so much and Happy Holidays to all. I'll be out of town next week but will be checking email from time to time and forwarding to our amazing volunteer, Fran.

And if you can't trade we will be happy to send for postage.

And of course, if you want anything, please include your mailing address with the request.

Suzanne

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From troyroots at yahoo.com Thu Dec 15 12:06:37 2011

From: troyroots at yahoo.com (Ms Troy Roots)

Date: Thu, 15 Dec 2011 09:06:37 -0800 (PST)

Subject: [Genealib] WHAT HAPPENED TO THE SSDI AT ROOTSWEB?

Message-ID: <1323968797.99423.YahooMailClassic@web112602.mail.gq1.yahoo.com>

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Sharon Troy Centanne,

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From jjeffrey at denverlibrary.org Thu Dec 15 12:09:34 2011

From: jjeffrey at denverlibrary.org (James Jeffrey)

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Ms Troy

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James K. Jeffrey

Collection Specialist in Genealogy

Western History and Genealogy

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From Melissa.Scroggins at fresnolibrary.org Thu Dec 15 12:15:35 2011
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<http://megansmolenyak.posterous.com/social-security-administration-extends-foia-r>

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From rroberts1861 at charter.net Thu Dec 15 12:16:19 2011
From: rroberts1861 at charter.net (Dick Roberts)
Date: Thu, 15 Dec 2011 12:16:19 -0500 (EST)
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See

http://www.abc2news.com/dpp/news/local_news/investigations/website-stops-displaying-social-security-numbers-for-recently-dead

Dick Roberts

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From: vtjones at nbccpl.org (Victor T. Jones, Jr.)
Date: Thu, 15 Dec 2011 12:23:30 -0500
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Dick Eastman gives the reason in a recent post
http://blog.eogn.com/eastmans_online_genealogy/2011/12/genealogists-are-losing-access-to-ssdi-mostly-due-to-misinformation.html (which will probably get garbled in sending, so try this shorter URL:
<http://tinyurl.com/84f4ffj>)

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Thanks, Melissa!

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From troyroots at yahoo.com Thu Dec 15 13:01:42 2011
From: troyroots at yahoo.com (Ms Troy Roots)
Date: Thu, 15 Dec 2011 10:01:42 -0800 (PST)
Subject: [Genealib] WHAT HAPPENED TO THE SSDI AT ROOTSWEB?
In-Reply-To: <000b01ccbb4e\$443f63f0\$ccbe2bd0\$@org>
Message-ID: <1323972102.25745.YahooMailClassic@web112620.mail.gq1.yahoo.com>

Thanks Victor!

--- On Thu, 12/15/11, Victor T. Jones, Jr. <vtjones at nbccpl.org> wrote:

> From: Victor T. Jones, Jr. <vtjones at nbccpl.org>
> Subject: Re: [Genealib] WHAT HAPPENED TO THE SSDI AT ROOTSWEB?
> To: "'Librarians Serving Genealogists'" <genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu>
> Date: Thursday, December 15, 2011, 12:23 PM
> Dick Eastman gives the reason in a
> recent post
> http://blog.eogn.com/eastmans_online_genealogy/2011/12/genealogists-are-losi-ng-access-to-ssdi-mostly-due-to-misinformation.html (which
> will probably get
> garbled in sending, so try this shorter URL:
> <http://tinyurl.com/84f4ffj>)
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> Victor

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> Victor T. Jones, Jr.
> Special Collections Librarian
> Kellenberger Room
> New Bern-Craven County Public Library
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> New Bern, NC 28560-4098
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> From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu
> [mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu]
> On Behalf Of Ms Troy Roots
> Sent: Thursday, December 15, 2011 12:07 PM
> To: genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu
> Subject: [Genealib] WHAT HAPPENED TO THE SSDI AT ROOTSWEB?
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> HI Folks,
> Does anyone know why Ancestry.com has suddenly disallowed
> access to the
> Social Security Death Index through Rootsweb.com? Why is
> this government
> information only available to those who pay Ancestry for
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> Thanks!
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From rachel at fordlibrary.org Thu Dec 15 14:30:28 2011
From: rachel at fordlibrary.org (Rachel Hoover)
Date: Thu, 15 Dec 2011 14:30:28 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Converting microfilm to digital
Message-ID: <20111215143028.30021@web001.nyc1.bluetie.com>

If you did want to digitize your microfilm, it's usually recommended that you do not digitize the copy that the public uses. There should be a master copy of your film that you can use, which gives you the best image.

This is a resource from our state library about digitization best practices:
<http://www.finditillinois.org/ida/bestpractices.html>

Do you mean that you intend to do in-house digitization with the ScanPro? If so, think about whether you have enough staff, time and training to be able to do that. If not, sending it out for digitization may be worth the cost. But as someone else mentioned, consider that digitization won't just be a one-time project. You need to have a plan for refreshing/migrating the information so that it's not lost due to degradation or an obsolete format and that will take ongoing resources to manage.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Sandy Day" [daysa at oplin.org]
Date: 12/14/2011 12:58 PM
To: "'Librarians Serving Genealogists'" <genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu>
Subject: Re: [Genealib] Converting microfilm to digital

Jill
While I have not researched exactly how much it would cost to digitize our 1000+ microfilms, I do know that is way beyond our library's means. We recently upgraded our microfilm readers from Canon Microfilm Scanner 400's (1998 technology) to ST Imaging View Scan. We purchased 3 for about \$10,000 each plus we had to also purchase a computer system to work with it for another \$1000 or so. This was just within our budget. I think Scan Pro pricing is very similar but I am not positive of that. The other problem that I see in digitizing is this. Wouldn't someone have to use your current microfilms to digitize? If this is the case then you would be without those films for the duration of the project. Lastly I did get info a couple years back on purchasing our own digitization equipment where we could do this in house. It was NOT cheap and you definitely would have the problem I mentioned above.
My two cents worth.
Sandy Day
Local Historian/Genealogist
Schiappa Library
Steubenville OH

From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu [mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf Of Jill Trubey
Sent: Wednesday, December 14, 2011 12:48 PM
To: genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu
Subject: [Genealib] Converting microfilm to digital

I would like some feedback on converting a microfilm collection to digital. Where are library funds best spent? Do you promote the purchase of a new ScanPro and continuing to have the local newspaper scanned to microfilm or spend those \$\$\$ to have the existing microfilm collection converted to searchable digital files? There are pros and cons to both, I know, but I am truly trying to make the best decision for our patrons. Please share your thoughts.

Jill

From Suzanne.Levy at fairfaxcounty.gov Thu Dec 15 17:09:42 2011
From: Suzanne.Levy at fairfaxcounty.gov (Levy, Suzanne S.)
Date: Thu, 15 Dec 2011 22:09:42 +0000
Subject: [Genealib] Images of the Fairfax News in the Historic Newspaper
Index
Message-ID: <A5EF46EFC253D94BBC2168D68C200DAADE27@ffxexmgc01.FFX.CO.FAIRFAX.VA.US>

The Fairfax County Public Library is proud to announce that

Thanks to Jim Seeley, we now have both full-text and images for the Fairfax News articles (1872-1875) in our Historic Newspaper Index, <http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/library/newsindex/> . Take a look at this page, which describes the "premium baby of Fairfax County" (2/3 of the way down the second column):
[http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/library/newsindex/NewsImage.aspx?title=Fairfax News&newsDate=9/25/1874&pageNumber=2](http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/library/newsindex/NewsImage.aspx?title=Fairfax%20News&newsDate=9/25/1874&pageNumber=2)<<http://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/library/newsindex/NewsImage.aspx?title=Fairfax%20News&newsDate=9/25/1874&pageNumber=2>> Now that's a big baby!

Elaine McHale, VR

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From philipsutton at nypl.org Tue Dec 20 12:02:46 2011
From: philipsutton at nypl.org (Philip Sutton)
Date: Tue, 20 Dec 2011 12:02:46 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Two new useful posts from the New York Public Library's
Milstein Division
Message-ID: <CAGvAnk3=ocstk16dkhcP7YQ8nsUt4pE-88Zwg3uY8N+eSXxj8A@mail.gmail.com>

Dear all

Here are two useful blog posts, re: using censuses and obituaries in genealogical research:

The Great Obituary Hunt: A Genealogy Research Guide<<http://www.nypl.org/blog/2011/11/09/great-obituary-hunt-genealogy-research-guide>>

by

Carmen Nigro, Milstein Division of United States History, Local History and Genealogy, Stephen A. Schwarzman Building, New York Public Library.

Everyone Counts: Using the Census in Genealogy Research<<http://www.nypl.org/blog/2011/12/08/everyone-counts-using-census-genealogy-research>>by

Carmen Nigro, Milstein Division of United States History, Local History and Genealogy, Stephen A. Schwarzman Building, New York Public Library.

Thanks,

Phil

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Philip Sutton

Librarian II

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From: Susan.C.Scouras at wv.gov (Scouras, Susan C)

Date: Tue, 20 Dec 2011 12:12:13 -0500

Subject: [Genealib] Hoot Owl Night at the WV Archives and History Library

Message-ID:

<D755A6DDA9D0F543A78201F3818A6BE46A9A04461E@OTB6MAIL01.executive.stateofwv.gov>

Please share with your patrons:

13th Annual Hoot Owl Night at the Archives is Coming Soon!

The eagerly anticipated annual Hoot Owl Night of research, networking and great camaraderie at the West Virginia Archives and History Library will be from 6:00 p.m., Friday, March 30, 2012, through 8:00 a.m., Saturday, March 31. The event is limited to 50 participants, with registration and fee of \$25 due (postmarked or hand delivered) by March 16. If space is available after that date, a late registration fee of \$35 will be charged.

Researchers will be able to use the resources of the library all night long, while working with well-known genealogists from around the state, and making new friends and research connections with fellow "owls." The library will be closed at 5:00 p.m., as usual, with Hoot Owl researchers entering from the Culture Center rear loading dock door at 6:00 p.m. Refreshments will be available outside the library in the Archives conference room. (It is claimed that some come mostly for the goodies!) Catch a little sleep however you can, whether at a chair with a pillow on the table, or in a sleeping bag on the floor. Smokers will be escorted outside periodically for smoke breaks. Tours of the non-public areas of the Archives will be given, featuring some new things to show those who have toured in the past.

Hoot Owl Night is co-sponsored by the West Virginia Division of Culture and History's Archive and History section and Mining Your History Foundation, with proceeds going toward improvement of the Archives and History Library and its collections. For more information, visit <http://www.wvculture.org/history/hootowl2012brochure.pdf><<http://www.wvculture.org/history/hootowl2012brochure.pdf>>, or contact Joe Geiger, (304) 558-0230, ext. 165, or Wes Cochran, (304) 422-1774, [wescochran at juno.com](mailto:wescochran@juno.com)<[mailto:wescochran at juno.com](mailto:wescochran@juno.com)>. To view photos of Hoot Owl 2011, go to <http://www.wvculture.org/history/archivesnewsroom.html>. Join in this unique combination of learning along with fellowship of like-minded enthusiasts of genealogy and West Virginia history. Don't let distance keep you away-every year there are several researchers who fly in or drive long distances to take advantage

of the opportunity to research all day Friday, all night, and again on Saturday, getting the equivalent of four days of research in two days.

Susan Scouras
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From: genealogy at daddezio.com (Illya D'Addezio)

Date: Tue, 20 Dec 2011 12:37:54 -0500

Subject: [Genealib] Two new useful posts from the New York Public
Library's Milstein Division

In-Reply-To: <CAGvAnk3=ocstk16dkhcP7YQ8nsUt4pE-88Zwg3uY8N+eSXxj8A@mail.gmail.com>

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Philip,

This is a great blog. I will be sure to mention these posts (and any new ones) to my readers of The Genealogy News. Thanks for posting.

- illya

Illya J. D'Addezio, Owner
Genealogy Today LLC
New Providence, NJ 07974

The Genealogy News (it's FREE)

<http://www.thegenealogynews.com/>

From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu

[mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf Of Philip Sutton

Sent: Tuesday, December 20, 2011 12:03 PM

To: genealib at mailman.acomp.usf.edu

Subject: [Genealib] Two new useful posts from the New York Public Library's
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From gladwingenealogy at yahoo.com Fri Dec 23 09:47:08 2011
From: gladwingenealogy at yahoo.com (Sharon Thurston)
Date: Fri, 23 Dec 2011 06:47:08 -0800 (PST)
Subject: [Genealib] Genealogy books, new or like new
Message-ID: <1324651628.30198.YahooMailNeo@web162006.mail.bf1.yahoo.com>

We have several genealogy books that are new or like new to part with.? If anyone is interested contact me and I will give you a list.? All are reference or "how to do" type books.
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Yes, please send your list.

Anne Billeter
billeter at entwood.com
Rogue Valley Genealogical Society

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From: msims4 at sbcglobal.net (Micki Dischinger)
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Subject: [Genealib] Genealogy books, new or like new
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Message-ID: <016d01ccc196\$16d16aa0\$44743fe0\$@net>

Please send me a list.

Micki Dischinger

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[mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf Of Sharon Thurston
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From: jason.cornelius at loganutah.org (Jason Cornelius)
Date: Fri, 23 Dec 2011 15:14:40 -0700
Subject: [Genealib] Local History Collection Question
Message-ID: <CAHPijjgF5TYyCtkXtQziwOS+q-TcEjYxJwGaAt+ey3N-YzW2w@mail.gmail.com>

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Thanks,

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Date: Fri, 23 Dec 2011 22:36:02 +0000
Subject: [Genealib] Local History Collection Question
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Have you thought about adding them and making them available on interlibrary loan?
It would be a good way to utilized the collection.

Janice Schultz
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From: genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu [mailto:genealib-bounces at mailman.acomp.usf.edu] On Behalf Of Jason Cornelius
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From: billeter at entwood.com (Anne Billeter)

Date: Fri, 23 Dec 2011 20:21:43 -0800

Subject: [Genealib] Local History Collection Question

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Hi Jason,

It is clear from your library's website, that you provide a number of resources for genealogists, including access to a number of electronic databases. This leads me to believe that some of your library users are genealogists.

I believe you have 3 choices:

1. Your library may decide that it wishes to expand its role as a resource for local genealogists, by expanding your collection policy and becoming a major genealogical research library. Your local genealogists' roots undoubtedly stretch far beyond Logan, so they seek access to exactly the kind of books you believe will be omitted from your collection by the revised Collection Policy. Note that your expanded collection would undoubtedly draw library users from a much larger area than Logan.
2. Your library may decide to offer the collection to the Logan Family History Center.
3. Your library may decide to disperse the collection...in its entirety or piecemeal. (Of course there are a variety of ways this could be accomplished.)

I did not see that there is a local genealogical society, but I might have missed it. (I did a very superficial search.) If there is one, you might offer the collection to them.

I hope this is helpful.

Anne Billeter, MSLS, Ph.D.

Library Director

Jackson County Genealogy Library

operated by the Rogue Valley Genealogical Society, Inc.

Phoenix, Oregon

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From: wwaits at gmail.com (Wally Waits)

Date: Sat, 24 Dec 2011 09:09:32 -0600

Subject: [Genealib] Local History Collection Question

In-Reply-To: <4EF55357.9010300@entwood.com>

References: <CAHPijjgF5TYyyCtkXtQziwOS+q-TcEjYxJwGaAt+ey3N-YzW2w@mail.gmail.com>
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Wally Waits

On Fri, Dec 23, 2011 at 10:21 PM, Anne Billeter <billeter at entwood.com>wrote:

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> Hi Jason,

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> It is clear from your library's website, that you provide a number of
> resources for genealogists, including access to a number of electronic
> databases. This leads me to believe that some of your library users are
> genealogists.

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> I believe you have 3 choices:

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> 1. Your library may decide that it wishes to expand its role as a
> resource for local genealogists, by expanding your collection policy and
> becoming a major genealogical research library. Your local genealogists'
> roots undoubtedly stretch far beyond Logan, so they seek access to exactly
> the kind of books you believe will be omitted from your collection by the
> revised Collection Policy. Note that your expanded collection would
> undoubtedly draw library users from a much larger area than Logan.

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> 2. Your library may decide to offer the collection to the Logan Family
> History Center.

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> 3. Your library may decide to disperse the collection...in its entirety
> or piecemeal. (Of course there are a variety of ways this could be
> accomplished.)

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> I did not see that there is a local genealogical society, but I might have
> missed it. (I did a very superficial search.) If there is one, you might
> offer the collection to them.

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> I hope this is helpful.

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> Anne Billeter, MSLS, Ph.D.
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Subject: [Genealib] Local History Collection Question

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From: dmoneta at cox.net (Daniela Moneta)

Date: Sat, 24 Dec 2011 13:10:21 -0700

Subject: [Genealib] Local History Collection Question

Message-ID: <005401ccc278\$10748ec0\$315dac40\$@net>

Dear Jason,

If you decide to disperse the Old Everton Publishing Company books to other collections, we would be interested in books about Irish genealogy or books relating to specific Irish families. We are starting an Irish Research Library in Phoenix, Arizona at the Irish Cultural Center. The second floor of the new library, under construction (to be finished in May 2012), will be Irish Genealogy. We are currently building the collection but can't afford to purchase books about Irish families. Any donations of books about people who lived in Ireland, immigrated to other countries, or families with Irish surnames would be welcome. We can reimburse you for postage. I am working from home at the moment until we get temporary office space. My home phone is (623)-236-2255.

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From: pfollett at cityof.lawton.ok.us (Paul Follett)

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Subject: [Genealib] Local History Collection Question

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This collection use to belong to Everton and was open for use by the public for years. I would investigate the importance that library was to Logan and ask if Logan Public would not want to take its place. How many patrons did it attract? How many stayed over night? I know of several researchers who would take a day or two off from the Salt Lake Library and drive up to Logan and use that one. They said the collections were different and well worth the drive. I've run into to many Utah librarians over the years who figure they don't need to collect Family History because the Mormon church does. In Salt Lake and Utah Valley, that makes sense, but in many other places around the state, it's short sighted.

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"Let us, before we die, gather up our heritage, and offer it to our children."

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The Story of Civilization

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Amen! I completely concur with Mary's and Janice's comments. I do appreciate it would be a significant undertaking for your library, but so worth it to the community.

Happy New Year to all!

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Congratulations on your retirement. I wish you much enjoyment of your free time.

Sandy Day

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In relation to the topic of tracking the benefits of having a "destination library for genealogy" -- I would strongly encourage anyone in any library/research facility to document/keep statistics" on your patrons -- where they come from, what they research, how much copying they generate, etc. I worked in a county public library pre-2007 when the economy was going good, and our library did nearly all of the Kentucky history/genealogy research as a public service. Today, keeping statistics on the facts above would be a huge asset to have when funding cuts are required and there is any question whether your library/local history/genealogy collection are being used and whether or not outside

commerce is being generated by your research collection -- lodging, gas, meals, photocopying, etc.

If you're strictly doing in-house long-distance genealogy, how much revenue is your research work producing for your organization? The answers to those questions can be very helpful when it comes time to buy references, new publications, etc.

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Date: Tue, 27 Dec 2011 16:31:20 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Study about benefits of genealogical visitors.
Message-ID: <CAKEoNhUT3cmTV1bEwbcUHpBGYxUmGf40MQT_+TBmqBbQZK2LRw@mail.gmail.com>

I am afraid that I mis write. The study was from Rowan County NC, not Charlotte:

Rowan Public Library. 1997. A survey of out-of-county users of Rowan Public Library's Edith M. Clark History Room. Salisbury, N.C., Rowan Public Library. And courtesy of another direct email to me:
There was an article in the August 2003 American Libraries about Allen Co. Library and how it is considered a tourist destination. You might want to request a copy of that article. The article was by Jennifer Burek Pierce, "History is its own reward back home in Indiana" pp. 46-48.

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Subject: [Genealib] News from Rochester NY
Message-ID: <CAKEoNhWX052vLo13Z9MA5j760qneCATvCX1iH8AAcFtMTKp-2A@mail.gmail.com>

>From a recent update sent out by the library director here on Rochester NY:

Christine Ridarsky, currently the part-time City Historian, will assume the role of Historical Records Consultant and leader of the Central Local History Department, the City Historian's Office, and the Digitizing Department, effective January 1.

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From: Nmaxwell at grapevinetexas.gov (Nancy Maxwell)
Date: Tue, 27 Dec 2011 16:26:59 -0600
Subject: [Genealib] NARA Film Labels
Message-ID: <4EF9F1A0.4B3F.00C1.1@grapevinetexas.gov>

Listmembers, I am looking for any unused NARA 35- and 16-mm microfilm box labels. We recently took in about 2600 films from our regional facility and already have 906 of the 35-mm labels. Does anyone have some to spare or know where I can get them?

Thanks,

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"I found a fruitful world because my ancestors planted it for me?
-- Babylonian Talmud, Ta'anit 23a

From mkmannix at gmail.com Wed Dec 28 10:49:36 2011
From: mkmannix at gmail.com (Mary K. Mannix)
Date: Wed, 28 Dec 2011 10:49:36 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] Informal Survey -- Seeking Agricultural History Rooms
Message-ID: <CAPXojw92YkBZ++mrAjHOPU2Ur_cgwEd3LHcPHk2NcMcbKUPMfw@mail.gmail.com>

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From: genbook at gmail.com (genbook)
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From: lmaehrlein at nygbs.org (Lauren A. Maehrlein)
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Blame it on the egnog! ;0)

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Date: Thu, 29 Dec 2011 12:45:15 -0500
Subject: [Genealib] book jackets
Message-ID:
<D755A6DDA9D0F543A78201F3818A6BE46A9A1163E6@OTB6MAIL01.executive.stateofwv.gov>

I need some input from archival libraries. Do you keep dust jackets on your books? If so, with archival protective covers? If you don't keep book jackets on the

books, do you keep them in files in a file cabinet? Filed by title or by author? Do you have a collection policy for the jackets you keep; for instance, your state's authors only, or only if a photograph and bio?

Please reply off-list to susan.c.scouras at wv.gov<mailto:susan.c.scouras at wv.gov> unless someone else indicates interest.

Thanks for the help,

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From: bmeehan at tulsalibrary.org (Meehan, Barbara)
Date: Thu, 29 Dec 2011 16:26:45 -0600
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From: ernie at wcplib.lib.oh.us (Ernie Thode)
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Subject: [Genealib] Informal Survey -- Seeking Agricultural History
Message-ID: <201112301333406.SM05527@[10.0.1.5]>

There may also be collections held by organizations such as Grange, Farm Bureau, Future Farmers of America, FHA-HERO (Future Homemakers of America - Home Economics Related Occupations). There is also ALHFAM (Association of Living History, Farm and Agricultural Museums. <<http://www.alhfam.org/>>

Whether any of these are associated with public libraries I don't know.

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