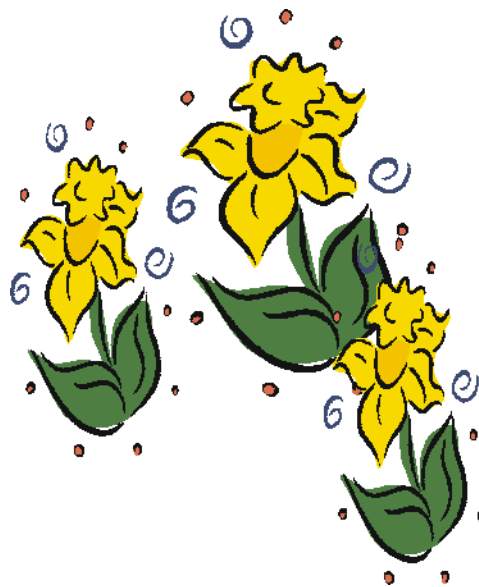


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Ann Carter Fleming is an author, lecturer, researcher, and volunteer. She is the current past president of the National Genealogical Society and has served as president of the St. Louis Genealogical Society, and on the boards of the Missouri State Genealogical Association, APG, Friends of the Missouri Archives, and Friends of St. Louis County Library.

Ann is the author of *The Organized Family Historian* and co-author of *Research in Missouri*. She co-authored two family histories and is the author of two others. She has been a certified genealogist since 1994 and specializes in Missouri and Illinois research.

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Members,

There's so much going in our Society, it's hard to keep up. Extractions, printing, acquisitions of new books, repairing old books, issuing membership cards. It all gets done by our volunteers.

Coming events include the Spring Seminar on April 24th (all-day), a Swedish Research presentation on May 2nd (4-6 pm) by the company representative from Genline.com. Genline.com is a Swedish-based company and has a subscription-based website similar to Ancestry.com, but the focus, of course, is on Swedish Research. The good news is that this web-based program is available for free at your local Family History Centers, so we all have the chance to use it. The event will be held in our Higgins Room, where we have room for about 40 people. Call the GFO to reserve your spot on the clipboard list. The event is free. The representatives are coming straight from demonstrating the program at the NGS conference in Salt Lake City. Checkout their website--www.genline.com.

Mini-classes are humming along and we have had some great Monthly Program speakers so far.

This past month I attended the Endowment Committee meeting and saw with my own eyes how knowledgeable and conscientious the members of that committee are in managing our endowment fund. The yearly interest accrued on that fund goes partially into our general fund so we can meet the society's bills, and the rest of the accrued interest is re-invested. I also attended the Research Assistants' quarterly meeting this past week, and was pleased to see 18 of the RA's were present for one of Sandi Whiteman's great training presentations. A nice turnout! This time, the subject was the layout of the library books, etc., and the modified Dewey Decimal system we use, plus her personal tour of the library. We had 6 or 7 new people among the RA staff who were soaking it up, as well as longtime folks, like myself (yes, I am a longtime RA--Saturdays and Tuesdays) picking up some added detail.

In February, the Illinois Group extended a personal invitation to me and Cathy Lauer to join them for a few minutes as we worked the desk. Their leaders know I have Illinois people too. The group spent a few minutes celebrating the birthdays of Lincoln's and other well-known folks from Illinois plus the founding dates for the counties. Everyone had brought snacks and a few wore party hats. Some of the celebrities who grew up in Illinois included Jack Benny, Ronald Reagan, Kim Novak, John Deere, Cindy Crawford and Paula Zahn.

Have you signed up for the Spring Seminar yet? It's less than three weeks away! (April 24th). See the flyer enclosed for details and its sign-up form. The flyer can also be found on the GFO website (www.gfo.org).

Happy Researching

Lyleth Winther, lylaw1@verizon.net or 503-658-8018

WHAT'S NEW?



The Pacific Northwest Cornish Society invites anyone of Cornish descent to join this group to learn about everything Cornish. As stated on the website: "We are people with an interest in the history and culture of Cornwall, United Kingdom, in the contributions of Cornish immigrants and in Cornish heritage and genealogy."

The society's website is www.nwcornishsociety.com. Members meet three times a year. The July meeting will be in Centralia, WA and the October meeting will be in Vancouver, Washington. For further information contact Alene Reaugh sotfwalk@yahoo.com

GENEALOGICAL TREASURE DONATIONS

Your donations are needed for the Spring Seminar April 24th. Any genealogical item in good condition that you would like to donate for the Genealogical Treasures Sale will help to make an always fun part of our semi-annual Seminars even more fun and profitable too. Just look through your bookcases for duplicate copies of books and CDs or other items you no longer have use for.

You have seen how it works; tickets are sold and we place one or more tickets in the paper bag next to the item. At the end of the day a ticket is drawn from each bag and stapled to the bag. The holder of the winning ticket takes the treasure home..

Donations should be brought to the GFO Library during business hours marked "Genealogical Treasures", and left in the main office against the back wall.

LIBRARY COLLECTION NEWS

So far, in our tour of the GFO collection, we have visited the parts of the collection that cannot be assigned to a location. Now we move into the bulk of our collection: location-specific material.

We begin with Europe (940). Here you will find a handful of History and How-to books—most European research material will be shelved by country. One interesting series in this area is the four-volume set *Registry of Jewish Holocaust Survivors* 940.531 A000 Ethnic.

The individual countries of Europe follow in Dewey order. Each country section has at least a small number of History and How-to volumes; some countries have a significant number of resources.

941 Great Britain Several Histories and indexes to Court and Vital Records. The four-volume set *Emigration from the United Kingdom to America, 1870-1872* is a relatively new addition.

941.1 Scotland The two-volume set *Topographical Dictionary of Scotland*. 941.1 A000 Maps can be a big help in finding those place names.

941.5 Ireland Thanks to our members of Irish descent and the Irish Interest Group, we have some great Irish research material. One favorite is the seven-volume set *The Famine Immigrants 1846-1851*. 941.5 A000 Migration.

942 England Here you will find the forty-two volume set of *Domesday Books*. 942 A000 Biog; a great source for those old English ancestors.

942.9 Wales A small section, but still offering Biographies, History and How-to material.

Next time the European tour will continue.

Sandi Whiteman,
Library Director

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MOVING AHEAD

Don Holznagel

On Feb. 1, TriMet staff provided an update to its estimates for property acquisition along Gideon Street. It now plans to conduct appraisals and negotiations during the winter of 2010-11, with the goal of making an offer to our landlord by the end of February, 2011. This plan moves up the expected actions on our current building by about 6 months from the previous estimate. If the February date holds, we would be expected to move about May, 2011.

The Relocation Committee* met Jan. 27 with a real estate broker to get a current perspective on property availability and lease costs. She estimated that we should be able to find a property in the near eastside of Portland at a reasonable cost, but the actual cost will depend on factors such as the property owner's interest in the purposes of GFO, and their ability and willingness to handle the accounting for a non-profit status tax discount for which GFO qualifies. She recommended that we should begin serious investigation of specific properties about 6 months ahead of the expected date of moving. Based on the new TriMet projections, this now means beginning a serious property search about November, 2010.

At its March meeting, the board approved a financial target for a beginning lease fee of \$31,500 per year. This will allow room for expected increases of 3% per year for 5 years. They also approved a floor space range from 4500 sq ft. to 5500 sq. ft. The property choices will need to fit within both parameters.

The Committee and Board will next develop a set of functional requirements to guide the search. Although the committee will be working with a realtor to identify possible sites, the list of requirements will also be made available to members in the *Insider* and the on-line *Insider Extra*, so interested members can report to the committee any properties they know of that might be good candidates.

At the Feb. 13 monthly meeting, members had an opportunity to suggest their priorities for characteristics of the new facilities. Regarding location, a strong preference was shown for a central eastside Portland location. Access to bus and Max were the most desired public transport options, but off-street parking was more strongly desired than any public transportation. Regarding space, while it is clear most people really desire all the space we have now, they put a high priority on the library, patron research space and computers, and a relatively lower priority on storage, lunch room, and display space. As we move ahead in this process, additional opportunities for member feedback will be scheduled.

As we have seen, the action estimates from TriMet change from time to time as more information and approvals are available, so precise dates will be hard to come by for a few months. I am encouraged by their prompt updates when changes occur, and am committed to passing along the information promptly through the *Insider* and *Extra*.

(*The Relocation Committee consists of Bruce Conrad, Fred Hasle, Jeanette Hopkins, Gerry Lenzen, Jim Morrow and Don Holznagel (chair). It is responsible for needs identification, developing requirements, property identification, and regular communication with TriMet staff and GFO members. It reports to the GFO Board of Directors.)

VOLUNTEERS WANTED

Do you have a few hours per month to fill some of the vacant spots at the library reading room? We like to have two volunteers per time slot. Our current need is for the 1st and 3rd Saturdays 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. and the 4th Sunday 12:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.. If you can help out, contact Cathy Lauer catlauer@comcast.net, or GFO 503-963-1932.

Thanks to our newest Research Assistants: Karl Voiles, Susan Gysel and Rhonda Stone.

MONTHLY PROGRAMS FOR 2010

10 April 2010,: Diane L. Goeres-Gardner, author of *Murder, Morality and Madness* will make a return visit to GFO. She spoke at GFO when her book *Necktie Parties* came out. So, in the spirit of April being a celebration of authors, we've invited Diane back. Her website is <http://www.frontierjustice.net/>

8 May 2010, "Military Records" by Vicki Bonagofski and Duane Funk and Relocation Membership-Input Session

12 June 2010, "Reunions" by April Ober and Leslie Lawson

Connie's Corner

GET THOSE STORIES OUT OF THE BOX.

By Connie Lenzen

I tripped over another box of papers and photos. I'm sorting a client's lifetime accumulation of genealogy "stuff," and there are boxes everywhere. They are under tables, on tables, around chairs, on chairs, and in the spare bedroom. They seem to be multiplying. The objective to this sorting is to get the family stories out of the boxes and into book form. My client's children aren't interested in the boxes of what they consider junk, but they will read family books – provided they are interesting.

I hear from a number of genealogists who tell me the same story – they have no one to carry on the family genealogy. It makes me think that we need to consider the future of our work. Genealogy's not like coin collecting where our survivors can sell the coins. Rather, our work is measured by the number of boxes we collect, and those boxes are often tossed after we go.

The one thing that our family will keep is a written narrative. I'm not talking about pages of charts. The charts are lovely in our eyes, but the family doesn't see them that way. I'm talking about a story or series of stories about our ancestors and their families. I'm talking about the tid-bits that make our ancestors into real people. It can be as simple as the following recollection of bath night for dry-land homesteaders in Christmas Valley where water was a precious commodity: "We had a 30-foot well, but that water was used for the crops. We drove our buggy to Bowman's Well where we filled a fifty-gallon barrel. On Saturday-night bath night, Mother would heat water on the stove. Us children would stand in a big washtub, and she would soap us up. Then she would pour warm water by the cupful over us. She probably used a half-gallon or less of water, but it felt wonderful." That story is going into my client's book.

I need guidance in organizing what I'm going to say, and I intend to get that at the April 24th GFO Seminar. Ann Carter Fleming, CG, CGL, will explain and demonstrate techniques for doing this. I took this class at a national conference, and it really helped. It's time for a refresher course.

A Russian proverb says, "You live as long as you are remembered." When the stories are out of the boxes and into a written narrative, the ancestors will live forever.

GFO WRITERS' FORUM SPONSORS A WRITING CLINIC

You've researched for years and now you realize that you need to get your research in some form to share with your family and leave for posterity. Where do you begin? Or maybe you've begun, but you're stuck somewhere in the middle. Writers' Forum members will meet with you, one-on-one, to discuss how to turn the stories in your head into something that will engage your family and the generations to follow.

Bring your project, and come to a Writers' Clinic at the GFO on Saturday, May 8th. Appointments are 20 minutes long. The first appointment begins at 11:50 a.m. and the last appointment at 1:30 p.m. We will schedule appointments beginning at 11 a.m. the day of the event. While you wait for your appointment, do a little research in the GFO library.

We will display, for you to see, examples of what others have done – whether it is a scrapbook made up mostly of pictures or a published book, complete with details and stories about ancestors, and also books about writing and putting your family history together.

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#8 – APRIL 11, SUNDAY...CANADIAN RESEARCH, BY MICHELE FRICKE - 1:00 P.M. TO 3:00 P.M.
CANADIAN RESEARCH , REVIEW THE OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE IN THE MAIN REPOSITORIES OF CANADA WITH TIPS FOR FINDING RESOURCES, ONLINE AND ON SITE, WITHIN YOUR PROVINCE OF INTEREST.

#9 – April 17, Saturday...Writing Your Family Narrative in Word, by Connie Lenzen – 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
GENEALOGISTS PULL TOGETHER THEIR DATA AND EVIDENCE EVALUATION AND CREATE A WRITTEN DOCUMENT, BUT HOW SHOULD THEY DO IT, AND WHAT TYPE OF DOCUMENT SHOULD THEY BE ASSEMBLING? HOW DO THEY MAKE IT INTERESTING? THIS SESSION IS AN INTRODUCTION TO THE VARIOUS KINDS OF COMPILATIONS AND THE STEPS TO WRITING THEM.

#10 - APRIL 18, SUNDAY... SPECIAL SCHEDULES, BY CONNIE LENZEN - 1:00 P.M. TO 3:00 P.M.

In 1850, 1860, 1870, and 1880, the census enumerator asked dozens of personal questions. The answers to most of them do not appear on the population schedules that we find on Internet databases. Come to this class to learn about agricultural and industrial schedules, and about the “delinquent and defective” classes. of people

#11 – May 22, Saturday...Military Records, by Gerald Lenzen - 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

MILITARY SERVICE AND PENSION RECORDS FOR CONFLICTS FROM EARLY COLONIAL TIMES UP TO WWII WILL BE PRESENTED FOR RESOURCES AVAILABLE IN THE GFO LIBRARY AND IN SOME ON-LINE LOCALITIES AVAILABLE FROM THE GFO LIBRARY. THIS IS NOT AN ON-LINE COURSE.

#12 – June 19, Saturday...Family Reunions, by Leslie Lawson & April Ober - 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Anyone can put together a reunion. Software and Internet sites to help with this task. We will discuss how to start this project, track it with time lines and what to offer to those who come to the reunion. The class will include survey samples to guide you.

#13 – June 26, Saturday...Beginning Genealogy, by Carole Gibson – 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

ARE YOU UNSURE OF WHERE TO BEGIN THE PROCESS OR DO YOU JUST WANT TO GET RESTARTED? DO YOU NEED SOME GUIDANCE WHERE TO GO NEXT? WE CAN HELP YOU JUMPSTART YOUR GENEALOGY!

Download Registration Form from gfo.org, or mail check (to GFO) including class numbers.

INTEREST GROUP NEWS

THE DNA INTEREST GROUP

The Tuesday, April 13th -1:00 p.m. meeting will feature Tim Johnson who will discuss Family Tree DNA's new "Family Finder Test" as well as the older "23andme". Both of these tests are of your autosomal markers, which will match you with cousins anywhere in your lineage. Now we can find connections to our lines not just on the Y-chromosome (all male line) or the mtDNA (all female line) . We can now discover matches from all those lines..

There are differences between "23andme"and "Family Finder". The speaker will discuss both tests, and you can decide which is best for you. For this meeting, plan to stay until 3:00 p.m. See Emily's Blog for more information, <http://genealem-geneticgenealogy.blogspot.com/> , If this link doesn't work, cut and paste it into your browser.

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4th EASTER SUNDAY LIBRARY CLOSED	1st Sunday: 1 p.m. Heritage Scrapbooking	6th Sunday: 1:00 p.m. Heritage Scrapbooking
5th FREE MONDAY to non-members	2nd Sunday: 4—6 p.m. Swedish Roots Presentation Using <u>Genline.com</u> Reservations	7th FREE MONDAY
10th Saturday: 9:30 a.m. Illinois Group 11:45 a.m. Writers' Forum 2:00 p.m. Monthly Program: Diane L. Goeres-Gardner, author of <u>Murder, Morality and Madness</u>	3rd FREE MONDAY	8th Tuesday: 6 p.m. Board Meeting
11th Sunday : 1:00 p.m. Mini-Class "Canadian Research" with Michelle Fricke 3:00 p.m. Heritage Scrapbooking	8th Saturday : 9:30 p.m. Illinois Grp 11:45 a.m. Writers' Forum 2:00 p.m. Monthly Program "Military Records" Vicki Bonagofski & Duane Funk & Relocation Update	12th Saturday: 9:30 a.m. Illinois 2:00 p.m. Monthly Program <u>"Reunions"</u> with April Ober & Leslie Lawson
13th Tuesday: 1:00 p.m. DNA Interest 6: 00 Board Meeting	11th Tuesday: 6 P.m. Board Mtg	19th Saturday: 10—12 p.m. Mini- Class "Family Reunions" with April Ober & Leslie Lawson
17th Saturday: 10 a.m. Beginning Gen. 1:00 p.m. Mini-Class; "Writing Your Family Narrative in WORD" with Connie Lenzen	15th Saturday: 9:30 a.m. TMG SUG 1: 00 p.m. Irish Interest	21st Monday: 7:00 p.m. Computer
18th Sunday: 1:00 p.m. Mini-Class "Special Schedules with Connie Lenzen"	17th Monday: 7:00 p.m. Computer Interest Group	23rd Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. TMG
20th Monday: 7 p.m. Computer IG	22nd Saturday: 10-12 p.m. Mini-Class "Military Service & Pension Records" Gerald Lenzen 1:00 p.m. British Interest Group	26th Saturday: 10:00 a.m. "Beginning Genealogy" Carole Gibson
24th Saturday: 8 a.m. Spring Seminar LIBRARY CLOSED	23rd 1 P.M. Connie's "Brick Wall Help"	27th Sunday: 1:00 p.m. Connie Lenzen's "Brick Wall Help"
25th Sunday: 1 p.m. Connie Lenzen's "Brick Wall Help"	24th Monday: 7 p.m. Round Table Discussion	28th Monday: 7:00 p.m. Round Table
26th Monday: 7 p.m. Round Table Discussion	26th Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. TMG Forum	
28th Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. TMG Forum	31st Monday: LIBRARY CLOSED MEMORIAL DAY	