Greenville Chapter SOUTH CAROLINA GEMEALOGICAL SOCIETY

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Our Next Meeting Date

February 2, 1975 SUNDAY AFTERNOON

3:30 P.M.

Auditorium - Greenville County Library

We are trying something new - a Sunday afternoon meeting. Some have expressed interest in meeting on Sunday afternoon and we are going to try it. Also, we have a great program planned by our Program Chairman, Mary Seyle. Mr. Bradley P. Morrah, State Chairman of the Bicentennial Commission will be our guest speaker. Due to the interest we feel that other groups with a leaning to history would have, we have invited the Greenville Historical Society and the Greenville County Chapter of the D.A.R. to be our guests. Other interested friends are also invited. Since we will have guests at that meeting, business will be held to a minimum. We are giving you the news in this letter which you may want to file for reference.

FLASH'. What? A Genealogy Workshop

Where? Parker Auditorium, Greenville County Library

When? Monday Night, January 27, 1975 - 7:00 P.M.

will conduct, using as his subject, American Genealogical Sources. Remember the lucky few who heard him when he spoke to our group last February? If you missed him then, now you will have a new opportunity. If you heard him then, you will want to be there. Mary Walker Morris says invite any one interested. No Charge. Take advantage of this real treat. He will be available for questions after the presentation.

1975 Dues It is that time again. Dues for this year were set by the Executive Board at \$7.00. We need some operating funds for our local chapter and a portion of dues goes to State. Send your check today to our Treasurer: Mrs. A. O. Hendrix

3 Acorn Court
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FROM OUR VICE PRESIDENT FOR PROJECTS - MORN LINDSAY-

We need some volunteers for typing the individual cards from the names on the WPA Cemetery Lists of Greenville County. We are committeed to this project and can use some help. It is a big job. Call her at 242-4172 if you can help with this project.

Morn is also making some plans to finish up the cemetery inventory for the remaining uninventoried Greenville County cemeteries. On some nice week-end day soon you will be called to help with this.

MEETINGS for 1975

We plan to meet this year in:

February March April May September November December

Speakers are planned for February, April, and September. Mary Seyle already has interesting plans for the April meeting with the speaker lined up. More about that at a later date. March will be a "working meeting," as will May. The State Genealogical Society meets in Greenville in September. We are the host chapter. November will be election of new officers time and our last December meeting was so successful until we want to make it an annual event.

Dr. Sneary's Genealogy Class at the Library, which began last week is completely filled with a waiting list already started for a new class. The limit is 25 so if you missed out on this class, call Mrs. Morris at the Library and get your name on the waiting list early.

YOUR OFFICERS FOR THIS YEAR

President	Ralph L. Bowers	244-4151
V. President, Projects	Morn Lindsay	242-4172
Program Chairman	Mary Seyle	233-0663
Secretary	Marg Peterson	244-6948
Treasurer	Jo Hendrix	244-5358
Archivist	Jo Mills	277-5592

Our Local Representative to State is Morn Lindsay. Gene Sneary is on the State Board of Directors and Jo Hendrix is State Recording Secretary.

MISCELLANEOUS

Let's strive to increase our Chapter Membership during this year. Some of the newer chapters in the State already have more members than we do. Invite your interested friends to join our chapter.

Did you complete your Pedigree Chart at the December meeting and turn it in? If you took it home with you to complete like I did, be sure to bring the completed form to the February 2 meeting. We want to have a complete file for all our members.

Circle the two big dates on your calendar now.

Mr. Bremer on January 27

Our February 2 meeting

We received a most interesting copy of the <u>SUMTER BLACK RIVER WATCHMAN</u> which is the monthly newsletter of the <u>Sumter Chapter</u>. It contained news of meetings and planned events, a list of all members with their addresses, and an Index of their 1974 newsletters. It certainly gave me ideas I wish we could follow.

SEE YOU AT THE NEXT MEETING