

Greenville Chapter
SOUTH CAROLINA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

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Our Next Meeting Date

December 2, 1975

Tuesday Evening - - 7:00 P.M.

Friendship Room - First Piedmont Bank & Trust Co.

2121 Wade Hampton Boulevard

This is our annual Christmas Party! The only business will be the introduction of the new officers for next year. It will be a "Show and Tell" like we had last year that all of us enjoyed so much. Morn Lindsay and her committee have planned the "goodies." We hope you have invited guests that have expressed interest in joining our Chapter. We have some new members who will be introduced. It will be a "fun" meeting and we hope you can be present. Be sure to bring your records to show.

Our new officers for 1976 are:

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| President - Jo Hendrix | Ph - 244-5358 |
| Vice-President - Harold Atwood | 244-4260 |
| Secretary - Mary Seyle | 233-0663 |
| Treasurer - Mary Lou Shultz | 235-1263 |
| State Committeeman - Morn Lindsay | 242-4172 |
| Archivist - Jo Mills | 277-5592 |
| Co-Chairmen - Project Committee- | |
| Bee Bryant | 235-4655 |
| Gene Sneary | 262-1775 |

We have a good slate of truly interested officers for next year, so let's give them our help to push forward during 1976.

The state meeting of the South Carolina Genealogical Society for 1975 is history,

but a report of some of the highlights for those of you who could not attend. Total registration was 89. Charleston had 9, Columbia had 16, Greenville had 25, and Sumter had 11. The Greenville Chapter had 7 guests including the speakers and four directors and we had 12 guests present. The Charleston, Sumter, and Greenville Chapters had exhibits at the meeting at the Library. Rev. Harold Brown, Brent Holcomb, and Mrs. Harold Brown had displays of their publications. Mrs. Mary Walter Morris had information and a calendar regarding the proposed tour to Ireland, Iceland, and Scotland planned for early fall.

During the ladies luncheon, the following state officers were elected:

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| President | - | Dr. George Speer | - | Greenville Chapter |
| Vice Pres. | - | Joseph Hicks | - | Columbia Chapter |
| 2nd. V. Pres. | - | Jesse Hamworth | - | Charleston Chapter |
| Gen. Sec'y | - | Ellis Newman | - | Charleston Chapter |
| Asst. Sec'y | - | Ed. Gentry | - | Greenville Chapter |
| Treasurer | - | Melba Sholly | - | Columbia Chapter |
| Ad. Sec'y | - | Alfred Rawlinson | - | Columbia Chapter |
| Director-at-Large | - | Margaret McElyea | - | Sumter Chapter |

Our new Chapter is Greenville, South Carolina. Mrs. William W. Wheeler is the new president of that Chapter.

To summarize the meeting, it was great fun meeting people from other chapters and exchanging ideas. The weather was nice and we found it was a good meeting.

- Special Thanks to - Mr. Searcy for the transportation to and from the airport.
 Mrs. Carla, Miss Lee Sholly, Betty Davis for handling registration.
 Charles Holcomb for handling the reception.
 Dr. Miller for handling our Greenville exhibit.
 Harold Brown for handling with transportation for the tours.
 Dr. Holcomb and Mrs. Lindsey for lots of help.

And to all the others who had a part in making it such a good night.

All you get your copy of the Charter Handbook and Lineare Charts of the Greenville Chapter. Price \$4.00. Mrs. Lindsey, Dr. Holcomb, and Mrs. Searcy did quite a job in putting this together and having it ready for the State Meeting. If you did not get one, you will want to purchase one at the December meeting.

A delightful letter from member Miss Cleo Bowie was received before the State Meeting. Although she was unable to be present for the meeting, she wanted to have a part in handling the meeting. Our thanks to her from our Chapter for her contribution. Miss Bowie is currently living in Honca Path, S.C. at 2 Washington Circle. She plans to return to Greenville next summer. Again, our thanks to her and our sympathy at the death of her sister.

Recently we received the latest copy of THE SOUTH CAROLINA MAGAZINE OF ANCESTRAL RESEARCH. This magazine is published by Laurence K. Wells of Kingstree, S.C. (Mr. and Mrs. Wells were present at the State Meeting.) We would certainly recommend this magazine for those searching for family history in South Carolina.

As the year 1975 draws to a close, I want to take this opportunity to thank all of you for helping to make it a successful year. To quote from Mayor Max Heller when he welcomed our group to Greenville for the State Meeting, we have a great history. As we look to the future, we need to hold on to a part of the past which has helped make us great. Happy hunting to all of you!

Also may I take this time to wish for all a Very Merry Christmas and a Most Successful New Year!

Dues for the year 1976 are now due. Please mail your check to Chapter Treasurer for Ch. 77.

Mrs. John R. Shultz, Treas.
126 Seven Oaks Drive
Greenville, S.C. 29605

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