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APRIL MEETING

Thursday, 1 April 1999

7:00 p.m.

Thomas F. Parker Auditorium, Greenville County Library

G. ANNE SHERIFF

G. Anne Sheriff, a teacher for 34 years, received the SC DAR History Teacher Award. She and her students published books on local history and genealogy, which are available at the library. Serving as volunteer curator of the Faith Clayton Genealogical Collection at Southern Wesleyan University, she has organized the collection of books, family histories and original documents. She is also volunteer curator of the Central History Museum and organized the Tri-County Museum Consortium. She will speak to us on the Faith Clayton collection, her books, and her experiences.

March meeting: The Greenville Chapter met on Mar. 4, 1999. The meeting was called to order by Evelyn Smith Williams. There were 31 present. Betty Monahan introduced the speaker, Madelyn Butts, a member of the Chapter. She presented a very interesting program on genealogy and computers. Following the program, the President held a business meeting. Appointments of members to standing committees were made. Acceptance of the minutes was given. The Treasurer reported the CD was \$5624.03 and the balance in the checking account was \$4022.96. The financial report for 1998 was presented and accepted.

The 1999 SCGS Summer Workshop will be held at the SC Archives and History Center on July 10, 1999. The main speaker will be Lloyd DeWitt Bockstruck, Supervisor of the Dallas (TX) Public Library Genealogy Section. Brent H. Holcomb, John L. Andrews, Jr., and members of the Archives staff will also speak. Watch for registration information in The Carolina Herald.

QUERY: Need info on CRENSHAW/WEST/BARNHILL. Joseph CRENSHAW 1784-1840, b. Virginia, lived Greenville early 1800's. Married Susan WEST, daughter of Katherine BARNHILL, 1770-1823; she lived in Greenville area. Joseph and Susan had son John Washington CRENSHAW, 1817-1892. Carrie Crenshaw Ramey, P.O. Box 577, Marion, AL 36756-0577. Tel. (344) 683-6288

An inventory of back issues of our Greenville Chapter JOURNAL is being made. Information and prices of available issues will be in the next newsletter. Also available will be information on reprints of Greenville County Cemetery Survey books.

GENEALOGY PROGRAMS:

At the Greenville County Library, 300 College St., Greenville:

April 12, "Genealogy Mondays: Genealogy and the Internet", 10 a.m.-12 noon & 7-9 p.m.

May 10, "Genealogy Mondays: Early American Handwriting", 10 a.m.-12 noon & 7-9 p.m.

At the Hendricks Branch, 626 NE Main St., Simpsonville:

Apr. 10, "All the News: Putting Newspapers to Good Use ...", 10 a.m.-12 noon

At the Sarah Dobey Jones Branch, 111 N. Hwy 25 Bypass, Berea:

May 1, "Great Grandpa was a Blacksmith: [research in special census schedules]", 10 a.m.-12 noon

Mark your calendars for the Second Annual Upstate Genealogy Day with Helen F. M. Leary, Daniel Recital Hall, Furman University, Apr. 24, 1999, 8:30 a.m.-4:15 p.m.

For registration and information call 242-5000, ext. 291. Registration is requested for all programs.

NEW BOOKS AT THE SOUTH CAROLINA ROOM:

Abbeville ... Newspaper Notices of Land Cases and Sales, 1836-1872

These Men Wore Gray. 4 Vol. [Georgia civil war records]

Edgefield County Deed Books 19-29

Newberry County, SC, Deed Abstracts 1785-1794

Index to Richland County, SC Probate Records, 1785-1955

IT'S THAT TIME AGAIN! IF YOU HAVEN'T RENEWED YOUR MEMBERSHIP FOR 1999, we hope you will still join us. We operate on a calendar basis - January 1 to December 31. Check your mailing label to see if it says "99".

Renewal New Individual \$20 Family \$25

Associate \$15 Primary Chapter _____ SCGS # _____

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