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JUNE MEETING

6 June 2002

7:00 p.m.

Thomas F. Parker Auditorium, Greenville County Library
(You can park at the BB&T garage AFTER 5 p.m. if the library lot is full)

Dr. Glen Clayton

Baptist Historical Collection and Furman University Archives

Dr. Glen Clayton, Special Collections Librarian, at Furman University will be the featured speaker at our June meeting. Dr. Clayton has been with Furman University for thirty years and has a wealth of information to share with us on the ancestral records that are housed in the Baptist Historical Collection as well as the Furman Collection. For our newer members who are unfamiliar with this information, you will not want to miss this meeting. For others it will give an update as to what has been added and other information on the collections in general. Church records like these can be a valuable tool in finding information about our ancestors that otherwise would have been lost had these records not been archived at Furman. We are very fortunate to have Dr. Clayton speak to us so members please be present and bring a friend who is interested in genealogy.

VOLUNTEERS DESPERATELY NEEDED!

NEEDED IMMEDIATELY, SEVERAL PEOPLE WILLING TO SHARE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PUBLICATION OF THE JOURNAL. PLEASE HELP WITH THIS MOST IMPORTANT PUBLICATION!

Welcome to new members Ms. Bruce Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Edwards!

New items in the South Carolina Room:

- The 1930 CENSUS and SOUNDEX for South Carolina is in and waiting for you!

Computer programs at the SC Room:

Ancestry, Family Search, Cyndi's List, US GenWeb, and many other genealogy programs are available for patron searching in the South Carolina Room.

LETTER FROM BOB FRIELER

I am creating a list of surnames being researched by each member. This list will also include your e-mail address. These surnames and e-mail addresses are also being published, as above, in our monthly newsletters. Please send me the surnames you are researching and your e-mail address (only if you have no objection to having it published in the newsletter) You may send your responses to me at 9716 Windsor Lake Blvd., Columbia, SC 29223 or to my e-mail address: frieler@mindspring.com.

Volunteers are needed to do look-ups in the Greenville County Cemetery books for requests that come over the Chapter web-site. Please contact Jane Corn at ncscjane@aol.com if you are able to do this.

If anyone has volumes 2-5 of the cemetery indexes that you no longer want and would like to sell, also contact Jane Corn at above e-mail. She has requests from people who wish to purchase them.

The South Carolina Room could also use volunteers to index obituaries in old newspapers.

Do you have a query you would like published in the newsletter? E-mail it to the editor at bamona@aol.com. You can also post your queries on the Chapter website at www.greenvillegenealogy.org, or maybe you can help somebody else with their query.

Minutes of May 2, 2002 chapter meeting: The meeting was called to order at 7:05 by President Terry Knorr. Following a welcome to members and guests, Terry turned the meeting over to Shirley Beacham who introduced the speaker, Linda Kennedy, a representative of the Family History Center of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, who gave an update on the genealogical resources that are available to the public at the local Center as well as available to be borrowed from the Salt Lake City Library. [These can be borrowed through the Greenville County Library as well as the Family History Center.] Ms. Kennedy also covered the topics of recording correct information, documenting proof of sources and dealing with information listed on the Internet. Terry discussed and passed out an announcement concerning the South Carolina Genealogical Society Summer Workshop scheduled for July 12 & 13 at South Carolina Archives, Columbia. Ms. Bruce Reynolds a new member, gave a summary of a new book *Compiled Histories - Descendants of Pioneer Families of Anderson County, South Carolina*; a preliminary copy of this book will be available in the South Carolina Room of the Greenville County Library for about two months for review and comments by interested researchers prior to final publication. The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m. for fellowship and refreshments furnished by Morn Lindsay and Margarette Swank. John Ice for Dot Hawkins

South Carolina Genealogical Society Summer Workshop, July 12 & 13, 2002, SC Archives, Columbia

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| Saturday, July 13th - General Sessions | Jeffrey Haines - French Influence in Carolinas
Dr. Glen Clayton - Baptist Records at Furman |
| Friday, July 12 - Friday's Sessions | John L. Andrews, Jr. - Beginning Genealogy
Patrick McCawley - Records lost during the Civil War
Brent H. Holcomb - Faith Based Records
Steven Tuttle - SC Archives on-line |
| Saturday, July 12 - Saturday's Sessions | Roy Vandegrift - Cherokee Path
Dr. Bruce Pruitt - SC Equity Records
Tom Smith - Family Publishing
Dr. Carl W. Nichols - Dutch Fork Land Records
Mike Coker - Antique Photographs
John Smith - African American & Native American Research |

Registration (843) 383-5212; 2002 SCGS Summer Workshop, Post Office Box 175, Hartsville, SC 29551-0175

Luncheon Invitation to

Greenville Chapter SCGS Members that are attending the Friday, July 12th South Carolina Genealogical Society Summer Workshop are invited to lunch at the home of Evelyn Williams in the Columbia area 11 am
RSVP to <dewill@infi.net>
directions to Evelyn's home will be sent by return e-mail

RECENTLY PUBLISHED!

Greenville County, S.C. Mackey Mortuary Death Records 1889-1921

Transcript of mortuary register in both date and alphabetical order. Includes cause of death and person arranging services when recorded in original. 502 pages, soft cover, 8 1/2" x 11".
\$40.00 plus postage and handling of \$3.75.

Also available:

Greenville County, S.C., Cemetery Survey, Volume Six

Soft cover, 8 1/2" x 11", indexed, 188 p. \$25.00 (plus \$2.75 shipping each book)

Greenville County, S.C., Cemetery Survey, Volume One

Soft cover, 8 1/2" x 11", indexed, 500 p. \$38.00 (plus \$3.75 shipping each book)

Abstracts of Extant Greenville, SC Newspapers Concerning Black People Free and Slave, 1826-1865, Vol. II

Soft cover, 8 1/2" x 11", indexed, 58 p. \$10.00 (plus \$2.75 shipping each book)

1790 Census Index and 1800 Census

Soft cover, 8 1/2" x 11", 48 p. \$12.50 (plus \$3.25 shipping each book)

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Do you have a genealogist friend or maybe a relative you've just discovered who might like to join us? Share this form with them! Mail to the Greenville Chapter, SCSG, P.O. Box 16236, Greenville, SC 29606-6236

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