



# GREENVILLE CHAPTER

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### April Meeting

3 April 2003, 7:00 P.M.

Auditorium, Hughes Library (New Main Library)

25 Heritage Green Drive, Greenville

Cliff Johns

### *DNA Sampling and Its Relationship to Genealogy*

Cliff Johns, Captain, USN (retired) will be our featured speaker this month. Mr. Johns is a graduate of the University of Missouri and a Naval ROTC scholarship recipient. Upon graduation, he was commissioned into the US Navy where he became a fighter pilot and twice squadron commander, was ship's captain of the USS Roanoke and retired in 1982 as a full Captain with 26 years service. Mr. Johns flew 126 combat missions in Viet Nam and was awarded the Silver Star Medal, 17 Air Medals and 3 Navy Commendation Medals. Mr. Johns also holds a master's degree in financial management and is a graduate of the US Naval War College. After retirement from the Navy, Mr. Johns has held several marketing and financial services positions.

He moved to Greenville in 1989 and is currently serving as Director of the Greenville LDS Family History Center and president of American Mortgage and Financial Consultants, Inc. Mr. Johns will bring us a program on DNA sampling and its relationship to genealogy. He recently attended a seminar in Salt Lake City, Utah on this subject and will relate to us the most recent information available. He will also touch on several other genealogical items of interest. This will certainly be an informative meeting for our members and their guests. Please come, invite a guest, and give attention to the information he will offer to us.

#### POSITIONS AVAILABLE FOR MEMBERS

Below are some openings that our Chapter needs filled. If you are interested in helping us, please contact Terry Knorr at [tknorr@charter.net](mailto:tknorr@charter.net), by mail at P.O. Box 1626, Greenville, SC 29696, or at the meeting.

Archivist: shall be custodian of the permanent archives of the Chapter, keep a record of all activities, and receive and house all materials. This is a Board level position.

Nominating Committee: Three members to find willing nominees for positions that will become vacant November 2003.

Program Committee: Two members to assist in selecting and arranging programs.

Public Relations Committee: Two members to be responsible for promoting the aims and activities of the Chapter through the media.

Publication Committee: Need chairperson to be responsible for all Chapter publications. Also need one or two people to work with the *Journal* publication and mailing.

Acquisition Committee: Shall be appointed by the President to inform the membership as to kinds of materials and records which comprise significant genealogical data; shall encourage membership to seek the acquisition of such materials; shall regularly publish in the newsletter information regarding new acquisitions; shall work closely with the Archivist; shall arrange for appropriate memorials for deceased members.

Membership Committee: Shall receive all applications for membership; shall actively engage in developing Chapter membership by seeking out potential members; shall keep a roster of members in good standing.

### FAMILY TREE CHART

In planning our Fall Genealogical Meeting, we would like to have a large visual family tree (10' x 10') for our focal point. We are asking all Greenville Chapter members (attending or not) and guests (attending) to submit to us your main surnames - limit it to no more than four (4). Plans are to place these names on the tree. This will be a point of interest during our break times and for those attending. It may provide contacts for names you may be researching. If you would like to be contacted by anyone viewing this chart, please include your e-mail address. You can send this information to my home address or e-mail address below. It isn't necessary to re-send this information if you have previously submitted it. It is possible that the names will be printed in the Journal at a later time. Newsletter publication will also continue.

Bob Frieler, Chairman Fall Workshop 2003 Committee, 9716 Windsor Lake Blvd., Columbia, SC 29223; 803-699-0400; frieler@mindspring.com

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#### Computer programs at the South Carolina Room:

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

#### New books at the South Carolina Room:

Descendants of Mathias Richardson 1749-1828

Allied Families of Bradley and Evans

Southern Homefront 1861-1865

Harlow Family: Descendants of Sgt. William Harlow

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

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#### Minutes of Mar. 6, 2003 Chapter Meeting

The meeting was called to order by President Terry Knorr at 7:04pm. After greeting members and guests he turned the meeting over to Shirley Beacham to introduce the speaker.

Shirley introduced Carra Selent who was speaking in her father's place, as he was unable to come due to illness. She gave the program as her father had written it. The material presented was on their experiences in collecting stories and old pictures. They found people were willing to tell the stories and some went out of the way to find pictures to flesh out the stories. They went to people they knew who had some of these pictures which were then scanned and saved. Some details about how to save and how to choose the format were given.

Following the program Terry held a brief business meeting. The treasurer's report, given by John Ice, is attached. He also reported that 118 members had renewed out of 167 on roll last year. Pat Frieler reported that the Greenville Chapter would be hosting the Fall Meeting,

### Message from our President, Terry Knorr

Dear Members,

Welcome to Spring! I am looking forward to warm days for our meetings, goodbye snow and ice! Hope you were in attendance at the March Chapter Meeting, it was an excellent presentation on scanning technology given by the daughter of our scheduled speaker.

I want to thank all of our current and past board members for the hard work that they have done and have been doing to make our chapter a success. I appreciate everyone's hard work. I would like to especially thank Bob Frieler who has volunteered to be the chairperson for our Fall 2003 State Meeting Planning Committee. I know he and his committee members will do an outstanding job. Thanks to you all!

We have several projects that will be starting up soon, so be ready to help. We have at least two publications that we hope to see come out this year and the reprint of the Greenville, SC Cemetery Records, Vol. Two should happen soon. Lots of us have been waiting awhile for this one. We have been asked to send some articles from our chapter to be placed in the *Carolina Herald*. The articles can be about genealogy or they can be historical in context. Please bring anything that you might have that you're willing to have printed to the meeting or mail it to P.O. Box. 16236, Greenville, SC 29606-6236.

Please make a point to be at the next chapter meeting: it will be a good one. We still have volunteer positions available. Everyone can do something, so sign up! If you haven't sent in your renewal, do it today.

Terry Knorr - President [tknorr@charter.net](mailto:tknorr@charter.net)

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October 3 & 4. Shirley reported that the April Chapter meeting would be on "DNA".

Announcements and Plans: Next Chapter Meeting - Thursday April 3, 2003 at 7pm, and the next Board Meeting Tuesday March 18th. We are listing e-mail addresses and surnames for members in the Newsletter. If you would like yours to be available to others that may be researching your lines, please let Bob Frieler know at [frieler@mindspring.com](mailto:frieler@mindspring.com). The State Society has asked that we submit articles for publication in the *Herald*. If you have anything that you have written please let Terry know if you would be willing to have it printed in that journal. It can be genealogical or historical in nature as long as it is a minimum of one page. We need volunteers to bring light refreshments to the Chapter meetings the following months: April, June (one person), Oct. and Nov. If you would be willing to volunteer, please speak with Mary Drawdy. The meeting was adjourned for fellowship and refreshments.

Resp. submitted, Dorothy S. Hawkins

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| Brenda Roberts Shelton | <a href="mailto:sshelton@mindspring.com">sshelton@mindspring.com</a> | Bonar, Powell, Boling, Newby, Fuller, Westmoreland, Ford, Roberts, Davenport, Milam, Malone |

## PUBLICATIONS FOR SALE

**Greenville County, S.C., Cemetery Survey, Vol. Six.** 2000. 188 p., indexed. Includes Christ Church Episcopal and African-American cemeteries. \$25.00 plus \$2.75 s. & h.

**Greenville County, S.C., Cemetery Survey, Vol. One.** 1977. 500 p., indexed. Includes 105 cemeteries. \$38.00 plus \$3.75 s. & h.

**Mackey Mortuary Death Records, 1889-1921, Greenville County, S.C.** 2000. 502 p., alphabetical and date order. \$40.00 plus \$3.75 s. & h.

**Abstracts of Extant Greenville, S.C., Newspapers Concerning Black People Free and Slave, 1826-1865, Vol. II.** 2000. 58 p., indexed. \$10.00 plus \$2.75 s. & h.

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| al.....alley           | mkr.....maker         | rd.....road             |
| av.....avenue          | mng.....manufacturing | ret.....retail          |
| bds.....boards         | muff.....manufacturer | Rev.....reverend        |
| bet.....between        | N or n.....north      | s e.....south east      |
| bkpr.....book keeper   | n e.....north east    | S or s.....south        |
| bdg.....building       | nr.....near           | s s.....south side      |
| clk.....clerk          | n s.....north side    | st.....street           |
| c.....colored          | n w.....north west    | s w.....south west      |
| com mer.....commission | opp.....opposite      | sec.....secretary       |
| merch.....merchant     | pk.....park           | supt.....superintendent |
| condr.....conductor    | pl.....place          | trans.....treasurer     |
| cor.....corner         | P O.....post office   | W or w.....west         |
| dept.....deputy        | pres.....president    | w s.....west side       |
| dist.....district      | prin.....principal    | whol.....wholesale      |
| E or e.....east        | propr.....proprietor  | wid.....widow           |
| es.....east side       | pub.....publisher     | wks.....works           |

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