

MOORE - PIONEER GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

P. O. BOX 6434
MOORE, OKLAHOMA 73153

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NEWSLETTER

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SOCIETY NEWS

The Moore-Pioneer Genealogical Society meets the third Tuesday of each month at the Moore Public Library, 225 South Howard, Moore, at 7:30pm, unless otherwise notified.

There will be no meeting in the month of February.

Speaker for the March meeting will be Jack Haley, director of Western History Collection at OU. Meeting will be March 17, at 7:30pm.

Speaker for the April meeting will be a librarian from the Norman Library in Norman. Meeting will be April 21, at 7:30pm.

Membership dues are \$4.00 per year and 1981 dues are renewable in May. Dues can be sent to the Moore-Pioneer Genealogical Society, PO Box 6434, Moore, OK 73153. Everyone is invited to join. With your membership, please include a list of the surnames you are researching for publication in the NEWSLETTER so other members will know who is working on what name.

QUERIES

Queries will be put in the NEWSLETTER free of charge to members. There will be a \$1.00 charge, per query, for non-members.

Tressie WEATHERS, 509 SE 70th, OKC, OK 73149 (405-634-4628) has added two new surnames to her list: LENTZ, who came from Germany to Alabama, and DOGGETT, she would like to exchange information with others who are working on these names. She would also like to exchange information with others on the name KIRBY from Tennessee who were possibly Cherokee.

Myra MANLEY, 701 Crestmoor, OK 73160 (405-799-4723) would like to correspond with others on the name PIERCE, William PIERCE came from Iowa to Oklahoma and is buried in Square Center Cemetery, near Aline, Oklahoma, he married Catherine BECKWITH and they had 7 children, Lanceson, William John, Charles, Edward, Louis, Fred & Arthur

ANYONE WITH ANY QUERIES, PLEASE CONTACT US. WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT.

We will be putting out the NEWSLETTER on a Quarterly basis. We need your support so let us hear what you would like to see in future NEWSLETTERS.

Any correspondence concerning the NEWSLETTER can be addressed to Myra Manley, % Moore-Pioneer Genealogical Society, PO Box 6434, Moore, OK 73153, or you can call me at 766-4723. PLEASE LET ME HEAR FROM YOU!!!!

SURNAME FILE

We have a surname file and you can help others, as well as yourself by filling out a card on each member of your family tree. The card size is 5" X 8".

Information needed, on each card, is the name of person you are researching, birth, marriage, and death dates and places. Name of spouse, name of parents and your name, address and current date.

It has been suggested, because of the size of the card, to use the bottom part of the card to list children, other marriages and/or other information that might be helpful to others.

Bring your cards to our next meeting and they will be filed.

MOORE-PIONEER GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY OFFICERS - 1980

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312 Sherry
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360-1954

Please feel free to call on these officers if you have any suggestion or if they can be of any help to you.

NEW OFFICERS

There will be election of new officers at the March meeting. If you would be interested in an office or being on a committee, please contact one of the 1980 officers. Also if you definitely do not want an office, let them know.

NEW MEMBERS

Rex D Miller,
1805 Bellaire Dr
Moore, OK 73160

Bring a friend to the next meeting that you think would be interested in joining. We need your support so everyone bring at least one visitor to the next meeting.

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OKLAHOMA HISTORICAL SOCIETY LIBRARY HOURS

The last Oklahoma Historical Society appropriations bill contained a provision that the Historical Society Library was to be open to the public from 9:00 am to 9:00 pm, Monday through Friday and 9:00 am to 5:pm on Saturday. The Indian Archives and Newspaper Room was to be open to the public 9:00 am to 5:00 pm Monday through Saturday. Let's be sure to let our Oklahoma State Senators and Representatives know that we want to keep the Historical Society Library open evening and that it again be added to the appropriations bill. Letters from you are the only way they know your wishes. We don't want them to think we have lost interest in the Library. Letters do count so let's each write and let them know our feelings.

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OKLAHOMA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY WORKSHOPS

- 7 March - Beginners (New format & speakers)
- 11 April - Sources in the Atlantic States; New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Delaware - Milton Rubincam
- 2 May - Research in the Old Dominion, "Virginia" - Netti Schreiner-Yantis

Registration 8:30 am; Session opens at 9:00am

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When you go to the Oklahoma Historical Society Library, don't be afraid to go up to the desk and ask for information. They have many books and materials that are not displayed. Don't be shy, ask!

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Tells of journey from Iowa to Kansas in 1879 and life in Stafford County, Kansas from 1879 to 1886, (with a few entries missing), and life in Woods County, Oklahoma from 1895 to 1898, (again with a few entries missing). Includes: 1880 Stafford County, York Township, Kansas, census; and list of members of the Leesburgh Farmers Alliance. Mary was the daughter of James Andrew and Nancy Ann (Heaton) SPARKS. Mary was born in 1856 and died in 1912 and is buried at Square Cedar Cemetery, near Aline, Oklahoma. 165 pages, soft cover, price \$15.00, plus \$1.50 postage and handling.
Order from: Myra Manley
PO Box 6812,
Moore OK 73153

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MOORE-PIONEER GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP LIST AND SURNAME INDEX

The October NEWSLETTER listed the members and surnames if you have new names to list, please let me know.



ATTACHMENT TO THE APPLICATION FOR RECOGNITION OF EXEMPTION FORM 1023 of

CLEVELAND COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY, P.O. BOX 6176 , NORMAN, OK 73070 TAX ID NO 73-131275;

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL FILED
WITH THE HISTORICAL RECORDS OF THE CLEVELAND COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY
DATED THIS 15th MARCH, 1988

Geneva L. Coates

GENEVA L. COATES, FIRST VICE PRESIDENT