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A newsletter to inform members of Society Activities and Library Acquisitions
October 2020



Photo by Neka Scarbrough-Jenkins

President's Message

Every month seems to bring more good news our way, and September 2020 was no exception. For those who haven't heard yet, Diane Thomas, the executor for the Yvette Dwyer Estate, informed our Finance Committee Chair, Bill Myers, that she was distributing another $100,000 from the estate to SAGHS. This brought our total inheritance to date to $1,700,000. Thank you, Diane, and thank you, Yvette Dwyer.

This additional gift enabled the Board to amend the proposed budget for this fiscal year so that the budget now has a modest surplus, rather than a projected deficit, and it also allowed the funding of several Capital Improvements for our facilities. But perhaps most important, the Board also created two reserve accounts: $16,000 was set aside for any unforeseen emergency repairs that might become necessary; and a $50,000 reserve fund was established to ensure that future economic downturns would not adversely impact our budget process, as almost happened this year. Moreover, this gift made it unnecessary to withdraw any funds from our investment portfolio at this time of market turbulence. One last item relating to finances: our portfolio balance as of August 31st was $935,398.56, after almost exactly one year since the initial investment of $917,000. Many thanks to our Finance Committee (Bill Myers, Valerie Guenther, Kitty Massey, Barbara Holmes, Pat Merk and Nancy Brennan) for their astute management during a very uncertain time.

Speaking of Capital Improvements, we are in the process of refurbishing the annex so that it will serve as a Librarian's office and a volunteer workroom for the foreseeable future, while at the same time keeping in mind the possibility of installing the type of book shelving system that is in the Texas Room when additional library space becomes necessary. (cont. pg. 3)

SAGHS 2020 Seminar



The Annual Seminar registration deadline of **October 17** is fast approaching, don't miss it!

The Seminar is a virtual event with recordings available to registrants from October 3—31, and presentations on October 24 with a question/answer session by J. Mark Lowe.

This promises to be an exciting event and a first for us!

Presentations available to registrants from October 3-31:

- ◊ *The Migration Triangle: Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Kentucky & Tennessee.*
- ◊ *Ready-Set-Plan? Developing A One-Step Research Plan.*
- ◊ *Making Those Early Census Records Talk To You.*
- ◊ *My Ancestor, The Farmer: Shaping A Profile For Your Rural Ancestor.*

On October 24, Mr. Lowe will present the following two via our virtual connection:

- ◊ *Pioneers Of The Frontier: Using Online Newspapers To Find Early Settlers.*
- ◊ *Is It Really Online? How To Find And Use Authentic Sources At Home Or The Library.*

Detailed descriptions of these presentations are on our website: https://txsaghs.org

Mr. Lowe will accept questions emailed to him prior to October 24, and live during the virtual question and answer session. Website addresses and links for handouts, the virtual, and recorded sessions are being sent to each registered participant by the email address given on their registration form.

As this is a virtual event, invite your friends and family in other parts of the state, country and world to join us.
Note we have already received a registration from a non-member in Akron, Ohio!!

A registration form is attached to this Newsletter. Please complete and mail with your check to:



SAGHS Seminar Registration, 911 Melissa Drive, San Antonio, TX 78213-2024, or use the form on the website and pay with a credit card through pay pal. You do not need to have a PayPal account to pay with your credit card. *(NOTE: Members **MUST** log into the Members only section to get the reduced price),* or drop by the Library during regular business hours and pay by cash or check.

The cost is: $30 Members and $40 Non-members.
You can include tickets for the Quilt Drawing ($1.00 each) with your registration fee. NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AFTER OCTOBER 17.
(For quilt tickets purchased by mail: if you wish your ticket stubs returned, allow extra time and enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope).

DEADLINE IS OCTOBER 17!

Quilt & Door prizes winners will be drawn & announced during the breaks on October 24th.
Door prizes are thanks to the following vendors: Ancestry, Fold 3, Newspapers.com, Family Tree DNA, Legacy Family Tree, My Heritage, and Family Tree Maker, and several donors of gift cards.

SAGHS 2020 – Book Sale

Our Duplicate Book Sale will take place in the **Dwyer Center Classroom October 20 – 23 from 10am – 4pm**. You will be able to visit and review the books following the COVID-19 Guidelines.

If you have reserved books from the listing that was sent with the September Newsletter, and would like to pay and pick up your books curbside **during the sale hours**, please call the Library phone (210-342-5242) upon your arrival and someone will meet you at the Dwyer portico. After the sale week, books that have been reserved will be available from the Duty Librarian during normal Library Hours. Books that are not picked up by November 15 will be returned to the collection.

Submitted by Nancy McNamara

President's Message (cont.)

Also, in the Dwyer Center, we are installing a video presentation system in the Roosevelt Auditorium that will significantly enhance your experience.

Hopefully, you have received your copy of the current edition of *Our Heritage (*which was recently mailed). Once again, the Publications Committee has produced a great edition that we can all be proud of, with some very interesting stories of the heroes of World War II. Congratulations to editor Larry Luckett, layout & cover designer Charles Brussells, and Committee Chair, Cindy Kennedy. I would like to thank Cindy, Larry and all the other members of the Publications Committee (Charles Brussells, Nancy Brennan, Julia George, Barbara Froebel, Barbara Holmes, Nancy Mabie and Helen Parker) for their fine work on behalf of our Society.

Finally, I am very pleased to announce that Barbara J. Wright is our new Registrar, and that Robert Schenk, James Campbell and Thomas Baynum have all agreed to be a part of Barbara's research team, joining Nancy and myself. If you would like to join this team, please contact Barbara through her email:

Registrar@txsaghs.org

Steve Mabie, President

Quilt tickets available until October 17

- Add your request to your Seminar Registration,
- Get them from the duty Librarian during business hours,
- Mail a check to: SAGHS, 911 Melissa Dr. San Antonio TX 78213-2024, or
- Follow the link on our homepage www.txsaghs.org and pay with your credit card through PayPal.

(If requesting by mail and you want your stubs, please include a self addressed stamped envelope & allow extra time, for the returned stubs.)

The virtual/digital divide got you down?

Are you unsure, can't manage or don't have the equipment or expertise to attend our virtual meetings? If you are interested and willing to attend an 'in person' class, please let us know. We might be able to design something to give you some pointers or other help so that you are not left out of meetings, and classes of interest.

If interested, please send an email to:

membership@txsaghs.org or call

210-490-9997

A mask tells us more than a face. Oscar Wilde

METHODS and SOURCES

by Leslie Tomlinson, CG

Ships Passenger Lists

Most of us have immigrant ancestors. They came to America for a variety of reasons—to improve their economic situation, escape religious or political persecution, or avoid military recruitment, to name a few. Finding your ancestors on a passenger lists or manifests gives you clues to their origins.

What you should know before you search:

1. The immigrant's full name and how it was spelled in the old country. Consider variations in the spelling. (See resource list.)
2. The port of arrival. The main U.S. ports were New York, Boston, Baltimore, and Philadelphia, on the East Coast, New Orleans and Galveston on the Gulf Coast, and San Francisco on the West Coast, but there were many others.
3. Age of the individual upon arrival. This will help distinguish between others with the same name.
4. Approximate date of arrival. Try to narrow the timeframe using census and other records. Remember the 1900 and 1910 censuses recorded arrival dates. While these dates were often inaccurate, it is a place to start.

Pre-1820 Immigration Records

Immigration records before 1820 were not regulated by the government. Two helpful sources are:

- Anne Stephens's Pilgrim Ship Lists Early 1600s, (https://www.packrat-pro.com/ships/shiplist.htm). These give the name of the ship, the master, the departure date and point, and arrival date and point of nearly 300 ships and you can view a list of passengers.
- Filby's *Passenger and Immigration Lists Index*, (https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/7486/) lists over 4.7 million persons arriving in the U.S. and Canada from the 1500s –1900s.

1820 and Later Lists

In 1819 Congress passed legislation that required the master of every ship coming from a foreign port to submit a manifest of passengers to U.S. customs. These were called "customs passenger lists." The information was basic and included each passenger's name, age, gender, country of origin, occupation, and destination. Later the Immigration and Naturalization Service required additional information such as birthplace, marital status, and names of relatives in the U.S. These lists are called "immigration passenger lists." For more background about passenger lists, where to find them, and laws governing them, consult the following sources:

- FamilySearch wiki: https://www.familysearch.org/wiki/en/US_Immigration_Passenger_Arrival_Records.
- National Archives: https://www.archives.gov/research/immigration/passenger-arrival.html. This article provides descriptions of the records found at the National Archives and what can and can't be found there. There are links to information about available records for points of arrival in many states along waterways and borders—19 in Texas including San Antonio.

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Main U.S. Immigration Centers

- Castle Garden, America's first immigration center, was in operation from 1855–1890. Search this database that contains records of over 11 million immigrants who came through the Port of New York as early as 1820: http://castlegarden.org.
- Ellis Island operated from 1892–1924. This database contains over 65 million records from 1820-1957: https://heritage.statueofliberty.org/passenger.

Embarkation Records

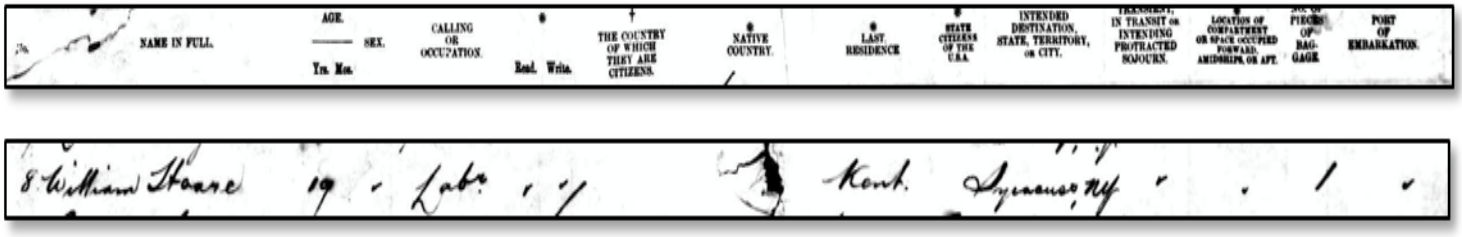
The major European ports of departure were Liverpool and Southampton, England; Hamburg and Bremen, Germany; Rotterdam, Netherlands; Antwerp, Belgium; Le Havre, France; and Naples, Italy. Many of these records are incomplete; however, if you have relatives coming from northern Europe, the Hamburg lists are particularly well preserved. In addition to name, age, and occupation, the lists record the immigrant's last residence.

Strategies

- Look for others in the same list as your ancestor who came from the same place, who were going to the same destination, had the same occupation, or the same surname.
- Check each line of the manifest carefully for abbreviations and notations. Look up any unfamiliar terms.
- Try different spellings of the target surname.
- Don't stop after finding one passage. Many immigrants traveled back multiple times to their country of origin, even if they had limited income.

Passenger Lists Lead to Discoveries

I knew my grandfather emigrated from Kent, England, with his family in 1895 when he was 11, leaving three older married sisters behind. The passenger manifest listed only his parents, one sister, and three brothers—where were his oldest brother and youngest sister? Finding *them* in passenger lists added another layer to their stories. For example, William, the oldest son, apparently was the "scout" of the family, was already in the U.S. having arrived two years earlier. At first glance he appeared to be traveling alone since there were no others with his surname on the page.



Further examination of the manifest revealed another Hoare family also from Kent and traveling to the same place—Syracuse, New York.



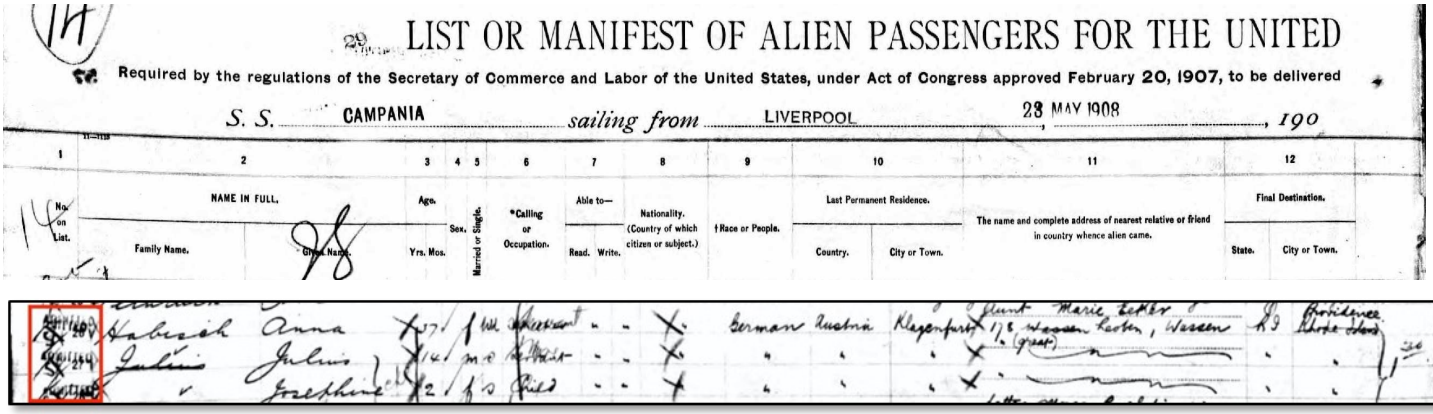
Manifest, SS *Servia*, arriving 6 March 1893; p. 1, entry for William Hoare and p. 2 for James M. Hoare; "New York Passenger and Crew Lists (including Castle Garden and Ellis Island), 1820-1957," digital images, *Ancestry* (www.ancestry.com : accessed 16 September 2020), citing NARA microfilm publication M237, roll 603.

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With additional investigation it was discovered James M. was a second cousin of William's father. It must have been difficult traveling to a new country across unfamiliar waters at the age of 19 but having relatives on the same ship surely made things easier. So not only did I discover the first immigrant in the chain migration of this family, I added more relatives to my family tree.

Occasionally you will see notations in the margins of the lists or abbreviations. These should be explored. The example below shows the Habisch family traveling in 1908 from Hamburg, Germany to the U.S. This family was detained upon arrival, but later admitted, but why? Aliens were detained for a variety of reasons, but what can the passenger list tell us? Their entry passenger manifest consists of three pages: a detailed two-page listing and, at the end of the document, they appear in a list of detainees. (To learn more, see the resource list.)

Notice the stamp "admitted" over the abbreviation "SI."

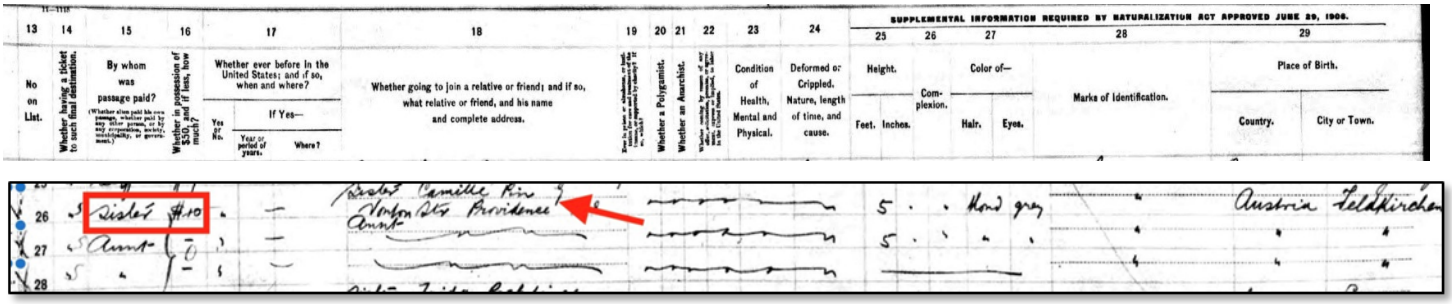

LIST OR MANIFEST OF ALIEN PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED

Required by the regulations of the Secretary of Commerce and Labor of the United States, under Act of Congress approved February 20, 1907, to be delivered

S. S. CAMPANIA sailing from LIVERPOOL 28 MAY 1908, 190

1	2		3	4	5	6	7		8	9	10		11	12	
No. on List.	NAME IN FULL. Family Name.	Given Name.	Age. Yrs.	Mos.	Sex. Married or Single.	*Calling or Occupation.	Able to— Read.	Write.	Nationality. (Country of which citizen or subject.)	†Race or People.	Last Permanent Residence. Country.	City or Town.	The name and complete address of nearest relative or friend in country whence alien came.	Final Destination. State.	City or Town.
19	Habisch	Anna	27		M										
20	Julius	Julius	1		M										
21		Josephine	2		F										

Notice Anna's sister had paid for the passage and Anna had only $10 with her.


13	14	15	16	17		18	19	20	21	22	23	24	SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION REQUIRED BY NATURALIZATION ACT APPROVED JUNE 29, 1906. 25	26	27	28	29	
No. on List.	Whether having a ticket to such final destination.	By whom was passage paid?	Whether in possession of $50, and if less, how much?	Whether ever before in the United States; and if so, when and where? Yes/No.	If Yes— Year or period of years. Where?	Whether going to join a relative or friend; and if so, what relative or friend, and his name and complete address.	Whether a Polygamist.	Whether an Anarchist.			Condition of Health, Mental and Physical.	Deformed or Crippled. Nature, length of time, and cause.	Height. Feet.	Inches.	Complexion.	Color of— Hair.	Eyes.	Marks of Identification.	Place of Birth. Country.	City or Town.
26		Sister	$10			Sister Camille Rio Providence							5			Hond	grey		Austria	Feldkirch
27		Aunt				Aunt							5			"	"		"	"
28		"	"			"							"			"	"		"	"

Manifest, SS *Campania*, arriving 31 May 1908; p. 58-59, entry for Habisch family; "New York Passenger and Crew Lists (including Castle Garden and Ellis Island), 1820-1957," digital images, *Ancestry* (www.ancestry.com : accessed 16 September 2020), citing NARA microfilm publication T715, roll 1108.

After the ship had docked and the passengers inspected, another list was drawn up of detainees. The causes for any detentions was listed as well as the outcomes. For the Habisch family note the "L.P.C." designation. This is an abbreviation for "likely public charge" and meant that the traveler did not have the minimum amount of cash required and could have been a burden to the state. Those detained had to wait until someone brought or wired the necessary funds. On 2 June 1908 Anna and her family were admitted, likely being rescued by the sister living in Providence, Rhode Island, her final destination.

Resources

Books in the SAGHS library:

- Colletta, John P. *They Came in Ships*. Rev. 3d ed. Salt Lake City, Utah: Ancestry, Inc., 1993. The **quintessential guide** to searching passenger lists and indexes. RF 24000 (1)

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- Tepper, Michael. *Passengers to America*. Baltimore, Maryland: Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc., 1978." RF 00001 (14)
- Filby, P William. *Passenger and Immigration Lists Index: A Guide to Published Arrival Records of ... Passengers who Came to the United States and Canada in the Seventeenth, Eighteenth, and Nineteenth Centuries*. 3 volumes plus annual supplements. Detroit: Gale Research Co., 1981-___. Alphabetized lists of published passenger lists, some from naturalization records. RF 24003 series.

Websites

Ancestry
- https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/7488/ New York Passenger Lists
- https://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/1068/ Hamburg Passenger Lists

Cyndi's List, for general and specific localities
- https://www.cyndislist.com/ships/general-links/
- https://www.cyndislist.com/ships/specific/

FamilySearch wiki. https://www.familysearch.org/wiki/en/Main_Page. Enter "passenger lists" in the search box.

Ways to find elusive names.
https://www.familysearch.org/wiki/en/Guessing_a_Name_Variation

Meaning of notations on the passenger lists as well as other useful information.
- http://www.jewishgen.org/infofiles/manifests/detained/
- https://stephendanko.com/blog/268

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The SAGHS Finance Committee, submitted the FY 2020-21 budget to the SAGHS Board with an expected $8,300 deficit. Thanks to another disbursement from the Dwyer Estate, the amended the budget projects a $700 surplus, along with other improvements mentioned in the President's message. The amended budget is attached to this Newsletter.

The Finance Committee is also fine-tuning a letter to go out to the membership for our Annual Fund Drive, and hopes to complete that effort for a mailing in late October.

Finally, the Committee reviewed our *Investment Policy and Financial Management Plan* and recommended no changes this year, and the Board of Directors concurred. You can review the Policy on our SAGHS website, and comments to the Finance Committee are welcome at any time.

Submitted by Bill Myers



Happy Halloween

Meetings

Sat. October 10:
Board Meeting 10 am
Roosevelt Auditorium

Our Seminar on October 24 will also be our Official Membership Meeting

The next Membership Meeting will be on January 16, 2021 at 10 am
Roosevelt Auditorium



WELCOME

New Member

Cassandra Pete

Submitted by Nancy Mabie

We have a new Registrar!!

The position of Registrar has now been filled by Barbara J. Wright.

Thank you Barbara!

She will be working with a team of research volunteers including: Robert Schenk, James Campbell, Thomas Baynum, Nancy Mabie and Steve Mabie. Thanks to all for volunteering. If anyone else would like to help do some research, please contact Barbara at registrar@txsaghs.org and let her know that you are willing to help.

New Book Selection Chair

Thanks to Kitty Massey for filling the role of Book Selection Chair.

Submitted by Steve Mabie

New Books

A partial listing of the new books that have been received and entered into our catalogue is on page 10. The remainder of the listing will be published in the next Newsletter.

Submitted by Bev Rakowitz

Help Wanted!

We are still in need of volunteers for the following:

Buildings Committee Chairperson, one who will oversee: the Grounds Maintenance Subcommittee (Smitty), Building Maintenance (vacant) and Chair the Campus Planning Subcommittee (which currently includes Charles Brussells and Nancy McNamara). The goal of this committee will be to prioritize the funded and unfunded Capital Improvements.

Buildings Maintenance, one who can identify needed repairs (eg. burned out light bulbs, leaks, plumbing issues, etc.) and to make sure they get corrected either by doing the repair, or making sure a contractor (or other volunteer) will make the repair. This person also monitors the schedule of preventive maintenance actions (eg. A/C filter replacement, Annual HVAC inspections and Irrigation System Backflow Inspection).

Parliamentarian—one to attend the Board and Society meetings and advise on Roberts Rules of Order.

If interested, please contact Steve Mabie at:
President@txsaghs.org or call 210-490-9997

Submitted by Steve Mabie

MEMORIAL

William (Bill) Suberg, Member
Passed away September 18, 2020

Memorial donations in his name can be made in person during normal Library hours, or with a check mailed to: SAGHS Memorials, 911 Melissa Dr., San Antonio, TX 78213-2024 *(Please direct your memorial in the memo section of your check.)*

Funds donated for Memorials are used to purchase Library Collection Resources.

Upcoming Events

Classes are in the new classroom in the Dwyer Center
Located at the corner of Blanco & Melissa Dr. next to the Library, except where noted.

COVID-19 Restrictions will be followed,

Pre-register in person during Library Hours or via email to:
education@txsaghs.org

WALK-INS MAY BE TURNED AWAY

Saturday Oct. 3 & 10
DNA Consultation Hour
10, 11, and noon
(limit 1 per hour)
Annette Graham

Wednesday Oct. 7
Beginning Genealogy Part 2
10:00 am—2:30pm
Stephanie Wells

Wednesday Oct. 14
Family Tree Maker/Wikitree
10 am—noon
Scott Atkinson

Tues. Oct. 20—Fri. 23
Annual Duplicate Book Sale
10:00 am-4:00 pm

Sat. Oct. 24
Annual Seminar (Virtual)
9:00-Noon
J. Mark Lowe
Registration Deadline Oct. 17

For up to date information about cancellations, please go to our website: www.txsaghs.org

New Books

Call Number	Title	Author
FH Hoffman	Frank and Effie Hoffmans of Somerset, Texas 1889-1996, The	Hoffman, Glenn and Lillian
FH Mason	Five George Masons, The; Patriots and Planters of Virginia and Maryland, Second Edition	Copeland, Pamela C. & Richard K. MacMaster
MS 00002 (1)	Mississippi Rifles; A Muster Listing of All Known Mississippi Soldiers, Sailors and Marines Who Served in the Mexican War, 1846-1848	Howell, H. Grady, Jr.
NC dupl7	Duplin County Wills 1730-1860; Genealogical Abstracts	Murphy, William L. (Bill)
RF 00000 (269)	In Their Words; A Genealogist's Translation Guide to Polish, German, Latin, and Russian Documents: Volume I: Polish	Shea, Jonathan D. & William F. Hoffman
RF 00000 (270)	In Their Words; A Genealogist's Translation Guide to Polish, German, Latin, and Russian Documents; Volume Four: German	Hoffman, William F. and Jonathan D. Shea
RF 00005 Rare Book	History of the Easel-Shaped Monument and a Key to the Principles and Objects of the Grand Army of the Republic and Its Co-Workers	Carnahan, J. W.
RF 00006 (3)	Courthouse Indexes Illustrated	Rose, Christine
RF 01004 (85)	Mayflower 500, The; Five Hundred Notable Descendants of the Founding Families on the Mayflower	Roberts, Gary Boyd
RF 01004 (86)	In Search of Mayflower Pilgrim Susanna White-Winslow	Allan, Sue
RF 01004 (87)	Philippe de Lanoy or Philip Delano of the "Fortune" 1621 and His Descendants...	Cushing, Muriel Curtis
RF 01004 (88)	Mayflower Migration; Immigrants to Plymouth, 1620	Anderson, Robert Charles
RF 02000 (17)	Researching Scots-Irish Ancestors; The essential genealogical guide to early modern Ulster, 1600-1800	Roulston, William J.
RF 10004 (124)	First 24 Hours of the American Revolution, The; An Hour by Hour Account of the Battles of Lexington, Concord, and the British Retreat on Battle Road	Crowder, Jack Darrell
RF 14004 Rare Book	Camp-fire Chats of the Civil War;...Bivouac and Battle Field, as Related by Veteran Soldiers Themselves...	Davis, Washington
RF 21004 Rare Book	Ocean to Ocean on Horseback; Being The Story of a Tour in the Saddle from the Atlantic to the Pacific...	Glazier, Captain Willard
SC fair4	Fairfield Sketchbook, A	Bolick, Julian Stevenson

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Library & Class capacities may be restricted due to COVID-19

Library Hours:
Sun.: 1 pm – 5 pm
Mon.: 10 am - 4 pm
Wed.: 10 a m – 7 pm
Sat.: 10 am — 4 pm

Library Closures:
Membership Meeting dates: Library will open after the meeting

New Years Day, Easter, Mothers Day, Memorial Day, 2nd Sat in June (Founders Day), Fathers Day, July 4, Labor Day, 4th Sat in October (Seminar), Christmas Eve & Day. *Early closings on Thanksgiving & New Years Eves.*

Genealogy Tidbits

Legacy Family Tree webinars:

To register go to: familytreewebinars.com

Additional details also can be found on the website.
Note: *The webinars remain on their website for viewing for 3 days from the air date, in case you miss the date, and are not a Legacy subscriber.*

Tues. Oct. 6 at 8pm: "Advanced DNA Techniques: Deductive Chromosome Mapping" by Blaine Bettinger Ph.D. J.D.

Wed. Oct. 7 at 1 pm: "Wringing Every Drop out of YDNA" by Roberta Estes.

Thurs. Oct. 8 at 11 am: "From Generation to Generation: An Updated Look at Kinship Determination" by Judy G. Russell J.D., CG, CGL.

Thurs. Oct. 8 at 12:15 pm: "Geo Genealogy as a Problem Solving Tool: The Case of a 19th Century Female Teenage Immigrant" by J.H. (Jay) Fonkert CG.

Wed. Oct. 14 at 7 pm: "Dealing with Endogamy" by Paul Woodbury.

Tues. Oct. 20 at 7 pm: "Using DNA Test Results to Confirm a Pedigree" by Angela Parker McGhie CG.

Wed. Oct. 21 at 1 pm: "Comparing Genealogy Giants 2020: Ancestry, FamilySearch, Findmypast, MyHeritage" by Sunny Morton.

Wed. Oct. 28 at 1 pm: "In Black and White: Find Historical Newspapers From Around the World" by Gena Philibert-Ortega.

Fri. Oct. 23 at 1 pm: "How Old Did He Have To Be?" by Judy G. Russell J.D., CG, CGL

American Ancestors webinars:

To register go to:
https://www.americanancestors.org/education/online-classes#ar

Thurs. Oct. 15 at 2 pm "Using Bank Records in Family History Research" by Eileen Pironti.
Cost: FREE

Note: SAGHS computers have access to the American Ancestors database.

** all times are stated as Central Time Zone*



SAN ANTONIO GENEALOGICAL and HISTORICAL SOCIETY

911 MELISSA DR., SAN ANTONIO, TX 78213

Virtual Seminar with J. Mark Lowe

24 October 2020

Online registration begins September 1, 2020 at www.txsaghs.org

Members $30.00, Non-Members $40.00

Quilt Tickets $1.00 each Please submit order with registration

Once you register, a link will be emailed to you that will allow you to view these four pre-recorded presentations by J. Mark Lowe at your leisure between 3-31 October 2020:

The Migration Triangle: Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Kentucky, Tennessee
Discover what prompted our ancestors to follow the Migration Triangle and continue westward. Learn the paths they followed and the process for finding those elusive settlers.

Ready-Set-Plan! Developing a One-Step Research Plan
Learn a simple technique for breaking down difficult research problems into manageable segments, sharpen your techniques, evaluate your sources, and map a new course.

Making Those Early Census Records Talk to You: Stop avoiding those pre-1850 census records. Turn those 1's and 0's into clues and lively pictures of your family. Learn to ask questions that lead to answers.

My Ancestor, the Farmer: Shaping a profile for your Rural Ancestor: Farming is a proud and honorable occupation. Develop a rich profile of your farming ancestor and community using available resources.

Then on Saturday, 24 October 2020, we will have the following live presentations by Mark:

Time (CDT)	**Topic**
9:00 a.m.	***Pioneers of the Frontier: Using online Newspapers to Find Early Settlers***
10:00 a.m.	***Is it Really Online? How to Find & Use Authentic Sources at Home or at the Library***
11:10 a.m.	Questions & Answers with J. Mark Lowe

Name (required)_____

Address _____

E-Mail (required)_____

Phone (required)_____

 # Quilt tickets ($1.00 ea) _____No. Registrations: _____ = Total Enclosed: _____

Drop off or Mail this form with a check to SAGHS by 17 October
OR you can register on-line and pay through Pay Pal (you do not need to have a PayPal account).

SAGHS BUDGET 2020-2021
AMENDED AS OF SEPTEMBER 19, 2020

AMENDED REVENUE	Budget 2020-2021	AMENDED EXPENSES		Budget 2020-2021
ORDINARY REVENUE		**ORDINARY EXPENDITURES**		
DIRECT PUBLIC SUPPORT		**FAC & EQUIP**		
Dwyer Estate	$ 9,000.00	**BUILDING** (2 bldgs)		
Annual Fund Drive	$ 8,000.00	Building	Repairs & Maint	$ 500.00
Donations and grants	$ 1,500.00	HVAC and filters etc		$ 800.00
IN Kind Dwyer	$ -	HVAC Supplies		$ 240.00
Non-MemberDonations	$ 500.00	Cleaning Company		$ 3,000.00
Memorials/Honorariums	$ 600.00	Property Insurance		$ 12,200.00
Quilt Tickets	$ 1,000.00	CPS Energy		$ 7,000.00
Seminar Basket Tickets	$ -	SAWS		$ 2,600.00
Registrar Fees/Donations	$ 120.00	Mortgage Interest /alarm monitor		$ 540.00
Building Maint	$ 150.00	Lawn Service		$ 1,680.00
Total Public Support	$ 20,870.00	Outdoor Supplies(flowers, plant food)		$ -
INVESTMENT INCOME			**Facilities Total**	$ 28,560.00
Bank Interest--general	$ -	**OPERATIONS and Office**		
Dividends--General	$ 400.00	**SHARED EXPENSE ALL DIVISIONS**		
Dwyer Inv Income(net of fees)	$ -	Copier Rental		$ 1,520.00
Total General Fund Inv Income	$ 400.00	Postage/shipping: OUT		$ 400.00
OTHER (sales tax included)		Office Supplies/copy paper		$ 1,000.00
Membership Dues	$ 19,000.00	Legal Fees		$ 1,000.00
Photocopies--Internal	$ 400.00	Treasurer	2021 tax and software support	$ 1,000.00
Sales nontaxable books	$ 3,000.00	Fees--paypal, Safe deposit box etc		$ 410.00
Sales taxable books and other items	$ 400.00	Supplies kitchen:coffee, paper goods		$ 300.00
Shipping & Handling sales items	$ 100.00	ATT Telephone, Internet (allocate)		$ 1,000.00
Fiesta Medals	$ 1,000.00		Auditorium set up	$ -
Miscellaneous	$ 100.00		Lib and Dwyer phones	$ -
Total of Other Income	$ 24,000.00	Software upgrades		$ -
PROGRAM REVENUE		Insurance: D&O & Liab		$ 1,600.00
Seminar	$ 4,000.00	**MEMBERSHIP**	Recognition	$ -
Founders Day	$ 2,500.00	Supplies Membership		$ 100.00
Classes	$ 800.00	Yearbooks	100 reduce color pix	$ 400.00
First Families	$ 100.00	**EXTERNAL AWARENESS**		
Computer Copies/Forms	$ 100.00	Library Brochures (not color)/Promotion		$ 400.00
Total Program Revenue	$ 7,500.00	Annual Fund drive		$ 200.00
		Fiesta Medals		$ 500.00
TOTAL GENERAL REVENUE	$ 52,770.00		**OPERATIONS TOTAL**	$ 9,830.00
LESS:		**EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS**		
Receivedfrm Dwyer		**Library Services**		
			Library Book Purchases	$ 600.00
			Supplies Library	$ 200.00
			Genealogy Online Programs	$ 1,600.00
			New: Find My Past	$ -
			New: Geneology Bank	$ -
			Dues, Subscripts., Periodicals - Other	$ 600.00
		Archival Services		
			Boxes--Archival quality	$ -
			Offsite archival Storage	$ -
		PUBLICATION		
			1 New book (50) and reprints	$ 2,000.00
			Our Heritage Print/mail(2 iss)	$ 3,000.00
			Newsletter mailing to 10	$ 100.00
			Print/copy-internal	$ 500.00
			Postage,Shipping, Delivery	$ 600.00
			Website	$ 500.00
			SAGHS book donations to other orgs	$ -
		EDU EVENTS	**Total Educational**	$ 9,700.00
			Seminar	$ 2,000.00
			Founders Day	$ 2,000.00
			Program/Speakers Fees or Honorariums	$ -
			Dwyer Dedication	$ -
			Member Recognition	$ -
			Total Events	$ 4,000.00
Operational Rev for Budget	$ 52,770.00		**TOTAL EXPENSE**	$ 52,090.00
Additional Funds from Dwyer Es	$ 91,000.00	**Capital Items**		
			Reserve for Future Year	$ 50,000.00
			Reserve for Emergencies	$ 16,000.00
			Capital Improvements	
			Annex Update	$2,500.00
			Auditorium Projection System	$7,500.00
			Other priortized capital projects	$15,000.00 $ 25,000.00
ALL FUNDS FOR FYE 6/30/2021	$ 143,770.00	**ALL EXPENDITURES FOR FYE 6/30/2021**		$ 143,090.00
		NET INCOME AFTER CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS BUDGET		$ 680.00