



Eastside Genealogical Society

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THE BULLETIN BOARD

Tonight Mary Magnuson will talk to us about Migration Patterns. People followed logical paths in going from one place to another. They had reasons for moving. An understanding of these patterns can help us trace them.

In November Bill Dollarhide will present his Genealogical System. This will be of special value to those who wish to learn how to organize their work. He has done considerable work on a system of putting genealogical records on the computer.

Our December speaker will be Carmen Westover who will talk about the Huguenots.

January we don't plan to have a speaker. Rather we will share our work with each other. A meeting like this can often be of the most help in getting ideas.

We would like to welcome Mary Mayne back as a member. She hasn't been to any meetings for some time and we have missed her. Her address is 14541 S. E. 26th, Bellevue, WA 98007, 746-0177

New members we would like to welcome are:

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MO, Kentucky
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Anyone interested in genealogy is welcome to attend our meetings. Our membership is growing rapidly. The main purpose of our organization is to assist all of those interested in learning about their ancestors and other relatives.

Jan Pankratz, assisted by others from EGS, will conduct two classes at the Issaquah Library on October 19th and October 26th. These will be from 9 to 12. The first class will cover Family Information, Vital Records, and Census Records. The second class will cover Probate Records, Land Records, Church Records, and Military Records. There will be no charge for these classes. Supplies will be for sale at the library.

Plans for the Eastside Genealogical trip to Salt Lake City are going forward nicely. The group will leave by train on November 4th and return on November 9th. While in Salt Lake City they will stay at the Temple Square Hotel. If you would like more information about the trip call Billie Holnagel, 747-2906.

On October 12th Mr. Denis J. Hjelm of Pacific Lutheran University will conduct a Scandinavian Genealogy Workshop at Tacoma Community College from 9 to 3. The fee for this workshop is \$25. If you wish further information or would like to register for the workshop call 756-5035.

The Tacoma-Pierce County Genealogical Society will present Mr. Willard Heiss in a seminar on Midwest Church Records and Courthouse Records in the Old Northwest: Ohio, Indiana, Illinois. The seminar will be held at St. Joseph's Hospital, Tacoma, Washington on Saturday, October 19th from 8:30 to 3:30. The fee will be \$16 for a single registration or \$22 for a dual registration. For further information call 752-6067 or 759-4043.

The Seattle Genealogical Society is sponsoring a Genealogy Research Seminar on Washington State on Saturday, November 16th, at the YWCA, 5th and Seneca. Call the SGS office, 682-1410 for further information.

The new Genealogy Library in Salt Lake City will open on October 25th. The address is 35 N. 200 W. Temple Street. This is a five story building, a much larger facility than the one that is now being used.

The Bellevue LDS Library is looking for volunteers to help out. If you are interested in giving a few hours a week contact Mr. Harlowe Langfelder, 747-8130. You need not be a Mormon to offer your services.

Are you doing Scandinavian research? Mary Magnuson recently visited the library at Pacific Lutheran University at Parkland, just outside of Tacoma, and found that they have a large amount of Scandinavian material. They do not have a Genealogy Department as such. The material is mostly in the History Department. (This is true of most libraries,

notably the University of Washington Library). Among other items you will find a large number of Scandinavian and Northwest newspapers. They also have quite a bit of material on California.

The Washington Historical Society Library located at 315 N. Stadium Way, Tacoma, has a genealogy section and many old Northwest newspapers. They also have a large number of old pictures, many of them indexed by surname.

Have you ever asked a librarian if there is a biographical file? These files generally consist of newspaper clippings. The Seattle Public Library has one at the History desk. It contains many obituaries as well as other material. The University of Washington has a large biographical file in the Northwest Room. The holdings in these files will vary greatly from library to library. The one at Astoria, Oregon is unusually helpful in that they include any items that might be considered important regardless of the status of the person. I will be forever appreciative to them for the help I received from their file.

Lake View Cemetery, 1554 15th East, Seattle, has a very large file of obituaries from Seattle newspapers.

Mr. Pete Slater of Alpa Information Management Inc., 5907 5th Ave. South, Seattle, reports that he has 2 used Recordak 35 mm microfilm readers for sale for about \$200 each. If you are interested contact him at 763-2220 for further information.

Joyce Avery, 641-7982, has a microfische reader for sale. You may call her at 641-7982 if you are interested.

Do you have any information you think might be of interest to our membership? If so, please contact me, Betty Pfeiffer, at 823-9053.