



WVGS News

Oregon State Library

Call the Genealogy Volunteer at the Reference Desk by dialing the Volunteer phone number. Also patrons can leave a message at that number and the next volunteer will call back. The greeting will also be updated monthly with information about the upcoming meetings and programs. **The number is (503) 378-5708.**

This newsletter is available on the internet through our website at OSL in PDF format. In addition you can look at earlier issues as well as the current one. **Remember you can find WVGS at <http://oregon.gov/osl>**, then clicking on Genealogy on the right side of the screen. Also a research request form is there, as well as information on our DNA Project. **Also on the website is a complete list of publications available from WVGS and an order form.**

Ancestry.com is available on all computers in the library, with 2 computers reserved specifically for genealogical research.

Sept. 11: Tom O'Brien, "Doing German Research"

Oct. 9: Stephenie Flora: "The Whitman Massacre"

Nov. 13: (still unconfirmed) Joan Hunter, "Oregon DAR Library Resources"

Dec. 11: Annual WVGS Christmas Auction and Party

NORPAC Label Redemption Program

This money-making program is just to cut out the UPC code on **FLAV-R-PAC, Santiam, and WESTPAC products** and turn them in to WVGS. We then (as a nonprofit organization) mail them in once a year and receive 5 cents per label. **Labels can be turned in at any Saturday WVGS meeting, mailed to WVGS, or left at the Reference Desk at OSL.**

We'll continue with this program, but don't forget to cut out the labels and turn them in!

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Saturday Volunteers

Our agreement with Oregon State Library states that WVGS will provide Genealogy Volunteers whenever the library is open. This includes the Saturday that the Library is open for our meeting and to the public. It is important that our members help out or the library cannot be open for genealogy research. The following members have signed up to volunteer:

	<u>10 am—1 pm</u>	<u>1 pm—4 pm</u>
August 14th	Bob Baldwin	Joan Kaiser
September 11th	George Cropsey	Ruby Pantalone
October 9th		Bob Baldwin

Hospitality Chairperson Needed!

We are still in need of a Hospitality Chairperson. Sue Rempel is currently the Chair but also is now the Membership Vice-President, and would like to have someone else take over Hospitality. The main responsibilities are to help with our occasional potlucks, make sure there is a greeter for each general meeting and mail sympathy or get-well cards. If you could help out, please let me know!
Elizabeth Tice, WVGS President

WVGS Meeting 2010 Dates

January 9	May 8	September 11
February 20	June 12	October 9
March 13	July 10	November 13
April 10	August 14	December 11

WVGS Officers for 2010

Elected Officer

President: *Elizabeth Tice*

1st Vice-President (Program): *Bob Baldwin and Ruby Pantalone*

2nd Vice-President (Membership): *Suzan Rempel*

Recording Secretary: *Marilynn O'Neill*

Corresponding Secretary: *Linda Doran*

Treasurer: *Joan Kaiser*

Appointed Positions

Newsletter Editor: *Elizabeth Tice*

Beaver Brief Editor: *Sue Bell*

Librarians: *Jim Willhite and Susie Niggli*

Periodical Librarian: *Lorraine Busch and Elaine Cutting*

Volunteer Coordinator: *Susie Niggli*

Beginners' Class: *Joan Kaiser*

Publicity: *George Cropsey*



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Beaver Briefs

**Willamette Valley Genealogical Society's
DNA Project**

WVGS has a DNA Project for both men and women.

To join under WVGS:

1. Go to the State Library URL at: <http://oregon.gov/OSL/GRES/genealogy.shtml>
2. Click on Genealogy Research on the left.
3. Click on WVGS DNA Project.
4. Click on the Family Tree DNA icon in the middle of the page.
5. Scroll to the bottom of the next page and complete the form.
6. Click CONTINUE to complete the next screen.
7. Be sure to click only once when you are done so you order just one set.

You will receive a confirmation in your e-mail box that your order was taken. Remember: Only men can order the Y-DNA test, but both men and women can order the mtDNA. It is cheaper to order the Y-DNA 37 marker test as it will tell you that you have a common ancestor within genealogical time for persons you match. Lesser tests (12 markers) provide information on older ancestors prior to 600 years ago. However you may wish to start small and upgrade. For the mtDNA order both the HVR1 and HVR2 panels (mtDNA plus) as this will give you the best information on your ethnic origins. Again, you can start small and upgrade, if needed.

Questions?...

More information on Genetic Genealogy can be found at the following website by linking to its various pages (Click LEARN on the right side of the page):

www.familytreedna.com. If any of you have questions regarding DNA and which tests to order, please e-mail Emily Aulicino at: aulicino@hevanet.com.

Emily is WVGS' Project Administrator.

The DNA Project is open to anyone, not just WVGS members. You are not charged until you send in your test kit. You can do the DNA testing through WVGS and submit it to other groups.

Upcoming Seminar

The Genealogical Forum of Oregon, www.gfo.org, will have its Fall Seminar on Saturday, Oct. 23, 2010 at the Milwaukie Elks Lodge. Featured speaker will be Paula Stuart-Warren.

To access **Beaver Briefs**:

- Go to the WVGS website: <http://oregon.gov/OSL/>
- On the right side under "Services for..." is **Genealogy**. Click on **Genealogy**.
- Under **Willamette Valley Genealogy Society** at the top of the page is **Beaver Briefs**.
- Under **Beaver Briefs** is **Beaver Briefs Login**. Click on **Beaver Briefs Login**.
- Enter your password in the box and click on **Submit**.

The Summer Issue of **Beaver Briefs, Vol. 42, No. 3** is ready for viewing and printing. It is a pdf document so if you do not have the reader, you will have to download that first.

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This is our third issue online. Don't miss out on it! If you are unsure of your password, contact Liz Tice at eliztice@comcast.net.

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July Program

Our speakers for July were **Jerry Curry** and **Arlene Weible**, both from the Oregon State Library. Jerry talked about Historic Maps and Arlene talked about Federal Documents. Both gave excellent presentations, with valuable information, especially on the holdings in the Oregon State Library that can be of use to genealogists. Rather than try to summarize their hand-outs and risk leaving out something important, both hand-outs are include in the newsletter. Thank you Jerry and Arlene!

Genealogy & Historic Maps

Jerry Curry, Oregon State Library, jerry.w.curry@state.or.us, 503-378-5008

Oregon State Library Catalog (*how to search the OSL catalog*)

- Keyword Search (eg. Roseburg Maps)
- Subject search (eg. Roseburg Or Maps)
 - o Historic maps, ODOT maps, plat maps, topo maps, waterways, historic atlases, reproduction early maps, state/county maps
 - o Donation Land Claims, Census Rolls & Enumeration District boundaries
 - o City Directories – addresses, residential & business
 - o Oregon State Archives – Land Records:
<http://arcweb.sos.state.or.us/land.html>

Maps with Physical Features

- **Historic editions of USGS Topographical Maps (begin around 1900)**
 - o Topo maps @ OSL – Use OSL Catalog; Subject search to browse (e.g. Maps Oregon Salem Quadrangle)
 - o List of 15” topo maps at the Univ. of Oregon –
http://libweb.uoregon.edu/map/library_resources/holdings08_15min.html
 - o List of 7.5” topo maps at Univ. of Oregon –
http://libweb.uoregon.edu/map/indexes_static/75web/index.html
 - o List of Oregon quadrangles:
<http://egsc.usgs.gov/maplists/index.html>
- **Nautical Charts**
 - o Historic Series (before 1900) list at Univ. Of Oregon:
http://libweb.uoregon.edu/map/naut/nautical_hist.htm
 - o Historic Series Online:
http://historicalcharts.noaa.gov/historical/historical_zoom.asp
 - o Superseded series (after 1900) list at Univ. of Oregon:
http://libweb.uoregon.edu/map/naut/nautical_ss.htm

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Jerry Curry's hand-out on Genealogy and Historic Maps continued:

-Local Maps That Indicate Property Ownership

Within City Boundaries:

- Sanborn Fire Insurance Maps- begin in 1880's & run through 1950's – available online at OSL for State Patrons; microfiche version available in microfilm cabinet;
- List of Sanborns available at the Univ. of Oregon:
http://libweb.uoregon.edu/map/indexes_static/Sanborns.htm

Outside of City Boundaries

- Metzgers County Atlases - stored in Oregon Collection Tier 4 oversize; date coverage varies by county; late 1920's to 1950's; often lists "donation land claims" – list of Metzger Maps in Oregon:
http://libweb.uoregon.edu/map/indexes_static/metskers/index.html
- General Land Office Maps –mostly pre-1900:
<http://libweb.uoregon.edu/map/GIS/Data/Oregon/GLO/index.htm>
(township grid number needed)

To look up township grid number use OrMap –
<http://www.ormap.com>

Bibliographic Reference

USGS – Using Maps in Genealogy (available online as a downloadable PDF);
<http://erg.usgs.gov/isb/pubs/factsheets/fs09902.pdf>
<http://egsc.usgs.gov/isb/pubs/pubslists/fctsh.html>

Ancestry.com – Mapping Your Ancestors: Using Maps in Genealogical Research
<http://www.ancestry.com/learn/library/article.aspx?article=2470>

A few additional notes:

- Quadrangles are based on latitude and longitude.
- Sanborn Fire Insurance maps were used to evaluate fire risk. They don't show names, just buildings.
- Metzgers are township maps. The Oregon State Library has them for all Oregon counties.

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Federal Documents and Genealogy Research

Titles in Oregon State Library Collection

American State Papers, 1789-1837 [Ref. Room]

- Public Lands – 8 vols.
 - Land claims and transactions regarding public domain, including military bounty lands, preemption rights, claims by refugees, agreements with Indian Nations, and the settlement of private land claims on public domain that the United States acquired from foreign governments.
- Claims – 1 vol.
 - Contains a wide array of non-land-related claims from 1789 to 1823, including pensions, property destroyed by military action, relief of army contractors, militia claims, compensation for wages, and numerous other unique situations.
- Index - Grassroots of America; a computerized index to the American State papers: land grants and claims.
 - The most comprehensive name index to the Public Lands and Claims volumes.
- Online version: <http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/amlaw/lwsplink.html>

U.S. Congressional Serial Set, 1817-current [Tier 1]

Note: The State Library collection is not complete

19th century volumes contain the richest information for genealogists, including land claims, agency annual reports, lists of pensioners, petitions and request for relief, military registers.

- Lexis Nexis Congressional – Reference Room Resources – available in Reference Room only
 - Index only, no full text
- HeritageQuest Online – Salem Public Library, <http://0-www.heritagequestonline.com.kermit.ccrs.org/hqoweb/library/do/index>
 - This full text collection includes selected content, including private relief actions, memorials, and petitions. It also includes some American State Papers content.

Military Registers

List of officers including name, birth state, promotion history, station (state). The State Library holdings for some titles are incomplete.

Name	Dates	Call number (Tier 1)
Army List and Directory	1931-1941	W 3.10:
Army National Guard Register	1922-1943	W 70.5:
	951-1976	D 12.9:
Army Register	1848-1947	W 3.11:
	1948-1949	M 108.8:
	1959-1976	D 102.9:
Navy Register	1908-1947	N 1.10:
	1951-1985	D 208.12:

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Arlene Weible's hand-out on Federal Documents and Genealogy Research continued:

Older Military Registers are published in Congressional Serial Set.

Finding aid: <http://www3.wooster.edu/library//gov/serialset/agency.htm>

Official Register of the United States, 1853-1959 (vols. incomplete)

Lists name, title, position, residence (state), salary of “all persons in the service of the U.S.”

Date	Call number (Tier 1)
1853-1857	S 1.11:
1863-1905	I 1.25:
1907-1921, 1925-1932	C 3.10:
1933, 1936-1959	CS 1.31:

War of the Rebellion: a compilation of the official records of the Union and Confederate armies.

The most extensive collection of primary sources of the history of the American Civil War. They include selected first-hand accounts, orders, reports, maps, diagrams, and correspondence drawn from War and Navy Department records of both Confederate and Union governments.

OSL paper copies – W 45.5: [Tier 1], index in Ref Room.

Online: <http://digital.library.cornell.edu/m/moawar/waro.html>

Further reading

Genealogical resources in U.S. federal depository libraries [electronic resource] / compiled by Kevin D. Motes; with assistance by Fred Gomeringer and Steve Beleu. Oklahoma City: Oklahoma Dept. of Libraries, US Government Information Division, 2002, updated & edited by Clifton Broadworth, 2006.

<http://www.odl.state.ok.us/usinfo/GenealogicalResources.pdf>

Hartley, Jeffery. “Using the Congressional Serial Set for Genealogical Research.” Prologue 41, no. 1 (Spring 2009): 54-59.

<http://www.archives.gov/publications/prologue/2009/spring/congressional-serial-set.html>

Naylor, Chris. “Those Elusive Early Americans: Public Lands and Claims in the American State Papers, 1789-1837.” Prologue 37, no.2 (Summer 2005): 54-61.

<http://www.archives.gov/publications/prologue/2005/summer/state-papers.html>

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WVGS LIBRARY REPORT

**WVGS LIBRARY REPORT FOR
AUGUST 2010 NEWSLETTER**

By Jim Willhite

PERIODICALS

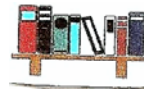
Featured Periodicals

WVGS is each month bringing a few issues of OSL's Genealogical and Historical Periodicals from the stacks for your review. OSL has a complete list by state. If you find something of interest, check to see if the Library has additional issues. We started with the "A's". The following will be on the shelves just inside the door in the Microfilm Room until after the August meeting and for the rest of the month. For most of the periodicals we have additional issues in the stacks, so ask the volunteer if you would like to see more.

Prepared by Eugene Newbill
Oregon State Library

- **Journal of the Jefferson County Genealogical Society (Jefferson City, TN), various issues (1995 – 1997)**
- **Journal of the West (Manhattan, KS), v.1 n.1 – v.39 n.2 (1962 – 2000)**
- **Joys of Genealogy: Relatively Speaking (Lebanon, OR), various issues (1999 – 2004)**
- **Kansas Historical Quarterly – Kansas State History Society (Topeka, KS), v.1 n.1 – v.54 n.4 (1931 – 1971)**
- **Kansas Review / The Kansas Council of Genealogical Societies, Inc. (Topeka, KS), various issues (1982 – 2007)**
- **Kentucky Ancestors / Kentucky Historical Society (Frankfort, KY), v.12 n.3 – v.24 n.4 (1977 – 1989)**
- **Kentucky Explorer (Jackson, KY), v.8 n.1 – v.22 n.7 (1993 – 2008)**
- **Kentucky Family Records / West-Central Kentucky Family Association (Owensboro, KY), various (1982 – 2007)**

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- **Louisville, KY), v.21 n.1 – v.28 n.2 (1979 – 1986)**
- **Kentucky Pioneer Genealogy and Records (Hartford, KY), v.1 n.1 – v.4 n.4 (1979 – 1982)**

July 2010 Periodicals

Prepared by Lorraine Busch

These periodicals are received by WVGS and at the Oregon State Library. Current issues and newsletters are kept in the Microfilm Room on the 2nd Floor. Previous issues are cataloged and stored in the stacks, available for use when requested:

- **CA, (Fresno), "The Jotted Line", Fresno Genealogical Society, June 10**
- **CA, (Fresno), "The Jotted Line", Fresno Genealogical Society, July 10**
- **CA, (Sonoma), "The Sonoma Searcher", Sonoma County Genealogical Society, V 37 No 3, Spring 10**
- **CO, "Pinon Whispers", (Southeastern Colorado) Genealogical Society, V 31 No 2, Summer 2010**
- **CT, "Connecticut Genealogy News", Connecticut Genealogy Society of Genealogists. V 3 No 2, Summer 10**
- **GA, "Georgia Genealogical Society Quarterly", V 45, No 3, Fall 2009**
- **GA, "Georgia Genealogical Society Quarterly" V 46, No 1, Spring 10**
- **GA, (Coweta, Old Campbell), "The Coweta Courier", Coweta County Genealogical Society, V 29 No 4, Summer 10**
- **IL, "The Genealogy Society of Southern Illinois Newsletter", V 38, No 7 July-Aug 10**
- **IL, (Will, Grundy) "Will-Grundy Counties, Illinois Genealogical Society Quarterly", V 28, No 3 Spring 10**
- **IL, "The Saga of Southern Illinois", V 37 No 2, April-June 10**
- **KA, "Kansas Review", Kansas council of Genealogical Societies**
- **MI, (Calhoun), "Generations", Calhoun County Genealogical Society, V 22 No, 5 May-June 10**
- **NC, "NCGS News", North Carolina Genealogical Society, V 23 No 3, Summer 10**
- **NE, (Holt), "Holt County Historical Genealogical Society Newsletter", V 36 No 1, May 10**
- **NY, "Journal", Western New York Genealogical Society, V 37 No 1, June 10**

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- NY, “Journal Index”, Western New York Genealogical Society, V 36 June 09-March 10
- OH, “Ohio Genealogy News”, Ohio Genealogical Society Library, V 41 No 2, Summer 10
- OH, “Ohio Genealogical Society Quarterly” V 50 No 2, Summer 10
- OK, (Pittsburg), “Tobucksy News”, Pittsburg County Genealogical and Historical Society, V 27, No 2, May 10
- OK, (LeFlore), “The LeFlore County Heritage” Poteau Valley Genealogical Society, V 30 No 2, April 10
- OR, “The Forum Insider”, Genealogical Forum of Oregon, V 22 NO 1, July 10
- OR, (Clackamas) “The Clackamas Legacy”, Clackamas County Family History Society, V 23 No 2, April-May-June 10
- OR, (Crook) “Crook County Gen Society Newsletter”, July, Aug, Sept, 10
- OR, (Deschutes), “The Homesteader”, Deschutes County Historical Society, June 10
- OR, (Deschutes), “The Homesteader”, Deschutes County Historical Society, July 10
- OR, (Douglas), “The Meadowlark”, Crook County Historical Society, May 10
- OR, (Douglas), “Douglas County Pioneer”, Genealogical Society of Douglas County, V 24 No 2, June 10
- OR, (Grant), “Newsletter”, Grant County Genealogical Society, V 16 No 2. June 10
- OR, “Trees from the Grove”, Cottage Grove Genealogical Society, V 23 No 1 & 2, Jan-June 10
- OR, (Linn), “The Heritage Newsletter”, Linn Genealogical Society, V 24 No 6, June 10
- OR, (Hood River, Wasco, Sherman), “Tales and Trails”, Columbia Gorge Genealogical Society, V 24 No, 2, June 10
- OR, (Washington), “The Genea-Log”, Genealogical Society of Washington Co., V 19, No 3, July 10
- OR, (Sherman), “The Plow”, Sherman County Historical Society, Spring 10
- PA, “Legacies” The Historical Society of Pennsylvania, V 10 No 1, May 10
- WA, “The Sounder”, Sno-isle Genealogical Society, V23 N0 4, Fall 2009

- WV, (Fayette, Raleigh), “News Notes”, Fayette and Raleigh Counties Genealogical Society, V 27 No 2, Summer 10
- “Der Kurier V 28, No 2, June 10
- “FGS Voice”, Federation of Genealogical Societies, V17 No 5, May 10
- “FGS Voice”, Federation of Genealogical Societies, V17 No 6, June 10
- “The New England Historical and Genealogical Register”, N.E. Historical Genealogical Society, V 164 No 654, April 10

Periodicals On Line Catalogued at OSL:

- OR, “The Rogue Digger”, Rogue Valley Genealogical Society, All publications after March 2010 can be seen at www.rvgsociety.org/News.html

PURCHASES AND DONATIONS

The following purchases and donated material to OSL may not be immediately available. The books and micro-film have to be cataloged and put into the OSL system and the CD's installed on the hard drive before they are available for use. Books, Tapes, & Videos from the WVGS collection will be available for check out at the next meeting.

BOOKS PURCHASED FOR THE OREGON STATE LIBRARY BY WVGS

- Pocahontas' Descendants,
\$59.50 + \$5.00 S&H = \$64.50
- Roots for Kids, A Genealogy Guide for Young People
\$16.95 + \$2.50 S&H = \$19.45
- Unpuzzling Your Past.
\$16.95 + \$2.50 S&H = \$19.45
- German Immigrants in American Church Records, Volume 9: Iowa Southeast Protestant" = \$75.95



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BOOKS PURCHASED IN MEMORY OF FERNE HELLIE FOR OSL BY DONATIONS TO OSL

- Pieces of the Past, Ft. Harney Cemetery and An Historical Inventory of Harney County" from the Harney County Historical Society.

BOOK DONATED TO OTHER SOCIETY OR SALE TABLE BY Linda Wisner

- [Your Family Tree, being a glance at scientific aspects of genealogy, with a variety of examples](#)

BOOKS donated to Oregon State Library
by Frances Eddy

- Mayflower Families Through Five Generations, Volume Nine, Francis Eaton
- Mayflower Families Through Five Generations, Volume Ten, Samuel Fuller
- Royalty for Commoners
- Survey and Settlement Lafayette Colorado
- Centre County, Pennsylvania Records
- Mahoning County, Ohio, Estates: Decedent Index 1846 through 1900
- Crawford County PA. Cemetery Inscriptions Vol's 1, 2, 3, & 4
- [Cemetery inscriptions, Yamhill County, Oregon, Vol. II](#)
- Ancestry and Posterity of Dr. John Taliaferro and Mary (Hardin) Taliaferro
- Marion County Oregon Cemetery Inscriptions

PERIODICALS donated to Oregon State Library
by Frances Eddy

- The Sounder, Vol. XXIV, Issue II, 2nd Quarter 2010

BOOKS DONATED TO OTHER SOCIETY OR SALE TABLE BY Frances Eddy

- Mayflower Families Through Five Generations, Volume One,
- Ancestral Roots of Certain American Colonists Who Came to America before 1700
- Index to Soldiers Home, Roseburg, Oregon, 1894-1933
- 1880 Tillamook County, Oregon Census
- Revolutionary war pensions : a list of widows as of January 1, 1870
- Chronology of America



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- Chronology of Colonial and United States Wars
- Maps Showing The Development of Pennsylvania
- Marriage Licenses at Lancaster, PA, 1791-1799

PERIODICALS DONATED TO OTHER SOCIETY OR SALE TABLE BY Frances Eddy

- National Genealogical Society Quarterly, Vol. 82, #3
- Welcome Back to Pleasant Hill, More Recipes from the Trustees House Pleasant Hill, Kentucky

SUGGESTED PURCHASES - DONATIONS WANTED

Donors pay half and, WVGS's book fund pays the remaining half. Donations are tax deductible in accordance with section 501(c)(3) of the US Tax Code. The books go into our collection for use of our members, with donor's getting first use. When the books are no longer being checked out they are donated to the Oregon State Library for use of the public.

BOOKS – Suggestions Please
CD's - Suggestions Please

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WVGS Constitution:

Drafts of the proposed changes to the WVGS Constitution and Standing Rules were handed out at the July meeting. All proposed changes have been published in newsletters and discussed at meetings over the past two years. We will vote on the accepting the changes at the August meeting—finally! Thanks to Jim Willhite and Marilyn O'Neill who helped with this.

Ancestry.com

WVGS Officers Bob Baldwin, Linda Doran and Liz Tice met with Brian Peterson of Ancestry.com on July 14th. We looked at WVGS' publications. Many of our publications were acceptable to Ancestry and will be filmed by volunteers here at OSL to be added to Ancestry's online database. Details are still being worked on and we have not signed a contract yet. In exchange the OSL receives ancestry.com at no cost and WVGS will receive filming equipment.

Calculating a Birth Date

Do you ever have trouble calculating a birth date when you know the age at death and death date? ProGenealogists has a free Birth Date Calculator at:

<http://www.progenealogists.com/birthfromdeath.htm>

MEMBERSHIP REPORT By Suzan Rempel

In July, membership for 2010 was 18 Life Members, 76 single memberships, 15 family memberships (30 individuals), and 4 Historical/Genealogical Societies for a total of 128 members.

Welcome new members **Bonita Anderson** of Keizer, **Donna Briney** of Turner, and **Deloras Martin** of Corvallis!

ANNUAL DUES for the calendar year 2010 are \$20 for a single membership, \$25 to include spouse/family. LIFE MEMBERSHIP fees are \$250 for those under 70 years of age, \$200 for those 70 or over. Membership brings you the quarterly BEAVER BRIEFS and the monthly NEWSLETTER, and for Willamette Valley residents, the opportunity to check out books from the Society library. BEAVER BRIEFS is available to members on the WVGS website or at a cost of \$6.00 to cover the postage for 4 annual issues mailed to a member. Send your check and the form below to WVGS, PO Box 2083, Salem, OR 97308-2083, enclosing a SASE if you would like a membership card and receipt mailed to you. *Please notify us of address changes or corrections—the Post Office will not forward BEAVER BRIEFS or NEWSLETTERS.* Members' address labels show dues expiration date following EXP. Dues received after labels are printed will be reflected in the following months' labels.

SINGLE MEMBERSHIP

Pro-rated Amounts for new members only who join:

Jan-Mar: \$20 Apr-Jun: \$15
Jul-Sept: \$10 Oct-Dec: \$5

FAMILY MEMBERSHIP

Pro-rated Amounts for new members only who join:

Jan-Mar: \$25 Apr-Jun: \$18.75
Jul-Sept: \$12.50 Oct-Dec: \$6.25

WVGS MEMBERSHIP FORM Please if this is a NEW or RENEWAL membership

NAME

MAIDEN NAME

MAILING ADDRESS:
STREET:

SPOUSE'S NAME

CITY, STATE,
ZIP CODE:

TEL. AREA CODE & NO.

COUNTIES OF INTEREST - INCLUDING STATE ABBR.

E-MAIL ADDRESS:

May WVGS include the following in our published membership rosters? (please each item)

YOUR MAILING ADDRESS: YES NO YOUR TELEPHONE NUMBER: YES NO YOUR E-MAIL ADDRESS: YES NO

Amount enclosed -

\$ _____ for Annual Dues (\$20 individual or \$25 family membership), includes Beaver Briefs on-line

\$ _____ for postage to receive copies of Beaver Briefs in the mail (\$6)

\$ _____ payment for Life Membership Under age 70 Age 70 or Over

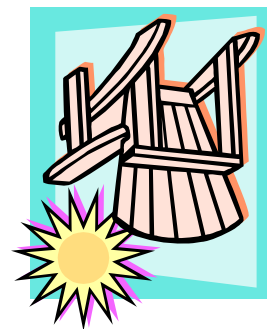
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SIGNATURE _____ Date _____

NAME-ADDRESS-PHONE	SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
Woodburn LDS Family History Center 1000 Country Club Rd. [back- ring bell] Woodburn, OR 97071 / 503-981-4731	CLOSED		9 am— 1 pm	CLOSED	5 pm - 9 pm	CLOSED	12 pm- 5 pm
Salem East LDS Family History Center 862 45th Ave NE Salem, OR 97301 / 503-371-0453	CLOSED		9 am— 4 pm	2 pm— 9 pm	CLOSED	9 am— 2 pm	9 am— 1 pm
Salem LDS Family History Center 4550 Lone Oak Rd SE Salem, OR 97302 / 503-378-0383 ext 7	4 pm— 7 pm	CLOSED	9 am— 9 pm	6 pm - 9 pm	9 am— 9 pm	CLOSED	CLOSED
Oregon State Library 250 Winter St NE Salem, OR 97301-3950 / 503-378-5013	CLOSED	Genealogy/Reference Room, 2nd Floor 10 am—5 pm (CLOSED State Holidays)					August 14th ONLY 10 am—4 pm
Oregon State Archives 800 Summer St NE Salem, OR 97310 / 503-373-0701	CLOSED	8 am—12 am and 1 pm—4:45 pm (CLOSED State Holidays)					CLOSED
Salem Public Library 585 Liberty St SE Salem, OR 97301 / 503-588-6052	Open 1 pm- 5 pm Sept-May	CLOSED	10 am—9 pm (CLOSED City Holidays)			10 am—6 pm	
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