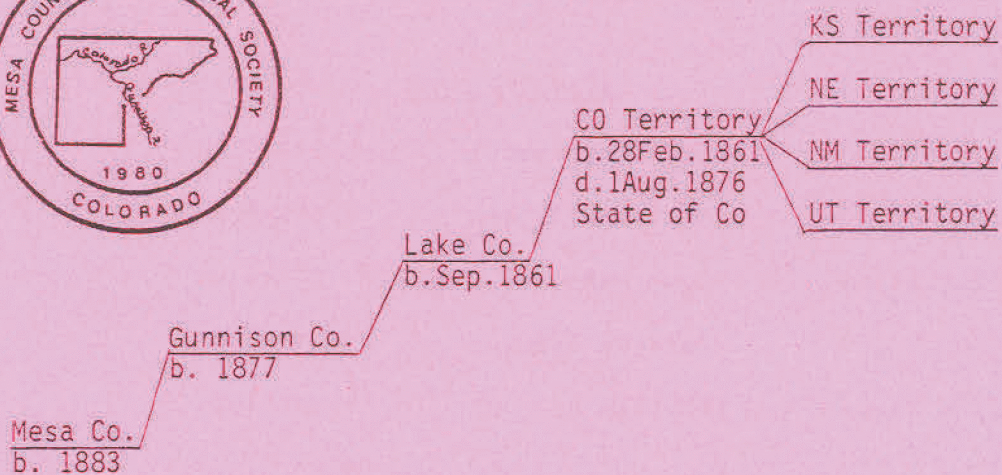
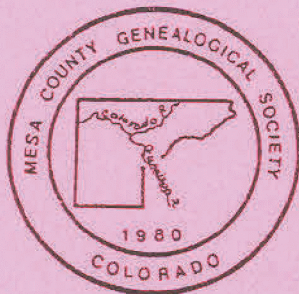


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PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

While visiting in Idaho, I came across some information that might be interesting and helpful to those of you doing German Genealogical research. The Thirty Years War in Europe between 1618 and 1648 led to a mass exodus from Germany. The destruction of property and records was so great that many returning to the area after the war could not even identify where their property had been. Around 1702 and 1709, William Penn went to Germany and offered these people religious freedom if they would move to Pennsylvania. Thousands came to America, but by 1727, some 69,000 German and Swiss immigrants were encouraged by the Pennsylvanians to give into the lure from Lord Baltimore to move into Maryland with 200 free acres. Germans took lead in settling the Great Valley of Virginia and began to occupy the northern end of the Shenandoah Valley between 1726 and 1730. Migrations took place on the Great Philadelphia Wagon Road. The initial German migrations from Pennsylvania were to Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North and South Carolina and Georgia. The English settlers tolerated them as a necessary buffer between them and the Indians and encouraged them to move farther inland to areas that are now Ohio, Illinois, Wisconsin and Northern Minnesota.

The German Genealogical Society of America, P.O. Box 291818, Los Angeles, CA 90029, has made available an ancestor database listing. There is no charge for this service, but all listings must be entered on Form 045, available from the Society. To be included in the database, an ancestral line must be ethnic German, and the earliest known ancestor must have been born in Europe.

Edna Anderson

NOTICE

May 11 Meeting: Meeting will be held at the Mesa County Public Library. The doors will be locked at 7:15. Please be prompt. If you are not there between 7:00 and 7:15 you will be locked out.

PROGRAMS

APR	ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION	Sue Martinez
MAY	MESA COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY	Terry Pickens
JUN	ROUND TABLE DISCUSSION	Donna Roberts
JUL	MUSEUM of WESTERN COLORADO	Judy Prosser-Armstrong

	<u>OBITS</u>	<u>REFRESHMENTS</u>
APR	Dorothy Inscho	Gertrude Schafer
MAY	Edna Anderson	None
JUN	Phyllis George	June Pearson

COLONIAL DAMES

Anyone interested in joining Colonial Dames are invited to a "Get Acquainted Luncheon" Jun 1, 1989 at the home of Rae Kern, 7077 S. 11th St. Please phone [REDACTED] for more information.

PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1989-1990

Balance on hand as Feb. 1989 (rounded off to dollars only) \$1,030.

Budget Committee proposes that \$200. be used to purchase a Certificate of Deposit, to be held in reserve for the publication of cemetery records. -200.

INCOME

Dues	470.	
Supplies	20.	
Birthday Book	27.	
Interest from Checking Acct.	50.	
Research	30.	
Seminar	50.	
Books (Marriage & Grandparents)	10.	
	<u>657.</u>	<u>+657.</u>
		1,487.

EXPENSE

Misc. (Operating Exp)	50.	
Quarterly	325.	
Seminar	45.	
Books	100.	
Supplies	20.	
Post Office Box Rent	39.	
Program Expense	10.	
Colorado Council	35.	
Publication	200.	
	<u>824.</u>	<u>824.</u>
		\$ 663.

Suggested Fund Raisers:

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Budget Committee:

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DUES

Dues are due and payable NOW. This will be the last quarterly you will receive until your dues are paid.

Our sympathies go to Mrs. George Zimmerman, who's husband George passed away last month.

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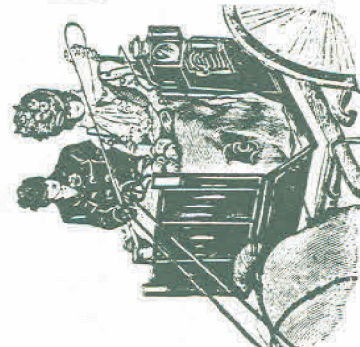
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