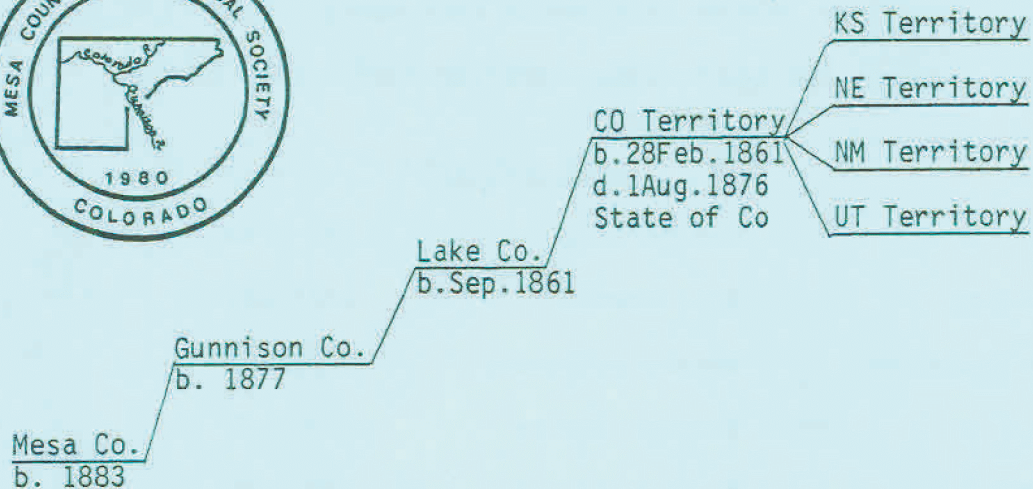
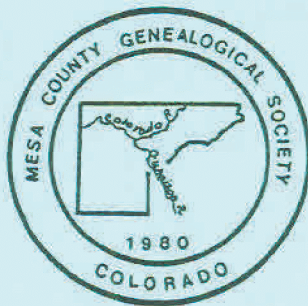


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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I hope everyone had a fun filled summer and did lots of genealogy work. This summer went by so fast for me and I did not accomplish much work on my genealogy lines. However I did help a friend on her mother's line. This friend worked with my husband for 11 years ago when we were in Pueblo, CO. She was in Grand Junction helping with the remodeling of Sears. In deciding what they were going to do for lunch one day, she said she was going to try and find her great grandmother's grave in Fruita. Rod had her give me a call. Neither of us knew the other was interested in genealogy. I got some information from her and then went to The Ancestor Shop. I asked Gene George for some help and he pulled up the cemetery records on the computer. I found the death date and that she was buried in Orchard Mesa Cemetery. I then went out to the cemetery and found her headstone. I also stopped by the library and found an obituary. The next day, this friend and I went back out to the cemetery where she took several pictures. She also got several new clues from the obituary. My good deed for the summer.

Our Aug picnic was a success and I think everyone who attended had a nice time. I want to Thank Donna Roberts, Margaret Lambert and Rita Edwards for doing such a good job in planning the picnic.

Happy Hunting,

Sue

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE FOR DECEMBER

I was reminded the other day of why I became interested in genealogy. I couldn't keep my great-grandparents straight. All but two of my great grandparents died before I was born. When my parents would talk about their grandparents I would get confused as to who belonged to who and what side of the family they were on. This went on for other family members as well. I did meet and see my grandparents brothers and sisters, but it was so seldom, they were strangers to me.

I finally had my mom help me write down my grandparents and great-grandparents names and birth dates. One thing led to another. I wanted to know when they got married. When they died. What were the names of their children? We wrote down all she (my mom) knew about the family. I knew a lot more than I thought I did. I could finally see how these strangers "fit" into my family. I now have pictures to put with some of the faces. I keep thinking, if I could find out just one more marriage date or one more name I would be able to quit. I don't think so.

Happy Holidays to each of you and keep searching!

Sue

NOTICE

Due to the serious illness and subsequent death of the Editor's husband, Gene H. George on 22 Oct 1990, the Sep and Dec Quarterlies have been consolidated into one. Please bear with us and the 1991 Quarterlies will come out as scheduled.

Thank you. Editor, Phyllis George

CHRISTMAS PARTY

TIME: 7:00 p.m.

PLACE: Sue Martinez

REFRESHMENTS: Finger Foods

The Christmas Party this year will be held 13 Dec 1990 at the home of Sue Martinez. Everyone is asked to bring their favorite finger food. The drink and service will be furnished.

Sue's address is [redacted] na [redacted], [redacted] se [redacted].
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Be thinking about a funny memory from a childhood Christmas. We also want you to tell what your ancestral background is, Scotch-Irish, German, etc.

Please try to be there as we always have lots of fun and plenty of good food.

OBITS

NOV 90	Edna Anderson
DEC 90	Shirley Powell
JAN 91	LaVeta Kay
FEB 91	JoLea Plumlee
MAR 91	Sue Martinez

REFRESHMENTS

Wynona Hennessy
Christmas Party
Shirley Ashley
Shirley Powell
Mattie Severson

PROGRAMS

DEC 1990	Christmas Party	Sue Martinez
JAN 1991	Preserving your Past For The Future	Judy Prosser-Armstrong
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Please let one of the officers know if you move. Thank you.

THANK YOU

I would like to take a little of your time and space to thank all of you for your cards - calls and for the wonderful meal the Genealogical Society provided for me and my family, following Gene's death. You'll never know how much it has meant having friends like you. Thanks again.

Sincerely,
Phyllis George
Phyllis George and Family

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IS THIS PART OF YOUR FAMILY HISTORY?

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DUES

Dues are due the 1st of March 1991. Enclosed is a membership form.

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