

# NCGS NEWS

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

*Ann Basnight*

Happy New Year!

It is our annual opportunity to embrace new aspirations and initiatives. Time does go by very fast these days. 2006 was very productive for our Society, as you can tell from all of the reports in this issue. We look forward to an even busier year in 2007.

To me, one of NCGS' most important objectives is education. This is why I stress the workshops as a tool for all of us. It is here that we learn new methods and techniques and forge relationships that will promote further learning in the future. The Program Committee already has a calendar full of educational opportunities from which all genealogists may profit. The first event is in Elizabeth City on March 24<sup>th</sup>--the Eastern Regional meeting with Pam Boyer Porter. Come and join us for a day of fun and learning with other family historians. One of the best aspects of a workshop is the opportunity to meet and talk with other genealogists. Who knows when we will find another cousin? Keep an eye out for other educational opportunities and put them on your calendar.

We also educate our membership through publications. We are open to new ideas and welcome anyone who would like to do a publication for us. Of course, the *Journal* is a suitable venue for shorter articles and I know editor Jeff Haines would appreciate contributions.

We can use all kinds of volunteers. There are lots of things you can do to help

out the society. We need computer savvy folks to help with publicity on line and the production of flyers and brochures. We also need folks who can stuff and mail these for us. We need researchers to work on transcribing deed indices for our website. (Contact me for specifics.) The website manager could use help in maintaining and adding features. There are so many ways to be a part of NCGS. Just contact us at [info@ncgenealogy.org](mailto:info@ncgenealogy.org) and sign up.

Please remember to mark your calendars May 16th to 19th for the National Genealogy Society's Conference in the States being held in Richmond. Even to attend for a single day would be a good experience. NCGS is sponsoring two lectures on North Carolina research given by Mark Lowe. Also the first ever Helen Leary Lecture Series will begin this year. Check it all out at [www.ngsgenealogy.org](http://www.ngsgenealogy.org) and click on the conference link.

We were so excited to learn recently that North Carolina has been selected to host the 2009 Conference in the States at the new Raleigh Convention center.

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## POST YOUR LOCAL EVENTS WITH NCGS

Who doesn't like free publicity? If your genealogical society or family association is planning a special event, please contact us. We can print a concise announcement in the *NCGS News* **and** display it on the NCGS website calendar. Write to the NCGS News Editor at [ncgsnewseditor@ncgenealogy.org](mailto:ncgsnewseditor@ncgenealogy.org) or alternatively, to [Calendar of Events](#).

North Carolina Genealogical Society, P.O. Box 22, Greenville, NC 27835-0022. Just remember to get your announcement in early enough to make our deadlines.

<u>Issue</u>	<u>Deadline</u>	<u>Issue mailed</u>
Fall	Aug 1 <sup>st</sup>	Oct 1 <sup>st</sup>
Winter	Nov 1 <sup>st</sup>	Jan 1 <sup>st</sup>
Spring	Feb 1 <sup>st</sup>	Apr 1 <sup>st</sup>
Summer	May 1 <sup>st</sup>	July 1 <sup>st</sup>

The sad truth is that the vast majority of notifications we receive are arriving long after the deadline required. Send your notice in time to get the word out and enhance participation!

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## HELEN F. M. LEARY LECTURE SERIES

As part of its mission to foster genealogical education, the Board for Certification of Genealogists' Education Fund has established the Helen F. M. Leary Lecture Series. It is named for Helen F. M. Leary, certified Genealogist (Emeritus), FASB, former BCG President and long-time trustee, who is known for her richly informative and entertaining lectures on methodology and regional subjects. Thomas W. Jones, PhD, CG, CGL, will present the first Helen F. M. Leary Lecture at the 2007 NGS Conference in Richmond. A current trustee and president, Jones has lectured frequently at national and regional conferences since 1997 on methodology and problem-solving topics. His topic for the inaugural lecture is "Honesty, Courtesy and Confidentiality: Ethics for Family Historians." The Board for Certification of Genealogists' Education Fund was established in 2000 to promote its own educational aims. Other programs sponsored by the fund are hands-on workshops on genealogical skills and grants for research. Contributions to aid the Fund's mission are accepted and tax deductible. Contact Kay H. Freilich, 395 Kerrwood Dr., Wayne, PA 19087, [khfreilich@att.net](mailto:khfreilich@att.net), for further information.

## NCGS STATEMENT CODE OF ETHICS

The North Carolina Genealogical Society encourages researchers to uphold high standards for their genealogical research, analysis, and publication. Care should be taken to document properly all information included in a genealogical work. Researchers should remember that the original document is the proper source for all information.

When the original cannot be found, careful analysis of secondary materials (including Internet sites) should be fully explained and sources cited.

Given modern technology and the ease of accessing information on the Internet, researchers are encouraged to respect the privacy of all living individuals by not sharing personal information via electronic media. While the courts have not yet fully tested copyright issues involving the Internet, the same respect should be paid to information found on the Internet as is paid to information in printed works bearing notice of copyright. Under United States copyright law, an individual's intellectual output is protected whether or not it bears a copyright notice or symbol and regardless of the medium in which it appears.

NCGS encourages and expects its members to uphold high moral standards in their use of electronic media, in their research, and in their interaction with fellow genealogists and other persons. Ethical behavior by individuals will reflect well upon our organization, as well as the field of genealogy, generally.



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# *Stop and Smell the Roses: Get in Touch with Your Ancestors*



presented by

**North Carolina Genealogical Society &  
Family Research Society of Northeastern North Carolina**

**Saturday, March 24, 2007**

**First United Methodist Church  
201 South Road Street, Elizabeth City, NC**

(Located downtown. Map will be posted on the NCGS web site)

We have all heard the expression "Stop and smell the roses." It is time to do this with our genealogy. We are so busy trying to take our genealogy back another generation or across the pond, we forget to take time to understand the life and times of the ancestors we have discovered. This one-day workshop will help participants revitalize their research.

Holiday Inn Express, 306 South Hughes Blvd, Elizabeth City, NC has set aside a limited number of rooms under the name "Family Research Society of Northeastern NC" (or FRS). Contact the hotel directly at (252) 338-8900 for reservations. Rooms will be \$79 + tax each night (includes continental breakfast). Reservations must be made before 9 March 2007.

**Pam Boyer Porter**, researcher, author, lecturer, and president of Memory Lane, Inc., is the speaker. She is an associate of the Board for Certification of Genealogists, holding Certified Genealogist and Certified Genealogical Lectures credentials. Ms. Porter has lectured at NGS, FGS, and regional conferences.

## **Saturday – March 24**

8:30 – 9:00

Registration

9:00 – 10:15 **Investigating Your Ancestors:** Genealogists can use common techniques employed by criminal investigators to help solve the mysteries of lineage. This lecture points out how criminal investigation techniques can be employed by genealogists to effectively search for and identify ancestors, record evidence, analyze and draw accurate conclusions, and write comprehensive but concise reports.

10:15 – 10:45

Break and Vendors

10:45 – 12:00 **Rogues and Rascals: Divorced, Litigious, or Downright Criminal Relatives!** Many researchers from "good" families never consider looking for ancestors in records like court minutes, divorce actions, or prison logs. This lecture helps attendees to explore the possibility that unsavory characters add spice to our family stew, and actually should be referred to as savory characters. We will take a humorous look at why genealogists should be delighted to find such records.

12:00 – 1:00

Lunch and Vendors

1:00 – 2:15 **Where Do I Go From Here?** Learn to look beyond the obvious information of your records to find clues to biographical or historical details about your ancestors. These clues can guide you to such original governmental records as military service, property holdings, taxes, offices held, court cases, and more.

2:15 – 2:45

Break and Vendors

2:45 – 4:00 **Developing a Research Plan:** The secret professionals use to solve their problems. Even the most disorganized researchers can expect quality research products when they focus on specific questions and complete and answer them in a reasonable time. Practical examples are shared and a step-by-step process is included. Acceptable genealogical standards, resources, and examples are emphasized.

Walk-ins are welcome; however, lunches and workshop packet may not be available. **Refund Policy:** Full refund if withdrawal precedes early registration date; between then and workshop day, a pro-rated refund may be made. No refund may be made if withdrawal is on or after the first day of the workshop.

**For more information: <http://www.ncgenealogy.org> or email [info@ncgenealogy.org](mailto:info@ncgenealogy.org)**

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## -----Registration Form-----

Fees (lunch is included in price):

<b><u>MEMBER - North Carolina Genealogical Society OR</u></b>	<b><u>NON-MEMBER:</u></b>
<b><u>Family Research Society of Northeastern North Carolina:</u></b>	
\$45.00 (one day) \$ _____	\$55.00 (one day) \$ _____
Before March 15, receive early bird discount of \$5 \$ _____	Before March 15, early bird discount of \$5 \$ _____
Registration amount: \$ _____	Registration amount: \$ _____
Registration amount from above \$ _____	
2007 Membership dues \$ _____	
<b>Total Due &amp; Enclosed:</b> \$ _____	

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Member No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Method of Payment: \_\_\_\_ Check or Money Order \_\_\_\_ Credit Card (VISA or MasterCard only)

Send form to: **NCGS Spring Workshop**, P. O. Box 1492, Raleigh, NC 27602-1492.

**Checks** should be made out to "North Carolina Genealogical Society."



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## SPRING WORKSHOP TO BE HELD IN ELIZABETH CITY

*Ann Hilke*

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The co-sponsor for this event will be the Family Research Society of Northeastern North Carolina. Mark your calendar for Saturday, 24 March 2007 and meet us at the First Methodist Church in historic downtown Elizabeth City, NC.

Pam Boyer Porter, researcher, author, lecturer, and president of Memory Lane, Inc., will be our speaker. She is an associate of the Board for Certification of Genealogists, and holds Certified Genealogist and Certified Genealogical Lecturer credentials. She has spoken at NGS, FGS, and regional conferences. Furthermore she has co-authored two books: *Online Roots: How to Discover Your Family's History and Heritage with the Power of the Internet* with Amy Johnson Crow and *Research in Missouri* with Ann Carter Fleming-- an NGS special publication.

Pam will deliver four lectures for us:

1. "Investigating Your Ancestors": Genealogists can use common techniques employed by criminal investigators to help solve the mysteries of lineage. This lecture points out criminal investigation techniques that can be employed by genealogists to effectively search for and identify ancestors, record evidence, analyze and draw accurate conclusions, and write comprehensive but concise reports.
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## 2006 NCGS AWARDS PRESENTED

*Al Ward*

The 2006 NCGS Awards were distributed as usual at the Fall Annual Meeting and Workshop in Raleigh, NC, on November 4th. The awards process begins in January of each year. Anyone can submit a nomination in any of the categories. Nomination requirements are published in our newsletter and on the NCGS website. The nomination deadline is September 1<sup>st</sup> of the current year. Following the closing of the nominations period, a number of highly qualified judges, such as genealogical librarians, book reviewers, professional genealogists, archivists or other qualified individuals are contacted. The judges



*The 2006 recipients, excepting Ray Winslow*

examine each entry in each category and provide comments, feedback and ranking of each entry. The rankings are compiled and a winner is chosen in each category. All entries are notified of the decisions and the winners are invited to attend the awards ceremony. Terry Moore awarded this year's prizes as follows:

The **AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN PUBLISHING FOR A PERIODICAL PRODUCED BY A LOCAL NORTH CAROLINA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY** was given to Family Research Society of Northeastern North Carolina for their publication, *Carolina Trees and Branches*, Teresa Ferguson, Editor. The Society strives to include at least one article about each of the seven counties it represents in each issue. In the pages of *Trees and Branches* readers will find a splendid assortment of methodologies, family histories and abstracts of primary source material, along with scanned photographs and queries. The styling and formatting make it appealing to peruse.

The **AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN PUBLISHING FOR A SET OF BOOKS OF ABSTRACTS OR TRANSCRIPTIONS OF ORIGINAL NORTH CAROLINA PRIMARY SOURCE MATERIAL** was conferred upon Bradley R. Foley, for his *The Greensboro Patriot Index: 1847 to 1856*. Mr. Foley grew up in Madison, NC, but his

current home is near High Point where he lives with his wife Christina. He is a librarian with the Asheboro Public Library and is currently the editor of the *Guilford Genealogist*. His award winning book was nominated by four genealogy and reference librarians. It is an excellent and much-needed index of North Carolina historical and genealogical subjects found in the *Greensboro Patriot*. As we all know, information from newspapers is difficult to find, but this index is well-formatted and includes a short abstract about each indexed item. Mr. Foley has recently co-authored another book along with J. Timothy Cole about the North Carolina Confederate General, Collett Leventhorpe. It will be released in mid-November by MacFarland Publishing Company under the title, *Collett Leventhorpe: The English Confederate*.

The **AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN PUBLISHING A BOOK OF SECONDARY SOURCE MATERIAL OR FAMILY HISTORY** relevant to North Carolina, was presented to Rebecca L. Dozier for her *Descendants of John Jenkins, Colonial Governor of North Carolina, 1672—1850*. Ms Dozier, who lives in Augusta, Georgia, credits Helen F. M. Leary and the longtime Northampton County researcher Rev. Norman Flythe with new information in this, her third book on the Jenkins family. Limited to the children and grandchildren of Governor Jenkins and thereafter, to the children of Charles and Elizabeth (Winborne) Jenkins, these seventy two pages are well written and extensively footnoted. An every name index enhances its utility. This family history is an exemplar for others to follow.

The **AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN WEB PRESENCE** for a website published by, for or about a local North Carolina genealogical society was given to the Tyrrell County Website, <http://patriot.net/ncpbarnes/tyrrell.htm>. This well-constructed and user-friendly site contains photographs and many abstracts and transcriptions of Tyrell County records that users will find helpful to their

research. Accepting the award were webmasters Charles Barnes and Gordon Basnight.



*Ray Winslow, receiving his award.*

The **AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION TO NCGS BY A MEMBER** was presented to Raymond A. Winslow, Jr., a native son and resident of the town of Hertford in Perquimans County. He has said that he got his lifelong interest in genealogy from his mother--" She knew all the living family and I knew all the dead." From this early start in genealogical and historical research, he became a detailed and careful researcher, known to the staffs of courthouses in northeastern North Carolina and the State Archives in Raleigh.

Accuracy became his hallmark. He clearly spared no time or trouble to make sure he got it right. Because he lived and worked in Perquimans County, most compilers of facts for researchers left that county alone, knowing they couldn't compete with Winslow in his native place.

His legacy continued to grow and in 1996 Jeffrey S. Hampton of the *Virginian-Pilot* wrote a 110-line article about Ray entitled "Genealogist Has Spent Years Finding the Familiar in History." Hampton wrote, "He [Ray] has written 23 of 44 chapters of the pre-eminent book on genealogy in the state, *North Carolina Research, Genealogy and Local History*. (That book and a later edition, edited by Helen F. M. Leary and Maurice R. Stirewalt, remains the standard authority for genealogical practice in North Carolina.)

These accomplishments would have been enough for most, but Ray also agreed to become editor of the *North Carolina Genealogical Society Journal* and served in that capacity from February of 1986 through February 2006—a full twenty years. During that time, he contributed many of his own articles to these journals while soliciting the contributions of other talented writers. Recent examples of his own interesting contributions include: "**Anatomy of a Family History**," which demonstrated just how important documentation is and what proper documentation looks like when producing an accurate family history. "**Petty Treason**," (by Raymond A. Winslow and John H. Oden III) was a primary account of a 1714 murder committed in Perquimans County. The convicted murderess was burnt at the stake after a sensational trial. "**The German Alphabet**," was an aid to researching the 1750 influx of German-speaking settlers to North Carolina. "**Currituck Co., N. C., Tax List 1715**," was not as interesting as burning at the stake, but very valuable for establishing the location of early folks in North Carolina.

Over the twenty year span of his editorship, Raymond Winslow made a great contribution to genealogy and historical research in North Carolina.

His 1999 *Abstracts of Perquimans County, North Carolina Wills 1761-1864* is another invaluable work to researchers, as northeastern North Carolina was a point of origin for many families in this state and beyond. Although one knows that his abstractions are as accurate as can be, Ray would still advise his readers to check the original, if available, since that is what careful researchers do.

Ray has notes on so many families that one can only hope that a large book is forthcoming. It would be a best seller in North Carolina.

This award could not be given to a more deserving person than Raymond A. Winslow, Jr. and NCGS offers its congratulations to him.

## THE 2006 NCGS ANNUAL MEETING AND WORKSHOP IN RETROSPECT

*Terri R. Hopkins*

The NCGS Program committee led by Ann Hilke, CG, has done it again! She and her team planned, organized and produced another great workshop.

On the weekend of November 3-4, 2006, the NCGS Annual Meeting and Fall Workshop was held at the Brier Creek Club House in Raleigh, NC. In accordance with NCGS Bylaws, an annual meeting of our membership is conducted each November in Raleigh. Traditionally, we also take advantage of this opportunity to sponsor a workshop.

The highlights of the Annual Meeting, held just prior to our Saturday lunch break included:

- A sad goodbye to our Society's Secretary of thirteen years. Crestena Oakley has actually provided more than thirteen years of devoted service to NCGS, when you include participation prior to her role as Secretary. While she is giving up the Secretary's position, she will continue as our Book Distributor. You can contact her for all publication needs at [BookSales@ncgenealogy.com](mailto:BookSales@ncgenealogy.com).
- The Nominating Committee, led by Past-President Elliott Futrell, submitted nominees to replace retiring officers and directors. The nominees were introduced, elected and welcomed into their new volunteer positions.
- The Treasurer's report emphasized the need for new members to sustain the society into the future. A reduction in membership for various reasons is placing a strain on our current budget. We need you to continue being a member and to bring new members to NCGS. Major benefits of being a member include discounts at workshops such as

this one and access to our outstanding publications.

- Presentation of the 2006 NCGS Awards and Certificates of Appreciation to outgoing officers and directors.
- Announcements for upcoming 2007 workshops including the National Genealogical Society Annual Conference in Richmond, VA, in May, 2007, where the *Helen F.M. Leary Lecture Series* will be introduced. Mr. Tom Jones will be the first lecturer in this series. By the way, he is also scheduled to speak at the NCGS 2007 Fall workshop.

The 2006 Fall Workshop theme was *Meeting your Ancestors Over the Back Fence and in the Court Room*. Presenting seven different lectures over two days to more than 100 attendees were Helen F. M. Leary, CG (EMERITUS), FASG, FNGS; J. Mark Lowe, CG, FUGA; and NCGS President Ann C. Basnight.



*Ann Basnight, Helen Leary and Mark Lowe*

We were honored to present, once again, our own distinguished and popular Helen Leary and nationally-known professional genealogist Mark Lowe (<http://www.kytnresearch.com/marklowe.htm>). NCGS President Ann Basnight caused a great stir by appearing in colonial costume and presenting a one-woman show as the proprietress of Jeremiah Wynne's Ordinary in mid-1700's Tyrrell County. It just happened to be Court Day. It was such a pleasure to be in the company of our speakers, as each shared his/her vast knowledge, experience, humor and charm.

In addition to the information in the 32-page workshop handout, I took more than 25 pages of notes during the course of two days, in anticipation of writing this workshop summary. As I began composing this article, I quickly realize that there is no way to summarize the workshop lessons within the boundaries of this newsletter. I couldn't even choose one great point of wisdom because there were many. There were lessons for novices and experts alike. How I wish you had all been there! It was such a wonderful experience!

The workshop began on Friday morning with opening and welcoming remarks by NCGS President Ann Basnight and Program Chairman, Ann Hilke. After dispensing with logistical matters, the first of the following lectures was introduced.

*My Taxes Were Due When? (Using Delinquent Tax Lists and Release Books)* by Mr. Lowe.

*Spotlight On The Neighbors: What They Can Tell Us And How To Ask* by Ms. Leary.

*Backtracking – From Present Address to Former Address* by Ms. Leary.

*Wonder What's Over the Mountain* by Mr. Lowe.

*Colonial Court Day: A Social Event* by Ms. Basnight.

*Nobody's Daughter –A Case Study in Proving the Parentage of a Mysterious Married Woman (Burned-County Research Techniques Demonstrated)* by Ms. Leary.

*Following a Case Through Court* by Mr. Lowe.

Plenty of time was allowed between lectures for networking and visiting with old friends, colleagues, and new attendees as well as for shopping with the book and publication vendors.

Our speakers were very gracious in granting us permission to share their bibliographies with you. In a future edition, we will present a compiled listing of the bibliographies used to support the seven lectures. Considerations of space prevent us from doing so at present.

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## 2006 ANNUAL REPORTS

### President's Report

*Ann Basnight*

The society has had a very busy year beginning with our board meeting in January at the Archives conference room.

The first ever NC Speaker's Forum was held in Raleigh in March. It was well attended and offered a broad range of topics. Our purpose is to give NCGS members an opportunity to hone their speaking skills and gain an audience for topics of wide interest. It also gave societies an opportunity to find new local speakers for programs and their own forums.

In April the Board had a delightful Dutch dinner with the Wilkes County Genealogical Society on Friday night then enjoyed the use of the local library for a Saturday business meeting. We appreciate the hospitality shown by the Wilkes County members and local president Sandra Watts.

On July 29, the Forsyth County Society co-hosted the Summer Western Regional workshop. I cannot claim first hand knowledge of this meeting but have heard that it gave attendees much

satisfaction. John Humphreys administered an excellent dose of genealogical information.

In August the summer board meeting was held in Beaufort County. On Friday night, August 18<sup>th</sup>, the Beaufort County Genealogical Society hosted a Dutch dinner of “down east” barbecue in Washington, NC. On Saturday the board held its business meeting near town. A discussion of plans for the Annual Meeting was at the top of the agenda.

The final board meeting of the year was held at Judy Hinton’s home on Thursday night, November 2<sup>nd</sup>. Contracts were approved for the coming year and general business taken care of.

The Fall Annual Meeting and Workshop was held on November 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>. “Meeting Your Neighbors over the Backyard Fence and in Court” was the topic for talks by Mark Lowe<sub>CG</sub>, Helen Leary<sub>CG</sub>, and Ann C. Basnight. The Annual meeting was held on Saturday and Annual awards were made.

The North Carolina Genealogical Society has had a productive year. Membership has held its own and we have orchestrated three successful programs for our members.

### **Second Vice President’s Report.**

*Victor T. Jones*

The year 2006 has been a busy one for your 2nd Vice President, who also chairs the Publications Committee. Shortly after I assumed office in January, the long-time editor of the *Journal*, Raymond Winslow, tendered his resignation. A few names for replacing Mr. Winslow were floated at a Board meeting. One name was chosen to contact immediately to see if he would be interested in the position of editor. After a several communications detailing the duties and responsibilities of the position, the editorship was offered to Jeffrey Haines, of Rural Hall. In March, he was hired as editor of the *North Carolina Genealogical Society Journal*.

The remainder of the year has been devoted to reviewing publications policies of other genealogical societies, with the idea of updating NCGS’s Publications Policy and creating author agreements for articles published in the *Journal*. Drafts of a new policy have been made and are under review.

It has been a pleasure to serve the Society as 2nd Vice President this past year, and I look forward to serving as 1st Vice President in the coming year.

### **Web Manager’s Report**

*Terri Hopkins*

2006 has been a year of routine maintenance. In some cases the maintenance included moving the previous year’s information into an “archive mode,” and posting the new information. And in other cases it was either replacing old information or adding entirely new content for re-occurring activities. There are approximately 195 NCGS members using the Member’s Only website. 34 queries and 29 replies have been posted. There are 202 individuals subscribed to the NCGS Rootsweb mailing list.

Rootsweb recently changed the system serving their mailing lists. This change occurred in the August/September timeframe. It was almost seamless. A few settings changes were required after a few individuals were able to submit to the mailing list and one individual complained of receiving too many copies of the Digest version of the email. Recall that the NCGS-L and NCGS-D are only for disseminating information about or for NCGS. It was decided that it was not to be an open forum for genealogical discussions. This arrangement is always up for discussion if anyone wishes to change that decision. Changing that decision such that the mailing list is open for anyone to send emails to the list will require a volunteer’s assistance as administrator/moderator. I will not always be available to moderate. Moderating sometimes involves stepping in and

facilitating if discussions get out of hand or off track.

The original NCGS Journals on CD was discovered to have a very few scanning errors. I have begun the process of using volunteers to proof read the entire CD. I expect this could take years with only one volunteer thus far. If you will recall, I advertised in several *NCGS News* issues for a volunteer, but there was only one inquiry.

### **Program Committee**

*Ann Hilke*

NCGS sponsored three programs this year:

(1) First Annual Speakers' Forum, held Saturday, 25 March 2006, at the Wake County Commons Building in Raleigh, NC. The speakers were Margaret Hofman, Jim Jones, Diane Richard, Terry Moore, Debbi Blake, Judy Rysdon, Ann Basnight, and Monica Hopkins.

(2) Summer workshop held 29 July was co-sponsored with the Forsyth County Genealogical Society. It was held in Winston-Salem with John Humphrey as speaker.

(3) The Fall Annual Meeting and Workshop was held 3 and 4 November at Brier Creek Country Club in Raleigh. The speakers were Helen F. M. Leary, J. Mark Lowe and Ann Basnight.

### **Membership Committee**

*Louise Cowell*

We had 66 new members join in 2006!!! Our membership as of 1 Nov 2006 was 1019 members. We keep getting new members, but more and more of our past members are not renewing their subscriptions. Beverly Tetterton, a past president of NCGS, was always talking about the "dog and pony shows" NCGS used to do. I was at the Tyrrell County meeting when Ann Basnight did her presentation on the objectives of NCGS and how we work to reach these objectives. This program was well-received. Many participants put forward questions about our organization. I believe every

society in North Carolina should see this presentation.

The Speaker's Forum Workshop in March 2006 had more non-members attending than any I've witnessed. Each non-member received an NCGS brochure in his/her packet. We had five new members join because of the workshop.

This has been a year of travel for me, including trips to California, Arizona (twice), Alabama, and Massachusetts, as well as places in North Carolina. Some of these were about genealogy and others were for pleasure.

I attended the 2006 Institute of Genealogy and Historical Research at Samford University in Birmingham, AL June 12-16. I took NCGS brochures, which I handed out, and talked to a lot of people about NCGS.

The new brochures arrived in time for the workshop in Winston-Salem on July 29, 2006. One was placed in each packet for the registrants.

President Basnight, Secretary Oakley and I went to the FGS Conference in Boston, MA the last week in August. Membership brochures were placed on the "freebie" table and we had several people to ask us about NCGS.

I have been busy this year helping Chris Oakley with the registrations for the Speaker's Forum, the Summer Workshop at Winston-Salem, and the November Annual Meeting and Workshop here in Raleigh. All non-members attending these workshops get a membership brochure and we have had some recruits.

This will be my last year as a director. I have really enjoyed being a part of the Board of Directors and hope, in some small way, that I have helped NCGS. I will continue to be on the Program Committee.

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## **ACCESSIONS AT NC STATE ARCHIVES**

**Spring Quarter 2007**

*Debbi Blake*

*This is a partial listing of accessions at the Archives. For a complete listing please see our web page <http://www.dcr.state.nc.us>. Please be aware that not all of these records are currently available for research. Cards will be placed in the card catalog or entries made in the appropriate finding aids when these items have been arranged and are ready for research. The phrase 'FOR RECORD ONLY' that appears at the end of certain accession entries indicates that that listing has been accessioned previously, but is being accessioned again because either new material has been added or there has been a change in accessioning data.*

**COUNTY RECORDS (microfilm copies)**  
Franklin. Marriage licenses, 1869-1961; 25 reels, 35mm. negative microfilm. Delayed birth certificates, various; 4 reels, 35mm. negative microfilm. Death certificates, 1912-2005; 16 reels, 35mm. negative microfilm. Record of soldiers, World War I, 1917-1918, 1 reel, 35mm. negative microfilm.

Franklin. Marriage register, 1867-1918; 1 reel, 35mm. negative microfilm. Index to vital statistics – delayed births, various; 1 reel, 35mm. negative microfilm (FOR RECORD ONLY).

#### **BIBLE RECORDS**

Alexander. Nathaniel and Anne Runnels Alexander Family Bible Records, 1796-1809 [county unknown]; 3 pp. photocopies.

Baker. Henry and Carolina Baker Family Bible Records, 1839-1922; Franklin County; 9 pp. photocopies (plus 26 pp. printed notes).

Burris. Adam and Massie Burris Family Bible Records, 1867-1941; Stanly County; 4 pp. photocopies (plus 3 pp. research notes).

#### **NEWSPAPER COLLECTION**

Franklin. *The Franklin Observer*, October 28, 1859 [1 issue]; 4 pages.

Norwood. *Norwood News*, 1972, 1975-1980; 1 reel, 35mm. negative microfilm.

#### **PRIVATE COLLECTIONS**

Sloan-Osborne *Ciphering Book*, 1753; 1778-1779; 1782. Manuscript pamphlet of Henry Sloan, Rowan County, containing his student arithmetic and ciphering; 1 volume (44 pp.).

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## **GENEALOGY SOCIETY WEBSITES**

*Terri R. Hopkins*

Does your Genealogy Society have a Website?

Yes? Then see if it is listed on the NCGS webpage for *Local Societies*. If it is not listed, please send your URL in an email to [Webmanager@ncgenealogy.org](mailto:Webmanager@ncgenealogy.org).

No website? Then please consider creating one or recommending to your officers that one should be created.

The benefits of having a website far exceed the cost, especially if you can have one for FREE.

Websites can be as simple or complex as your volunteers are willing to make them. At the very least and simple, a website that acts as your society's e-brochure provides FREE local, state, national and international advertising.

What do you need to have an e-brochure website?

- a. You need a place to store and publish the site and
- b. You need a single *.html* file that contains the brochure information.

There are a number of sites on the World Wide Web that provide FREE storage and publishing. Some cater directly to genealogical societies.

The site, <http://www.cyndislist.com/construc.htm>, provides assistance and instruction on creating a genealogy website including where to “*Find Space on a Web Server to Store Your Web Pages.*”

One FREE example is [www.rootsweb.com](http://www.rootsweb.com). Currently 29 different North Carolina genealogical and historical

societies have websites hosted at Rootsweb. As with any product or service (especially if it is free), you will need to read the rules and regulations, terms and conditions. Rootsweb expects you to accept an agreement for Genealogical/Historical Societies.

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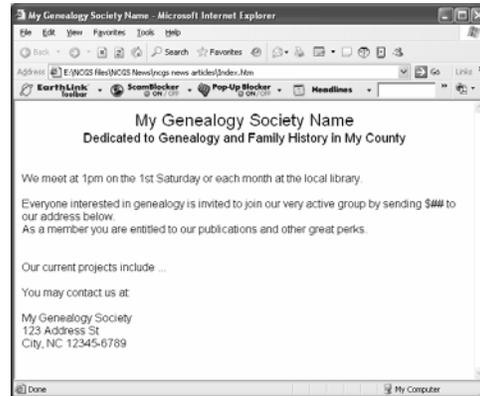
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## NCGS HONORS OUTGOING SECRETARY

(Yes, the pun is intended.) Few have done more to keep NCGS afloat over the past decade than Crestena “Chris” Jennings Oakley. She has served NCGS both as secretary and in several other key capacities, including that of book distributor, for the last thirteen years. She was born in Maine, but raised in Pasquotank and Beaufort Counties. Her motto could have been, “I wasn’t born here, but I got here as fast as I could.” She has been the heartbeat of the Society, and has placed her mark on almost every aspect of its operations. No one will ever be able to calculate the endless hours she has contributed in correspondence, membership maintenance, note taking, marketing and preparing of publications, typing and serving as an all-purpose ambassador at various events. She leaves size 15 shoes to be filled and we are extremely grateful for her selfless service. Thankfully, she will continue as our book distributor. Chris was honored for her service at our recent annual meeting along with Linda Altman, Beverly Cato, Louise Cowell, Janet Norton and Nancy Manning.

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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**24 Mar 2007**                      **Elizabeth City, NC**  
NCGS and the Family Research Society of Northeastern North Carolina present our Spring Regional Workshop, "Stop and Smell the Roses: Get in Touch with Your Ancestors" at the First Methodist Church in downtown Elizabeth City. The featured speaker is Pam Boyer Porter. See the article and registration form in this issue for more specific information.

**24 Mar 2007**                      **Fairfax, VA**  
The Fairfax and Mt. Vernon Genealogical Societies co-sponsor a joint conference and genealogical exposition entitled, "Guess Who's Coming to Virginia for Genealogy," at the Marriott Fairfax at Fair Oaks. The program features various speakers including Jana Sloan Broglin, Linda Jonas, Charles S. Mason, Jr., George Morgan and Laura S. Prescott, over 5000 square feet of exhibition space, 28 exhibitors and door prizes. Cost is \$40 for members and \$60 for non-members. Visit [www.fxgs.org](http://www.fxgs.org) for further details or write to Fairfax Genealogical Society, P.O. Box 2290, Merrifield, VA, 22116-2290.

**13-14 April 2007**                **Oconomowoc, WI**  
The Wisconsin State Genealogical Society's 2007 Gene-a-Rama will be held at the Olympia Resort & Conference Center in Oconomowoc, Wisconsin. The featured speaker will be Megan Smolenyak Smolenyak speaking on "Reverse Genealogy: Techniques for Finding Your Lost Loved Ones," "Building a Village-Based Community," "Remembering Our Ancestors," "Trace Your Roots with DNA," and "Beyond Y-DNA: Your Genetic Genealogy." Also featured will be James L. Hansen, FASG, David McDonald, CGSM, Nancy Emmert, CGSM, and George Findlen, CGSM. For more information and to register, see <http://www.wsgs.org>.

**27--28 Apr 2007**                **Fort Wayne, IN**  
The Indiana Genealogical Society holds its annual conference at the Allen County Public Library. Amy Johnson Crow is the featured lecturer. Other presenters include Elaine Kuhn, Ron Darrah and Kay Spears. Cost for members is \$25 and \$30, for non-members. See <http://www.indgensoc.org> for further information.

**16-19 May 2007**                **Richmond, VA**  
The 29<sup>th</sup> Annual National Genealogical Society "Conference in the States" will be held in conjunction with local hosts—the Fairfax Genealogical Society, the Genealogical Research Institute of Virginia and the Virginia Genealogical Society at the Greater Richmond Convention Center and Richmond Marriott Hotel in downtown Richmond. It will feature four complete days of educational sessions for beginners, intermediate and advanced learners. In addition, the Family History Fair will feature over 150 exhibitors of genealogical goods and services. The exhibit hall will be free of access to all comers. Genealogical sessions will include segments on Virginia research—covering early Virginia migration patterns, Virginia records, the indentured servant system, tax records, land records and many more. An ethnic track will feature lectures on German, English, Scots-Irish and African-American research. Many other tracks will concentrate on technology, genealogical record groups, military records, migration, research in the states, women, and the use of DNA in reaching genealogical conclusions. To register online, go to [www.ngsgenealogy.org](http://www.ngsgenealogy.org). To request a conference brochure, contact Jeanne Lund at [Lund@ngsgenealogy.org](mailto:Lund@ngsgenealogy.org).

**30 Jun 2007**                      **Raleigh, NC**  
NCGS' Second Annual Speakers' Forum will be held at the Wake Commons Building in Raleigh, NC. This year, we will have two separate tracks with five different time slots. Returning speakers from last year include Ann Basnight, Monica Hopkins, Jim Jones, Terry Moore and Diane Richard. Their talks will cover aspects of land records, court

records, immigration and Scots heritage. New speakers will include Larry Cates, Melanie Crain, Jeff Haines and Chris Meekins. Their lectures will cover topics on organization, census and court records. Keep your eyes trained on these pages for further details as the date draws nearer.

**15—21 July 2007                      Washington, DC**

The National Institute on Genealogical Research will be conducted at the National Archives. The 2007 program concentrates on commonly used immigration, military, land, cartographic, African-American and non-population census records. It also explores lesser known Federal records useful to family historians. Attendees will spend one day at the National Archives at College Park. Evening sessions at the Library of Congress and the DAR Library are optional. Enrollment is limited. Application brochures will be mailed in February 2007. The class fills very quickly. Tuition is \$350 for applications postmarked by May 15 and \$400 thereafter. For more information about the 2007 program or to obtain an application brochure, visit the Institute's website:

[www.rootsweb.com/~natgenin/](http://www.rootsweb.com/~natgenin/)

e-mail to [NatinsGen@juno.com](mailto:NatinsGen@juno.com), or write to NIGR, P.O. Box 724, Lanham, MD 20703-0724.

**15-18 August 2007                      Fort Wayne, IN**

The Federation of Genealogical Societies Annual Conference entitled, "Meeting at the Crossroads of America" will be held at the Allen County Public Library. Additional details may be found at <http://www.fgs.org>.

**2-3 November 2007                      Raleigh, NC**

NCGS' annual meeting and workshop will be held at the Brier Creek Country Club in Raleigh, NC. This year's theme will be "A Method to our Madness: Genealogical Problem Solving." Our principle speaker is Tom Jones, Ph. D., CG, and CGL, editor of the *National Genealogical Society Quarterly*, trustee and past president of the

Board for Certification of Genealogists, and former Association of Professional Genealogists trustee. He is a professor education at Gallaudet University in Washington, DC. Other speakers include Jeffrey L. Haines, Terry Moore and Helen F. M. Leary, who will each present one lecture. Keep your eyes trained on these pages for further details as the date draws near.

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## QUERIES

### LAMBERT

At least three groups of LAMBERTS had settled in North Carolina prior to 1800. The LAMBERT surname DNA project can distinguish these groups, but more males are needed, in case there are further groups. Even a LAMBERT with uncertain NC ancestry may be able to prove his patrilineal descent, without conventional record-based evidence. We invite all males with the LAMBERT surname to join this project. See the website: <http://www.chem.northwestern.edu/~lambert/dna/index.htm>.

Contact: Joseph B. Lambert, 1956 Linneman St., Glenview, IL, 60025; [jlambert@northwestern.edu](mailto:jlambert@northwestern.edu).

### HILL

Seeking DNA relationship of Joab HILL (1773, NC—1847, Clark Co., MO) with John HILL, Sr. and sons Micajah and John, Jr. of Buffalo Island, Guilford Co., NC (c. 1780/1800). Joab was s/o Jacob HILL (c. 1758—winter, 1822/23, Wake Co., NC) and grandson of William HILL and wife Hannah of Surry Co., NC. Was William HILL of Guilford Co. (wife Mary) a brother of John HILL, Sr.? Contact: Mrs. L. Winnifred Jacob, 5200 SW Colony Court, Beaverton, OR 97005; (503) 643-6393.

### GRAY

Seeking Virginia background of Alexander GRAY, Sr. who died in 1803 in Person Co., NC, leaving three children: Alexander GRAY, Jr., Nancy (GRAY) MCKISSACK, and John GRAY, Sr. His wife was named

Susannah. Did this Alexander GRAY come from Amelia Co., VA? Contact: Mrs. L. Winnifred Jacob, 5200 SW Colony Ct., Beaverton, OR 97005; (503) 643-6393.

#### **HESTER-BERRY**

Henry HESTER (29 Nov 1806, Granville Co., NC—29 Nov 1861, Warren Co., KY) m. 28 Aug 1851, Nancy M. BERRY (c. 1820 Butler Co., KY—c. 1867, Butler Co., KY). Any information on Henry HESTER's parents and other family members welcome. Contact: Elton Edwards, 6100 W. Friendly Ave., #2211, Greensboro, NC 27410.

#### **CANIPE**

Looking for information on my grandfather, Michael Abraham CANIPE (c. 1850, Cleveland Co., NC—1915, Cleveland Co., NC), m.(1) Mary Ellen GRIGG (3 children, Marcus, Clarence, Lula), m. (2) Margaret WILLIS (no issue), m. (3) Susan GRIGG (2 children, Burgan and Thomas.) Abraham was the son of Christopher KNIPE and Rebecca WORTMAN. Would appreciate further information on this family. Contact: Beatrice Bowman, 100 Deer Valley Road, Unit GF, San Rafael, CA 94903-5512; (415) 472-1915.

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### **N.C. STATE INITIATES CHURCH RECORDS IN LOCAL HISTORY PROJECT FOR 2007**

Beginning in spring 2007, the Public History program at North Carolina State University is initiating a new records preservation project to assist churches throughout the state with conserving and preserving their historic records. Since this is a local history project, the Public History program is also seeking local historical and genealogical societies interested in teaming with these church projects. Through a grant from the National Historic Publications and Records Commission, the North Carolina Church Records in Local History Project will provide:

1. organization and conservation of non-current records;
2. production of finding aids for collections;
3. regional workshops on church records and their roles in local history;
4. ongoing consultation.

Consultants and materials are free to all participating churches. In return, churches must agree to have their finding aids made available at the project website and allow access to their records for historical research purposes (which would seldom be more than one request per year.) Churches may retain their records in their own offices or consult with the project director on donating records to appropriate repositories.

Project workshops will include sessions on assessing records' value, managing files, arranging and describing records, issues of preservation, the role of church records in producing better local histories, and researching and writing local histories. Workshops will be open to both church representatives and the general public.

Contact Craig T. Friend for more information:

Craig T. Friend, Department of History  
Campus Box 8108  
N.C. State University  
Raleigh, NC 27695-8108  
[ctfriend@social.chass.ncsu.edu](mailto:ctfriend@social.chass.ncsu.edu)  
*(place "church project" in subject line of e-mail)*  
(919) 513-2227 (office)  
(919) 515-3886 (fax)

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### **OUR THANKS EXTEND...**

...to all those who have made contributions of money, publications, or papers during 2006. These include Dr. Henry N. Wright, Warren G. Olin, William J. Wyatt, Mamie G. Atkinson, Jo Ann Birmingham, James and Frances Wrotton, Kathleen Hunt and Dr. William C. Powell.

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- THE AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN PUBLISHING** for a book of secondary source material, or family history relevant to North Carolina, and published within eighteen months preceding the award.
- THE AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING CONTRIBUTION TO NCGS BY A MEMBER** for an individual whose work within the NCGS has been outstanding.
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- THE AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN WEB PRESENCE**

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A copy of the nomination publication or periodicals is required. Publications submitted become the property of NCGS, and will be donated to the Genealogical Services Branch of the State Library of North Carolina. **All nominations must be received by 1 Sep 2007.**

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- Bible Records of North Carolina: Contributed by Persons with North Carolina Ancestors***, Crestena Jennings Oakley, ed., 2005, soft cover, spiral binding, 8 ½ x 11, 244 pages, indexed. Price: \$35.
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- The Formation of the North Carolina Counties 1663-1943***, by David Leroy Corbitt, 2000, soft cover, 6" x 9", 323 pages, indexed. N. C. Dept. of Cultural Resources publication. Price: \$15.00.
- Guide To Research Materials In The North Carolina State Archives: County Records***, 11<sup>th</sup> Revised Edition, 1997, soft cover, 8 ½" x 11", 363 pages, counties placed in alphabetical order, Price: \$10.00.
- North Carolina Troops, 1861--1865: A Roster***. 15 hard cover volumes from the N.C. Dept. of Cultural Resources. Prices: Vol. 1 (Artillery) \$55, Vol. 2 (Cavalry) \$65, Vol. 3 (1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> Misc. Units) \$55, Vol. 4 (4<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> Reg.) \$60, Vol. 5 (11<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup> Reg., 13<sup>th</sup> Bat.) \$55, Vol. 6 (16<sup>th</sup>–18<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>–21<sup>st</sup> Reg.) \$60, Vol. 7 (22<sup>nd</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> Reg.) \$55, Vol. 8 (27<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> Reg.) \$50, Vol. 9 (32<sup>nd</sup> to 35<sup>th</sup>, 37<sup>th</sup> Reg.) \$55, Vol. 10 (38<sup>th</sup>, 39<sup>th</sup>, 42<sup>nd</sup> to 44<sup>th</sup> Reg.) \$50, Vol. 11 (45<sup>th</sup> to 48<sup>th</sup> Reg.) \$50, Vol. 12 (49<sup>th</sup> to 52<sup>nd</sup> Reg.) \$50, Vol. 13 (53<sup>rd</sup> to 56<sup>th</sup> Reg.) \$60, Vol. 14 (57<sup>th</sup> to 58<sup>th</sup>, 60<sup>th</sup> to 61<sup>st</sup> Reg.) \$65, Vol. 15 (62<sup>nd</sup>, 64<sup>th</sup>, 66<sup>th</sup>, 68<sup>th</sup> Reg.) \$40. Circle volume(s) desired.

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