
** CLARION **

BAY COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

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FALL

MEETING: Will be held at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, October 8, 1980 in the Commissioner's Room on the second floor of the County Building on the corner of Center & Madison.

BUSINESS: We will be discussing the following subjects:

COMMITTEE REPORTS

PROJECTS REVIEW

CEMETERY COMPLAINT

SURNAME CARDS and other matters.

PROGRAM: Will be Displays of Items of Interest to the Genealogist.

Each member is asked to bring a display of items of their family history. These can be anything that has been handed down in the family or collections of interest. Wills, old postcards, autograph albums, deeds, early toys or anything that is a part of your family history. Each one will set up their own display on a desk at the front of the room and be prepared to answer questions from other members.

BOOKS: We have several new books, purchased by the society and donated by members that have not been placed in the library. Two books we placed in the library last spring have come up missing and this has upset us. We are searching for a solution to this problem

"GENEALOGY" begins as an interest, continues as an avocation, takes over as an obsession and in its last stage is an incurable disease. (Copied from "Ancestors Unlimited" Southwest Nebraska Gen. Society, McCook, NE)

COMMENTARY: Fall is upon us and we will all be staying closer to home the next few months. This is a good time for local research and letter writing to continue your family research. Now is the time to plan next summer's trips, do your homework and prepare your strategy to make the most of your efforts. Jot down known facts, no matter how small, it may be a clue. Study maps and plan your time so you won't waste time looking for court houses, libraries and cemeteries.

The winter months will also give us a chance to work on our typing projects.

NEW MEMBERS:

Kay Kenaga, Essexville

Lillian DeShaw, Bay City

Marjorie VanTuinen, Grand Rapids

CHIPS & SHIPS: A quarterly published by the Bay County Genealogical Society 1969-1978. Back issues may be purchased for \$1.00 each if available. Issues out of print may be xeroxed for \$2.00.

MEMBERSHIP: Dues are payable in January of each year at \$4.00 per member. Additional members of the same family, \$2.00. Make check or M.O. payable to Mrs. Hilda A. Taylor, Treasurer at the mailing address below. Each member receives a membership card and a copy of the bulletin the CLARION each month. Limited research in the Bay County area is a part of our service to members.

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