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Schedule of Events

Mark your calendars now for the exciting Genealogy Friends events in 2018. Meetings are held in the Program Room at the Haggard Library, 2501 Coit Rd., Plano, TX from 10:15 to 12:30 unless otherwise noted:

Today's Topic:

July 21, 2018—Free Saturday Seminar—"Using Collateral Genealogy to Find Immigrant Origins" by David Passman

Future Events

July 24, 2018—Legacy Users Group - Meets 1:30-5 pm in the Genealogy Section of Haggard Library

August 18, 2018—Genealogy Potpourri—A panel of researchers will be available to answer your family history questions.

August 20, 2018—One Note Users Group—Meets from 7 to 8:30 in the Genealogy Section of Haggard Library.

September 15, 2018—All Day Workshop—Colleen Fitzpatrick, an expert in Forensic Genealogy, will be out speaker. See page 2 for more details.

October 20, 2018—Speaker Barbara Coakley

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Publications for Sale

The following are available from Genealogy Friends:

Public Land Survey Systems	\$5
Plano Star Courier Index 1904-1910	\$20
Plano Star Courier Index 1911-1917	\$20
Cemeteries of Collin County, TX	\$40
Collin County, TX Voter Registration Index 1867	\$20
Place Names of Collin County, TX	\$10
Railroads in Collin County, TX	\$10

Genfriends Membership

Our membership year runs from October 1 to September 30. Individual memberships are \$30 a year and family memberships are \$50. Don't forget to re-new your membership for next year.

The money we raise is used to purchase materials for the Genealogy Section at Haggard Library.

Download the membership form on our website <http://genealogyfriends.org/news/> send it in with payment to

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Genealogy Classes—Getting Started

The following class will be held at Collin College this fall at Courtyard Center, 4800 Preston Park Blvd, Plano, TX 75093. The instructor is Barbara Coakley. To register visit <http://www.collin.edu/ce/>

Genealogy, Getting Started (GENE 6500)—whether you are a beginner or a veteran this class has something for you. The class covers identifying your ancestors through planning research goals, discuss finding and analyzing records, writing research reports, organizing research results. We'll discuss basic sources—family mementos like diaries, baby books, photographs, etc.; Federal, State, and non-population census records; newspapers; and birth, marriage and death records.

The class meets Wednesday nights from 6:30 to 9 pm from September 12—October 17, 2018.

September Workshop

The Workshop will be held at Plano Bible Church, 1900 Shiloh Road. Colleen Fitzpatrick will speak on the following topics:

Forensic Genealogy—CSI Meets Roots - Spark your imagination to discover new ways of looking at your family history mysteries.

A Different Kind of DNA Talk—Understand your results, connect with cousins and gain insight into family history through DNA.

Hospital Records—The Most Under-used Resource in Genealogy—Learn what medical records are available and how they can be used to discover unusual information about your relatives.

The Database Detective—Mining databases to solve some of the most compelling mysteries of modern genealogy.

Tracing Our Roots Column

The Tracing Our Roots column published weekly in the Plano Star Courier (available on the paper's website) and written by Genealogy Friends' member Brenda Kellow, covers a different topic or subject each week.

In addition, Brenda announces national events, fee increases in everyday genealogical records, new records added to the Internet and to genealogists' favorite sites.

The past topics are available for several years. Access the site at

http://starlocalmedia.com/opinion/blogs/blog_7/.

Brenda will add your name to her weekly announcement when her column appears online if you request it by emailing her at bbkellow@verizon.net. You may also request topics for her to cover.

Flashback: Memories of Plano, 1957

By Brenda Burns Kellow

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Compiled by Brenda Burns Kellow, 2018

Tracing Our Roots weekly genealogy column http://starlocalmedia.com/opinion/blogs/blog_7/

Remember, this is an abstract of the newspaper. Not all names may be mentioned, i.e., obituaries, showers, and marriages may not have every name mentioned that were in the newspaper. For the complete content, look at the microfilm or find the copy in Newspapers.com.

H. M. Enton, manager of the Frisco Elevator of the Continental Grain Company, estimates that wheat will make 60% of the normal crop with oats and barley making possibly 30% of normal crop. Farmers make a better yield during a rainy growing season.

R. J. "Bud" Perkins, our new councilman, just returned from a vacation in Florida.

The First Baptist Church spent a good time barbequing hamburgers and hayride at the farm of Perry Bolin Saturday.

Charlie Pearson just returned home after a stay in Baylor Hospital in Dallas. Guests at his home Monday night were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bishop, Mrs. Ethel Kennedy, Carl Jacobs, Dr. and Mrs. Philip Manire and son Phil.

Seniors of Plano High School '58 celebrate Hobo Day on June 15. If you have a job for these seniors please call Jack Lair or Tommie Kay Brigham. There are 52 members of the senior class.

Reese Henry and Roy Murrell announce a public meeting of the Plano Chamber of Commerce at the Community House Friday night, June 14. Dr. J. H. Porterfield announced June 9-15 as Chamber of Commerce week in Plano. There was a welcome address by David B. McCall, speech by Roy Murrell, and entertainment by Plano Barbershop Quartet.

Victims of the light plane crash near Seagoville were Leslie Lee Smith and Ray Chadwell. Smith is a cousin of W. W. Bill Smith, Jr, and Perry Smith. Survivors of Mr. Smith are his wife Cordelia, sons Dickie and Bobby, and his parents Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Smith of Sherman.

J. M. Mayner of McKinney died after a heart attack. Survivors are a son, J. D. Maynor and W. R. Maynor, and two grandchildren.

Mrs. Glenn Rogers has been sick this week with the flu.

Monday night car thieves stole the car of Gene Wray. City Marshall Wallace Williams says his officers are on the case. He also said his officers aided in the rescue of a drowned man at Lavon Lake Sunday.

Leon Dugger, owner of Dugger Motors, invites everyone to come by and see the Ford Ranch Wagon in an outdoor display.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dugger who built and opened the Dutchess Drive-In on North K Avenue several years ago are taking it over again. The grand opening is next Thursday, June 20. It will be air conditioned for your enjoyment.

Oneal Wynn was acquitted in the murder trial of S. L. Peyton in McKinney. Judge W. C. Dowdy presided. Bob Hendricks represented the defense. County Attorney Dwight Whitwell and his assistant T. E. Williams represented the state.

Rev. George Cherryhomes will be pastor of the First Christian Church. He and his wife, the former Margaret Kennedy, have four sons.

Robert "Bob" Hail Norton's funeral service was held at Harrington Chapel last Saturday with internment at

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Restland Cemetery. The service was conducted by Rev. Edgar L. Huffstutler of the Methodist Church. Pallbearers were: Stanton Barron, W. D. Haggard, Nathan White, W.C. Carpenter, W. G. Carlisle, and R. M. Carlisle. He was the son of the late W. R. Norton who lived in Plano for years before moving to Corpus Christi. Survivors are: His wife, Mrs. Louise Norton, daughter Mrs. W. K. Sholterbeck, Aunt Mrs. B. B. Carpenter, and D. Amos Fortner.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Robinson announce the marriage of their daughter Mary Ellen Robinson to Neil Larkin Newton, Jr. of Dallas. The wedding date is June 28 at Saint Matthew Cathedral in Dallas.

p. 2 Mrs. C. E. Watson and son Richard returned to Phoenix. They took the niece Vickie Rutherford home with them for the summer. Mrs. C. E. Watson is daughter-in-law of Richard Watson.

Mrs. Viola Watson passed away Tuesday in Denton. Services were in Lewisville at the Bible Church with Rev. Paul Mercer officiating. Burial was in Old Hall Cemetery in Lewisville. Survivors are: daughters-Mrs. William Hughes, Mrs. Kathryn Dennison, Mrs. Jean Dennison, and Mrs. James Stewart; 14 grandchildren; and sisters Mrs. Ollie Mason, and Mrs. Beulah Barnett.

Mrs. Arrie Boswell, 84 of Fort Worth, mother of R. D. Boswell of Frisco, died at home Sunday. She was buried at Mt. Zion Cemetery.

p. 3 Guests of Mrs. Katie Evans on Sunday were Dr. and Mrs. Joe L. Evans.

Miss Shirley Ann Reddell, daughter of Mrs. Eugene Reddell and the late Mr. Reddell, married Don Cooper of Perryton, Texas, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cooper, in McKinney on Friday. Dr. Theodore R. Leen of the Christian Church officiated. Miss Mary Lee Powell and Miss Carolyn Johnston presented the music.

The Thursday Study Club had a tea Sunday afternoon. Those attending were: Misses Shelby Craig, Sherrie Beth Garrett, Mary Jon Whitfield, Frances Littrell, Sarah Beth Wheeler, Laurana Rice, Becky Armstrong, Betsy Armstrong, Adrian Ann Miller, Jane Ann Jinks, Alice Fay Fogal, Nancy Angel, Cecelia McCollum, Betty Jean Nelson, Rebecca Bruton, Mary Linda Wheeler, Carol Walker, Linda Haggard, Tommie Kay Brigham, Judy Landers, Sonja Graves, Sadie Dunn, Marcia Yandry, Mary Lou Henderson, Chlorene Riggs, Joan Woods, Nancy Uland, and Naomi Kennedy.

Pat Evans, son of Mrs. Katie Evans, returned home after attending NTSC.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Shelton visited Duncan, Oklahoma, to visit the ailing Mrs. Carr Suter.

Rev. and Mrs. T. Herbert Minga had an open house Thursday at the Methodist parsonage. Mrs. Minga is the former Miss Ann Barcus, daughter of the late Dr. J. Sam Barcus. The couple was married in Georgetown in 1932 by her father.

Mrs. Mary Katherine Smith of Gainesville visited Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Stoneman

p. 4 The First Baptist Church Youth Council sets activities with Ann Bailey, Social Reporter. Others mentioned are Joe Raines, Paul Gentry, and Doyle Braden.

Mrs. Jim Hickey conducted leathercraft classes at First Baptist Vacation Bible School.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas D. Hutchinson (Tom and Betty) are moving to Cambridge, Ohio.

Mrs. Laura Gallop Reeder is candidate for B. S. Degree in Nursing at Texas State College for Women. The candidates were recommended by Dr. Fenton Keyes, dean of the college, to President Gunn. Mrs. Reeder is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gallop of Plano.

A. L. Merritt is a patient at Saint Paul Hospital in Dallas.

Roy S. Raper, 57, of McKinney passed away at the VA Hospital. Funeral Services Saturday were conducted by Dr. Charles Meyers of First Baptist and Rev. S. D. Lindsay, pastor of King Memorial Baptist Church with burial of Pecan Grove Cemetery. He was born in Weston on April 21, 1900, son of A. T. and Ida Raper. He was married May 15, 1920 to Miss Grace Lorene McIrving and was a member of the First Baptist Church in McKinney.

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Mrs. J. S. Aldridge was honored on her June 6 birthday by her daughters Mmes. James Beall of Sweetwater, C. R. Kendrick of Winters, and Katie Evans of Plano. Out of town guests were Mmes. S. F. Harrington, Ray Harrington, C. C. Aldridge, Ida Aldridge, Arthur Bragg, Mary S. White, Bessie Shelton, Dr. and Mrs. Joe L. Evans and son Joe all of Dallas, Mrs. Edgar Bush of McKinney, Mrs. Bill Bourn and son, Rev. Charles Dickey and wife Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson and son of Dyersburg, Tenn.

In absence of the pastor, the First Baptist Church congregation was spoken to by the Executive Secretary of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, Dr. Forrest Feezer.

The Dutchess Drive-In opened this Thursday on June 20. Owner is Mrs. J. W. Kemp.

The Smith Family Reunion was held in Plano Sunday at the Community House. Those attending were: McKinney—Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Smith and Pattie, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Greer, Mrs. Billy Moore and Davey, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Graham and family, Mrs. Leva Smith. Denton—Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Jeanes and Walter, Mr. and Mrs. John Ray Jeanes, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Jones. Richardson—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jeanes, Jana Lu, Wesley, Jill and Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Huffines and Jerry. Dallas—Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Jones and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Pirkle Darlene and Roddy of Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Belew, Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Matthews and family, Pete Smith and George and David, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith and family. Howe—Mr. and Mrs. Cecile Matthews and Cindy and Buzz of Little Rock, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Nelson and Danny and Susan. Hurst—Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Smith and Dick and Bobby of Irving, J. B. Jones and Martin, Jan, Teresa, Cathy, and Margaret. Plano—Mr. and Mrs. Perry Smith and Rita and Joe, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith Jr. and Jimmy, Jerry and Madalyn, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Brooks, and Mrs. John Broadhead.

Lieut. General Raymond A. Wheeler, commander of the United Nations salvage fleet, says the Suez Canal will have a small channel open by early March and will be clear by all sizes in May.

Mrs. Claude Hartline thanks everyone for their kindness during her recent stay in the hospital.

p. 5 W. S. Nichols, Administrator of the City-County Hospital, announces the arrangement with Dr. Murry D. Schonfeld who will do all X-ray and fluoroscopic work to be done at City-County Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack O. Harrington, and children Jack O. Harrington, Jr. and Jill Harrington have been on vacation at the coast.

Funeral services for James Albert Taylor, 73, a druggist in Nevada, were held Thursday afternoon. He was born in Millwood near Nevada in 1884. He is the son of R. A. and Lula Houston Taylor. He was married to Blanche Prater of El Paso in 1909. Survivors are his wife, son James Albert Taylor Jr. of Oklahoma City, brother R. A. Taylor of Nevada, three sisters Mrs. Eddie Abernathy and Mrs. Lela Phillips of Dallas, and Mrs. Ruby Davis of Pomona, Calif. Interment was in the IOOF Cemetery in Nevada.

Tuesday, the Keys quads celebrated their 42nd birthday at Lake Murray State Lodge. Their mother is Mrs. Flake M. Keys. The Keys were born at Hollis, Okla. on June 4, 1915, and were the first quadruplets to survive. The girls are Leota, now Mrs. Robert T. Hall and Mona now Mrs. Bob W. Fowler, and Roberta, now Mrs. Roland S. Torn, and Mary now Mrs. Jack P. Anderson.

Baptist pastor Rev. Arthur J. Fineout and family return from a three-week vacation.

Mrs. Velma Hicklin's daughter Tommie visited her brothers Frank and Graham in Tyler.

Harvard University gave The Texas Research Foundation more than 4,000 botanical books from the collection of Prof. Oakes Ames announced Prof. C. L. Lundell, director of the foundation.

Rev. A. J. Fineout and his family just returned from a three week vacation.

Rev. Powers of the Second Baptist Church was the speaker at Collin County Baptist Worker's Conference.

Mrs. Velma Hicklin accompanied her granddaughter Peggy Ann Creed, 11 to Cincinnati where she will spend the summer with her father, Albert Thomas Creed.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Reed returned home from a vacation with her brother Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Woodall, Jr. of Macon, Geo. In Fla, they packed oranges off the trees and brought them home.

- p. 6 Hugh Timothy White, Sr. of Grand Prairie died Wednesday. Survivors are his wife Mrs. Virginia A. White, daughters Mrs. Lawrence R. Lynn and Mrs. Elgin P. Young, and son Hugh T. White, Jr. His sister is Mrs. Blanche Raymond and ten grandchildren. Father Breedlove of Irving was the celebrant. Internment was a Calvary Hill Cemetery in Dallas.

- p. 7 Mr. and Mrs. Rex Strange went to Hot Springs on vacation.

Returning home from a vacation in Pensacola, Fla. were Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Bud Perkins and daughter Lynn and Susan Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benton Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Beal of Sweetwater, Mrs. C. R. Kendrick of Winters, and Mrs. and Mrs. Jack Thompson and son of Dyersburg, Tenn. Were guests of Mrs. J. S. Aldridge this past weekend.

Miss Sylvia Floyd has moved to Dallas where she became summer Youth Director and Educational Secretary of the Urbandale Baptist Church.

- p. 8 Mr. Stanley Jagers, Football Coach of Frisco High School, is the head lifeguard of the Frisco Community Youth Center Swimming Pool that opens June 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval White of Frisco and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie White and children of Plano visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson in Lufkin.

Installation of the officers of the Plano Chapter 703 Order of the Eastern Star was on June 3 at the Masonic Hall. Those attending the event were: Mrs. Lucille Wyatt, Mrs. Mary Kathryn Smith, Mrs. Ruth Stoneman, Mrs. Annie Laurie Horton, Paul Junker, Mrs. Myrtle Wilson, Joe Bichell, Mrs. Alma Hays, Mrs. Louise Junker, Mrs. Beth Thurman, Mrs. Dayton Robinson, Mrs. Vergie Johnson, Mrs. Georgianna Hasford, Mrs. Myrtle Newbill, Mrs. Frances Bichell, Mrs. Alice Fogal, Miss Mary Virginia Wyatt, Mrs. Eloise Ryan, Mrs. Marie Merritt, Sid Merritt, Mrs. Marie Lord, Mrs. Grace McQueety, Mrs. Lona Simmons, Mrs. Janet Loman, Tom Simmons, and Rev. Durham.

Rev. Clyde Newby, Liberty Baptist Church announces dedicatory services this Sunday at 1:30 p.m.

Mrs. S. K. Pafford, 84, passed away in Celina on Saturday. Rev. W. J. Epting and Rev. Thomas Holland officiated. Burial was in Cottage Hill Cemetery in Celina. She was born October 15, 1873 near Chesterfield, South Carolina. She is the daughter of Capt. W. J. and Eliza McBride. She married Sam K. Pafford at Weston and moved to Celina in 1911. Capt. McBride died in 1936. Survivors are two daughters Mrs. Donna Pace and Mrs. Robert Short, granddaughters Mrs. Betty Price, Mrs. Melba Anderson, and two great-grandchildren.

Rev. Edgar J. Huffstutler spoke to the Rotary Club. President T. W. Williams presided. Miss Sherry Garrett was on the piano and Don W. Bagwill gave the invocation.

Mr. W. T. Griffin was taken to the hospital and remains very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Clem welcomed into their home Mr. and Mrs. Allen Curry and daughter Candy, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown, Capt. C. B. Curry, Jr. The Messrs. Curry and Brown are brother and sister of Mrs. Clem.

Mrs. Nancy Phelps, 71, passed away in the Sherman Hospital. The funeral was held in the Church of Christ and conducted by John Pigg of Gunter. She was born January 12, 1887 in Celina, Tennessee. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Roberts. She married Thomas H. Phelps on May 5, 1907. Survivors are her husband, a son C. E. Phelps of Dallas, two daughters Messrs. Beulah Landry and Camille Smith, a brother J. D. Roberts, sisters Mrs. Martha Speaker, Mrs. Tampa Manir, Mrs. Esther Gearhart, seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.