# MINUTES OF THE BENTON COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY GENERAL MEETING, 12 Apr 2003

The meeting was called to order at 10:12 a m. by President Danell Aukerman. About 24 members were present.

# Minutes — Jim Russell:

The minutes of the general meeting of 8 Mar2003 were read and approved as corrected.

# Treasurer's Report - Gene Newcomb:

For February: Income

\$ 239.57

Expenses

\$ 133.75

# Programs - Bill Gleaves:

Today Lorna Scott

Native American (with emphasis on the Siletz tribe) genealogy

May

Genealogy Book Fair (No business meeting)

Jun

Picnic.

Sep

Show and tell - the summer's genealogical I research.

Oct (tentative)

Adoption.

# Hostess - Margaret Hayes:

For the May meeting, refreshments will be in the Fireside room.

All members are requested to bring snack foods.

### Librarian — Ken Bielman

Those books from the Irene Harding collection that will be sold (duplicates of books already in our library), have been priced.

# Library Schedule - Lee Rudisil

All assignments are scheduled.

## Publishing - Lee Gentemann

The GT Obituaries file is now on the computer in our library.

## **Book Committee - Damaris Reynolds**

One new book: "The Great Migration, 1634-1635, G-H" The Irene Harding collection is listed in the Newsletter.

### **Queries – Maybelle Martsching:**

Received queries on Custer and Heward. Also have enquiries about M & W Logging Co., Smith, and Blodget.

# Membership - Tonya Rawie

We have about 127 families, with 154 members.

# Newsletter - Terry Green

Nothing new.

# Service Projects -

WPA: The Church Records book should be published by next month.

GT Obituaries: Nothing new.

Pedigree file: Still working, but nothing new to report.

#### Old Business -

Genealogical Book Fair:

Seven tables have been reserved so far.

A sign-up sheet was passed around for assistance needed at the Fair Other needs of the Fair were discussed.

Insurance:

Rather than insurance on our book collection, we should establish a special fund to replace books in case of disaster.

Liability insurance should be a rider on the Liability insurance of the Museum. Registration with the Oregon Cultural Heritage Commission & Trust costs \$150.00. We will ask for a waiver of the registration fee. Dave Kribs is working on this.

#### New Business -

#### Announcements, etc. -

There will be a genealogical conference on 3 - 6 Sep 2003 in Orlando, Florida. Civil War workshop ... LBCC on 21 Jun 2003; costs \$20.00.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:50 am.

The Genealogical Book Fair will be on 10 May 2003.

The next general meeting will be on 14 Jun 2003.

Respectfully submitted,

James H. Russell

Secretary