

MINUTES OF
THE BENTON COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY
GENERAL MEETING 12 February 2005

Minutes - Leila Crawford

The minutes of the January general meeting were read and approved after correction were acknowledged.

Treasurer's Report - Gene Newcomb

Gene reviewed our current income and expenses.

Programs - Bill Gleaves

April: Lewis & Clark presented by Lois Meeson

May: Danell Auckerman will teach us how to archive our research materials

Hostess - Margaret Hayes

We are set for this year.

Librarian - Ken Bielman

Lebanon bought all but one of our duplicate books.

There are 2 boxes of Ontario, Canada quarterlies donated by Pat Rawlinson now shelved in the dining room area.

Our book shelf list has been updated. The CD version will cost \$1 and hardcopies will cost \$4.

Membership - Tonya Rawie

Our membership has dropped to 142 members due to lack of membership renewals.

Remember to update your member information such as name, address, email

Library Schedule - Lee Rudisil

Nothing new to report

Publishing - Lee Gentemann

Lee sold another WPA book.

Book Committee - Damaris Reynolds

The book committee will meet next week. Please share any request you have with Damaris.

If you have German ancestry, check our new indexes in the library.

A reminder that vital record request forms are stored in the verticle file. Some forms may be out of date.

Damaris is willing to share her research books. You may review them at her home.

Queries - Lee Genteman

Lee had 1-research request.

Newsletter - Terry Green

Terry appreciates newsletter items that have been sent to her. If you have a reference, please give the source.

Service Projects

WPA

No new report.

Cemetery

No new report

GT Obituaries

We are waiting for the museum to give the society permission to digitize the

GT microfilm

Pedigree File

No new report

Military File

No new report

Donation Land Claim Map - Dorothy Burt

No new report.

Ancestor File - Tonya Rawie

Tonya is rebuilding the index of 4,275 names.

Historian - Virginia Hooyee

No new report

Old Business

No action taken.

New Business

No action taken.

Announcements

There will be a 146th birthday celebration at the capitol in Salem.

Danell shared the dates and times of her spring genealogy class offerings. She will also offer books for sale at each general meeting.

Respectfully submitted

Leila Crawford

Secretary