MINUTES OF THE BENTON COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY GENERAL MEETING, Saturday 14 January, 2006

Minutes - Kathleen Coan

The minutes of last general meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer's Report - Gene Newcomb

After reviewing the finances for the past month, the current balance is \$4,627.49

Programs – Dave Kribs
Today's program will be Bill Gleves' English research.
The program for February will be wagon trains by Linda Crew.
April: Danelle will do a program on new websites for genealogy research on the Internet as part of her talk. She asked for suggestions for other topics to cover.

Hostess - Margaret Hayes No report

Librarian - Ken Beilman Ken reports no new books, and announced that a duplicate copy of New Jersey Historical Society book will be removed from the library.

Membership - Leila Crawford

There are now 155 members with 77 renewals for the society. Leila passed out new copies of the membership list.

Library Schedule - Lee Rudisil No report

Publishing – Lee Gentemann No report

Book Committee - Damaris Reynolds No report

Queries - Lee Gentemann No report

Newsletter - Terri Greene Terri asks that news articles of genealogical interest by e-mailed to her using BCGS in the reference line Service Projects

No reports from any service project except for the GT obituaries Charlene Talbot reports 500 new names for the index.

WPA - Danell Aukerman

cemetery-

GT Obituaries - Charlene Talbot

Surname File-Tonya Rawie

Donation Land Claim Map - Dorothy Burt

Historian - Lee Rudisill

Publishing: Lee Gentemann

Old Business

No Old Business

New Business

President, Faye Abraham, asked for approval of Danelle Aukerman's ad in the newsletter, and it was accepted by a consensus of members.

Danelle Announced that censuses are available on Heritage Quest database and microfilmed book collection on the internet for the Seattle Public Library.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next Board Meeting will be 30 January, 2006 Our next general meeting will be Saturday, 11 February, 2006

The meeting was adjourned at 10:30 a.m.

Respectfully submitted, Kathleen Coan, Secretary Benton County Genealogical Society Attn: Board and Society Members

To All Concerned,

This memo is to advise that prior commitments make it impossible for me to continue to serve as President of this Society.

I request that the Board and Membership accept my resignation effective at the end of the February, 2006, meeting.

Hopefully, I will be able to reconsider a position with this great organization after this year.

Sincerely,

Faye Abraham

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