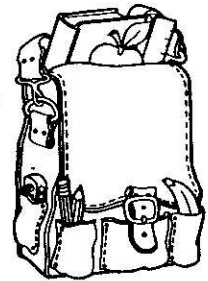




Eastern Nebraska Genealogical Society Newsletter

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Mares Meeting Room
1722 East 19-Fremont NE
9 September 2014 7 p.m.

Program
"Show & Tell"

Browse Nite
23 September 2014 7 p.m.

It is time for a change, Claire has handled the choosing of programs since 1972. We had a brief meeting the other evening and made up a calendar for the following meetings:

September 9 – "Show and Tell" Everyone is involved. You tell us what you have found in your family hunt for new ancestors and/or info that pertain to just one of the ancestors.

October 14 - Map ID of the US - Locate your parents & grandparents birth places on a map.

NOVEMBER 11 - The use of an Obituary and what can be found.

December – there is no meeting.

The calendar for 2014 will be announced in the
December Newsletter

This is for you, Margie Sobotka, a special "THANK YOU" for Your donation to the ENGS group. Also for the additional funding in Memory of Sylvia Nimmo. Sylvia, Margie and Claire worked together on the beginning projects of indexing records, or copying marriage and obituary records for our society, this goes back into the 1970's. I was not aware of Sylvia's death until I received the memory funds from Margie.

We always appreciate donations and they are spent wisely. Large or small we accept them all.

Honored Pre WW II Heroes Compiled by Alex Meyer Part 1 And Part II

There are wonderful stories in the two volumes which were given to us for our Library by Member Alex Meyer. WE THANK YOU, Alex. Both volumes are full of photos and some beautiful stories. Alex was six years in writing the stories contained in the volumes, oh what dedication! The books are on the shelf however for Reference only (cannot be checked out). They run from 805 to 811 pages in length.

The Roots & Leaves for Fall will be coming out a bit early, but it has some very interesting articles on early Dodge County, that were located in the State of Nebraska (huge book) 1882 book. Hopefully everyone will enjoy the information.

Looking back, Claire reports she has read most of the History books on our shelves, sharing her finds with our membership and friends of the Society.

LOOKIN' BACK

We are going to put in a column of Lookin' Backs from the Old papers for old towns in Dodge County. We have many articles on Fremont, but the other towns are difficult. Some of the old newspapers did not start as early at the Fremont newspapers, so we have to rely on Fremont for other info on the outlying towns. This is a sample:

Swaburg Swedish Luth Ch June 1895

The church bell for the Swedish Lutheran church will soon arrive. Its weight, including all attachments, is 1,200 pounds. A tower for its reception will be built onto the front of the church.

Glencoe Gleanings Aug 1879

Miss Jessie Flor, from Fremont has been engaged to teach the fall term of the Glencoe school.

A sad and painful mishap befel Alex, a 15 yr old son of Robert Patterson while herding cattle, his horse threw him to the ground and fell on him causing severe internal injuries. He lies in a critical condition, and unable to move without aid.

North Bend Aug 1881

The school board awarded a furniture contract for \$350 to Andrews & Co of Chicago. Three rooms will be seated.

Webster News June 1886

John White has left this part of the county and located at Fremont. He has accepted a position in a music store. Mr Fred Spath, Sr, is building a house on his school land.

FREMONT'S CHAMPION BASEBALL TEAM
Winner Post-Season Series With Mink League



—Photo by Jackman.

Gray, cf. Thompson, ss. Bohner, c. C. Smith, 2b.
 H. Smith, p. Weir, p. Bennett, Ca pt., p. Campbell, p. Hoffman, p.
 Turpin, H. Mason, rf. Johnson, 3b. Fullen, 1b. Wells, 3b.

John Jackman
Was a Photographer in Fremont
1906-1917 (no date on photo.)



An addendum – all newsletters and Roots & Leaves will be mailed in an envelope. One for R & L is a 6 x 9 envelope. The monthly newsletter in a regular envelope. Actually this will save us some time and give us an extra page for news items.