Let's Discuss It meeting February 18, 2017 Next Meeting March 18, 2017

This list, with clickable links, can be found under the Let's Discuss It section on the http://www.tngs.org web site.



Please share your research trips, questions, and accomplishments since our last meeting.

Remember, PZ won't be here for the March Let's Discuss It. In his place we'll have Janice Ingram discuss Photoshop Elements and the ways you can repair old digitized photos and documents.

Announcement: PZ and I have decided it's time for some fresh blood in the Let's Discuss It leader pool. I'll continue my part of Let's Discuss It through the current season (June 2017). PZ will continue his section through December 2017. As we don't meet in July and August, we're looking for someone to take over for me in September and for PZ in January. Please let us know if you're interested.

FTDna is again accepting transfers of Ancestry and 23ANDme data. Transfer is free. \$19 to add chromosome browser plus other capabilities: https://dna-

<u>explained.com/2017/02/16/family-tree-dna-now-accepts-all-ancestry-autosomal-transfers-plus-23andme-v3-and-v4/</u>

Carolyn McKenzie sent this link. Genealogy Groups on Facebook. We've printed it before, but it's updated constantly and time to catch up:

https://socialmediagenealogy.com/genealogy-on-facebook-list/

DNA Concepts: https://dna-

<u>explained.com/2017/01/19/concepts-segment-size-legitimate-and-false-matches/</u>

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Cindy Rogers sent this: Webinars from the Citizenship and Immigration services:

https://www.uscis.gov/historyandgenealogy

About the Early TN Land Records 1723-1922 (available at the TN archives): http://sos.tn.gov/products/tsla/early-tennessee-land-records-1773-1922

Cindy Rodgers sent this on the Legacy Tree Grandparent DNA Inheritance tool. Similar to Lazarus on GEDMATCH for creating a chromosome kit for a non-living ancestor:

https://www.legacytree.com/blog/create-a-chromosome-map-without-living-grandparents

Here is the online tool:

https://www.legacytree.com/inheritance

DNA Double Matching:

http://www.beholdgenealogy.com/blog/?p=1970

Non-genealogy – need a fax cover sheet or a calendar: https://www.freeprintable.net/#home

Cindy Rodgers also sent links for these two timeline tools:

TimeGlider: http://www.timeglider.com/
Timelines: http://www.ourtimelines.com/

Navajo Nation library to digitize 1960's oral history archive: http://lj.libraryjournal.com/2017/01/academic-library-to-digitize-1960s-oral-history-archive/#

Chronicling America could go offline with budget cuts: http://blog.familytreemagazine.com/insider/2017/01/24/AN ewuSBudgetBlueprintMayAffectGenealogists.aspx

Have your researched in a local historical society or museum? http://genealogysstar.blogspot.com/2017/01/researchopportunities-in-historical.html

The Keepers Registry – preserving scholarly content: http://upfront.ngsgenealogy.org/2017/01/the-keepers-registry-who-is-ensuring.html

Dylan Atchley sent this "good feel" read of a search for a family discovered through a discarded photo album of a Harlem family in the 1940's and 1950's.

https://www.nytimes.com/2017/01/27/nyregion/love-and-black-lives-in-pictures-found-on-a-brooklyn-street.html?hp&action=click&pgtype=Homepage&clickSource=story-heading&module=second-column-region®ion=top-news&WT.nav=top-news& r=0

Joe Burns sent this useful index link: http://www.everynameindex.com/FreeDatabases.html

Joe Burns sent these Alabama links. Don't stop scrolling part way down the page, keep going! http://genealogytrails.com/ala/

DNA Strategy for adoptee:

http://blog.kittycooper.com/2017/01/a-jewish-adoptee-finds-his-birth-family/#more-4559

I didn't know you could do this on Findagrave. Joe Burns sent this "virtual cemetery" of Memphis Tech High School graduates: https://www.findagrave.com/cgibin/fg.cgi?page=vcsr&GSvcid=264313

University of Minnesota digitizes African American historical documents:

http://www.mndaily.com/article/2017/02/umbra-search-site-opens-african-american-culture-to-the-public
The search site: https://www.umbrasearch.org/