

Let's Discuss It 9-26-2009

Agenda Items:

1. Did anyone attend FGS in Little Rock?

2. Register for FTM 2010 Webinar for Sept 30 7PM CST:

<http://ftmuser.blogspot.com/2009/09/free-family-tree-maker-2010-online.html>

3. TNGS Classes and events:

The TNGS Intro To Family Tree Maker class will be repeated 7PM Tuesday October 6th.

Oct 17th is the Quarterly TNGS Meeting at 10AM

The next Let's Discuss It is Saturday October 24th at 10AM

Looking for Census Records will be taught Thursday October 29 10:30AM -12:00PM

Veteran's Day Seminar is Saturday November 7 9:30 AM to 2:00 PM with topics:

WW1 the Western Front

Finding American Ancestor's Military Records

Using DNA in your Family History Research

Lineage Organizations - Their Purpose

Let's Discuss It Saturday 10 AM November 21

Let's Discuss It Saturday 10 AM December 12

4. Some discussion items from our own Let's Discuss It folks:

Same Job: GetDropBox <http://www.getdropbox.com/tour>

Other big file transfer sites: http://email.about.com/od/sendbigfilesviaemail/tp/send_big_files.htm

Derek Johnston: iLife/iPhoto face recognition

Derek Johnston: DNA testing - process

5. Links you might find useful:

If you've been waiting for the 1928 to 1930 Georgia death certificates, they're available online now. Only problem is that they're not yet indexed: <http://content.sos.state.ga.us/cdm4/nondeath.php>

Are you a Melungeon researcher? There's now a DNA project that's being used in conjunction with traditional research methods to try and solve the mystery of the heritage of this group:

http://www.jgoins.com/core_melungeon.htm

Library resource links:

Germantown Public Library databases: <http://www.germantown-library.org/reference.htm>

Memphis Public Library Genealogy Databases: <http://www.memphislibrary.org/databases/subjects/genealogy>

Collierville Library Databases: <http://www.collierville.com/resources/search-library-online-databases>

Tennessee State Library and Archives:

Tennessee Genealogical Society: <http://www.tngs.org/>

Tennessee State Library Collections: <http://www.tn.gov/tsla/Collections.htm>

Tennessee State Library Newspaper Collection: <http://www.tn.gov/tsla/history/newspapers/tn-paper.htm>

Tennessee State Library Genealogy Resources: <http://www.tn.gov/tsla/history/guides/guide05.htm>

Tennessee State Library available Microfilm Reels:

<http://www.state.tn.us/tsla/preservation/microfilmindex.htm>

Footnote has a great collection of city directories and newspapers: <http://www.footnote.com/>

Here's a Footnote Webinar: <http://blog.footnote.com/the-worlds-first-footnote-webinar/>

Past Family Tree Maker Webinars: <http://www.familytreemaker.com/About/Webinars.aspx>

Family Search Collections: <http://pilot.familysearch.org/recordsearch/start.html#p=allCollections;r=-1>

Family Tree Magazine 101 Best Web Sites 2009: <http://www.familytreemagazine.com/101for2009>

Scottish Burials: <http://www.deceasedonline.com/>

Shelby county archives & test site. <http://shelbytest.bisonline.com>

New archives: 980A Nixon Drive.

The regular Shelby County Register of Deeds Site: <http://www.register.shelby.tn.us/>

Information on changes coming in familysearch.org:

FamilySearch Alpha: <http://labs.familysearch.org/blog/?p=110>

Current FamilySearch site: <http://www.familysearch.org/eng/default.asp>

FamilySearch Record Search Pilot: <http://pilot.familysearch.org/recordsearch/start.html#start>

A quick look at the new FamilySearch Alpha: <http://www.geneamusings.com/2009/06/my-first-look-at-familysearch-alpha.html>

My personal STATE Links. I've actually found data useful in my research on these sites:

50states.com - States and Capitals <http://www.50states.com/>

AL - ADAH Databases <http://www.archives.state.al.us/dataindex.html>

All - Death Indexes all states <http://www.deathindexes.com/>

All - Digital Collections <http://oedb.org/library/features/250-plus-killer-digital-libraries-and-archives#local>

All - Public Records <http://www.daddezio.com/records/room/>

AR - Archives <http://www.ark-ives.com/?sssdmh=dm13.183131>

AR - Marriages This is on Ancestry.com which is a "pay site", but free from library:
<http://www.ancestry.com/search/db.aspx?dbid=4383>

AZ - Arizona Genealogy Birth and Death Certificates <http://genealogy.az.gov/>

CA - California Death Records Rootsweb <http://vitals.rootsweb.ancestry.com/ca/death/search.cgi>

CA - California Deaths, 1940 - 1997 <http://www.familytreelegends.com/records/caldeaths>

CA - Death Records <http://www.deathindexes.com/california/index.html>

CA - Los Angeles Times_ Archives <http://pqasb.pqarchiver.com/latimes/advancedsearch.html>

CA - Newspapers <http://cdnc.ucr.edu/>

CA - Vital Records <http://www.genealogybranches.com/california.html>

FL - Marriage Records <http://www.genwed.com/state/flgen.htm>

GA - Georgia Death Certificates <http://content.sos.state.ga.us/cdm4/gadeaths.php>

IA - State Census <http://iagenweb.org/census/>

IL - Chicago Polish Death Records - Dziennik Chicagoski <http://www.pgsa.org/dzien9029.php>

IL - Chicago Tribune Archives <http://pqasb.pqarchiver.com/chicagotribune/advancedsearch.html>

IL - ChicagoAncestors.org <http://www.chicagoancestors.org/>

IL - Cook County Illinois <http://www.cookcountygenealogy.com/>

IL - Illinois Civil War Muster and Descriptive Rolls Database <http://www.ilsos.gov/genealogy/>

IL - Illinois Marriages, 1763-1900 <http://www.familytreelegends.com/records/ilmarriages>

IL - Illinois State Archives Databases

<http://www.cyberdriveillinois.com/departments/archives/databases.html>

KS - Kansas Memory <http://www.kansasmemory.org/>

KY - Land Office Databases <http://sos.ky.gov/land/search/>

LA - Archives <http://www.sos.louisiana.gov/tabid/53/Default.aspx>

MA - Archives <http://www.sec.state.ma.us/arc/arcsrch/SearchWelcome.html>

MA - Vital Records

http://www.werelate.org/wiki/Massachusetts_Online_Vital_Records_Research_Guide

MA - Vital Records Search <http://www.sec.state.ma.us/vitalrecordssearch/VitalRecordsSearch.aspx>

MI - Deaths (1867 - 1897)

<http://search.labs.familysearch.org/recordsearch/start.html#p=collectionDetails;c=1452402>

MI - Family History Network <http://mifamilyhistory.org/>

MI - Michigan Births (1867 - 1902) <http://www.mnhs.org/index.htm>

MI - Michigan Marriages (1868 - 1925)

<http://search.labs.familysearch.org/recordsearch/start.html#p=collectionDetails;c=1452395>

MN - Birth & Death Indexes <http://www.mnhs.org/index.htm>

MN - Vital Records <http://www.mnhs.org/genealogy/index.htm>

MO - Missouri - St. Louis Probate Court Digitization Project_ 1802 - 1900

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/stlprobate/default.asp#search>

MO - Missouri State Archives - Death Records Certificates

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/deathcertificates/>

MO - SOS, Missouri - State Archives Archival Holdings

<http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/resources.asp>

MO- Pre 1910 Births and Deaths <http://www.sos.mo.gov/archives/resources/birthdeath/>

NJ - NJDARM Archives Catalog <http://www.njarchives.org/links/catalog.html>

NJ - The Olive Tree Genealogy New Jersey Census Records

<http://www.olivetreegenealogy.com/usa/nj/njcensus.shtml>

Northeastern Genealogy Online <http://www.familyhistory101.com/states.html>

NY - Civil War <http://iarchives.nysed.gov/CivilWarWeb/search.jsp>

NY - Death Records <http://www.deathindexes.com/newyork/>

NY - Historic Newspaper_ Brooklyn Daily Eagle Online (1841-1902)

<http://eagle.brooklynpubliclibrary.org/Default/Skins/BEagle/Client.asp?Skin=BEagle>

NY - New York Times Article Archive - New York Times

<http://www.nytimes.com/ref/membercenter/nytarchive.html>

NY - Newspaper archives <http://www.fultonhistory.com/Fulton.html>

NY - NY Archives <http://www.usgwarchives.org/ny/nyfiles.htm>

NY - NY GenWeb <http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~nygenweb/>

NY - NY Naturalization Records <http://www.genealogybranches.com/m1674.html>

NY - NY Times <http://www.nytimes.com/>

OH - Death Records 1908 - 1953

<http://search.labs.familysearch.org/recordsearch/start.html#p=collectionDetails;c=1307272>

OK - Ottawa County Oklahoma Library <http://www.miami.lib.ok.us/contact1.htm>

OR - Jackson County Genealogy Library <http://www.rvgslibrary.org/>

PA - Pennsylvania Genealogy Resources For Family History Research

<http://www.kindredtrails.com/pennsylvania.html>

PA - Philadelphia City Death Certs (1803 - 1915)

<http://search.labs.familysearch.org/recordsearch/start.html#p=collectionDetails;c=1320976>

SC - Lexington Co Probate Ct Estate http://www.lex-co.com/Departments/probatecourt/Index_000.html

SC - LowCountry Africana <http://lowcountryafricana.net/Default.asp>

SC - Old Newberry District Chapter of South Carolina Genealogical Society

<http://www.newberry.scgen.org/>

SC - Online Archives <http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/>

Southeastern Genealogy Online <http://www.familyhistory101.com/states.html>

The USGenWeb Project <http://usgenweb.org/>

TN - Online Newspaper Directory - Tennessee Newspapers

http://www.genealogybuff.com/np/tennessee_newspapers.htm

TX - Anderson County Texas GenWeb Project <http://www.etgs.org/txanderson/>

TX - Births, 1926-1995 <http://www.familytreelegends.com/records/txbirths>

TX - Dallas County Texas Archives <http://freepages.history.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~jwheat/>
TX - Military (and other) Records from TSL <http://www.tsl.state.tx.us/arc/genfirst.html>
TX - Texas Death Index (1964 - 1998)
<http://search.labs.familysearch.org/recordsearch/start.html#p=collectionDetails;c=1375599>
TX - Texas Deaths (1890 - 1976)
<http://search.labs.familysearch.org/recordsearch/start.html#p=collectionDetails;c=1320964>
TX- Bowie County Cemeteries <http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~txkusa/Cemeteries/bowiecem.html>
UT - Utah Death Certs (1904 - 1956)
<http://search.labs.familysearch.org/recordsearch/start.html#c=1004924;p=collectionDetails>
VA - 1790 - 1800 County Tax Lists of Virginia <http://www.binnsgenealogy.com/VirginiaTaxListCensuses/>
VA - The Library of Virginia Site Index <http://www.lva.virginia.gov/siteIndex.asp>
VT - Vermont Cemetery Lists <http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/4868/VTcem/>
VT - VERMONTGATEWAY
<http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~vermont/VERMONTGATEWAY.html>
WA - Wash. Death Certs (1907 - 1960)
<http://search.labs.familysearch.org/recordsearch/start.html#c=1454923;p=collectionDetails>
WI - Marshfield area index http://209.94.183.10/website/services_vdb.htm
WV - West Virginia Vital Research Records http://www.wvculture.org/vrr/va_select.aspx
WV - WV Births (1853 - 1930)
<http://search.labs.familysearch.org/recordsearch/start.html#c=1417341;p=collectionDetails>
WV - WV Deaths (1853 - 1970)
<http://search.labs.familysearch.org/recordsearch/start.html#c=1417434;p=collectionDetails>
WV - WV Marriages (1853 - 1970)
<http://search.labs.familysearch.org/recordsearch/start.html#c=1408729;p=collectionDetails>