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COMING EVENTS:

- March 18 & 19 - Sweet Home annual Genealogy Workshop.
Fee- \$3.50 per day or \$6.00 both days. 9 - 7 p.m on Friday and 9 to 4:30pm on Saturday. Sessions include "Where to find Records", "Early Linn County", "Genealogy for Beginners" and "Researching England". Surname files and Linn County records & books will be available for use. Also, I think, the books from their Society and personal libraries will be available for study.
- March 26- Clark Co, Vancouver Genealogy Society is sponsoring a Seminar with Dr. George K Schweitzer as main speaker. Details are in your February newsletter.
- April 30 -Oregon Genealogical Society (Eugene) will have a workshop 8:30 - 4:00 pm. at Wesley M.E. Church, 1385 Oakway Rd., Eugene. Fee is \$12.50 -pre-register by April 10, or \$15.00 at the door. To register send name, address, & phone # to: Workshop- Oregon Gen. Soc., P.O. Box 10306, Eugene, Or, 97440-2306. Topics for study and discussion include- beginning research; exchange publications; getting organized; Native American research; Dutch research; Early Oregon ; and more.
- March 19- the first organizational meeting of WELLS family researchers. The meeting will be at Jantzen Beach, Newport Bay Restaurant, 11:00 a.m. If you are a WELLS or with WELLS kin, you are invited to attend. Becky, Jean, and Damaris are going. We may find that we are related!
- March 27 - Happy Birthday greetings for Harriet MOORE will be in order. Harriet will be 92 years on that day- We wish you a Happy Day, Harriet. Elizabeth Aiken and Mary Jane Bailey also have birthdays in March. Happy Birthday to all.

WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS:

Joanne BRATNER, Albany; Steven MILLS, Corvallis; Phyllis and Phillip NUNEMACHER, Corvallis; William VALENZUELA, Kalamazoo, MI; Gwen & Walter WHITESELL; Ellen Lempke WEGNER, and Cathleen Lempke WALLACE. We are most happy to have you all in our group. WELCOME- we'll look forward to seeing you each month at the meeting.

ST PATRICKS DAY is just around the corner- better get out your green duds and practice up on your Irish wit and Irish cooking and whatever else is usual for the day, maybe pin a shamrock in your hair.

HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY !!!

THE TRAVELING ROAD SHOW was a big success. 81 people attended! We listened and learned and as Bill Dollarhide kept saying- "this is really good stuff". Of course the opportunity to glimpse through a lot of books that you've thought about buying, if only you could know more about the contents, was worth it all. Our thanks to everyone who made the affair a success -- support by attendance, and by responding with your purchases and donations. Special thanks go to the really hard workers- Damaris REYNOLDS who made the delicious punch, arranged for all those cookies and kept it all coming. Thanks to all who made the luscious cookies. Thanks, heartily and especially to Ed STRATTON and Ed EBERHARDT for helping to set up and take down, and to John MATUSZAK and wife, Vi and Patti EBERHARDT and others who stuck around until 11 pm cleaning up. As always, Danell KNIGHT set up a great display of archival supplies and cheerfully sold throughout each break. Thanks to Jean and Mabelle and Lee who helped in all ways.

ARCHIVAL FILM - this program of film rental is going well. Mary YOKE has managed to keep everything under control and we thank her for that. She has suggested the possibility of others using the film that is "in" by either waiting until the reel is turned in to Mary or else by making your own contact with the borrower. This is the list of film that are on loan now:

due: march 14 (this film is back to Mary)
 1830 Indiana census- Clark, Jefferson, Spencer, Marion,
 Crawford, Warrick, Delaware, Perry, Floyd & Shelby Cos. T1928

due April 5:
 1850 New York Co.(part) & New York City ward 9 (part) M432.544
 1850 NY, New York Co. (part) & New York City ward 9 (part) M432-545
 1850 OH, Ross County M432.125

the above 3 film are Damaris REYNOLDS-

1880 Dakota, Clay, Codington, Custer, Davison, Day, Deuel,
 Emmons, Forsyth, Shannon, Foster, Faulk, Grand Forks,
 Grant, Hamlin, Hand, Hanson, Hughes (part), Stanley,
 (part), Huthchinson, Armstrong & Kidder T9.112

this film is Charlotte Marshall's

1840 Illinois Coles, Cook & Crawford Co M704.57
 1840 NY, Broome Co. M704.266
 1840 Census, NY, City of New York, Ward 8 M704.302
 these 3 are Damaris Reynolds"

Compiled Service Records of Soldiers Who Served in the
 American Army During the Revolutionary War, New York,
 3rd Regt Si-V M881.703

this film is Mary YOKE's

BOOKS FOR SHARING- at the April meeting bring your books on the New England states especially. Any other resources you have for sharing are always welcome. Members will continue to treat them with respect and care-- keep on sharing table, clean hands, ink pens in your pocket and pencils only.