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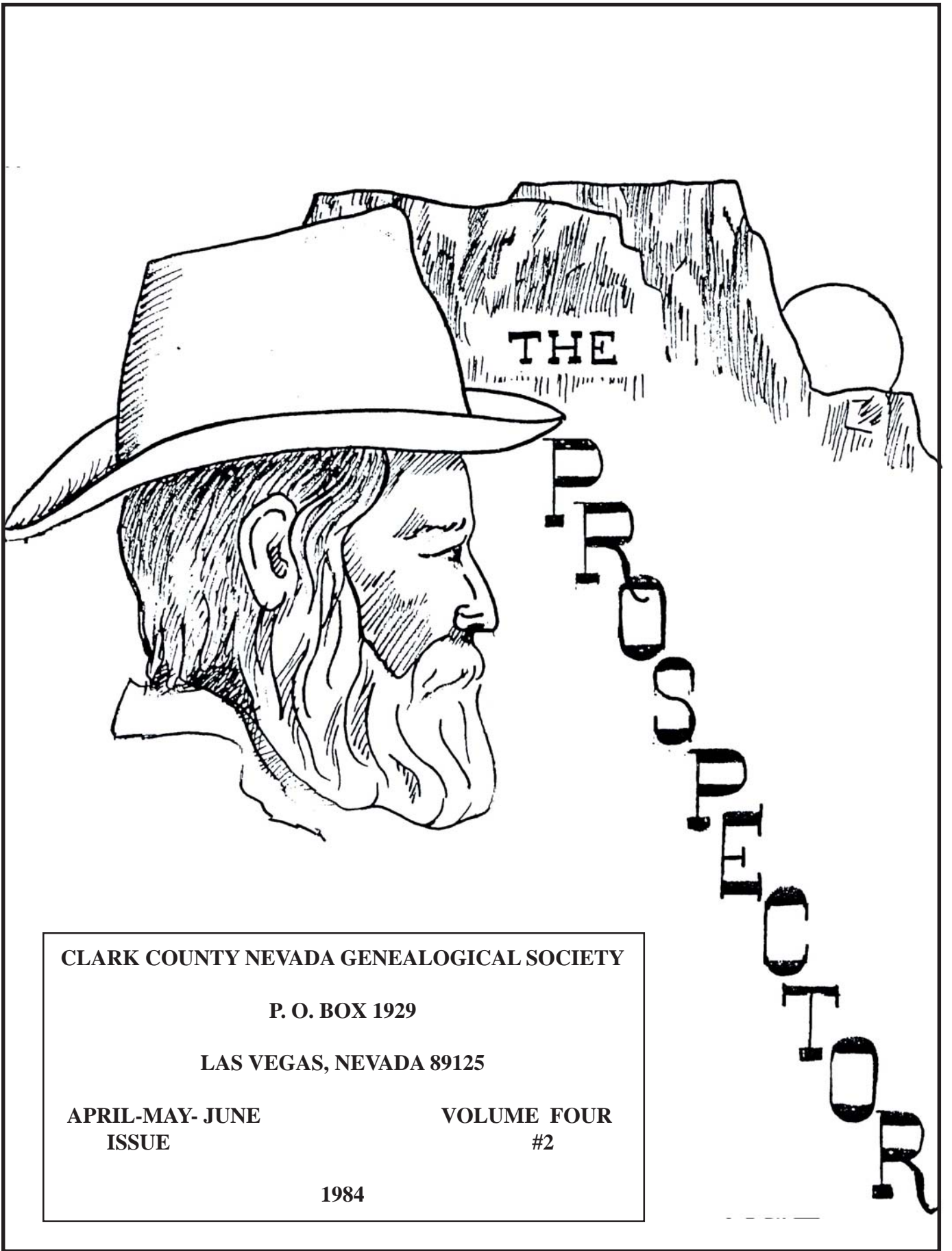
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## FEBRUARY MEETING

Thanks to Ramona Duff for presenting a very informative program on beginning genealogy. The handouts were especially useful for those of us who are novices in genealogy. Ramona will be giving another workshop at the Nellis Air Force Base Library on Weds., April 11th at 12:00 noon. Thank you again, Ramona. We know a lot of time and effort goes into presenting a program.

Also, at our meeting, Laura Folk reminded us that the Genealogy Society has a card file on surnames. To check to see if a card has been started on your surname call Laura Folk at 649-6530 or come to our next meeting.

A few new members were signed up at the meeting. Remember our meetings are held on the second Tuesday night of each month. We meet at the Crestwood School auditorium at 7:30 p.m. Come and bring a friend!

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## THE MAILBAG

From Carl Boyer, Newhall, CA...A list of genealogical publications. Ship's Passenger Lists, Index of Periodicals, etc.

From the American Genealogical Lending Library, Bountiful, UT... Information on their program, order blank.

From Trading Post Genealogical Publications, Alamogordo, NM.... Information on three publications: "The Trading Post", "The Riley Newsletter", and "The Rudy Newsletter".

From Wilma Lathrop, Pub.,...Information on "Bushwhackers and Rock Thumpers:", a periodical covering the MO counties of Barton, Bates, Cedar, Dade & Vernon; published three times yearly.

From Forrest E. Baker, 1717 Hasset Av., Las Vegas...Has a copy of Bureau of the Census publication titled "Twenty Censuses 1790-1980" which he says he has found very helpful in reading microfilms of Population Schedules. The booklet (91 pages) includes copies of the Schedule Heading for each Census as well as Instructions to the Census Takers...And the print is readable. Forrest would be glad to make the booklet available to members who may have been experiencing difficulties in reading Census microfilms.

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For those of you who might be interested...the Genealogical Pub. Co. has a new address: 1001 North Calvert Street, Baltimore Maryland 21202

NEWS FROM  
SEARCHLIGHT, NEVADA

We are very fortunate to have members share information with us that they have gathered. The following information from Joyce and Duane Griffin was gathered from the cemetery at Searchlight and presented to me on January 15, 1984.

The cemetery is located approximately .2 miles off of Highway US 95. Use the turn off that is marked for Cottonwood Cove. The cemetery is in poor condition with over 24 unmarked graves. The following is an example:

Reid, Dale E. 1930-1979 (Carved in rock) 12-14-30 3-23-79	Tombstone Actually Reads:  Dale E. Reid 1930-1979 12-14-30 3-23-79
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Albert, Helen Jackson  
1914-1953

Bagley, Wm.  
Aug. 17, 1858 Dec. 10, 1918

Barton, Willet H. "Judge"  
Jun. 1, 1877 Oct. 25, 1952

Bouten, Frank J.  
"Corduroy Frank of the Colur D'Alenes"  
Nov. 3, 1853 Oct. 24, 1947

Boyd, Lewis G. (Middle initial could be a "C"-  
Could not distinguish.)  
Born Aug. 14, 1867 Died Sept. 1, 1957  
Age 90 yr 16 days

Bright, Willard T.  
1910-1981

Campbell, Lorne J.  
"Beloved Friend"  
1914-1966

Cate, Max John "Son"  
Nov. 26, 1943 Oct. 12, 1949

Chamberlain, Samuel T.  
1873-1951  
"At Rest"

Collier, --on Ann  
Feb 26, 1951 April 4, 1954

Collins, J. B. "Babe"  
1899-1949

Colton, C. Gorden "Beloved Husband"  
Sept. 7, 1920 Aug. 7, 1975

Second stone is a military stone:

C. Gorden Colton U.S. Army  
World War II 1920-1975

Cookson, Harvey A. "Husband"  
1899-1978  
"After Darkness Eternal Light"

Cowden, Arthur G.  
1886-1956

Delker, Wayne B. "In Loving Memory of Deck"  
Born Sept. 17, 1889 Died Dec. 19, 1969

Deem, Celia Josephine  
1918-1970

Elam, Lucille Butler  
Nov. 20, 1924 Feb. 12, 1957

Ford, Lee  
1870-1950

Furry, W. L.  
U.S. Navy  
1942-1978

Givens, Gary J.  
1938-1983

Givens, Rosa Lee "Our Mother"  
1875-1953  
"At Rest"

Givens, Wm. Arthur "Our Dad"  
Dec 18, 1879 Oct. 16, 1945

Griffen, Warren F. "Beloved Husband"  
"Pete" 1909-1979

Haight, Minnie Mae  
"Wife of Hector C. Haight"  
Born Sept. 30, 1892 Died July 1, 1942

Hanson, Merrill Led  
1913-1979

Henry, James  
1880-1957

Hill, Lynette Rae "Our Lynn"  
1927-1961

Hudgens, Charles A.  
Nevada Sgt. 1 Cl. 22 Aero Sqd.  
Jan. 14, 1938

Hudgens, Constance J.  
Jan. 14, 1911 March 3, 1942  
"Our Loving Son & Brother"

Hudgens, Daisy  
1886-1963

Hudgens, John N.  
1854-1923

Jones, Mason Uther Scratched on top of tombstone:  
"Our Young Son" "Troi-Brooke-Heidi Sisters"  
1960-1966

Leam, John David "California Jack"  
1877-1949

Leavers, William M. Stone Reads: Wm. W. Leavers  
1890-1960

Lee, Phyllis Marie  
1907-1962

Marnell, James Edward  
1919-1966

Marshall, Alver C. "Father"  
Oct. 16, 1887 Jan. 23, 1960

Marshall, Gary Bryan  
Oct. 14, 1962 Jan. 1, 1963  
"Our Baby"

Martin, Edwin Jackson  
Feb. 15, 1861 Oct. 6, 1920

McClain, Floyd E.  
Pvt. U.S. Army 1921-1977  
World War II

McClain, Jack Miner  
1st Sgt. U. S. Army                      June 26, 1923    July 4, 1980  
World War II    Korea

McCoy, Bert C.  
"Arkansas SFI U.S. Navy  
World War II"  
June 19, 1909    June 14, 1971

McKinney, Delos Brady  
1930-1939

Murphy, Lillian Elizabeth  
Dec. 9, 1909    June 10, 1947

Myers, Robert Carl, Jr.  
Sept. 7, 1973    Jan. 5, 1974  
"The Lord Is My Shepard"

Nellis, Jasper N.  
1889-1950

Payne, Cary L.  
Dec. 13, 1877    Sept. 21, 1953

Pridgeon, Wm. Taft  
Feb. 5, 1908    Sept. 20, 1935

Ratzke, Paul  
1863-1950

Reid, Betty Alta    "Mom"    Scratched on top of tombstone:  
1919-1977    "Calvin-Deanna-Linda & Mark"

Reid, Carol Elaine Sparge    "Beloved Wife & Mother"  
July 28, 1949    Feb. 10, 1982

Reid, Dale L.  
1930 - 1979  
Carved in rock: 12-14-30    3-23-79

Reid, Douglas    "Beloved Husband & Father"  
Cpr. U. S. Army World War II  
Born Oct. 19, 1921    Died June 16, 1981

Reid, Frank Mason  
Jun. 8, 1908    Sept. 20, 1935

Reid, Harriet    "Mother"  
1881-1958

Reid, Harry  
1913-1972

Reid, Inez J.  
April 29, 1909    Jan. 10, 1978

Reid, John "Father"  
1879-1941

Reid, John Robert "Brother"  
1904-1948

Reid, Wilberta  
June 8, 1905 March 15, 1968

Sherman, Irene  
Sept. 2, 1897 Aug. 17, 1969

Silveria, John G. Second stone is a U.S. military stone:  
Dec. 12, 1892 "California PFC U.S. Army  
Aug 12, 1965 World War I"

Smith, G. B. This is a wooden marker, badly worn.  
Born Sept. 5 (not readable)  
Died Sept. 21 (not readable)

Stoore, Fred  
1903-1971

Tanner, Byron L.  
Jul. 17, 1913 Feb. 28, 1979

Thomas, Jessie D. "Brother"  
Born Florence Arizona  
Jan. 19, 1891 Died March 28, 1938

Thompson, John Oliver  
1876-1960

Tidwell "Baby" Jan 1980

Varney, Jack H.  
1908-1977

Varney, Ruth I.  
1907-1958

Waggoner, Jack Lathey E. "Our Beloved"  
1915-1982

Warman, Thomas J.  
1864-1950

Woods, Lawrence J.  
Pvt. U. S. Army WWII  
1917-1973

Woodworth, Joseph M.  
Nov. 8, 1831 Sept. 29, 1910



Yaeger, Alfred Wm.  
Nov. 18, 1869 - Oct. 6, 1931  
"In Loving Memory Of Our Father"

Yaeger, Dewey H.  
1898-1978

Yeager, Lula V. "Wife of Alfred Wm Yeager"  
April 1, 1875 - Nov. 12, 1957  
"In Loving Memory Of Our Mother"

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If you would like to write an article about your family history or have information that would be helpful to our members, please type or neatly print or write your contribution and mail it to Clark County Nevada Genealogical Society, P. O. Box 1929, Las Vegas, Nevada 89125. Please include your phone number so that we may contact you if it becomes necessary. The editor reserves the right to accept, reject or edit copy to fit the requirements of space and/or good taste.  
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FROM MASSACHUSETTS

Recently passed legislation has transferred the vital records for the years 1841 through 1890 to the custody of the Secretary of State. Any requests for copies of these records should be addressed to:

Secretary of State  
State Archives  
Vital Records Section  
State House  
Boston, Massachusetts 02133

Copies of records from the State Archives may be obtained at \$3.00 per record. Checks should be made payable to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

The New England Historic Genealogical Society can provide you with names of qualified genealogists with whom you may make arrangements to have research done. Their address is 101-Newbury St., Boston MA 02116 (617) 536-5740.

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RECORDS AVAILABLE FOR GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH IN NEBRASKA

OTOE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, Nebraska City, Nebraska, NE 68410  
County Judge - Marriage records from 1864; probate records  
Register of Deeds - Land records  
District Court Clerk - Divorce records

BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS, 301 Centennial Mall South, Lincoln, NE 68509  
Birth, Death, Marriage & Divorce records from the entire State of Nebraska from 1904 to the present. Fee \$5 - one copy of record found.

STATE ARCHIVES, Nebraska State Historical Society, 1500 "R" St., Lincoln, Nebraska, NE 68508

Naturalization records for the entire state of Nebraska.

(Be sure to enclose a self-addressed envelope when you write)

## PERKINS FAMILY REUNION

The families of Ute Warren and Billy Perkins are holding a family reunion on Saturday before Easter. This will be held in Overton, Nevada and will start at 9:00 am.m with games at the park and then to the community center at 11:00 for a pot luck lunch. The program will include an Easter egg hunt for the small children and a raffle of things the families made.

Ute W. Perkins - Born February 11, 1840 at Council Bluff, Ia.  
Died April 18, 1901 - Salt Lake City, Utah.

Mary V. Perkins - Born June 21, 1883 in Overton, Nevada and was one of seven children of Ute & Sarah (Laub) Perkins.

Mary became a nurse and a midwife. She helped many of the people of the valley. If it had not been for Mary, my husband Harry Marshall may not have lived. He was 2 1/2 lbs. at birth. Gurty Anderson was a nurse with Mary Perkins and she helped my husband get his birth certificate.

I have a book called 100 Years On The Muddy by Arabell Lee Hafner.

### NAMES FROM THE BOOK:

Thomas Sassen Smith	Angel Family
Ebenezer Farnes	William J. Conger Family
Andrew Smith Gibbons	James Peter Andersen Family
The Swapp Family	John Milton Lytle
Fads Fredrick Christensen	James Logan
Orville Southerland Cox	McDonald Family
Sarah M. Mayfield	John Henry Tobler
John Murray	LeRoy Tobler
Richard Babbitt	Edgar John Whipple
Preston Lewis	Agnes Clive Anderson
James Anderson	Jesse Winn
William Wood	Ella Hafen Perkins
Asaph Rice	George Freis
Sanford Poter, Jr.	Elwin Perkins
Benjamin Kimball Bullock	Albert Hafner
Sarah Laub	Durrell Dgan Evans
George Albert Goodrich	Sarrel Porter
Joseph Perkins	Max Bunnell
George Perkins	Stephen Alonzo Lyman
Fay Perkins, Sr.	Stephen Augustus Waymire Family
Mary B. Perkins Lytle	Ithamer S. Sprague
David O. Huntsman	Patience Lee
Mary Alice Thomas Mills	Grant and Verna Bowler Family
Sllphin Family	Joseph Asay
Shurtliff Family	Ruth Lewis Fulkerson Mills
	Archie and Hazel Moen

Submitted by Catherine Marshall

THOMAS JEFFERSON FOLK, CIVIL WAR VETERAN

My cousin, Philip Folk and I have been working on our great-grandfather Thomas Jefferson FOLK, who enlisted as a private in the Union Army with the 2nd Regiment, Maryland Potomac Home Brigade, Co. K. Phil and I share a deep interest in the Civil War, and are both Rebels at heart.

The following is information from the muster roll slips Phil found in Thomas Jefferson FOLK's military file at the National Archives.

Apr 30 1862

On detached service at Piedmont (VA). Absent ten days from hospital without leave in March.

June 30 & July 7 1862

Deserted July 3rd on march from New Creek (VA) to Petersburg, Va.

July & August 1862

Returned to duty from desertion July 28 1862 without arrest.

Sept & Oct 1862

On daily duty.

Jan & Feb 1863

On daily duty (Artillery) Fined for absence without leave since last paid \$16.00

April 10 1863 (Special Muster Roll)

Present or absent - not stated

Mar & Apr 1863

On detached service; Building Block House 4 miles from Cumberland, Md.

May & June 1863

On detached service at Bradys Mill, Md. since June 21st.

Mar & Apr 1864

Absent. On detached service in Engineer Corps since Apr 1/64 per Special Order No. 46 9th Div. Dept. of W.Va.

Mar & Apr 1864 (Detachment Muster Roll)

New Creek, W.Va. Present. Detached Apr 2/64 by order Col. Jas. A. Mulligan Commanding 2nd Separate Brigade Dept. W.Va. Serving as a part of the Engineer Corps attached to Separate Brigade Dept. W.Va.

May & June 1864

Absent. On detached service in Engineer Corps since Apr 1/64 by General Order 46 2nd div. Dept. W.Va.

May & June 1864 (Detachment Muster Roll)

New Creek, W.Va. Present. Detached Apr 2/64 by order Col. James A. Mulligan Commanding 2nd Separate Brigade Dept. W.Va. Service as a part of Engineer Corps Dept. of W.Va.

## 1910 NEVADA CENSUS DATA

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wade have completed information on Churchill, Clark, Douglas, Elko, Lincoln, and Esmeralda counties. They would be glad for help in coordinating their indexing with others.

They are making this data available upon request for a small fee. Tentatively they will send up to five listings of a full name for \$2.00. They are members of the Washington State Genealogical Society and began their indexing project with various Washington State counties.

You may write to them, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wade at 7830 172nd Place, N. E., Nedmond, Wa 98052.

## HENCKEL GENEALOGICAL BULLETIN (HINKLE-HENKEL-HENKLE)

Started in 1970, we have now published 578 pages. The basic purpose is to make additions and corrections to the first six generations from The Rev. Anthony Jacob Henckel as published in The Henckel Genealogy by Junkin, 1447 pages, and out of print (1964). We also publish information on other Hinkle-Henkel immigrants during the colonial period. We limit to the early generations to be of interest to more people.

There is no charge to check your lineage for possible placement, but be sure to give some dates and places of residence, and tell me where you obtained the information.

Write: Mrs. Bert Harter, Editor, 3812 Flagler Avenue, Key West, Florida 33040

## FAMILY NEWS

Genealogy appears in many unexpected places. I often read Yankee Magazine which has a genealogy column. One month included a Nickerson family reunion. Though the issue was old and the reunion was past, I wrote the secretary and sent family sheets for the two generations I knew before my parents.

By return mail I received news that I was a member of that Nickerson Family. Also included was information about the Nickerson Family Association and information about three volumes of Nickerson genealogy. I immediately mailed a check for the books. When they arrived I found my ancestors and quickly tracked them back to 1515. Delight and amazement reinforced my zeal for researching my ancestors.

Submitted by Roberta E. Keene

THE FOLLOWING IS AVAILABLE ON MICROFILM FROM THE MORTON-JAMES PUBLIC LIBRARY IN NEBRASKA CITY, NEBRASKA 68410.

Federal Census

1860 - Entire Nebraska Territory  
1870 - Nemaha, Nucholls and Otoe  
1880 - Nemaha, Nucholls, Otoe, Pawnee and Phelps  
1900 - Otoe, Perkins and Phelps

The Nebraska City Daily News

December 3, 1864 through August 7, 1925

Nebraska City News-Press (current name)

January 17, 1857 through August 1983 (this in being updated every three months)

Nebraska Daily Press

November 17, 1859 through November 19, 1925

Nebraska City Daily Chronicle

August 17, 1868 through April 29, 1874

J. Sterling Morton Papers 1849-1902

The following is available on microfiche.

WYUKA CEMETERY INTERRMENTS 1855-1971

The following books are available for public use.

NEBRASKA CITY DIRECTORY - 1870 - 1881-82 - 1926-27 - 1937 - 1940  
1960 - 1962 - 1964 - 1966 - 1969 - 1970 - 1972 - 1973 - 1974-75  
1977 - 1978 - 1980 - 1981 - 1983

NEBRASKA BLUE BOOKS 1918 to current issue.

NEBRASKA CITY CENTENNIAL BOOKLET 1854-1954  
OTOE & CASS COUNTIES BIOGRAPHY - 1889 Vol. 1 & 2  
OTOE COUNTY HISTORY - 1983  
HISTORY OF THE STATE OF NEBRASKA ( ANDREA'S HISTORY) 1882  
ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF NEBRASKA - Morton (early exploration - 1913)  
WYUKA CEMETERY BOOK - compiled by Tomylin 1855-1957  
OTOE COUNTY CEMETERIES RECORD BOOK - Compiled by DAR  
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QUERIES

YATES ... Need parents, sibblings of Pleasant YATES, b. ca 1805, in KY. He and wife Harriet ?, b. ca 1814 in TN, were in 1850 census for Buchanan Co. MO. Laura MC CAIN FOLK: 2725 E. Tonopah Ave., No. Las Vegas, Nv. 89030

QUERIES (Cont'd)

KEENE...I am searching my husband's great grandfather Marion Keene. We have no evidence that he existed except legend. He was "from the East", married Amelia "Lyde" Oliver possibly in Council Bluff, Iowa, in 1870 or before. He worked on the railroad in western Iowa. He and Amelia had Robert Walter and Alfred Monte Keene. Marion was killed in the "Boone wreck" out of Denison, Iowa before 1882. Roberta E. Keene, 835 Benita Place, Boulder City, Nv. 89005.

POORMAN...Need information on Christian L. Poorman (born at Mechanicsburg, Penn, Oct. 28, 1825..Died March 6, 1912, Columbus, Ohio). He served as a Col. in the Union Army, 98th Ohio Volunteer Infantry; His father, Christian L. who was a soldier in the War of 1812 and wounded at the battle of Lundy's Lane and his father a soldier in the Revolutionary War. All info. welcomed. Marilyn Poorman-LaBar, 4526 East Newton Drive, Las Vegas, Nv. 89121. ....

MARCH MEETING

A donation will be made in the amount of \$25.00 to the UNLV Special Collections Library in remembrance of Anna Dean Kapper.

A letter of protest will be sent to the county supervisors to the conditions of the Southern Nevada Veterans Cenetry.

New officers were introduced. New and old officers are as follows: Laura McCain Folk, President, Vice-President is Linda Robinson McEwen, Secretary is Ramona Armstrong Duff, Treasurer is Catherine Allan Marshall, Editor is Marilyn Poorman LaBar and Program Chairmen are Mr. and Mrs. Griffin.

Programs were set up for future meetings and are as follows:

- APRIL - "Sharing Your Family History"
- MAY - "Benefits of Mortuary Records"
- JUNE - "Picnic At An Historical Site"  
(Michael McGuire is working out the details for the June program.)
- JULY - "Putting Your Genealogy On The Computer"

Laura Folk thanked everyone who helped out at the genealogy library with the index cards. She also told us about a workshop by Everton Publishers that is scheduled in October. Further information on this will be at our next meeting.

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ALL ARTICLES OR NOTICES MUST BE GIVEN TO THE EDITOR FOR THE NEXT BULLETIN NO LATER THAN THE JUNE MEETING.