



# Columbine Genealogical and Historical Society Newsletter

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## PROGRAMS & WORKSHOPS

**12 Oct 1:00 Program**  
**"The Story of Enoch: Finding My Grandfather"**

Swedish Genealogical Society  
Don Peterson

**19 Oct 9:30 Early Bird**  
**"Researching the States: CT, IA, IN, KS, MD, MO, and SD"**  
Columbine Members

**19 Oct 1:00 Program**  
**"Sneak Peek at the 1940 Census!"** Castle Rock Gen Society Board Members

**9 Nov 1:00 Program**  
**Election: "HeritageQuest"**  
Nedra Fortune, CGHS Member

**16 Nov 9:30 Early Bird**  
**"You've Found a Vintage Photo—Now What?"** Karen Zink, Photographer & genealogist

**16 Nov 1:00 Program**  
**"Reference Books Every Genealogist Needs to Use"**  
Bette Kot, published author & genealogist

**14 Dec Holiday Party**  
**12:00 Potluck Luncheon**  
1:00 Merry Christmas Program  
Columbine Members

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*In this issue, CGHS members share some of their favorite research sites and methods. We would love to hear from you if you have a genealogy research story or an interesting story about an individual, family, or place from your family history.—The Editors*

## The Case for Researching at a Local Library

by Donald R. Elliott, CGHS

Some of my most difficult breakthroughs have come from unpublished typescripts or manuscripts found at a local library—local library being local to where my ancestors once lived. I had lived in Massachusetts (MA) from late 1963 to 1972 but was not into genealogy then. Later I was fortunate enough to have a job that required traveling to New England regularly for three years. It was then that I was able to visit many localities of ancestral interest.

Perhaps one of my most puzzling roadblocks was how my Isaiah Whitney, Jr. (1751-1841) fit into the Whitneys of MA. The existence of at least three other Isaiah Whitneys in Harvard, MA, further complicated the search. There is a good Whitney publication (at DPL) that has Isaiah in the book, but not correctly, as it turned out. One day when visiting the library in South Sudbury, MA, I came across a typed document that had all of the correct information about Isaiah, Jr. As it turns out, Isaiah, Jr. was the son of Abraham Whitney. I have not found a copy of this typescript in any other library.

Earlier in my research at the library in Lancaster, MA, I found information on Prescott, Fairbank, Bailey, Jones, Wilder, Houghton, Sawyer and Brigham ancestors from Lancaster and the towns that originated from the original Lancaster. Another real find at the library was a typescript produced by an early preacher from Lancaster that included all of these families and information I have not found elsewhere.

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## Message from the President

Sitting down to write the President's Message I realize that this will be my last one. Thinking back over my four years as President of Columbine there are things that stand out for me and I'd like to share them with you.

First, my complete fright at the prospect of the first Board Meeting and Membership Meeting. The thoughts were of ogres and gremlins and that anything and everything that could go wrong would! Thanks go to the board members and the entire membership for the help and support I received that made everything work out that day. The same help has continued throughout these past four years. Some of the other things that come to mind are:

- Open House at Bemis Library
- Research Night at Bemis Library
- Seminar we shared with Bemis bringing Colleen Fitzpatrick in to speak
- Beginning Genealogy classes starting up again
- 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Booklet
- Columbine Website becoming something to be very proud of and that is used by people everywhere
- Finding a Projects Manager and starting a new Columbine Project
- Education Coordinators on board once again
- Symposium with Laura Prescott
- Trips to the Family History Library in Salt Lake

These are just some of the things that I remember about my time as President. Everything I mentioned took many Columbine members to make them work. I can't thank all of you separately but a big THANK YOU goes to all of Columbine for making these four years a time we can all be proud of.

There are three people that I would like to thank individually. First and foremost the Past President, George MacDonald. If George had not been there for me, things could have gone awry a few times! Thank you, George, for all your help.

The other two people are Don and Doris Elliott. They also were always there if I had a question or needed some advice. They both are so knowledgeable about Columbine. Thank you for your insight.

I have enjoyed and felt rewarded as a result of my service as President of Columbine Genealogical and Historical Society. Thank you all for that.

Finally, please everyone; be as kind, considerate, helpful and generous to your new president in 2011.

*Sandi Klein, President*

*Meet A Genealogy Friend  
at Columbine*

## MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE DUE

Time to renew your CGHS membership dues. What a great deal: annual dues are still \$15.00 for an individual and \$20.00 for a couple.

The dues year for CGHS is January 1 through December 31. Dues must be paid by February 1, 2011 to have your name in the 2011 membership roster. When you receive your renewal form please make any changes in address, phone or email on the form.

Please also consider making a contribution to the Columbine Book Fund and/or the Stern NARA Gift Fund. These funds are voluntary and separate from the funds used to maintain the society. The Book Fund is used to purchase books and CDs for donation to DPL and the Denver Branch of the Federal Archives. Our Public Acquisitions chairman is always glad to receive your suggestions regarding purchases. All books that are donated carry the Columbine bookplate on the inside cover.

The Stern NARA (National Archives and Records Administration) Fund, named in honor of its first chairman, Malcolm H. Stern, is used to create finding aids and produce microfilms of interest to the genealogy community. It has been funded primarily by \$1.00 contributions from family historians and through the commitment of CGHS and other genealogical societies.

## MEMBER BENEFIT

### SPECIAL PRICING OFFER AT FOOTNOTE.COM

Columbine was contacted by the genealogy site **Footnote** regarding a special offer to access their site. Their regular yearly price is \$79.95 and they have offered a subscription of \$39.95 for our society members. This rate will apply through November 14 and then will go up to \$49.95 until the end of the year. You can also add to existing subscriptions. We have had several presentations regarding Footnote and it seems to offer some good research potential. Your participation is completely voluntary. Register online at:

[http://go.footnote.com/Columbine%20Genealogical%20&%20Historical%20Society\\_society/?xid=832](http://go.footnote.com/Columbine%20Genealogical%20&%20Historical%20Society_society/?xid=832)

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## Benefits of Genealogical Societies

- **IF**...you are just becoming interested in tracing your family ancestry and are overwhelmed about how to begin ...
- **IF**...you are new to Colorado and your community and are interested in pursuing research ...
- **IF**...you want to save the time, money, and frustration often associated with familiarizing yourself with a state's numerous libraries, archives and repositories ...
- **IF**...you seek motivation and direction in your research ...

**THEN** . . . the Council encourages you to join one of the genealogical societies in Colorado, of which most are Council members. These societies serve their communities by:

- meeting with and bringing together people who share a common interest in genealogy; providing "how-to" classes and workshops;
- offering prominent knowledgeable, local and national speakers and programs;
- keeping membership informed on local and national news, methodology, resources and events;
- locating, indexing, publishing, and preserving public and private genealogical records specific to the county or geographic area they serve or the ethnic group they represent.

*Excerpted from the website of the Colorado Council of Genealogical Societies.*

## PROGRAMS & WORKSHOPS FOR 2011

### 11 Jan 1:00 Program

**Google Is Not the Only Game in Town**, Julie Miller CG

### 18 Jan 9:30 Early Bird

**And Then I Wrote a Letter**, Barbara Walker, CGHS Education Coordinator  
**Get Organized for the New Year**, Membership Panel Discussion

### 18 Jan 1:00 Program

**Shaking the Family Tree**, Buzzy Jackson, author

### 8 Feb 1:00 Program

**Old Soldier Homes**, Sandy Ronanye, CIG

### 15 Feb 9:30 Early Bird

**Make Your Family History User Friendly**, CGHS Member Sharing

### 15 Feb 1:00 Program

**Marriage, Separation and Divorce**, Carol Darrow, CG

### 8 Mar 1:00 Program

**Scanning for Genealogy**, Nancy Ratay, CGS

### 15 Mar 9:30 Early Bird

**Tory or Tea Partier—Revolutionary War Soldiers in the Digital Age**, Barbara Fines Price

### 15 Mar 1:00 Program

**Let's Join the DAR**, Beverly Nelson, CG&HS

### 12 Apr 1:00 Program

**Find A Grave**. Dotty Nelson Sharp AGS

### 19 Apr 1:00 Program

**"Someone's Daughter"**, Silvia Pettem author

### 10 May 1:00 Program

**Baby Doe Tabor**, Joyce Lohse CG&HS

### 17 May 1:00 Program

**Book sale 11:00**

**Luncheon 12:00**

**Program 1:00**

For more info on afternoon programs contact CJ Backus at 303-355-0731.

For more info on Early Bird programs contact Barb Walker at 303-752-2152



**September 21, 2010 Program**, Dave Miller, National Archives and Records Administration (NARA)

### BEGINNING GENEALOGY CLASS OFFERED

The CGHS Education Committee is currently hosting a five-week introductory genealogy class that includes guided hands-on computer research in the Bemis Public Library computer lab. Interest has been exceptional resulting in one evening class and two day classes. Classes are kept small based on the size of the computer lab, so each person has an opportunity to research for the person(s) of their choice. Columbine members, Marilyn Elrod and Judy Phelps, are serving as facilitators. Discussion topics include:  
 Week 1 -- Getting Started  
 Week 2 -- Census Records  
 Week 3 -- Vital Records  
 Week 4 -- Other Resources  
 Week 5 -- Field Trip to DPL  
 A future interest list is building for another class. If interested, call Judy at 303-794-3162.

### OCT/NOV EARLY BIRDS

The October early bird-session will be a round table session featuring CT, IA, IN, KS, MD, MO and SD and table hosts for this early bird session are needed. The early-bird session on 16 November is on Vintage and Digital Photos. If you have specific questions about these topics, please contact Barb Walker at BarbWalker1014@aol.com.

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*In Memory***GLADYS SUE HARRIS**

Gladys Sue Harris, 74, passed away on June 15, 2010. She was a Charter Member and an Honorary Lifetime Member of Columbine. Her obituary was published in the Denver Post on July 21, 2010.

**DALE E. GINN**

Dale E. Ginn, a former member of CGHS, passed away April 30, 2010 after a short illness. His obituary was published in the Denver Post on May 9, 2010.



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**Welcome New Members**

*By Joetta Williams, Membership Coordinator*

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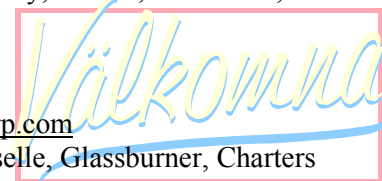
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## *Want to expand your genealogy knowledge?*

### Share what you know with others!

No, I'm not kidding! Every time I teach a class, I learn something new from the participants. You see, we don't all know the same "stuff." I might think I know a lot about the census for example, and lo and behold, during an introductory genealogy class, one of the participants taught all of us something we didn't know. That's just how it is. We all know a lot of things, but we all know *different* things! That's why I get so excited when I sit down over a cup of coffee with a new genealogy friend. I come away with a new way of looking at facts, problems, data and history.

In our second introductory genealogy class two class members discovered they shared an ancestor! Now what would THAT do for your research? Why am I telling you this? I'm telling you this because the Education Committee has many ways in which you can share and add to your knowledge.

#### Organizing Your Genealogy

For the January Early Bird workshop, we're planning a two-part session. The first part will be on letter writing for genealogy information. The second part will be a panel discussion on organizing your genealogy information and materials. We would like you to help us decide organization areas to focus on.

- Do you have piles covering your desk/floor/table tops/ some of the above/all of the above? (There will be a prizes for the "most interesting" piles.)
- What are your most frustrating organizational challenges?
- Having trouble getting started ?
- Want to know how to sort piles or boxes of accumulated information?
- Need help setting up a filing system? Which system is best (notebooks or file folders)?
- Want more information on managing documents/records – e.g., where do I file a record that applies to many people?
- Organizing computer files – how do I keep it all straight so I can find it again?
- Sharing family photos—how do I include and document vintage family photos?

If you are already organized, we invite you to be on the panel and share what works for you. Bring samples of your notebooks, or pictures of your filing system or other pile-elimination techniques so we may learn from you.

#### Making Your Genealogy Interesting to Others

For the February Early Bird workshop, we plan a "show and tell" of how you make your genealogy interesting to others. You've collected all these names, dates, places, photos and stories. Surely you don't just leave them stuffed in file drawers (or piles). What have you done to share your ancestors with others? Tell us how you share your family history.

- Have you written a book about your family or particular members?
- Do you have genealogy scrapbooks detailing your research trips, family homesteads, tombstones, old photos or family mementos?
- Do you publish a family newsletter to keep your family up -to-date on developing family history?
- Have you uploaded your family tree to a website?

We are planning an open forum presentation. Everyone that has something to share could bring it to the meeting and participate in a "show and tell" format. We will display your treasures on a table to be enjoyed by all and you can tell the audience about your project and the story behind it. You will probably never know how many people you will inspire to **Do Something** with their stories. It's a terrible waste to leave all that history gathering dust on a shelf or buried in a drawer.

#### Share What You Know

Finally, would you be willing to mentor a rank beginner by explaining the very basics of genealogy and how to start their family history? There are folks out there who do not feel they know enough to take our introductory class involving computer research. They would be thrilled to have you help them start their first ancestral chart and family group sheets over a cup of coffee (or tea). This would give them something to start with. They probably know more than they think they know, but just aren't aware of what's important or how to start. An hour or two of one-on-one time would be less intimidating than sitting in a class with others who already know what a pedigree chart is and are adept at searching on the Internet.

Do any of these opportunities make you want to jump up and scream, "Choose me!"

We would LOVE to choose you. The Education Committee welcomes anyone who has something to share. We hope you're excited at the prospect. If you have something to share, a question, or suggestion, please email Barb Walker at [BarbWalker1014@aol.com](mailto:BarbWalker1014@aol.com) and start sharing now. We will all thank you.

*Barbara Walker and Judy Phelps are co-coordinators of the Columbine Education Committee.*



## Book Reviews

By Julie Haynie

### Tracing Your Scottish Family History

by Anthony Adolph

Anthony Adolph is a professional genealogist. He gives us the tools, information, and inspiration to research our own family roots. The book is divided into four parts: —Getting Started, —The Main Records, —How They Lived, and —Comings and Goings.

Many websites are presented throughout the book. I have found one of the best to be [www.ScotlandsPeople.gov.uk](http://www.ScotlandsPeople.gov.uk). There's an interesting section on the usefulness of maps. For accuracy, registration of births had to be within 20 days, marriages within three days, and deaths within eight days, so your chances of finding an ancestor are excellent!

There's a good website to help families affected by adoption. ([www.birthlink.org.uk](http://www.birthlink.org.uk)) Censuses are easy to access. The most useful records are the Church Registers. Before the mid-1800s, they are the most useful. OPR ( Old Parochial Registers) have been recording since 1551.

The pictures add interesting insights into the life of the Scots. All in all, I found this book to be very thorough and helpful.

### Tracing Your Irish Ancestors

by John Grenham

(526 pp., soft cover, \$25 00 Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc., ISBN 0.8063-1768-X, 3rd edition.)

*"How do we know where to look in Ireland for our ancestors and what might we find in Ireland today of genealogical interest?"*

John Grenham's book titled Tracing Your Irish Ancestors answers these questions. The author gives ideas of how to start research in Irish ancestry and suggests what records might be available in the U.S.A., Canada, Britain and Australia which would identify the Irish place of origin of an ancestor. For the beginning researcher, most beneficial are explanations of what records were kept in Ireland and Great Britain. This will help the researcher to form a plan for research using LDS and other available information outside of Ireland.

Within the genealogical resources of Ireland today, the author provides detailed information on what is available, where the information might be found and when it is possible to research in those archives or libraries. Of particular value, the author provides excellent county-by-county bibliographical lists for further research. Included are county maps and samples of census, baptismal, directory and other information available.

Also provided are internet addresses for further historical and genealogical topics. This book holds an amazing amount of well-organized possibilities for Irish ancestor research.

## TECH TIP



**Question:** How can I get a picture of what's on my screen?

**Answer:** In Windows, you can take a shot of your entire screen by hitting the Print Screen button and then pasting the screen shot into a document or paint program. In Vista you can use the Snipping tool. But neither of these utilities is very user-friendly tool. Greenshot is one of many screen shot utilities that you can download free. You can capture the full screen, just the window you're using, or a selection. You can save the screen shots wherever you want or modify them with the built-in image editor. (The Family Search ad on page five is an example.)

<http://greenshot.sourceforge.net/>

To find similar utilities, search on "free screen capture programs".

## Query Corner

The Query Committee will research Colorado records at local sources in the Denver area. There is a minimum donation to the Columbine Book Fund of \$20.00 per surname. Send request along with a S.A.S.E. and a check payable to "CGHS, Inc." to:

**CGHS Query Coordinator  
Woody Trosper  
P. O. Box 2074  
Littleton, CO 80161-2074**

**Webmaster.** Don Elliott reported that the CGHS website registered its one-millionth hit in July (ahead of last year's record).

### Columbine Committee Reports

**Queries.** Woody Trosper reported that she has been working on a query for a "Kaup" family using the Englewood Notebooks which are filled with clippings from the Englewood newspaper and Denver papers (involving Englewood residents). This year queries have been received and research has been completed on these persons:

- Richard Waggy, 1901-1975, minister
- Joyce Turner, living - information about Highland Ranch and Parker Cemetery
- Edgar Leroy and Eileen (Kruse) Kaup, buried at Fort Logan National Cemetery
- James Albert and Dorothy J. Hamilton, buried at Fort Logan National Cemetery

**Public Acquisitions.** Marilyn Lyle reports that she has purchased books to be donated to DPL in memory of Gary Routh: county histories for Polk County, Missouri and Ray County, Missouri and another book of photos of Polk County. The books will be presented to DPL with Jan Routh, Gary's wife, in attendance.

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR



- 10 Oct—Jewish GS, Steve Morse Seminar
- 13 Oct—Foothills GS, The Civilian Conservation Corps - Roosevelt's Tree Army, Jerry Sherard
- 15 Oct—CO Council, If I Only Knew Now What I Thought I Knew Then, James K. Jeffrey, Collection Specialist in Genealogy at the DPL
- 16 Oct—COGS, CIG, Family Tree Maker Workshop, Duff Wilson of Ancestry.com,
- 16 Oct—COGS, Sources and Citations, Carol Darrow, CG (at DPL)
- 23 Oct—CO Palatines to America, Ms. Shirley Riemer, Co-Author of The German Research Companion (now in its 3rd edition)
- 8 Nov—COGS, CIG, The Family of Family Search Websites, Barbara Price
- 19 Nov—Co Council, Denver Under the Shadow of the KKK, Dennis Gallagher
- 20 Nov—CO GS, Newspaper Research: Providing Historical Context for our ancestors beyond births, marriages, and deaths, Lou-Jean Rehn, CGCG (at DPL)
- 21 Nov—Jewish GS, Becoming an American, Following Your Ancestor's Paper Trail

Late November or early December, 2010 — CO GS, Governor's Mansion at Christmastime tour

The CO GS is sponsoring an informal writing group -- **Write NOW!** -- that will meet Sunday afternoons from 1pm to 3 pm on September 12, October 10, November 14, and December 12 at the downtown Denver Public Library. Facilitator Carol Darrow will promote interaction within the group, but there will not be a formal lecture.

Check the program calendar at the [Colorado Council of Genealogical Societies](http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~coccgs/Council-calendar-month.htm) for more details about lectures and events around the state.

<http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~coccgs/Council-calendar-month.htm>



## Beginning Genealogy Webinars

In honor of Family History Month in October, Family Tree Maker University is offering a free webinar called "10 Steps to Discover Your Roots: How to Get Started in Genealogy."

The workshop takes place at noon Mountain time on Saturday, Oct. 16.

<https://www1.gotomeeting.com/register/297862600>

Family Tree University also offers a free, two-week course called "Discover Your Family Tree" which starts the week of Oct. 11. <http://www.familytreeuniversity.com/discover-your-family-tree>

Sign up for both if you want!



**The Case for Researching at a Local Library** (continued from page 1)

In Essex County, New York, the township of Crown Point has a place called Ironville. A man by the name of Penfield had an iron mine there. He was the initial pioneer of the use of electricity. His residence was made into a museum. I reluctantly decided to see what was in the house. Naturally there were all kinds of things that related to his family and business. The lady on duty was interested in why Doris and I were there and the conversation took us to my Elliott and Worster ancestors that had lived in Ironville. She took me into a very small room with a file cabinet of documents about the people that had lived there, mostly material from people who had visited and sent information about our families. Again, I learned some things I had not known.

So, the message is: visit the local libraries and museums, especially those of smaller communities. The information, being typescripts, may not rank high on most people's list of most valuable documents, but I found, especially with the Lancaster typescripts, that there was better information than in the normally "better sources."

If you are heading to smaller towns, do some advance planning. Their libraries may have very limited hours. When Doris and I visited the Hopkinton, NY, library on a Wednesday, the small house had a label on the door "Library, Open Tuesdays!" We never got back, so we don't know what we may have found there. And look ahead for museums, historical societies, even individuals, that may prove important to your quest.

**"NOT" RESEARCHING MY SMITH LINE**

By Connie Strandberg

Nathaniel Sharrard married a woman named Jane in about 1812 in Canada. I did not know Jane's last name was Smith for many years. Research on the Sharrards was interesting since William Sharrard, Nathaniel's father, was a Loyalist. Back to the Smiths.

In 2004 I posted a message on an Ancestry.com message board inquiring about Sharrards. In 2006 an email from a descendant of Nicholas Smith told of finding a photo of one of my Sharrard ancestors. On the back of the photo was written, "Marie Sharrard, niece of Nicholas Smith." Nicholas and Jane were siblings. That began a correspondence between me and the Canadian Smith family which is ongoing.

Just last week I pulled an old photo of my Sharrard grandfather, Calvin, out of a frame. On the back of that photo was written, "Cal Sharrard, cousin of Ansley Smith." Here was another clue which had been hiding right in my own home! I fired off an email to Canada and was put in touch with yet another Smith researcher and we began comparing photos and family names. She and I both knew some of the same distant cousins.

Yesterday I received an email which contained a copy of a post card, written in 1910, which mentioned my grandfather's name. The Smith line keeps revealing itself with very little help from me. How great is that?



**ANNUAL  
CGHS  
HOLIDAY  
PARTY  
DECEMBER 14**

**Potluck Luncheon at 12:00 p.m.**

**Christmas Program at 1:00 p.m.**

The luncheon is always a fun activity that provides an opportunity to meet new members, mingle with friends and sample a wide variety of ethnic and plain old American foods.

Please bring a salad, casserole or dessert to share. Be sure to put your name on your serving dish. (An excellent way to use up those address labels...)

The Refreshment Committee provides punch, coffee, tea and utensils. We will start serving at 12:00—Come celebrate with us!

*Genealogy In Time*<sup>TM</sup> offers a free weekly email newsletter containing all the latest genealogy articles, records and news as well as the *Genealogy This Week* column. It is easy to sign up, there is no cost or obligation and you can unsubscribe at any time. [Subscribe](http://www.genealogyintime.com/newsletter_subscribe.html) at [http://www.genealogyintime.com/newsletter\\_subscribe.html](http://www.genealogyintime.com/newsletter_subscribe.html). The site promises not to sell or share your email address with anyone.

# Columbine Genealogical and Historical Society

## PROPOSED BYLAWS CHANGES

The Columbine Board of Directors is recommending the following changes to our Bylaws:

- Assigning Bemis Liaison and Query Committee to Section A. Standing Committees
- Assigning Bulletin Board Manager and Representative and Alternate to The Colorado Council of Genealogical Societies to Section B. Other Committees: Special Appointments

The following bylaw excerpt includes these changes.

### ARTICLE IX – STANDING COMMITTEES AND SPECIAL APPOINTMENTS

#### Section A. Standing Committees:

1. **Standing Committees** shall be Archivist, Auditing Committee, **Bemis Library Liaison**, Equipment, Historian, Mailing Committee, Nominating Committee, Projects Committee, Public Acquisitions, **Query Committee**, Refreshment Committee, and Web Master.
- c. Bemis Library Liaison shall assist the library in maintaining and updating the genealogy section.
- k. Queries Committee shall respond to requests for assistance in locating ancestral information in the Columbine area.

#### Section B. Other Committees:

1. **Special Appointments**
  - a. **Bulletin Board Manager**
  - b. Colorado Archives Representative
  - c. FGS Representative
  - d. Photographer
  - e. **Representative and Alternate to the Colorado Council of Genealogical Societies**



## CGHS 2010 ELECTION NOMINEES

Columbine Genealogical and Historical Society, In accordance with our bylaws, holds elections annually at the meeting on the second Tuesday of November.

The following candidates have been nominated by the standing Nominating Committee and presented to the Board of Directors. Nominations may also be made by the membership from the floor at the Annual Meeting, providing each nominee is present or has given written consent to serve, if elected. Those eligible to vote in the Society elections must be members in good standing whose dues are currently paid. Voting shall be by voice, provided there is only one candidate for office. If more than one candidate is running for any one office, the voting shall be by written ballot. Majority vote elects. Proxy voting is prohibited in the Columbine Genealogical & Historical Society.

Voting for the following candidates will be Tuesday, November 9, 2010.

### Serving 2011 to 2012

President:	JoAnn LaGuardia
2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice President/Publicity:	Joyce Lohse
Recording Secretary:	Ginger Van Zyl
Treasurer:	Bob Jenkins
Membership:	Joetta Williams

### Serving for 2011

Nominating:	Julie Haynie, Chairperson Anita Burbank-Jenkins Chris Fleischhacker
Auditors:	George MacDonald Jim Denison

# Annual Meeting November 9, 2010

## COLUMBINE GENEALOGICAL AND HISTORICAL SOCIETY, INC. 2011 BUDGET

Acct.	Account Name	2010	2011	Changes
<b>Income</b>				
101	Membership Dues	2,700	2,700	0
102	Interest on CD	490	70	(420)
103	Donations for Stern-NARA Gift Fund	180	180	0
104	Donations for Public Acquisition	400	400	0
105	Miscellaneous Income	350	350	0
106	Bookstore Sales	2,870	4,125	1,255
107	Class Fees	250	1,000	750
108	State Sales Tax	194	283	89
109	Used Book Sale	250	250	0
110	Seminar Income	4,000	0	(4,000)
111	Bookstore Sales - Brown Books		0	0
112	From Past Years Surplus in Checking Account		1,389	1,389
<b>Total Income</b>		<b>11,684</b>	<b>10,747</b>	<b>(937)</b>
<b>Officer Expense</b>				
200	President	25	25	0
205	1st VP Programs	600	600	0
210	2nd VP Publicity	200	200	0
215	3rd VP Ways & Means	50	50	0
220	Recording Secretary	50	50	0
225	Corresponding Secretary	45	45	0
230	Treasurer	50	40	(10)
235	Newsletter Editor	1,000	1,000	0
240	Membership	270	270	0
245	Education	250	1,000	750
250	Stationary for Officers	50	30	(20)
<b>Total Officer Expense</b>		<b>2,590</b>	<b>3,310</b>	<b>720</b>
<b>Committee Expense</b>				
300	Archivist	25	30	5
305	Equipment	100	100	0
310	Historian	25	25	0
315	Hospitality	300	300	0
320	Mailing	250	250	0
325	Photographer	10	10	0
330	Public Acquisitions from Donations	400	400	0
331	Public Acquisitions by CGHS	400	400	0
332	Public Acquisitions from Used Book Sale	250	250	0
335	Special Projects	140	140	0
340	Bemis Library	50	50	0
345	Council Representative	10	10	0
350	Web Master	150	160	10
355	Queries	10	10	0
<b>Total Committee Expense</b>		<b>2,120</b>	<b>2,135</b>	<b>15</b>
<b>Operating Expense</b>				
400	Bank Fees	25	25	0
405	Church Cleaning	450	864	414
410	Society Membership Dues	260	260	0
415	Miscellaneous	200	200	0
420	Stern-NARA Gift Fund from Donations	180	180	0
421	Stern-NARA Gift Fund from CGHS	100	100	0
425	Postal Box	65	65	0
430	State Sales Tax & Licensing Fees	194	308	114
435	Ways & Means - Purchases	1,500	3,300	1,800
440	General Fund Expense	0	0	0
445	Seminar Expense	4,000	0	(4,000)
<b>Total Operating Expense</b>		<b>6,974</b>	<b>5,302</b>	<b>(1,672)</b>
<b>Total Expense</b>		<b>11,684</b>	<b>10,747</b>	<b>(937)</b>
<b>Net Cash Flow</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

**HONORARY  
LIFETIME  
MEMBER  
NOMINEE**



*Marilyn Elrod*

Marilyn Elrod has been nominated by the CGHS Board of Directors for an Honorary Lifetime Membership for her exceptional service to our society. According to the CGHS by-laws, an Honorary Lifetime Membership may be conferred upon any member of the Society who has been a member for ten (10) years, has been an officer or committee member, and has given exceptional service. The member shall not pay dues, but retains full membership privileges. The Board of Directors approves all recommendations prior to being presented to the membership for a vote at the Annual Meeting. A 3/4 vote shall elect.

## FAMILY HISTORY MONTH OCTOBER 2010



*JM Hershberger Family, Champaign, Illinois, 1895 (ggf of Mary Heinritz)*

**Columbine  
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Historical Society, Inc.**

Meetings  
1:00 p.m.  
2nd & 3rd Tuesdays  
January thru May  
and  
September thru November

No Meetings in June, July & August  
Social only in December  
2nd Tuesday  
South Wing, South Entrance  
Lutheran Church of the Holy Spirit  
6400 S University Blvd  
Littleton, CO

**Annual Dues**

Individual.....\$15.00  
Individual and Spouse....\$20.00

**VISITORS ALWAYS WELCOME**

**BAD WEATHER PROCEDURE**

If you are concerned as to whether a meeting will take place, you are asked to call one of the officers of the Society. They will be able to inform you of any cancellations or other changes. Call before 9:00 a.m. on the 2nd Tuesday as Board Meetings begin at 9:30. Please do not call the Church office. The list of officers is on page two of every newsletter.

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