YORE LORE

Baldwin County Genealogical Society P.O. Box 108, Foley, Alabama 36536

March 2022

Baldwin County Genealogical Society 35th Anniversary Celebration **Saturday, March 12, 2022**

You are invited to join in the BCGS Celebration, meet members, enjoy program by BCGS, attend the General Meeting Enjoy Coffee and Cake 10:00 A.M. Foley Library Meeting Room 319 East Laurel Avenue, Foley, Alabama

All meetings are open to all interested public.

RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED for BCGS Members and Visitors

RSVP by March 9, 2022

Email: <u>BaldwinGenealogy@gmail.com</u>

Or Call Barbara Thompson 251-424-4681

If you have your reservation and are unable to join us, please cancel your reservation by emailing or calling the above information. Seating is limited to 42.

RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED for each meeting you wish to attend, deadline dates given for each meeting. Email: <u>BaldwinGenealogy@gmail.com</u> with your name or call Barbara Thompson 251-424-4681. Confirmation email will be sent. Maximum seating: 50.

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Upcoming programs:

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Apr 9, 2022: Guest Speaker Colletta Bailey – "Advertising Rag Dolls," Focusing on Food Products from 1900-WWII.
Obit Committee meets every Wednesday, 1 p.m. in Genealogy Collections Room
BCGS Board Meetings will continue to meet at 9 a.m. Board Room.

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BALDWIN COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY GENERAL MEETING, February 12, 2022

DATE 12 February 2022 with Members/Guest32 members, 7 visitors, total

CALL TO ORDER: Pat Brummett called to meeting to order at 9:59 am.

GUEST SPEAKER: After welcoming guests, Pat introduce VP Barbara Thompson who introduced our Guest Speaker Mary S Palmer author of the book "Boyington Oak- A Grave Injustice."

There was a short intermission after the speaker for a chance to purchase books and have light refreshments. **MINUTES OF PRECEDING MEETING-** The business portion of the meeting resumed with the minutes of the January meeting approved as printed in the "Yore Lore" newsletter.

Treasurer's Report: Tina Graham stated the beginning bank balance as of Jan, 1, 2022 was \$992.16, deposits of \$215,00. Expenses \$110.45 with an ending balance on 31 Jan, 2022 of \$1096.71.

She also reminded members that their 2022 Membership dues that were due in January are now past due. COMMITTEE REPORTS: Obituary: Tina stated Obits are up to date.

Membership – Maureen Lee Stated the were 5 people who signed up for membership at the January meeting. We would like to welcome Jennifer and Oswaldo Egas, Christine Gregorius, Tami Roberts, and Julie Seabrook.

OLD BUSINESS There was no old business.

NEW BUSINESS Mike Glass was recognized for receiving the Lafayette Metal by the SAR.



GENEALOGY MINUTE: Billie Nardell presented the Genealogy Minute about "What Number Comes Next?" How to continue numbering you pedigree chart when the numbers run out.

 UP COMING EVENTS: March 12 BCGS 35th Anniversary. BCGS through the years April 9 Coletta Bailey "Advertising Rag Dolls"
 Hostesses for next month: Please bring light refreshments to go with Anniversary cake.
 DOOR PRIZES AWARDED: There were 3 door prizes awarded.
 ADJOURNED: The meeting was adjourned at 11:35 to meet again on 12 March 2022 at 10 AM in the Foley Public Library meeting room. Respectfully submitted: Billie Nardell, Recording Secretary

What man has thought, Nature takes care ...

On left below is photo of the **"Boyington Oak,"** Mobile, Alabama, a reminder of last month's BCGS program on "Boyington Oak, A Grave Injustice" by author Mary S. Palmer. **Charles Boyington** was convicted of murder based on solely circumstantial evidence and unqualified jurors. Boyington who proclaimed his innocence also claimed an oak tree would grow from his gravesite to prove his innocence. A tree did grow, exists today.

Below are photos from gravesite of **John Thomas Alexander Smith Thorpe** b 1831 Nottingham, Nottingham Unitary Authority, Nottinghamshire, England d 2 May 1871 (aged 39-40) General Cemetery, Nottingham, Nottinghamshire, England.

Memorial ID 112921630, Source: <u>www.findagrave.com</u>: Find A Grave Insider (newsletter), Lehi, Utah.





Boyington Oak, Mobile, AL John Thomas Alexander Smith Thorpe, b1831, d 1871, Nottingham, General Cemetery, England

Boudreaux Died

Boudreaux and Marie were married for many years...and had many arguments.

Whenever there was a confrontation, yelling could be heard deep into the night.

Boudreaux would shout, "When I die, I will dig my way up and out of the grave and come back and haunt you for the rest of your life!"

Neighbors feared him. Boudreaux liked the fact that he was feared.

Then one evening, at the age of 98, he died.

After the burial, Marie's neighbors, concerned for her safety, asked, "Aren't you afraid that he may indeed be able to dig his way out of the grave and haunt you for the rest of your life?"

Marie with a slight grin said, "Let him dig. I had him buried upside down...

And I know he won't ask for directions."

courtesy of Terry Dupuy, Folsom, Louisiana



January/February, 2022 to Alabama, Local History & Genealogy Collections, Foley Public Library

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Elliott, CG. c1987 White County Marriages March 1921 - August, 1957, (Tenn.) compiled by Deb Austin Raichart, Jan Fodrocy, Mary West Holland Florida Civil War Heritage Trail, A Florida Heritage Publication, produced by Florida Association of Museums Classic Cracker, Florida's Wood-Frame Vernacular Architecture by Ronald W. Haase c1992 Lake Okeechobee 'Lady of Mystery' Yesterday-Today-Tomorrow, August 1997 Supplement written by Twila Valentive The Chestnut Family of Southeastern North Caroline 1685-2003 by A. Ray Griffin, Jr, Eloise F Potter, c2003 Where the Swallowtail Kite Sours, the legacies of Glades County, Florida and the Vanishing Wilderness by Nancy Dale, c2004 (signed by author) Descendants of Valentine Hollingsworth, Sr. by Wm B. Hollingsworth, 1884, edited, additions, J. Adger Stewart, 1925 The Family James Hancock, Jr. and Jestern Elizabeth Joyce, Six Generations, First Issue by James W. Padgett, 2014 In America Since 1607, the Hollingsworth, Farmer and Judkins Families; their Ancestors, Descendants and many Related Families by Walter I. Farmer, 1987 Glades County, Florida History compiled under Direction of the County Board of Commissioners, c1985 Florida Cow Hunter, The Life and times of Bone Mizell by Jim Bob Tinsley, c1990 Once Upon an Island ... as told to and collected by the Gulf Shores Woman's Club, 1984 The Florida Historical Quarterly Vol LXII no 2 Oct 1983 The Florida Historical Ouarterly Vol LXIII no 1 July 1984 The Florida Historical Quarterly Vol LXIV no 1 July 1985 The Florida Historical Quarterly Vol LXV no 3 Jun 1987 The Florida Historical Quarterly Vol LXVII no 1 July 1988 History of White County, Tennessee by Rev Monroe Seals, copyrighted 1935 by Mrs. Monroe Seals. 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Anniversary elebration

As we congratulate the Baldwin County Genealogical Society on 35th anniversary

As a member of the **Baldwin County Genealogical Society** from early beginnings, I remember well the encouragement of founders, Dorothy "Dot" Brown, Berdine Rittenhouse, and their cohort husbands, to establish a library for researchers beginning with donated books from Dot and Berdine's personal libraries, as well as early members such as Jo Ann McCay's and Evan Stohl's, housed in the Baldwin County Heritage Museum. We soon outgrew the space as well as needed hours

to access. The Foley Public Library was approached, history has been written.

In-house 'yard' sales and booths at the Elberta Sausage Festival, the 'penny cup', generous monetary donations from folks like Harold and Clareen Wells, buying book shelves, file cabinets, oh, the wonderful support, work, monies from the Society in issuing years.

As of March 3, 2022, the **Alabama, Local History & Genealogy Collections** department of the Foley Public Library houses the largest collection in the Baldwin County; the <u>cataloged</u> collection numbering 15,625 items. *That does not include* the thousands of Family Surname Files, the Baldwin County History Files, the on-going Dorothy Lehmann Leech Obituary Collection, the Map Collection, 800 plus microfilm, and the three carts of material waiting to be cataloged. It also does not count the recent donations from the estate of **Dorothy "Dot" Skipper Brown** and from the Library of **Marjorie Katherine DeVan Weber** *listed in this newsletter*.

It has been thirty years since I came on staff with the Foley Public Library, not long before an awesome young director, Molly Peterson, who recognized immediately the need to expand, encourage Genealogy. Today, the Society and the Library assists in thousands of requests by email, facebook, telephone, mail, and researchers to our department all the *while the Society continues* their programs/ workshops, BCGS volunteers in help in research, one such is professional genealogist Lois Marie O'Kenok.

Director John Jackson continues to encourage and expand the Collections, with grants, purchases, and today in assessing what is needed as we plan our **new three-story library building**, city plans in motion now. This department will include more computers, larger work area, special collections and archival storage areas, larger file workroom for Family Surnames and Baldwin County Histories, obituaries, enclosed area for the two state of the art scanners, (results of a grant). The list can go on and on...

So congratulations to the Society's beginning, present, and very much so, the future ...job well done, folks, job well done. am so proud of us. Since I'm said to be "old as dirt," am hoping I am pickled enough to see many more years of the Baldwin County Genealogical Society's anniversaries. *Jeanette Bornholt, Acting Editor YORE LORE, Librarian, Alabama, Local History & Genealogy Collections*