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EDITORIAL

On my return from America I was abruptly brought "back to earth" with the knowledge that "Branch News" no. 14 had to be compiled and produced almost immediately. Therefore the full account of my wonderful experiences in the States will be included in the next issue. However, I must pay tribute to the hospitality and friendliness of the people, both in Cleveland, Ohio and in Salt Lake City, without delay.

During the opening ceremonies of the Conference, President Spencer W. Kimball announced that a new Genealogical Library is to be built in Salt Lake City. This will replace the present Library which we all found to be fantastic itself. A further building will be a new Museum of Church History and Art in which will be housed extensive collections of art and artifacts which depict the 150 year growth and development of the Church. The Conference was a great success with 240 speakers and was attended by 11,000 people.

How are the individual projects going along ? Please keep our Projects Organiser Mrs. Joan Smedley informed of your progress. I thank Mr. J.E. Hill of Linton, near Burton upon Trent who has recorded the M.Is of Church Gresley. These are now being indexed. We shall soon have the long winter evenings upon us and that will be the time for copying up our recordings and getting on with the indexing.

I would like to thank everyone who has written letters to us. The Committee is very much encouraged by the kind remarks and is happy to feel of service to you all in some way. Please keep writing.

W.E.W.

JUNE MEETING

Mr. Button of Bakewell was the speaker at the well attended June meeting. He gave a very interesting talk on the history and background to the Ceremony of the Maundy Money and brought along photographs and other items connected with the Maundy Ceremony to illustrate his talk.

Pauline Marples.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

October 31st -- Mr. Clay-Dove, Archivist of Sutton in Ashfield.
 November 28th - Mr. C. Williams will talk to us on the History of Clay Cross and the surrounding area.

As the last Friday in December falls on Boxing Day perhaps members would like to suggest another date for our December Social Evening.

SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR 1981

After discussion at the A.G.M. held in April it was decided that we must increase our subscription rate owing to rising costs.

The new rate is as follows.

- Individual Members £3.00
- Family Membership £4.50
- Students, Retirement Pensioners and the disabled £2.00
- Overseas Members £4.00 if subscribed by Bankers Draft in London, or £5 equivalent if sent in other currency. Please add £1 extra to this if you wish to receive "Branch News" by air.

The new rate will come into effect on 1st January 1981.

NEW MEMBERS

We welcome the following new members who have joined the Society up to 1st September.

- 254. Mr. F.K. FLETCHER, 4A/79 Moray St. New Farm 4005, Brisbane, Queensland, Australia. Searching for William FLETCHER and Thomas BURGOYNE parents of George FLETCHER and Ellen BURGOYNE who were married at ALFRETON 5 Nov. 1845.
- 255. Mr. D. BRYCE, Raupo Wharf Road, Ruawai RD 2, Northland, New Zealand. Searching parents of Mary DENHAM of ASHOVER and HEATH, who married William GALLOWAY at MANCHESTER.
- 256. Mr. F.M. PRATT, 16 Derwent Ave. Allestree, Derby. Searching PRATT of LEICESTER 1832; HICKLIN of TWYFORD, Derbys. 1731; CRANE of CHESTER c. 1860; HODGKINSON of FINDERN and MICKLEOVER, Derbys. c.1800; MULLINS of MOSBOROUGH, Derbys. 1815; COY of BROOKE, Rutland 1805; WHITMORE of FINDERN, Derbys. 1786; MELLOR of DERBY 1830; PEARSON of WHISTON, Yorks. 1818; PLATTS of CHELLASTON and STENSON, Derbys. early 19th cent.; WATSON of FINDERN, Derbys. 1810; HARDY of FINDERN, 1786; HUTHWAITE of ALFRETON, Derbys. and of CONONLEY, Yorks. early 18th cent.; BRISTOWE of TWYFORD, Derbys. and of CAUNTON, Notts. 16th cent. BLOWER of GREAT DALBY, Leics. 1704; CORNER of GREAT DALBY 1705; SAVAGE of BURTON on TRENT and ASHBY DE LA ZOUCH c.1725; WARD of STENSON, Derbys. 1668; ORME of BURNASTON, Derbys. 16th cent.; EVERATT (N.K.) 16th cent.; SANDAVER of SOUTHWELL, Notts. 19th cent.
- 257. Mrs. C.C.M. THOMSON, 37 Wrights Way, South Wonston, Winchester, Hants. Searching John MURFIN born at LANGLEY MILL 1779, married Alice BAMBRIDGE at HULLAND, buried there in 1845; William MURFIN born at BIGGIN in 1823, son of John and Alice; Thomas BARDILL (father in law of William) buried at DENBY (date not known) Joseph SMITH (father in law of Thomas) of BELPER; Mary BARDILL born at DENBY in 1825, married William MURFIN.
- 258. Mr. P. PHILLIPS, 16 Hockley Rd. Uttoxeter, Staffs ST14 8DT
- 259. Mrs. T. PHILLIPS, address as above.
- 260. Miss T.M. LARKIN, 114, Oberon St. Randwick, New South Wales, Australia. Searching William HENSHAW of SAWLEY who married Mary ROPER also of SAWLEY on 16.4.1815; Jane HENSHAW bapt. 11.10.1818 ASTON ON TRENT; John HENSHAW bapt. 18. 1. 1824 also ASTON ON TRENT; William HENSHAW bapt. date and place not known.
- 261. Mr. I.W. MANIFOLD, 46 Humbleton Drive, Kingsway, Derby. Searching DEAN of KIRK IRETON 1696; TAYLOR of KIRK IRETON 1782; BROWN of KIRK IRETON 1750; MANIFOLD of ALTON 1750; MIDDLETON of CROKDEN, Staffs. 1740; TWIGGE of MARSTON MONTGOMERY 1720.
- 262. Mr. D. FREARSON, 60 Gallop Rd. Dalkeith, West Australia. Searching FREARSON.
- 263. Mrs. M. HENSHAW, 4 Westmorland Ave. Dukinfield, Cheshire SK16 5JA. Searching Edward CLAYTON of PEAK FOREST 1806.
- 264. Mr. R.G. WAKEFIELD, 6 Elmstead Rd. Chelford, Nr. Macclesfield, Cheshire, SK11 9BS Searching for the bapt. of John BAGGALEY who married Mary MELLOR at CHESTERFIELD on Dec. 19th 1843; Samuel BRIDDON (bapt. needed) who married Ruth HIBBERT, date not known but they are in the 1841 census of HASLAND near CHESTERFIELD.

