



## *Jackson County Chapter of the Ohio Genealogical Society*

### **Meeting Minutes – March 9, 2013**

The March 9, 2013 meeting of the Jackson County Chapter OGS was called to order by President Donna Scurlock at 10:30am in the Potter Room at Jackson City Library.

In attendance were Donna Scurlock (President), Ruth Hayth (Vice President), Beverly Griffiths (Treasurer), Cynthia Dalton (Recording Secretary), Ronda Bivens, Pheobe Canter, Donald Clark, Ida Mae Crabtree, Don Dearing, Mike Deaterla, Bob Lewis, Megan Malone, Linda Walton and Charles Weese

#### **Meeting Minutes:**

Minutes of the February 2013 meeting were read and approved following a motion by Linda Walton and seconded by Mike Deaterla. The treasurer's report showed a general fund balance of \$7538.95 and a cemetery fund balance of \$2200.88 as of February 28, 2013.

#### **Treasurer's Report:**

General account: Balance as of 2/28/2013 is \$7538.95

James Cemetery account : Balance as of 2/28/2013 is \$2200.88

#### **Correspondence :**

1. Donna announced that beginning April 1, 2013 will be time to sign up for Kroger Rewards Program. Kroger will donate funds to JCOGS if you sign up for your rewards to go to JCOGS beginning 4/1/2013.
2. Federation Genealogy Societies Conference is 8/21-8/24/2013 in Fort Wayne, Indiana.
3. Ohio Genealogy Conference is 4/25-4/27/2013 in Cincinnati, Ohio.

#### **Committee Reports:**

First Families Committee will pick a time to meet in the next month.

#### **Old Business:**

Donna reported that the Southeast Ohio Tourism expo went well. And we sold 1 CD.

#### **New Business:**

1. Donna announced that JCOGS gift for the spring Showcase will be the Jackson County, Ohio History & Families Book and a one year membership to JCOGS.
2. Donna stated that she accepted an old Bible on behalf of JCOGS that belonged to Luke Garrett & Margaret Lake family. She wants to find someone to give it to. She scanned the family pages for genealogy researchers.
3. Megan Malone gave an update on the Kinnison/Pittenger Bible. There is a lady in Sydney, Ohio whose husband is a descendant and they very much want the old Bible.

#### **Announcements:**

1. Donald Clark announced that there is a speaker who will talk about gravestone restoration & preservation at a Lawrence County, Ohio meeting at 1:00pm on May 4, 2013.
2. Megan Malone announced that the Lillian E Jones Museum will be open 2 more Saturdays: March 9 + April 13, 2013 12pm-5pm to showcase the sculptures of Jackson native Fletcher Benton. She found letters written by Fletcher Benton to Lillian E Jones and copies are at the Museum to see through April 13, 2013.
3. Cynthia Dalton announced that Jackson County Veterans Memorial Project is progressing. There will be a section in the park dedicated to and listing the names of all Jackson County veterans who lost their lives in the line of duty. Engraved bricks, will honor any past or present veteran with a local connection. Bricks can be bought for \$100 each & will be inscribed with the honored veteran's name, rank, branch of service, and war in which he/she served. Go to this online article for more info : <http://www.thetelegramnews.com/main.asp?SectionID=6&SubsectionID=83&ArticleID=17546>

Motion for adjournment was made and accepted. Meeting adjourned.

Submitted by : Cynthia Dalton