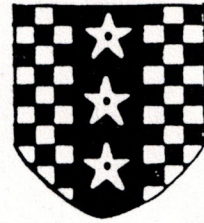


FISKE GENEALOGICAL FOUNDATION
1207 - 6th Avenue North, Seattle, Washington 98109



Summer, 1991

Dear Students and Members of the Fiske Genealogical Foundation:

Fall classes at the Fiske Genealogical Foundation are approaching and tuition fees are now due for the 1991-92 year. Please see the enclosed Fee Schedule for this year's fees. We hope you will take a moment to review this information sheet and sign up for the class(es) or options of your choice. Thank you for all of you who have already registered.

Tentative plans for Fall now include a New England Seminar, tracing your ancestors into the British Isles or? We want your suggestions. What do you need?

The Fiske Foundation has had a great year! Many new books and records have been added. We have also recently been given a much needed copying machine. The events during the Winter and Spring of "90-91" have included:

- * The Family Fair in April
- * The Southern Seminar in May
- * New Publications:

-A two volume set of Southern Research Books which include much needed bibliographical resource material for Alabama, Georgia, Kentucky, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, and West Virginia. They also include the holdings of the Fiske Genealogical Foundation, Seattle Genealogical Society, and Seattle Public Library for each of these states. These two volumes can save you many hours of preparation for research in these states. 266 pages.

-Arthur re-published several of his Cemetery Inscription books. These include Arlington and Sunderland, Bennington Co., VT to 1875; Warwick, Franklin Co., MA to 1865; and Wilbraham, Hampden Co., MA to 1865. These are fully indexed and the inscriptions were copied in 1965. Because of acid rain, many of these inscriptions may not be legible at this time as it has now been twenty-six years since Arthur personally copied the inscriptions. Many more of these will soon be completed as he copied many cemeteries at the same time. 36, 45, and 50 pages respectively.

-Barbara Giles published her Connecticut Genealogical Resources Book which includes selected bibliographies, maps, research aids, and a lot of unusual data for the state. 118 pages. She also published her Sources For Hereditary & Lineage Societies. 12 pages.

-Volume 4 of the Fiske Genealogical Foundation catalog. Vols. 2 and 3 are still available.

-Arthur also published two pamphlets:

"The Meaning of Names" and "Introduction to Church Records"

- * Class continued three times a week, Wednesday morning and evening and Saturday morning.
- * New England Institute and Pennsylvania Institute each held once a month.

LIBRARY

During the summer months, June, July and August, the Foundation Library will be open on Mondays and Wednesdays, hours 10:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.

UPCOMING TOUR

Heritage tours are very special and are designed by Genealogists for Genealogists! They are arranged by USTravel Systems, Inc. 1991 marks our 15th year of research tours. We're proud to have been a pioneer in the United States to do such trips. Arthur Fiske will provide genealogical assistance on the tour. The tour will be going to Pennsylvania where we will stop at the top research libraries. We will also stop in Baltimore, MD where we will visit genealogical libraries for research and also visit Genealogical Publishing Company for making book purchases. The tour leaves Seattle on October 6th and returns on October 27th. An optional extension can be made for those who are interested in going to the New York State Library in Albany, NY. Contact Jean Roth at (206)-224-7768 or 1-800-426-1491 U.S. toll free for additional information.

CLASSES

Classes will resume on September 11 for Wednesday sessions and September 14 for Saturday sessions. Call Arthur Fiske, 448-7528, for class registrations and leave your name and phone number on the answering machine if he is not home.

ANNUAL PICNIC

The Fiske Foundation Annual Picnic will be held on Saturday, August 17th, at 11:30 A.M. at the home of Betty Sheeran, 35016 David Powell Road, Falls City. Note the map showing details relating to David Powell Road.

