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Davis County Iowa Genealogy

This is no longer a quarter it's a 33c piece

Available NOW! A Fundraiser Raffle

D Sue Spilman & Vicki Houk have donated items for our fundraiser raffle. See Page 5 for details, don't delay, coming to a close. Need not be present to win. Items are well worth the chance, \$1 a ticket, or 6 for \$5. Reserve yours today, if you live far away. Or stop by the library.

Changes happen as life happens. Deanna has resigned as President, I will be acting the remainder of the calendar year. A new vote for officers will be taken at the Holiday meeting in December. Regardless of our titles, we as a team of members & volunteers, seamlessly continue to keep our society rolling on. I am reducing the newsletter to 3 times a year, seems that the content & the time to put it in such a presentable state, doesn't get done like in the past. So for a quarter issue, it's now a 33c piece. Less is more? Along with the newsletter cut-back, you will find that our research fees increased July 1, and our Dues for 2016 are also increasing to \$17.50 per member. Keep in mind the membership allows you camera's & scanners in the Library, and the 33c newsletter. Mean-

ing, reduced to [3 this year]. The County Fair was successful, and I continue to commend the volunteers & Members that make everything happen. Those of you that did not make it, will need to know you missed the highest quality genealogical exhibits found in the state of Iowa. Our Judge Jay DeYoung has almost become speechless over our work. The county history that is displayed in our booth is well worth taking a look at. Lots of good conversation & awareness for the need to preserve is where we would like to continue to educate the community. We are complimented by the presentation of the antiques exhibited & hosted by Hairy Nation Antiques, the sponsor next to our booth.

~ Deb Barker, Vice President & Editor

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Library Hours

Tues, Wed, Thurs, Fri 1:00-4:00 Saturdays 10:00-12:00

Meetings Third Thursday at 7 PM Bloomfield Library

2015 Officers

Acting President & Editor Deb Barker

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Secretary Vicki Houk vickihouk50@yahoo.com

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What's new on the Web



Davis County Genealogical Society

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February 1921 Births, Davis County, IA
Reported to the office of the County Clerk,
Published in the Bloomfield Democrat.

- Feb 7. - Charles Edgar Jr. Charles Edgar Alexander.
- Feb 24 - Cora LaRue. Charley Brown.
- Feb 13 - Max Duane. Guy Beaver.
- Feb 18 - Donald Orman. Robert LeRoy Crandall.
- Feb 13 - Owlenn Forest. Alva O Chandler.
- Feb 16 - Chas Weaver Evans.
- Feb 23 - Ralph Elwood. Ralph Emery Fane.
- Feb 2 - Myrtle LaRue. Geo R Shepherd.
- Feb 22 - Lola Christine. Charles G Spurgeon.

Memberships Pay Here!

One Year \$17.5

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Our Volunteer Calendar

Is now Embedded on our web site. You can visit iagenweb.org/Davis and follow the link to our societies page, Once there, another link to the Google calendar is available.

Our volunteers are now able to add their own dates of service at the library.

[Davis County Genealogical Society](#)
moved to 200 W Locust, Bloomfield

[OUR VOLUNTEER CALENDAR](#)

[Http://iagenweb.org/davis](http://iagenweb.org/davis)

Category A: Research Material

Genealogical Collection: Blue; Harold Patterson, Red; Sue Spilman, White; Janet Peterson
 Compiled Research: Blue, Deb Barker
 Genealogical Proofs: Blue, Deb Barker
 Two or more documents relevant to each other: Blue, Harold Patterson
 Genetic Genealogy: finding from DNA testing: Blue, Deanna Pitman; Red, Harold Patterson;
 White, Marsha Bell

Category B: Stories and Articles

True Story written by exhibitor: Blue; Pat Howk; Red, Harold Patterson
 Storytelling Display: Blue, Harold Paterson; Red, Janet Peterson; White, Deb Barker
 Article from publication other than local: Blue, Harold Patterson

Category C: Charts

Pedigree/Family Tree Chart: Blue, Harold Patterson; Red, Brenda Burns; White, Deb Barker
 Straight Lineage Chart: Blue, Deb Barker
 Collateral Lineage Chart: Blue, Harold D Patterson

Category D: Personal Documents

Records: diary, letters, ledgers, school, etc: Blue, Harold Patterson; Red, Rosalie Kinney;
 White, Brenda Burns
 Religious: Blue, Deb Barker; Red, Harold Patterson; White, Brenda Burns
 Certificate: Blue, Harold Patterson
 Document or Certificate relating to Davis Co History: Blue, Harold Patterson; Red, Deb Barker

Category E: Legal Documents

Vital Statistics: birth, marriage, or death: Blue, Deanna Pitman; Red, Harold Patterson
 Will or Probate: Blue, Harold Patterson; Red, Deb Barker
 Land: land grant, deed, mortgage, lien, etc: Blue, Harold Patterson
 Military Record: discharge, pension, award, etc: Blue, Deanna Pitman; Red, Harold Patterson;
 White, Pat Howk
 Misc Court: immigration, divorce, guardianship, civil, criminal, etc: Blue, Harold Patterson;
 Red, Deanna Pitman; White, Deb Barker

Category F: Photos

Two people or less: Blue, Brenda Burns; Red, Deb Barker;
 White, D Sue Spilman
 Three people or more: Blue, Deanna Pitman; Red, Jennifer Spargur; White, Harold Patterson
 Pictorial Family History: Blue, Marsha Kinsler Bell; Red, Danna Johnson; White, Harold D Patterson
 Home: Brenda Burns, Blue; Deb Barker, Red.
 Community: Blue, Deanna Pitman; Red, Deb Barker; White, Harold Patterson
 Photos depicting Davis Co History: Blue, Harold Dean Patterson

Category G: Miscellaneous Blue, Pat Howk; Red, Deb Barker

Category H: Junior Projects

Family Tree or Pedigree: Blue, Sonja Miller
 Family Photo: Blue, Sonja Miller

CONTACT US TO PURCHASE CHANCES

DAVIS COUNTY GENEALOGY

LICENSED FUNDRAISING FOR 2015

BLOOMFIELD PRINT | 8" TABLET



DRAWING SEPTEMBER 15, 2015
 NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN
 \$1 EACH | 6 FOR \$5

INSIGNIA NS-14T002 Insignia Flex™ Android Tablet

- ANDROID 4.2 JELLY BEAN
- DUAL CORE 1.2GHZ PROCESSOR
- 8GB STORAGE
- CAMERA
- MicroSD SLOT
- 8" SCREEN
- WI-FI
- BLUETOOTH
- WEBCAM



QUERIES

WEB-FORM EMAIL

* From: awilliams237611@yahoo.com

* To: iadavis@netins.net

My name is Amy Williams and I grew up north of Drakesville. When I was a child my family and I went to church at Wesley Chapel. Since I have grown up and moved away, several times through the years I have stopped by Wesley Chapel. Last year the church appeared to be out of use. If the church is no longer being used, do you know what will happen with the pews inside? I would love to buy one, but I don't know whom to ask. I would appreciate any direction or suggestions you could give me.

Thank you,
Amy

Carl William Quigley [1932-1976] personal billfold & Contents

<http://iagenweb.org/boards/davis/obituaries/index.cgi?rev=565432>



Brandon Jason Levell

This was found in my garage while cleaning it out it is Carl William quigleys badge and numerous ids dating back as far as his date of birth is June 26 1932 I would like to return to family members it is all from Ottumwa Iowa any info would be awesome help me return this plz facebook

July 29

Stacey Renee, Julie Knowles Hayes and 2 others like this.

465 shares



Brandon Jason Levell Just a little info on this I have actual found the daughter to this man and am sending it to her this weekend

August 6 at 4:54pm · 9



Bree Sartain Serpieri Great news! What a special find! Was so kind of you to try and get it to the family.

Yesterday at 1:01am

Album: Mobile Uploads

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Social Media to the Rescue

THEM OL RURAL SCHOOLS

Dee Altheide of Davis County has had our interest in Rural Schools as a topic, for many years. Dee has continually managed to collect, preserve & archive information, stories, & documents for future generations to enjoy. Annually she & others host the Rural School Reunion at the Drakesville City park. Find her at our September meeting, we can't wait to see what she's working on now. Do you have Stories, documents, photo's to share? Contact us, bring them to the next meeting in September the 17th, 7PM.

MARION

FAIRVIEW
ALBANY
ASH GROVE
UNION
CENTER
WASHINGTON
BLACK HAWK
PLEASANT HILL

SOAP CREEK

STAR
GALPIN
LIVINGSTON
FAIRVIEW
CENTER
CLAY COLLEGE
NORTH STAR
OAK GROVE

LICK CREEK

LIBERTY
BUNKER HILL
PLEASANT GROVE
FRANKLIN STAR
PLEASANT HILL
DUNVILLE
PLEASANT RIDGE

SALT CREEK

BEAR CREEK
WHITE ELM
CENTRAL
US MOINES
EAGLE
SALT CREEK

FOX RIVER

ELM GROVE
LONE STAR
BUNCH
COONS
PELLA
PUTMAN

DRAKESVILLE

BUTTON TOWN
HAM
CROSS ROADS
FIDELITY
CAMMACK

PERRY

KENNEY
CENTER
SHUNEM
BENTON
STARK

UNION

TROY
UNION STAR
HICKORY GROVE
OAK HILL
HALL
PARIS COLLEGE

WEST GROVE

GORDEN
HARMDAY
BETHEL
CARTER CREEK
ORANGE
PRAIRIE MOUND
UNION

CLEVELAND

PLEASANT VIEW
WYACONDAH
BRIDGES
STAIL
STUBEN
SWAMP ANGEL

PRAIRIE

CRAVEN POINT
BLACKABY

FABIUS

FRANKLIN
TAYLOR
JEFFERSON
UNION
CENTRAL
WASHINGTON

WYACONDAH

MARK
HOWELL
JAYBIRD
SPRINGVILLE
HUTCHING
SAVANNAH
HARDY

GROVE

LITTLE BROWN
BEULAH
STILES
BURR OAK
CENTER
FAIRVIEW

ROSCOE

ROUND GROVE
BRUMLEY
UNION
ATKINS
PLEASANT KNOLL

March of 1993 Listing

SCHOOL REPORT OF 1900

Report of the **COONS** for the month ending May 7. Total number enrolled 36. Average number belonging 33. Average daily attendance 31. Those neither absent or tardy were; Opal, Basil, and Curtis Fresh. Ollie, George and Ross Hanna. Guy, Wendell and Willie Carr; Thane and Myrtle Wyatt; Emmet White, Willie Hangate, and Gladys Fresh. LEANORE HARTWICK, *Teacher*

SCHOOL REPORT 1902

Report of **IXL** school, Perry township, district number 2, for the month commencing Oct 6, 1902, and ending Oct. 31. Number enrolled 25, average number belonging 22, average daily attendance 21, number of tardy marks 1. The names of those neither absent or tardy are: Maggie Merrill, Ethel Rector, Delpha Bandell, Mae Benge, Bertha Dennis, Clara Merrill, Lydia Creel, Faye Benge, Otis Rector, Willie Cree and Orfa Rector. NORA WISHARD *teacher*.

Report for the first month of the spring term of **Chequest** school in Union township, beginning April 28, 1902. Total number enrolled 25. Average number belonging 23, average daily attendance 24. Those not absent nor tardy, Sylvia Downing, Gladden Jackson, Jessie Reisch, Roy Moughler, Closs Hunt, and Glen Ernst. AGNES FRYE, *Teacher*

Report of **Bear Creek** School, Salt Creek township, for the month ending May 23, 1902. No. pupils enrolled, 21. Average daily attendance 20, Average age of pupils 8, No award certificates issued, 12. 4 cases of tardiness. Those perfect in attendance are Rhoda, Virgie and Ruth Christy, Verna Muchler, Everette Wilkinson, Roy Wright, and Buell Sconce, Kost Daughtery, and Clarence Lawson. Those neither absent nor tardy since entering, but who did not enter the first day are Ralph Sconce, Bessie and Willie Thompson. EMMA G SWINNEY, *Teacher*

SCHOOL REPORT 1905

Report of **Oak Hill** School, Union township for the month ending October 27. Number enrolled 29. Average daily attendance 23. Average number belonging 25. Names of those neither absent nor tardy: Amy Roberts, Jewel Roberts, Edna Ingold, Wilma Ingold, Nellie Roberts, Walter Roberts, Ross Ingold, Paul Work, Roy Goadon, and Launy Parks. G C ARCHER, *Teacher*

SCHOOL REPORT 1908

Report for the first month of spring term at the **Fairview** School beginning April 13th, 1908. Number of pupils enrolled 24. Total number of days attendance 412. Total number of days absence 31. Number cases of tardiness 4. They who were not absent during the month, Edyth and Helen Dieffenbach, Esther Tschantz, Ethel Schindler, Irene Schindler, Victor Swartzendruber, Lee Delzell, Oscar Dieffenbach, Erman Baughman, Herman Schindler, Dewey Roulet, Myrt Day. Plessie I Mozingo *teacher*

Report of the **Washington** School for the month ending May 15. Average number belonging 22. Average daily attendance 21. No visitors. Those perfect in attendance were; Grace Barnett, Jessa Jones, Gola Smothers, Arley Lamb, Helen Wilson, Vera Swift, Beatrice Crisman, Leona Ballew, Thelma Bowling. Mae Hartwick *teacher*

Report of the **Savannah** school for the term commencing April 13 and ending June 5. Number enrolled 45. Average number belonging 42. Average daily attendance 35. Number cases of tardiness 16. Those neither absent nor tardy, Flo York, Vera Brunk, Millie Brunk, Mattie Smallwood, Fern Brunk, Oris Brown and Ruby Francis. Nora Brunk *teacher*

[DAVIS COUNTY GENEALOGY SALE ITEMS]

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| 1850 Federal Census | 20.00 | |
| 1856 State Census Index | 6.50 | |
| 1856 State Volume 1 | 10.00 | |
| 1856 State Volume 2 | 10.00 | |
| 1860 Federal Census Index | 6.50 | |
| 1860 Federal Part 1 | 15.00 | |
| 1860 Federal Part 2 | 15.00 | |
| 1860 Federal Part 3 | 15.00 | |
| 1880-1900 Deaths, Includes addendum | 10.00 | |
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| 1976 Index to This is Davis County | 15.00 | |
| 1940 Grave Registration & War Record Cemeteries, A-K | 20.00 | |
| 1940 Grave Registration & War Record Cemeteries, L - Z | 20.00 | |
| 1924 Dillon Payne, Pioneer History of Davis County, Reprint, 2007 | 70.00 | |
| 1882 History of Davis County History Book, Reprint, 2009 | 80.00 | |
| Cleveland Township Cemeteries, except IOOF | 10.00 | |
| Cleveland Township Cemeteries, Bloomfield IOOF | 20.00 | |
| Drakesville Township Cemeteries | 15.00 |  |
| Fabius Township Cemeteries | 6.50 | |
| Grove Township & Barker Cemeteries | 10.00 | |
| Prairie & Roscoe Township Cemeteries | 6.50 | |
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| CD 2. Probates, Wills, & Marriage Records | 13.00 | |
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| CD 3. 1850 Census & 1935 Record of Payment of Old Age Tax Assistance | 15.00 | |
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| NEW FOR 2012 | 6.50 | |
| Probate Death Records 1844-1880 | 10.00 | |
| Death Records 1897-1910 Vol 2 | | |
| NEW FOR 2013 | | |
| 1903 Farmer's Biographies | 20.00 | |
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