



Anderson County Historical Society

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Next meeting – January 24, 2019:

 Season's Greetings!!! 

We will be observing the Holidays in November and December 2018. Our next monthly meeting will be held January 24, 2019.

 Christmas Party - December 1st from 3:30-5:30pm 

Mark the date on your calendar! Our Christmas party is this coming Saturday, December 1st from 3:30-5:30 pm at Farmers Grove Baptist Church fellowship hall. If you can't stay for the entire 2 hours, you're welcome to come and go as you can. Please bring a plate of your favorite party finger food to share. Plates, silverware, cups and drinks will be supplied by the society. Those wishing to help set up, meet Carolyn at the church at 3pm. RSVP to mamawcarolyn121@gmail.com by Thursday November 30th so that she will have a head count for drinks, etc. Everyone needs to bring a dish of their favorite party finger food to share. Water, diet and non-diet soda, paper goods and plastic silverware will be provided.

Officers and Directors for 2019 and 2020:

Listed below are the officers elected for the next two years.

Officers:	Directors:
President Matthew Clark	Charlie Abner
Vice President Jeannie Garrett	Libby Bumgardner
Secretary Lisa Brock	Therese Dillard
Treasurer Carolyn Johnson	Ron Evans
Historian Stephanie Hill	

In addition:

Sam Jennings has been named Emeritus Director.

Jeannie Garrett is the Journal Editor

Ron Evans is the Newsletter Editor.

Events:

Genealogy workshops and webinars:

Genealogy workshops offered by the East Tennessee History Center, Knoxville:

For registration and detailed workshop information: <http://www.easttnhistory.org/genealogy>

Tennessee Genealogy Online – January 12th 1-3pm

FREE Webinars: Continuing to educate ourselves about research methods and new resources is an important part of effective research. A list of FREE Legacy Family Tree Webinars can be found at <https://familytreewebinars.com/upcoming-webinars-multireg.php>. Click on the individual webinar links for details and registration information. Most include a free syllabus and/or handouts available to participants.

Search Your Roots Saturday

Members of the Anderson County Historical Society will be available at the Clinton Library from 12 noon - 2pm on the 2nd Saturday of each month to assist your genealogical and historical research.

Next Search Your Roots Saturday is December 8th at the Clinton Library from 12 noon - 2pm.

Queries:

William Keeney

I'm looking for a William Keeney in Anderson County. His wife was either an Elizabeth Dunham or Mary Taylor. I'm also looking for information on Catherine Keeney that married a John Thompson around 1845. Thank you, Sherri Goodwin. Phone: 913-530-9229. Email: sales@cz-usa.com

Dr. J.S. Hall

I am trying to find some background information on Dr. J.S. Hall, a physician in Clinton and Anderson County for many years. Specifically, where did he attend medical school. He was a young doctor in 1928 and helped to deliver my father, J. Carl Keith, and I was the last baby he delivered, in 1955. He was in practice with his father, Samuel B. Hall until his death in 1933. When I was a small child, Dr. Henry Hedden joined his practice. Thank you in advance for your assistance! James C. Keith, Jr., D.V.M., Ph.D., Keith Pharmacology Research Group, LLC, 300 Brickstone Square Suite 201, Andover, MA 01810, 617-285-9884 (cell phone), email: jckethjr@yahoo.com

William Severs born 1752

I am looking for DOB of William Severs born 1752 from Census. There is a family legend about a Hessian soldier and he seems to be the only possibility, The Hessian was Johannes Wilhelm Siebert, from Metzbech Germany born 1751 (New Calender) and I have his DOB. He deserted in 1782 from Savanna GA. William Severs married in 1793 in Montgomery Co VA and may have fathered or be related to a James M Severs born 1788 in VA or TN. I have no information on him before 1793 or on the Hessian after 1782 but have ancestral data before 1782. William left Anderson Co in 1848 and arrived in Nodaway Co Missouri before 1850 Census was taken and died there in 1852 in the fall and his tomb stone says "age 100". He did not apply for a Rev War Pension even though his age was perfect to have served. His wife was d/o George Peck/Beck who lived on Peaked Mountain in Montgomery Co VA and were of German Ancestry. Thank you, Charles Severs, email s9359338@aol.com.

Ovie L. Weaver

Looking for death certificate for Ovie L. Weaver, who died between 1910-1920. He is buried in Old Briceville Cemetery. Lived in Anderson County whole life. Parents names : John & Mary Weaver. Thanks Stan Weaver, email: stansusie4@gmail.com