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An update regarding the closure of the Family Research Society of Northeastern North Carolina

With the closing of the Family Research Society of Northeastern NC, we have signed MOAs and completed the transfer of our assets to two non-profits as of 21 Nov 2022. The Friends of the Shephard-Pruden Memorial Library in Edenton have taken our NC-related library books and the Edenton Historical Commission, also in Edenton, has taken the North Carolina books which we offered for sale.

The Friends group in accordance with their By-Laws will be transferring the books to the Edenton library shortly. Their librarian, Jared Jacavone, personally came to Elizabeth City along with the President of the Friends, Peter Small, and several Friends to pack the books - ones they could use in Edenton as well as ones they can use in the region. They also took all the FRS Family Histories and Twiford Funeral Home Records. Like most libraries, they are limited on space so they plan to digitize both the family histories and the funeral home records to reduce the bulk of the materials and create small digital files.... a very modern approach which we never had the technology nor volunteers to handle.

Right across the street at the Penelope Barker House in Edenton, the Edenton Historical Commission (EHC), accepted 96 titles that FRS owns as well as ones we have on consignment and plans to fill the void we left by reproducing the North Carolina books we owned and continuing the sale of important genealogical books on consignment. The Executive Director of EHC, Robert Leath, as well as Clara Stage and Alexis Tobias-Jacavone, have a lot of work to do to set up before the sales start on the 98 FRS books, but I'm sure they will succeed and we appreciate them taking it all on.

Join us for our final live webinar of 2022

Pre-Revolutionary Wars and Records with Craig R. Scott on December 7 at 7:00 pm ET.

This webinar places the research in context from the period of the French and Indian War up to the Revolutionary War. It also discusses strategies for successful research from literature review through free and subscription websites relating to this time period.

Register for the Live Webinar

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If you're looking for the perfect gift for yourself or another genealogist, check out the NCGS store. Take a look at <u>North Carolina Research: Genealogy and Local History</u>, 2nd Ed., a must-have for any genealogy library, or perhaps get a copy of the <u>NCGS Journal (1975-2016) on Jump Drive</u>.

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NCGS has been helping people discover their North Carolina heritage since 1974. We aim to raise research standards through educational programs and publications, acquaint members with North Carolina research sources, and promote the preservation and access of genealogically significant materials.

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