

February 23, 2013 Let's Discuss It – Next meeting March 30, 2013

Windows 7 tweaks:

<http://www.makeuseof.com/tag/speed-up-tweak-windows-explorer-windows-7/>

More Google "things":

<http://www.makeuseof.com/tag/not-just-search-10-google-services-you-have-to-know-about/>

Western PA Genealogical Society:

http://www.wpgs.org/first_families.htm

Gibson County TN biographies:

<http://www.mygenealogyhound.com/tennessee-counties/gibson-county-tennessee-genealogy-biographies.asp>

Guide to finding orphaned and adopted ancestors:

<http://barbsnow.net/adoption.htm>

Colonial State records of North Carolina:

<http://docsouth.unc.edu/csr/index.html/volumes>

Evidentia: <http://evidentia.ed4becky.net/>

iGoogle replacements:

my favs: <http://myfav.es/>

netvibes: <http://www.netvibes.com/en>

ustart: <http://www.ustart.org/>

protopage: <http://www.protopage.com/>

symbaloo: <http://www.symbaloo.com/>

ighome: <http://www.ighome.com/>

portalpanel: <https://www.portalpanel.com/>

allmyfaves: <http://www.allmyfaves.com/join>

favour: <http://www.favour.com/>

internet buttons: <http://internetbuttons.org/>

kadaza: <http://www.kadaza.com/>

spaaze: <http://www.spaaze.com/home>

myYahoo: <http://my.yahoo.com/>

myMSN: <http://my.msn.com/>

myWAY: <http://my.myway.com/>

genieo: <http://www.genieo.com/>

Chrome extensions:

<http://www.vikitech.com/tag/chrome-addons>

tizmos: <http://www.tizmos.com/sponsored>

transferr: <http://www.transferr.com/>

webwag: <http://www.webwag.com/startup/>

wonderpage: <http://www.wonderpage.com/>

woolik: <http://www.woolik.com/#tab=homepage>

yourport: <http://yourport.com/>

zadood: <http://www.zadood.com/>

At the January meeting, there were quite a few questions on browsers. This article might answer some of your remaining questions:

http://www.komando.com/tips/index.aspx?id=13955&utm_medium=nl&utm_source=totd&utm_content=2013-01-29-article-1-end-b

Handling Chrome bookmarks:

<http://www.makeuseof.com/tag/everything-you-need-to-know-about-managing-chrome-bookmarks/>

Apps for efficiency:

<http://www.slideshare.net/SusanPetersen1/tablet-apps>

Those old family group sheets, we used to peruse at LDS libraries, have been scanned and are now available online:

https://familysearch.org/blog/en/family-group-sheets-familysearch/?utm_source=feedburner&utm_medium=feed&utm_campaign=Feed%3A+FamilySearchBlog+%28FamilySearch+Blog%29

U.S. Mexican War records added to familysearch:

<https://familysearch.org/search/collection/show#uri=http://familysearch.org/searchapi/search/collection/1987567>

Sam sent this link on Civil War Battles and Casualties

Map: <http://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-srv/lifestyle/special/civil-war-interactive/civil-war-battles-and-casualties-interactive-map/>

Virginia marriage and death records will be indexed:

<http://www.vgs.org/component/content/article/43-section-newsflash/86-virginia-vital-records-update>

Interesting article on marriage in Israel and having to prove Jewish heritage:

<http://www.theatlantic.com/international/archive/2013/02/getting-married-in-israel-why-it-so-often-means-hiring-a-detective/273127/>

French and Spanish records being scanned – New Orleans:

http://www.artdaily.org/index.asp?int_sec=11&int_new=58627#.URwv7KXwsxF

Draper collection now online at familysearch (but not indexed):
<https://www.familysearch.org/search/collection/show#uri=http://hr-search-api:8080/searchapi/search/collection/2072102>

Judy Gorman sent this site:
http://www.genealogyjamboree.us/Home_Page.php

A free online magazine:
http://issuu.com/indepthgen/docs/2013-02-15_idg_going_in-depth

Free Microsoft Office replacement (an Open Office replacement) – LibreOffice:
<http://www.libreoffice.org/download/>

Application shortcuts:
http://www.shortcutworld.com/show_all.php?p=win&l=en

Interesting article on African-American DNA testing:
http://www.huffingtonpost.com/2013/02/17/vanessa-williams-ancestry-mail-order-dna-test_n_2698112.html

Tina Sansone sent these two slideshare links:
<http://www.slideshare.net/search/slideshow?searchfrom=header&q=Tina+Sansone>

<http://www.slideshare.net/michaelhait/>

Genealogy sites to check often:

<https://familysearch.org>
<http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/>
<http://www.usgenweb.org/>
<http://www.cyndislist.com/>
<http://www.findagrave.com/>
<http://www.ancestry.com/> (\$)
<http://www.stevemorse.org/>
<http://www.itd.nps.gov/cwss/>
<http://www.ellisland.org/>
<http://genforum.com/>
<http://chroniclingamerica.loc.gov/>
<http://www.deathindexes.com/>
<http://www.linkpendium.com/>
<http://www.glorerecords.blm.gov/>
<http://www.interment.net/>
<http://www.worldgenweb.org/countryindex.html>
<http://www.castlegarden.org/>
http://www.lva.virginia.gov/public/using_collections.asp
<http://www.immigrantships.net/>
<http://www.accessgenealogy.com/native/>
<http://www.olivetreegenealogy.com/index.shtml>
<http://register.shelby.tn.us/>
<http://www.heritagequestonline.com/hqoweb/library/do/index>

Remember to check the current and back issues of our Let's Discuss It handouts, available at <http://www.tngs.org>

Sites you ask for often:

Stickies: <http://www.zhornsoftware.co.uk/>
Rainbow Folders: <http://www.english.aionel.net/>
Google apps (Picasa, Chrome, Blogger, Books, YouTube, ...):
<http://www.google.com/intl/en/about/products/index.html>
AquaSnap: <http://www.nurgo-software.com/products/aquasnap>
CutePDF: <http://www.cutepdf.com/index.htm>
DropBox: <https://www.dropbox.com/>
Jing: <http://www.techsmith.com/download/jing/default.asp>
Goo Reader: <http://gooreader.com/> (\$)
Software Reviews: <http://www.gensoftreviews.com/>