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Special Honors for Robin Blair

The Clan Blair Society Honorary Member, Robin Orr Blair of Edinburgh, who was Scotland's Lord Lyon King of Arms from 2001 to 2007, was honored by The Queen in her birthday honors list by raising Robin to CVO, Commander in the Royal Victorian Order from LVO, Lieutenant in the Royal Victorian Order.

He has also been appointed to the Lyon Court as an Officer of Arms with the title of Angus Herald Extraordinary.

The Clan Blair Society extends congratulations to Robin Blair WS CVO for these well-deserved honors. Prior to being named Lord Lyon, Robin held the post of Purse Bearer to the Lord High Commissioner to the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, and he continues to be a member of the Royal Company of Archers.

With thanks to *Blair Bruidhinn*, the newsletter of the Clan Blair.

To fall down you manage alone. To get back up, you need the hands of friends.

Yiddish Provert.

Great Scott! I Think I've Found it.

The expression "Great Scott" is of uncertain origin, but is believed to date back to the American Civil War, and may refer to U.S. Army General Winfield Scott.

The general, known to his troops as "Old Fuss and Feathers" and the great Scott, weighed almost 300 pounds. In a May 1861 edition of the *New York Times*: "These gatherings of loyal freemen, under the command of the great SCOTT." In an 1871 issue of *Galaxy* magazine: "Great Scott! He gasped in his stupe faction, using the name of the then commander-in-chief for an oath, as officers sometimes did in those days."

The exclamation can also be found in C.S. Lewis' *The Chronicles of Narnia*, such as by Digory Kirke in the book *The Magician's Nephew*, and by Peter in the book *The Lion*, *the Witch and the Wardrobe*.

The Dr. Watson character habitually used the expression in the Rathbone-Bruce Sherlock Holmes films made between 1939 and 1946. British movie *Blithe Spirit* starring Rex Harrison and Margaret Rutherford in 1945 gives another example, "Great Scott, I think I've got it!"

With thanks to Blair Bruidhinn, newsletter of the Clan Blair Society.

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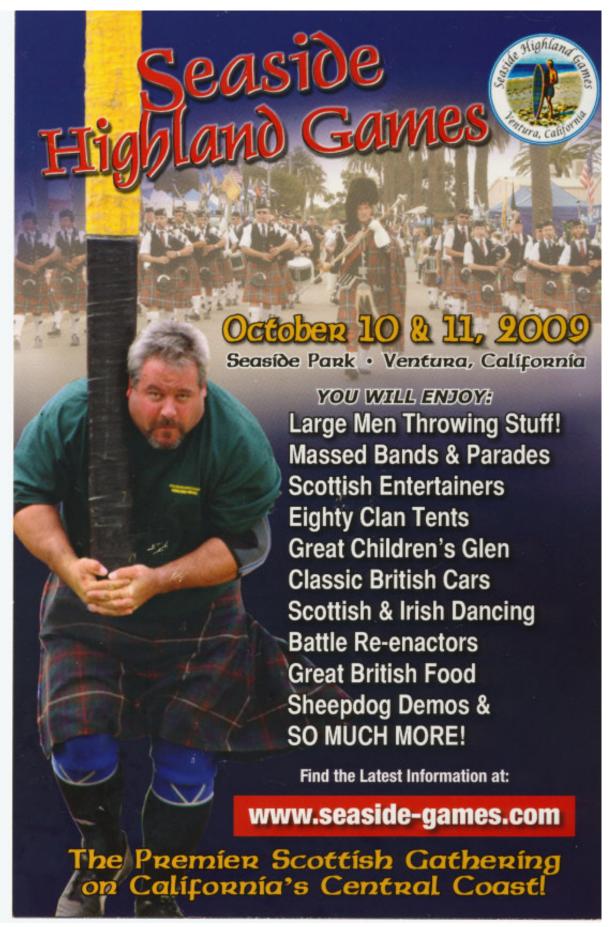
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New Clan Leslie Commissioner for North America appointed at The Gathering

On Saturday July 25th at the 2009 Homecoming Gathering in Holyrood Park in Edinburgh, The Chief of the Scottish Clan Leslie, the Honourable Alexander Leslie, appointed William Leslie of Orillia, Ontario, Canada, the Commissioner for North America for the Clan Leslie. William Leslie will be the Chief's representative for Clan Leslie members in North America. This appointment is a great honour and has been held by only two individuals in the past, Alexander Leslie Klieforth and Robert E. Leslie. The presentation of the Clan Leslie Medallion was made at the Leslie Tent in the presence of the Leslie's, Lesslies and Abernathy's who attended the Gathering.

With thanks to William Leslie, *Grip Fast*, the newsletter of the Clan Leslie.



Flowers of the Forest

David Calvin Leslie Sr., 89, passed away Friday, February 6, 2009, at Piedmont Medical Center, Rock Hill, South Carolina.

Services were held on Monday, February 9, 2009, at Neely's Creek ARP Church, 974 Neely's Creek Road. Reverend Jan Senneker officiated. Burial was at Neely's Creek ARP Church Cemetery.

David Leslie was born in Catawba, S.C., to the late Martin Luther Leslie and the late Florence Simpson Leslie. He was a life-long member of Neely's Creek ARP, where he was a former deacon an elder and a member of the choir for over sixty years. He was a graduate of Rock Hill High School and retired as a railroad engineer with CSX Railroad with over 44 years of service.

David Leslie was preceded in death by his wife, Ruth Gettys Leslie; his daughter, Lynn L. Mann; his brother, Martin L. Leslie Jr.; and his sisters, Jean Gordon, Rebecca Faris and Pauline Leslie.

He is survived by his wife, Myrtle Reeves Leslie; his sons, David C. Leslie Jr. and wife, Lori, and Kirk Leslie and wife, Anita, all of Rock Hill; his daughter, Harriet L. Flinn and husband, Wes, of Catawba; his son-in-law, Terry Mann of Lake Wales, Fla.; his stepson, James W. Boyd and wife, Susan, of Rock Hill; and his many grandchildren.



The Bailiwick of the Scots Knights Templar pose outside Balgonie Castle following their Investiture Ceremonyafter The Gathering in Scotland.

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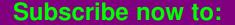
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A fine photo of the MacDuffie Clan Society taken by their president, Bill Morris, this past July during The Parade of Tartans at Grandfather Mountain!

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Beth was editor for 17 years of *The Family Tree* and now produces *Beth's Newfangled Family Tree* at http://www.electricscotland.com/bnft She has presented genealogical and Scottish-Genealogical programs all over the United States and in Canada and Scotland.

The talks are FREE. No reservations are necessary. Just come and prepare to have more fun than you thought you would!

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All programs will be helpful to the beginner and to the experienced genealogist.

I am trying to trace family roots. Of my grandfather JAMES MACDONALD who owned Kintyre Farm in Judique, Cape Breton. He was the son of **DONALD** MACDONALD and CATHERINE. He moved to Boston Massachusetts and started an ice and coal business. Summers we went to the farm but he did not like it not being properly farmed so he sold it. CATHERINE died in 1931 in Boston, Mass and my grandfather took her body back to Canada for burial. My grandfather married MAUDE MATILDA **DONOVAN** from Ingonish, Cape Breton (she was MATILDA MAUDE but always went by **MAUDE**). Her parents were **JOHN** T. DONOVAN and ELLEN DOYLE. My Father was EMERSON WESLEY **CLARKE** born in Sydney Mines NS and his father was WESLEY WILLIAM **CLARKE** and His mother was **CATHERINE** MCDONALD. Any help would be apprecisusan_homefarm@btinternet.com ated.





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Simon Fraser University Pipe Band: 6 times World Champions! Six!!



Other Argyll bands also did well. In the Novice Grade, with Kintyre Schools and Oban High School placed 6th and 7th respectively, below Inveraray & District. Oban High School won its Qualifying round, with Dunoon Grammar in 7th place in that round and out of the final.

Kintyre Schools took 3rd in its Qualifier, two places ahead of Inveraray & District. It also came 5th in the Juvenile Grade, taking a 4th from the first Piping Judge and a 3rd for its Ensemble.

In Grade 4A, Dunoon Argyll came 7th in its Qualifier and sadly did not make it into the final.

In Grade 3B, its first year playing in this grade after its World Championship victory at Grade 4B in 2008, Islay Black Bottle came 7th in the final - from a field of 26, taking a 4th and a 5th from the Piping Judges. This is a rewarding performance from a band that lost its sponsor early in the season and fund raised its way to early competitions. Island living propels travel costs to another dimension. Bruichladdich Distillery then came in to support the band; and this result will be encouraging for band and sponsor alike.

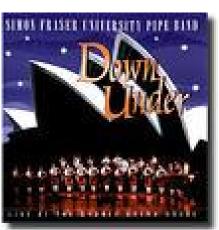
In the same Grade 3B, Rothesay & District came 21st.

At Grade 1 - the premier competition, the question was whether Toronto's Simon Fraser University would hold the crown they wrested back last year from North-

ern Ireland's Field Marshall Montgomery band.

They did. They were imperiously successful. They took both the March, Stratthspey and Reel (with 1sts from both piping Judges and for their Drum Corps and a 2nd for Ensemble); and the Medley, with a 3rd and a 1st in Piping, a 2nd for the Drum Coprs and a 1st for Ensemble.

What pulls these two big stories together - the victories for Simon Fraser University from Canada's British Columbia in Grade 1 and for Inveraray and District Pipe Band from Argyll in Grade 2, is personnel. Stuart Liddell and Steven McWhirter, respectively Pipe Major and Leader of the Drum Corps in the Inveraray band, as former solo World Champions, are also former members of Simon Fraser University band.



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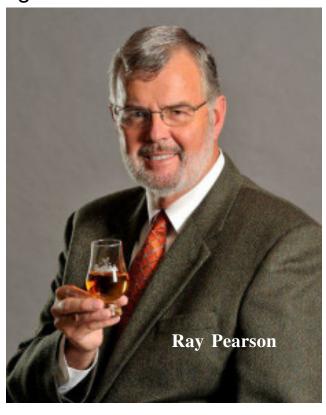
The Whisky Column

Ray Pearson, Glenfiddich Ambassador

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Hello everyone, and welcome to a new feature on *Beth's New-fangled Family Tree*. In this, and future articles, we'll explore unique and interesting aspects of single malt Scotch whisky. My job as Glenfiddich Ambassador is one of education, and I welcome your questions and comments about Scotland's most renowned export. Let's begin our times together with a road trip to Cape Breton, Nova Scotia:

I'd like to introduce everyone to my long-time and very dear friend, Ray Pearson. It was early in 1989 when Ray became one of the first advertisers in the old Family Tree publication.



We met in person several years later when Ray, wearing his Chieftain of the San Diego Highland Games ha - er, bonnett, invited me there to do genealogical talks for the games.

So, for a little more than twenty years, I have considered Ray Pearson one of my good friends. I am just tickled pink and blue and red and purple for him to write for us about his passion - whisky. I know that his columns will enrich our knowlege and bring enjoyment to all of us....Your ed: Beth

A Tale of Two Distilleries

Call it a busman's holiday if you will. A Scotch whisky guy on vacation seeks out what is billed as "North America's Only Single Malt Whisky Distillery" in Glenville, Cape Breton, Nova Scotia.

The Ceilidh Trail meanders through places reminiscent of being in Scotland – Dunvegan and Inverness, to name a few. We hug the spectacular and craggy sea coast then turn inland and gasp at the floral explosions and wooded beauty of gentle glens. The distinctive pagoda chimney of the distillery comes into view first, then the sign: Glenora Distillery.

I am reminded of the approach to Glenfiddich in

Dufftown, Scotland, driving through the rolling Conval Hills. Glenfiddich's pagodas are equally as arresting, and offer a silent "Welcome".

"We never call it Scotch – it's single malt Canadian whisky" advises tour guide Terry MacDonald, to one of the guests on our tour. Terry continues: "To be called Scotch, it needs to be distilled and aged in Scotland".

Knowing that I am on the tour, Terry asks if I would like to offer additional information. I explain that when the newly-distilled liquid goes from still to

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The Whisky Column, continued from page 14 cask it is crystal clear, and is called "New Make Spirit"

for the first three years of aging. In Scotland it becomes "whisky" or "Scotch" upon its fourth birthday, and continues to age for many more years.

I am fascinated to experience the similarities between Glenora and Glenfiddich as we progress on the tour, starting with the water source. (Water is one of only three ingredients used to make single malt whisky.)

Glenora's water source is MacLellan's Brook adjacent to the distillery.

At Glenfiddich, the underground water source is the Robbie Dhu (pronounced "do") spring, located on a hillside above the distillery.

Water is so important in the whisky-making process that the discovery of the spring determined the location of where William Grant built his Glenfiddich distillery in 1886.



versary of welcoming the public into its distillery – the first distillery to do so.

The people.

Perhaps, above all, it is the passion, experience, and knowledge of the people at the distilleries, both out front and behind the scenes, that make distillery visiting such a wonderful experience. Sampling a wee dram straight from a cask, letting sweet smelling barley trickle through your fingers, knocking on the ends of casks to determine the level of the liquid inside, or tasting a small amount of New Make Spirit (be careful here – it's well over 120-proof!) are just some of the pleasant memories to be made.

Glenora's primary expressions are the 10 year old Glen Breton Rare and the 15 year old Glen Breton Single Barrel. Also offered is a 14 year old cask strength Glen Breton that visitors can bottle themselves



The distinctive pagoda chimneys at Glenora and Glenfiddich.

Barley, another of the three ingredients in single malt whisky (the third is yeast) is trucked to each distillery from commercial malting companies after drying the germinated barley to exact specifications.

The mash tuns (large wooden vats) used at each distillery to mix together grist and water are made from Douglas Fir from the U.S. Pacific Northwest.

Ageing warehouses and bottling facilities are located on-site at both distilleries.

The unmistakable, lovely aroma of maturing whisky, in wooden casks resting on earthen floors has the same effect whether one is at Glenora or Glenfiddich.

Guided tours and stunning landscaping are the hallmarks of most distilleries.

In fact, Glenfiddich is celebrating its 40th Anni-

from a cask at the reception center.

Ironically, on the day I visited Glenora Distillery, the world press announced the launch of Glenfiddich 50 year old single malt. This extraordinarily rare whisky will be offered in the United States at the rate of only six bottles per year, for the next ten years.

Near the end of 2009, Glenfiddich will also release a new 15 year old single malt called Glenfiddich-The Distillery Edition. This whisky will be non-chill filtered and bottled at 51% alcohol by volume (102 proof).

Other Glenfiddich offerings in the United States are 12-, 15-, 18-, 21-, 30-, and 40-year old single malts.

Leaving the Glenora Distillery in a light, misty rain

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Cross-reference was made between Edward MacLysaght's The Surnames of Ireland and the Surname Projects of Family Tree DNA to create this list. Besides names rooted in Ireland, immigrants from England, Wales, Scotland, and Norman French are included as well as the adapted names of the Viking invaders.

If your surname does not appear in the lists below, it may be a variant spelling or it may be a sept name being tested within a large clan. The geographical Ireland Y-DNA and Ireland mtDNA projects will accept any surname with historical links to Ireland whether or not the surname is listed in the project.

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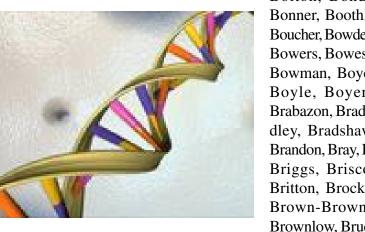
reminds me of similar departures from Glenfiddich. With my memory recharged with the sights, sounds, smells, tastes, and energy of the distillery, I'll never forget the parting words from a friend as we held tight to our rain hats and dodged around streams of water in the parking lot: "Och – it's a great day for makin' whisky!"

More about chill filtration, cask strength, and alcohol by volume in the next article.

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ville, FL 32236-0756.

Writing recipes is often times not as easy as it sounds so please double check all measurements and ingredients. If you care to put a short note about the recipe you may do so at the end of the recipe with "Note."....

Please send them in now! If we could have those family treasures soon, the publisher will have the needed time to work his magic for us.

Our Special Speaker is Mr. Jack Butler from Orlando, Fl. He will give his first lecture at 11 o'clock, entitled, *Territorial Records: An Untapped Resource*. At 2:00 o'clock his 2nd lecture will be *Read All About It! Finding Kin in Early Newspapers*.

Lunch will be served at Noon. Refreshments and birthday cake at 3:00 o'clock.

The event is free but an RSVP is requested. Please do so using our Post Office Box 60756, Jacksonville, Fl., 32236-0756; our website http://jaxgen.home.comcast.net; e-mail: jaxgen@comcast.net, or contact any board member of the society.

SGES invites you to hear Terri Thompson!

Saturday, September 12, 2009, The Southern Genealogist's Exchange Society, Inc. will host guest speaker Mr. Terri Thompson. Mr. Thompson will be speaking regarding 15 families of North Florida, 1783-1821, who received Spanish Land Grants in this area. He has completed extensive research and will reveal portions to us.

We will meet at 10:15 a.m. at the Mandarin Regional Library, 3330 Kori Road, Jacksonville, Florida.

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The "I'm so glad that English is my native language" bit for this time...

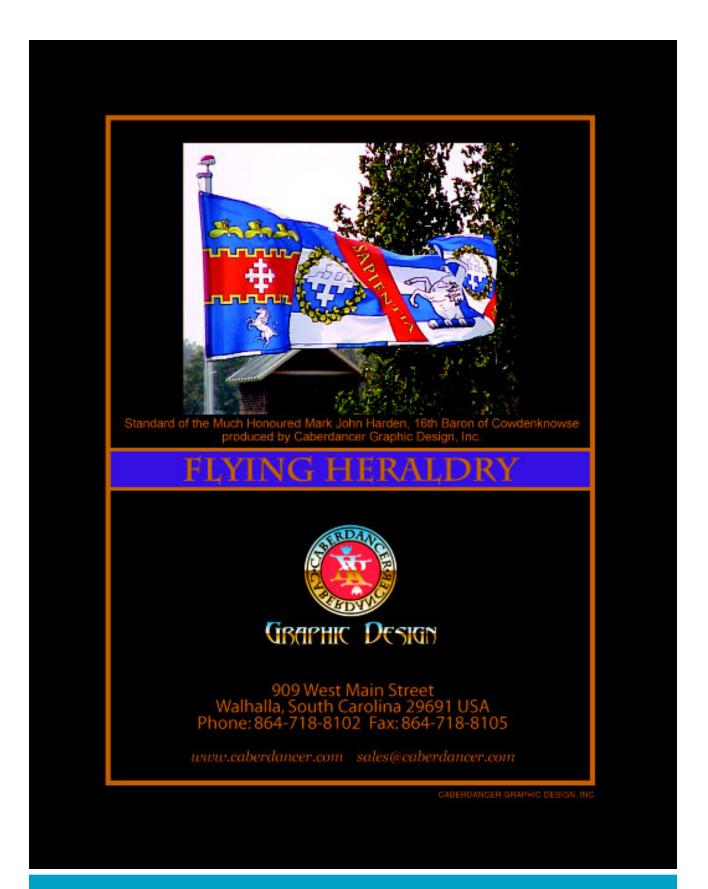
Did you realize that the words <u>race</u> <u>car</u> spelled backward says <u>race</u> <u>car</u>?

Did you ever think about that the word eat is the only word that if you take the 1st letter and move it to the last, it spells it's past tense ate?



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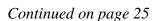
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Harvey, Harwood, Hasson, Hastings, Hasty, Hatch, Hatton/Hatten, Hawes, Hawkins, Hawthorne, Hay, Hayden, Haydon, Hayes, Haynes, Head, Healy, Heath, Heaton, Heffernan, Hempill, Henderson, Hendry, Henly, Henry, Herbert, Heron, Herr, Herrick, Hester, Hewitt, Hickey, Hickman, Hickson/Hixson/ Hixon, Hill, Hilliard/Hillyard, Hinchey, Hinds, Hines, Hodder, Hodges-Hodge, Hogan, Hogg, Holden, Holland, Hollingsworth, Holloway, Holly/Holley, Holmes, Holt, Home or Hume, Hood, Hope, Hopkins, Hosey, Hoskins, Hough, Houghton, Houston & Huston, Howard, Howe-Howes, Howell, Howley, Hudson/ Hutson, Huey, Hughes, Hull, Humphrey, Hunt, Hunter, Hurley, Hurst, Hutchinson, Hutton, Hyde, Ingram, Innis, Ireland, Irons, Irwin/Irvine, Ivory, Jackman, Jackson, Jacob, James, Jamison, Jarvis, Jeffers, Jeffries, Jenkins, Jennings, Johnson, Jolly, Jones, Jordan, Joy-Joye-Jay-Joyce, Keane, Keating, Keenan,



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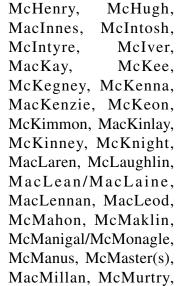
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McCaleb/McCalip, McCall, MacCallum,
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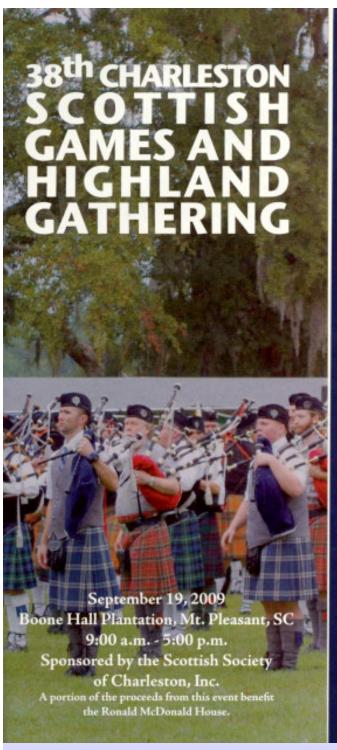
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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

7:00 p.m. - Sponsor and Special Guest Formal Reception at the Holiday Inn, Mt. Pleasant See charlestonscots.org for directions.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

Heavy Scottish Athletic Competitions
Piping and Drumming Competitions
Highland Dancing competition
Scottish Country Dancing
Wrestling
Entertainment
Genealogy and Clan Tents
Border Collie Demonstrations
Children's Games

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

Scottish Merchandise and Food See charlestonscots.org for details.

Kirkin' o' the Tartan - 8:45 & 11:15 First (Scots) Presbyterian Church 54 Meeting St., Charleston



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Flowers of the Forest

Nadja Mae Guyer Hudson of York, S.C., passed peacefully to the next world on Aug. 20, 2009, at the Wayne T. Patrick Hospice House in Rock Hill. She was born in Lima, Ohio and has lived in York since 1967. She is survived by Thomas (Tiff) and Cathy Hudson of Baltimore and their sons, Carl and Brad, and by Guy and Lori Hudson of York and their children, Craig, Casey and Christin.

Nadja Hudson first attended Brenau University in Gainesville, Georgia, where she was a member of Alpha Chi Omega. After marriage, she attended Georgia State University in Atlanta

for a short time. After taking time out to be a stay-athomemom, she returned to college at Winthrop University Rock in Hill, S..C, where she majored in Art and was inducted into

Kappa Phi Academic Honorary. Shortly before completing her senior year, she was given the opportunity to become Art Director for a golf club manufacturer in York. She also developed and marketed her own line of cross stitch designs based on classic Celtic motifs. She was an award-winnig member of the York County Artists' Guide, a member of the York Book Club, was twice elected to the Board of Directors of the Greater York Chamber of Commerce, sat on the Historic Commission, and was a volunteer for many organizations, including the Boy Scouts

of America, the United Way, and Success by Six.

She became a member of Clan Donald USA in 1972, served two terms as Editor of the Clan Donald Southeast newsletter, and was Editor of the national newsletter *By Sea By Land* after the retirement of William Naylor McDonald. She also served a term as South Carolina Commissioner and was elected a Director of the Clan Donald Foundation in 1999.

She was the widow of Father Tom Hudson, former rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd in York, long-time National Chaplain of Clan

Donald USA, and Personal Chaplain to the High Chief. In memory of Father Tom, she restored York's 1944 Mack fire engine.

A memorial service was held Saturday, August 29, 2009, at the Church of

the Good Shepherd in York.

Donations may be made to The Church of the Good Shepherd, P.O. Box 437, York, SC 29745; The Clan Donald Foundation, P.O. Box 240086, Milwaukee, WI 53224; or PATH, 204 Raille St., York, SC 29745.

Her family also wishes to express their deep appreciation for the wonderful care she received from her caregiver, Lisa McBride, Pete McBride and the Wayne T. Patrick Hospice House, P.O. Box 993, Rock Hill, SC 29731.

Bratton Funeral Home in York, S.C served.

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Maybury, Mayo, Mead/Meade/Meed/Mede, Meagher, Meek, Megaw/McGaw, Melican, Melvin, Mercer, Meredith/Merideth, Metcalfe, Middleton, Miles, Miley, Miller, Millett, Milligan, Mills, Minnis, Mitchell, Moffat, Monk, Montague, Montgomery, Moody, Moon-Mooney, Moore, Moran, Morgan, Morris, Morrison, Morrissey, Morrow, Mortimer, Morton/Mourton, Moss, Mountain, Muldowney, Mullen, Mullins, Munro, Murphy, Murray, Murtey/Murty, Myers, Nagle, Nair, Nash, Nason, Naylor, Neal, Neely, Nelson, Nesbitt, Newell, Newman, Newsom(e), Nichols, Nieves, Nix, Nixon, Noble,

Nolan, Norman, Norris, North, Norton, Nugent, Nunn, Nuttall, Odell, Ogan, Ogle, Oliver, Orr, Osborn-Ausburn, Owen, O'Brien, O'Clerigh, O'Conchobhair, O'Dair, O'Donnell, O'Donoghue, O'Dwyer, O'Hara, O'Higgins, O'Leary, O'Mahony, O'Neal. O'Neill. O'Riordan, O'Shea, O'Shields-O'Sheal, Page, Palmer, Park/e/s, Parker,

Parnell, Parsons, Patrick, Patterson, Patton, Paul, Payne, Payton/Peyton, Peacock, Pearson/Pierson, Penny, Pennyfather, Perdue, Perry, Peters, Pettigrew, Pettit, Petty, Phillips, Piatt, Pickens, Pidgeon, Pierce, Piggott/Pigott, Pike, Pinkerton, Piper, Plant, Plummer, Plunkett, Poe, Pollard, Pollock, Pope, Porteous, Porter, Potter, Powell, Power, Pratt, Prescott, Preston, Price/Priest/Pryce, Pringle, Pritchard, Proctor, Purcell, Purdy, Purtill, Queen, Quick, Quinn, Rainey, Raley, Ramsey, Rankin, Raymond, Rea, Ready, Reagan, Reaney, Redmond, Reeves, Reid, Renick, Reynolds, Rice, Richardson, Richey, Richmond, Riddle, Riley, Ring, Rinn, Roark, Robb, Robbins, Roberts, Robertson, Robinson, Robson, Rock, Rogers, Rook, Rooney, Rose, Ross, Rountree, Rowan, Rowe, Rowland, Rowley, Roy, Rudd, Runyan/Runyon, Rush, Russell, Rutherford, Rutledge, Ryan, Ryeland/Ryland, Sage, Salmon, Sands, Sargent, Savage, Savin,

Scofield, Scott, Sealey, Sears, Seery, Sewell, Seymour,

Shanahan, Shannon, Sharp, Shaw, Sheehan, Sheldon,

Shepard, Sheridan, Sherman, Sherwood, Shields, Shire, Shirley, Shiver/Shivers, Short, Sides, Simson, Sinclair, Singleton, Sisk, Slaven, Sloan, Small, Smiley, Smith, Snoddy, Snow, Spain, Sparrow, Spears-Speer, Speed, Spence, Spencer, Spotswood, Sreenan-Shreenan, St. John, Stacy, Stafford, Stanford, Stanley, Stanton, Stapleton, Starkey, Starr, Starrett, Steele, Steen, Stephens, Sterling, Stevenson-Stephenson, Stewart, Stinson, Stocker, Stokes, Stone, Story, Stout, Strachan, Strong, Sullivan, Sutton, Swain, Swann, Sweeney, Sweetman, Swift, Taaffe, Taggart/MacTaggart, Tallent, Talley-Tally, Tanner, Tarpley,

Tate, Taylor, Teague, Teer, Terry, Thomas, Thompson, Thorne/Thorn, Thornton, Tierney, Tighe, Timmons, Tobin, Todd, Toland, Toler, Toole, Torkington, Torrey, Towey, Townsend, Toy/Toye, Tracy, Traylor/Traynor, Troy, Tucker, Tully, Turk, Turnbull/Trimble, Turner, Tynan, Upton, Valentine, Valle, Vance, Vaughan, Vesey, Vickers-Vickery, Vincent, Waddell, Wade, Walker, Wall, Wallace-

Wallis, Waller, Walsh, Ward-Wardle-Warden, Ware, Waring, Wark, Warner, Warren, Washington, Waters, Watkins, Watson, Watts, Wauchope, Webb, Webster, Weir, Weldon, Wells, Wesley, West, Weston, Whelan-O'Faolain, Wharton, Wheeler, White, Whiteside, Whitley, Whitmore, Whitney, Whitten, Wickham, Wiggins, Wilde, Wiley, Wilkinson, Willey, Williams, Williamson, Willis, Wilson, Winkel, Winkles, Winston, Winter-Winters, Wise, Wood, Woodman, Wray, Wright, Wrightson, Yates, York-Yorke, Young.

September 2009 prices for new testers Males: Y-DNA37-\$149 or Y-DNA67-\$239 (straight paternal line) Y-DNA37 + mtDNAPlus-\$269 or Y-DNA67 + mtDNAPlus-\$359 (straight paternal and maternal lines) Females: mtDNA-\$99 or mtDNAPlus-\$149 or mtDNAFullSequence-\$449 (straight maternal line)

To order a test, go to http://www.familytreedna.com/group-Continued on page 29 Garbage in...garbage out...

A story published in a business magazine pointed out some interesting facts.

Computer information is just like a foreign language. It is only good if you can read it.

Pennsylvania State University found that only 14 of some 3000 files in their library could be read because they were based on missing our outdated software. Today, software changes usually allow for old files to transfer to a new version. However, the best idea is to always update your hardware and software. Usually, you can transfer to the next version, but you may not be able to do so if you miss several versions or updates.

Testing from the National Media Laboratory in 1995 estimated that the compact disc format could safely store data for 50 years. Magnetic tape, estimated at 20 years, turned out to be painfully true. NASA lost up to 20% of the 1976 Viking Mission data. Data on the compact disc has turned up missing in as little as five years. Archival quality microfilm is

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join.aspx?Group=SCGS. Or you may phone in an order to Family Tree DNA in Houston, Texas at 713-868.1438. Be sure to order through the SCGS project to get project prices. When your results come in, we automatically join you to your surname project. For questions, contact: Alice Fairhurst, alicefairhurst@gmail.com; Doug Miller, djmill@earthlink.net; or Bonny Cook, cookdna@earthlink.net



estimated to last 200 years and can be seen with a light and a magnifying glass.

Thanks to Desert Diggings Newsletter via Lake Havasu Genealogical Society, Inc., Newsletter, PO Box 953, 1750 N. McCulloch Blvd., Lake Havasu City, AZ 86405.

The best portion of a good man's life is in his little nameless, unremembered acts of kindness and love.

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September 11-13, 2009

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