

## **AAHGS News 2003 Index**

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### **AAHGS**

2002 *AAHGS News* Index: Jan/Feb (9-11).  
2002 Annual Conference Highlights: Jan/Feb (8,16).  
2003 Annual Conference Call for Proposals: Jan/Feb (1,6).  
2003 Annual Conference Highlights: Nov/Dec (9-12).  
AAHGS Accepting Nominations for 2003 Awards: May/Jun (16).  
AAHGS Financial Report: May/Jun (7-10).  
*AAHGS News* 2003 Special Focus Topics: Jan/Feb (1,20).  
AAHGS President's Travels: Carolyn Rowe Across Pennsylvania: Jul/Aug (4).  
AAHGS Producing Souvenir Book for 25th Anniversary Conference: May/Jun (1,24).  
AAHGS Publishes Sluby Book on Slave Data: Mar/Apr (1).  
President's Message: Jan/Feb (3,16); Mar/Apr (3); May/Jun (3); Jul/Aug (3,6); Sep/Oct (3,10); Nov/Dec (3,10).  
Volunteers Needed for Information Technology/Computer Interest Committee: Mar/Apr (2,20).

### **Books**

Brown, Barbara W. and Rose, James M. **Black Roots in Southeastern Connecticut, 1650-1900**: Nov/Dec (14).  
Crooks, Paul. **Ancestors**: Jan/Feb (7).  
Scruggs, Afi-Odelia E. **Claiming Kin: Confront the Story of an African-American Family**: Jan/Feb (7).  
Eichholz, Alice and Rose, James W. **Free Black Heads of Households in the New York State Federal Census, 1790-1830**: Nov/Dec (14,18).  
Gates, Henry Louis. **The Bondwoman's Narrative, by Hannah Crafts, a Fugitive Slave, Recently Escaped from North Carolina**: Jan/Feb (7,12).  
Rose, James M. and Eichholz, Alice. **Black Genesis: A Resource Book for African American Genealogy, 2nd Edition**: Nov/Dec (14).  
Rose, James M. and Brown, Barbara W. **Tapestry: A Living History of the Black Family in Southeastern Connecticut**: Nov/Dec (14).

### **Computer Interests**

Library of Congress Adds Slaves and the Courts: Mar/Apr (7).  
Missouri Slave Lawsuits Online: Mar/Apr (6).  
Missouri Vital Records Online: Mar/Apr (7).  
New York Genealogical & Biographical Society Provides Access to HeritageQuest Online: May/Jun (20).  
Online Slaveholder Database Growing: May/Jun (20).  
Order Washtenaw County, Michigan Vital Resources Online: Mar/Apr (6-7).  
Progency Completes Timeline Files for Each U.S. State: May/Jun (20).  
U.S. Census Maps Online: Mar/Apr (6).  
Wisconsin Genealogical Resources: Mar/Apr (6).  
Wisconsin Name Index: May/Jun (20).

### **Events Calendar**

2003 Federation of Genealogical Societies Conference: Jan/Feb (5); Mar/Apr (5); May/Jun (5); Jul/Aug (5); Sep/Oct (20); Nov/Dec (5).  
2003 National Genealogical Society Conference in the States: Mar/Apr (5).  
2004 Federation of Genealogical Societies Annual Conference Call for Papers: May/Jun (19).  
2004 Federation of Genealogical Societies Conference: Nov/Dec (5).  
2004 GENTECH Conference: Nov/Dec (5).  
2004 National Genealogical Society Conference: Nov/Dec (5).  
2004 National Institute on Genealogical Research: Nov/Dec (5).  
2004 Ohio Genealogical Society Conference: May/Jun (19).  
AAHGS-Pittsburgh Chapter Seminar: Sep/Oct (5).

African American Family Reunion Conference and Expo: Jan/Feb (5).  
African American Genealogical Society of San Antonio: Jan/Feb (5).  
African-American Genealogy Group Workshop Series: Sep/Oct (5,19).  
Afro-American Historical & Genealogical Society Annual Conference: Mar/Apr (5); May/Jun (5); Jul/Aug (5); Sep/Oct (5).  
American Association for State and Local History Annual Meeting: May/Jun (5); Jul/Aug (5).  
Conference on New England Slavery and the Slave Trade: May/Jun (19).  
Dallas Genealogical Society Conference: Jan/Feb (5); Mar/Apr (5).  
Friends of Genealogy Fifth Annual Summit: Jan/Feb (5); Mar/Apr (5).  
Friends of Negro Spirituals General Meeting and Educational Forum: Sep/Oct (19); Nov/Dec (5).  
Indiana Historical Society and Indiana Genealogical Society Family History and Genealogy Conference: May/Jun (5)  
MSR Center for Rural Ministry *Roots of Racism II*: May/Jun (5); Jul/Aug (5).  
National Underground Railroad Family Reunion Festival: Jan/Feb (5); Mar/Apr (5); May/Jun (4).  
New England Slavery and the Slave Trade: Sep/Oct (5); Nov/Dec (5).  
Newberry Library Family History Open House: Sep/Oct (5).  
St. Louis Genealogical Society 33rd Annual Fair: Jan/Feb (5); Mar/Apr (5).  
United States Colored Troops Institute: Sep/Oct (5).

### **Exhibitions**

Daughters of the American Revolution, *Forgotten Patriots: African American and American Indian Service in the Revolutionary War, 1775-1783*: Jan/Feb (5); Mar/Apr (7); May/Jun (19).  
Detroit Great Lakes Museum, *Working the Inland Seas: Stories of African Americans on the Great Lakes*: Jan/Feb (6).  
Detroit Historical Museum, *Land, Lives, Legends: People of the Three Fires*: Jan/Feb (6).  
The National Afro-American Museum exhibition: Jan/Feb (5-6); Mar/Apr (7); May/Jun (19).  
National Archives, *American Originals*: Jan/Feb (6); Mar/Apr (7); May/Jun (24); Jul/Aug (5).  
Smithsonian Institution, *Precious Memories: The Collectors' Passion*: Jan/Feb (6).  
Smithsonian Institution, *Captive Passage: The Transatlantic Slave Trade and the Making of the Americas*: Mar/Apr (5,7).

### **Family Reunions**

Reynolds and Pruitt Family Reunion: May/Jun (5,19).  
Todd, Hancock, Hughes, Mabry, Bellamy Family Reunion: May/Jun (5).

### **General Interest**

African-Americans Lose Their Place as America's Largest Minority Group: Mar/Apr (1).  
"I Have a Dream": Jul/Aug (1).  
National Museum of African-American History Overcomes Barriers: Jul/Aug (1).  
Philadelphia Church Marks Graves of Former Slaves: Nov/Dec (1).  
University of Alabama Creatives Scholarship Fund for Native- or African-American Research: Jan/Feb (11).

### **Member and Chapter News**

Arkansas Chapter Holds Conference: Jan/Feb (4,18).  
Beverly Cathene Mitchell Foster Publishes Book: Sep/Oct (6).  
Central Florida Chapter Participated in 2003 Olustee Re-enactment: May/Jun (6).  
Central Florida Chapter Participates in National Genealogical Conference: Nov/Dec (4).  
Central Maryland Chapter Honored by the United States Colored Troops Institute: Nov/Dec (6).  
Char McCargo Bah Joins Virginia Genealogical Society Board: May/Jun (4).  
Ed Lumpkin's Stories Energize Central Florida Chapter: Mar/Apr (4).  
Former AAHGS President Barbara Walker Remains Active: May/Jun (6).  
Introducing the H-Town Chapter: Sep/Oct (4,6).  
Jean Sampson Scott Greater New York Chapter Publishes Book: May/Jun (4).  
Johnnie Howard Contributes Quilt Square to Exhibition: Mar/Apr (4,20).  
Maggie Price Taylor Actively Shares History and Genealogy: Mar/Apr (4).  
New Jersey Chapter Celebrates Kwanzaa: Mar/Apr (4).  
New Jersey Chapter Sponsors Educational Programs: May/Jun (4,6).  
Obituary for Coy Robbins: Jan/Feb (16).  
Obituary for Cannis Williams Hull: Jan/Feb (16).  
Pittsburgh Chapter Partners to Promote Genealogy: Nov/Dec (4).  
Pittsburgh Chapter Visits Western Reserve Historical Society in Cleveland: Sep/Oct (4).  
R. Boulton Dickenson Publishes Book: Jan/Feb (4,11).

Roland Barksdale-Hall Featured in Documentary: Mar/Apr 20).  
Two Chapters Develop Books: Jan/Feb (4,18).  
William Calbert Appointed to DC Historical Records Board: Jan/Feb (16).

### **Member Contributions**

Campbell, Jacqueline Bryant. *Grandfather Lost, Grandfather Found*: Nov/Dec (16,18).  
Cyr, Colleen. *“Bold, I Will Face the Raving Cannon”*: Sep/Oct (22,24).  
Dabbs, Loretta. *Eva Logan, 1908-1980: An Oral History*: Jul/Aug (7,17).  
Dabbs, Loretta. *Luck of the Draw*: Sep/Oct (20).  
Dabbs, Loretta. *Bible Entries for the Richard Watt Young Family*: Nov/Dec (15,18).  
Ruffin, C. Bernard. *Skeletons in the Closet II*: Jan/Feb (15-16).  
Taylor, Frazine. *Can't Take it With You: Leave It in Print*: Sep/Oct (8-9,24).

### **Non-Member Contributions**

Douglass, Christian. *Role of the Black Church*: Mar/Apr (12,18).  
Ellis, John D. *“The King’s Men” II: Afro-American Soldiers of the Second West India Regiment*: Jul/Aug (14-16).

### **Preservation News**

African American Museum Commission Seeks Feedback: Mar/Apr (8).  
Black Fashion Museum in DC: Mar/Apr (16).  
Lost Malcolm X Documents Saved From Auction Block: Mar/Apr (16).  
National Trust Receives Ford Foundation Grant for African American Historic Places Initiative: Mar/Apr (8).  
Organizations Take on Massive Documentary Project: Mar/Apr (16).  
Philadelphia Uncovers Lies of Early Black Residents: Mar/Apr (8,16).

### **Queries -- Events, Groups, Items**

AAHGS-Pittsburgh Chapter Surname List: Sep/Oct (15-17).  
Families descended from the enslaved people of Woodlands Plantation: Jan/Feb (18).  
Individuals searching for information about slave-owner Boone Howard in Morgan County, Kentucky: Jan/Feb (18).

### **Queries -- Surnames**

Clark (VA): Sep/Oct (17).  
Connor (VA): Sep/Oct (17).  
Crutchfield (VA): Sep/Oct (17).  
Dawson (VA): Sep/Oct (17).  
Keys (VA): Sep/Oct (17).  
Pendleton (VA): Sep/Oct (17).  
Reynolds (VA): Sep/Oct (17).  
Simmons (FL): Jan/Feb (18).  
Winston (VA): Sep/Oct (17).

### **Sources**

1860 Virginia Census Yields Interesting Enumeration: Nov/Dec (8).  
Alabama Adds Four Searchable Databases: Nov/Dec (7).  
Illinois Microfilm of Early French Records Available: Nov/Dec (7).  
Indiana Register of Negroes and Mulattos Available Online: Nov/Dec (7).  
New York City 1910 Census Index Available: Nov/Dec (8).  
Ohio’s Oberlin College Provides Records About African-American Students: Nov/Dec (8).  
Searchable Death Indexes for the United States: Jul/Aug (8).  
Slave Insurance Policy Legislation Cropping Up in Many States: Jul/Aug (8).  
State of Kentucky Adds Online Oral History Index: Nov/Dec (7-8).  
What Is the Soundex?: Sep/Oct (18-19).

### **Special Focus Topics**

Children of Frank Newsome: Mar/Apr (13-15).  
Two Murdering Brothers: The Strange Workings of N.R. and Harry Townsend: Jan/Feb (13-14).  
Kicked by a Mule or Just Crazy: The Case of Milton Otis Hughes, Sr.: Sep/Oct (7,20).  
Making the Connection Between the Hancock and Dunn Families: May/Jun (17-18).

Special Section on Black Memorabilia: May/Jun (1,22).

Special Section on Early African-Americans and Religion: Mar/Apr (1,9-12,18).

Special Section on Latin America, Caribbean: Jul/Aug (1,18,20).

Was Arrye a Creek Indian?: Nov/Dec (13,15).

Was Golden My Uncle? Why Researchers Must Be Correct: Jul/Aug (13).