

A very special thanks to all of you for the things you have done to make this meeting special and fun for all of us. How could we meet without Dee there to greet us, Patricia to register us, several people willing to present a program and Ronny to hold it all together? Indeed, what would the Saturday night dinner be without the door prizes you all help provide. Thanks.

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This is an election year for all officers. Below is a list of the present officers who were last elected in 2000 for a two year term. The year which follows each officer's name is the date that officer was first elected for that particular office.

President ----- Ronny O. Bodine, 1994
Vice-President -----Doris K. Arnold, 2001
Chaplain -----Bro. Thomas W. Spalding, Jr., 1992
Legal Advisor -----William B. Owsley, 1999
Membership Director ----- Paula McGee, 1996
Publications Director ----- Milancie H. Adams, 2000
Publicity Director -----Marticia L. Madory, 1997
Research Director ----- Floyd L. Owsley, 1997
Secretary ----- Sheila Patterson, 1998
Treasurer ----- Cheryl D. Midnight, 2000

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Hope to see you all next year at our
25th OFHS Annual Meeting
2003
in Charlottesville, Virginia

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Program of Events

Owsley Family Historical Society

24th Annual Meeting

June 6-8, 2002
Days Inn Convention Ctr., N. Knoxville
Knoxville, Tennessee

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THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 2002

- 3:00-5:00 p.m. --- Early Registration available ---
3:00-5:00 p.m. -- OFHS Board of Directors Meeting--
3:00-6:00 p.m. ---- Informal gathering of family and
friends in the Hotel Lobby ----

---DINNER ON YOUR OWN WITH FRIENDS---

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FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 2002

- 8:00-9:00 a.m. ---Registration---
9:00-9:15 a.m. OPENING SESSION
----Welcome and announcements----
9:15-10:00 a.m. --OFHS Annual Business Meeting--
---President Ronny O. Bodine---
10:00-10:15 a.m. ---Snack Break---

10:15-10:30 ---"The McClung Museum"--- Steve Cotham
speaks on Owsley information in the McClung Collection.
10:30-10:45 --"Owsley Families in Union County,
Tennessee" -- by Bonnie Haskeill Peters--
10:45-11:00 a.m. ---Floyd Owsley---
Floyd tells the story of his search for Joseph and Phoebe Longmire
Owsley and their new tombstone.
11:00-11:30 a.m. ---"Owsley's Houses"---
by Joan Loope Franks

11:30 LUNCH TOGETHER AT THE HOTEL

1:00 p.m.-- Choose your Option--

- Option A:** Travel by private car to dedication of tombstone of
Joseph and Phoebe Longmire Owsley.
Option B. Research at one of the Knoxville area research
facilities or visit one of area museums.
Option C. Exchange genealogical information while you
visit with family and friends at the hotel.

DINNER ON YOUR OWN

7:30 p.m. --A viewing of the video "The English
Heritage Tour"-- made by Milancie Adams and Alan
Tietjen with Bill Gann and Gary Toms

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Saturday, JUNE 8, 2002

9:00 - 10:00 a.m. --"The Royal Scottish Ancestry of
Dorothea Poyntz" --- Another interesting family story by
Sheila Patterson

10:00-10:15 a.m. --"First Tennesseans"--
Cherel Henderson speaks on the new "First
Tennesseans" Program.

10:15-10:30 ---Snack Break---

10:30-11:00 a.m. --"Owsley's in Writing"--
by Dr. Frank Owsley, Professor emeritus of History at
Auburn University.

11:00 a.m. --"The English Heritage Tour"--
A report by Bill Gann and Gary Toms

LUNCH ON YOUR OWN

1:00-2:00 p.m. ---"The Isaac Owsley Story"---
by Ronny Bodine

2:00-2:15 p.m. ---Snack Break---

2:15-3:00 p.m. ---"Miranda, a Civil War Ghost
Story" --- by Olivia Kane

3:00-4:00 p.m. ---"One of Tennessee's Oldest
Citizens", Jim Claborn---

7:00-9:00p.m. -----DINNER-----

A final gathering of the clan for dinner, music and
fun. Entertainment by Dave Wilburn and Fannie Rhea..