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"Glimpses of Gate"

By Pat Harper, Program Chair

Judith Upton, author of Glimpses of Gate, will be our June speaker. She will tell about finding this project and how she went about researching for her book. This will be very interesting from a local history point of view and might give genealogists some useful ideas about putting their ancestors' lives in the context of their times.

We will also be in the regular meeting room, Building 1, Room 152, at the Thurston county courthouse in June.

My how time has flown! It has been a great year! We accomplished quite a bit this year! We've gained exposure with the planning and promoting of the WSGS Annual Conference! Our membership has grown through the two Beginner's Workshops that were hosted by the Olympia Timberland Library and the conference. We've also had members speaking to other civic groups in the community teaching the basics of genealogy. Great job to those who have come forward to help in our outreach to the community.

As this year wraps up, be thinking of ways that you can help the organization next year. Without you there isn't an organization. You might help by transcribing microfilm at the library, by writing an article for the Quarterly, or perhaps by reading the Exchanges and writing an abbreviated overview. Have a great summer! I'm looking forward to hearing your stories of your summer vacation. Invite a friend to come along to our September meeting!

Kerry McHugh Upton, OGS President

Reminders: The Quarterly Editor will welcome Queries and Pedigrees for the Quarterly, next issue deadline is June 15. **Fran Anderson**

Our June meeting will be the last for this 2005-2006 season. See you all in September.

Coming soon: "Special British links" made available by John Kitzmiller. Check the OGS website at <http://www.rootsweb.com/~waogs/> and click on the link for seminars. On that page, watch for a link to be posted to the "Special British links." **Jerri McCoy**

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June 2006 OGS Calendar

OGS General Meeting	Thursday, June 8, 2006 Program: Judith Upton, author of "Glimpses of Gate"	7:00 p.m.	Thurston County Courthouse Building 1, Room 152
Board Meeting	Tuesday, June 20, 2006	7:00 p.m.	Olympia Timberland Library Meeting Room 313 8 th Avenue, SE, Olympia

July 2006 OGS Calendar

No Meetings

August 2006 OGS Calendar

OGS Board Meeting	Tuesday, August 15, 2006	7:00 p.m.	TBA
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September 2006 OGS Calendar

OGS General Meeting	Thursday, September 14, 2006 Program: TBA	7:00 p.m.	Thurston County Courthouse Building 1, Room 152
Board Meeting	Tuesday, September 19, 2006	7:00 p.m.	TBA

