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Hello fellow family researchers,

Did you come and say hello this week at Genealogy Quest at Willard Library? We’ve had a great time meeting some of you in person and also meet some new friends this week. Many of you have had a wonderful opportunity of learning some new techniques for researching and sharing your family history with others. Tuesday featured Katherine Schober teaching about German research. Wednesday was led by Peggy Clemens Lauritzen who covered topics such as Family Search wiki and Vital Records before state registration. Today we were pleased to hear Lisa Louise Cooke and her four classes on Google Search, Google Earth Pro map collection, interactive family history tour with Google Earth, and Your Ancestors in Newspapers.

I heard many positive and glowing comments about each of these sessions!

In less than a month, we will have our first meeting and program of the 2024-2025 year. October 8, 2024 we will welcome “The Skeleton Whisperer”, Sara Cochran who will speak to us about, Who Needs it Anyway? Getting Around the Missing 1890 Census.

I hope to see all of you there. If you are out of our area, or are unable to attend in person, please email me for the zoom link and handout.

Talk to you soon,

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