

NEBRASKA STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY COLLECTION RECORD

RG5935.AM: Jensen-Petersen-Elkjer Family Association

Papers: 1874-2012, n.d.
Hampton, Hamilton County, Neb.
Size: 1.5 cu.ft.; 2 boxes

BACKGROUND NOTE

Incorporated in Nebraska in 1992, the Jensen-Petersen-Elkjer Family Association's main purpose was to continue research into family genealogy and to accumulate and distribute family history information to its members. Membership was open to descendants of Peder and Lene Jensen who had emigrated from Denmark to Nebraska in 1881. The Association held annual meetings, conducted family research and published newsletters and family history booklets. Due to declining attendance at annual meetings, the decision was made to dissolve the Association in 2011.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

This collection consists of records of the Jensen-Petersen-Elkjer Family Association arranged in two series.

Series 1 consists of the business records of the Association. The series includes articles of incorporation and by-laws, minutes of meetings, correspondence, financial records, newsletters and dissolution documents.

Series 2 contains family genealogical records including blank family forms, newspaper clippings and photographs. The newspaper clippings relate to weddings, anniversaries, deaths and other noteworthy events. Of special interest is the rolled family pedigree chart located in box 2.

See the NSHS Library for publications produced by the Association.

DESCRIPTION

Series 1 - Corporate records, 1992-2012

Box 1

Folder

1. Association Pamphlet, 2003, Jan.
2. Articles of Incorporation, 1993, Sept. 2
3. Revise Articles Meeting, 1993, Sept. 2
4. By-Laws, 1995, June
5. Organizational Meeting, 1992, Sept. 14
6. Board of Directors, 1992-2011
7. Officer Duties, 1996, Nov.-1997, Nov., 2001

8. Dissolution Documents, 2011-2012
9. Annual Meetings, 1993, July 9-2010, June 24
10. Secretary Reports, 1996-1999
11. Legal Records, 1992-2007
12. Financial Statements and Budgets, 1992-2009
13. Payee Reports, 1992, Oct.-2002, Dec.
14. Receipt Books, 1992, Sept. 14-2007, Aug. 6
15. Memos to Directors, 1992-2004
16. Correspondence, 2005-2010
17. List of Members, 2005, 2007
18. Membership Certificates (blank), 2005
19. Newsletter, 1992-2011

Series 2 - Genealogical records

20. Blank Family Forms
21. Minister's Book (Immanuel's Danish Evangelical Lutheran Church), 1874-1917
22. Newspaper Clippings, A-L, 1800s-2000s
23. Newspaper Clippings M-Z, 1800s-2000s
24. Photographs (families and descendants for Hans Elkjer, Jens Petersen and Ole Petersen), 1800s-2000s
25. Photographs (families and descendants for Carl-Petersen-Elkjer), 1800s-2000s
26. Photographs (families and descendants for Karen (Petersen) Sorensen and Marie (Petersen) Hansen, 1800s-2000s
27. Photographs (families and descendants for Karen (Petersen) Sorensen and Marie (Petersen) Hansen, 1800s-2000s
28. Photographs (families and descendants for Niels Petersen and Soren Petersen), 1800s-2000s
29. Contemporary Photographs (JPE Meetings, cousins, various groups), 2000s

Box 2

Item

1. Rolled family pedigree chart

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