

IRGS Membership Meeting

Tuesday, April 8, 2008

Featuring: Philip G. Wright, IRGS Member and Webmaster

Hancock, Adams, the Salmon and the Cow

Abstract: A family historian looks at the events of April 19, 1775, the day of 'the shot heard 'round the world.' We will follow the chronology of the battle of Lexington and Concord, blending in discoveries from the speaker's research into his Wyman family ancestry, exploring the overlap of historical and genealogical research. The talk will conclude with a look at what the Francis Wyman association is doing today to preserve the family's history.

About our speaker:

Philip G. Wright— A software engineer for 30 years, Phil is currently on sabbatical researching his New England and Canadian colonial roots, including 4 lines to the Mayflower, and also earning his Associate in Science-Business and Bachelor of Science-Business Administration degrees from Florida Metropolitan University (both summa cum laude). He is the Newsletter Editor for the Genealogical Society of South Brevard (GSSB), Webmaster for the Indian River Genealogical Society (IRGS) and leads the GSSB's Family Treemaker SIG. He is also a member of the Brevard Chapter, Florida Society, Sons of the American Revolution (FLSSAR), the Francis Wyman Association, the Morse Society, and several regional genealogical and historical societies. Contact Phil via his Web site, www.wright-genealogy.com

IRGS Business Meeting at 9:30 AM, then please join us for genealogy/family history sharing and refreshments before the featured presentation at 10:45 AM.

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