

6 September 2003 at Williamsburg, VA

Mr. William Thresher 45 Windsor Road Shelton, CT 06484-5021

Dear Mr. Thresher;

You have served as Treasurer of the Seeley Genealogical Society for eleven years from 1 October 1992 until 30 September 2003. As Treasurer, you also served as a member of the SGS Board of Directors.

Your service as a Treasurer for the Remington Company and other experience prepared you in a unique way to assume the SGS Treasurer's duties. You were first nominated then elected during the Membership Meeting in Wethersfield, CT in 1992, then again in Salt Lake City, UT in 1995, again in Saint John, NB Canada in 1997, again in Abilene, KS in 1999, and once again in Tacoma, WA in 2001. You completed your 11-year service as Treasurer in Williamsburg, VA and you remain a LIFE Member of our Society. While you were Treasurer you attended each of the six Membership Meetings across the USA at your personal expense.

The Audit Committee during each Membership Meeting determined that your records of receipts and disbursements of SGS funds were expertly maintained. Your annual Treasurer's Report to the Membership was consistently accurate, timely, concise, and easily understood.

You completed an analysis of receipts and disbursements in 2001 that significantly influenced the SGS Board of Director's decision to accept your recommendation and not raise membership dues. So, you completed your 11 years of service with no increase in dues, a significant and commendable accomplishment.

Former SGS Presidents under whom you served join me in thanking you for your wise council during meetings of the SGS Board of directors. On behalf of the Seeley Genealogical Society, it is a pleasure to present you with a certificate commending you for your Outstanding Service.

> James R. Seeley President, Seeley Genealogical Society