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SARPY COUNTY MUSEUM HOSTS PROGRAM ON DORIS ROYAL AND THE WIDOW TAX

Join the Sarpy County Museum on Saturday, December 12th at 2:00 p.m. as Dr. Amy Forss presents “Nebraska Farm Wife, Doris Royal’s Successful Campaign against the Widow Tax”. Forss will discuss the successful campaign of Doris Royal to reform federal inheritance tax laws. Doris Royal started her campaign in 1976 and it was finally concluded in 1982. With the success of this campaign, the government officially acknowledged a woman’s “non-working” labor contribution as added value to farm property. This free event will be held at the Sarpy County Museum, located at 2402 Clay St. in Bellevue, NE.

Dr. Amy Forss is a full-time faculty member at Metro Community College and has been teaching there for over 14 years. She is their history subject coordinator, the history online lead faculty and the co-representative of the Social Sciences department. Dr. Forss is also the author of “Black Print with a White Carnation”.

About the Sarpy County Museum

The Sarpy County Museum, incorporated in 1953, is committed to protecting, preserving and promoting Sarpy County’s rich history. It does this by hosting a variety of free programs, archiving local records and assisting with genealogy research. The museum is generously funded by Sarpy County and continues to rely on donations from members, volunteers and community supporters. The museum is a non-profit 501(c)3 organization. For more information, contact the Sarpy County Museum, 402-292-1880 or museum@sarpycountymuseum.org.

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