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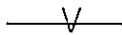
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SEPTEMBER M.A.G.G. MEETING TO BE FIELD TRIP TO MARATHON COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY LIBRARY

The Marshfield Area Genealogy Group meeting on Thursday, 23 September 1993 will be a Field Trip to the Marathon County Historical Society Library, 403 McIndoe, Wausau, Wisconsin, telephone 715-848-6143. McIndoe is about 6 blocks north of the Wausau Center. There will be a car pool leaving from the front of the Marshfield Clinic at 6 p.m. *SHARP!* If you plan to go directly to the Marathon County Historical Society Library, you should be there by 7 p.m.



COMPUTER GENEALOGY INTEREST GROUP of CENTRAL WISCONSIN

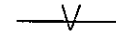
The Computer Genealogy Interest Group of Central Wisconsin will participate in the Wisconsin State Genealogical Society Fall Meeting in Milwaukee on Saturday, 16 October 1993. For more information see page 21.

On Saturday, 6 November 1993, the Computer Genealogy Interest Group of Central Wisconsin will meet at the Area Research Center (ARC) in Stevens Point. There will be a presentation on Using Bulletin Board Systems for Genealogy at 9 a.m. From 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. the Area Research Center (ARC) will be open and available for research. Contact: Lou Hacker at 715-387-6979.

IMMIGRATION PATTERNS PLUS

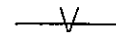
The Marshfield Area Genealogy Group meeting for Thursday, 28 October 1993 will have Rev. Gary Hedding presenting **Immigration Patterns of Various Religious Groups**. He will discuss immigration of a variety of religious groups in addition to the Evangelical Lutheran. He will talk about the development of American traditions along side European religious traditions.

The presentation will be broken down into historical periods. The circuit riders will be discussed in the context of their historical period. The development of small religious colleges to meet the needs of the times and the later merger of these colleges to meet the needs of those times will be contrasted. Come and pick up some hints on religious immigration patterns and where you might look to find information on your relatives.



BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO MEET

A meeting of the M.A.G.G. *full* Board of Directors including committee chairpersons will be held immediately following the October meeting to make plans for the upcoming year. All members are asked to attend.



NEW OFFICERS

See page 14 for a list of board members and chairpersons.

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The bimonthly newsletter of the Marshfield Area Genealogy Group, a non-profit organization created to collect, preserve and disseminate genealogical data found in the Marshfield Area and to promote genealogical research. The purpose of the group is educational. The group is associated with the Wisconsin Genealogical Council.

MEETINGS: The meetings are the fourth Thursday of each month, at 7:00 p.m. in the Marshfield Clinic Conference Room G-620. The November-December meeting is held the first Thursday in December.

SUBSCRIPTIONS: Subscriptions are free with membership [The business year runs from May 1 to April 30]. Individual membership is \$12 per year, and family membership, for those living at the same address, is \$15 per year. Organizational membership fees are the same as for an individual membership. Mid year membership includes all current volume issues.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE CONCERNING "KITH AND KIN"

The contents of our newsletter, *Kith and Kin*, is gathered from a number of sources: through our exchange newsletters, your contributions and from notices and announcements received by the group. While every attempt is made to include only reliable information, you should be aware that notices given in our newsletter are for information only and are not necessarily a recommendation. All trademarks and trade names are the property of their respective holders.

KITH AND KIN ON COMPUTER BULLETIN BOARD SYSTEM

The Marshfield Area Genealogical Group newsletter, *Kith and Kin* is available on the **Twilight Zone** computer bulletin board system (BBS) on a delayed basis. Those with a computer and MODEM may download the files at 715-652-2758. For example, *Kith and Kin* volume 9 may be found in the Genealogy Files area number 490 as a file MAGG_9.ZIP. Any comment or questions should be addressed to the *Kith and Kin* newsletter editor.

UPCOMING GENEALOGICAL MEETINGS

2 OCTOBER 1993

WATERTOWN GENEALOGICAL SEMINAR

The Watertown Genealogical Society is sponsoring an all day seminar, Saturday, 2 October 1993 at St. Mark's Parish Center, 615 Jones St., Watertown. Arlene Eakle will be the featured speaker, talking on Pennsylvania Family Trees, "Arm Chair" Genealogical Research and Finding "Lost" Genealogical Resources. John Marvin will also speak on Czech Roots and Eugen Meier will talk on "Old Lutherans." The fee is \$18.50, lunch included, until 18 September. Then it goes up to \$23.50. For more information contact Elaine Smith, Watertown Genealogical Society, PO BOX 91, WATERTOWN WI 53094, telephone 414-261-0943.

17-18 June 1994

GENE-A-RAMA 1994

Gene-A-Rama 1994 sponsored by Wisconsin Genealogical Council will be held in Appleton, Wisconsin, 17-18 June 1994. Mark your calendar and watch for details.

GET THIS ON YOUR CALENDAR!

4-6 August 1994

IN THE GREAT LAKES CONFERENCE

The Ft. Wayne, In the Great Lakes Conference will be held 4-6 August 1994. The program now consists of over 90 lectures on a variety of super genealogical topics. This program is designed to provide information on subjects of interest to people living in the participating areas. There is a good representation of speakers from Wisconsin, including James L. Hansen, Joy Reisinger, Timothy L. Ericson, LeRoy Boehlke and Nancy Emmert. A number of exhibitors will be present at this conference. There may be a bus going. We will keep you posted.

Ancestors are necessary so that each generation has someone to blame things on.

--Author unknown.

Dear Members,

Hopefully you have finished the outside research you had planned. With the cooler weather, now is the time to organize that material, do inside research in libraries and archives and to attend meetings and seminars. The Madison research trip will be on October 30, 1993. Sign up at the September or October meetings or contact Lou Hacker at 715-387-6979.

A reminder, the upcoming Joint Meeting will be held on September 25, 1993 in Wausau. This proves to be an excellent resource of information as well as an excellent opportunity for you to purchase books, maps, and other research materials. If you have an IBM compatible computer bring one or more disks along to pick up some shareware programs.

The Watertown Genealogical Society is sponsoring an all day seminar, Saturday, October 2, 1993. For more information call Elaine Smith, 414-261-0943.

At the invitation of the Wisconsin State Genealogical Society our Computer Genealogy Interest Group of Central Wisconsin is cooperating in the WSGS fall meeting, Saturday, October 16, 1993 at Milwaukee. The meeting will be devoted to computer genealogy with George Archer.

Please note dates of Gene-A-Rama on 18-19 June 1993 and the Fort Wayne In the Great Lake Conference on 4-6 August 1993 now so you can put the dates on your calendar and plan to go next year.

Good luck in your genealogical research.

Sincerely,

Jane Braun, President

**RESEARCH TRIP TO WISCONSIN STATE
HISTORICAL SOCIETY LIBRARY,
MADISON**

Don't forget your vendacard! Please be advised that photocopies are 50 cents cash and 25 cents with a vendacard. These charges are applicable only to photocopies made from microfilm. Regular "Xerox" copies are 10 cents per page cash and 6 cents per page with a vendacard. If you have a vendacard, bring it; if you don't, you can purchase one at the library for a quarter.

On Saturday, 30 October 1993, the Marshfield Area Genealogy Group will spend a day at the Wisconsin State Historical Society Library at

Madison. A car pool will leave the southwest corner of the Northway Mall parking lot at 6 a.m. sharp and return about 9:30 p.m. The trip down permits discussion of resources available, directions on where to find these resources and individual research tips about the Wisconsin State Historical Society Library.

Again we will plan to stop for supper at Madison's Heritage House. Their smorgasbord is around \$6 plus tip.

The round trip fare will be around \$10. Those persons interested in attending who cannot sign up at the September meeting are asked to sign up by calling Lou Hacker at 715-387-6979.

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MEMBERSHIP CARDS AVAILABLE

Individual members who have not received their membership cards, should contact Lorraine Markee, 406 N CHERRY AVE, MARSHFIELD WI 54449-2226. You may also check with her at one of the M.A.G.G. meetings.

NECROLOGY INDEX CARDS

Anyone who has necrology file cards, whether typed into the computer or not, please get them to Vicki Johnson, 500 S BIRCH AVE, MARSHFIELD WI 54449, telephone 715-389-2085. [Note: corrected phone number.]

THINGS I WISH I KNEW WHEN I WAS GETTING STARTED IN GENEALOGY

This column is intended to include items, articles, comments and quips on topics of interest to all genealogists from beginner to advanced. Please submit your thoughts and comments. Thanks!

A TO Z CHECKLIST OF FACT SOURCES

- A Account books
- B Birth and Baptismal certificates, Bible records, Budget records
- C Cemetery records and gravestone inscriptions, Church records
- D Diplomas, Diaries, Death certificates, Deeds, Divorce records
- E Estate papers, Epitaphs
- F Funeral programs, Family papers, Friends
- G Guardianship records, Gas mileage records
- H Hospital bills, Home movies, Home town historical societies
- I Immigration and naturalization papers
- J Journals
- K Knowledgeable kinfolk
- L Licenses, Ledgers, Libraries
- M Marriage licenses, Military records, Mortgage records
- N Newspaper clippings, Naturalization papers
- O Obituaries, Old letters
- P Passports, photos, photo albums, Parish registers
- Q Querying relatives and hometown chambers of commerce
- R Recordings made by family members
- S Scrapbooks, School records
- T Town officials, Town records
- U University transcripts
- V Voting records, Visits to hometown
- W Wills, Wedding invitations
- X Xerox vital documents
- Y Yearbooks
- Z Zeal-pursue all your facts with it

--submitted by Cheryl Lemanski to Ancestral Diggin's (Lafayette County Genealogical Society, Shullsburg, Wisconsin), (June 1993), p. 9.

DO YOUR AUTOBIOGRAPHY

Your autobiography is a good legacy to leave descendants. Your autobiography is an heirloom to be treasured. Now is the time to start writing. If your parents or grandparents are alive you may wish to write their biography first, but do not forget to write your autobiography.--*adapted from Bulletin (Clallam County Genealogical Society, Port Angeles, Washington), Vol. 12, No. 4 (Winter 1992/93), p. 7.*

FINDING WOMEN'S GRAVES

When looking for the grave of a woman, check the records under both the married and maiden names. Women were buried under their maiden names from time to time. It is also important to remember that she may have remarried if her husband died previously. When a man and women are buried side by side with only one stone, do not assume that they were husband and wife. This assumption will be true most of the time but it is not uncommon for a brother and sister to be buried together. It is always better to secure positive proof rather than by including such assumptions as fact.

--from Golden Roots of the Mother Lode, Fall Quarterly 1992 via CSG Newsletter (Mar/Apr 93) and Pinery Pedigree (Wausau, Wisconsin, Marathon County Genealogical Society), 19 (No.6) (July/August 1993), p. 62.

SWEDISH RESEARCH

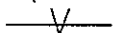
The Swedish Federation of Genealogical Societies will answer any question about Swedish genealogy and give information about professional genealogists. The Federation was formed in 1986 and includes more than 80 of the 120 societies that exist to help in Swedish research. They do read and write in English. Their address is: Sveriges Slapftforskaeforbund, Box 15222 S- 161 15, Broma, Sweden.

--from The Illuminator (Zion Genealogical Society, Zion, Illinois) Vol. 9, No. 4 (1993), p. 11.

ANCESTRY'S REDBOOK

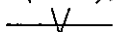
Errata sheets are available **FREE** for owners of the first (1989) edition of *Ancestry's RedBook*. Send your request, name and address on a postcard to: Ancestry, P O BOX 476, SALT LAKE CITY UT 84110.

--from *Rock County Genealogical Society, Jan/Feb 1993 via Pedigree Pointers (Stevens Point Area Genealogical Society, Stevens Point, Wisconsin), XV (Winter 1993), p. 14.*



POLISH GENEALOGICAL GOLD MINE IN DETROIT

A collection of passenger tickets from the Walter Halicki Travel and Insurance Agency in Detroit, Michigan has been donated to the Burton Historical Collection at the Detroit Public Library. Eighty-five percent of the 10,500 loose tickets which contain the full name, and foreign address of the immigrant bear Polish names. The library is currently processing the tickets and other papers as well. They will make this information available to the public in the near future.--from *The Polish American Journal via The Illuminator (Zion Genealogical Society, Zion, Illinois) Vol. 9, No. 1 (1993), p. 6.*



BOOKS ON KNOWN MILITARY DEAD

Thanks to the efforts of Clarence S. Peterson, there is a way to locate servicemen who fell during major military actions undertaken by the U.S.A. Here is a list of some publications which may be helpful to the genealogist:

"Known Military Dead During the American Revolutionary War 1775-1783"

"Known Military Dead During the War of 1812"

"Known Military Dead During the Mexican War 1846-1848"

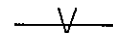
"Known Military Dead During the Spanish-American War & the Philippine Insurrection"

--from *The Illuminator (Zion Genealogical Society, Zion, Illinois) Vol. 9, No. 1 (1993), p. 4.*

WORLD WAR II VETERANS

World War II veterans are being asked to answer some questions about their military history so that it becomes part of the preserved wartime history of the nation. This survey is an 18 page questionnaire. It can be answered as briefly or as thoroughly as desired. For those with World War II veterans in the family, why not write for the forms? Perhaps your interest will encourage them to tell at least some of their story. Do not forget to make a photo copy for your family history. To receive the questionnaire, write to: United States Army Military History Institute, CARLISLE BARRACKS, CARLISLE PA 17013-5008.

--from *Moultrie Co. IL Gen. Soc., August 1992 via Prince George's County Genealogical Society Bulletin, March 1993 and Pedigree Pointers (Stevens Point Area Genealogical Society, Stevens Point, Wisconsin), XV (Spring 1993), p. 22.*

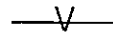


RESEARCHING DUTCH?

Contact the Dutch Family Heritage Society, 2463 Ledgewood DR, WEST JORDAN UT 84084.

Founded in 1987, it publishes a quarterly newsletter.

--from *Newsletter (Chippewa County Genealogical Society, Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin), Vol. 13, No. 3 and 4 (May/June/July 1993), p. 4.*



MARATHON COUNTY MARRIAGE LICENSES

The Marathon County Historical Library has eight volumes of indexes to Marathon County marriage license applications. They are cross referenced by prospective bride and groom with the date of the application. These are indexes to applications---the courthouse has the records of actual marriages. Licenses may have been used in other locations or never used.

--from *Pinery Pedigree (Wausau, Wisconsin, Marathon County Genealogical Society), 19 (No.6) (July/August 1993), p. 65.*

CHANGES AT THE NEWBERRY LIBRARY'S LOCAL & FAMILY HISTORY SECTION

---David T. Thackery, Curator

The Local and Family History Section operates in the Smith Family Genealogy Reference Center on the second floor of the Newberry. The top to bottom renovation of the Library's Cobb Building, completed in 1985, left its operations with an expanded open shelf reference collection and a specialized reference post.

Follow-up changes, however, are required in this area. Thanks to a generous grant from the Allen-Heath Foundation, we are currently in the process of implementing these changes.

A major change is the reclassification of the reference collection. The collection, now divided between two classification systems, will become a single cataloguing sequence. Browsing the collections will become much easier for Library patrons under the new system-books covering the same topics once located in different parts of the reading room now will be shelved together.

As part of the reclassification process, all reference collection books will be included in the Library's on line computer catalogue, making the on line catalogue a more comprehensive and useful reference tool. The projected extension of on line catalogue access to Library patrons in the Genealogy Reference Center on the second floor makes this development even more significant. A new terminal will be installed in the second floor reference area, making it unnecessary for patrons to travel between floors in order to consult it.

Other important changes include the expansion of reference desk counter space, additional shelving for census indexes and increased storage for census microfilm in the area.

The Newberry Library is located at 60 W WALTON ST, CHICAGO IL 60610.

---from *Reporter* (Milwaukee County Genealogical Society, Milwaukee, Wisconsin), 24 (1993), p. 26.

THE CZECHOSLOVAK HERITAGE MUSEUM, LIBRARY & ARCHIVES

The Czechoslovak Heritage Museum, Library and Archives has been in existence since 1974, when the CSA Fraternal Life Association moved into its new offices at 2701 S HARLEM AVE, BERWYN IL 60402-2122. Hours are from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., M-F. Telephone 708-795-5800.

The library contains some of the following holdings: CSA Archives from 1854, rare books which date from 1630, photos of early 1900 Chicago-Czech neighborhoods, a collection of bibles and prayer books dating from 1800, sculptures by Albin Polasek, and special exhibits of Czech, Moravian and Slovak cultures.

---extracted from *Reporter* (Milwaukee County Genealogical Society, Milwaukee, Wisconsin), 24 (1993), p. 9.

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PRISONER OF WAR RECORDS

If one of your ancestors was ever a prisoner of War, you should know that a service exists to help you with the P.O.W.'s records. This service covers any war, even the Civil War. Send a SASE to: Andersonville National Historic Site, ROUTE 1, BOX 85, ANDERSONVILLE GA 31711. You should include the serviceman's name, which war, and any information you may have, such as what unit he was with. You will be billed for copy costs only.

---from *Henry Co. Genealogical Society* via *The Illuminator* (Zion Genealogical Society, Zion, Illinois) Vol. 9, No. 1 (1993), p. 10.

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NEW ZEALAND MARRIAGE RECORDS

New Zealand marriage records after 1855 are available from Beth Colwell, project Coordinator, New Zealand Society of Genealogists, 40 Franklin St, Christ Church 2, New Zealand.

---from *Prairie Pioneer Genealogical Society*, May 1992 via *Pedigree Pointers* (Stevens Point Area Genealogical Society, Stevens Point, Wisconsin), XV (Spring 1993), p. 22.

NEWS POINTERS

The word "newspaper" is derived not from the word "news," but from what was usual in old times, to put at the head of a periodical publication, indicating that the information was derived from the four quarters of the globe. (1874)

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—from *Reporter* (Milwaukee County Genealogical Society, Milwaukee, Wisconsin), 24 (1993), p. 64.

GERMAN POSTAL CODES

On 1 July 1993, all German postal codes changed from four digits to five digits. The letters "W" and "O" are no longer be used because all towns in the reunited Germany are now integrated alphabetically, and new postal codes have been assigned. The 209 larger cities have been subdivided into several delivery zones, each with its own postal code. The exact address is needed to find the correct new postal code. When writing to Germany, it is important to use the correct postal code because many towns have the same name.

This information is from: Genealogy Unlimited, Inc., P O BOX 537, OREM UT 84059-0537, telephone 801-226-8971. They are selling *The Postal Code Book—Alphabetical Order* for \$15 and a *Postal Code Map* for \$7.50 plus \$3.50 postage per order.

TRICKY WAY TO FIGURE BIRTH DATE

Often tombstones will have a notation such as: "Died 15 June 1872, age 77 years, 10 months, 3 days". How do we determine the correct birth date? First of all, make the sequence read days, months, years: thus 15-6-1872 minus 3-10-77. Since the 10th month cannot be subtracted from the sixth, borrow 12 months from the year of death, making the year 1871 and the month 18. (If you have to borrow from the month to make days, borrow 30 days even though the month

might have 31). The equation now looks like: 15-18-1871 minus 3-10-77. Begin the calculations on the right hand side. Therefore, 77 years from 1871 means that the person was born in 1794. Subtracting 10 months from 18 gives you 8 months or August. So the correct date of birth was 12 August 1794.

—from *Rock Co. Gen Soc, Inc., May/June, Vol 16, p. 58 via Ancestral Diggin's* (Lafayette County Genealogical Society, Shullsburg, Wisconsin), (June 1993), p. 3.

[Ed's Note: PAF (Personal Ancestral File) has a Gregorian Date Calculator that calculated the same birth date. It also has small calendars for the corresponding months. It is of interest to note that 12 August 1794 was on a Tuesday and 15 June 1872 was on a Saturday. To get to the PAF calendar from the MAIN MENU select 9. Fact and Fun. From the FACTS AND FUN MENU select 6. Date Calculator and read the instructions.

For those with an IBM Compatible Computer who do not have PAF you may wish to get a copy of GENKIT16 from the Computer Genealogy Interest Group of Central Wisconsin. It gives a different date. Calculations and calculated dates often are incorrect. The bottom line is to use the specific date when you can get it.]

MILWAUKEE COUNTY REGISTER OF DEEDS

Selected records of the Milwaukee County Register of Deeds were microfilmed by the Genealogical Society of Utah and duplicated for the UW-Milwaukee Area Research Center, room 225 of the library. The records filmed are as follows: Index of Births, 1823-1932; Register of Births, 1854-1911; Court Ordered Name Changes, 1871-1977; Index of Deaths, 1872-1916; Register of Deaths, 1852-1912; Index of Marriages, 1830-1918; Register of Marriages, 1838-1911; Grantee Index to Deeds, 1835-1907; Grantor Index to Marriages, 1836-1901 and Index to Lis Pendens.

—from *Reporter* (Milwaukee County Genealogical Society, Milwaukee, Wisconsin), 24 (1993), p. 42.

MICROFILMING YOUR GENEALOGY CORRECTION!

The following is a correction to "Microfilming Your Genealogy," *Kith and Kin* (Marshfield Area Genealogy Group, Marshfield, Wisconsin) 9:6 (Mar-Apr 1993), p. 60. It is taken from a letter, Stephen S. Barthel, Correspondence Unit, The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Family History Library, 35 North West Temple Street, Salt Lake City, Utah 84150 to Marshfield Area Genealogy Group, 6 April 1993.

If you desire to have material microfilmed by the Family History Library, the material must be well organized and indexed. Written permission to microfilm must be given by the author. If the material is to be returned after microfilming, you need to state that, otherwise the material will be assumed to be a gift and will not be returned. We no longer provide a donor copy of the microfilm. At the time of material submission, if you desire a microfilm of your material, we are charging \$9.00. You may purchase up to four microfilms at \$9.00 each, payable to the Family History Department. You may send the material with the written permissions to the following address:

Family History Library
c/o Vickey Monson
Acquisition-Patron Microfilming, 3rd Floor
35 N. West Temple Street
Salt Lake City, UT 84150

If you have any questions, you may want to phone Vickey Monson during business hours at (801) 240-4791.

You may want to consider submitting genealogical information to the Ancestral File from your Personal Ancestral File. The Ancestral File contains a computerized lineage-linked file of genealogies. Patrons at any of our libraries can access the file by typing in a name listed anywhere in the file. This file is most useful to patrons. Perhaps some distant relative has been working on your line. You can check the Ancestral File at a family history center, which more than likely has a Family Search computer. This file is open for anyone to submit to. Please

write to us if you are interested in purchasing the Personal Ancestral File software (\$35), which is used by those submitting to the file.

--from letter, Stephen S. Barthel, Correspondence Unit, The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Family History Library, 35 North West Temple Street, Salt Lake City, Utah 84150 to Marshfield Area Genealogy Group, 6 April 1993. [Thanks to Stephen S. Barthel.]

GENEALOGICAL BOOK STORES IN WISCONSIN

Looking for books on genealogy? Try looking in Wisconsin.

William A Gates, Sr. and Charlotte L. Gates
Gates...to the Past
RT 1 BOX 134
ELKHORN WI 53121-9419
telephone 414-742-4200 b
414-742-2786 h

Please note a change of address for:
Mary Egloff Storbeck
Storbeck's
16525 DANE CT EAST
P O BOX 891
BROOKFIELD WI 53008-0891
telephone 414-783-7616

Please note a new genealogical book store:
Wendy Uncapher
ORIGINS
Genealogy Books and Supplies
4327 MILTON AVE
JANESVILLE WI 53546
telephone 608-757-2777

WIDOWS WORLD WAR I, INC.

Widows World War I, Inc. is preparing a history of their organization and themselves. The group is trying to contact as many of the widows of the war as possible. Widows of World War I or their families are asked to write to Lois P. Tucker, 11519 Cotillion DR, DALLAS TX 75228-1912 or call 214-279-7734.

--from *Genealogical Gems* (Fox Valley Genealogical Society, Appleton, Wisconsin), 11, No. Supplement to 4 (Spring 1993), p. 94.

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* * * CALENDAR OF EVENTS * * *

Thurs. September 23. **Field Trip to Marathon County Historical Society**, Wausau, Wisconsin. Car
7 p.m. pool will leave from in front of the Marshfield Clinic at 6:00 p.m. *SHARP!*

Sat. September 25.....**Joint Meeting. Genealogy Workshop** at NCTC, 1000 W CAMPUS DR,
12:30 p.m.-4:00 p.m. WAUSAU WI. See page 9 of last newsletter for details.

Sat. October 16.....**W.S.G.S. Fall Meeting** at Milwaukee with George Archer.
10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. See page 21. Register by 9 October 1993.

Thurs. October 28.....**Immigration Patterns Plus**. Rev. Gary Hedding will discuss **Immigration**
7 p.m. **Patterns of Various Religious Groups**. He will present immigration of a variety
Marshfield Clinic of religious groups. He will talk about the development of American traditions
Conf. Rm. G-620 along side European religious traditions.

Sat. November 6.....**Computer Genealogy Interest Group of Central Wisconsin on**
9 a.m.-4 p.m. **Using Bulletin Board Systems for Genealogy, & Research Day at the ARC**

Thurs. December 2...The **History of Christmas Carols** will be discussed at the December meeting.
7 p.m. Contact Betty Schuster, program chairperson, if you are willing to research the
Marshfield Clinic historical background of a Christmas carol or other seasonal music. She maybe
Conf. Rm. G-620 reached days at WISCO 715-387-3418 or evenings in Pittsville 715-884-6821.

Please request books from the library one week ahead at 715-387-4044.
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