



Kith and Kin



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PRESIDENTS COLUMN

"Happy New Year to all. May the New Year bring you openings in those brick walls, long sought after connections, records that were lost and many conversations with new found cousins. Hope to see many of you at our meetings this year and am looking forward to seeing you at the Marshfield Cultural Fair again this February 18-19. We had a good time last year, join us."

Ken Wood, President MAGG

UPCOMING EVENTS -

MAGG MEETINGS FOR THE UP COMING YEAR:

January 27, 2005

February 24, 2005

March 24, 2005

April 28, 2005

May 26, 2005

All meetings will be held in the General Meeting Room of the Marshfield Public Library at 7:00 pm.

WEB SITES OF THE MONTH-

Two new Europe-based search engines-UKWizz www.ukwizz.com and Exalead <http://beta.exalead.com/search> may help you expand your family history searches.

THE HOW TO COLUMN-

Here You Can Learn the "German Handwriting"

www.suetterlinschrift.de/Englisch/Sutterlin.htm

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HUMOR IS THE SPICE OF GENEALOGY

Thanks to: Suzanne Lombardo in Connecticut, USA

Sign at the entrance to a graveyard of a small country church in Kent, England:

WATCH YOUR STEP

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Thanks to: Elizabeth Duke in Dunedin, New Zealand, who spotted this one near Naseby, Central Otago, New Zealand:

CEMETERY
NO EXIT

NEWS FROM THE PAST-Submitted by Lorraine Markee
Marshfield News-Herald-page 4 Friday June 3, 1966
1966 List of Marshfield Senior High Graduates-A thru H -will be cont.

Richard Anderson
Myrna Ann Augustine
Donna Mae Baltus
Frances O. Becker
Linda Kay Behrens
Marie E. Beining
Rita Kay Berkholtz
Michael A. Binder
Judith E. Bornback
Terrance W. Bradley
Martin P. Brooks
Joseph W. Burggraf Jr.
Maureen Sue Buttke
Kenneth H. Carp
Grey E. Carter
James F. Cherney Jr.
Corrine S. Clark
Kay F. Cliver
Barbara Ann Cramer
Gary Cummings
Jean A. Dauffenbach
Richard A. Dells
David D. Dix
Victoria J. Dohm
Gloria Duchow
David H. Eckes
Randall Eckes
Lloyd T. Ernst
Linda L. Fenske
James A. Frankwick
Karen Jean Frey
Dan A. Gerke
Donnice L. Glasbrenner
Michael L. Gouze
Loni Grimm
Christine M. Guldan

Lynn Ellen Asplin
Gary W. Baird
Alan R. Bauman
Marliyn J. Behling
Edmund L. Beining
Larry L. Bender
Barbara Lynn Bilek
Mary L. Bohman
Lola Boushon
Bonnie Ann Britten
Dennis W. Bruhn
James N. Bushman
Diane C. Carolfi
Jack A. Carpenter
Thomas P. Chapel
Richard R. Chronquist
Edward W. Cliver
Regina M. Costigan
John Cross
Louise M. Custer
Darlene J. Dee
Sue Detert
James P. Doebereiner
Georgene M. Draeger
Dale C. Eckes
Gloria J. Eckes
June A. Engel
Jeanne M. Faust
Linda E. Flink
Ila Ruth frey
WQilliam J. Fuehbrodt
David R. Gerlach
Karlen R. Glinski
James E. Grall
Sherry Lee Guenther
Gordon O. Hansen

Marshfield News-Herald Page 3- Friday Aug 11, 1939-Submitted by Lorraine Markee

Each child born in Hungary receives an official number, which is entered on all official documents referring to him, from birth certificate onward.

Marshfield News-Herald-page 6- Saturday April 1, 1939-Submitted by Lorraine Markee

James Barret, formerly of Marshfield was found by the court yesterday to be presumed to be dead by reason of absence for seven years preceding Sept. 30, 1935. His wife, Frances Barret, and three children live in Marshfield. John Fordyce, attorney.

Marshfield News-Herald-page 8-Saturday March 25, 1939-Submitted by Lorraine Markee

Deported-Milwaukee-Robert P. Clark, immigration officer here, said Edgar H. Serle, 62, Chippewa Falls, was deported today to England after serving two terms in Waupun State Prison on morals charges.

Marshfield News-Herald-pg. 9- Friday April 7, 1939-Submitted by Lorraine Markee

Become Citizens-Milwaukee-Two Italian World War veterans were among the 89 persons receiving United States Citizenship yesterday from Federal Judge Patrick T. Stone of Wausau. They were Calogero Giaimo, 47, and Giuseppe Giaimo, 50.

Clark County Press -January 11, 1945-submitted by Linda Berres
Deaths of September 1944

Mrs. Augusta Garbisch, 83, town of Grant

Mrs. Frank Bradles, Laona

Nickols Hricah, Camp McCoy

Mrs. Bert Mathews, Merrilan

Harry Comstock, 58, Merillan

Frank Kraut, Curtiss

Herman Portz, 76, town of Longwood

Milburn John Galbreath, 34, town of Washburn

Mary Josephine Stiefvater, 3, Greenwood

Bud LaCaptain, 20, Humbird

Fred M. French, 98, California

Stephen Arch, Gorman

Norman D. Wallis, 39, Greenwood

Herman Schwarze, 94, Greenwood

Ferdinand Dahl, 46, Granton

Victor I. Teach, Withee
William Kurth, 71, town of Grant
Joseph Nenalho, Manitowoc
Andrew Wightman, Hayward
Mrs. Lucille Warner Brown, Thorp
Mrs. Ellis Horswill, 46, Ironwood, Mich.
Mrs. B. L. Van Gorden, Taylor
Harold, H. Gardner, Gary, Ind.
John McCormick, 47, Black River Falls
Brede Mortenson, 67, Taylor
Reuben D. Hulett, 66, Hixton
John A. Cattanach, 71, Nasonville
Willis Dickinson, San Francisco, Cal.
Frank Storek, 75, Neillsville
Truman Gordon, 57, Loyal
Dr. F. E. Sillick, Neillsville
Mrs. Spencer Beede, 75, Monroe County
John K. Szpara, 56, Thorp
Mrs. Emma Hubbard, 86, Thorp
Mrs. Katherine Dobrzynski, 75, Thorp
Robert Larsen, 57, Black River Falls
Mrs. Baltus Berg, 77, Kendall
Alvin S. Wabegay, Black River Falls
George S. Specht, 68, Black River Falls
George A. Breheim, Merrilan
Mrs. Lavina Durkee, 77, Merrilan
Henry L. Christianson, 60, Northfield
Mrs. Robert Gehrt, Milwaukee
John S. Dudra, town of Reseburg

October 1944

Mrs. Anna Kolb, 84, Thorp
Ed J. Anderson, 69, Curtiss
Grace Foote Ayer, Great Falls, Mont.
Nick Klauck, Kiel
Arthur Flint, Oshkosh
Mrs. Grant Winner, 83, Williston, N.D.
Miss Agnes Fristad, 51, town of Mentor
Mrs. Alcie F. Samdahl, Black River Falls

George Frost, 65, Merrilan
Sherman Davis, 76, Merrilan
Adolph Engelstad, 60, Requa
Mrs. Mary Sprester, Black River Falls
Mrs. Clinton Scafa, Black River Falls
Harold H. Gardner, Black River Falls
Frank Pongratz, 78, Warrens
Mrs. Carl Kohnert, 77, Melrose
Albert Brandt, 76, Neillsville
Wheeler, E. Forman, 75, Neillsville
Paul Zieball, 38, Loyal
Alonzo T. Huckstead, 84, town of Grant
Gyda G. Anderson, 82, Longwood
Charles M. Anderson, 82, Longwood
Mrs. Henry Mathison, 71, Greenwood
Aaron White, Black River Falls
Steve G. Hoffman, 34, Marshfield
Clara Osowski, 41, Thorp
Mrs. Mary Persak, Thorp
Mrs. John Janke, 61, Garden Valley
Mrs. Maude Johnson, Glendive, Mont.
Mrs. Ingeborg Ingvarson, 86, Taylor
Mrs. Owen Seekamp, Sparta
Glen F. Casper, 31, Black River Falls
Mrs. Daniel Heath, 21, Black River Falls
Ernest L. McNutt, 72, Warrens
Louie Kleinschmidt, town of Grant
Edward Keefe, 80, Greenwood
Otto Schmitz, 24, Greenwood
Ole J. Myhre, 80, Fairchild
George Mathews, Merrilan
Theron N. White, Schlerville
Samuel Picus, Owen
Edward Gearing, 58, Black River Falls
William A. Specht, 78, Black River Falls
Mrs. Rosalie Tuma, 85, Black River Falls
Robert H. Eich, 55, Beloit
Mrs. Elmer Rosenberger, 63, Alma Center
T. T. Smith, Phoenix, Ariz.
Miss Dorothy Berrum, 18, Chippewa Falls

Mrs. Charles Kampin, 83, Spencer
Mrs. Amelia Oehlke, Neshkora
Mrs. Ed Barton, 66, Glendive, Mont.
Harold Dobson, Black River Falls
Phillip Erickson, 18, Granton
Mrs. Herman Hasz, 57, town of Lynn
John Pfefferkorn, Black River Falls

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OTHER BREAKING NEWS-February 26, 2005 - South St. Paul, Minnesota

7th Annual Genealogy Computing Workshops

Carl Sandburg College, Galesburg, Illinois

Six days of genealogy computing workshops, presented by Michael John Neill, genealogist, author, and lecturer.

Info: call 1-877-236-1862 ext. 5337 and leave detailed message; or email mneill@sandburg.edu.

Dakota County Genealogical Society

130 Third Ave. N, South St. Paul, MN

8 a.m.-Noon

Speaker: Darlene Joyce, CGRS, ad noted lecturer is tentatively scheduled to present a 4-hour workshop stepping us through the process of genealogical research, compilation, analysis and publication. Topics likely will include Digging out Sources; Constructing a Timeline for Ancestors, Compiling Research into A Published Genealogy. A nominal fee will be charged to defray costs.

Info: call 651-451-6260 for directions;
www.geocities.com/Heartland/Flats/9284/index.html.

March 7-12, 2005 - Galesburg, Illinois

March 24, 2005 - South St. Paul, Minnesota

Dakota County Genealogical Society

130 Third Ave. N, South St. Paul, MN

7 p.m.

Speaker: Speaker Mary Bakeman, owner, Park Genealogical Books, and well-known genealogical speaker and publisher will speak on the topic of the Minnesota Sioux Uprising.

Info: call 651-451-6260 for directions;
www.geocities.com/Heartland/Flats/9284/index.html.

April 22-24, 2005 - Wilmington, Ohio

Theme: "Settlers and Builders of Ohio, Discovering Family History Resources and Strategies." The program includes 29 speakers in a total of 61 sessions on a broad array of topics.

Info: write Ohio Genealogical Society, 713 South Main St., Mansfield OH 44907-1644; or www.ogs.org; or phone 419 756-7294; or email ogs@ogs.org.

April 23-24, 2005 - Oconomowoc, Wisconsin

Gene-A-Rama 2004

Wisconsin State Genealogical Society

Featured speaker John Philip Colletta.

Info: www.wsgs.org.

GENEALOGY QUIZ-If you didn't get the answers to last newsletter's quiz here they are---

1. You had 64 great-great-great-great-grandparents.
2. The great-grandchildren of your grand-uncle are your "second cousins once removed . *(Why? Your grand-uncle is sibling of one of your grandparents. One of your parents is first cousin to your grand-uncle's children. You are second cousin to your grand-uncle's grandchildren. Your granduncle's great-grandchildren are a generation later than you, when compared to the first common ancestors -- your great-grandparents/their great-great-grandparents.)*"

3. Your co-worker with the same great-great-grandparents as you is your "third cousin."
4. Unfortunately, color film is not yet permanent. Notice how much the early color photographs have already faded. Some refer to us as "the invisible generation." Photographs of earlier generations are much more stable because they were made on black and white film.
5. Seen in old census records, the term "cooper" means barrel maker
6. There are two possible correct answers. (1) The town may no longer exist, or (2) your ancestor's county may have been sub-divided into more than one county .
7. No -- not unless the 2 sets of siblings are identical twins.
8. Because many Native American tribes had a cultural tradition of oral records , instead of written records.
9. G.A.R. means Grand Army of the Republic , which was a fraternal organization of veterans of the Union Army during the U. S. Civil War. The G.A.R. was active from 1866 to about 1920. Members had to prove that they had served in the Union federal military during the Civil War.
10. D.A.R. stands for " Daughters of the American Revolution ," and S.A.R. stands for " Sons of the American Revolution ." These are people who can document that they descend directly from an American Revolutionary War Soldier.

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