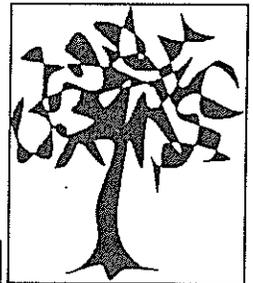


KITH AND KIN

Marshfield Area Genealogy Group
P.O. Box 337, Marshfield, WI 54449



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DECEMBER MEETING-LAST MEETING OF THE CENTURY

Dr. James Weber, Program Director of Genetic Projects of the Marshfield Research Foundation will be presenting a special program on the work he does at our December meeting. His work could be directly related to the "Family Health Trees" that many of us have started. Come and see how and why genetics is important to Family History. Also bring along a dish to pass or a special Christmas food that you would like to share. Meeting starts at 7:00p.m., Room LL-207, Marshfield Clinic.

WISCONSIN DEATH & MARRIAGE INDEXES MORE INFORMATION AVAILABLE

Until recently the state wide death and marriage indexes only included 1959-1967 & 1969-1984. However this summer the Local History & Genealogy area acquired microfiche through 1997. Now the index includes 1959-1967 & 1069-1997. Why will this help? The person you're looking for is not on the Social Security Death Index at all, or there is incomplete information in the Social Security Death Index. This microfiche index should help to clarify some of those questions. Also the LHG still has the pre-1907 Birth, Marriage & Death Indexes, too.

(from Gems of Genealogy, Bay Area Gen. Soc. Newsletter, Nov.-Dec. 1999, Vol. 25, # 5, p. 1.)

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Did you Know... that in addition to the Carlisle Barracks, Pa, two other major sources for Civil War Photos can be checked: The National Archives (Still Picture Branch of the Special Archives), Ph. (202) 501-5455 and The Library of Congress, Prints and Photographs Division. Ph. (202) 707-6395.

(from Suncoast G S and Waukesha Co. Soc., Vol. 7, # 1, Aug. 1999, via Fox Valley Gen. Soc. Newsletter, Vol. 18, #3, Winter 1999, p. 3.)

FAREWELL TO THE CENTRAL WISCONSIN COMPUTER GENEALOGY GROUP

The Central Wisconsin Computer Genealogy Group has just announced the following as of their last meeting:

"Nine (9) people attended the last meeting. No one came forward to serve as President, Vice-Chairman, or Program Chair. Therefore, without officers, CWCGG is dissolved. After the mailing of the newsletter and payment for any other outstanding debts, the remaining funds will be turned over to the Computer Lab at the UW-Stevens Point. At the last meeting, there was approximately \$500 in our treasury."

Pat Kell, who is the newsletter editor for "The Central Connection", the newsletter for the Central Wisconsin Computer Genealogy Group, has also announced that the last newsletter for the group has now also been printed, Volume 6, #4, Fall 1999.

On behalf of the Marshfield Area Genealogy Group, I would like to express my thanks for all of the good programs that were presented at U.W.-Stevens Point and for all the help from Pat Kell, Ruth Steffen, and all the other officers. We will miss you!

KITH AND KIN

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 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 LL-207. 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. Organization membership fees are the same as for an individual membership. Mid year memberships include all current volume issues.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE CONCERNING "KITH & 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.

COMING EVENTS (1999)

Feb. 25-26, 2000 "Genealogy 2000: Resources and Techniques for the New Millennium," a joint venture with sponsorship by the Wisconsin State Genealogical Society and the State Historical Society of Wisconsin Library at the Marriott Madison West Conference Center, Middleton. For more information contact: Genealogy 2000, P.O. Box 260156, Madison, WI 53706-0156.
www.rootsweb.com/~wsgs or www.shsw.wisc.edu/library/>

May 15-21, 2000 The Marathon County Genealogical Society is planning a trip to Salt Lake City for research. The TENTATIVE plans are to go by motorcoach - two days there and back and four days at the Research Library - a total of 8 days. This trip would be planned with the Elderhostel group's assistance, and we would stay at their lodging. A majority of meals would be included. We ESTIMATE the trip to cost between \$500 and \$600 - double occupancy. If anyone is interested contact Mary Lou McCarten, 1325 Torney Ave., Wausau, WI 54403 - Phone (715) 845-2745 - e-mail: mlmccarten@aol.com They need to know as soon as possible as they need 54 people.

July 2-22, 2000 Millenium Conference at the Grand Wayne Center in Ft. Wayne, IN. 90 lectures; many vendors. For info: Curt Witcher, Allen Co. Pub. Libr., Box 2270, Fort Wayne, IN 46801-2270

September 6-9, 2000 FGS Conference, Salt Lake City, Utah.

May 15-18, 2002 The National Genealogical Society Conference in the States will be held at the Midwest Center in Milwaukee! This will be a great opportunity for us to participate in a national event.

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QUERIES

The Kith and Kin will publish queries of 50 words or less without charge for members of the Marshfield Area Genealogy Group. Submit your query on a separate sheet of paper with your name, address, and [phone number]. The Kith and Kin reserves the right to edit queries and assumes no responsibility for their accuracy.

FORM SALES

Just a reminder that as you are updating those family group sheets and pedigree charts, extra forms are available by contacting MAGG's Forms Chairperson: Lucille Zinthefer, at (715) 387-4877.

GENEALOGICAL RECORDS SERVICE

All kinds of genealogy forms are available for downloading at <http://www.genrecords.com/forms/> as well as pages with useful info such as: (1) how to read various Soundexes, (2) list of old names for diseases, (3) list of old names for occupations, (4) list of all the wars the US has been in with dates and locations.

(from *Griva News & Notes*, Vol. XIX, #2, Dec. 1998.)

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ANCESTORS IN CHICAGO

On March 22, 1999, the CHICAGO TRIBUNE began a huge scanning project that will digitize millions of newspaper stories, including the full text and pictures of every front page dating back to 1849. Also being scanned is every obituary that ever ran.

(from *South Suburban Gen. and Hist. Soc.*, June 1999, Vol. 26, # 10, via *Gems of Genealogy*; *Bay Area Gen. Soc. Newsletter*, Nov.-Dec. 1999, Vol. 25, # 5, p. 1.)

MARSHFIELD RESOURCES

Indexes to the Births, Deaths, & Marriages of the Marshfield Times and Marshfield News, 1880-1908, (3-volume set).....\$75.00

Sold Individually: Births.....\$17.50
Deaths.....\$30.00
Marriages.....\$35.00

MAGG Surname Index and Pedigree Charts from 1984-1994.....\$15.00

Surname Index and Pedigree Chart Updates from 1994-1998.....\$4.00**

(in the process of production)

Past issues of Newsletters

-Individually.....\$1.00

-Volume Set (6 Issues).....\$5.00

Order these items from the Marshfield Genealogy Group, P.O. Box 337, Marshfield, WI 54449.

**Available Summer, 1998.

BY WAY OF CANADA

Did your ancestor come into this contry by way of Canada? The Immigration and Naturalization Service has 498 rolls of microfilm of those who entered via the St. Albans, Vermont, district. These records cover all the entry points in Idaho, Michigan, Minnesota, Montana, New York, North Dakota, Vermont and Washington. They are arranged by name soundex, and can be ordered through the Family History Libraries 1) Canadian Border Entries through St. Albans, VT, District, 1895-1924, 400 rolls; 2) Entries into the St. Albans, VT, District through Canadian Pacific and Atlantic Ports, 1924-1952, 98 rolls.

(from *Pipost*, March 1999, p. 50 and *Chippewa Co. WI Gen. Soc.*, Aug.-Sept. 1999, Vol. 19, # 4, via *Fox Valley Gen. Soc. Newsletter*, Vol. 18, #3, Winter 1999, p. 3.)

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THE MARSHFIELD STORY: 1872-1997, PIECING TOGETHER OUR PAST

Cost: \$29.95 (Soft-cover), plus \$5.00 shipping.

Available by contacting the Marshfield History Project, P.O. Box 914, Marshfield, WI 54449.

NEW! NEW! NEW! NEW! NEW! THE HISTORY OF MARSHFIELD - SECOND VOLUME

A brand new volume of Marshfield History and Genealogy is now being put together, with all new stories and pictures. The price for the soft-covered edition is \$34.95 and for the hard-covered edition is \$59.95. Pre-paid orders before September 1, 1999 can subtract \$5.00(soft)/\$10.00(hard) from each book. If books are being shipped, an additional \$5.00 is added for each book ordered. Checks should be made out to: The Marshfield Chamber Foundation and sent to The Marshfield History Project, P.O. Box 914, Marshfield, WI 54449-0914.

RESEARCH TIP FOR SWEDISH RESEARCH

A packet to help Americans of Swedish background find relatives is available from the Swedish postal authorities. For \$20 a short form is filled out on an ancestor and the sender will receive a confirmation of information on the immigrants parents, siblings and children. The sender will not be charged if the information is not sufficient. For packet write: Swedish Council of America, 2600 Park Ave., Minneapolis, MN 55407.

(from Gems of Gen., Bay Area Gen. Soc. Newsletter, Nov.-Dec. 1999, p. 4, via Sequoia Gen. Soc., April 1998 via Winepress, July 1997 via WAGS, Nov. 1997, p. 78.)

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SWEDISH/FINNS

From the *Family Tree* as reprinted in the Stevens Point Area Genealogical Society newsletter *Pedigree Pointers*, June/July 1998, comes the following information about the:

Swedish/Finn Historical Society
6512 23rd Ave., N.W., Room 329
Seattle, WA 98117-5728:

It is the only organization doing work for people descended from the Swedish speaking minority in Finland with connections to genealogical societies in Finland.

(from Gems of Gen., Bay Area Gen. Soc. Newsletter, Nov.-Dec. 1999, p. 4.)

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BOHEMIAN ANCESTORS

If you have ancestors from NE Bohemia, you might be interested in the Northeastern Bohemia Research Project. To get a copy of the new newsletter, NEBLINES, The Voice of the NE Bohemia Research Project, send a SASE to: Kathryn Betlach Dankowski, 727 Appleberry Dr., San Rafael, CA 94903. *(from Family Tree, Aug.-Sept. 1999.)*

ANOTHER MARRIAGE RECORD FOUND IN MICHIGAN

One of our long distance members, Dolores Bussler in Livonia, MI has sent us another record that was located in their Pontiac, MI Library. This one was found in the Detroit Daily Advertiser dated 15 November 1837:

MARRIAGE OF DEWITT C. BANCROFT TO ANNA H. DALLIBLE

MARRIED- In Rome, Oneida Co., N.Y., on Wednesday, the 1st inst. by the Rev. Theodore Spencer, Mr. Dewitt C. Bancroft, of Green Bay, Wisconsin to Miss Anna H. Dallible, of the former place.

[Editor's Note: Just goes to show several things — how small the world really is and you never know where you might find that missing record. Thanks, Dolores!]

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300th BIRTHDAY???

On July 24, 2001 Detroit, Michigan will be celebrating its 300th birthday. Preparations are underway by the Committee known as Detroit 300, chaired by Edsel Ford II. Those interested in more information about Detroit 300 should contact: www.detroit300.org

A search is underway for descendants of original settlers at Detroit. A memorial book is to be printed honoring those first non-Native American people in Detroit.

[Editor's note: Thanks again, Dolores, for all your help and info. Keep up the good work.]

(from Dolores Bussler, one of our long distant members in Livonia, MI.)

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It is possible to be a good historian without being a genealogist. However, it is not possible to be a good genealogist without being a historian.

(from FAMILY TREE, June/July, 1999)

MORTALITY SCHEDULES

When searching, don't overlook the mortality schedules. They are special census records that were compiled by the Census Bureau in 1850, 1860, 1870 and 1880 of people who died in the 12 months preceding the taking of the census. Contained in these schedules is the name, age, marital status, birthplace, occupation, cause of death, and duration of illness of those that died. Most of these schedules are available on microfilm from the National Archives and LDS Family History Centers.

(from Waupaca Area Gen. Soc. News, March 1999, via Taylor Co. Gen. Soc., Sept. 1999.)

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DEAD END RESEARCH TIP

If you are having trouble locating death or cemetery records in the last known locality of your ancestor, check the Register of Deeds Office. Sometimes, people moved before selling their property and when the property was sold, the deed may tell you the ancestor's address at the time of the sale. Also, if an ancestor died intestate and owned land, often the heirs are mentioned in the land sale. Abstract of Title books - a genealogy of a piece of property - may contain records of probate, copies of wills, or administrations.

[Special Note: Many Register of Deeds offices will not do genealogical research by mail.]

(from Kishwaukee Genealogists Newsletter, Rockford, IL, Vol. XIII, Is. 2, Nov.-Dec. 1999, p. 1, via the McHenry Co., IL, "Connection", Vol. XII, #2, Apr.-Jun. 1994, via L.C.S.I.G. S. "Quarterly", Vol. 17, No. 1, 1996, via "The Review" of the DuPage Co., IL Gen. Soc., Is. #134, May 1997.)

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Only a genealogist regards a step backwards as progress.

25 YEARS OF GEMS ON CD

The Bay Area Genealogical Society is considering publication of the last 25 years of GEMS newsletters on compact disk! We are very excited about this opportunity to provide you with a wealth of information. For 25 years, the GEMS newsletters have provided quality genealogical information. Examples include the following:

- Cemetery lists
- New members, the surnames they are researching, and their areas of research
- Tips on organizing your family history
- Research tips
- Information from other Genealogical Societies
- Queries from around the country
- Historical information
- Special events
- Speakers and topics
- Lists of materials for sale

In order to determine if there is enough interest to warrant the up-front work, we are looking for ten pledges to purchase these CDs. The cost will be \$29.95 which includes shipping and handling. The format of these files will be in Adobe Acrobat (PDF files) and the CD will include this free reader program.

Please write to us in e-mail or call us to pledge the purchase of this CD. Our pledge coordinator's e-mail address is:

michaletzn@juno.com

and the telephone number is (920) 494-9286.

(from Gems of Gen., Bay Area Gen. Soc. Newsletter, Nov.-Dec. 1999, p. 3.)

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LIBRARY OF CONGRESS

The Library of Congress will send you a printout of family/genealogy that they have on a particular name. Send a #9 envelop SASE in a #10 envelope. Limit your request to 1 or 2 names. Mail your request to: Library of Congress, Family History Division, Washington, DC 20542.

(from Pedigree Pointer's, Vol. Spring, 1999, #3, via Monroe, Juneau, Jackson Co. Gen. Workshop Newsletter, Aug. 1998, Vol. XIII, #2.)

ARE YOU FRENCH-CANADIAN?

(Credit is here given to the American-French Gene Soc, PO Box 2010, Woonsocket, RI, , 02895 for this list)
 There is an organization of family associations whose members are "original" Quebec families. It was founded in 1983 and represents 140 family groups. If one of your families is listed, you can write to the organization for more information about it.

From: ccgs March 1999
 (aek)

La Fédération des familles-souches Québécoises, Inc
 C.P. 6700
 Sillery, QC G1T 2W2
 Canada

(The title means : The Federation of Root Families from Quebec, Inc.)

Included families are: Albert, Asselin, Auclair, Baillargeon, Barrette, Beaudet, Bolley, Beaulieu, Bégin, Belley, Bérubé, Bois, Boisvert, Bonneau, Boulerice, Bourbeau, Bourgault, Bourg, Boutin, Brisson, Brochu, Brouillard, Campagna, Caron, Cartier, Chalifour/Chalifoux/Chalufour, Champagne, Charbonneau, Charron dit Cabana, Charron/Ducharme, Chartier/Magnier, Cheval dit St. Jacques, Chouinard, Cliche, Cloutier, Corriveau, Demers, Déry, Dion, Dionne, Doré, Doyon, Dubé, Dubois, Duchesneau dit Sansregret, Dumas, Duplain, Durand, Emery-Coderre, Foisy, Fournier, Fréchette, Gagné-Bellavance, Gagnon/Belzile, Gareau, Gautreau, Gourgues/Gourde, Grenon, Grendin, Héroux, Houde/Boucher, Huard, Jean, Kirouac, L'étoile, Lacombe, Laflamme, Lambert, Laporte/St Georges du Monde, Laroche/Rochette, Lavallée, Lavoie, Lebel, Leblond, Leduc, Lehoux, Lemieux, Lemire, Lessard, Letourneau, Levasseur, Lévesque, Loignon, Malenfant, Marchand, Martineau-Saintonge, Mathieu, Mercier, Messier, Michaud, Miville, Moisan, Monast, Morency, Morin, Morissette, Nau, (Le) Normand, Ouellette, Ouimet, Pagé, Paquin, Parent, Parenteau, Pelletier, Pépin, Perron, Pilon, Pinard, Plante, Poulin, Prévost/ Provost, Provencher, Rasset, Raté, Raymond, Richard, Rioux, Robitaille, Rodrigue, Rouleau, Roy, Saindon, Saint-Amand, Saint- Pierre-Dessaint, de Sévigné dit Lafleur, Tanguay, Tardif, Théberge, Thibault, Tifault, Trudel/Trudelle, Vandandaigue-Gadbois, Veillette, Veilleux.

HANSEN'S TEN RULES FOR USING INDEXES

1. An index is only an index. It is not a substitute for the record being indexed.
2. The larger the size of the index, the more easily pertinent listings are overlooked.
3. In a given record, any vowel may at any point be substituted for any other vowel or record.
4. Virtually every pre-WWII record, in whatever form we see it today, originated as an attempt by an individual to put on paper what he or she thought was heard.
5. There is no perfect indexing system.
6. It doesn't matter how you spell your name; it only matters how the indexer spelled it.
7. Just because an index is described as complete or comprehensive, doesn't mean it is complete or comprehensive.
8. If you haven't found it in an index, you can only conclude that you haven't found it in an index. You cannot conclude that it's not in the record.
9. The index isn't always at the back of the book.
10. Sometimes it is best to ignore the index altogether. (From Eastside Gen. Soc. Aug. 1998, from James Hansen, State Historical Society of Wisconsin via *So King News*, March/April 1998.)

(from Kishwaukee Genealogists Newsletter, Rockford, IL, Vol. XII, Is. 4, p. 5, Mar.-Apr. 1999.)

1905 WISCONSIN STATE CENSUS INDEXES

The following counties have been completely indexed in the 1905 Wisconsin State Census and are available on microfilm via interlibrary loan or for purchase. Other counties will be made available in the next few months.

<u>County</u>	<u>No. of Reels</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>No. of Reels</u>
Adams	2	Kewaunee	4
Barron	6	Lafayette	4
Bayfield	3	Langlade	3
Buffalo	4	Lincoln	4
Burnett	2	Manitowoc	7
Calumet	4	Marathon	11
Columbia	6	Marinette	7
Crawford	3	Marquette	2
Dane	14	Monroe	7
Dodge	9	Oconto	5
Door	4	Oneida	2
Douglas	8	Ozaukee	3
Florence	1	Pepin	2
Fond du Lac	10	Polk	4
Forest	1	Price	3
Green	5	Richland	4
Grant	8	Rock	10
Green Lake	3	Rusk	2
Iowa	4	Sauk	6
Iron	1	Sawyer	1
Jackson	3	Shawano	7
Jefferson	7	Taylor	2
Kenosha	6	Vernon	6

ORGANIZATIONS AND AGENCIES FOR FURTHER FOREIGN RESEARCH

Please enclose stamped self-addressed envelope.

African American/
National Archives Trust
NEPS Department 735
PO Box 100793
Atlanta, GA 30384

Belgian National Tourist Office
745 Fifth Avenue
New York, NY 10022

Canadian National Archives
395 Wellington Street
Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0N3 Canada

Czechoslovak Genealogical Society
PO Box 16225
St. Paul, MN 55116

Danish American Heritage Society
Grandview College
1351 Grandview
Des Moines, IA 50316

General Register Office
Smedley hydro
Trafalgar Road
Southport, Merseyside, PR8 2HH, England

Directaur des Archives de France
Archives Nationales
Section Outre-Mer
27 Rue Oudinot
Paris 75007 France

German Information Center
950 Third Avenue
New York, NY 10022

American Historical Society
of Germans from Russia
631 "D" Street
Lincoln, NE 68502-1199

German Research Association
PO Box 11293
San Diego, CA 92111

German Genealogical Society
of America
PO Box 291818
Los Angeles, CA 90029

Germans from Russian
Heritage Society
1008 E. Central Ave.
Bismark, ND 58501

Consulate General of Greece
69 East 79th Street
New York, NY 10021

American Hungarian Society
PO Box 1084
New Brunswick, NJ 08903

American Hungarian Library
and Historical Society
215 East 82nd Street
New York, NY 10028

Irish American Genealogical Society
PO Box 26507
Prescott Valley, AZ 86312

Office of the Chief Herald/
Genealogical Office
State Heraldic Museum
2 Kildare Street
Dublin, Ireland 2

Irish Family Names Society
PO Box 2095
LA Mesa, CA 92041

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Italy/Italian
Militello PO Box 2977
Palos Verdes Peninsula, CA
90274-8977

American Jewish Archives
3101 Clifton Avenue
Cincinnati, OH 45220

Balzekas Museum
of Lithuanian Culture
Genealogy Department
6500 South Pulaski
Chicago, IL 60629

Mexican Tourism
PO Box 8013
Smithtown, NY 10022

Native American
National Archives Trust Fund
NEPS Department 735
PO Box 100793
Atlanta, GA 30384

Consulate General of the Netherlands
303 E. Wacker Dr., Suite 410
Chicago, IL 60601

Norwegian Information Service
825 Third Avenue
New York, NY 10022-7584

The Norwegian Emigration Center
Bergjelandgt. 30
4012 Stavanger, Norway

Norwegian-American
Historical Society
St. Olaf College
Northfield, MN 55067

Genealogical Society
of Poznan Poland
Wonda 27, Plac Gorkow
61-781 Posnan, Polska

Polish Archives St. Mary's College
Orchard Lake, MI 48033

Polish Genealogical Society
984 Milwaukee Avenue
Chicago, IL 60622

American Portuguese Genealogical
and Historical Society
PO Box 644
Taunton, MA 02780

Scottish Record Office
PO Box 36
HM Register House
Edinburgh, EH1 3YY Scotland

Slovenian Genealogical Society
609 Gale Road
Camp Hill, PA 17011

Spanish National Tourist Office
845 N. Michigan, Suite 915-E
Chicago, IL 60611

Swedish American Genealogists
c/o Dr. Nils W. Olsson
PO Box 2186
Winter Park, IL 32709

The House of Emigrants
Utvandrarnas Hus
Box 201 S-35104 Vaxjo, Sweden

Swiss National Tourist Office
608 Fifth Avenue
New York, NY 10020

Turkish Embassy
Office of Tourism and Information
Counselor
821 United Nations Plaza, NY 10017

National Library of Wales
Aberystwyth, Dyfed, Wales
5Y23 3BU

Welsh Society
450 Broadway
Camden, NJ 08103

HISTORY OF MARSHFIELD SCHOOLS

Graduating Seniors as Recorded from the "Marshfield News"

Compiled by Lorraine Markee, MAGG

(continued from the last issue of "Kith and Kin".)

1908- Selma Bartmann, Elsa Beyer, Gertrude Christensen, Fannie Cole, Wayne Deming, Elmer Dickerson, Erwin Draeger, Mary Draeger, Dorothy Drallinger, Alice Ehrhardt, Emma Grade, Rosa Grambech, Luella Jaeskel, Erhardt Kleinheintz, Elmer Krahn, Walter Patterson, Cordelia Randall, Marie Sexton, Henry Shapiro, Lenora Smith, Myron Tack, Ernest Wharfield, Mcabel Winch, Josephine Weigel, Edward Witt, and Hildegard Kleinheinz.

1909- Edwin P. Kohl, Willis J. Tack, C. Emil Broders, Joyce Genevive Hatteberg, Charles M. Pors, Robert Allen, Viola Burr, Alvin R. Couture, Frank David, Ellen Magdalene Dennee, Ella L. Eggebrecht, Charles G. Faber, Katheryne Elaine Gross, Marie D. Gross, Hazel W. Hoffman, Eva Holbrook, Wirt F. Little, Frederic W. Lueck, Peter Miller, Ace Grace Randles, Vera Iona Randles, Elsa M. Ringletaube, Lovella May Rossman, Rueben Uthmeier, and Grace A. Welch.

1910- Karl H. Doege, Glen V. Kraus, Frank W. Noll, Joseph F. Pinion, William E. Pors, Walter Tillotson, Marvel M. Hayden, Sarah Helen Icke, Elsie H. Kalbskopf, Helen M. Mettelka, Edith W. Miller, Ethel Louise Milligan, Iren M. Pflum, Florence Marie Pulling, Genevieve L. Russel, Louise A. Seubert, Ida Jannett Shapiro, Elizabeth R. Walterbach, Bertha E. Warnecke, Louise E. Wegner, Ruth Merle Wesler, and Bertha C. Zmeda.

1911- Herbert bartman, Rose Blum, Winnie Bubolz, Bayard Buckmaster, Mary Coran, James Delmore, Cora Dickerson, Benjamin Draeger, Helen Ebert, Clemens Fleckenstein, Joseph Glassner, Wm. Glassner, Helen Gross, Carolyn Haasl, Porter Hamey, Marie Hansen, James Hayden, Alma Kelly, Marquerite Kraus, Aimee Laemle, Alice Lange, Irene Leonard, Ray McTavish, Arthur Ninneman, Mabel O'Connell, Lora Schroeder, Helen Sexton, Homer Smith, Estelle Tice, Frances Tice, Louise Tice, Columbus Vannedom, Rollie Vollmar, and Iren Wilhelm.

1912- Pearl Glover, Arthur Eberlein, Helen Meckler, Carrie Vannedom, Olive Holch, Wm. Happe, Lena Rottscheit, Edwin Schroeder, Amy Blankenberg, Mary Doll, Alfred Heintz, Gladys Hansen, Merville Masten, Verna Judson, Melvin Kraus, Anna Cole, Anna Eastman, Laura Pflum, Arthur Laemle, Flora Greisinger, George Wahle, Martha Eberlein, Harold Wharfield, Laura Steinicke, Walter Lueck, Esther Lang, Dora Stauber, Joseph Schindler, Olga Olson, Grace Burns, Guy Vanderhoof, Laurella Heintz, Victor Wegner, Alma Bille, Mildred Royce, Axel Haugum, Roy Hupe, Hazel Thiel, William Eggebrecht, Florence Hahn.

1913- Charlotte Anderson, Sadie Anderson, Mairye Arnold, Guy Bodgett, Louise Christensen, Arline Courmoyer, Florence Darms, Wesley Draeger, Edna DuFour, Viola Eckel, Hulda Egger, Melvin Eiche, Paul Eimerman, Dorothy Finney, Charles Haasl, Victor Hartwell, Vivian Hoffinan, John Jadack, Frank Kleinheinz, Genevieve Kraus, Leah Laemie, Oscar Lindow, Aurelia Masloff, Nettie McTAVish, Laurelda Mettelka, Maryrose Mertle, Inez Noll, Angela Pinion, Catherine Rottscheit, Alice Scharmann, Elsa Schmidt, Gertrude Schuette, Eleanor Seidl, Mildred Sexton, Mabel Verhulst, Claire Walker, Edwin Walterbach, Florence Wesler, Theodore Witt, Franklin Wood, Emeron Wright, and Erhard Wright.

1914- George Ballam, Walter Berdan, Leo Berg, Crystal Billings, Winnifred Brickheimer, Zita Brickheimer, Ethel Buckmaster, Alice Burns, John Daul, Albert Delmore, Mary Dick, Mary Drollinger, Roderick Finney,

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TOOL MAKERS AND TOOL USERS IN EARLY MILWAUKEE

by Len Borkowski

Are you searching for a Milwaukee immigrant? Did he have a trade? Perhaps the following article and lists collected and written by Len will help you locate a missing branch of your family tree.

I have 40 boxes of 3x5 cards listing 60,000 names, addresses, and places of work of early Milwaukeeans, who used or made tools. The list ranges from 1847 to 1884, though I hope to continue to 1900. My main source for this compilation was City Directories.

It all started when a fellow tool collector from St. Louis suggested that I make a catalogue of tool users and tool makers from early Milwaukee. Many tools have their owner's name on them. With this information, one could gauge the age of a tool and occupation for which it was used. This would be valuable information for early tool collectors.

I began collecting names in about 1980. My collection contains more than 130 different occupations. Since many immigrants couldn't write or even spell their names, someone recorded each name phonetically. One name was spelt in a variety of ways...and invariably led to the same address in the City Directories. Many workers changed jobs frequently, doing something totally different from what they had done earlier.

If anyone reading this has a City Directory for Milwaukee from 1884 or later, please lend it to me, so that I can continue this project. If you wish to find an ancestor, who was a Milwaukee tool maker or user, please do the following: give the person's name and time period if possible, enclose other pertinent information (business name and address if known or home address), only send 10 names per request, and send a self-addressed stamped envelope to Len Borkowski, 2136 North 73rd Street, Wauwatosa, WI 53213-1813.

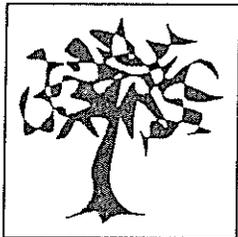
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MEETING DATES:

- Thursday, December 2, 1999..... Dr. James Weber, Program Director of Genetic Projects of the Marshfield Research Foundation will be presenting a special program on the work he does. Also bring along a dish to pass or a special Christmas food that you would like to share. Meeting starts at 7:00 p.m. in Room LL-207, Marshfield Clinic.

- Thursday, January 27, 2000..... Ruth Pors will be sharing her Antique Doll Collection and some information on what makes a doll valuable as well as collectible. She might even throw in some hints on how to care for those heirloom dolls of yours. Meeting starts at 7:00 p.m. in Room LL-207, Marshfield Clinic.

- Thursday, February 24, 2000..... Lorraine Markee is going to scratch the surface on "Reading tombstones and Cemetery Research". Lorraine has indexed the Clark County Cemeteries and researched for family members in many other counties, too. She has loads of information to share with us. Meeting starts at 7:00 p.m. in Room-LL-207, Marshfield Clinic.



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