

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,

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COMING EVENTS (1997)

- October 1-4 Czechoslovak Gen. Soc. International's 6th Gen. Cultural Conference at Radisson South in Bloomington, MN Contact: CGSI, Inc. P.O. Box 16225, St. Paul, MN 55116-0225.
- October 18 The Wisconsin State Genealogical Society will be holding its FALL Seminar at Platteville.
- November 5 "How Lyman Draper Made the State Historical Society Famous" at the State Historical Society Museum, Madison, WI, 12:15-1:00 p.m.

(1998)

- April 25 Dodge/Jefferson Co. Genealogical Society will present a seminar with James W. and Paula Stuart Warren being the speakers for the day. Watch for more details to follow in upcoming newsletters.
- October 23 Wisconsin's Sesquicentennial Family History Conference at the Monona Terrace Convention Center in Madison, WI.

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1801 CENSUS OF NORWAY ON THE INTERNET

One of the most useful web sites for Norwegian research is the Norwegian census of 1801. Placed on the web by the Department of History at the University of Bergen, the 1801 page provides the original census lists with data organized by county, parish, district and farms. The census provides information on everyone living in Norway on February 1, 1801, with the exception of two parishes, Holt and Dypvaag. You will find the 1801 page at <http://www.uib.no/hi/1801page/html>.
(from "The Pipost", Vol. 13, No. 1, June 1997.)

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

September 1997

Dear Members:

The Summer of 1997 will soon be history. Hope all of you have been able to meet all your research goals. I did manage to make one research trip to Calumet and Sheboygan Counties. During that week, I also attended my cousin's 80th birthday party, and so got to see a lot of my cousins, that I haven't seen in years.

On August 9th, some of us from our group went to see the exhibit at Stevens Point, "The Journey to a New Beginning from Poland to Portage County", which was well done and very interesting. It's too bad more from our group weren't able to attend.

I hope some of you watched "Trail of Hope" the story of the Mormon Trail on Channel 20, August 10th. Our September program will be given by Kathleen Englebretson, "Faith in Every Foot Step", a 150th Anniversary presentation of the Exodus of the Mormon from Nauvoo, Illinois to Salt Lake City, Utah.

Hope to see all of you at that meeting.

Lorraine Markee

GERMAN DISTRICT RECORDS

If moving out of a district, one was required to report this information to the local priest, within 5 days, and relay their new address. Missing town persons were "hunted down." If you wished to leave Germany it was necessary to report this fact to the Hamburg police and the local clergy. The Hamburg police issued the permits to board a ship. The permit noted if the emigrant was debt-free and wasn't leaving an abandoned wife behind. Some sailed from Antwerp, Belgium; and the local hotel records are available where the emigrants stayed prior to boarding ships. These hotel registers were turned over to the priests. Also, the Bavarian Archives houses "Guild Records" (i.e., USA labor unions.) The data contained there in are the work records and schedules of the apprentices.

(from "Past Finder", 1:4, May 1994.)

GERMAN RESEARCHERS

The Immigrant Genealogical Society, P.O. Box 7369, Burbank, CA 91510-7369 publishes a newsletter that will be of interest to German researchers. There are many references to German publications, although their library acquisition list also includes Welsh, Irish, and Russian titles. An added flyer lists the searches they will do in their collection of German resources, including CD-ROM phone disks for both the United States and Germany. Their search charges listed range from \$5.00 to \$8.00. Please write to the above address for further information.

(from the Iowa Genealogical Society via Root Diggers via "The Illuminator", Vol. 13, No. 2.)

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(from "Tap Roots, Vol. 1, No. 1, 1994, via "Nuggets" from Paradise, Vol. 10, #12, Dec. 1991 via the Kishwaukee Genealogists, Vol. X, Iss. %, Pg. 4, May/June 1997)

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The 1995 edition of the Official List of Postal Codes for Poland has been published by Poczta Polska. Use of these postal codes in addresses speeds delivery of mail to Poland and can keep your mail from going astray. PGSA has purchased 125 copies of this directory and is offering them for \$10.00 postpaid. To order, send a check or money order, payable to the Polish Genealogical Society, % Stan Schmidt, 106 S. Hill Street, Roseville, IL 60172.

(from the Olmsted Co. Gen. Soc. via "The Illuminator, Zion Gen. Soc., Vol. 13, No. 2, 1997, pg. 15.)

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"Aunts, Uncles and Grandparents become GREATER with each successive generation.....but, Cousins get REMOVED."

(from the Wisconsin State Genealogical Society.)

SANBORN FIRE INSURANCE MAPS

Many people who are researching their American ancestry have found the Sanborn Fire Insurance Maps very helpful, but they do not provide information for information about commercial districts in cities. Usually residential areas were included only if they were one to three blocks from the business districts. Getting help from these maps depends upon the following: Did your ancestor have a store or a company of some kind? Did he live in the city's downtown area? If so, the maps reveal a lot about him. They can pinpoint his place of business or residence almost like a modern aerial map. They will show the exact shape and relative size of the building. They will describe its type of construction: brick, stone, concrete, or wood. Sheds, garages, wells, and number of rooms will be shown. The map will reveal the neighbors and other businesses.

The maps were frequently updated. If your ancestor's home is on the maps, you can learn when the house was built and how it changed through the years, revealing when rooms were added and porches built on. The maps were issued during the years 1882 and 1970. They were usually reissued at least once every five years. These maps can be seen at the State Historical Society at Madison, WI and most of its branches.

(from Walworth Co. Gen. Soc., Aug. 1995 via Kishwaukee Genealogists, Nov/Dec 1995 and Bureau Co. Gen. Soc., Vol 7, No. 6 via Pinery Pedigree, Vol. 23, No. 4, P.g 41, March/April 1997.)

[Editor's note: Maps of the City of Marshfield are available for the years 1884, 1887, 1891, 1898, 1904, 1912, 1925 (with revisions for the years of 1935, 1941, 1945) and 1926 (with revisions for 1960). Maps for 1925 and 1926 and their revisions are available on microfilm, Reel #P86-1819 and #P93-2202.]

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FIRE WARNING FOR ALL GENEALOGISTS!!!

There is a potential firebomb in your house! Fire marshals across the country have already been alerted that between 1889 and the mid 1950's all film contained nitric acid. This means ALL FILM -negatives, slides, home movies. With age, this film will self-combust, especially in attics and basements.

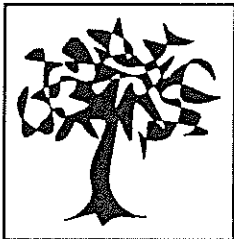
This is a very real danger, but there are some things you can do. You can have each piece of film tested - or test yourself using a special pen from an archival products company. Your best with old film is to have new copies made on modern film. The old film should be destroyed - very carefully because nitric acid fumes are toxic. (from "Family Tree", Oct./Nov. 1996, Vol. 6, No. 5 via North Pines News Quarterly, Vol. 13, No. 2, April, May June, 1997, p. 565.)

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"Of all the affections of man, those which connect him with ancestry are among the most natural and generous. They enlarge the sphere of these interests, multiply his motives to virtue, and give intensity to his sense of duty to generations to come, by the perception of obligation to those that are past." by Josiah Quincy

MEETING DATES:

- Thursday, September 25, 1997..... Kathleen Engelbretson will be giving a historical presentation she has put together for the 150th Anniversary of the Morman Church entitled "A Trail of Tears." Meeting to be held in the Marshfield Clinic, Room L-207, starting at 7:00 p.m.
- Thursday, October 23, 1997..... Ray Hansen will talk on his experiences in publishing his family history book. Meeting to be held in the Marshfield Clinic, Room L-207, starting at 7:00 p.m.
- Thursday, December 4 , 1997..... To be announced.



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