



KITH AND KIN

Marshfield Area Genealogy Group
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OCTOBER MEETING

Our October meeting will be a workshop at the Marshfield Public Library. Whether you want to use census records, naturalization records, newspapers, "Germans to America" or the many other resources including the Internet, it'll be there ready for you to use with plenty of help from the librarians or members if you need it. Make sure you bring along your records, pedigree charts, family group sheets, etc. Be prepared to get some research done or learn how to use a new source you haven't looked in or used before. The date is October 21st, 1999 at 7:00 p.m. in the Marshfield Public Library.

JOIN HEART O' WISCONSIN GENEALOGY BUS TRIP TO MADISON - NOVEMBER 12

The Heart O' Wisconsin Genealogical Society is planning a bus trip to Madison, Friday, November 12th for shopping at East Towne Mall and research at the State Historical Society Library, and you are invited to join us. The bus will stop at Auburndale at 6:00 a.m. to pick up Marshfield area passengers, and at Wisconsin Rapids at 6:30 a.m. The East Towne Mall opens at 10:00 a.m., but there is a McDonald's in the Mall area that is open earlier if you wish to have breakfast and wait for the mall to open. If one of the department stores is having a sale event, they may open before 10. After supper at Old Country Buffet, we will return to Auburndale about 9:00 p.m.

The cost will be approximately \$21/person for the bus trip, plus supper at your expense, and may be less if more than 25 people sign up. We hope you will join us and will bring a friend!

Contact Mary Peters at 1 (715) 569-4148 (Vesper) or mpeters@tznet.com to sign up by November 2nd. You can also mail a deposit of \$5 payable to Mary Peters, 4718 Ruesch Road, Vesper, WI 54489 to hold your spot on the bus. (If the bus trip is cancelled or you call Mary to cancel your reservation, the check can be returned.)

ANNUAL JOINT GENEALOGICAL MEETING OCTOBER 16, 1999

"Discover Your Heritage" will be the theme of the Joint Meeting of the Central Wisconsin Genealogical Societies October 16th, 1999. It will be at the United Methodist Church, 441 Garfield Street, Wisconsin Rapids, WI.

The main speaker will be Adeline Sopa, speaking on "Getting the Most Out of Passenger Lists" and "Crossing the Bridge From the U.S. to Poland." Douglas Henderson, Professor at the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point, will be speaking on "Public Records and Adoption: How the Wisconsin System Works, or Not." In 1994, he was State President of Adoption Information and Direction, Inc. Pam Walker, Curator at the South Wood County Historical Society, will be speaking on "Grandmother's Scrapbook: Preserving Family Treasures."

Pre-registration will be \$12 per person, after October 1 registration will be \$15. Lunch is included and will be furnished by the ladies of the church and will include barbecue and ham sandwiches, veggies for a green salad, bars for dessert and beverage. Contact: Heart O' Wisconsin Genealogical Society, Jan Castell, Treasurer, 3420 Griffith Ave., Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54404

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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 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"

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COMING EVENTS (1999)

- October 16** Joint Genealogical Meeting of Central Wisconsin. Sponsored by Heart 'O Wisconsin Genealogical Society at United Methodist Church of Wisconsin Rapids, 441 Garfield St., Wisconsin Rapids, WI.
- October 16** Ancestor's Day Celebration, sponsored by Langlade County Genealogical Society. Contact Lois Kakes, (715) 623-6348, lkakes@newnorth.net
- October 22-24** Biennial Plattdeutsch Konferenz, hosted by Pommerscher Verein Central Wisconsin at Holiday Inn by Cedar Creek Mall, Wausau, WI. Topics will include the use of "Low German" as a language in the past, present & future." Phone 715-359-5189.
- October 30** WSGS Fall Seminar at the Country Inn Hotel & Conf. Ctr., 2810 Gulf Rd., Waukesha, WI. Speaker is Sawne Slater-Putt, CG. For info Contact: Rollie Littlewood, 5109 Coney Weston PL., Madison, WI 53711, phone 608-273-0211

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/

April or May, 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 Elder-hostel 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.

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.

HALLOWEEN HINTS FOR THE GENEALOGIST

BLACK LIGHT MAGIC

Genealogists who have experienced reading an original document written in faded ink can make use of "Black Light" as they use a microfilm reader. "Black Light" makes the remaining ink in the paper stand out.

A remedy for reading faded microfilm is to put a sheet of colored paper on the reader where the image is displayed. Sometimes light blue paper will help, other times a yellow paper is needed. Include colored papers for this purpose in your own research materials.

You will then be able to decipher that faded ink problem. The letters will stand out more easily and form words. These colored papers will become a favorite "research tool". Black light magic— what a great technique!

(from The Sequoia Gen. Soc., Inc. Newsletter, Vol. 25, #5, July, 1999.)

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.

MAGIC POTION CAN PRESERVE OLD NEWSPAPERS

Mix 1 quart of club soda with 2 tablespoons of milk of magnesia. A key is to put the solution in the fridge for wight hours before using it.

Use a shallow pan that's large enough to hold the clippings. Put only one clipping at a time and let it soak for an hour.

Remove carefully and place it between several layers of white paper towels (to remove moisture). Be sure to let it dry on a clean, flat surface. That's all there's to it!

(from a recent "Hints from Heloise" column.)

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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! 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.**

NEW MEMBERS

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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.

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My g-g-grandfather was Frank Wunsch, born 1835 in Oberdorf, Germany. His first wife was Teresa Spitze, my g-g-grandmother. Looking for any information on descendants of Frank Wunsch. (Contact Linda T. Lower, 31821 East Nine Dr., Laguna Niguel, CA 92677.)

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WHY IS IT?

You finally find your ancestor's obituary in an old newspaper and all it says is "Died last week"?

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You finally get a day off from work to travel to a courthouse - and when you get there it's closed for emergency plumbing repairs?

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The information you desperately need could be found only in the 1890 census?

SURNAMES

²³⁶ HART, MORRISON, MERCER, MANLEY, INGL, & BEAUCHAINE.
(Contact Marlys E. Steckler, 630 13th Street, S., Wisconsin Rapids, WI 54494.)

²²⁹ LOWER, WUNSCH, COWDEN, ALLEN, McFEE, HILLS, MORRISON, COLAW, ARMER, SCHUTZ, BEAMAN, McCULLOUGH, HART, HITTER, FEHLING & HALTERMAN.
(Contact Linda T. Lower, 31821 East Nine Drive, Laguna Niguel, CA 92677.)

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MARRIAGE RECORD FOUND

One of our long distance members, Dolores Bussler in Livonia, MI sent us the following record that was located in their Pontiac, MI Library:

(Listed under "Oakland Co. Marriage Returns, 1836-1884")

GOODHUE, Josiah, 28 of Whitewater, Wisconsin, to Sarah B. CHIPMAN, 21, of Avon, at Pontiac, 6 Oct. 1858, by Wm. Mahen, Minister, M.E. Church, Pontiac. Wit: Harris and Eliza E. Newton.

[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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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.

UMLAUTS

You can type umlauts on a IBM compatible computer by doing the following: Turn on the "Num Lock", then hold down the "Alt" key and use the number key pads.

ü = alt + 129

Û = alt + 154

ä = alt + 132

Ä = alt + 142

ö = alt + 148

Ö = alt + 153

ß = alt + 225 (for the German double "S".)

Now if you would like to pronounce those letters, this is one explanation:

Ü : Form your mouth like for O, hold your tongue flat, mid to upper mouth and try to say E.

Ö : Same mouth and tongue position, but try saying a AY. (This one is hard to describe.)

Ä : Mouth more naturally relaxed, tongue lower and flat, say EH or long A.

The tongue position should warp the vowel into an umlaut. (the word umlaut means a changed sound.) The higher the tongue, the lighter the sound. U is highest, then O, and A the lowest.

If this doesn't tangle your tongue, nothing will.
(from: *The Taylor County Genealogical Society Newsletter*, Vol. 4, Is. 1, June 1999, p. 2.)

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Wilbur: "I have to borrow this picture of you and Dad. Okay, Mom? I'll need this picture of Grandma and Grandpa, too. Could I borrow some tracing paper?"

Mom: "Just what at you doing, Wilbur?"

Wilbur: "Tracing my ancestry."

(from "*The Sunny Side of Genealogy*", by Fonda D. Baselt.)

STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF WISCONSIN

Did you know that the State Historical Society of Wisconsin provides reference and information service by mail and telephone. Write to : James Danky, Newspapers & Periodicals, 816 State St., Madison, WI 53706 or call 1-608-265-6598.

(from *Waukesha Co. Gen. Soc.*, Vol. 9, No. 2, Jan. 1999 via *F.V.G.S.*, Vol. 18, #1, Summer 1999, p.3.)

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MADCAT, the online catalog of the University of Wisconsin-Madison Libraries, which includes the Historical Library, has just undergone a major revision. The command line (telnet) version is still available for those without access to the internet, but the Windows version looks a lot different. More rapid update of new acquisitions; access to your check-outs, recalls, and due dates; and the ability to renew and recall items while online are some of the features of the new system.

Some of the new capabilities are tied in to the new automated circulation system that is also being implemented, thanks to a very significant gift of a Milwaukee genealogist.

The new system is much better seen than described. Check it out at the Library Web site,
<http://www.shsw.wisc.edu/library/index.html>
(from *W.S.G.S. Chapter Chatter*, Vol. 13, # 2, Summer 1999, p.2.)

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WISCONSIN STATE GENEALOGY SOCIETY

Cemetery listings in progress on our Web Site is a new feature prepared by Dawn Knauff. The cemetery inscriptions that have been in the WSGS Newsletter, Vol. 46, #1, June 1999

www.rootsweb.com/~wsgs/cemetery.htm

(from *Fox Valley Gen. Soc. "Gen Gems"*, Vol. 18, #2, Fall 1999, p.5.)

INTERNET NEWSLETTERS

The following are excerpts from an article by the same name in "The Central Connection", the newsletter of the Central Wisconsin Computer Genealogy Group, Vol. 6, #3, Summer 1999, p.2-3.

The article listed some of the different internet newsletters that are available and what information that they might have that would be of benefit to the genealogist. Thanks, Pat Kell!

The first is *Eastman's Online Genealogy Newsletter*. This is a weekly collection of news and notes about the world of genealogy. It contains reviews of software, notes of events, and many web sites. The subscription is free; check www.ancestry.com/columns/eastman/index.htm

Some of the recent items were:

- ♦ Article in 12 July 1999 *Newsweek Magazine* about preservation of documents.
- ♦ French-Canadian Genealogy Books Online
- ♦ Update to Ultimate Family Tree Deluxe 3.0
- ♦ PAF version 4.0 for Windows
- ♦ Chicago Tribune Archives Being Scanned. To read entire press release: www.ptfs.com/trib_press.html

Some of the many websites listed were:

- ♦ www.pastconnect.com This site deals with lost and found items.
- ♦ www.bt.com/phonenetuk UK phone listings.
- ♦ www.goldenpages.ie Irish telephone listings.
- ♦ www.ancestry.com Site for everything but now also Canadian telephone listings.

- ♦ <http://family-reunion.com> This is a Mister Spiffy-Family Reunion Doctor. If doing a reunion, definitely check this site.
- ♦ <http://mapping.usgs.gov/www.gnis> US Geographics Names Information System.
- ♦ <http://www-na.is.ccm.emr.ca/cgn.db>. Canadian Geographical Names Database.
- ♦ http://shiva.pub.getty.edu/tgn_browser/ The International Getty Theasaurus of Geographic Names.
- ♦ www.ordsvy.gov.uk/getamap/index.html or www.multimap.com/os/ UK online maps.
- ♦ <http://kaos.erin.gov.au/database/MAN200R.html> Australia.
- ♦ www.linz.govt.nz/databases/geographic/index.html New Zealand.

These six online gazetteers will be helpful for find latitudes and longitudes for locating cemeteries, towns, courthouses, ancestor's property, etc.

- ♦ www.germanmigration.com The German Migration Resource Center.
- ♦ www.genealogyportal.com This is a starting place to sites relating to genealogy.
- ♦ www.familysearch.org/ This is the LDS site that has now lifted the time limit restriction.
- ♦ www.FamilyHistory.com This is the free web site of Ancestry.
- ♦ www.gengateway.com/surnames/surnames.html Genealogy guide to surname homepages.

Another newsletter that Pat Kell of Wausau receives is: RootsWeb from www.rootsweb.com She has been lucky to have found two new relatives this summer. Thanks again, Pat!!!!

NGS ONLINE COURSE

The National Genealogical Society (NGS) is now offering a six-lesson course for beginners. The first lesson is free of charge; tuition for future lessons is \$60 for members and \$75 for nonmembers. Those who successfully complete the course will receive a \$25 discount coupon toward the home study course. Access the NGS site at:

www.ngsgenealogy.org

(from CWCGG, Vol. 6, #3, Summer 1999, p.3.)

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NEW LOCATION OF ELCA ARCHIVES

Long time member Martin Johnson informs us the the archives of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of America are now located at: 321 Bonnie Lane, Elk Grove Village, IL 60067. Phone: (847) 690-9410. E-mail: archives@elca.org.

Directions from O'Hare Airport and ELCA Headquarters: take I-90 Northwest Tollway towards Rockford. Exit of Elmhurst Rd (south). Turn right (west) onto Landmeir. Turn right (north) onto Bonnie Lane.

(from Dodge/Jefferson Co. Gen. Soc., Inc., Watertown, WI, Vol. 14, #3, August, 1999, p.14.)

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CIVIL WAR RELATIVES?

Did you know that Wisconsin is the only state to have Civil War records computerized? For a fee, beautiful printouts of your Civil War ancestor may be obtained by contacting Mark D. VanElls, Archivist, of the Veterans Museum. Location is at 30 W. Mifflin St., Madison, WI 53703. (Don't forget to send sase and a thank you when making a request for details.)

(from Waukesha Co. Gen. Soc., Vol. 7, #2, Jan. 1997 via Fox Valley Gen. Soc., "Genealogical Gems", Vol. 18, #2, Fall 1999, p.5.)

RELATIVES MISSING IN MILWAUKEE CO. 1889-1902

Search the Poor List, 1898- 1901-1902 which were recorded by the Superintendent of the Poor. The lists generally include name and address. Both women and men are listed along with names of all dependents. (The list included all of Milwaukee County, not just the city.) The records are located at the Milwaukee County Historical Society at 910 N. Old World Third St. in Milwaukee, WI on second floor. Closed during lunch and a fee to use library. Parking on 4th and Highland St.

(from Waukesha Co. Gen. Soc., Vol. 7, #2, Jan 1999 via Fox Valley Gen. Soc., "Genealogical Gems", Vol. 18, #2, Fall 1999, p.5.)

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FOR SALE! EARLY MARATHON COUNTY, WI NEWSPAPER INDEX

Our Newspaper index is back from the printers and read for sale. It covers the following:

- ♦ Wisconsin River Pilot: July 6, 1867 - May 13, 1871 (deaths only.)
- ♦ Torch of Liberty: August 9, 1877 - April 25, 1895 (births, marriages and deaths.)
- ♦ Wausau Daily Record-Herald: December 2, 1907 - December 13, 1909 (deaths only.)

This is a alphabetic index by surname, both husband and wife are indexed when known for a total of 134 indexed pages. It also has a list of Marathon County and Neighboring Community Newspapers, publication dates and where the microfilm is located. The cost of this index is \$15.00. It can be obtained by ordering from Marathon County Genealogical Society, P.O. Box 1512, Wausau, WI 54402-1512. Checks can be made payable to MCGS or Marathon County Genealogical Society. *(from Pinery Pedigree, Marathon Co. Gen. Soc., Vol. 25, #6, July/Aug. 1999, p. 61.)*

THE SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM FOR WWI

Under the direction of the Office of the Provost Marshal General, the Selective Service System was authorized by an act of May 18, 1917, to register and induct men into military service. Much of the management of the draft was left to the States, where local draft boards were established on the basis of 1 for every 30,000 people.

The records contained in the SE Regional Office of the National Archives in Atlanta, GA include:

Records of local boards of all states, Alaska, the District of Columbia, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico. The records document the three draft registrations during World War I, declared for the U.S. in April 1917:

- ♦ **June 5, 1917:** for all men ages 21-31;
- ♦ **June 5, 1918:** for all men who reached age 21 since June 5, 1917;
- ♦ **September 1, 1918:** for all men between 18 and 45.

Men who enlisted to serve at that time, or who had been previously serving in armies of Britain, Canada, and other countries, would not have a U.S. draft registration record. Generally draft boards were established by a county and were composed of the sheriff, county clerk, and county health officer. For cities over 30,000, a board was created for multiple of 30,000.

These records consist of the 24 million draft cards for the U.S. and its major territories, arranged by draft board and thereunder alphabetically by surname and thereunder by the first name of draft registrant. The draft cards contain the following information: name; home address; age at registration; date of birth (not on September 1918 cards); race; if naturalized, the country of birth; the present occupation; name of employer; marital status (not on all registrations); prior military service; basis for draft exemption, if claimed; height; type of build; color of eyes; color of hair; physical disabilities, if any; scars, if any; date of registration; signature of registrar; and number/name of the draft board. Also shown are the order number and serial (or red ink) number assigned to each registrant, the coded index key number assigned to each draft board, and the address of the board.

To obtain a World War I Draft Registration Card, the National Archives needs the full name of the registrant; complete home address or other specific information including birth date & registration). The cities which require a street address or other specific information including birth date & birthplace, name of wife or nearest relative are: Los Angeles and San Francisco, CA; Washington, DC; Atlanta, GA; Chicago, IL; Indianapolis, IN; Louisville, KY; New Orleans, LA; Baltimore, MD; Boston, MA; Minneapolis and St. Paul, MN; Kansas City and St. Louis, MO; Jersey City and Newark, NJ; Albany, Buffalo, New York, and Syracuse, NY; Cincinnati and Cleveland, OH; Luzerne County, Philadelphia and Pittsburgh, PA; Providence, RI; Seattle, WA; and Milwaukee, WI.

Send your request along with a \$10.00 check or money order payable to National Archives Trust Fund to: National Archive and Records Administration, Southeast Region, 1557 St. Joseph Avenue, East Point, GA 30344-2593.

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[Http://gopher.nara.gov:70/0/inform/guide/100s/rg163.txt](http://gopher.nara.gov:70/0/inform/guide/100s/rg163.txt)

This information is also available through the LDS Church in Salt Lake City, Utah.

(from "The Illuminator", Zion Gen. Soc., Lake County, IL, Vol. 15, #2, May 1999, p.11.)

HISTORY OF MARSHFIELD SCHOOLS

Compiled by Lorraine Markee, MAGG

1875- Only one child of school age in Marshfield. She didn't go to school.

1877- Marshfield had Summer School of two months. Madge Mahoney was in charge of the 10-15 pupils that were enrolled.

1878- Mr. Chas. Coon took charge of about 40 pupils during the winter.

1880- Miss Baker was in charge.

1881- Mr. Platt was principal.

1882- A new 4 room school building was occupied in the fall.

1883- Platt was succeeded by a Mr. Adams, who taught a year.

1884- Mr. Wells taught.

1885- Mr. Jones.

1886- The third school was organized.

1887- Mr. Wittler was in charge for a year.

1889- In the Spring, the first class of 7 graduated from the new high school. This was a three year course.

1889- (Marshfield News, Thurs., June 21, 1889, pg. 1.) 7 graduated - Bessie Hatteberg, Clara Hatteberg, Dora Olin, May Robinson, Frank Hinman, Herbert Brooks and John Stierle.

1890- (Marshfield News, Thurs., June 30, 1892, pg. 1.) It became a four year course of study.

1890- 41 pupils enrolled in high school.

1892- (Marshfield News, Thurs., June 30, 1892, pg. 1.) 3 graduated - Janette Reed, Herbert M. Wheeler, and David Meyers.

1893- (Marshfield News, Thurs., July 6, 1893, pg. 1.) Graduates - John Icke, Stella Henderson, Ray Williams, Anns Hafer, Alice Orlin, Edward Vincent, Fay Chase, Hatties Ross, Jessie Taylor, and Susan Doern.

1894- (Marshfield News, Thurs., June 21, 1894, pg. 1.) Walter Wright, Sarah Hatteberg, Rose Brooks, Viola Reily, Alfred Brooks, Edna Desbrow, Carola Wright, and Arline Cass.

1896- Marshfield News, Thurs., June 18, 1896, pg. 1.) Lois Ellsworth, Gertrude Hatteberg, Lela Maude Keith, Pearle Lees, and Mary N. Reily.

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1897- (Marshfield News, Thurs., June 3, 1897, pg. 1.) Jennie Reily, Hattie Decker, and George Viele.

1898- (Marshfield News, Thurs., June 16, 1898, pg. 1.) Clara Ida Bartels, Annie Carol Ferguson, Una Sarah Dow, Jessie Rossman, Addela Eiche, Jean Cracraft, and William H. Hatchkiss.

1899- (Marshfield New, Thurs., June 8, 1899, pg. 1.) Earl Bertram Harkins, Verna Elnora May, Mammie Anna Nachtwey, Mayme Kathryn Maloney, Margaret Elizabeth Weiland, Bernice Mabella Sheriff, Harry Kelly Wheeler, Minnie May Meyers, Grace Elsie Ferguson, Samuel Howard Winch, Harriet Luella Pickett, Ethel Annetta Kelley, Robert Peter Kraus, Harry Albert Vedder, and Solon Llewellyn Reily.

1899- McKinley High School built.

1900- (Marshfield News, Thurs., June 7, 1900, pg. 1.) Wm. Schlafke, Emma Jaeckel, Gertrude Winch, Maud Brooks, Julia Jaastad, Chrystye Hatteberg, and Ann Thompson.

1901- (Marshfield News, Thurs., June 9, 1901, pg. 1.) Vera Volimar, Corinne Kraus, Tillie Nachtwey, Pearl Lindsley, Tillie Mullenback, Rosilia Billie, Nancy Beattie, James Vedder, and Edward Thompson.

1902- (Marshfield News, Thurs., June 10, 1902, pg. 1.) Wilhelmina Riedel, Lilyan Couture, Lydia Eckhoff, Mary Powers, Ella Scheibe, Ernestine Donhard, Arlie Hinman, Charles Whitner, Clifford Heath, and Peter LaMahieu.

1903- (Marshfield News, Thurs., June 13, 1903, pg. 1.) John Delmore, Della Leonhart, Raymond Billings, Alma Warnecke, Ethel Cole, Leonard Schneller, Cora Bulmane, Bernard Hemp, Samuel LaMahieu, Amanda Bartmann, Arthur Leahy, Adelaide Hansen, and Clara Mheller.

1904- (Marshfield News, Thurs., June 11, 1904, pg. 1.) Laurette Cole, Walter Sexton, Verna Geyer, Howard Pulling, Frank Morrison, Lila Cattanach, Lawrence Webster, Carrie Christensen, Carlotta Smith, Albert Broker, and Dorothy Miller.

1905- (Marshfield News, Thurs., June 15, 1905, pg. 1.) Olive Voelker, Emmagene Hayward, Lulu Elvis, Elva Mueller, Ida Gerwing, Mable Darms, Mable Brooks, Minnie Faber, Alma Anderson, Rosa Schavet, Walter Schatz, Orley DeGraw, William Witt, Harry Wohl, and Frank Derby.

1906- (Marshfield News, Thurs., June 27, 1906, pg. 1.) Raymond Tearman, Gladys Wallesen, Edward Leuckenbach, Rosa Billie, Frank Butler, Edward Buchmiller, Ruth Connor, Helen Connor, Lucious Foster, Armand Friedrich, Margaret Hills, Mayte Hansen, Fred Krahn, Earl Leahy, Glyde Luhrsen, Cully Luhrsen, Martina Marsh, Wallace Puerner, Dorothy Pulling, Nora Riedel, Dora Riedel, Riley Salzman, Otto Schubert, Sam Shapiro, Clyde Tearman, Anna Weigle, and Warren Willy.

1907- (Marshfield News, Thurs., June ?, 1907, pg. 1.) Joan Ballantyne, Geo. Baker, Frank Butler, Idele Borgia, Henry Blonien, Raymond Brooks, Craig Connor, Maybell Couture, Huebert Delmore, Amy Dahlquiet, Walter Drallinger, Aurela Faber, Eueline Furstenberg, Edward Furstenberg, Ray Harney, Robert Heath, Alma Happe, Edward Kalsched, Alma Lueck, Ida Mangold, Victor Nehs, Alva Reily, Chas. Upham, and William Upham.

(Years 1908-1915 to be continued in next issue.)

THEY DID IT WITH THEIR LITTLE PENCIL

The Results of the Spring Election in This City and Elsewhere

The results of Tuesday's election in this city was a surprise to many, in as much as the Republicans were in it to some extent. The city is so strong in Democratic faith that to elect two Republicans on the city ticket was considered quite a victory. The following is the result:

Webb's majority in the city 35.
 Mayor- Henry Kalsched, Democrat.
 Clerk- Wm. A. Pors, Democrat.
 Assessor- Geo. E. Ingalls, Rep.
 Treasurer- Ed. S. Renne, Rep.
 Municipal Judge- Wm. Hirth, Dem.
 Justice- J. W. DeGroff, Republican.
 Justice- Wm. Hirth, Democrat.
 Justice- Gerh. Marx, Democrat.
 Constable- Anton Grossinger, Dem.
 First Ward-
 Supervisor- Chas. Schroeder, Dem.
 Alderman- Gerhardt Marx, Dem.
 Second Ward-
 Supervisor- Sylvester Evans, Dem.
 Alderman- Lorenz Hartl, Jr., Dem.
 Third Ward-
 Supervisor- John P. Hume, Dem.
 Alderman- F. W. Upham, Rep.
 Fourth Ward-
 Supervisor- Theodore Springborn,
 Democrat.
 Alderman- John Hoffman, Dem.
 Fifth Ward-
 Supervisor- C. S. Vedder, Rep.
 Alderman- E. V. Kantsky, Dem.
 Sixth Ward-
 Supervisor- C. W. Nelson, Dem.
 Alderman- Louis Baumann, Dem.

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President, E. A. Drew, Trustees, Wm. Adams, A.

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Chairman, John Markee; Supervisors, Thomas Roney and B. P. Williams; Clerk, Peter Berg; Treasurer, James Tuttle; Constables, Gus. Blumstein and Conrad Tollifson. Webb 106, Newman 2.

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[Joan Benner, one of our Wisconsin Rapids members, submitted this for the newsletter. Thank you Joan!]
(from The Marshfield Herald, Friday, April 7, 1893.)

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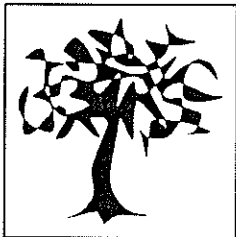
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(from the Milwaukee Co. Gen. Soc. Reporter, Vol. 30, #1, Feb. 1999 via Pedigree Pointer, Vol. 21 #3, Spring 1999, p. 25.)

MEETING DATES:

- Thursday, September 23 , 1999..... Denis Kuennen spoke on his research in Germany and how his relatives connected to the Holocaust. The program starts sharply at 7:00 p.m. with a short business meeting to follow. Room LL-207, Marshfield Clinic.
- Thursday, October 27, 1999..... Workshop at the Marshfield Public Library. Bring along your problems, questions and research. Learn how to use some of the resources you've never used before. Meeting starts promptly at 7:00 p.m.
- 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.



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