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All Correspondence concerning the Dallas Genealogical Society is to be sent to P. O. Box 12648, Dallas, Texas 75225.
As required by our By-Laws, "The President shall make an annual report to the membership for publication in the Fall QUARTERLY". It is my pleasure, as well as my duty, to report the activities and accomplishments of the Society, as directed by an extremely capable and active Board of Directors.

This report is divided into external and internal operations.

EXTERNALLY:

This year was memorable since we were involved with the closing of the old familiar library and the dedication and grand opening events of the new Central Dallas Public Library. Many of our members responded to the appeal for volunteers to work on a regular basis in various areas of this new facility. The Society presented a large diphengbachia plant to beautify the new Genealogy Department. Our April meeting date coincided with the Library's highlighting of the Genealogy Department and Lloyd Bockstruck's talk in the auditorium was to a standing-room only crowd.

A "public relations" letter was sent to some of the Library staff and to all eleven members of the Municipal Library Advisory Board outlining the history and past accomplishments of the D. G. S. and past donations of both services as well as money that this Society has made to the Library's Genealogy Department in fulfillment of our stated purpose to support the Dallas Public Library for the benefit of all.

One large memorial gift was presented to the library in memory of all deceased members during the 1981-82 year. Also given to the Genealogy Department were books received for review in our Quarterly and other donations by individual D. G. S. members.

The 234 microfilm roll set "Index to Compiled Service Records of Volunteer Soldiers who Served During the War of 1812" begun last year was completed with the help of donations from D. G. S. members and a $500 grant from Atlantic Richfield initiated by a D. G. S. member. The next project is the 535 roll set "Master Index to Combined Service Records of Confederate Soldiers". The workshop profit donation of $2500 was designated toward the completion of this collection.

In order to generate sales of our books (DALLAS COUNTY MARRIAGES 1846-1877, INDEX TO PROBATE CASES, DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS 1846-1900, and ANCESTORS OF DALLAS GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY MEMBERS) review copies were sent to 25 genealogical columnists and/or publishers in 9 states. The Society also placed ads in 2 editions of THE GENEALOGICAL HELPER on our publications, resulting in increased sales and publicity for our Society. Notices of our activities were also well reported locally in area and neighborhood newspapers.

D. G. S. publications valued at over $200 were donated to the Montgomery County, Texas Library whose genealogy department was damaged extensively by fire.

The Society's annual book award was presented to Allison Cheney for A LEGACY OF LOVE.

Volunteers manned a table at the Oak Cliff and East
Dallas street fair locations of the Historic Preservation League's "Urban Pioneer Tour" to pass out free genealogical forms, information on genealogy in general and our Society in particular.

The list of other societies with whom we exchange publications was updated and revised to reflect geographic areas our member are particularly interested in researching. The 54 Quarterlies we receive in exchange are placed in the Library and represent a contribution of approximately $540 per year. We also instigated exchange of books published by these societies which adds to our library's collection.

We revised and enlarged the mailing list of non-members who receive our monthly newsletters, (i.e. Dallas City Council, Municipal Library Advisory Board, "Friends of the Library" officers, area libraries and genealogical societies, historic preservation groups, etc.) toward the goal of increased community awareness of our activities.

INTERNAL conditions reflect the following:

The balance on hand in our treasury as of the 24 June 1982 meeting is $6,891.59. Balance July 1, 1981 was $6,136.34 which reflects an increase of $755.25.

Careful budgeting and investment of surplus funds were initiated to offset increases in postage, printing and other expenses. Two paid storage arrangements for unsold publications and microfilm negatives were eliminated and this inventory transferred to the "limited access" storage area in the new Library. Consequently, the Society is in excellent shape financially, without having to raise our membership fee.

Membership as of July 1, 1982 was 462. If spouses were counted separately, membership total would be 545, representing 60 Texas towns, 11 other states and Canada. Nine Newsletters during the year kept members informed. Membership brochures were available at the Dallas Public Library and branch LDS libraries. Every effort was made to increase membership. $150 was approved as the current fee for life membership.

Programs at eight regular meetings, plus a Saturday, half-day beginner's workshop were well planned, well attended and reflected a variety of research topics to interest and educated. All were open to the public.

D. G. S. Quarterlies from 1955-1976 were microfilmed on two rolls and are available for sale. Quarterlies from 1977-1981 were also filmed. This ensures preservation of all previously published material, makes it available to individuals and libraries in an economical and space-saving way and eliminates the storage problem of more than a minimum number of past complete volumes (4 issues) of the printed quarterlies for sale. Also, all back quarterly issues were bound for the Editor's use.

In an effort to reduce publication cost, the quarterly, beginning with the March 1982 issue, was changed from its familiar 8 1/2" X 11" size to a compact 5 1/2" x 8 1/2" size without reducing quality or the number of pages. The contents emphasize Dallas County records.

Initial plans for this year's innovative workshop began last July and culminated in a record-breaking total, both in number of exhibitors (17 using 38 tables), number in
attendance (450), and income. Books and family association publications were solicited for display resulting in 339 books plus nearly 200 family newsletters totaling a value of $5,900 which were placed in the Genealogy Dept. of the Library after the workshop. Lloyd Bockstruck gave morning and afternoon lectures on "Military Service and Records of Colonial Wars Through the Spanish American War."

A $2,500.00 cash donation was also presented to the Genealogy Department, making a total of $8,400.00 generated from the workshop!

A Board member directed the monthly research at the Dallas County Courthouse of early marriage and deed records for future publication in the Quarterly.

A By-Laws change was made which permits the older records of the Society to be stored in the Archives and Research Center for Texas and Dallas History division of the Dallas Public Library instead of at the President's home. (Article V, Section 1.)

Several forms used in genealogical research were chosen to have available for sale at meetings as a service to members. The Library Store at the Central Library is also interested in handling these forms in cooperation with the D. G. S. as a service to all Library patrons.

A parliamentarian was added to the Board of Directors.

A survey letter was composed to be sent to current members plus those from last year who did not renew membership. This questionnaire will help the Society learn how to plan programs, activities, etc. to keep our members and to serve them in the best way.

Job description forms were designed so that information from officers can be passed on to their successors. A form letter was also devised to expedite routine correspondence we receive.

We continued collecting members' ancestor charts in anticipation of another publication.

Typing, proofing and research continued on the first volume of Dallas County Cemeteries which should be ready for publication soon. This monumental task of recording carefully all burials in this populous county is expected to take several years to complete.

A gavel was presented to the Society to be used by all successive presidents by the outgoing president. It is inscribed in honor of her 1981-82 Board.

At the June meeting, a life membership was presented to Helen M. Lu for her outstanding contributions to the Society. She has served as Vice-President in charge of membership, Editor of THE QUARTERLY and during her term as president three books were published by the Society and the first 3,100 probate packets of Dallas County were microfilmed. This year as Executive Vice President, she was in charge of the workshop which was innovative and successful. Now, she has agreed to again take on the presidency. Such continued, dedicated service deserves a special commendation.

I think you will agree that it has been a busy year!

Margaret Ann Thetford
President, 1981-1982
EDITOR'S DESK

Here it is! The long awaited workshop issue. You will find all of the Family Publications listed and book reviews for approximately two-thirds of the books that were on display in the Publishers Corner. Order information is included for the Family Publications and the books reviewed. The remaining books will be reviewed in the December issue. All books have already been donated to the Genealogy Department of the Dallas Public Library. However, all may not be on the shelves yet, due to cataloging and binding.

THERE IS NOT AN INDEX IN THIS ISSUE!!!!!! We have used the space to review as many books as possible. The Board gave permission for this issue to be larger in order to review all books in one issue. We printed as many reviews as we had space for. It is hoped these reviews and family publications will make it easier for you to use all of the fine books we received for the workshop. As soon as all books have been reviewed, we will continue with our regular features.

I wish to thank all who reviewed these books for THE QUARTERLY and the many who helped proof this issue. I could not have done it without their help. Thank you so much.

Please get your queries in. We need them for the coming issues. Take a little time and help yourself and find an ancestor.

Margaret Hudson
These Family Publications were donated to the Dallas Genealogical Society for display at our May 8, 1982 Workshop. They are listed in alphabetical order by title and will NOT be listed in the index. The information is in the following order: Title of Publication, who to order from, where to order, when published, and price if available. If you desire more information, write and be sure to say you saw them listed in THE QUARTERLY.


THE ALBORN ENQUIRER, Jean A Larson, "Henneth Annun", 1323-12th Avenue # 2, San Francisco, CA 94122, annually by donation.

FAMILY RECORDS TODAY, American Family Records Assoc., 11 East 12th St, Kansas City, MO 64106, $15.

ARTHUR FAMILY NEWSLETTER, Mrs. Arlene (Arthur) Smith, 655 Bennett Creek Dr, Cottage Grove, OR 97424, 4/year, $7.50.

BACON FAMILIES ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER, John Hammersmith, 1424 Lark Lane, Naperville, IL 60565.

THE BAGLEY/LING FAMILY ASSOCIATION, 3427 West Scott St., Milwaukee, WI 53215.

THE BALLEW FAMILY JOURNAL, William A. Ballew, Vice-President & Membership, 2918 Parc Lorraine Circle, Decatur, GA 30038, qu. newsletter, 10/year dues + $25 Membership fee.

BARNEY FAMILY HISTORICAL ASSOC, 2325 Westbrook, Fort Worth, TX 76111, 1 year $8, 2 years $12.

BARR FAMILY JOURNAL, Michael Barr, Rt. 1, Box 1449-B, Waco, TX 76710, $15/year-Tx Res $. 60 Sales Tax.


BELL CHIMES, Irving Bell, Editor, Bell Enterprises, P. O. Box 451, Springfield, VT 05156, $9.50/12 issues. International Bell Society dues $4/year additional.

THE THREE BELLS, Mrs. Molly Reigard, 1321 Gum Tree, Huffman, TX 77336, $9/year.


BERRIEN, Mrs. E. Renee' Heiss, R. D. 9, Tuckerton Road, Vincentown, NJ 08088.

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THE CARSWELL CHRONICLE, P. O. Box 584, Chipley, FL 32428, Active Membership $5, Contributing Membership $10.

CELLE NEWSLETTER, c/o Mrs. Carolyn Cell Choppin', 309 Greenpark Way, San Jose, CA 95136, Cell/Gsell/Seale(s)/Sell(s)/Sill(s)/Tell(s).

THE PIERRE CHASTAIN FAMILY ASSOC., INC., Era Chastain, Membership, 4607 Kendall Ave., Gulfport, MS 39501.

THE CHILDRESS CHATTER, c/o Mrs. Molly Reigard, 1321 Gum Tree, Huffman, TX 77336, quarterly, $10/year.


CHISM FAMILY ASSOCIATION, James Chism of Virginia Chapter, CCSA, 3705 S. 48th, P. O. Box 6323, Lincoln, NB 68506, $3.

CHISTIAN FAMILY CHRONICLES, Agnes Branch Pearlman, Editor, 2001 North Westwood Avenue, Santa Ana, CA 92706, Newsletter twice a year, dues $7.50/yr.

THE CLARK CLARION, Jeanne Robey Felldin, 14419 Stagecoach Rd., Magnolia, TX 77355, quarterly, $12/yr.

CLOUD FAMILY NEWSLETTER, 1800 Kendra Cove, Austin, TX 78758, dues $15/yr.

THE COOLEY FAMILY ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA, Mrs. Charles Hillery, Editor, The Cooley Communique, 7453 Avalon Trail Road, Indianapolis, IN 46250, $5 upon admission and $4/yr dues thereafter.

THE CLARK CLAN NEWSLETTER, Miles R. Clark, R. R. 3 Box 479, Crossville, TN 38555.

CORYELL NEWSLETTER, N. Burr Coryell, P. O. Box 662, Santa Barbara, CA 93102.

COURSON COUSINS, Margaret Fenton Gardner, P. O. Box 2161, Covina, CA 91722, quarterly, $11/yr.

COWDERY NEWSLETTER, Linda Cowdery Sandahl, 121 Briggs Street, Allegan, MI 49010.

CRAIG FAMILY RESEARCHER, Martha Nell Craig, P. O. Box 645, Twain Harte, CA 95383, CRAIG-LINKS, quarterly newsletter, $10/yr.

CRAWFORD CONNECTIONS, Margaret Fenton Gardner, P. O. Box 2161, Covina, CA 91722, quarterly, $11/yr.

CRISP NEWSLETTER, Ruth Phillip, 605 Benton, Missoula, MT 59801.

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NASE DEJINY, THE MAGAZINE OF CZECH GENEALOGY, Doug Kubicek, Box 45, Halletsville, TX 77964, 6 times a year, $12.50/yr, add $2.50 out of state.

THE DALTONS, c/o Mrs. J. L. Lu, 4559 Hockaday Dr., Dallas, TX 75229, 4 times per year, $10/yr.

THE DEATON COLLECTION (ENGLAND, VIRGINIA, KENTUCKY, MISCELLANEOUS), c/o Howard A. Deaton, 5009 Dewey St, St. Louis, MO 63116, Newsletter discontinued Dec. 1981, however information still exchanged.

THE DECKER QUARTERLY, Mr. B. W. Decker, Rear Admiral U. S. Navy (ret), 1086 Bangor St., San Diego, CA 92106, no subscription charge - sent to those contributing data & who bought DECKER GENEALOGY book.

THE DOBBS FILES, Clara Nash, Box 114, Cartright, OK 74731, $8/yr.

THE DODD NEWSLETTER, Mrs. Aulyn Dodd Conley, 508 Balto-Annap Blvd, N E, Glen Burnie, MD 21061, Newsletter 4 times a year, $5.

DOHNER FAMILY NEWSLETTER (DONER, DONNER, DANNER AND ALLIED FAMILIES), Dudley Dohner, 42913 Weyand Court, Lancaster, CA 93534.

THE DOUGHTY TREE, The Doughty Family Association, P. O. Box 203, Mays Landing, NJ 08330, quarterly, $6/yr.

EMANUEL FAMILY GENEALOGY "THE SAVOY", 213 Millstream Dr., Huntsville, AL 35806, membership $2/yr.

ESTES TRAILS, Historic Trails Library, Mrs. Mary Estes Beckham, Rt. 1, Box 373, Philadelphia, MS 39350, quarterly, $10/year.

FAMILY PERIODICALS, 1981 EDITION, CA listing of many family associations), Merle Ganier, 2108 Grace St., Fort Worth, TX 76111, $3.35, Texas resident add $.17 sales tax.

FARMER FAMILY ORGANIZATION, Mr. R. W. Callan, President, Box 101, Rule, TX 79547, newsletter - quarterly, $10/yr.

FARMER FAMILY ORGANIZATION, 3029 N. W. 11TH ST., Oklahoma City, OK 73107, $10.

FISK(E) FAMILY ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER, 374 Malcolm Dr., Pasadena, CA 91105, membership $6 per year sent to Sec.: Elaine Fisk Baxter, 2215 Anderson, Manhatten, KS 66502.

CLAN FORBES, Drawer A, Alexandria, VA 22313.


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GARDNER - GARDINER - GARDENER - GARNER FAMILY NEWSLETTER, Margaret Fenton Gardner, P. O. Box 2161 Covina, CA 91722, quarterly, $11/year.

RAKING FOR GARNER (GARNER FAMILY NEWSLETTER), Mrs. Helen M. Swenson, 102 Northwest Drive, Round Rock, TX 78664, 3 issues per year, $12/year.

GARRISON GAZETTE (ISAAC GARRISON FAMILY ASSOCIATION), Paul Garrison, Exec Sec., 5009 N. Tulsa Ave., Oklahoma City, OK 73112, subscription by contribution to family association.

GENEALOGY VIA NEWSLETTER, N. Burr Coryell, P. O. Box 662, Santa Barbara, CA 93102, $2.

GENTRY FAMILY GAZETTE AND GENEALOGY, Richard Hayden Gentry, Editor, 6151 Tompkins Dr., Mc Lean, VA 22101, $12.

GEURIN Gazette, Charlotte Stupek, 457-A Manzanita Ave., Santa Cruz, CA 95062, $10/year.

GILLESPIE CLAN NEWSLETTER, Lois O. Gillespie, 100 Stanley Street, Atleboro Falls, MA 02763.


GOODENOUGHS' GHOSTS, Carol McLain Goodenough, Editor, 3756 Knox St., St. Joseph, MI 49085, quarterly newsletter, $6.50/year.

THE LONG GRAY LINE (GRAY/GREY FAMILIES), Jeanne Robey Felldin, 14417 Stagecoach, Magnolia, TX 77355, $12/year.

GREENLEAVES, Green Family Association, c/o Jerry & Maxine Green, P. O. Box 75428, Commerce, TX 75428.

AMERICAN CLAN GREGOR SOCIETY, Joseph C. Tichy, Jr, Assistant Chieftain, 1109 Crowfoot Lane, Silver Spring, MD 20904, dues $10/year.

HAMERSKY AND ALLIED FAMILIES NEWSLETTER, P. O. Box 5925, Buena Park, CA 90622, bi-monthly, $5/year.

THE CONNECTOR OF THE HAMILTON NAT'L GENE. SOC., INC., 14326 Balcolm Dr., Rockville, MD 20853, dues $10.

THE HARLOW FAMILY ASSOCIATION, Stanley E. Shaw, 502 Morningside Drive, Euless, TX 76039, dues $5 first year, $2 thereafter.

ECHO, FAMILY NEWSLETTER OF THE PHILLIP HAMMAN FAMILY ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA, Ralph C. Hammond, Box 486, Arab, AL 35016, $6.

HARBOUR-WITT FAMILY ASSOCIATION, INC., Mrs. Bettye A. Cartwright, 7904 Joliet Ave., Lubbock, TX 79423, $12/yr.

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THE HARGROVE NEWSLETTER, The Hargrove Family Association, c/o Mr. Sy Hartgrove, Trustee, 10603 Parkfield Dr., Austin, TX 78758, membership $10/year.

HAWKES TALKS, Adam Hawkes Family Association, Inc., Mrs. Ethel F. Smith, Editor, P. O. Box 362, Boynton Beach, FL 33435, 1/year, $1/year.


HAYES OF AMERICA (HAY/HAIZE/HAYS/HAYES), Mrs. Marjorie A. Braswell, Rt. 3, Box 193 Keys Lane, Hephzibah, GA 30815, quarterly, $12/year.

THE HEYDON-HAYDEN-HYDEN FAMILIES, Bill Hyden, P. O. Box 35004, Tulsa, OK 74135, $10/year.

THE HICKS NEWSLETTER, c/o Virginia Hicks, 4736 Quail Meadow Way, Fair Oaks, CA 95628, $10/year.

HOBBS FAMILY ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER, Edsel Hobbs, Treasurer, Rt. 1, Box 22, Dublin, GA 31021, quarterly, $5/year.

HOGAN FAMILY ASSOCIATION RESEARCH QUARTERLY, Carol A Hogan, President, 6212 Vista Verde, Las Vegas, NV 89102, quarterly, dues $5/year.

HOLBERT HERALD, S. Jack Bewley, Editor, P. O. Box 78, Rineyville, KY 40162.

HOLLEY BUSHES, Barbara G. Holley, P. O. Box 2126, Deming, NM 88031, 3 copies/year, $6/year.

THE HOLLY LEAF CHRONICLE, Published by Clan Irwin Assoc., Karen Irvine Lewis, Secy, 2674 N. Upshur Street, Arlington, VA 22207, quarterly newsletter, $7.50/year.

HOLOCHWOST FAMILY HISTORY, Thomas L. Hollowak, 2804 Florida Ave., Baltimore, MD 21227, $5/year.

HOOKS FAMILY CHRONICLES, Hooks Family newsletter, Mrs. Mary Ruth Stultz, 5800 Swarthmore Drive, College Park, MD 20740, quarterly, $8/year.


HUDSON FAMILY ASSOCIATION (SOUTH), Rt. 7, Del Monte Place, Longview, TX 75601, BULLETIN (genealogy) issued quarterly, and HUDSONIA (newsletter) issued quarterly, dues $10/year.
HUSHAW-HOSHOR-HOSHAW NEWSLETTER, John Hoshor, P. O. Box 266, Savannah, MO 64485.

IRISH GENEALOGICAL NEWSLETTER, The Irish Family History Society, 173 Tremont St., Newton, MA 02158, quarterly, $10/year.

JACKSONIANA, A Jackson Family Newsletter, Ernest H. Jackson, 730 Parker Woods Dr., Rockford, IL 61102, quarterly, $7.50/year.

JENKINS JUBILEE, Jeanne Robey Feldin, 14419 Stagecoach Road, Magnolia, TX 77355, $12/year.

JOHNSON-REXRODE-SALMON CLAN JOURNAL, Mrs. Nell Sachse Woodard, Editor, 549 Hoover Street, Oceanside, CA 92054.

KATES KIN, Anna Kates Gardner, P. O. Box 8, Harden, OH 45671, bimonthly newsletter.

KIMBALL FAMILY ASSOCIATION, 9 Ridgeway Ave., Needham, MA 02192, membership $5 single, $7 family.

THE NEWSLETTER OF THE KNARR-KNERR-KNORR FAMILY, Larry Knarr, 3057 Montezuma Dr., Cincinnati, OH 45239, $1/issue.

KNIGHT LETTER, Communication for Knight Family Researchers, Merle Ganier, Editor, 2108 Grace Street, Fort Worth, TX 76111, quarterly, $6/year.

THE KRIGBAUM HERITAGE (KRIGBAUM/CREEKBAUM/CRAIGBAUM/KREIGHBAUM), Mrs. Carol L. Krigbaum, Pres., 1112 Monroe Street, Quincy, IL 62301, dues $6/year.

THE KRIGBAUM HERITAGE, Mrs. James Steele, Secy, R. R., Palmyra, MO 63461, quarterly newsletter, dues $6/year.

NEWSLETTER OF THE LAMBERT/LAMBERTH FAMILY ASSOCIATION, Alton Lambert, 8 Juanita Dr., Tuscaloosa, AL 35404, 2 issues/year, dues $6/year.

THE SAMUEL BENNETT LANGSTON FAMILY ORGANIZATION, Mearl Bennett, Ed, 306 Wade, Mountain Home, AK 72653, newsletter quarterly, dues $5/year.

THE LAWSON LETTERS, 1823 N. Dearing, Fresno, CA 93703, quarterly, $10/yr USA, $12/yr Foreign.

LIGHTFOOT FAMILY ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER, Mrs. Stanley A. Williams, 1330 Kings Highway, Dallas, TX 75208, quarterly, $5/year.

LIPSCOMB NEWSLETTER, Ruth Phillip, 605 Benton, Missoula, MT 59801, $2/year.

THE LIVESAY HISTORICAL SOCIETY, Mrs. Virginia Smith, Bulletin Editor, 104 Linden Avenue, Mercersburg, PA 17236, quarterly, membership by donation.

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LOOKIN' FOR LOCKES, Orella Chadwick, Editor, The Locke Family Association, Tillamook, OR 97141, quarterly, $10/yr.


THE LUPTONIAN, David Walker Lupton, 1941 Oakwood Dr, Ft. Collins, CO 80521.

LUPTON/LUTEN NEWSLETTER, Mrs. Anne Trickett, 5809 Forest Lane, Dallas, TX 75230, 4 issues/year, $6/year, no longer active, but back issues available.

THE MCCRARY (MC CREARY) CLAN, Perry G. Mc Crary, 901 Jefferson Dr., Charlotte, NC 28211, $4/year.

MC CRAW FAMILY, Mrs. Conrad Powell Harland, Glen Oaks, Rt. 1, Box 112A, Richmold, VA 23231.


MC INTOSH-SMITH SMITH-CLENN GAZETTE, THE Crover Connection, P. O. Box 5925, Buena Park, CA 90622, bi-monthly $5/year.


CLAN MACNACHTAN ASSOCIATION, Mr. Kenneth R. Mac Naughton, 1744 Mortus Drive, Twinsburg, OH 44087, $12/year.

MAGNY FAMILY ASSOCIATION, Wallace Many, 62 Glendale Ave., Middletown, CT 06457, semi-annually newsletter, $5/yr.

CLAN MAITLAND, Mrs. Mildred Maitland Wiggins, 6913 South Drive, Richmond, VA 23225, $20 registration individual, $25 registration for family.

MAPES FAMILY, Mr. George Robertson, Pres., 90 Clifton Blvd., Binghamton, NY 13903.

MARTIN FAMILY QUARTERLY, Mrs Michal Martin Farmer, Editor, P. O. Box 140880, Dallas, TX 75214, quarterly, $10/year (Texas residents add 5% sales tax).

THE MATTESONIAN, Matteson Historical Congress of America, Alan Junkins, Editor, 509 Weir Road, Aston, PA 19014, newsletter issued "whenever possible", dues $4/year, subscription only $2/year.

MEEK-MEEKS NEWSLETTER, Danny Fluhart, P. O. Box 7151, Washington, D. C. 20044, dues $5/year.

MENNONITE FAMILY HISTORY, Mr. J. Lemar Mast, Elverson, PA, quarterly, $12.50/year.
MILTENBERGER FAMILY ASSOCIATION QUARTERLY, Rev. Gordon Miltenberger, Editor, 3617 Abrams Rd, Dallas, TX 75214, $5/year.

THE MEYER MIRROR, Julie A. Hendricks, W. 628 Augusta 1, Spokane, WA 99205, $4/year.

MOE LINKS, Box 162, Lambert, MT 59243, qu. issued in sec.

MORFORD HISTORIAN, Mrs, Harold L. Adams, Route 1, Box 43-C, Shelley, ID 83274, quarterly, $6/year.

MORGAN MIGRATIONS, Jeanne Robey Felldin, 14419 Stagecoach Rd, Magnolia, TX 88355, quarterly, $12/year.


THOMAS NASH DESCENDANTS ASSOCIATION, 2733 Running Brook Lane, Dallas, TX 75228, no longer publishes quarterly, but irregular newsletter.

NEW ENGLAND GENEALOGY, Joseph M. Glynn, Jr., Director/ Librarian, The Institute of Family History and Genealogy, 173 Tremont Street, Newton, MA 02158.

NICKERSON FAMILY ASSOCIATION, INC., Mrs. Olive C. Cunningham, Herring Run Rd., N. Harwich, MA 02645, annual newsletter, dues $2/year.

NIX-NICKS FAMILIES OF THE SOUTH, Dorothy Nix, P. O. Box 991, 501 N. Smith, Vinita, OK 74301.

THE OGDEN NEWSLETTER, W. Henry Ogden, Editor, 1801 Ardath, Wichita Falls, TX 76301, $7/year.

OUSLEY NEWSLETTER, Ousley Genealogical Society, Mr. Monty T. Weddell. P. O. Box 4305, Dallas, Texas 75208, quarterly, $10/year.

OVERHOLSER FAMILY ASSOCIATION BULLETIN, P. O. Box 106, Oley, PA 19547, voluntary contributions.

THE PARKE SOCIETY, David L. Parke, Sr., Editor, 404 Wellington Ave, Reading, Pa 19609, application fee $5, annual dues, $4.

PATTON/PATTEN/PATEN/ PATON, Majorie Abbott Braswell, Rt. 3, Box 193, Keys Lane, Hephzibah, GA 30815, $12/year.

PERRY-SCOPE, The Perry Family Association, Mary N. Smallman, Editor, R F D 1, Box 171 B, Hermon, NY 13652.

HANDED DOWN (PERRY, PETTY, RANDLOPH AND RELATIVES' FAMILY HISTORY), Cathy Martin, 506 West Third St., Brady, TX 76825.
PEW, HYRUM WILLIAM PEW FAMILY ORGANIZATION, L. Glen Pew, 1900 Eucalyptus Ave., San Carlos, CA 94070, quarterly, $10/year.


PURCELL FAMILY OF AMERICA, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest E. Purcell, 3929 Southview Ave, Dayton, OH 45432, membership $7.50/yr.

REID FAMILY NEWSLETTER, Elizabeth Reid Austin, 118 Newman St., Greenville, SC 29601, $8/yr, $2/letter.

KINFOLK, The Rich Family Association, P. O. Box 142, Willfleett, MA 02667, quarterly, $5/year.

THE RISLEY RECORD, The Risley Family Association, P. O. Box 552, Clarkson, NY 14430 or Mr. Roy D. Goold, Pres., 7 Sweden Hill Rd., Brockport, NY 14420, $6/year.


SEARCY, Noranne Searcy, Pattonsburg, MO 64670, info only on Searcy Family Reunion held Aug. 14, 1982.

THE SHARR FAMILY NEWSLETTER, Sharr Family Association, Mary Lou Sharr, Editor, Rt. 3, Box 228, Maryville, MO 64468.

SHELDON FAMILY ASSOCIATION, INC., Mrs. N. F. Sheldon, 2nd V. P., 178 West Street, Paxton, MA 01612, no quarterly, but 1 page query sheet sent out about 3 times a year.

SHULTS FAMILY IN AMERICA, Doris Dockstader Rooney, 1918 La Mesa Drive, Dodge City, KS 67801.

SINCLAIR CLAN, David Sinclair Bonschor, 124 North 24th Ave. East, Duluth, MN 55812, no quarterly, membership $10 (certificate and mailings).

SMITH PAPERS, M. Sims, P. O. Box 9576, Sacramento, CA 95823, 3 issues/year, $10/year.

SNELL, ZIMMERMAN, TIMMERMAN REUNION, INC., Edith S. Timmerman, Sec., R. D. 1, Little Falls, NY 13365.

SNYDER-SNIDER-SCHNEIDER DATA LETTER, Mr. R. A. Longbottom, 1164 Catherine St., Suffield, OH 44260, $7.50/10 issues.


STIRES FAMILY NEWSLETTER, W. Dennis Stires, Rd 2, Box 3249, Livermore Falls, ME 04254, $10/year.

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STAUDEN BLOTTER - STOUT FAMILY, R A D M Herald R. Stout, USN (Retired), 5183 Roxbury Road, San Diego, CA 92116.

STOVALL FOUNDATION, W. T. Stovall, Route 1, Box 580, Cullman, AL 35055, quarterly, $12/year.

STRONG FAMILY ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA, INC., Dianne Strong Runser, 156 Maple Dr., Trafford, PA 15085, dues $5/yr.

THE DELAWARE SWEDISH COLONIAL SOCIETY, 4830 Kennett Pike, Room 257, Wilmington, DE 19807, membership single $5/year, family $8/year.

TABOR DRUMS, Barbara G. Holley, P. O. Box 2126, Deming, NM 88031, 3 issues, $6/year.

THE AMERICAN PIONEERS (TACKETT-TACKET-TACKETT), Jim W. Tackitt G R A, 1830 Johnson Dr., Concord, CA 94520 or The Base Station, Inc., 2101 Pacheco St., Concord, CA 94520, $1.50 for each quarterly.

TINGLEY-UNITED NEWS, c/o Mr. G. A. Tingley, 78 Wedgewood DR., S. W., Calgary, Alta T3C 3G6 CANADA, $3/yr, $25 life membership.

TEA FAMILY, Mr. Charles L. Tea, 752 Gran Kaymen Way, Jamaica Isle, Apollo Beach, FL 33570.

TUFTS KINSMEN, Herbert Freeman Adams, Tufts Kinsmen Association, P. O. Box 571, Dedham, MA 02026, quarterly, $2/copy, $6/year membership.

TULL TRACING BY THE MILL BORN, Willis Clayton Tull, Jr., Editor, Milbourne & Tull Research Center, 10605 Lakespring Way, Cockeysville, MD 21030.

TUSSEY NEWSLETTER, Judith Allison Walter, P. O. Box 129, Bothell, WA 98011, $4/year, $1.25/issue.

UNITARIAN AND UNIVERSALIST GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY, 10605 Lakespring Way, Cockeysville, MD 21030.

UPSHAW FAMILY JOURNAL, Ted O. Brooke, 79 Wagonwheel Ct., N. E., Marietta, GA 30067, $8/year.

VAN TREESE FAMILY NEWSLETER, Harold W. Van Treese, 9350 Vandergriff Rd., Indianapolis, IN 46239, twice yearly.

VARNADO GENEALOGIST (DESCENDANTS OF LEONARD VERNADAEAU), 609 Belvedere Road, Jackson, MS 39206, quarterly, $5/year.


VIKING KINFOLK, 114 Trevethan Ave., Santa Cruz, CA 95062, donations accepted.
VINCENT, Mrs. Katharine R. Vincent, Editor, 728 Robinson St., Elmira, NY 14904.

WEINHOLD WANDERINGS, Mrs. Virginia Olsen, 3031 - 67th S. E., Mercer Island, WA 98040, quarterly, $5/year.

GO WEST! (WEST FAMILIES), Jeanne Robey Felldin, 14419 Stagecoach Rd., Magnolia, TX 77355, $12/year.

WIGFIELD NEWSLETTER, Ruth Phillip or Andrea Phillip, 605 Benton, Missoula, MT 59801, $3.

THE WINEGAR TREE, Arthur Goold, Editor, 412 No. Plum St., Northfield, MN 55057, quarterly + extra index, dues $7/yr.

WORDENS PAST, Mrs. Pat Worden, 1201 Glendale St., Midland, MI 48640, $4/year.

UPCHURCH BULLETIN, Robert P. Upchurch, Editor, Michael Enterprise, P. O. Box 35804, Tucson, AZ 85740, 4 issues/yr, $10/year.

THE YOUEL LOG, Youel Care, Inc., Mrs. Rice M. Youel, Jr., 4105 Hermitage Pt., Virginia Beach, VA 23455, by donation.

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BOOK REVIEWS

All books reviewed in this issue were received for the Publishers Book Exhibit of the Dallas Genealogical Society May 8, 1982 Workshop. We in turn donated these books to the Genealogy Department of the Dallas Public Library. The form used for these is as follows: Title, Author, Date published, Size, Type of binding, Type of printing, No. of pages, Indexed, Order from and address, Price, Mailing Charges, and Tax if applies. Review.

Editor's note: The reviews are NOT indexed.

THREE SISTERS A GENEALOGICAL HISTORY OF THE HUNTER, DICKEY AND LATHROP FAMILIES, O. Clyde Donaldson, 1980, 6 x 9, Library, Typeset, 223 pages, Indexed, O. Clyde Donaldson, 7 Interlachen Road, Hopkins, MN 55343, $20.00, $1.50 mailing.

This book tells the story of three sisters, Elizabeth, Nettie and Ella Weaver, who were the daughters of John and Mary Cole Weaver, who moved from southeastern Indiana to Scott County Minnesota, and their experience during the dreadful Sioux Uprising of 1862. The first 7 chapters deal with their family and the Hunter, Dickey and Lathrop families they married into. It is an interesting narrative covering early days in Minnesota and South Dakota. Each chapter is footnoted and sources are given. The second part of the book contains detailed biographical information, fully documented on Hunter, Dickey and Lathrop descendants, there is a full name index and many photographs of family members. This is an attractive readable genealogy.

HERITAGE - THE HISTORY AND GENEALOGY OF THE DONALDSON AND WHALEY FAMILIES OF BATH COUNTY, KENTUCKY, AND THEIR DESCENDANTS, O. Clyde Donaldson, 1979, 8 1/2 x 11, Library, Offset, 196 pages, Indexed, O. Clyde Donaldson, 7 Interlachen Road, Hopkins, MN 55343, $20.00, $1.50.

This family history is a well-written account of the family of the author, starting with William Donaldson in 1792 posting a marriage bond in Staunton, VA continuing down to the present generation, some of whom reside in California. Beyond being a well documented family history, this illustrates the settling of the United States as the family moved west to Montgomery County KY then on to Illinois, Indiana and further west. The first part of the book is a narrative account of the family, while in the second half there are detailed family group sheet, a bibliography, some family photographs, and a full name index. In the appendix, the full text of some of the most important family documents is given.

FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH VESTRY BOOKS 1742 - 1781 VOLUME I & II, Rosalie Edith Davis, 1981, 8 1/2 x 11, soft, offset, 220 pages, Indexed - full name, Heritage Trails, Mrs, Rosalie E. Davis, 923 La Cherie Drive, Manchester, MO 63011, $16.50.

This book should be a boon to Virginia Researchers - better than the original, certainly, much easier to read. It is a complete transcription of the Minutes of the Vestry
meetings. Volume I includes names and accounts of the poor; names of people paid for services, some deaths and removals; names of parishioners of land over a forty year span. Volume II has names and some information on indentured children and parishioners returns, many of which gives all adjoining land owners. The appendix lists minister, vestrymen, clerks and sextons of Fredericksville Parish, Virginia.


This is an interesting book and quite unlike the usual genealogy. There is no index as such but rather 24 different tables; some being Cemetery Information, Lines of Descent; Author's Direct Ancestors and Collateral Relatives. These various tables function as the index. The first few chapters deal with the mechanics of Jewish research. In later chapters, each family is treated separately. Much detail including information on the European origins of the families is presented in both narrative and chart form. There are photographs of family members and illustrations of representatives documents and letters. This well done book should be an addition to an underdeveloped facet of genealogical literature.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATH CERTIFICATES, CAMBRIA CO., PENNSYLVANIA, Mrs. Betty J. Mulhollen (Mrs. O. L.), 1972, 9 1/4 x 6 1/8, Soft cover, Offset, 39 pages, Indexed, Mrs. Betty J. Mulhollen, 604 North West St., Ebensberg, PA 15931, $6.00, $.60.

Consists of detailed information concerning each of 40 births, 83 marriages, and 29 deaths which occurred between 1850 and 1855 in Cambria County, Pennsylvania. Lists of births contained all of available information showing date and place of birth, name of mother and father, occupation of father, race and sex of child, attending physician, and on some the date of filing of this information. Lists of marriages show name of bride, and groom, parents of both, occupation of bridegroom, birthplace of both bride and groom, date and place of marriage and the person officiating. When a parent of either of the principals was deceased and the remaining parent had remarried, at times that information is given. The list of deaths gives not only the name of the deceased but parents of deceased, siblings, if any, name of person who was married to deceased, as well as date of birth and death and place of commitment.


This book covers the descendants of Henry Garnsey, 1692, of Dorchester, MA and Joseph Guernise - Garnsey 1688 of Stamford, CT. The dictionary format of the genealogy is interesting and easy to use, The descendants are listed

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alphabetically, which makes finding a specific person easy. A numbering system is used which enables one to follow back a line of descent. By use of extensive abbreviations, a great deal of information is contained in each entry. When unproven information is used it is labeled as such by the use of the word, 'probable or possible', otherwise, sources are cited. Since there is a vast amount of information contained in this book, it should be a welcome tool for anyone researching this line. The spouse surname index might be helpful to persons researching other New England lines. An interesting feature of this book is the unconditional money back guarantee offered by the author.

THE DECKER GENEALOGY, Benton Weaver Decker, Rear Admiral USN (ret.), 1980, 8 1/2 x 11, Hard cover, 362 pages, Indexed, Admiral B. W. Decker, 1086 Bangor Street, San Diego, CA 92106, $75.

THE DECKER GENEALOGY, SOME DESCENDANT OF THE DUTCH IMMIGRANTS, JOHANNES GERRETSEN (DECKER) AND JAN BROERS EN DECKER, as its' subtitles hints, deals with two unrelated immigrants who took the same surname sometime after arriving in America. The genealogy deals with the descendants of each immigrant in a very clear, concise manner. The problem of keeping these two families separate is well managed. The book is divided into two sections and each individual is identified by an easily understood numbering system. There are 14,000 individuals listed in THE DECKER GENEALOGY, so it should be of interest to anyone researching a Decker line. It should also be useful in researching 17th and 18th century Dutch lines in the Hudson River counties of New York. The early generations are well documented in those counties. This is a well done book with a full name index and both the test and index are in large easy-to-read type.


Over 350 pedigree charts of Acadian ancestors submitted by their descendants. Some old and new photographs are included as well as origins of some Acadian names. Acadian surnames on the charts include Achee'- Gallant, Allain, Babin, Bellisle, Beaux, Caissy, Dupre', Forest, Gotrot, Henry, Landry, Guilbot, Le Blanc, Ledet, Michel, Richard, Robichaux, Roger, and many, many others, including French-Canadians who inter-married with Acadians returning from exile in the mid to late 1770's.

THE GENEALOGICAL HISTORY OF DESCENDANTS OF CONRAD RARIK (1722 - 1790), HENRY RARIK (1755 - 1817) AND OTHER RARIKS, Alden J. Rarick, M. D., 1979, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Offset, 405 pages, Full name Index, Alden J. Rarick, M. D, 6 Carriage Lane, Danville, IL 61832, $16.75.

RARICK DESCENDANTS, has 3 pages of bibliography, covers nine generation in some lines. It is listed as Vol. I genealogical descendants of Conrad Rarick (1722 -1790) and Vol. II Henry Rarick (1755 - 1817) and descendants of son,
Phillip. This book also lists separate sketches of eleven other Rarick family groups in various states with no established relationship to the original groups available. There is also no documentation located establishing relationship of Henry to Conrad. Worth checking if you have a Rarick connection.

JOHN QUIGG, JR., (1779 - 1814) IMMIGRANT 1802, HIS ANCESTORS AND DESCENDANTS, WITH ALLIED FAMILIES, Sylvia C. Fuson Ferguson, 1977, 6 1/4 x 9 1/2, Hard cover, Offset, 230 pages, Indexed, Sylvia C. Ferguson, 200 West Church St., Oxford, Ohio 45056, $17.95, $1 postage.

Eight families, each given a chapter in this book are covered. John Quigg, Jr. immigrated in 1802 from County Derry Ireland, settled in Pennsylvania. He married had 2 sons and died in 1814 in eastern Pennsylvania having enlisted in the War of 1812. Considerable Irish history is given concerning the emigrants forebearers. Seven other allied families include Richard Swain (1610 - 1682) who came to America, 1635, from England; Thomas Frazier, 1750, from Scotland; Gustav Kramer, Conrad Kramer, and Wm. Kramer, 1856-9, from Germany; Henrietta Wiechman, 1862, from Germany; Edward H. Klute, 1851, from Germany; Florenz Miller, 1855, from Germany; and John Ferguson, 1832, from Scotland. There are brief notes on several other families, Barnard, Bunker, Folger, Gardner, Macy, Starbuck and Morris. This book should be of considerable interest to descendants tracing these families.

NAME INDEX TO THE HISTORY OF MILLS COUNTY, IOWA, 1881, Beverly Boileau, 1978, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft, 64 pages, Beverly Boileau, Route 1, Henderson, IA 51541, $5.00.

A complete name index to the 1881 HISTORY OF MILL COUNTY, IOWA, a rare book which has never been reprinted. For a $ .50 fee and SASE, the author will make xerox copies of specified pages, which should be a help to anyone with ancestors in Mills County, Iowa.

ERATH COUNTY, TEXAS MARRIAGE RECORDS 1869 - 1891 VOL. I, Compiled by the Erath County Genealogical Society, 1980, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Off-set, 106 pages, Indexed, Erath County Genealogical Society, P. O. Box 924, Stephenville, TX 76401, $9.95.

Burned Courthouse. Erath County, Texas was organized in 1856 from Bosque and Coryell Counties. Marriages start in 1869. Some marriages from Comanche, Hood, Eastland, Palo Pinto, Somerville, and Hamilton Counties were found recorded in this book. Both males and females listed in index. This is a nice reference book for marriages in this county. Seems to be well done and carefully edited. Original page of marriage book listed. Officials performing marriage included.

ERATH COUNTY, TEXAS MARRIAGE RECORDS 1891 - 1900 VOL. II, Erath County Genealogical Society, 1980, 8 i/2 X 11, Wrap, Offset, 96 pages, Indexed, Erath County Genealogical Society, P. O. Box 924, Stephenville, TX 76401, $15.

A well done Volume II of Erath County, Texas marriages.
Includes page numbers and where marriage appears in the original marriage books. Male and female included in index. Official performing marriage listed.

This is a most well done, informative record of the 1860 and 1870 Federal Census. This book also includes the 1860 Slave List and the 1867 Voters' Registration. Full information is given on the census records to make it a helpful tool in finding your ancestors. Indexed and pagination according to original census record. Very good work.

COMANCHE COUNTY, TEXAS CENSUS RECORDS, Weldon Hudson and Shirley Brittain Cawyer, 1981, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Offset, 91 pages, Indexed, Weldon I. Hudson, 2807 Cedar Park Blvd., Fort Worth, TX 76118, $10.
A most helpful, well done book. Includes - 1860 and 1870 Federal Census in a very complete form. Also, includes heads of households 1880 Census index, a special 1890 Census of Union veterans and widows, 1860 Slave list and 1867 Voters' Registration - if this doesn't prove a useful tool in rounding up all your relative of every nature in Comanche County then they aren't here.

GENEALOGICAL AND LOCAL HISTORY BOOKS IN PRINT, Compiled by Netti Schreiner-Yantis, 1981, 5 1/4 X 8 1/4, Soft cover, Offset, 1,000 pages, Indexed, Genealogical Books in Print, 6818 Lois Drive, Springfield, VA 22150, $15, VA residents 4% tax.
A catalog of over 10,000 titles which are grouped by General Reference, Research Sources by Locality, and Family Genealogies. Under General Reference, there are approximately 60 categories such as Heraldry, Military Pension, Newsletter, etc. Under General Reference, titles are identified first by state and then by county. Included in Family Genealogies are family newsletters and biographies, related lines are listed. Complete instructions are included on how to order any of the publications listed.

THE WESTERN BOUNDARY OF MARYLAND, Charles Morrison, 1976, 5 1/2 X 8 1/2, Soft Cover, Typeset, 110 pages, Indexed, Charles Morrison, 1117 Moler Ave., Hagerstown, MD 21740, $5.50 pp, MD residents 5%.
The history of the boundary dispute between Maryland and Virginia concerning Maryland's western boundary is discussed in detail. The dispute began in 1736 and was finally settled by the Supreme Court in 1910. The origin of the dispute was disagreement about where the Potomac River began.

FROM THEE...TO ME..., Regina Delores Leader Griess, 1980, 6 X 9, Library, 363 pages, No index, Regina D. Leader Griess, 7143 Soquel Drive, Aptos, California 95003, $19.95.
Written in a narrated form and containing many family photos, etched portraits from Europe, charts, maps, and

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Mrs. Finney has traced the lineages of her great-grandparents' families forward from their births in Italy in the early 1800's to the United States, where most lived in the area of Denver, Colorado. The book is divided into four sections tracing the descendants of Antonio Ursetta, Raffaela Veraldi, Giacomo Piccoli and Angelo Raffael Aciero. Many photographs and personal sketches.


The "Bicentennial Tribute" is in prose, a short biography, but the rest of the book is in verse, the subject of this Phillip Hamman, the head of the family from which many sprung. In verse is given facts about the history of his times—1750 – 3 Aug 1832, The Palatinate (present day Germany) 1750-1772; Kentucky 1782-1821; Jackson Co., Alabama 1821-3 Aug 1832—the events that shaped and effected his life through his many interests in life, that of soldier and scout, adventurer, farmer, landholder, devoted husband and beloved father, and finally Minister of the Gospel. The verse is very readable and the anecdotes are interesting.


For anyone with an Adams in their background, this semi-annual publication appears to offer a virtual goldmine of research material. Whether or not one subscribes, he is asked to submit a 3 X 5 card headed with the name of each of their Adams ancestors, with known data beneath the name, and their name and address on the reverse. There is no fee to register your Adams forebears, and subscribers interested in your line will be given your address. A family group sheet is provided with this issue and each subscriber is asked to submit one or more group sheets detailing their Adams descent. Subscribers have free query privileges; other must pay $1.50 for each 50-word query, which will be published as space permits. If you are not an Adams descendant, your friends who do have an Adams line will need to know about this publication.

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This book has been interestingly written and is good reading from a historical viewpoint, as well as furnishing genealogical and biographical details regarding ancestor John Blue, founder of the Blue family in Hampshire Co., VA (now West Virginia). Attractive illustrations by Dale Fleming are shown. It tells of the westward migration of members of John Blue's family through Ohio and Illinois to Kansas. It discusses some other families that had settled in Hampshire Co., after migration from New Amsterdam (New York). This book should become a unique family document for those descended from or related to John Blue (1691-1770).


This is a nice collection of direct ancestor family charts, most traced back several generation. Nicely arranged alphabetically with a good record of dates, places, church, etc. Sometimes occupations are given.


This book deals with the descendants of Robert and Elizabeth Mansfield (sons: Andrew and Joseph) who came to Lynn, Massachusetts in 1639. There are five major parts: 1) Introduction which includes a chart of settlements. 2) Genealogy of the 12 Mansfield generations, with variation of the name (from Mansfeald to Mansfilld). 3) Detailed charts with places of residence. 4) Abstracts on unrelated Mansfields. 5) Three Indices. The authors have included small details which will thrill Mansfield researchers (Essex Court records give his name as Joshua Witt... also shown as "J. Wait"), and listed all references in the body of the paragraph. These references came from many sources: the standard courthouse records plus town histories, directories, and private manuscripts. An impressive book!


A biography and local history of Union, Henderson and Webster counties. Contains excellent drawing and some pictures. Has many good sketches (pencil), some photographs, maps, much primary information. The author has done much research and covers the history of Western Kentucky from 1811 to 1812, telling of public auction, early trials, early travel, courthouse preaching, the Great Earthquake, first steamboat on the Ohio, beginning of the War of 1812, calling of the state militia, the great revivals and their

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influence, and much more. The story of the Casey family is written like a novel. A great help for those researchers working in the above listed counties.

THE LIFE OF REV. JOHN WITHERS, George B. Simpson, 1979, 7 3/4 X 10 1/2, Soft Cover, Typeset, 101 pages, Indexed, George B. Simpson, P. O. Box 303, Sturgis, KY 42459, $12.50.

A biography of a pioneer preacher who traveled the early trails of Union, Webster, and Henderson Counties Kentucky. Contains photographs and pencil sketches, maps and a family tree. There is a great deal of primary research, describes a Union County Court case of 1815-1816, lists of fellow soldiers of Rev. Samuel Withers (son of Rev. John Withers), who was a member of John Hunt Morgan's Civil War Invaders. Mentions many family names in Union, Webster and Henderson counties, contains several family poems.


This is an excellent genealogy documented with courthouse, church, and Bible records, The Landry family first came to Maryland in 1755 and were in Louisiana by 1769. They were first at Martinsville, then Opelousas by 1780, and Vermilion Parish, LA 1850 - 1880. Family photographs and newspaper clippings make this book very special. A welcome addition to Acadian Genealogy.


Wyoming Co. was formed 1850 from Logan Co., VA. In 1860 Wyoming Co. was in VA and in 1863 became part of West VA. All of the information was copied from the microfilm in dwelling order. Indexed by surname.


This book is about ROSEWELL, an eighteenth century mansion, built in 1725 by the aristocratic Page family of Virginia. Middle Plantation, site of ROSEWELL, is an historic site, once the site of Indian settlements and now shared with the town of Williamsburg, once the capital of Virginia. The creation of ROSEWELL and Middle Plantation was borne by five consecutive generation of the PAGE family, starting with Col. John PAGE. ROSEWELL is on the National Register of Historic Places and is a registered Virginia Historic Landmark. "ROSEWELL", the book, chronicles the planning, the site, the architecture, the construction, the families, the decline, the destruction and the disposition of the properties. Included is much information on the owners and occupants, including wills of
several of the early Page men. The author has done a magnificent work, carrying the reader from inception to destruction of ROSEWELL and supplying much interesting information along the way. "ROSEWELL", the book, would be a valuable and treasured addition to any library, especially if the owner is interested in the early history of Virginia and the PAGE and related families (Chiles, Digges, Tyler, Burwell, Nelson, Jones, Greaves, Lowther, Tayloe, Mann, Grymes, Lucken, Whaley, Jones, Wray).

SULLIVAN AND PERRY FAMILY HISTORY, Mary A. Sullivan Fleetwood, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Offset, 201 pages, No index, although the table of contents serves as a partial one, Mary A. Fleetwood, 601 W. Sylvania Dr., Brandon, FL 33511, $15.95, Mailing included.

The book starts with a table of contents which serves as a partial index. This is followed by recollections by the author, some pictures, and a descent of family from the Emperor Charlemagne. The first family treated is Sullivan, followed by Wynne, Perry, Berryhill and Henderson. For descendants, the book serves its purpose of setting forth the descendants and data on them. The book is clear and easy to follow.

FROM TIDEWATER TO TRADEWATER, George B. Simpson, 1979, 6 X 8 1/2, Soft cover, Typeset, 128 pages, Indexed, George B. Simpson, P. O. Box 303, Sturgis, KY 42459, $15.43 pp and tax included.

This book is a biography of the Rev. W. W. Wynns (1839-1900), a Cumberland Presbyterian Minister, telling of his education, religious Ministry and personal eccentricities. His travels took him through North Carolina and Kentucky. The book is filled with much background on the family. There are pedigree charts and many illustrations of both family and the churches he served. The book is full of land records, marriage records, etc. The full name index also contains place names. Follow the Minister through Union, Henderson, Webster, Hopkins, Crittenden and Livingston Counties of Kentucky.

CUMBERLAND COMMANDER, BIOGRAPHY OF JAMES THOMAS BARBEE, 1838-1920, George B. Simpson, 1980, 6 1/2 X 9 1/2, Soft cover, Typeset, 138 pages, Indexed, George B. Simpson, P. O. Box 303, Strugis, KY 42459. $16.95 pp and tax included.

This biography of Rev. James T. Barbee (1838-1920) is well done. It tells of his education, experiences during the Civil War, where and how he preached and traces his Missionary trails through Tennessee and Kentucky. He served with the Seventh Tennessee during the Civil War and his experiences are given. The book contains many illustrations and maps as well as a full name index. There are many insights into what life was like for a Cumberland Presbyterian Minister and his family. The book is done in a very readable style.


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A very well done book on the story of "Tangier" Smith or Col. Wm. Smith who was one of the early Chief Justices of the Province of New York and his large land holdings on Long Island in Suffolk Co. Col. Smith was born in Northamptonshire, England 2 Feb. 1654/5, died Manor of St. George, Setauket, L. I., 18 Feb. 1704/5. The descendants are traced down to the present and include Franklin D. Roosevelt. The book is indexed and contains a map of the manorial grant to Wm. Smith.

KEITH KINFOLKS, Larry King, 1979, 7 1/4 X 10 1/4, Hard bound, Typeset, 363 pages, Indexed, Larry King, 100 Longview Dr., Hendersonville, TN 37075, $25. (20% discount allowed if ordered by libraries, Genealogical/Historical Societies, and if payment accompanies order.)

Traces James Keith, Sr. born in England in 1720 to America as an infant to present generation. Many pictures in this very clearly numbered and readable listing of names with their dates of birth, dates of marriages and to whom, names of children, and date of death and sometimes much other information is given. Occupations and/or church affiliations is sometimes included. Numbering is given first by generation and then a hyphen is used and each individual is given a number. This is a very interesting and readable book, with pictures and description of individuals. This is a very worthwhile and fine family history. A family of whom anyone would be proud, and worthily represented here.


The book includes carefully documented genealogies of many settling and related families in the Burtonsville, Maryland area; also a chart to determine relationships based on a system used in courts of law. Hardcover on acid free pages, it is in its 2nd printing.
WEST-BAKER-HODGES, A NEW YORK TO WISCONSIN 1836-1846, Beatrice West Seitz, 1971, 8 1/2 X 11, Library, Offset, 202 pages, Surname index, Mrs. Murle R. Seitz, 214 W. Van Buren St., Janesville, WI 53545, $15, $1 postage, 4% for WI res.

This book is actually three different parts, covering the descendants of Stephen Gano West, who began to arrive in Wisconsin in 1836; Joseph Barker, whose family came in 1838; and William Hodges who brought his family in 1846. All three families came from New York state and settled in adjoining townships of Walworth County, Wisconsin. They later intermarried so that the author is descended from all three lines. All three families were of English origin and each family is traced back to the original emigrants from England to the colonies in the 1630-1640 period. There are separate indexes for each of the three parts. A number of family photographs are included.


The story of Frederick Oyer, a German workman immigrated to America 1764, settled in Herkimer Co., NY (6 Aug. 1777) during the Revolutionary War. Includes documentation of the battle. Records and charts are of his children and step-son, John Finster, a weaver. Ask that descendants will read the story and supply information to bring the book up to date. Provides a wealth of information of his descendants as well as the descendants of his step-son. Sources and documentation sighted throughout the book.

THE PEDENS OF SOUTHWEST VIRGINIA AND SOUTHCENTRAL KENTUCKY, Henry C. Peden, Jr., 1978, 5 1/2 X 8 1/4, Soft cover, Offset, 126 pages, No index, Henry C. Peden, Jr., 2502 Hanson Rd, Edgewood, MD 21040, $10 pp.

The format is very unusual in that after some maps, general discussion of the family and a chronological listing of deeds and land grants of neighbors of the early Pedens, each of the descendants of John Peden (1743-1815) and his wife are listed in alphabetical order if their last name is Peden or their married name is Peden, with their pertinent dates of birth, marriage, death and a listing of children. Many dates and sources given reflecting much work and attention to detail.

EMANUEL SAVOY TO AMERICA, Garvin R. Emanuel, July 1969, 5 1/2 X 8 1/2, Soft cover, Typewritten, 32 pages, No index, Mr. Garvin Emanuel, 213 Millstream Drive, Huntsville, AL 35806, No price given.

The little book consists of "notes on many Emanuel families". It is a collection of tidbits about individuals and families who have the surname; Emanuel. They are not related to one immigrant or common ancestor, according to the author's research. Because there is no common link, the author asks his readers for any information they might have on other Emanuel's. Included in this work are variations of the name and records of families in the states of Pennsylvania, Virginia, Georgia, and the Carolinas.
THE SEARCH FOR ANCESTORS (A SWEDISH-AMERICAN FAMILY SAGA), H. Arnold Barton, 6 X 9, library, 178 pages, Indexed, Southern Illinois University Press, P. O. Box 3697, Carbondale, IL 62901, $11.95

A metaphor for the Swedish migration to America in the mid-nineteenth century. Swen Swensson family traced by a descendant, provides a model for genealogical research. Illustrated with 12 family portraits and 6 generation charts.


The book is written in narrative style of Ebner Bradley of Connecticut and Vermont and his descendants. It concerns the time from 1761 until the early 1900's, and the migrations into Ohio, Missouri and California. There are many anecdotes and stories of human interest.


THE DESCENDANTS OF JOHN SWARTZ, SR. (1760?-1817) OF SAUMSVILLE, SHENANDOAH CO. VA, B. K. Swartz, Jr., 8 1/2 X 11, Not Bound, Mimeo, 110 pages, Indexed, B. K. Swartz, Jr., 3600 Brook Drive, Muncie, IN 47304, Write for price.

This is a prelimarly genealogical compilation as a more detailed genealogy is planned. Descendants in this study are of John Swartz, Sr. (whose will was proved 1817, Saumsville, VA) and wife, Susannah Lehman.

ARCHAEOLOGICAL REPORTS - NUMBER 14, ETHNOHISTORICAL AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL DESCRIPTIVE ACCOUNTS OF THE WAR OF 1812-MISSISSINEW CAMPAIGN AND AFTERNATH: PROJECT REPORT, Elizabeth J. Glenn, B. K. Swartz, Jr., and Russell E. Lewis, B. K. Swartz - editor, 1977, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Mimeo, 325 pages, No index, B. K. Swartz, Jr., Dept. of Anthropology, Ball State University, Muncie, IN 47306, Price not given.

Archaeological documentation of the activities of the Battle of the Mississinewa fought between U. S. troops and the Miami Indians, 18 Dec. 1812 and the related role of the
Miami and Delaware villages in the area-Grant and Wabash Counties, Indiana. List Military Units participating in the battle; plat maps, survey maps and U.S. survey maps of the battle area; material culture—Army equipment and merchandise, Indian trade goods, etc.; References listed.

SPRINGFIELD, GREENE COUNTY, MISSOURI INHABITANTS IN 1880, Wm. Kearney Hall, 8 3/4 X 11 1/4, Library, Offset, 405 pages, Indexed, Wm. Kearney Hall, 33 Westmoreland Pl., St. Louis, MO 63108, $10.

Very well done with additional information from Directory lists, newspaper clippings—very valuable information concerning each family listed. Some marriages and obituaries. A most unusual census. Index alone comparable to many census indexes that have been published.


A well-done family history which includes much history of the localities where the families lived. It is a record of three Simms brothers: Richard, who migrated to Montgomery Co., Indiana; and Rhodam and Presley who moved on to Rolls Co., Missouri. Each fought in the Revolution and each lived to almost 100 years of age. The book is well documented and copies of many records are included. It is a useful tool for any Simms descendants, well indexed, and a fine book for the money.

THE FAMILY OF JOHANNES GERMANN IN AMERICA, Leo H. Garman, 1979, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Typeset, 388 pages, Indexed, Leo H. Garman, 449 Parkview, Elmhurst, IL 60126, $18.

Genealogy of Johannes Germann (German) born 1 July 1814 in Switzerland. He came to the United States in 1841 with his wife, Elizabeth Holznes and settled in Columbana Co., Ohio. Johannes Germann, whose name later became John German, and his wife had 15 children, 4 who died in childhood. (An index to names of persons marrying into the family is listed on 13 pages in the back of the book.) A listing of all descendants, reflecting marriages, vital statistics and children up to the present day. A great source for those researching the German family.

JAMES HART AND HIS DESCENDANTS, WITH ALLIED FAMILIES, Charles Gerton Hart, 1976, 6 1/4 X 9 1/4, Hard cover, 440 pages, Mrs. Charles G. Hart, 1545 Parrish Place, Jacksonville, FL 32205, $20 pp.

This is well prepared history and genealogy of the Hart family of Bedford Co., Tennessee and Edgefield Co., South Carolina. The oldest ancestor being James Hart (ca 1750-1830), who with his wife, Elizabeth, had 6 children. One son, Henry, migrated to Bedford Co., Tennessee and another son, Derryl, migrated to Chambers Co., Alabama. Six allied families included in the book are John Railey (Rev. Soldier of VA, Carolinas and Tennessee); Gossoge (England, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Tennessee); Randolph (Illinois); Wasson (Tennessee and Illinois); Dixon

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(Tennessee and Illinois); and Morris (South Carolina, Tennessee, Alabama). It should be of much help to descendants tracing their ancestors.

BRADLEY COUNTY TENNESSEE 1840 FEDERAL CENSUS, Compiled by Sheridan C. Randolph, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Mineo, 72 pages, Indexed, The Book Shelf, 3765 Hillsdale Dr. N. E., Cleveland, TN 37311, $6.

Population statistics of 1840 Census. Name of head of household with age grouping of others in household. Also includes; list of Rev. War Soldiers in Bradley Co., TN, a list of individual with professions, a list of individuals engaged in commerce and other statistical data for this census year. A useful tool for anyone researching this county in 1840


Abstract of the name of the deceased and date died and cause of death if stated. Date of the paper in which it appeared is given. Approximately 900 deaths are found in this small but useful publication. A great finding tool for the researcher looking for an ancestor who may have died in this county.

MARRIAGE NOTICES IN THE CLEVELAND BANNER 1865-1883, William R. Snell and Virginia Faye Taylor; Published by Bradley Co. Historical Society, 1982, 8 1/2 X 5 1/2, Wrap, Offset, 30 pages, Index to brides, marriages in alphabetical order by grooms name, The Book Shelf, 3765 Hillsdale Dr., N. E., Cleveland, TN 37311, $4.

Both the date of marriage (1st date) and date the marriage appeared in the paper are listed. The compiler stated "This booklet should be used in conjunction with Elizabeth Cate Manly's Marriage Book I, Bradley Co., TN. While a number of names are duplicated in her book and this booklet, many other names are listed for the first time, A nice publication and should be very useful.

CHART - BELKNAP FAMILY TREE AND PEDIGREE - CHART #2, R. B. Taylor, 2 ft X 24 ft., Rolled in a tube, Blueprint, 1 long sheet, R. B. Taylor, 1812 Ortiz, Las Vegas, NV 89102, $20pp, NV residents only tax.

These charts, blueprinted into one long roll, outline the lineage of Abraham Belknap, the immigrant, whose ancestral home was Sawbridgeworth, County Hertford, England, who settled in Lynn/Salem MA 1635 with his family. Abraham married Mary Stallion 28 Oct. 1617 in England. The author details various Belknap lines, one of which provides the Belknap ancestry of Spencer Kimball, leading Elder of the Latter Day Saints, and includes the Belknap Coat of Arms, and names and addresses of many Belknap descendants. References are provided for information included on the Chart. The Chart format is well-suited for the purpose of
presenting this family, rolling the chart from left to right to locate one's own Belknap line before proceeding, and in the process of research carrying each side as a roll, or scroll. This is an interesting presentation, historically accurate, and one that all Belknap descendants may wish to have.


This book is an excellent cross section of parish records. High points of the book are: 1) History of the church with lists of pastoral leaders, vestrymen, and wardens from 1831-1841, 2) List of communicants, 3) Lists of baptisms which include the parent's names and some sponsors, 4) Marriages which usually include the place of residence and witnesses, 5) Burials and Confirmations. Although this is an Episcopal parish, there is a smattering of German and Dutch names from across the Troy Hill area - an interesting collection of early material.

SOLDIERS OF THE REVOLUTION IN CLARK CO., OHIO (PART I), Clark County Historical Society, 1976, 9 X 6, Wrap, Typeset, 38 pages, Indexed, Clark County Historical Society, 300 West Main St., Springfield, Ohio 45504, $3.

This book contains a brief biography of 40 soldiers of the Revolution who settled in Clark Co., (and a supplemental list of soldiers of the area whose records can be found in DAR rosters and DAR Patriot Index). These biographical sketches include the veteran's place of birth; regiment he served in; names of his wife and children; migration pattern of the family; and the date of his death. As an additional help to researchers, there is a list of references following each biography, and also the name and address of the person who submitted the biography. Clean, neat print, a boon for Clark Co. research.

TO MAKE A HOME IN PIONEER CASS COUNTY, ILLINOIS, Majorie C. Taylor, 1979, 6 7/8 X 8 3/8, Paperback, 129 pages, Indexed, Majorie C. Taylor, 282 South Cass Street, Virginia, IL 62691, $8.

A most interesting history of and collection of early Cass County, Illinois ways of life as told by descendants of the early settlers of the area giving reasons for going there, what they found when they arrived, how they survived settling ordeals, and their ways of life, revealing many lost arts of homemaking. Anecdotes often named those involved. Accounts of reunion, naming many who attended. Includes many illustrations. This book received the Award of Merit from the Illinois State Historical Society in 1980.

BATEMAN FAMILY GENEALOGY, Harris Bateman, 1979, 9 X 7, Soft cover, Offset, 73 pages, Partial index - contains a family directory, Harris Bateman, 2135 East 59th Place, Tulsa, OK 74105, $3.50pp.

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Traces Bateman Family and the related lines of Bertrand, Cayce, Drake, Ewell, Gantt, Garrison, Hanks, Hanson, Harris, Harrison, Jeffries, Lacy, Montgomery, Richards, Shackleford, Slade, Stewart, Strong, Weems and Wolf. Excellent family charts which show these family relationships. Many of the families date from 1700's and some are brought nearly up to present time. Very little documentation.


This book is a compilation of records of various families obtained from many sources and the historical contents are primarily prior to 1870 in Pennsylvania and several other states. Although it is not indexed, it is well documented with maps, Coats of Arms, histories, church records and an abundance of material for anyone researching this surname.

OUT OF THE MIDWEST, A PORTRAIT, FAYETTE CO., IOWA, Edited by Helen Moeller, 1976, 8 5/8 X 11 1/4, Hardcover, Typeset, 562 pages, Full name index, Fayette County Historical Center, 100 No. Walnut, West Union, IA 52175, $20, $2p.

This book begins with a description of the Northeast portion of Iowa, with its intelligent and energetic people, then goes specifically to Fayette County, first by periods of development, then by townships. It is made up mostly of short articles by eyewitnesses, or members of their families, and are informative and sometimes amusing. Many informal biographies are contained in its pages, and reprints from newspapers, pictures, maps and even a few poems make these people live for the reader. Facts and figures abound so that it is not only interesting reading but great source material for genealogical research.

GERMAN FAMILY RESEARCH MADE SIMPLE, J. Konrad, 1982, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft bound, 103 pages, Indexed, Summit Publications, P. O. Box 222, Munroe Falls, OH 44262, $7.

J. Konrad has given the German researcher a super tool. GERMAN FAMILY RESEARCH MADE SIMPLE is just what the title indicates: an elementary level book that is easy to follow. The author is clear and concise, and frequently defines vocabulary associated with Germans. There is a straightforward approach given to the history of the German peoples in terms of the areas and their links to genealogical research. This introduces the plan of the book: researching according to the area that your German immigrant came from. It is this type of precise information that spells success for the researcher of German lines. Maps, flow charts, a sample letter, and a list of German vocabulary make this an excellent addition to the overseas research library.

FAMILY ASSOCIATIONS, SOCIETIES, AND REUNIONS, J. Konrad (editor), 1981, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft-bound, 68 pages, No index, but is set up alphabetically, Summit Publications, P. O. 222, Munroe Falls, OH 44262, $5.

This book contains the names and addresses of about 1200 families and family associations, from Aamold to Zingsheim.
The listings are in semi-alphabetical order (Leboe is listed before Lambert, and Nix before Neely), so a quick glance of all surnames with the same letter is necessary. It has clear, large print - very easy to check for your surnames.

**THE LEARNED FAMILY IN AMERICA 1630 - 1967**, Eugenia Learned James, 1967, 5 3/4 X 8 3/4, Hardcover, Typeset, 406 pages, Indexed, Marion Learned Grundy, 426 Westmoreland Ave. Waukegan, IL 60085, $22.50pp. This is a compilation of descendants of William Learned who arrived in the Massachusetts Bay Colony in 1630 from County Surrey, England with Winthrop's fleet. It is strictly factual and concise - there is no written matter other than the data on births, deaths, marriages, etc. Occasionally there will be a brief statement such as "he was a professor at MIT" etc. The index covers 44 pages, with triple columns, so there are many descendants listed.

**COMPLETE INDEX GUIDE VOLS I - X, SUPPLEMENTS 1-7, DICTIONARY OF AMERICAN BIOGRAPHY**, 1981, 6 X 9, Soft cover, Typeset, 214 pages, Charles Scribner's Sons Publishers, 597 Fifth Ave., New York, NY 10017, $10.95 The DICTIONARY OF AMERICAN BIOGRAPHY is a listing of individual biographies of non-living, significant Americans. The base set gives date of birth and death, page number, name of contributor as well as an index to contributors, place of birth, school and college, and occupation. Subject index separate from name index. This index covers the entire re-issued set of Dictionary of American Biography in one alphabet. List over 17500 names. This index gives only Volume number, as each volume is in alphabetical order. Before this the user had to check 2 indexes if he did not know the death date of the person he was looking for. Cross references to distinguish between persons of the same name. This index is a must for everyone doing American genealogy. Published under the auspices of American Council of Learned Societies by Charles Scribners Sons Publishers.

**THE FAMILY OF RICHARD SMITH OF SMITHTOWN, LONG ISLAND - TEN GENERATIONS**, Frederick Kinsman Smith, 1967, 7 X 10, Hardcover, Typeset, 716 pages, Indexed, Smithtown Historical Society, P. O. Box 69, Smithtown, NY 11787, $25, $1 handling. Beautifully compiled genealogy on the Smith family from the time 22 year old Richard Smith arrived in America (Long Island) 1635 to present day, with illustrations including coat of arms of English ancestors, book plate and original deed of 1688. A record of the Smiths of Smithtown and the part it played in early development of Long island. Through marriage this family has been allied to many of the earlier families of Long Island.

Association, Robert H. Kimball III, 9 Ridgeway Ave., Needham, MA 02192, $35.

This is a limited edition reprint sponsored by the Kimball Family Association in exact reproduction of the 1897 print, and includes all pictures and full color coat-of-arms that appeared in the original work. Although the title indicates the book includes the Kimball Family from 1634 (the year in which Richard Kimball, the common ancestor of the majority of Kimballs in this country, and his family embarked at Ipswich, England, arriving at Boston Harbor, and from there to Watertown MA) onward. There is a considerable amount of material included taking this family back to Merry Old England, as early as 1532, including Kimball Wills in England. This is an excellent reference work, the index alone occupying 126 pages, It should be noted that only the names of those connected by birth or marriage with the Kimball family are given, and names mentioned incident in the text are not indexed. The publisher welcomes inquiry about the Kimball Family Association.

COLLIRENE THE QUEEN HILL, Rose Lyon Traylor and June Middleton Albaugh, 1977, 7 1/4 X 10 1/4, Hardbound, 304 pages, Part 1 (History) Indexed, Mrs. Hamilton Albaugh, 144 Forest Drive, Short Hills, NJ 07078, $16.

A chronicle of Collirene in Lowndes County Alabama and the families of Coffey, Dudley, Dunklin, Lyon, Middleton, Pierce and Rives. The writers use a diary, letters and a ledger to show the daily life on a plantation. Acknowledgements, bibliographies and footnotes are used to document events from Revolution thru Civil War and Two World Wars. The book is divided into two parts, Part I- History and Part II- Families. The section on families is not indexed, There are illustrations of pioneers and their homes. Beautifully done and well documented.

ABRAHAM HARDING FAMILY BOOK, Glen F. Harding, M. D., 1979, 8 3/4 X 11 1/4, Library, Offset, 714 pages, Indexed, Glen F. Harding, M. D., 2737 Pierce Ave., Ogden, Utah 84403, $27, $2 Mailing.


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Two first class source books for the genealogist with problems in Civil War or Colonial War research. Each begins with a brief history and a map of the major strategies. Next are tips and suggestions for dealing with the
National Archives and also individual state archives (included are the addresses for all states). A long list of publications follows, with details concerning burial indexes, filed reports, and claims. The final page consists of a list of book stores across the U. S. that specialize in these subjects. Both books for every genealogical library.


If you suspect that you have an ancestor coming into the New York or New Jersey area between 1600 and 1825 this book will be an invaluable aid. There are lists and articles containing over 8,500 names in this well done book. Many of the lists contain date, name of boat, Captain of boat, as well as the passengers, telling in some cases where he came from, his age and family. An excellent background book.

WHISKEY REBELS, Leland D. Baldwin, C 1939 and 1967, 6 X 8, Soft cover, Typeset, 326 pages, Indexed, University of Pittsburgh Press, 127 N. Bellefield Ave., Pittsburgh, PA 15260, $4.95, $ .75 mailing, 6% PA residents.

This is the story of the so called Whiskey Rebellion in Western Pennsylvania of the 1790's. This is a very well researched and documented book on a very exciting incident in our early history when the government first tried to impose its whiskey tax. The chapter notes and bibliography are very extensive and complete. There is a full name index that also includes places. Well worth the price.


This book is mostly reproduced group sheets of Mr. Taylor's family. These Taylors are from Lincolnshire, England. George Taylor, born 1778, married Christina Barnett in 1803 and came to the United States in 1805. He died in 1853 in Richmond, Virginia.

HISTORY OF ST. MARY'S COUNTY, MARYLAND, Regina Combs Hammett, 1977, 8 1/2 X 11, Hard cover, Offset, 546 pages, Indexed, Regina Combs Hammett, General Delivery, Ridge, MD 20680, $15, $1.50 mailing, $ .75 tax MD residents only.

This is a really well researched county history. As Maryland's oldest county, there has been a great need for this book which has over 100 illustrations and a dozen maps. It is very well documented. The colonial period has chapters on early settlers and their way of life. See St. Mary's county as it continues toward the American Revolution and then the War of 1812. There is a chapter on the Civil War showing many who fought for the North and those who fought for the South. There are chapters that trace Post Offices, past and present land marks, communication by telephone, growth of county newspapers, and also transportation (road system, county railroad, and the century long steam-boat era). There are chapters on farming. Also
important lists of County Commissioners, Sheriffs, Clerks of the Circuit Court, Register of Wills, Judges, etc. Don't miss this if you have ancestors in this area of Maryland.

CARY-ESTES GENEALOGY (TWO VOLUMES), Helen Estes Seltzer, 1939 & 1981, 9 X 6, Library, Typeset, 203 & 473, Indexed, Helen Estes Seltzer, 825 Hallowell Dr., Huntington Valley, PA 19006, $35 each or $50 both volumes, No charge if payment in advance, otherwise $2 mailing, PA res. 6% tax.

VOL I THE CARY-ESTES GENEALOGY covers our ancestors from Renaissance Italy and England and Colonial America to 1939. Re-Print with "brief errata”. Sections for corrections based on Helen E. Seltzer research.

VOL II THE CARY-ESTES-MOORE GENEALOGY, provides additional early family history and brings the record up to the present. Some ancestors are Miles Cary from England to Virginia; Joel Estes, A Captain in the War of 1812; A Moore family, Scottish in origin and Methodist preachers in Tennessee. Other families mentioned with the Moores are Yates, Smith, Hill, Leak, Terry and Crawford families, all from North Carolina to Tennessee in early 1800's. Well documented.


This book takes a look at some allied families, identifying the early ancestors and tracing their descendants to Escambia County, AL. Chapters deal with the Jones, Sirmon, Higdon, Mixon, Brooks, Bryant and Bagget families. The source informations include wills, census, abstracts, tombstone inscriptions, marriage records, Bible records, military records and family information, many of which are detailed in the individual discussions or in the appendices. A great research aid on families, but unfortunately of questionable binding for this fine book.

KEY 1776-1972, Edward S. Key and Irene T. Sevier, 1972, 6 X 8 3/4, Library, Offset, 289 pages, Indexed, Edward S. Key, Sr., Route 2, Box 224, Key Lane at Hi-Way 90, Bedias, TX 77831, $9.50pp.

This book is nicely organized - very clear to anyone reading it. The Table of Contents shows the organization: a short chapter on the first generation of John Key (1776-1850) and Martha Davis, his wife; a chapter on each of their 6 children followed by a chapter on collateral families. The appendix includes pictures, a census, wills, letters, tax lists, maps and service records. There is an index of everyone in the book.

KEY 1776-1980, Second Edition, Edward S. Key, 1980, 7 X 8 1/4, Soft cover, Offset, 210 pages, Indexed, Edward S. Key, Sr., Route 2, Box 224, Key Lane at Hi-Way 90, Bedias, TX 77831, $8.50pp.

This is the second edition of the KEY 1776-1972 book and has additional data on the early Key generations, a greatly expanded listing of descendants of John Key's oldest son
Abel, an addendum to the first edition, additional documentation, and an index. The format is very clear and concise and easy to understand and follow.

HENRY SHARP DESCENDANTS, Elizabeth Eastwood and Helen Wickliffe, 1975, 8 1/2 X 11, Library, Offset, 263 pages, Indexed, Elizabeth C. Eastwood, 2 Bratenahl Place #13A, Cleveland, OH 44108, $25.

This family genealogy concerns Henry Sharp ca 1737-1800 and his wife Lydia Morgan and their descendants. It covers up thru the 8th generation with some being born as late as 1940's and living throughout the United States. It is primarily concerned with the areas of Sussex Co., New Jersey and Fayette Co., Pennsylvania and with the following allied families: Chalfant, Depuy, Silverthorn and Wheatly.

FIRST SUPPLEMENT OF ADDITIONS AND CORRECTIONS TO HENRY SHARP GENEALOGY, Elizabeth C. Eastwood, 1978, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Typeset, 57 pages, Indexed, Mrs. Elizabeth C. Eastwood, 2 Bratenhal Place #13A, Cleveland, OH 44108, $4.50.

Supplement includes additional information gathered on the Henry Sharp Family and Descendants (1737-1800) since publishing their book in 1975. It is indexed, but also designated the generation number and the page number in which information should be referred to in original book.


This directory list some 1000 active genealogical societies in the U. S. and Canada, by states; also independent genealogical publications, in alphabetical order. Compiler states present status of some societies and publications. If they did not respond to the mail inquiry that is also stated. Great research tool.

MC CONNAUGHEY AND VARIANTS, MORMON LIBRARY, SALT LAKE CITY, VOL # 1, Mc Connaughey Society of America, Inc., Patricia Mc Connaughey Gregory, Editor, Soft cover, Offset, 112 pages, Indexed, Mc Connaughey Society of America, P. O. Box 27051, 5410 S. Meridian, Indianapolis, IN 46227, $8pp.

This is a compilation of all the records on this name Mc Connaughey and variants in the Mormon Library in Salt Lake City, Utah. The source, page number and information is given. It is arranged by states and counties in the U. S. If one had an ancestor by this name, it would be a goldmine of information. No attempt is made to analyze the data. There is data on other surnames if connected with Mc Connaughey.


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This book contains the Cummington MA Vital Records for the years from the time of the settlement of Cummington in the 1760's to 1900. In addition, the place of origin of many of the early settlers are listed, and the destinations by state of many who moved on to the West, which should prove a boon in tracing families that migrated. There is a section on Cummington family lines, detailing the different branches of the same name, and an index to the graves in all Cummington cemeteries, with maps of each. Military records of Cummington residents in the Revolutionary and Civil Wars, U. S. Census Record of Cummington 1790 through 1880, and the same for Plainfield for 1790 and 1800. This is an excellent resource for libraries, and valuable research material for any whose ancestors lived in Cummington.

ST. CLAIR COUNTY, ALABAMA GENEALOGICAL NOTES, Mildred S. Wright, 1974, 5 1/2 X 9 1/2, Soft cover, Offset, 83 pages, Indexed, Mrs. Mildred S. Wright, 140 Briggs, Beaumont, TX 77707, $9.95, 5% tax TX residents.

This book contains Marriage returns of St. Clair County, Alabama 1855-1864, and Confederate veterans of 1907. The main feature of the book is cemetery records from the following: Zion Hill, Old Gum Springs, New Gum Springs, Kirby-Heald, Oldham Chapel, Mount Zion, Bethany, Harkey's Chapel, Hapewell. This is a very helpful book for those who have ancestors in this county.


Genealogy of Peter Coleman, ancestor of most of the Colemans of Kentucky and SW Virginia. He lived in Rowan County, North Carolina in 1790 and later in Grayson Co., Virginia. He is thought to be descended from one of four Coleman brother, William, Thomas, Nicholas, or Robert, who came to Virginia from Essex Co., England, between 1640 and 1650. Several of Peter Coleman's children settled in Pike Co., Kentucky. Includes short genealogies of associated families Adkins, Thacker, Justice. Everyname index.

INDEX TO THE 1850 CENSUS OF RANDOLPH Co., ILLINOIS, Yakima Valley Genealogical Society, 1976, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Offset, 215 pages, Surname index, Yakima Valley Genealogical Society, Box 445, Yakima, WA 98907, $10. WA residents 5.2% tax.

This is a complete transcription of the 1850 Randolph Co. Illinois Federal Census in the order the census taker visited the dwellings. Fully indexed, a great research tool.

GAFFIN FAMILY, Catherine Gaffin Lynn, 1969, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Offset, 80 pages, No index, Mrs. O. J. Lynn, 140 No. Central Ave., Centerville, TN 37033, $7, $1 mailing.

This book traces some of the descendants of James Gaffin, who served in the Revolutionary War from Schaghticoke,
New York and married Catherine Van Deusen about 1768. Some related lines are Carpenter, Dodson, Hoverland, and Ziegler. Family stories told in narrative style add interest, and the book is illustrated with maps and family photographs. Numbering system, but no index.

Gaffin Family Statistical and Biographical Sketches, Catherine Gaffin Lynn, 1969, 8 1/2 X 11, Wrap, Offset, 83 pages, No index, Mrs. O. J. Lynn, 140 North Central Ave., Centerville, TN 37033, $7, $1 mailing.

This genealogy is a story of the family of the author's father, Walter Clark Gaffin, Sr. (born 1875, near Leaf River, IL; died at McMinnville, TN). Seven generations of this Gaffin family are covered, mainly of descendants of Abraham Gaffin (b. 1779) and his wife Anna Carpenter, whom he married about 1800, and moved to Toronto, Canada, later to Illinois. Abraham was one of five children of Revolutionary War soldier James Gaffin. Connections with Carpenter, Dodson, Hoverland, Van Deusen, and Ziegler families are shown.


This is Vol. 3 of a 7 volume set of genealogical notes from the "Liberty Tribune" Clay Co., MO. Vol. 1 begins with 1846 and Vol. 7 ends in 1900. Anyone with ancestors in Clay Co. or her surrounding counties shouldn't be without this excellent series.

Ancestors and Descendants of James Milton Crisp and Wife Sarah Catherine, Orville B. Hoy, 1978, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Offset, 276 pages, Everyname index, Ancestor Publishers, P. O. Box 682, Dept RADC, Arvada, CO 80001, $21.50, $1.50 mailing.

Large well documented book with several photographs and charts. Weaving the documents into the story makes interesting reading. James Milton Crisp was born in 1834 near Spencer, Owen County, Indiana, where his parents John Crisp and Cassandra Coffey had moved from North Carolina. The Coffey family had lived in Essex, Spotsylvania and Albemarle Counties, Virginia. Some allied families are: Cole, Lobel, Foxwell, Buckland, Collier, Cotton, Burgess, Haskins, Caswell.


The descendants of Joseph and Elizabeth (Percival) Ashley of Rochester, MA, including early histories of the families of Percival, Rainsford, White, Vassalls, etc., also the descendants of Abraham and Susannah (White) Ashley. Includes Mayflower lineages, as well as histories of Rochester and Freetown, MA, Biographies, Custum House lists of whal-

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ing Ashleys. This is an interesting and helpful reference source, well-documented with interesting historical background. Information is given for various periods from early 1600's to present. An interesting feature is the index with birthdates of individuals. Anyone in any way connected to this Ashley line will find this a most complete book of biographies and historical source. Very well done book.

FUNKHOUSER - A SWISS-AMERICAN GENEALOGY, Frieda Funkhouser Wilson, 1980, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Offset, 278 pages, Indexed, Frieda Wilson, 2012 Wilkening Dr., Alton, IL 62002, $16, $1 mailing.

This book is well documented and covers a period from 1364-1978. Part I Fankhauser Genealogy in Switzerland. Every family in Switzerland has his homestead town. The homestead town of The Funkhaus (Fankhauser) is Trub in the Canton of Berne. Part II Fankhouser Family in America 1728-1978 Descendants of Christopher Funkhouser in Virginia, Kentucky, Arkansas, Illinois, and Indiana. Surname index. A very good source on Funkhouser families.

CHRIST AND ANNA, DESCENDANTS OF ANTON BACH, JACOB DAMM, JOHN HARTMAN, GEORGE KREMER, AND JOHN YOCUM, Patty Dahm Pascoe, 1980, 6 1/4 X 9 1/4, Library, Typeset, mimeo and various types, 443 pages, Indexed, everyname and subject or topographical, Mrs. Patty Dahm Pascoe, 3721 Scottley Dr., Sandusky, OH 44870, $35.

This is a magnificent volume, showing an immense amount of work by many members of a loving family, but principally by the compiler and author, Mrs. Patty Dahm Pascoe. It makes interesting reading even for one that is in no way related to the families of Damm/Dahm, Bach, Yocum/Yocom, Kre(a)mer, Konzen, Zimmer, and Hartman, but to anyone researching any of these and/or lateral branches of these families - what an amount of information awaits that person! More than that there is a wealth of photographs, snapshots and copies of vital statistics, laced together with fascinating anecdotes, written with compassion for those whose lives were difficult, with humor when it could be tastefully added. From the 1800's to the present, hundreds of family members are identified by birth date and date of death, and much more - their children are also named, dates and places of residence, down to numerous generation, mostly living in Ohio but reaching from Washington and California to New York, and back to Germany and France, to name only a few locations. A truly great book!


This book presents a concise history of the Brethren groups in general and Elder Miller's family in particular. It is well foot-noted with the sources of information cited. Very helpful to anyone in this or related families.
HISTORY AND MEMBERSHIP OF THE GRAVE HILL (ANTIOCH) CHRISTIAN CHURCH, SINGING CREEK VALLEY, CRAIG COUNTY, VIRGINIA, 1830-1871, Compiled by George Chapman Miller, Church Elder (1853-1871), copied and printed by Patricia Givens Johnson, 1974, 5 1/2 X 8 1/2, Wrap, Offset, 22 pages, No index, Patricia Givens Johnson, R. R. 2, Box 172, Christianburg, Va 24073, $3.

This pamphlet of 20 pages is a faithful re-print of the information originally documented by George Chapman Miller who was born in 1828 in Giles County, Virginia. He was a member of the Campbellite Church and an elder in the Gravel Hill Church. "No attempt was made to change, reorganize or place in proper sequence any part of the record." No index is contained in the publication, but this should not prove to be a problem due to its brevity.

JOHN WESLEY NEAL, DESCENDANTS AND ANCESTORS, 1653 TO 1968: A GENEALOGY, Jesse Harold Neal and Mary Haller Neal, 6 X 9, Library, Typeset, 160 pages, Indexed, Jesse H. Neal, Route 2, Box 338C, Auburn, AL 36830, $15 pp.

This book traces the descendants of John Wesley Neal, (born in 1844 in Sullivan Co., Missouri) and his wife Nancy Howell. The author begins with the Neal reunion held in 1925 and then traces each of John's thirteen children and their families forward. The third part of the book consists of John Neal's ancestors and traces the family back through several counties of Virginia - the earliest Neal is John Neale who came to Accomac Co., Virginia in 1630. Photographs add much to this book - also clear, clean printing.


A collection of columns originally published in the Pensacola Journal (Florida) over the past ten years dealing with regional history and folklore in Southwest Florida from about the 1920's until the early 1940's. Very good as historical background for this time period, but not a lot of genealogical material.


The second of a collection of columns originally published in the Pensacola Journal over the past decade, dealing with Deep South folklore and historical flavor. He has included a sampling of his comments about the region's wildlife, insects and flora. He has also included the personality of the people of this region. The period he is writing about is the 1920's until the early 40's. It probably will be of interest to anyone that might have grown up in the area or has ancestors in the area.


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The third of a series of a collection of columns originally published in the Pensacola Journal over the past decade. The author states that he has attempted to impart some distinctive Deep South folklore and historical flavor. Emphasis is on the West Florida heartland. In this series he has featured stories that he heard as a child from the Rev. James W. Judah, his maternal grandfather, and his Cousin Fitzhugh Arsweel, his father's first cousin. Both his grandfather and his cousin knew a lot about human nature, and each was blessed with a memory for humorous stories and with the ability to tell them. He has also included a small section involving his own grandchildren. He hopes the republication of some of his columns will help those who may take the region's rich cultural mix for granted, and to love the area by knowing it better.


This book covers the descendants of Francis Logan and his wife Hannah Trimble. Francis Logan emigrated to Virginia from New York and then to Berkeley County, South Carolina. Francis Logan was born in 1734 and died in 1826.

A BRANCH OF THE BEAM FAMILY TREE, Compiled and Edited by Katherine Logan Conley, 1978, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, 104 pages, Indexed, Mrs. Jesse W. Conley, Route 2, Box 138, Rutherfordton, NC 28139, $7.50, $1 mailing.

This is a record of the genealogy of David Beam and his wife Rachel Cain of Lincoln Co., North Carolina. David was the second son of John Teeter Beam and his wife Rebecca Raynolds who came to America in 1767 from Switzerland. Names appearing most often are: Edwards, Harrell, Logan McMurry, and Walker. The book contains mostly family group sheet with no documentation. There are a few biographies of people, some of the more prominent members of the Beam family.


Mr. Fay gives you how, when and where to locate information about the research sources of New York State. Some of the areas covered are State Census records 1825-1925, libraries and research centers, where to located birth, death and marriage records from 1866 onward, also military records from 1684 - 1865 and after. Repositories for church records, courthouse records, state and local archives and a 1978 list of newspapers by counties are but a few of the many research sources for New York that are in this book. A helpful source for anyone researching in New York State.

CAPTAIN TOD CARTER - CONFEDERATE STATES ARMY, Rosalie Carter, 1972, 8 1/2 X 11, Wrap, Typeset, 52 pages, No index, Carter Crafts, Box 295, Franklin, TN 37064, $6.50, $1 mailing.
This is a well written book. The majority of contents consists of letters written by Capt. Tod Carter and others. The author, Tod Carter's great niece, traces his ancestral roots in Virginia, his parents, brothers and sisters and his birth and early life in Franklin, Tennessee. Very well done, pictures of homes, artifacts belonging to Tod Carter, maps of some battles and residence are included.

GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH IN LIBRARIES, Alloa Anderson and Polly Bender, 1978, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Offset, 30 pages, Alloa C. Anderson, Box 220 Lake Leelanou, MD 49653 or Polly T. Bender, 3407 Burbank Rd, Ann Arbor, MD 48105, $4.50.

Good organization is a must for a genealogist and this book should be a big help in locating one's way around a genealogy library. It tells what is available and how to find it. A thorough reading of the book should help the beginning genealogist to save valuable hours. Well written and concise.

IMAGES OF THE PAST, A PHOTOGRAPHIC REVIEW OF WINCHESTER AND FREDERICK COUNTY VIRGINIA, Photos selected by Michael Foreman, Virginia L. Miller, Reed Nester and Charles Thorne, 1980, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover and hard cover, Typeset, 144 pages, No index, Winchester-Frederick County Historical Society, P. O. Box 97, Winchester, VA 22601, $20 Hard cover and $12 Soft cover.

Winchester and Frederick County, Virginia make up a community with a history of over 250 years. The Winchester-Frederick County Historical Society has accumulated this collection of photographs, both from the Society's archives and from the private collections of its members, which span the last one hundred years of that history. Approximately 450 pictures were selected for this publication, a few from the Civil War period and continuing to the 1940's. Although not specifically a work of genealogy, it should be of interest to anyone having ancestors in Frederick County and is a splendid portrayal of life in a historic Virginia area.

GEORGE WASHINGTON AND WINCHESTER, VIRGINIA 1748-1758, Garland R. Quarles, 1974, 6 X 9, Saddle stitched, Typeset, 82 pages, Indexed, Westchester-Frederick County Historical Society, P. O. Box 97, Winchester, VA 22601, $4.

This publication is Volume VIII of the Winchester-Frederick County Historical Society Papers. It reports in great detail the association of George Washington from the time he came there as a boy of 16 until he left as a seasoned leader of men in 1858. It was a time when he was preparing for his later role as Commander-in-Chief of the American forces during the Revolutionary War. His first associations with Winchester were as a member of a surveying team. Subsequently he served in various political and military roles which are detailed. There is great detail in explanation and drawings of some of the frontier forts Washington visited. Approximately 25 pages are devoted to "results of the poll for Burgesses from Frederick County" for the period 1755-1761. The index, comprising 9 of the publications 80 pages, is comprehensive, including names, places, etc.

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CIVIL WAR BATTLES IN WINCHESTER AND FREDERICK COUNTIES VIRGINIA, 1861-1865, Winchester-Frederick County Civil War Commission, 1960, 6 X 9, Wrap. Offset, 20 pages, No index, Winchester-Frederick County Historical Society, P. O. Box 97, Winchester, VA 22601, $1.

Anyone interested in Battles of the Civil War in and around Winchester, VA will find this booklet very interesting and helpful. Lists both Confederate and Union troops that took part in each battle, a map and description of each battle is given.

MEN AND EVENTS OF THE REVOLUTION IN WINCHESTER AND FREDERICK COUNTY, VIRGINIA, VOL. IX, Winchester-Frederick County Historical Society, 1975, 6 X 9, Soft and Hard covers, Typeset, 119 pages, Indexed everyname, Winchester-Frederick County Historical Society, P. O. Box 97, Winchester, VA 22601, $5 soft & $9 hard.

A well documented series of historical articles on people and events of the period including genealogical notes on some early prominent men; a list of Daniel Morgan's Rifle Company, a detailed article on Isaac Zane, Jr., and the war journal of Lt. John Bell Tilden, etc. This is more historical than genealogical, but well presented and informative.


The first of the book reprints newspaper clippings that the Clinton County Historical Society has gathered of interest to those researching both the history and genealogy of the area. Several pictures are reprinted. A story of an unknow black man's arrival in Sabina, Ohio, and his natural death as well as his being embalmed and then kept for identification, and his final burial thirty-five years later, is given. A map of all the cemeteries in Clinton County is printed, with each cemetery numbered and named with township indicated. As each cemetery is shown later in the book location is again given in detail with directions to follow to visit it. The names in each cemetery are listed alphabetically with other information that might appear on separate stones. The name of the compiler of the names shown for each cemetery is also given. Sometimes the lot and section of the grave is given, in a given cemetery. Some compilers were thoughtful enough to include the last address of the deceased and some gave the names of the parents.

LOWER ILLINOIS VALLEY BOOK OF WHITE HALL, Eileen Smith Cunningham, compiler, 1978, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover-spiral, 221 pages, Indexed-each section has its own index, Eileen Smith Cunningham, R. R. 2, Carrollton, IL 62016, $7pp.

If this is your county, it will be worth while to read all the various reprints of local records. Many pictures, plats and maps are included. Some of the topics covered are: History of Greene Co., 1879, White Hall Directory Town 12 Range 12 West; Town 11, Range 12 & 13; Greater White

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Hall or the Past, Present and Future of a Wide Awake Town
1905, Review of the 1910 Business Directory; and much more.
A gold mine for anyone researching in this area!

THE MONITOR GUIDE TO POST OFFICES AND RAILROAD STATIONS IN
THE U. S. AND CANADA, 1876, E. W. Bullinger, 1876 reprinted
1976, 7 x 10 1/2, Hard cover, Offset, 230 pages, No index,
230 pages, Bullinger's Guides, Inc., P. O. Box 501, West­
wood, NJ 07675, $16.95pp, NJ residents 5% tax.

This standard reference work is exactly what the title
says and more. In 1876 the United States consisted of 37
states and 11 territories. If you wanted to know whether
or not a town had a post office or railroad freight line
this book was your sole source. What a great source for
locating towns that may not exist any more! What a way to
trace migration as shipping routes are also listed. Could
your ancestor have taken a train to get part of the way
west? A great source for the time period.

THE WIATT FAMILY OF VIRGINIA, Alexander Lloyd Wiatt, 1980,
6 1/4 X 9 1/4, Library, Typeset, 167 pages, Indexed,
Alexander L. Wiatt, 24 Madison Lane South, Newport News, VA
23606. $12.50pp.

A well organized compilation of the descendants of John
Wiatt, Jr., of Gloucester and Prince William Counties,
Virginia. He was born May 15, 1732 and died January 5,
1805. His descendants span nine generation, most of whom
stayed in Virginia. There are also several short sketches of
earlier Wyatts/Wiatts in England, although their con­
nection to John Wiatt cannot be proven. Allied families
also noted are Field, Todd, Ball, Montague and Jones. The
numbering system used to identify the different generations
is easy to follow and there is an index of both Wiatts and
connecting surnames.

FEDERAL BOUNTY-LAND WARRANTS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION
1799-1835, VOL. 2 OF FEDERAL LAND SERIES, Clifford Neal
Smith, 1973, 8 1/2 X 11, Hard cover, 392 pages, 3 indexes:
name, subject & tract, American Library Association, 50 E.
Huron St., Chicago, IL 60611, $20.

Vol. 2 covers 1799-1835, all in Ohio. If you had
ancestors or suspect your ancestor may have received land
for Revolutionary Service in this area, this is an
important tool to prove Revolutionary War Service. To
really benefit from this series the introduction should be
carefully read.

FEDERAL LAND SERIES: A CALENDAR OF ARCHIVAL MATERIALS ON
THE LAND PATENTS ISSUED BY THE U.S. GOVERNMENT 1810-1814,
VOL. 3 OF FEDERAL LAND SERIES, Clifford Neal Smith, 1980, 8
1/2 X 11, Hard cover, 342 pages, 3 indexes: name, subject,
tract, Order Dept., American Library Association, 50 E.
Huron St., Chicago, IL 60611, $45.

Vol. 3 covers 1810-1814, Ohio, Alabama, Mississippi,
Louisiana, Illinois. This Vol. used in conjunction with
Vol. 2 (above) and Vol. I (not reviewed here, but a copy in
the Dallas Public Library), will serve as a real goldmine
for the genealogical researcher.

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AUSTINS TO WISCONSIN, Paul R. Austin, 1964, Library, Typeset, 99 pages, Indexed, Paul R. Austin, 2327 W. 18th St., Wilmington, DE 19806, $9.

The Austin family treated in this work are descended from Richard and Elizabeth Austin who arrived at Charleston, Massachusetts in 1638 through their son Anthony. Among the notable descendants of this family was Stephen F. Austin for whom Austin, Texas was named. There is a chapter for each generation from the immigrant, and distaff lineages, when known, are also traced back to the American progenitors. The Austins lived in Massachusetts, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. Enhancing the text are maps, photographs, and pedigrees. In addition there is a brief appendix and an every name index. Most importantly the text contain citations to the nearly 725 sources, primary and printed, used in compiling this work.

ALLEN COUNTY, KENTUCKY WILLS AND SETTLEMENTS 1815-1902, Mary Moltenberry Rabold and Elizabeth Moltenberry Price, 1972, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Offset, 183 pages, Indexed, Mrs. W. L. Rabold, 608 Magnolia Ave., Bowling Green, KY 42101, $15, $1 mailing, KY residents add 5% tax.

This book covers all extant wills and settlements in Allen Co., Kentucky up to 1902. There was a fire in 1902 which destroyed many of the records and what wills were saved were put in a box and this book includes all that was saved. The records were fast deteriorating and the authors have certainly done an invaluable thing for posterity in sorting the materials and publishing the information. A great research for those researching this area.


A collection of "Your Family Tree "columns published in KANSASHISTIQUE from 1977-1980. It includes queries as well as useful help for people doing research in Kansas.

THE ALBEMARLE LINDSEYS AND THEIR DESCENDANTS, Gordon C. Jones, 1979, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Offset, 177 pages, Indexed, Great Bridge Books, Inc., 404 Woodford Dr., Chesapeake, VA 23320, $15, $1 mailing charge, Virginia residents include 4% tax.

The limited edition of 1000 numbered copies is the first such history of these Lindseys since Margaret Isabella Lindsay's "The Lindsays of America in 1889." Included in this work are biographies of all Lindsey families in the Albemarle region of North Carolina. Pertinent public records in Eastern North Carolina and South Eastern Virginia have been consulted. Biographical material helps sort out the many Lindseys living at the same time.

ABSTRACTS - CURRITUCK AND DARE COUNTIES, NORTH CAROLINA 1666-1831, Gordon C. Jones, 1982, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Offset, 91 pages, No index, Great Bridge Book, Inc. 404 Woodford Dr., Chesapeake, VA 23320, $10, $.63 mailing.

This is a source book to be used in coordination with "Abstracts of Wills and Other Records of Currituck and Dare
Counties, North Carolina 1663-1850." As such it is a valuable tool for researchers interested in these counties. A variety of good information is contained in this book and it has been thoughtfully done. No index, but easy to follow and contents page indentifies general information.

MARYVILLE ILLUSTRATED, McJimsey and Wray, 1899, 8 1/2 X 5 1/2, Soft cover, Typeset, 97 pages, No index, Nodaway County Historical Society, 422 West Second St., Maryville, MO 64468, $2, $.50 mailing.

"Maryville Illustrated" is a book of pictures of prominent people, homes and businesses in Maryville, Missouri of 1898. There are also group pictures of social clubs and partners in business. Anyone researching architecture, fashions or advertising of this period will find much source material here, and genealogists may find some of their family if they lived in this area at the turn of the century. This book should be enjoyed in conjunction with two others concerning this area which are reviewed below.

MARYVILLE MISSOURI 19TH CENTURY TOUR Nodaway County Historical Society, 1973, 8 1/2 X 5 1/2, Wrap, 36 pages, No index, Nodaway County Historical Society, 422 West Second St., Maryville, MO 64468, $1 pp.

This fascinating little booklet first gives a list of the historical items of interest in the town of Maryvill, Missouri which occurred, or buildings built or businesses that were started during the years of 1836 to 1898. Principally it is a Driving Tour with directions to be followed to arrive at many points of historical value, with detailed description of the location or building being pointed out, and what is unique about it to the tourist. This booklet should be read before leaving on tour and read in conjunction with two other booklets about this region, "Maryville, Missouri at the Turn of the Century", and "Rural Schools of Nodaway County". Together they will give a complete picture of Maryville, Missouri at the turn of the century. The study of all of them and following the tour will be an experience that will be long remembered.

HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL LANDMARKS OF NODAWAY COUNTY, Nodaway Arts Council, 1979, 4 X 10, Saddle stitched, Offset, 44 pages, No index, Nodaway County Historical Society, 422 West Second St., Maryville, MO 64468, No price given.

Tour booklet through the 140 year old community with its rich, colorful heritage. The table of contents lists 40 sites with a picture and brief description of the site---Nodaway County MO Courthouse, Robinson Home, Thomas Gaunt House, Talbott Home and others. A map shows the location with numbers to correspond to the picture and description so any one could easily visit these sites. A good way to see some historical points in an area. Use in conjunction with the other Nodaway County books reviewed above.

RURAL SCHOOLS OF NODAWAY COUNTY, James L. Lowe (Nodaway County Historical Society, 1970, 6 X 9, Wrap, Typeset, 20 pages, No index, Nodaway County Historical Society, 422 West Second St., Maryville, MO 64468, $1, $.50 mailing.

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This little book was prepared for the dedication ceremonies in which the Nodaway County School District of Missouri was presented a typical rural schoolhouse of 1890, the Hickory Grove School presented by the Nodaway County Historical Society, which was to remain on the campus of Northwest Missouri State College at Maryville, Missouri. A reunion was also held at the time of this dedication. Much interesting data is given about the rural schools of Nodaway County in this booklet and a map of Nodaway County will further interest those who will have an opportunity to read it. To be read in conjunction with the other booklets by the Nodaway County Historical Society.


Volume I. This is a history of Nodaway Co., MO and specifically Hughes Township in that county. There is no index, but the table of contents is complete enough to be called an index to subjects. The history of churches, medical profession, businesses, schools, military, fraternal organizations, social organizations, land marks and activities are given. There are about 100 pages of family biographies.

Volume II. This is a continuation of Volume I published a year earlier. It contains the history of the people of Hughes Township, Nodaway Co., Missouri with emphasis on family histories and interesting anecdotes. There are numerous pictures depicting life in the county and township. Again, there is no index, but if one had had ancestors or relatives in this township, it would be worthwhile to go through in detail.

GRASSROOTS REFLECTIONS, VOL. I, Opal E. Eckert, Edited by Leola Swaney, 1981, 8 1/2 X 11, Library, Typeset, 286 pages, Indexed, Nodaway County Historical Society, 422 West Second Street, Maryville, MO 64468, $24, $1.50 mailing.

In 1976 Opal Eckert, professor emeritus at Northwest Missouri State University, Maryville, Missouri was asked to do a weekly column in the Maryville Daily Forum. This column has continued for five years, containing a unique blend of personal history and current happenings in the Northwest Missouri area. 130 of these columns, which appeared from July 2, 1976 to December 31, 1978 have been collected and published in this first volume. Volume II is to be available about 1 June 1982.

TALES OF NODAWAY COUNTY, Compiled by the Nodaway County Historical Society, 1977, 8 1/2 X 10 3/4, Library, Typeset, 256 pages, No index, Nodaway County Historical Society, 422 West Second Street, Maryville, MO 64468, $15, $1.50 mailing.

This is a Bicentennial publication created by many past and present residents of Nodaway County who have contributed articles to this compilation. The articles selected

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ILLUSTRATED ATLAS OF NODAWAY COUNTY, MISSOURI, Published 1893, 1911 and 1925 combined as one volume, 10 1/2 X 14, Library, Typeset, 200 pages, No index, Nodaway County Historical Society, 422 West Second Street, Maryville, MO 64468, $20. $1.50 mailing.

This is a reproduction of three county atlases of Nodaway County, Missouri; those of 1893, 1911 and 1925. Of particular interest to genealogists will be the plat maps of townships in Nodaway County which are contained in the 1893 edition. There is also a directory of leading farmers in each township and several pages of photographs and County Officials and prominent citizens in the 1911 edition. Names of landowners are shown for each tract of land. This will be an invaluable source for anyone who had ancestors living in this county during any of these years.


This book begins in the 17th Century and brings these families to America from various European countries and then traces the family as it spreads through America. A well done, well researched, interestingly written book, it traces the direct lines of the four grandparents of the author. Some data is given on brothers and sisters, but the principal efforts has been on the direct ancestors. Much historical and background data is given. Besides the two families given in the title, the families of Hampton and Sayers are treated extensively.

ANCESTORS AND DESCENDANTS GRAYSON CO., TEXAS, Grayson County, Texas Genealogical Society, 1980, 9 X 11 1/4, Library, Offset, 688 pages, Indexed, Grayson County, Texas Genealogical Society, 421 N. Travis, Sherman, TX 75090, $35, TX residents add $1.75 tax, $2 mailing.

For anyone with ancestors in Grayson Co, Texas is book is a must. It includes 926 family stories, 105 pages of general county history, 64 pages of index-full name, 1300 pictures, and 8 maps. Much local history and color are found in this book. Less than 100 copies still available. Re-print is not planned.

GEORGIA LOCAL AND FAMILY HISTORY SOURCES IN PRINT, Compiled by Marilyn Adams, 1982, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Offset, 72 pages, Indexed by title and subject, Heritage Research, P. O. Box 742, Clarkston, GA 30021, $13pp, GA res. $.48 tax.

Contains listing of current Georgia-related publications of potential usefulness to genealogists and local historians: atlases, maps, gazetteers, literature on place names; county, town, church and military histories; finding aids, guides to library holdings, and other research aids; compilations of county, state, federal, and other records.

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(court records, military records, tax records, marriages, estate records, etc.); compilation of cemetery inscriptions, newspaper data, Bible records, etc.; census indexes and abstracts; quarterlies and other periodicals, including newsletters; indexes to records, published histories, periodicals, and other materials; microfilm publications, including primary records; compiled genealogies, family histories, and family newsletters; directories, handbooks, and other research materials. Entries provide ordering information and prices; materials are arranged by vendor or publisher and are fully indexed by both title and subject; more than 1340 entries. A very valuable publication for Georgia researchers, well arranged.

A LE MAY GENEALOGY, Lester Lincoln LeMay, 1981, 5 1/2 X 8, Soft cover, Offset, 78 pages, No index, Lester LeMay, P. O. Box 4415, Mesa, AZ 85201, $10.

The LeMay's are traced from the 1720's in Colonial Virginia through their wanderings in North Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, and westward, with particular attention to the descendants of John William and Ollie (Stephens) LeMay of Kentucky, Texas, Arizona, Oklahoma, and California. Has family charts, photographs, and even a few letters and old family recipes.


A stranger than fiction history that sounds like a novel, detailing the author's life from his infancy to 1821 as a planter, businessman, politician, gambler, and romantic figure. His activities covered a wide area from Philadelphia to New Orleans in the U. S. and Europe. His memoirs are interspersed with anecdotes and religious and moral admonition. This book is a facsimile printing of his original book of which the few remaining first editions are worth $100 if they can be found. Would be of broad general interest and of specific value to researchers of local history in Washington, D. C., Hagerstown, Baltimore and Annapolis, Maryland; Winchester, Fairfax, Richmond and Staunton, Virginia; Berkeley Springs, Charlestown, Martinsburg, Romney and Sweet Springs, Virginia (now West Virginia). Only 100 copies left.

HISTORICAL ADDRESS DELIVERED BY GENERAL DAVID HUNTER STROThER, General David Hunter Strother, 5 1/2 X 8, Soft cover, Typeset, 24 pages, No index, Warm Springs Echoes Books, Six Rockwell Circle; Berkley Springs, WV 25411, $1.50, WV residents add sales tax.

General Strother addressed the people on the occasion for the celebration of the Centennial of Bath Town, West Virginia, July 4, 1876. Mentions surnames of a few of the early settlers around 1730. Tells of Warm Springs and Morgan County since the date of discovery by white settlers. Contains a letter from George Washington to a Mr.
Rumsey about his invention of the steam boat.

HOMESTEAD DECLARATION IN SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA 1860 - 1884, Copied by Louis Radcliff for California Central Coast Genealogical Society, Inc., 1979, 8 1/2 X 11, Mimeo, 17 pages, Indexed, California Central Coast Genealogical Society, Inc., P. O. Box 4, Atascadero, CA 93423 $2.

Indexed abstracts of homestead declarations in San Luis Obispo Co., California 1860 - 1884 from Book A. Lists date filed, declarer, spouse and number of children on some. Good research aid.

CITIZENS OF THE UNITED STATES, RESIDENTS OF COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO, CALIFORNIA AND REGISTERS IN GREAT REGISTER OF SAID COUNTY, JULY 1867, California Central Coast Genealogical Society, Inc., 1981, 8 1/2 X 11, Mimeo, 8 pages, No index, but in alphabetical order, California Central Coast Genealogical Society, Inc., P. O. Box 4, Atascadero, CA 93423, $1.

Alphabetized listing of residents of San Luis Obispo, California. Listing of age, occupation, citizenship, residence and date of entry as of July 1867. Great research aid for proof of residence and citizenship.

GREAT REGISTER OF SAN LUIS OBISPO, COUNTY (CALIFORNIA), California Central Coast Genealogical Society, Inc. (Part I & II), 1981, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, mimeo, 186 total pages, No index, alphabetical order, California Central Coast Genealogical Society, Inc., P. O. Box 4, Atascadero, CA 93423, $3.50 (Both parts).

This book gives a list of citizens of San Luis Obispo, California in 1892 which is so important since it can be used as a census record. It is rather a unique record because it gives list of citizens, registered number, name, height, complexion, color of eyes, marks or scars, occupation, country of birth, place of residence, precinct, post office address, and citizenship status. Wouldn't it be great if all towns or counties had similar lists?

INDEX VOL. 14, 1981, California Central Coast Genealogical Society, 1981, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Mimeo, 30 pages, California Central Coast Genealogical Society, Inc., P. O. Box 4, Atascadero, CA 93423, Price not given.

This is an index to Volume 14 (1981) of the publication of the California Central Coast Genealogical Society. It lists each article that appeared during 1981 - giving title and page number. The other part of the book lists the names which appeared in the publication during the year.

YELLOWED PAGES - QUARTERLY PUBLICATION OF THE SOUTHEAST TEXAS GENEALOGICAL AND HISTORICAL SOCIETY - BEAUMONT, A. J. Guedry, Editor, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Offset, 40 pages, No index, Southeast Texas Genealogical and Historical Society, P. O. Box 3827, Beaumont, TX 77704, Membership $10 per year.

A most informative quarterly for persons having ancestors in this area. Members may place queries free of charge and
are asked to complete a five generation chart. Index is a separate issue.

GEORGIA BIBLIOGRAPHY: COUNTY HISTORY 2ND EDITION, Compiled by Hazel Purdie, Georgiana Librarian, 1979, 8 1/2 X 11, Offset, 113 pages, Indexed, Readers Service, Div. of Public Library Services, GA Dept. of Education, Atlanta, GA 30334, $3.50.

This publication is a revised and updated edition of the publication of the same title issued in 1974. In addition to almost 1000 publications (many repeats) listed by county of interest, there is a compilation of head-right and land-lot counties, a list of the 159 counties of Georgia in order of their creation with creation dates and information on the origin, an author index and a title index is included.

BRUTON PARISH CHURCHYARD: A GUIDE WITH MAP, Bruton Parish Church, 1976, 2nd Printing 1980, 6 X 9, Soft cover, Typeset, 114 pages, Indexed, Bruton Parish Church, P. O. Box B. P., Williamsburg, VA 23187, $4pp.

This book is a transcription of the tombstone monuments in Bruton Parish Churchyard. A map and notes have also been added. This church is in Williamsburg, VA and the present church was built in 1715. The earliest marked grave is Thos. Ludwell who died in 1678. The vestry of 1674-1683 erected the first brick church. Bruton Parish Church is a National Historic Landmark and profit from the sale of this book will be used to restore badly worn stones in the churchyard and within the church.

BUCHANAN, VIRGINIA: GATEWAY TO THE SOUTHWEST, Harry Fulwiler, Jr., 1980, 6 X 9, Library, Typeset, 931 pages, Indexed, Harry Fulwiler, Jr., 806 Norwood Lane, Woodbridge, VA 22191, $39.95, $1.85 mailing, $1.60 tax VA residents.

Mr. Fulwiler has written a fabulous history of his home town. Buchanan, Virginia was in Orange County, VA until 1734. In 1738 it became part of Augusta Co., VA; Botetourt Co. in 1769 and Rockbridge Co. in 1778. This history covers Buchanan from the earliest day and every possible fact and family has been included. Seems to be well documented. A good tool for this area.

AN AMERICAN FAMILY AND ITS ANCESTOR PREDECESSORS(SUBTITLED: BACK TO ADAM THROUGH EARLY AMERICAN IMMIGRANTS OF BRITISH EXTRACTION ACCORDING TO PAST AND PRESENT RECORDS), Virginia Higgins Morse, 1973, 9 X 6, Library, Offset, 181 pages, Indexed, Vivian Higgins Morse, 1350 E. Bethany Home Rd. #10, Phoenix, AZ 85014, $10pp, Tax AZ residents only.

Fourteen generations in America through two genealogical lines (Hardy and Higgins) and their known branches. The scope of this book is tremendous, taking the Higgins and Hardy lines as well, back to antiquity. In the course of that journey are included many of the better known families of early America. Sources are carefully noted following each family vignette, including such facts as whether a family is armigerous, and whether descent from such family is qualification for membership in the many and varied
hereditary societies. This is obviously a "labor of love", providing a "roll of honor" of those family members who have served in honorary and/or official capacities of note. The format is unique and interesting. Largely dealing with New England families and their antecedents, there are nevertheless some Southern families included.


This book gives the genealogy of the Nightingale family from Daniel Nightingale (1780-1854/5) through the eighth generation, the latest of whom was born in 1978. The book gives a wealth of information and vital statistics for not only the direct line but lateral families as well, and a very interesting system of numbering. Graphs are given for the Livermore and Rockwell lines, related by marriage to second generation Nightingales. A twelve page index gives all names of relations mentioned. Researchers of the names given will find much source material and other genealogists will be interested in the style of presentation.

GEORGE ADAM MANN 1734-1821, A FAMILY ON FOUR FRONTIERS, Dorothy C. Knoff, 1977, 9 1/4 X 6 1/4, Hard cover, 168 pages, Indexed, Dorothy C. Knoff, 10 Pond View Dr., R. R. 2, E. Sandwich, MA 02537 $20, $1 mailing.

This is the history of the family of George Adam Mann, whose father, Jerg Bernhart Mohn, with his family, and other Palatines had left Germany and come to Pennsylvania. George Adam Mann and his wife Elizabeth, longing for land to the west, decided to leave Pennsylvania and go on to Virginia. This book tells of their life in Virginia, during the French and Indian Wars (ca 1754), then continuing to Kentucky through most dangerous Indian country using a pack horse and carrying by hand their supplies and possessions, themselves walking much of the way, at one time having to go 200 miles beyond the last trading post, sometimes following Indian trails, bison trails, or cutting their way through. Years latter this family moved to Ohio. The last portion of the book contains genealogy charts. This book will be of great interest to all whose families may have duplicated the same life threatening sojourn as the Mann family. To the genealogist it gives an exact account of the lives of these hardy pioneers.


Volume I traces the male descendants of Isaac Sterns/Stearns who emigrated from Yarmouth, England to Watertown, Massachusetts in 1630. Volume II traces male descendants of Charles and Nathaniel Sterns, nephews of Isaac, who also settled in Watertown, MA. Both volumes are reprints of the 1901 original which in turn were based on an 1855 genealogy.

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by Dr. Henry Bond. In progress are revised editions which will include female as well as male lines. Allied lines are Manning, Kimball, Stone, Morse, Wheeler, and Bemis. Both books have numbering systems and indexes. Some documentation.


These volumes are an updating of "The Tingley Family", first published in 1910 by Raymon Meyers Tingley. They are a record of the descendants of Samuel Tingley (before 1638-1666) of Malden, MA. Well indexed and documented. An interesting numbering system.


This book contains a detailed history of the descendants of Alexander Thomas Craig (1812-1867) and his wife Esther Meyer and some of her ancestors, beginning with Michael Meyer born in 1742. Interesting biographical sketches of the Scotch Irish born Craig and his Pennsylvania German wife give a good picture of everyday life and culture in Pennsylvania Dutch country during the 1800's. There are many family photographs, copies of old letters and maps. It is easy to understand the numbering system. Well documented. Index. Related families: Freed, Bauder, Brooks, Brown, Crist, Goick, Huber, Miller, and Ritter.


This is not only a family history, but includes a discussion of the economic conditions in Yorkshire that probably influenced James Gledhill to migrating from Yorkshire in 1812. There is also interesting information on the development of agriculture and agricultural change during the century and a quarter covered in her narrative. This book, with many photos, shows development of a New York culture. Some sources used were census records, local histories, public records, and the 1930 diary of Lee Gledhill Robinson, the author's father.


This is a very interesting and readable book, altogether based on the true history of the Cobb family, during the period 1861 to 1865. It follows Johnny Cobb to war with the Confederate cause in the War Between the States, and contains many excerpts from personal letters. It also gives an outline showing that the family was directly descended from
Edward I, the King of England. In the back of the book under "Notes" is a brief of each chapter, giving dates and details included in each, together with supporting bibliography. Everyone who is a member of the Cobb family should have a copy of this book, as well as those interested in eyewitness accounts of the South at that time, and the Southern cause during the War Between the States.


This is the story of the Cobb family beginning with the first three who arrived in Virginia in 1613 and continuing down to the 60,000 who were living in 1976. They were represented by all kinds of people, from the very lowly to the aristocrats. The book has many pictures, maps, some wills, letters and first hand accounts, poems and family charts which make this a valuable book for anyone researching the Cobb family. Contains many short biographies with important dates, and something achievements.


This book is an over-view of "doing the family history" from the initial interview to the promotion and selling of the bound volume. It contains a helpful glossary and a complete index. The highlights of the book are: 1) a list of the last veterans from the Revolutionary War through the Civil War, 2) a list of the major genealogical libraries and repositories, and 3) a brief discussion of ISBN, Library of Congress card number, copyrights, etc.

COOK-HEARD AND ALLIED LINES BARTON, BULLOCK, FITZPATRICK AND SMITH, Tressie Cook, 1978, 6 1/4 X 9 1/4, Library, Offset, 200 pages, Every name index, Farmer Genealogy Co., P. O. Box 140880, Dallas, TX 75214, $30.

This book traces the descendants of Richard Cooke of Bristol, Gloucester Co., England, from 1577 to 1978. The family begins in the Isle of Wight Co., Virginia and migrates through Surry and Brunswick Cos., VA to Wilkes, Greene, Morgan, Butts, Heard and Coweta Cos., Georgia to Chambers Co., Alabama to Louisiana and to Texas. Richard Cooke's first marriage was ca 1576. His grandson Wm. Cooke came to America in 1635 at the age of 21. He died in Surry Co., Va in 1679. It also traces the Heard family from Stephen Heard, who died in 1774 in Pittsylvania Co., VA. This family migrated from Pittsylvania Co., VA to Goochland and Fluvana Co., VA to Wilkes and Greene Co., Georgia to Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana. Four other families that are traced are those of Richard Bullock David Barton, Robert T. Smith, and William Fitzpatrick. The descendants of Richard Bullock beginning in 1739, Hanover Co., VA and tracing the line through Granville Co., NC; Edgefield Co., SC; Franklin Co., GA; Pike Co., MS and Claiborne, Bienville

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and Lincoln Parishes, LA. David Barton, b. ca 1730, Prince William Co., VA and his descendants in Oconee Co., SC; Morgan Co., GA; Claiborne Parish, GA; Bosque Co., and Travis Co., Texas. Robert T. Smith, b. in VA and his descendants in Oglethorpe Co., GA; Henry Co., GA; Griffin GA and Union Parish, LA. William Fitzpatrick's descendants are traced through his son, Joseph, whose will was proved in 1781, Fluvana Co., VA. The descendants migrated through Goochland Co., VA to Greene Co., GA. The book is clear, concise, and very well documented.

GEORGE ROBINSON AND HIS KIN, Marie R. Justice, 1977, 5 1/2 X 8 1/2, Soft cover, Offset, 80 pages, Indexed, Marie R. Justice, P. O. Box 2172, Pikesville, KY 41501, $4.60pp.

George Robinson and the Robinson family are traced from the year 1726 from the north of Ireland to Delaware, Augusta and Russell Counties in Virginia and to Kentucky. The story tells of their homes, churches, trouble with the Indians, and service for their country. Military records, marriage records, deeds, wills, census records are used to document the genealogy. Very well written.


This book list four generations of Jamieson's, beginning with Rev. James Jamieson, born 1802 Augusta Co., VA, died 1880, and his descendants and collateral lines. The book reflects a number of residences for descendants, histories, letters, pictures, and census. It also covers the O'Callaghan branch beginning with Jeremiah O'Callaghen, b. 1780 Ireland, D. 1861 Vermont. A detailed book with many families listed, but unfortunately it is not indexed.

NEW HAMPSHIRE RESIDENTS, 1633-1699, Jay Mack Holbrook, 1979, 6 1/8 X 9 1/4, Hard cover, 209 pages, No index, but alphabetical listing, Holbrook Research Institute, 57 Locust ST., Oxford, MA 01540, $35.00, Mailing extra, unless prepaid, 5% for MA residents.

This book provides statistics about early New Hampshire. It shows population figures, where they lived, division of wealth, taxes paid, as well as estate values at death. A major portion of the book gives, by surname alphabetically, all the documented heads of families in New Hampshire in the period 1633-1699 and the year of record, the location and purpose of the document as well as giving the source of the information. These heads of families are again shown alphabetically and grouped under location. For a person researching New Hampshire this book would be of tremendous worth, and the genealogist should recognize this as a great source and indispensible time saver.


This book is a folklore history of the people of Leslie County, Kentucky, from the late 1700 to early 1900. It tells of the way of life, then and now, of these mountain
people, directions about how they do things, their customs and crafts, their phrases and manner of speaking. They are a God-fearing people who have worked hard to cut out a living in a wilderness. They have maintained their character and courage and are generous, kindly, intelligent and thrifty people with a nice sense of humor. They came from many countries as early as 1653. This book is made up of short anecdotes, pictures, and sometimes history. There is a glossary at the back of the book.


This is a useful bibliography containing over 1500 histories of Ontario Municipalities. It contains a listing of major historical societies and major church archival addresses within Ontario. A great help to anyone doing research in Ontario.


This book concentrates on search of families of Nicholas County done primarily by aid of the Federal Census of 1820, 1830 and 1840. The various changes in the census are discussed as well as the limitations. This book covers the census of families that today is part of Clay, Nicholas, Webster Counties and was part of the land of Braxton and Fayette County.


John W. Bobbitt's book is an outstanding example of a thorough transcription of an 1850 census! Not only is the printing clear, each family well-spaced, and the original number of the census listed, but the families who were enumerated in the 1820 and the 1840 census records are also noted. In addition to that helpful data, the author has calculated and listed the year of birth for each person, (although actual years are not given in the census). An accurate index completes this excellent contribution to West Virginia reference books.


The full title of this book is DESCENDANTS OF NICOLA DALL'AVA INCLUDING RELATED FAMILIES, VIALE AND ROSSI OF VICENZA, ITALY AND BERKSHIRE CO., MASSACHUSETTS. It is profusely illustrated and contains some family charts. It has some documentation, but could use more dates. Nicola's first child seems to have been born about 1842, so from
this we may estimate early 1800's for Nicola's birth. This book brings the family up to the present.


This booklet contains a veritable treasure trove of information for persons seeking Michigan ancestors, containing sections on County Development, official and supplementary sources from which to obtain documents, sections on various ethnic groups, a listing of Michigan libraries and archives with notes on special holdings, a suggested list of Michigan references, and a listing of Genealogical Societies throughout Michigan. This is a highly recommended reference for all libraries and Michigan researchers.

DEED BOOK I - AMELIA CO., VIRGINIA, DEEDS 1735-1743, BONDS 1735-1741, compiled and abstracted by Gibson Jefferson McConnaughey, Soft cover, Offset, 115 pages, Indexed, Mid-South Publishing Co., P. O. Box 188, Amelia, Virginia 23002, $10.50, $1-1st book, $.50 each additional book.

This book contains abstracts of deeds, many of which give names of wives. Others identify parents or children, given chain of title to property, and reveal migration from other areas. Includes records of present-day Prince Edward and Nottoway Counties. Well written. Others in this series that are available are: WILL BOOK 1, AMELIA CO., (1735-1761) AND WILL BOOK 2X, AMELIA CO. (1761-1771) $7.50 EACH. WILL BOOK 2, AMELIA CO. (1771-1780) $8.50. Very valuable for primary records.

FAMILIES FROM 1680 TO PRESENT DATE 1935, Atheline B. Wold, 1981, Microfiche - 2 sheets, Copy was typed and written, 135 pages, Indexed, Microgen, 70 East Temple, Suite 206, Salt Lake City, Utah 84111, Price not given.

This is a compilation of family history and genealogy that seems to have been compiled by Allen Wright (1777-1865), Albert Gallatin Wright (1811-1906), Horance Mills Wright (1844-1930), Anna Marie Wright (1826-1911), and Alice Dixon Wright (1853-1935) on their ancestors and descendants. Material pertains to descendants of John Wright who immigrated to Maryland 1729 and Allen Farquar of Scotland who immigrated to Maryland in the early quarter of the 18th century, and allied families: Blair, Chadburn, Chapman, Clarke, Coe, Cowman, Elgar, Enlac, Gaines, Gaw, Hibbard, Innes, Miller, Mills, Plummer, Sausser, Suydam, Vernay, Verney, and Waite families of Maryland, Pennsylvania, Ohio, New York and Massachusetts.

SWEDISH-AMERICAN NEWSPAPERS, Compiled by Lilly Satterdahl, 1981, 6 X 8, Soft cover, Typeset, 36 pages, No Index, Augustana Historical Society, Augustana College Library, Rock Island, IL 61201, $3.

This book is a guide to the microfilm held by Swenson Swedish Immigration Research Center. All the Swedish Newspapers are listed by state, giving state and film number, name of publication, published from when to when, number of
rolls and where available from. This is a very worthwhile book for anyone of Swedish Ancestry.

EARLIEST MARRIAGES, BRYAN CO. OKLAHOMA (INDIAN TERRITORY), P. Lancaster Schrader, 1979, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Offset, 49 pages, Indexed, P. Lancaster Schrader, P. O. Box 2524, Richardson, TX 75080. $6.50pp, TX residents 5% tax.

Since very little has been published on Oklahoma Indian Territory, this is a very good source for. This book includes all marriages including some Indian marriages, and is very complete with footnotes. A lot of these people were Scotch-Irish and seemed to be passing through the area. This is where two migration trails met, so if you can't find an ancestor's marriage, maybe they married on the trail. This might be the place to look! This county is on the Red River adjacent to Texas. The author was very careful to try and get all names correct. Indexed by surnames, brides, grooms and clergymen. Earliest marriage is 1902.

THE TINKLING SPRING-HEADWATER OF FREEDOM, Howard McKnight Wilson, 1954, 6 X 9 1/4, Library, Typeset, 542 pages, Indexed, Tinkling Spring Presbyterian church, Rt. 1, Box 300 A, Fisherville, VA 22939, $15, $1.75 mailing, VA residents add 4% tax.

This book is more than a record of a local church founded in 1738. It is more like a community or county history containing hundreds of family names. The 240-year history of the Tinkling Spring Presbyterian Church is based on primary sources. It has 7 appendices, bibliography and a full index. Gives all the pastors' names, dates of service and early communities in Virginia. A monumental work and one that would be very helpful for researchers in Augusta Co., Virginia. It has a large fold-out map in back of the Beverly Patent, showing original grantees in Orange and Augusta counties. Very scholarly.

THE WASHINGTON CONNECTION: A ROYAL PEDIGREE (CHART), J. E. Cobb, 1979, 37 X 25, Chart, rolls, one sheet + one page 8 1/2 X 11 index accompanies chart, Durant Publishing Co., 1208 Tatum Court, Alexandria, VA 22307, $10pp.

This is a beautifully done chart suitable for framing of the descendants of John Washington who lived in the time of Henry VIII, down to the present. The emphasis is on the descendants of Augustine Washington, father of President George Washington. More than 150 related families included in the index.


Book One is an introduction to the Driggs Family history in America. It is not properly a genealogy, as a later complete genealogy of the the Driggs is forecast, but does cover some of the descendants of Joseph Driggs (1682-1748) of Middleton, Connecticut.

DRIGGS FAMILY IN AMERICA - BOOK TWO, Driggs Family Association, L. Lynne Driggs, Director, Harry S. Driggs, Editor,

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Book Two 1748-1864. This impressive and large book covers nine generations of the Driggs family in America stemming from Joseph Driggs and Elizabeth (Martin) Driggs of Middleton, Connecticut.


This volume, Book Three of the Driggs family history, covers a more personal story of Don Carlos Driggs (1864-1933) and May Robinson (1867-1956) of Pleasant Valley, Utah; Driggs, Idaho; and Mesa, Arizona.

LETTERS OF GENERAL PELEG WADSWORTH TO HIS SON JOHN, STUDENT AT HARVARD COLLEGE, 1796-1798, George and Martha Rose, 1961, 6 1/8 X 9 3/16, Soft cover, 48 pages, No index, Maine Historical Society, 485 Congress Street, Portland, ME 04101. $3.

A collection of a prominent father's letters to his Harvard student son, revealing much of early life in 1700's of Massachusetts, Philadelphia and Harvard. It also contains a brief biography of General Peleg Wadsworth.


This book has many photographs of old houses and early settlers of the area. It has a table of contents, and a picture index as well as a general index. This book covers biographical sketches of most of the families of the area around the Cane Ridge Cumberland Presbyterian Church between Murfreesboro Rd. and Nolensville Rd. along the Davidson County border. It has family genealogies covering more than 275 pages, 18 Revolutionary patriots, 8 cemeteries and Bible records for these families: Adams, Hamilton, McAbee, Mullins, Schocklett, Thompson, Wheeler and Williamson. Church records beginning ca 1826 and numerous other items of interest.

YE COLONIAL KINSMEN FROM PLYMOUTH ROCKE TO YORK TOWNE (CHARTS), Joseph N. Kearney, 25 inch X 38 inch sheets, 8 sheets, Indexed, Joseph N. Kearney, Road Maps-thru-History, P. O. Box 90622, Airport Station, Los Angeles CA 90009, $30, $3.50 handling, packing and UPS insured, + $1 if airmailed UPS.

Compiler Joseph Kearney, using tax records, wills, passenger lists, church and cemetery records has researched the 50 families who lived along the road from Princeton to New Brunswick just prior to the American Revolution. He used a 1766 map, made by Azariah Dunham, of the road that served as the dividing line between Somerset and Middlesex counties in New Jersey. Chart key and index included in the chart sheets.


Volume 2 - This book contains the history of Salem, MA, Long Island, NY, Chester, NJ, and tells how this Swayze and allied families moved to Mississippi. Also has stories of the Church and the family organization. There are biographies, stories, letters, journals, diaries and a large bibliography section. The index for Volume 1 is in Volume 2. Beautifully done. This extensive work was sponsored by the Descendants of the Jersey Settlers as its bicentennial project. It is an invaluable addition to Mississippi genealogy.

CEMETERY RECORD ALCORN COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, Compiled and indexed by Thomas P. Hughes AND Jewel B. Standerfer, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, 239 pages, Indexed, The Tennessee Genealogical Society, P. O. Box 12124, Memphis, TN 38112, $10, TN residents add tax.

Alcorn County, Mississippi was formed in 1870 from old Tishomingo Co. The records were compiled by Col. James Lannes Borroum, who in 1954 engaged a group of young men to search out all graves and cemeteries. Locations of cemeteries are given with names on markers. Each cemetery is listed individually in alphabetical order. The earliest birth date is 1773. A very good tool for research in this county.

ANSEARCHIN' NEWS, Mrs. Daniel Edwards West, Editor, 1981, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, 219 pages, Indexed, The Tennessee Genealogical Society, P. O. Box 12124, Memphis, TN 38112, $10 per year membership, TN residents add tax.

The publication of the Tennessee Genealogical Society for the year 1981 contains four quarterlies. Each issue contains: Tennessee County records, Census records, Family Bible records, book reviews and queries. Queries are only for members. A good source for those with Tennessee Ancestors.


This book is the results of many years of research in Canada and the United States, as well as one trip to Norway by Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Iverson of Canada. The immigrant Iverson crossed the Atlantic in 1866 from Norway. There are over 365 direct descendants listed. The information is supported by copies of deeds, Township and County maps, census records, and numerous photographs. The author has
accompanied his genealogical research with a biographical sketch of his own life, beginning with his birth in 1928, in Moeta, Saskatchewan, to the present. There are also other biographical sketches written by other members of the family.


This book is an expanded version of the author's "Some Descendants of Griffin H. Miller", published in 1972. It also begins two generations earlier with Henry (b. 1766, d. 1840) and Polly Miller of Bedford, New York (1766-1797) and is far more detailed and accurate. Some biographical and historical material has been included in this edition as well as a few photographs. This book includes over 300 descendants of Griffin Henry Miller as well as the following related families: Brawner, Carson, Coulter, Crocker, Curtis, Dixon, Fancher, Fernyhough, Goldsberry, Harding, Hollister, Holmes, Horton, Hurd, Jones, Kellogg, Lande, Lyon, Porter, Reynolds, Rundle, Silkman, Stevens, Tyler, and Winthrop.

**THE GOLDSBERRY REGISTER, FIRST EDITION,** Eric E. Hovemeyer, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, 42 pages, No index, Eric E. Hovemeyer, 5305 E. Knoll, Cincinnati, OH 45239, $4pp.

This book is a list of present-day Goldsberry households in the United States. The majority of names, addresses and telephone numbers were taken from telephone directories published during the last ten years. Where information is available birthdate, birthplace and Goldsberry ancestry is given.


Capt. John Barrickman kept this diary during the War of 1812. It gives a very interesting view of the war as seen through his eyes, but aside from that, the real wealth in this book is the Roll List of his Company - 141st Regt. Pennsylvania Militia. The roll list of Capt. Barrickman gives name, rank, age, size, complexion, eyes, hair, occupation, place of residence, place of birth, clothing draws, etc., also copies of orders sent in 1812 and 1813. An excellent description of the War as seen through the eyes of one of the participants.


This is the record of Charles Springer who was born in 1638, son of Christopher Springer and his third wife Beati Salina of Stockholm. Charles or Carl was shanghaied while studying in London, taken to Virginia and sold as an inden-
tured servant. At the end of his 5 year term he joined the Swedish colony in Delaware. This book concerns the parents and relatives of this Swedish settler. Descendants interested in this family will be pleased to find such a complete account of Charles Springer's family in Sweden. Includes the family of Beata Salina as well. Some of the lines are traced back to the 1400. An excellent reference book for those of Swedish ancestry.

GREAT VALLEY PARTIOTS: WESTERN VIRGINIA IN THE STRUGGLE FOR LIBERTY, Howard McKnight Wilson, 1976, 6 X 9, Library, 272 pages, Indexed, Freedom Heritage Books, 114 Boddington Road, Staunton, VA 24401, $15, $1.30 mailing, Va residents add 4% tax.

Sponsored by the Augusta County Historical Society as a Bicentennial Project, this book is a moving account of the Western Virginians' fight for independence. Many men from the country west of the Blue Ridge served in the Continental Army and many others served in the county militia defending the settlements against Indian attacks, Tory uprisings and supporting the regular army on particular campaigns. The narrative draws upon a vast amount of unused original materials found in court records, diaries, old letters and unpublished documents. Illustrated with maps of the Great Valley and the Western Frontier and photographs of prominent persons and historic places. Extensive notes and bibliography. Many names featured, making it a valuable aid to genealogist tracing the history of families who first settled in the Great Valley.

THE LEXINGTON PRESBYTERY HERITAGE, Howard McKnight Wilson, 1971, 6 X 9, Library, 510 pages, Indexed, Freedom Heritage Books, 114 Boddington Road, Staunton, VA 24401, $8.50, $1.55 mailing, VA residents add 4% tax.

Illustrated with many maps, charts, tables and photographs, this book traces the development of the Presbyterian Church in the Lexington Presbytery. The Lexington Presbytery encompassed a large area from the Ohio River to Gum Spring, 30 miles from Richmond, and from the Maryland line to the southwestern tip of Virginia. The earliest churches were founded in the 1730's. Detailed facts are given on all the churches of the Presbytery and their thousands of officers, back to the beginning of each. A large, detailed, well documented book with complete index and bibliography.


This book begins with Nathan Spicer (1735-1811) and follows through the ninth generation of all TRACED descendants. Biographical information is given through the third generation. There is an excellent bibliography, as well as 25 pages of references, and the author has included two Appendices, Appendix I contains the letters of Rev. Tobias Spicer who was the youngest son of Nathan Spicer and his second wife, Abigail Mayhew. Appendix II gives Nathan
Spicer's Colonial and Royal Ancestry. Numerous illustrations are included. An excellent book that will be welcomed by all Spicer genealogists and many related lines, all of which are included in a very complete index.

1850 CENSUS OF DE KALB COUNTY, ILLINOIS, Bernice C. Richard. 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, 196 pages, Indexed, Mrs. Bernice C. Richard, 2771 Lincoln Ave., Chicago, IL 60614, $6.

Complete copy of the 1850 DeKalb county, Illinois census. Includes 13 townships and is printed page by page as the census appears on the micro-film. Surname index. Since this is the first census where all members of a household are mentioned, this is an excellent source book.

WINCHESTER VIRGINIA AND ITS BEGINNINGS 1743-1814, Katherine Glass Greene, 1926, 6 X 9, Library, 441 pages, Indexed, Bookworm and Silverfish, P. O. Box 516, Wytheville, VA 24382, $25, VA residents add 4% tax.


CATALOG OF BOOKWORN & SILVERFISH, P. O. Box 516, Wytheville, VA 24382, Loose leaf binder of memiographed sheets listing the books offered by them, 12 pages.

Many family histories and many books on Virginia. A good source of Virginia books.


This book has been extensively researched and explores the nature and extent of the dispersal of the Bateman family and its connections from Concord, MA; Killingly, CT; and Fairfield (Bridgetown), NJ. It also provides a list of references to published English sources by shire on the name Bateman, Has 3 indexes: 1) Descendants of William Bateman b. ca 1590 England, d. 1631 MA, 2) Bateman Wives by first name (surname included when known), 3) Standard cross reference full name index. Includes family group sheets and documentation.

ATLAS OF ROCK ISLAND COUNTY ILLINOIS, Originally published in 1905 - reprinted 1976, 16 1/2 X 14, Soft cover, 166 pages, Indexed, Blackhawk Genealogical Society, P. O. Box 912, Rock Island, IL 61201, $18, $3 mailing, IL residents add 5% tax.

This is a splendid reprint of the original 1905 edition. As the cover states, there are maps of villages, cities and townships of Rock Island County, Illinois. Most of the maps
are detailed plats indicating street names, lot divisions and many times, the land owner's name. Also of interest is a description of the Land Survey System of U. S. Government with several diagrams and maps to illustrate the system. The Atlas contains Business Listings for the area and a Farmers Directory and History for each community. Numerous old ads are included with pictures of the local business establishments, as well as over 30 pages of individual and group pictures of the local inhabitants and their ancestors. But, best of all, the Blackhawk Genealogical Society has added a complete surname index which makes this fascinating book a joy to use.

GENEALOGICAL INDEX AND GAZETTEER FOR BOWMAN'S REFERENCE BOOK OF WYOMING COUNTY HISTORY WITH CORRECTIONS AND ADDITIONS TO CENSUS SECTION, Agnes Branch Pearlman, 1976, 8 1/2 X 5 1/2, Soft cover, Offset, 108 pages, Agnes Branch Pearlman, 2001 North Westwood Ave., Santa Ana, CA 92706, $5.

This book is a supplementary index which adds to the original eight page index which is bound with Mary Keller Bowman's REFERENCE BOOK OF WYOMING COUNTY HISTORY. These pages contain a genealogical index of names for this West Virginia source plus a separate gazetteer, and errata for the Census Abstracts.


This edition of the 1840 Census and Index contains several convenient features for the genealogical researcher: numerical listing, alphabetical index and a map inside the back cover showing Logan's boundaries as of 1840 and at present. A good finding tool.

INDEX TO BAILEY'S CHRISTIAN-SKELTON HISTORY AND GENEALOGY, Agnes Branch Pearlman, 1978, 7 X 8 1/2, Soft cover, Offset, 52 pages, Agnes B. Pearlman, 2001 North Westwood Ave., Santa Ana, CA 92706, $2.50 for subscribers, $5 for others.

This book is an index of names exactly as they appear with titles and military rank shown in parenthess. It provides a convenient as well as accurate key to genealogical information in Bailey's CHRISTIAN-SKELTON HISTORY AND GENEALOGY, which was published in 1964.

WEST VIRGINIA'S SOUTHERN COUNTIES 1850 CENSUS Surname INDEXES, Edited by Agnes Branch Pearlman, 1976, 8 1/2 X 5 1/2, Soft cover, Offset, 80 pages total, 20 pages each section, Agnes Branch Pearlman, 2001 North Westwood Ave., Santa Ana, CA 92706, $6 complete set, $2 each section.

This edition is published in four section, with table of contents on outside cover, and is available individually or collectively. The Counties are grouped according to their geographical and developmental ties. Section I-Fayette, Mercer, Raleigh, and Tazewell Counties. Section II- Greenbrier and Monroe Counties. Section III- Boone and Kanawha Counties. Section IV-Cabell, Logan, Wayne and Wyoming
Counties. Includes all counties from which Lincoln, McDowell, Mingo and Summers were later formed.

INDEX TO THE 1850 CENSUS OF GALLATIN COUNTY ILLINOIS, The Tri-City Genealogical Society (Pasco, Kennewick, Richland, Washington), 1972, 8 1/2 X 11, Offset, 113 pages, Surname index, The Tri-City Genealogical Society, Route 1, Box 191, Richland, WA 99352, $5.50pp.

Gallatin County is in the extreme southeastern section of Illinois, bordered on its eastern side by the Wabash and Ohio Rivers, which meet there. The county was organized in 1812 from Randolph County, which was formed in 1795-partly from the existing St. Clair County, and partly from the unorganized portion of the Northwest Territory. This index was prepared from the microfilm of the original census. Great care was taken to assure accuracy - the manuscript being indexed twice and cross-checked against one another and against the original microfims. In cases where doubt still existed, it is noted, and the item in question is indexed both ways! The surname index contains approximately 783 names. Some of the names appearing most numerously are Brown, Clark, Clayton, Cook, Crawford, Davis, Dillard, Edwards, Fletcher, Fowler, Greer, Moore, Murphy, Prater, Reed, Reynolds, Robinson, Sanders, Smith, Taylor, Thompson, Vinson, White, Williams, Willis, and Wilson.


This is Vol. I, No. 1 of the Ogee/Ogles Family Association. There are membership lists, collected data, charts, and stories for members of the association with the purpose to collect, compare and correct Ogle/Ogles family genealogy. There is also a query section.

BRADLEY GENEALOGY: Manuscript by Henry Olcott Sheldon, 1875, Compiled by Martha Sheldon Hutchins, 1976, 8 1/2 X 14, 48 pages, Indexed, Martha Hutchins, 1123 N. Myers, Burbank, CA 91506, $8.50.

This handwritten genealogy of the Bradley family was written in 1875 by Henry Olcott Sheldon (1799-1882). He was an itinerate pastor and a fund raiser of both Aberlin College and Baldwin Wallace College, which he helped to establish. The information begins in Massachusetts in 1773. It was reproduced, charted, indexed and some errors corrected by Martha Sheldon. Very nice quaint book for anyone interested in Bradley Genealogy.

A BICENTENNIAL HISTORY OF ELEVEN PIONEER FAMILIES, Mary M. Beadles, 1974, 6 X 9, Offset, 269 pages, Indexed, Beadles Genealogy Company, 4037 Northview Lane, Dallas, TX 75229, $19pp.

This work is an in-depth study of several Southern families, traced over a 200 year period. Some are traced to the immigrant ancestor with notes on his origin. Mrs. Beadle has done an excellent job of interweaving information to make it enjoyable to the reader in addition to providing specific and informative genealogical data. Primary names

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included are Cladwell, Collins, Connerly, Cook, Duren, Going, Guier, Mottley (Motley), Rebsamen (Turnipseed), Tanner, and Travis. Related names include Creed, Ellington, Gayden, Giles, Hamiter, Hammond, Hood, Ladmann, Love, Moore, Rieger, Rothman, Schnurrenburger, Thalmann, Vogt (Smith), and Ysenring. The book is exceptionally well done, complete with coats of arms, surname index and blank pages for the reader to make additions, corrections, or notations on the family information.

A HISTORY OF FOUR JACKSON PURCHASE FAMILIES, Mary M. Beadles, 1978, 6 X 9, Offset, 352 pages, Indexes-name and slave, Beadles Genealogy Company, 4037 Northview Lane, Dallas, Texas 75229, $35pp.

The Jackson Purchase of 1818 included all or portions of the present Tennessee counties of Benton, Caroll, Chester, Crockett, Decatur, Dyer, Gibson, Hardeman, Hardin, Haywood, Henderson, Henry, Lake, Lauderdale, Madison, McNairy, Obion, Shelby, Tipton, and Weakley. In addition, the following Kentucky counties are derived from it; Ballard, Calloway, Carlisle, Fulton, Graves, Hickman, Marshall, and McCracken. This book is a compilation of family history information primarily on the Beadles, Browder, Guerrant and Harris families of the Jackson Purchase region, but includes the related families; Aydelott, Allin, Baird, Bard, Barringer, Cobb, Coats, Dutoit, Ellington, Jackson, Kemp, Nunnally, Penick, Porter, Rowlett, Trabue and Warford. Records included in this volume show family origins and migration to the area. Included are coats of arms, a history of the Huguenot Cross, numerous illustrations and letters. This book is a must for anyone researching or interested in the history of the subject families. It was obviously prepared with great care and accuracy that is expected of a professional genealogist of the stature of Mrs. Mary Beadles.

PART II, UNRECORDED VITAL RECORDS OF REHOBOT, MA, Robert Sheldon Trim, 1980, 8 1/2 X 11, Offset, pages numbered 67-135, No index-book is in alphabetical order, Robert S. Trim, 16r Trim St., Rehoboth, MA 02769, $7pp, MA residents add $.25 tax.

The compiler has assembled from many sources, including funeral orations, local newspaper notices, vital records of surrounding towns, narratives, deposition, etc., over 1,000 records of Rehoboth deaths not to be found among the Vital Records of Rehoboth itself. These are listed alphabetically, including date of death, age at time of death (if known), any other pertinent information available, and the source of his information. This should prove extremely helpful to many who have thus far been unable to find the deaths of ancestors who lived in Rehoboth. Part I of this series, which probably accounts for the first 66 numbered pages, concerned unrecorded births of Rehoboth. The compiler notes that a limited number of Volume I are still available, at a cost of $7 postpaid, plus $.25 tax MA residents only. Recommended particularly for libraries, as well as for all those who collect vital statistics for Massachusetts.

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BARBADOS RECORDS: WILLS AND ADMINISTRATION, VOL. III, 1701-1725, Joanna McKeen Sanders, Compiled and editor, 1981, 6 x 9, Hard cover, 520 pages, Indexed, Sanders Historical Publications, 13603 Pebblebrook, Houston, TX 77079, $31, TX res. 5% tax, $1 mailing UK and Europe, none in US.

This volume of wills and administrations is an important source for genealogists whose ancestors landed on the eastern coast of America during the period covered. Many of them may have come by way of Barbados. Abstracted from the "Recopied Wills Series" in the Barbados archives, includes all names, dates, titles, relationships, place names, references, land owners, burial locations, ships, freed slaves and slaves with surnames appearing in each will.

Two Books: Supplements to the 1894 edition of THE HISTORY OF THE DOGGETT-DAGGETT FAMILY by Samuel Bradlee Doggett, A SUPPLEMENT TO 'JOHN DOGGETT/DAGGETT OF MARTH'S VINEYARD and SUPPLEMENT TO 'THOMAS DOGGETT/ DAGGETT OF MARSFIELD AND WILLIAM DAGGETT OF SAGO', Supplements written by George H. and Sydney B. Daggett, 1974 and 1975, 6 x 9, Library, Offset, 392 pages and 578 pages, Indexed, George H. Daggett, 2 San Juan Lane, Port Saint Lucie, FL 33452, $22.50 each, $1.50 per parcel.

The authors of these supplements reprinted THE HISTORY OF THE DOGGETT/DAGGETT FAMILY, by Samuel Bradlee Daggett, 4 (689 pages, indexed), which is available for $25. This reprinted original is available with either of the Supplements for a total cost of $45, plus $1.50 postage for the package. The earlier (1974) of these Supplements contains three indexes, one for married males of the Doggett/Daggett name, one for married females, and the third for miscellaneous listings. The second (1975) Supplement is a continuation and enlargement on the Supplement published in 1974. However, unlike the earlier supplement, pages are not numbered consecutively from the first to the last of the book. It is made up of a foreward, three genealogical divisions, and an index. The division are "Thomas Doggett-Daggett of Marshfield, MA; William Daggatto of Saco, ME; and Miscellaneous families and Those with Unknown Ancestry. Most Daggett/Doggett are descended from one of the following: John, who came with John Winthrop in 1630; Thomas of Marshfield, MA, who removed to New England in the "Marey Anne" in 1637; and William of Saco, ME. Included in the introductory materials is a list of Daggett Whaling Masters, a listing of books by or about Daggetts, and a list of the origins of many towns and places named Daggett. Very helpful to anyone researching Doggett/Daggatt family.

THE DESCENDANTS OF THOMAS OLCOTT 1630-1784, Nathaniel Goodwin, Original 1845, revised 1875, Reprint, 5 1/4 x 8 1/4, Soft cover, Offset, 155 pages, Indexed, Martha Sheldon Hutchins, 1123 N. Myers, Burbank, CA 91506, $3.

Thomas Olcott (Alcock, Alcott, etc.) settled in Hartford, CT in 1635. Descendants are traced to 1874. Thomas died in 1654 leaving a widow Abigail (---), and children Thomas, Samuel, John, Elizabeth, and Hannah. Interesting anecdotes and documents of early Connecticut.

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This is an account of the ancestors and descendants of Matthew Cushing who came to America in 1638 from Norfolk, England. First published in 1905 by the Perrault Printing Company, Montreal, this book, long out of print, has now been reprinted on acid-free permafled paper, complete with illustrations, portraits, full-color coat of arms contained in the originally published volume. It has a most attractive binding with the Cushing coat of arms impressed in gold on the cover. This should be an excellent source for all those who seek Cushing family information. Has illustrations.


This genealogy of the Philip Andrew (1805-1868) and his wife Jane of Devonshire, England who settled in Ontario, Canada and Calhoun Co., Iowa. It does not have footnotes, but does have a list of sources at the end of the booklet. The booklet is illustrated with several family pictures.

MINNESOTA GENEALIGICAL PERIODICAL INDEX: A COUNTY GUIDE, Arthur Louis Finnell, CGRS (Index to periodical through 1979), 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, Mimeographed, 17 pages, Arthur Louis Finnell, CGRS, 27 West 14th Street #207, Minneapolis, MN 55403, $5pp.

A county topical index to published items in Minnesota genealogical periodicals published through 1979. The reader should read foreward for explanation of entries and abbreviations. Included are church and cemetery records, land records, vital records, Family Bible records (indexed by surname), and other miscellaneous list. A valuable aid for Minnesota armchair research.


Monongalia County, Minnesota, had a brief existence before merging with Kandiyohi county in 1870. This book contains abstracted records of Monongolia County which have been buried in the vast collection of Kandiyohi County. Included are land and marriage records, the 1860 Federal Census for the county, list of officials, and a short historical sketch of the county.


This index was abstracted from a microfilm copy of the original and contains name, age, marital status, place of birth, month of death, occupation, page on schedule and county.

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This is a useful book geared for the dedicated researcher who is willing to spend a few hours learning to read mid-18th century German script. There are many examples of each letter of the alphabet and the author suggests the technique of practicing each letter several times, and then using them to write common English words. Following the standard alphabet are many examples of words found in genealogical research, and several sample documents which have been translated into English. A delightful contribution to the field of German research. The serious researcher will be well rewarded for every hour spent with this book.


104 years ago, 6th & 7th generation descendants of John May (1590-1677) were responsible for the first edition of this book. John came to America with his wife and sons, John and Samuel, and, as the title suggests, settled in Roxbury, MA in 1640. In all located records, his wife is referred to only as "wife" or in 1651 church records of her death as "Sister Mayes". John Franklin May, a 10th generation descendant of this pair, published the second edition in the centennial year of the original. Using the 1878 book as a base, he was able to review, supplement, make some corrections, and bring the records up to the present generation -- the 13th in America. During his 8 years of research he received information from nearly 100 people and found 6 of the original books in which the holders had penned in corrections and additions. Blank pages in this book are for that purpose. (A three-page bibliography and a table of contents were also added.) As in the first book, there is a chapter on known facts about May families whose descent has not been traced, but who may or may not be connected to this family. Following the introduction used in the 1878 book, there is an account of a 1875 trip to Mayfield, Sussex, England, believed to be the native home. This, "although probably true, cannot be affirmed positively." John Franklin May has named 4000 descendants of the first John May, so the book's usabiliy has been much improved by his three indexes: 1) the May name only; 2) a full name index of other families; 3) a geographical index of towns and cities in 49 states and 38 foreign countries, showing just how far this family has spread since Roxbury. The revised numbering system gives each person a generation number, a chronological number within the branch, and in some cases a family branch letter. Following the basic format of the original book, after dealing with early generation, he divides the branches according to the geographical location of the 3rd or 4th generation, most of whom left Roxbury between 1700 and 1740. Those who remained in Roxbury the longest are called the "Homestead Branch". Other descendants started branches in Stoughton, MA; Bristol

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now RI); Pomfret, Woodstock and Wethersfield, CT. Current descendants of this line no matter where they live are connected to one of these branches. Mr. May says, "accuracy of data contained in this book unless otherwise noted has not been verified." He hopes readers will "supply additional information, identify defects--" but he feels that now previously scattered information has been brought together in this book and can serve for many years to come as a "central source of information" on the descendants of John May.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY, TEXAS MARRIAGES, 1838-1894, compiled by the Montgomery County Genealogical Society, 1977, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, 80 pages, Indexed, Montgomery County Genealogical Society, Inc. P. O. Box 751, Conroe, TX 77305, $7.88, $1 mailing.

Marriages are listed alphabetically by the name of the groom. The surnames of brides are indexed separately. Date of marriage, volume and page number are given for each record. Very helpful for anyone with ancestors in this area of Texas.


Mr. Cathey presents persuasive arguments that Abraham Lincoln was the illegitimate son of Abraham Enloe, of North Carolina, and Nancy Hanks, who later married Thomas Lincoln. However, most of the arguments are based on tradition, second-hand testimony, and physical resemblance of Abraham Lincoln to the Enloe family. Contains some genealogy of the Enloe (Inlow) family.

INDEX TO A CENTURY OF WAYNE COUNTY, KENTUCKY (1800-1900), Compiled by Irene Byrer, 1982, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft Cover, Offset, 31 pages, In alphabetical order, Mrs. Jay G. Byrer, 1129 Eastgate Drive, Cincinnati, OH 45231, $3pp.

This booklet is an every-name index to Augusta Johnson's HISTORY OF WAYNE COUNTY, KENTUCKY, containing over 3400 entries, or approximately three times the names originally indexed. This information should prove extremely helpful to those searching for Wayne County ancestors, even if they don't have the book.

A GUIDE TO MATERIALS AVAILABLE IN THE GREATER CINCINNATI AREA FOR SOUTHERN GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH: A SELECTED LIST FOR VIRGINIA, KENTUCKY, NORTH CAROLINA AND TENNESSEE, Irene Atwood Byrer, 1975, 8 1/2 X 11, Soft cover, 18 pages, No index, Mrs. Jay G. Byrer, 1129 Eastgate Dr., Cincinnati, OH 45231, $2.20.

This booklet lists each library in the Cincinnati area that contains genealogical material and shows its holdings. Listed are the Cincinnati Historical Society, the L. D. S. Library, Public Library of Cincinnati and Kenton County Public Library of Covington, KY. Information is grouped by the Library, and for the larger libraries, also by state.

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These records of many kinds are from the Virginia State Library, but it is a great convenience to Van Landingham researchers to have them gathered together by families, typed, and indexed, with a map of the area indicating the location of the creeks. The Van Landinghams were connected with many of the old Northumberland Co., VA families from early Colonial times, so if you have ancestors from this area you would do well to check this book. Although not as many, there are also early records from Richmond Co., VA.

1880 AND 1890 CENSUS, CANADIAN DISTRICT, CHEROKEE NATION, INDIAN TERRITORY, Transcribed by Sharron Standifer Ashton, 1978, 6 X 9, Soft Cover, Offset, 90 pages, No index, alphabetical, Oklahoma Genealogical Society, P. O. Box 314, Oklahoma City, OK 73101, $8.50.

The foreward, map, and 3 1/2 page introduction should be very helpful to any researcher. Arrangement is alphabetical for each census. Name, nativity, age and sex are given for the 1880 census and name, native or adopted, race or prior nationality, age, sex, occupation and married-yes or no-are given for the 1890 Census. This is Special Publication No. 5 by OGS.

INDEX TO MARRIAGES, FIRST UNITED STATES COURT, NORTHERN DISTRICT, MUSKOGEE, INDIAN TERRITORY, 1890-1907, 6 X 9, Soft cover, Offset, 78 pages, 3 indexes, Oklahoma Genealogical Society, P. O. Box 314, Oklahoma City, OK 73101, $6.50.

This well-prepared book is divided into two parts. Part I is abstracts from Inventory of Creek National Record in Muskogee, OK. It is chronological, but names are indexed. In Part I, date is given, certificate no., perhaps who performed ceremony or who recommended that the license be issued, Tribe, and various other details. Part II is an index to the marriages of the 1st U. S. Court, Northern Dist., Muskogee, Indian Territory, Book A, B, B-1, D, 5 July 1890 thru 19 September 1894. Part II is arranged alphabetically by groom, with an index to brides. It gives volume and page for each. This is special Publication No. 6 by OGS.


This book is the second in a series of genealogies on Bohemian families who originally settled in the area of St. Louis, particularly in the vicinity of Madison County, Illinois. It contains the histories of two closely related families, the Rezabeks and the Spaceks. Part I of each section tells the story of each family in America. The Rezabek family begins with Dorothy Rezabek and continues through her six children, covering the years 1855 to 1913.
The Spacek family begins with Joseph Spacek and continues through his six children covering the years 1867 to 1938.

THE SMOLA FAMILY HISTORY, Marvin P. Rezabek, 1979, 8 1/2 X 11, Library, Offset, 311 pages, Indexed, Marvin Rezabek, 104 Williamsburg Way, Mt. Laurel, NJ 08054, $15, $1.50 mailing.

Martin and Ludmila Smola came to this country from Bohemia about 1849. After landing in New York they remained in that city for a short time and then went by way of canal to St. Louis, MO. After working several years in St. Louis they located near Edwardsville, Madison County, Illinois. This book is a history of their nine children, and their many descendants, most of whom lived in Madison County. Part I is a chronological history of Martin and Ludmila, and their family. Part II is a statistical section, containing basic data; names, dates and place. Part III is a linear diagram section. The work contains an index of both Smola's and allied surnames.


Reviews early Mathias/Matthias/Mathews surnames back to 1651 in Norfolk and Princess Anne Counties, VA and traces the family and descendants of John and Barbara Mathias from 1799 in Shenandoah County, VA into Hardy County, now West Virginia. Other families linked with them and mentioned include; Bowman, Caldwell, Crider, Disponet/Dispony, Emswiler/Imswiler, Fitzwater, Harter, Hoshor/Hushawe, Miller, Sager/Sayger, See, Shireman, Snider/Snyder, and Wilkins.


Traces the line of James Berry who arrived in Virginia from England about 1633. In 1652 he migrated to Calvert Co., MD. Other families linked to and mentioned include: Beanes, Bowie, Clagett, Dorsey, Eversfield, Gittings, Hillary, Jeffries, Keene, Long, Marsh, Naylor, Pitt, Plater, Preston, Sasscer, Seely, Sherwood, Sprig, Talburtt, Taylor, Towgood, Walley, Williams, and Woolchurch.


Robert Griffith(s) and family came from North Wales between 1837-1842 to Butler Co., Ohio. Son Robert W. Griffith removed to Putnam/Allen Co., Ohio in 1857. Some went to Dayton, Ohio; Hocking and Perry Cos., Ohio; Wright Co., MO; Oklahoma and Texas. Related families include: Clevenger, Davis(e)s, Edwards, Evans, Jones, Renner, Roberts, Taylor, Walls, and Williams.

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