



Ingham County Genealogical Society
NEWSLETTER
P. O. Box 85
Mason, MI 48854

SUMMER 2010 VOLUME 13 NO. 3

Meetings:

2009/2010 ICGS

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<http://www.IngCoGeneSoc.org>

ICGS meets on the second Thursday of the month – except for the months of January, June and July. Meetings begin at 7:00 p.m.. The public is welcome.

Meeting Location: Vevay Township Hall, located at 780 Eden Road, one mile south of Mason, Ingham County, Michigan

August 12 – Annual Picnic Vevay Twp. Hall
Start at 6:00 p.m. Eat at 6:30 p.m.

1. Bring a dish to pass. Ice tea and water supplied
2. Paper plates, cups and plastic ware provided.
3. Bring an item for the white elephant auction, money raised goes into social account.
4. **RSVP Sheri by August 4th (517) 694-6812**
or email onlygodknwsy@sbcglobal.net – head count needed for meat purchase.

September 2 *(DATE HAS CHANGED)*****
previously scheduled for September 9th.

The Importance of Preservation of Family Heirlooms and Histories – Shirley **Hodges**, Certified Genealogist.

October 14 – Researching at the ICGS Library – Diane **Bishop**, ICGS librarian.

November 11 – Breaking Down Your Brick Walls – round table discussion by members and guests.

December 9 – Annual Christmas Potluck Dinner.

REMINDER

The 2010-2011 membership year begins October 1, 2010. Please think about renewing now, or at one of our next several meetings. Dues are \$15 for a single or \$20 for two people at the same address. You can send your dues to: ICGS, Membership Secretary, P. O. Box 85, Mason, MI 48854-0085. Please indicate if this is a renewal or new membership.

NEWS FROM THE PAST

(Typed as written)

Ingham County Democrat, 16 February 1888

KILLED BY A FALLING TREE

J. Willard **Day** Instantly Killed, in Shafer's Woods Monday.

A terrible accident occurred in J. H. Shafer's woods just north of the city, between eight and nine o'clock Monday morning, resulting in the instant death of J. Willard **Day** of this city. He was engaged in cutting wood with Adelbert **Riggs** and Martin **Crowl**.

The deceased and Mr. **Riggs** cut a tree against which another – perhaps six or eight inches in diameter - leaned; but strange as it may seem neither of the men appeared to know of this fact. This leaning tree had been partially cut down by Mr. **Crowl** several days previous and blown over against the one **Day** and **Riggs** commenced chopping on Monday morning. When they chopped their tree off and it was about to fall, they stepped a few feet to one side and as **Day** stood with his back to the tree that had been leaning on the one they had cut, it struck him squarely on the top of the head, crushing his skull and breaking his neck, killing him instantly.

A coronor's jury visited the scene and after taking the evidence of **Riggs** and **Crowl**, Dr. **Root** and some of the first to arrive, returned their verdict in accordance with the above facts.

Deceased was born at Dryden, Lapeer County, Mich., April 16, 1844. He was a son of J. W. **Day**, deceased, was unmarried, and while this had been his home since the removal to Mason of his parents, several years ago, he had been a regular resident here only about three years and a half. He lived with his aged mother on South street, was a great comfort to her in her declining years and the loss of so devoted a son and constant companion is truly hard for her to bear. He leaves besides his mother, brother and sister – Geo. F. **Day** of this city, and Miss Ella **Day** of Owosso. He was very highly esteemed by all who knew him and the family have the sympathy of the community.

The funeral services were held at the residence yesterday afternoon, Rev. L. **DeLamar** officiating.

Ingham County Democrat, Thursday, 30 April 1896

DEATH OF MRS JOHN W. **DAY**

It is very seldom that a person is born, marries and dies upon the same day of the month. This is the case with the relief of the late (Mrs.) John W. **Day**, who died at the home of her daughter Mrs. Ella **Williams** at Owosso on the 24th inst. Two weeks previous Mrs. **Day** suffered a slight stroke of paralysis and a week later another which caused her death at the age of 83 years.

Her remains were brought to this city last Saturday morning, funeral services being held at the residence of her brother A. W. **Parkhurst** Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, conducted by Rev. W. H. B. **Urch**, assisted by Rev Jay **Clizbe**. The interment taking place in the city cemetery.

Polly **Parkhurst** was born at Lima, N. Y., April 24, 1813, and was of a family of nine children. In 1834 she came to Michigan with the family. At Romeo on April 24, 1837, she was married to John W. **Day** and lived there until about 1873, when they moved to Mason. Early in the eighties her life's partner was taken away. For a few years Mrs. **Day** kept house by herself and subsequent to the marriage of her daughter has made her home at Owosso, where she died April 24, 1896.

Mrs. **Day** was the mother of four children, one of them being the late Geo. F. **Day**, only one of whom, Mrs. C. S. **Williams** of Owosso, survives her. She leaves two brothers A. W. **Parkhurst** of this city and Ahira **Parkhurst** of Honeoye Falls, N. Y.. Mrs. **Day** joined the Methodist church during her early life and has been a consistent member for many years.

News from the past continued from page 2 (Typed as written)

Ingham County Democrat, Wednesday, October 30, 1907, page 5

REAPER GATHERED ANOTHER

George A. **Earle**, a Popular Citizen Went to His Reward Monday.

George A. **Earle**, one of Mason's most respected citizens and a popular business man, crossed the dark river Monday morning at 7:30 after an illness of stomach trouble lasting nearly 18 months. He was conscious to the last. Funeral services were held at the home this afternoon at two o'clock, being conducted by Rev. J. C. **Cook** of the Methodist church, with interment in Maple Grove cemetery. Members of the Masonic and Knights of Pythius orders acted as escort to the remains.

Deceased was born in Shannonville, Ont., March 20 1853, being the eldest of a family of 12 children. He spent his boyhood days on a farm and gained a common school education.. After finishing school he taught for a time. Mr. **Earle** came to Mason about 30 years ago and at first engaged in railroading for the M. C. For four years he was in the elevator business.

For a time he was a clerk in the hardware store and then purchased an interest, the firm being **DuBois & Earle**, then **Earle & Lewis** and then Mr. **Earle** conducted the business alone until a short time ago when it was sold to F. P. **Dean**. He gave the closest attention to the details of his business and by economy and frugality accumulated a goodly share of this world's goods.

In November, 1887, Mr. **Earle** was married to Miss Mary **Seely**, who with a daughter Earnestine, survives him. He is also survived by a mother and sister, Lena of Shannonville and six brothers as follows: John of Owosso, James of Flint, Harry of Belleville, Ont., Thomas of Shannonville and Charles and Frank of Adrian.

Mr. **Earle** was a republican in politics and held the positions of city clerk, alderman of the first ward and supervisor of the second ward, all these positions he filled with the confidence reposed in him by his fellow citizens. He belonged to Mason Lodge No. 70. F. & A. M., Ingham Chapter No 51, R. A. M and was charter member of Mason Lodge No 70, K of P. He was under sheriff for Sheriffs **McEuen** and **Cline**. He will be greatly missed from our business community and sadly missed from his home circle.

Ingham County Democrat, 4 January 1911, page 1

She Has Crossed the Bar.

Mrs. Caroline **Seeley**, a resident of Ingham county for over 55 years, passed away last Saturday afternoon at three o'clock after a short illness as the result of old age and a general breaking down. Funeral services were held at the home the following Monday afternoon at two o'clock, being conducted by Rev. W. H. **Simmons**. Interment in Maple Grove cemetery, the remains being borne to their last resting place by E. **Culver**, F. W. **Webb**, F. E. **Densmore**, H. E. **Neely**, E. A. **Densmore** and J. W. **Post**.

Deceased was born at Niles, Ohio, Oct. 20, 1828. Very early in life she united with the church of the Disciples. In 1854 she was united in marriage to Dr. John Williamson **Seely** and became stepmother to two little nieces, who are Mrs. O. W. **Halstead** and Mrs. F. M. **Lewis**, both of this city. Two years later they move to Ingham county, living on a farm two miles south of Mason for several years and then moving to Mason where the husband died in about a years. Four children were born to them, two dying in infancy, the survivors being Mrs. Clara S. **Day** and Mrs. Geo. A. **Earle**. Five grand children and two great-grandchildren also survive her. For many years Mrs. **Seely** had made her hone with Mrs. **Earle**, the stepdaughters residing but a short distance from her.

LOCKE TOWNSHIP SOLDIERS
WHO SERVED IN WORLD WAR I

(Compiled by Mae Tuttle)

(Typed as written)

(From the Locke Township, Ingham County, Michigan Microfilm Project)

(Continued from previous issues)

Spencer B. Pinkney, Serial No. 2047440

He was single, color white. He was born in Locke, Mich., May 4, 1895, his parents being George and Maud **Pinkney**. He has 2 sisters and 3 brothers, namely Blanch, Bell, Aurther, Fred, Wesley **Pinkney**. Before the war he was telephone operator in Locke Township.

He entered his first camp April 30, 1918 at Camp Custer, he was assigned to 13 Co. 4 B.R. 160 depot Bridgade; May 18, 1918 - Signal Corps, Fort Levenworth, Kansas; May 21, 1918 - Studied on wireless telegraphy - Co. F 5th Ballalin signal corps; July 1, 1918 - Upton, Long Island, New York; July 15, 1918 - sailed overseas. Served in France and England. Overseas Co. E 407 Telegraph Signal Corps A.E.F.

Received his discharge May 6, 1919 at Camp Custer.

Record taken by Mrs. G. W. **Tuttle**

Theron Worden Rogers,

was single, color white. He was born in Conway, Livingston Co., Mich. July 7, 1895. He being the eldest son moved with his parents to Locke, Willard and Emma **Rogers**. He has two sisters and two brothers, namely, Florence, Myrtle, Leo and Don.

He entered his first camp March 4, 1918 at Charleston, S.C. as Landsman Machinist mate, U.S.N.A.; April 20, 1918 - Rifle Range, Mt. Pleasant, S.C.; May 1st, 1918 - Camp Bennett, Pensacola Naval Station; May 22, 1918 - main station; Aug. 1, 1918 - placed in 5th Squadron; Oct. 1, 1918 - Qualified and passed as Machinist mate, 2nd class, A.U.S.N.; Nov.11, 1918 - Gunnery Engenering (Engineering) school; Feb. 1, 1919 - Qualified and passed as machinist mate, 1st class A.U.S.N.

Received his discharge March 22, 1919. Special order of navy Dept to reduce to peace time basis.

Record taken by Mrs. G. W. **Tuttle**

Wallace Satterlee, Serial No. 2048136

He was single, color white. He was born in Jackson, Mich. Nov. 28, 1893, his parents being George and Ida (deceased) **Satterlee**. His mother dying when an infant, he was raised by his grandparents. He registered in Locke June 5, 1917 for service and was called Feb. 27, 1918 to Camp Custer; there he was assigned as a Pvt. Co. H, 338 Infantry.

July 27, 1918 - Camp Mills, New York; July 25, 1918 - sailed overseas. He was last assigned to Co. F, 38 Inf. A.E.F. He served in the battle of Verdun.

He received his discharge, May 9, 1919.

Record taken by Mrs. G. W. **Tuttle**

WHO SERVED IN WORLD WAR I CONTINUED FROM PAGE 4

Guy Scofield, Serial No. 2980187

He was single, color, white. He was born in Locke Township April 12, 1891, he being the only son of Henrey (deceased) and Emma **Scofield** and two sisters Blanch and Roberta were left to battle life without a father. He being not very strong, he finished his schooling and began to teach and when called for service, he was principal of Shaftburg school.

He entered his first camp May 27, 1918 at Camp Custer. There he was assigned to Co. L, 339 Inf.; July 14, 1918 - Camp Mills, Long Island; July 21, 1918 - sailed overseas. Landed at Liverpool Aug. 5, 1918. Went to Camp Bullswater near London. Sailed from New Castle Aug. 27, 1918. Sept. 1st, 1918 landed at Archangel, Russia; Sept 15 to Nov. 6, 1918 - Base Hospital Archangel, Russia. Nov. 23, 1918 to Jan. 3, 1919 - Runner at British head quarters, Seleskoe; Jan. 3 to Jan. 28, 1919 - Rest at Archangel; Jan. 28 to Feb. 7, 1919 - Railroad front; Feb. 7 to May 1, 1919 - Orderly Battalion H. Q.; May 1 to Sept. 13, 1919 - Hospital.

Discharged Sept. 13, 1919. He was the only boy from Locke Township to be sent to frozen Russia.

Record taken by Mrs. G. W. **Tuttle**

Hugh Vangilder, Serial No. 77929

He was single, color white. He was born in Howell, Mich. And later with his parents moved to their farm in Locke where they still reside. His parents being Fred and Catherine **Vangilder**. He has one sister, Mrs. Grace **Hanson**.

He enlisted in November 1917 at Detroit. He was called to Chicago Jan. 26, 1918 where he was assigned to Co. C 8 division and quarter master corps, and served as clerk and also as cook. He was stationed at Camp Johnston, Jacksonville, Florida. March 15, 1918 he went to Camp Holabard, Baltimore where his company made their headquarters till the close of war. His duties while stationed at Camp Holabard Baltimore were driving of motor cars in motor supply train, transporting quarter master supplies and troops to the sea board and checking clerk in supply depot.

Discharged at Camp Custer March 12, 1919.

Record taken by Foster **Tuttle**

Salem G. Warfle, Serial no. 279627

He was single, color white. He was born Sept. 27, 1895 in Lock Township, his parents being William (deceased) and Louisa **Warfle**. He has six sisters and two brothers, namely Mrs. Edwar((d) **Ribby**, Mrs. James **Cushman**, Mrs. Geo. **Martin**, Mrs. Lon **Dains**, Mrs. Glen **Botsford**, Mrs. Almond **Carlton** and John and Clarence.

He registered in Locke June 5, 1917 for service and was called Sept. 5, 1917. At Camp Custer he was assigned to Private, Co. D, 126 Inf., 32 Division; Oct. 29, 1917 - Waco, Texas; Jan. 15, 1918 - Camp Mac Aurthur; Feb. 1, 1918 - Camp Merritt; Feb. 6, 1918 - sailed overseas; June 1918 - promoted to Private first class. He served in Alsace Lorraine July 1 to 16, 1918. Received a Potts, fractured right ankle, went to Dijon hospital France, was there seven days removed to Base 28 at Lamoges. Dec. 17, 1918 he went to Convelessent Camp Bordeaux; sailed for U. S. Dec. 25, 1918.

Received his discharge Feb. 1, 1919.

Record taken by Mrs. G. W. **Tuttle**

LANSING CREDIT EXCHANGE
BULLETIN #478, JUNE 30, 1930
(Typed as written)

BIRTHS:

	Mr. & Mrs.	
May 04, 1930	Howard Dunlap , 352 Carlton St. Grand Rapids	Boy
May 12, 1930	Chas. Kontas , 111 N. Grand Ave.	Girl
June 01, 1930	Russell J. Healey , 233 N. Walnut St.	Boy
June 08, 1930	Chas. J. Larkin , 1408 Jerome St.	Boy
June 08, 1930	Clifford A Lusch , 610 N. Larch St.	Girl
June 08, 1930	Wm. Tatum , 810 Jerome St.	Boy
June 11, 1930	Geo. F. Grey , 124 Cedar St., East Lansing	Girl
June 11, 1930	John Giza , 2226 Forest St.	Girl
June 12, 1930	Edward Truman , 502 Regent St.	Girl
June 13, 1930	Geo. Yuncker , 405 Edmore St.	Girl
June 14, 1930	Clinton B. Hatch , 1913 Williams St.	Boy
June 15, 1930	Garry C. Ryder , 714 N. Gd. Riv. Ave.	Girl
June 15, 1930	Anthony D. Schneider , 818 Max Ave.	Boy
June 16, 1930	Peter Daly , 811 W. St. Joe St.	Girl
June 17, 1930	Percy E. Scott , Holt, Mich.	Girl
June 17, 1930	Leo W. Frank , 1108 N. Penn. Ave.	Girl
June 18, 1930	Jonathan T. Hodgins , 224 Gunson, East Lansing	Girl
June 18, 1930	Samuel B. Robinson , Olivet, Mich.	Girl
June 18, 1930	Edgar J. Hermes , 1910 Oakland Ave.	Boy
June 18, 1930	Morris J. Green , 192 W. Lenawee St.	Boy
June 18, 1930	Clarence H. Sulcer , R.1, Potterville	Boy
June 18, 1930	Otto H. Prochnow , 512 Carlton Terr.	Boy
June 18, 1930	Fred Killeen , 503 Cowley St. East Lansing	Boy
June 18, 1930	Homer C. Nelson , 532 N. Walnut St.	Girl
June 18, 1930	Jno. Moe , 1406 Reo Ave.	Boy
June 18, 1930	Don B. Ellsworth , 2020 Sunnyside	Girl
June 19, 1930	Vernie Lyons , 926 Olds Ave.	Girl
June 19, 1930	Walter W. Gregg , 702 ½ Barnes Ave	Girl
June 19, 1930	Vernon J. Hooper , 2309 S. Logan St.	Boy
June 19, 1930	Avery H. Phillips , 733 Shepard St.	Girl
June 19, 1930	Samuel S. Jenkins , 1409 E. Saginaw St.	Boy
June 20, 1930	Frank P. Madsen , 223 S. Hosmer St.	Girl
June 20, 1930	Robert E. VanSickle , 1119 N. Chestnut St.	Boy
June 20, 1930	Ernest J. Holmes , 310 Holmes Rd.	Girl
June 20, 1930	Chas. Bappert , Williamston, Mich.	Girl
June 21, 1930	Chas A. Rathbun , 118 S. Mifflin St.	Boy
June 21, 1930	Warren E. Adams , R. #2	Girl
June 21, 1930	Gust Karns , 2108 Lyons Ave.	Girl
June 21, 1930	Rolland J. Coulson , 943 Grove St.	Girl
June 23, 1930	Milton A. Kelley , 1400 N. Chestnut St.	Boy
June 23, 1930	Jacob E. Hopkins , 217 S. Francis St.	Girl
June 24, 1930	Rellison M. Swisher , 1404 Ada St.	Boy

LANSING CREDIT EXCHANGE
BULLETIN #478, JUNE 30, 1930

DEATHS:

June 12, 1930	Joe Hoven , Chicago	50 years
June 17, 1930	Ruth C. Dougherty , 428 S. Clemens St.	24 years
June 18, 1930	Mary Ellen Mosher (Abram), 213 Ferguson Ave.	70 years
June 18, 1930	Manie E. Clark (Albert), 601 W. Maple St.	56 years
June 19, 1930	Matie J. Fountain (Frank), 201 N. Larch St.	60 year
June 19, 1930	Anna M. Jensen (Geo.), 129 S. Francis Ave.	38 years
June 20, 1930	Herbert Lister , Lansing	50 years
June 21, 1930	Bessie Smith (Floyd), 2315 Fernwood Ave.	31 years
June 21, 1930	Warren S. Robbins , 526 S. Chestnut St.	40 years
June 22, 1930	Leutitiu Stump (Isaac), 332 N. Clifford St.	84 years
June 23, 1930	Beverly Mae Brown , 823 Edison	01 years
June 23, 1930	Bernice E. McQuistin (J. Warren), 217 N. Magnolia	57 years
June 23, 1930	Nellie A. Decker (Daniel), 2412 S. Logan St.	53 years
June 23, 1930	Clare E. Demund (John), Williamston	59 years
June 23, 1930	Jesse D. Lloyd , Williamston	60 years
June 24, 1930	Iris Pretzel (Frank), 823 E. Main St.	41 years
June 24, 1930	Lorna K. Johnson , Weston, Ill.	16 years

The Employment for the week ending June 28, 1930 in 38 factories 12,015. For the same period last year in 18 factories 17,748.

MARRIAGE LICENSES:

Melton **Smith**, 28, Lansing – Lehlia **Gill**, 20, Albion
Wesley F. **Walty**, 23, Lansing – Irene Ann **Daly**, 19, Lansing
Wesley J. **Thorburn**, 27, Holt – Eva B. **Gurd**, 18, Lansing
Geo. R. **Weston**, 41, Lansing – Nellie **Wedel**, 33, Clare, Mich.
Edgar L. **Murdock**, 59, Champaign, Ill. - Ethel M. **Hogans**, 46, Urbana, Ill.
Andrew D. **Clark**, 59, VanWert, Ohio – Hope M. **Williams**, 34, Chicago, Ill.
Harold **Tryon**, 20, Lansing – Margaret **Ferrey**, 18, Lansing

NEWCOMERS:

Donald **Bonner**, 532 Townsend St. from St. Louis, Mo.
Major Geo. F. **Humbert**, 805 W. Ionia St. from Boston, Mass.

CHANGES OF ADDRESS:

Hugh **Austin** from Howell, Mich. to 132 South St., Fowlerville, Mich.
Leon J. **Ball** from 1115 High St. to DeWitt, Mich.
A. **Ball** from 1115 High St. to DeWitt, Mich.
Jos. A. **Bayles** from 1000 Comfort St. to Elsie, Mich.
Lora **Day** from 415 ½ Dorrance Pl. to Greenfield, Tenn.
Mary **DeLeare** from 518 N. Wash. Ave. to R. #4, St. Johns
Bertha **Eby** from 2700 S. Cedar St. to 604 Rose Avenue, Big Rapids, Mich.
Floyd N. **Egleston** from 817 Cross St. to Battle Creek, Mich.

FARMERS' MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
OF INGHAM COUNTY, MICHIGAN

(Typed as written)

AMOUNT AT RISK \$2,857,000

Secretary's Office, Mason, Mich., Sept. 10, 1882

PLEASE READ THIS NOTICE CAREFULLY.

You are hereby notified that the Executive Committee of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Ingham County, Mich., did, on the 10th day of August, 1882, order an assessment of one half mill on the dollar upon the amount at risk in said Company to be collected, within 30 days after the 10th day of September, 1882, to meet the future losses and current expenses of said company.

Since the last annual assessment was ordered the following losses have been adjusted by the company, all of which have been paid from the last assessment, together with the current expenses for the past year, leaving a surplus on hand of something over \$550

E. **Langley**, Delhi, \$1.10, for damage to granery by lightening .
T. H. **Stratton**, Vevay, \$1.00 damage to house by fire.
H. **Ives**, Vevay, \$4.50 damage to barn by lightening.
Phillip **DeBarry**, Williamston, \$5, for sheep killed by lightening.
E. **Watts**, Ingham, \$5.00 damage to house and contents, by explosion of lamp.
Elon **Muscott**, Leroy, \$135 for loss of hay stacks by fires.
P. F. **White**, Ingham, \$6 damage to house, by fire.
Wm. M. **Stephens**, Stockbridge, \$32 for colt killed by lightening.
H. **Battsford**, Williamston, \$1.50 for house and contents, damaged by fire.
David **Almond**, Alaiedon, \$3 damage to wearing apparel , by fire.
A. **Royston**, Leslie, \$10 for heifer killed by lightening.
James **Tobias**, Lansing, \$525 for loss of barn by fire.
E. S. **Clark**, White Oak, \$10, loss of hogs by fire.
J. **Edgar**, Aurelius, \$1.00, damage to carpet by fire.
H. **Exner**, Delhi, \$8 damage to bedding by fire
A. H. **Clements**, White Oak, \$10 damage to house by fire.
John **West**, Ingham, \$6 damage to bedding by fire.
F. **Clark**, Ingham, \$7 for damage to barn and tools by lightening.
J. E. **Curtis**, Ingham, \$1.50 for damage to house by fire.
W. S. **Moore**, Alaiedon, \$85 for colt killed by lightening. (Loss adjusted and money tendered but not accepted)
T. W. **Huntoon**, Leslie, \$3 for damage to carpet, etc., by fire

TAKE NOTICE – At the last annual meeting the time of holding the annual meeting of this company was changed to the Wednesday before Christmas.

At the last annual meeting of the Board of Directors a by law was adopted, requiring members having stock killed or damaged by lightening to obtain satisfactory evidence that said stock was damaged or killed by lightening.

Remember if assessments are not paid within the 30 days your policy stands suspended until paid.

Your policy is No. 1062, the amount of your insurance is \$1350, and the amount of your assessment on the same is \$.68. This notice is ten cents; making a total of \$.78, which you are requested to pay to B. W. **Stark**, Receiver at Aurelius within 30 days after the date of this notice.

O.F. **MILLER**, Secretary.

SAMUEL **SKADAN**, President

GENEALOGY WEBSITES

(May 2010 meeting)

General Information Sites

Ancestry Records: www.ancestry.com

Cyndi's List of Genealogy Sites on the Internet: www.cyndislist.com

David Rumsey Historical Map Collection: <http://www.davidrumsey.com>

Dead Fred - Genealogy Photo Archives: <http://deadfred.com>

Family Search Records and Images: <http://pilot.familysearch.org>

Future Tools to Dig up the Past: <http://www.familysearchlabs.org>

Genealogy Today: www.genealogytoday.com For railroad employee records: click on "Railroad Employee Records". Other types of records are also available.

Heritage Quest (free if you enter your Michigan Driver's license or Michigan library card number): <http://mel.org> and click on "MeL Databases" and then click on "Heritage Quest Online" to search for: census (1790 - 1930); books at PERSI (Periodical Source Index); revolutionary war pension land grant applications; Freedman's Bank; US serial set (Congressional memorials, petitions and private relief actions. Also www.heritagequestonline.com

Historical Newspapers and Other Records: www.footnote.com

Immigration and Naturalization Records: www.uscis.gov and click on "Genealogy"

General Site: www.linkpendium.com

National Archives Digital Records and Historical Photos: www.digitalvaults.org

Newspapers Online: www.onlinenewspapers.com and select either by state or newspaper name

Random Acts of Genealogical Kindness for free helpers by location: www.raogk.org

Resources for German Genealogy: <http://www.germanroots.com>

Sons of Union Veterans: www.suvcwdb.org

U. S. City Directories: www.uscitydirectories.com/index.html

U. S. Gen Web Project - Links to State genealogy Web Sites: www.usgenweb.org

U. S. Online Veterans and Military Documents: www.archives.gov/veterans/research/online.html

World Vital Records: <http://worldvitalrecords.com>

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Death and Burial Records

Cemetery Records On Line: <http://www.interment.net>

Death Indexes: www.deathindexes.com

Grave sites: www.findagrave.com

National Burial Index - United Kingdom: www.findmypast.com

Online Searchable Death Indexes, Records and Obituaries (by State): <http://www.deathindexes.com>

Social Security Death Index: <http://ssdi.rootsweb.ancestry.com>

Resources

Day of the Week Calculator and Other Tools by Ancestor Search: <http://searchforancestors.com>

Format bibliography citations: www.easybib.com

Free Genealogy Forms: www.familytreemagazine.com/freeforms

One-Step Web Pages by Stephen P. Morse: <http://www.stevemorse.org>

Preserving Records and Archival Products: www.archival.com

Start Your Own Web Site on Roots Web: <http://accounts.rootsweb.com>

Books and Media Resources

Books: <http://books.google.com>

Genealogy Audio Show On-line: www.genealogygems.tv

Roots Television Where History Meets Heritage: <http://www.rootstelevision.com>

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Other States and Countries

Illinois: Cook County Naturalization Petitions 1871 - 1929 and Declarations of Intent 1906 - 1929:

www.cookcountyclerkofcourt.org/NR/about.aspx

Maryland Archives On Line: <http://aomol.net>

Ohio Historical Society: www.ohiohistory.org

Ohio: Lorain County Records Retention Center for Early Birth and Death Records:

www.lcrecordscenter.com/records-search/

Ohio Obituary Index: www.rbhayes.org/index

State Vital Records Web Sites: <http://www.vitalrec.com/>

United Kingdom and Ireland: Index of Baptism, Marriage and Burial Records:

<http://freereg.rootsweb.com>

Michigan Sites

Ingham County Genealogical Society: www.ingcogenesoc.org

Library of Michigan: www.michigan.gov/mde and click on genealogy

Michigan County Histories and Atlases: <http://quod.lib.umich.edu/m/micounty/>

Michigan e Library: <http://mel.org> and click on "MeLCat" for books, magazines, music, etc.

Michigan Records: <http://seekingmichigan.com> and click on "Search Advanced"

Western Michigan Genealogical Society: www.wmgs.org

MASON, INGHAM COUNTY, MICHIGAN NEWSPAPERS AVAILABLE ON DVD'S

The Ingham County Democrat, 1876-1915, digital images are available on 4 DVDs. Member cost is \$60 for set or \$18.75 per DVD. The Ingham County News, 1869-1934, digital images are available on 5 DVDs. Member cost is \$75 for the set or \$18.75 per DVD. Non-member price is slightly higher. See our web site: <http://www.ingcogenesoc.org> for an order blank. These DVDs are fully searchable and articles may be copied and printed for your personal use. A demonstration can be had at either our genealogical library or at a meeting.



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LIBRARY OF MICHIGAN
TEMPORARY REDUCTION OF HOURS

Beginning Monday, August 2 through Friday, September 3, 2010, the Library of Michigan's public hours will be 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Monday – Friday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday. This action is part of the Library's response to budget cuts and reduced staffing and will allow them to complete distribution of materials from the Dewey and Main collections to other Michigan libraries. **Regular hours will resume Tuesday, September 7, 2010.**

MARTHA W GIFFITHS MICHIGAN RARE BOOK ROOM
LIBRARY OF MICHIGAN

PLEASE NOTE: The Rare Book Room will be closed for construction July 19, 2010 through September 30, 2010. Normal hours resume October 1, 2010.

VISIT OUR GENEALOGICAL LIBRARY

Our genealogical society library, located on the 2nd floor of the Mason Branch, Capital Area District Library, 145 W. Ash St., Mason is open Wednesdays from 12 noon until 4 p.m. There is a treasure of information on Ingham County at your disposal.