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Indexers Are The Genealogist's Best Friends Over 1,000,000 Names Indexed

HSGS Web Site. <www.rootsweb.com/~usgenweb/mi/iosco/3501hsgs.htm> is the address for our HSGS's indexes on the Internet. The search engine for this site, or all of Michigan or any of the other Michigan's counties is www.rootsweb.com/~usgenweb/mi/search.htm. We currently have (Oct 31 2005) 820 indexes, 22,741 printed pages, and 1,016,367 names indexed. All these files are on HSGS's CD, but only 93% are on the web site (does not include new indexes within the last month, draft indexes not yet finished, & a some random data corrections). The status of our master indexes is as follows:

Master Index Status	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct
On the web, current date	625	627	648	655	665	675	684	689	696	696	704	709
On the web, outdated date	49	49	49	49	49	49	51	52	52	52	53	53
New, not yet sent to web	3	22	6	11	11	11	6	7	4	9	5	8
Future, being edited	13	13	15	14	14	14	13	13	13	13	14	14
Future, partially keypunched	31	31	31	29	29	29	36	38	38	37	37	36
Totals	721	742	749	758	768	778	790	799	803	807	813	820

HSGS member Dan Stock HSGS's Web Master is placing our indexes directly on our USGENWEB web site.

New Indexes Added This Month:

- Tawas Herald 1916 Jun, Jul & Aug, by Joan Doerr of Ellicott City MD.
- Hale Schools 100 Year History: 1901-2002, by Lawrence Daley of Bloomington Hills MI.
- The Warbler Magazine (Wurtsmith Air Force Base Officer's Wives Club), Oct 1967, by Alonzo J Sherman of Oscoda MI.
- The Warbler Magazine (Wurtsmith Air Force Base Officer's Wives Club), Feb 1988 & Dec 1989, by Barbara Johnson of Eden Prairie MN.
- Michigan On Fire #2, by Alonzo J Sherman of Oscoda MI,

New Books Added to HSGS's Library This Month:

- 63rd Fighter-Interceptor Squadron, Oscoda Air Force Base, Telephone Directory, Jan 1952. Copied by HSGS.
- 84th Air Base Squadron, Oscoda Air Force Base, Oscoda Michigan, Monthly Roster of Officer Personnel, 31 May 1952. Copied by HSGS.
- Combat Crew SAC (379th Reunion p160, 1974. Copied by HSGS. Copied by HSGS.
- 379th Bombardment Wing, 1958. Copied by HSGS.
- Change of Command & Retirement and Ceremony, 1984. Copied by HSGS.
- Tuskegee Airman, 1983. Copied by HSGS.
- Wurtsmith Air Force Base Dedication Booklet, 1953. Copied by HSGS.
- Michigan On Fire Number 2, by Betty Soddors, ©1999, 210 pages. Purchased by HSGS.
- Hispanic First Names: A Comprehensive Dictionary of 250 years of Mexican-American Usage, by Richard D Woods, © 1884.

HSGS's Treasurers Report (10/31/2005). Savings \$1,109.87, Checking \$1,113.71, cash \$0.14, = Total \$2,223.72.

Genealogy Open House At Parks Library, October 15 2005. October Open House was a success and a special thanks to all those who participated. Coffee, donuts and other goodies were enjoyed as guest came to check out our displays and genealogy library section. Several suggestions and ideas were discussed and will be followed up at the next business meeting. Visitors and members browsed the book display and a variety of handouts, such a charts, information and miscellaneous items that were quickly exhausted as the afternoon came to a close. Some brought in their family charts and shared with others. As for me, I am looking forward to next October, so we can do it again! (Pres. Naomi Stonehouse).

Phonetiche. This a collection of microfiche copies of phone books. Allen County Public Library collection covers the years 1978-1990, and are arranged alphabetically by city. (MGC Newsletter v29n4p8, Fall 2005).

Epidemics. A list of the location and date of about 50 epidemics are listed from 1657-1851. (MGC Newsletter v29n4p10, Fall 2005).

New DAR Online Index. This 18-million name index is called the Genealogical Records Committee Reports, and contains info from family bibles, tombstones, church records etc. The web address is: http://grc.dar.org/dar/darnet/grc/grc.cfm?Action=New_Search. (Saginaw Gen Soc Newsletter v28n2p410, Oct 2005).

US Driver's Licenses On The Web. See <www.license.shorturl.com>.

HSGS Records ready to be keypunched (We need some new indexers to help index these records, over a half million records be indexed): See August Newsletter for the list of files.

HSGS's Jobs List. It is necessary for other HSGS members to step forward and accomplish these jobs. The members currently working in the library are busy serving the patrons research needs, and do not have time left for this work. Note some of these jobs can be done in you home wherever you live, and some can only be done in your home only if you live in the local area, and some need to be done in the library. Contact Mr Sherman if you can help at shermanaj@hotmail.com or 989-739-3650.

Job Name	Hrs	Location	Special Skills
Letter 40 Pioneer Society Book spines	2-4hrs	Library	Gelink Pen (HSGS has)
New Labels on Gazette Microfilm cans/boxes, that include roll # & date span. 36 cans/boxes.	2 days	Library	Computer, label program
Project Officer for Poor Farm Cemetery	1 wk/yr	Spartan Rd, Tawas City	Lawn mowing/trimming
Proper shelving of books, check for	1 wkly	Library	None
Time Report- Help design & maintain HSGS Time Report (For stats for future grants etc)	4 mo	Home (anywhere)	Computer, Excel or Word (tables), & Email

TRAINING AVAILABLE (One Time Events):

Year/Mo/Day	Description/Location/Contact
2005/11/04-05 Thu-Fri	2d International Conference on Genetic Genealogy, Washington DC. for info www.familytreedna.com/conference_PR2.html .
2005/11/05 Sat	Finding Great Grandpa in Cyberspace, Livonia Civic Center Library, Livonia MI. Contact Sue Cromwell 248-477-5846.
2005/11/05 Sat	Finding Great Grandpa in Cyberspace at Livonia MI Civic Center, contact www.rootsweb.com/miwwegs .

2005/11/14-19 Mon-Sat	My Ancestors & Everton Publications Educational Research Retreat, at Family History Center at Salt Lake City. Contact www.myancestorsfound.com/retreat.html
2005/11/14-19 Tue-Sat	Everton's Fall Research Tour, Salt Lake City. Contact Holly Hansen 866-701-5071.
2005/12/03 Sat	Abrams Genealogy Series. Finding Your Irish Ancestors. At Library of Michigan in Lansing MI. Contact 517-373-1300.
2006/02/10-11 Fri-Sat	Genealogy & Family Heritage Jamboree, Dixie Convention Center in StGeorge Utah. Sponsored by My Ancestors. See www.myansterorsfound.com .

OTHER TRAINING:

- Individual Training Schedule (Recurring), see p10 of February 2005 Newsletter.
- Individual Training Schedule (By Appointment), see p11 of February 2005 Newsletter.
- Training Courses Online, see p11 of February 2005 Newsletter.

SOME USEFUL GENEALOGICAL INTERNET ADDRESSES:

See June 2005 Newsletter. Prepared by Judy Sheldon. Please notify us at judesheldon@yahoo.com of any broken links or links you think should be added to this list.

INDEXERS ROLL OF HONOR

See August 2005 Newsletter

ANCESTRY LIBRARY EDITION

See August 2005 Newsletter

HURON SHORES GENEALOGICALSOCIETY ACTIVE MEMBERS.

C/o Robert J Parks Public Library, 6010 N Skeel Ave, Oscoda MI 48750, and Phone 989-739-9581. The Library is open Mon, Fri & Sat 9:00am-5:00pm & Tue-Wed-Thur 9am-8:00pm (HSGS member available 9:00am-3:00pm Sat). HSGS's meetings are 7-8pm the 3rd Thursday of Jan, Apr, and Jul & Oct in the Oscoda Library (This may change in 2005, so call before coming). Officers, project leaders & active indexers are listed below:

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Brewer, Karen	Transcribing various cemetery records	810-749-2830 < kfolly@earthlink.net >
Burns, Samantha	Transcribing various records	989-739-7431 <none>
Carraway, Marianne	Hale Year Books	989-739-9569 < mcarraway@charter.mi.net >
Daley, Lawrence	Hale Yearbook 1901-2002	248-253-7472 < daleymart@msn.com >
Dingus, Ginger Metcalf	Secretary, Transcribing various	989-362-4706 < gingey326@hotmail.com >

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Stock, Dan	Putting indexes on the Web Site	989-739-4239 <etts95@yahoo.com>
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