



INDEXERS ARE THE GENEALOGIST'S BEST FRIEND

HSGS Web Site. <www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~usgenweb/mi/iosco/3501hsgs.htm> is the address for our HSGS's indexes on the Internet. The search engine for any Michigan county is <www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~usgenweb/mi/search.htm>. We currently have 1,230 indexes, 29,490 printed pages, and 1,303,124 name citations indexed: If indexes were printed out they would be 9 feet tall and weight 284 pounds. All these files are on HSGS's master file on our computers external drive, & the CD we sell. But only about 94% 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 & CD follows:

Master Index Status	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar
On the web, current	979	994	1009	1021	1057	1063	1081	1104	1122	1130	1138	1147
On the web, out dated	31	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30
New, not sent to web	16	7	11	13	6	18	22	15	12	8	10	22
Future, being edited	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
Future, partially done	38	38	23	22	23	23	23	23	23	23	26	23
Totals	1071	1076	1080	1093	1123	1141	1163	1179	1194	1198	1211	1229

HSGS member and Vice-president Dan Stock is HSGS's Web Master and places our indexes directly on our USGENWEB web site.

Indexes Added This Month:

- Warbler: 1973(05), 1974(09), 1974(11), 1974(12), 1975(01), 1975(03), 1975(04), & 1975(05). By Barbara Johnson of Eden Prairie MN.
- Warbler: 1970(02), 1970-(03), 1980(05), 1980(06) & 1981(04). By Jim Farrand of National City.
- Tawas Herald: 1937(11); 1937(12); 1938(01); 1928(02); & 1938(14). By Joan Doerr of Elliott City MD.
- Wurtsmith Air Force Base News: 1955(03) thru 1956(01). By Marrianne Carraway of Oscoda MI.
- Unknown Family Photo Album of late 1800s. By Alonzo Sherman of Oscoda MI.
- Unknown Family Photo Collection (Glass Negatives) c1920. By Alonzo Sherman of Oscoda MI.

Files Scanned This Month:

- <u>Warbler</u> (Wurtsmith AFB Officers Wives Club Newsletter): 1990(03), 1990(04), 1990(05), 1990(06), 1990(10), & 1990(11). By Alonzo Sherman.
- Glass Negatives (This is a joint project between HSGS and Iosco County Historical Society to scan 3,670 glass negative taken between 1890-1905). The scanning team consists of Charles Birnbaum, Eileen Gervais, Judy Sheldon, Alonzo Sherman, Dan Stock & Naomi Stonehouse from HSGS and Neil Thornton of the Iosco County Historical Society. 45% of the 3,670 images are scanned as of this date.

New Books Etc This Month:

• The Nifty 50s, Chapters One & Two, a DVD by Neil Thornton.

HSGS's URL has been changed: The new URL will take some time to get a few bugs out of it. Use the new URL http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~usgenweb/mi/iosco/3501htm. This will require resetting you bookmark if you use a book mark for HSGS.

<u>FLASH!</u> HSGS membership was due January 1 2008. Please make a \$10.00 check payable to HSGS and mail to HSGS, 6010 N Skeel Ave, Oscoda MI 48750, or drop it off at the Parks Library. Also include your current mailing address, phone number & E-mail address, so we can keep our records current. Thanks.

New members are given a CD with all out indexes on it if they request it. Other members can get one CD a year for \$5.00 (Regular price is \$10.00)

HSGS's Treasurers Report: Savings \$1,255.87, Checking \$476.82, cash \$14.00, = Total \$1,746.69.

Wanted. HSGS needs a copy of the HSGS Newsletter for November 2004.

<u>Wurtsmith Air Force Base Newspaper- The Guardian 1955-1956.</u> These issues have just been indexed and should be on our web site next month. Indexer was Marianne Carraway of Oscoda MI.

HSGS's Spring Training Program. This training will be 12 noon thru 4 pm Saturday May 23 2008 at the Parks Public Library in Oscoda MI. The subject is researching Germany Genealogy. Frieda Hirschenberger president of the Northeast Michigan Genealogical Society of Alpena MI will be the Speaker. She was born in Germany and is fluent in the German language as well as family history. The talk will be given in English, in case you were wondering.

TRAINING AVAILABLE (One Time Events):

Year/Mo/Day	Description/Location/Contact						
2008/04/05	31 st Annual Spring Seminar, Gen Soc of Monore Co MI, at Monroe Co						
Sat	Community College.; 8am-4pm, cost \$20. Researching German Ancestors.						
	More info Larry Wilson larry@dundee.net.						
2008/04/17-19	Cincinnati OH. OH Gen Soc 2008 Annual Conference, Navigating the Past:						
Thru-Sat	Charting a Course for Your Family Tree. More info						
	www.ogs.org/conference2008/.						
2008/04/22-23	Bus Trip to Allen Co Public Library from Kalamazoo. Contact Sue Irvine 616-						
Tue-Wed	889-0042 or siirv@yahoo.com.						
2008/06/19-21	Columbus OH. Palatines to American National Conference. More info at						
Thur-Sat	www.palam.org.						
2009/10/15-19	Midland Genealogical Society Seminar						

GENEALOGICAL FINDING GUIDES Etc

Item	Quantity	Location In HSGS
Archives (Located in Bldg 200 WAFB)	328 Titles, 105 CuFt	Reference Desk
Books for sale by Carol Dickinson	List of	Newsletter 2007(11)
Census MI 1894	1 35mm roll	Cabinet 1 drawer 7
Census US (MI) 1820-1920	24 35mm rolls	Cabinet 1 drawer 7
Census US (MI) 1870, 1880, 1900, 1920,	5 CD-ROMs	Cabinet 1 drawer 8
Correspondence File	86 linear feet	Cabinet 1 drawer 1-5
Files, work-in-progress	Flash Drive	Staff Computer Drive-M
For-Fee Researchers	List of Names	IN HSGS Handout on the
		Reference Desk & Newsletter
		2007(12)p5
Handout. HSGS	2 pages	Reference Desk
History of HSGS	Text	Newsletter 2007(12) p7
How-To-Do Genealogy	96 Books	Stack 2 shelf 3-4
Indexers Roll-Of-Honor, HSGS's		Newsletter 2007(12)p20
Internet Addresses, selected		Newsletter 2005(06)
Michigan Manuals for sale	List of	Newsletter 2007(06) p5
Names Indexes: Patron Computer	1,200 indexes, 1.3 million	Patron Computer Drive-Z
•	names (9' tall & 285 lbs)	•
Names Indexes: Staff Computer	1,200 indexes, 1.3 million	Staff Computer Drive-L
-	names (9' tall & 285 lbs)	_
Newsletters, HSGS's	5 years	Web-Site*
Newspaper- Gazette (Iosco Co) 1868-1947	36 35mm rolls	Cabinet 1 drawer 1-2L
Newspaper- Herald (Iosco Co) 1884-1928	20 35mm rolls	Cabinet 1 drawer 2R
Newspaper- Independent (Arenac Co) 1972-2000	33 35mm rolls	Cabinet 1 drawer 3
References, Canada	240 Books	Stack 1 shelf 3-4
References, European Countries	25 Books	Stack 1 shelf 1L
References, How-To-Do Genealogy	96 Books	Stack 2 shelf 2-4
References, Iosco County MI	243 Books	Stack 3 shelf 1-4
References, Loose Leaf (File prefix order)	4 file cabinet draws	Cabinet 2 drawer 1-4
References, Michigan	276 Books	Stack 4 shelf 1-2
References, Michigan Counties (-Iosco)	280 Books	Stack 5 shelf 1-5
References, Published Family Histories	111 Books	Stack 2 shelf 1-2
References, States (Other than MI)	901 Books	Stack 4 shelf 1-2
References, United States	103 Books	Stack 1 shelf 1R-2
Scanned References	70 references, 3.8GB	Staff Computer Drive-K
Sign-In Sheet & price list	1 page	Reference Desk
Surname Register	List of Patrons	Staff Computer Drive-L
Surname Register	List of names being researched	Staff Computer Drive-L
	& researchers: over 100 pages	
Training Courses Online, Individual	List of Courses	Newsletter 2005(02) p11
Training Schedule, Individual (By Appointment)	List of Courses	Newsletter 2005(02) p11
Training Schedule, Individual (Recurring)	List of Courses	Newsletter 2005(02) p10
Volunteer Soldiers who served from Michigan	1 16mm microfilm	Cabinet 1 drawer 7
during the Patriot War 1838-1839		

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 by chance or appointment). Officers, active project leaders and indexers are listed below:

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BOOKS FOR SALE BY CAROL DICKINSON, 989-739-4010, 11/13/2007.

Title	Author	Orig\$	Buy\$
History of the Acadians, set of 7 books	Arsenault, Bona	175	75
Our French-Canadian Ancestors, set of 30 books	Laforest, Thomas	900	500
Beloved Acadis of my Ancestors	Leger, Yvon	25	10
Des Acadiens Au Quebec, set of 8 books	Bergeron, Adrien	160	70
French Canadian research	DuLong, John P	0	10
A. Godbont Family (First) of Quebec		35	15
Louis-Philppe Bonneau		35	15
Collecting Dead Relatives		25	10
History of Keene NH		40	20
Kings Daughter's & Founding Mothers (The Feller du	Gagne, Peter J	0	60
Roi 1663-1673), set of 2			
Before the King's Daughters 1634-1662	Gagne, Peter	0	40
History of Sanilac County 1834-1984		0	40

GLASS NEGATIVE SCANNING PROJECT

(Persons working on the project from March 19 through March29)

Person	Yr/Mo/Dy	Start Time	End Time	Total Hours	Miles
Birnbaum	08/03/19	9a	4p	7	5.6
Birnbaum	08/03/20	9a	4p	7	5.6
Birnbaum	08/03/21	9a	4p	7	5.6
Birnbaum	08/03/24	9a	5p	8	5.6
Birnbaum	08/03/25	10:30a	5p	6.5	5.6
Birnbaum	08/03/26	9a	4p	7	5.6
Birnbaum	08/03/27	9a	4p	7	5.6
Birnbaum	08/03/28	9a	5p	7	5.6
Birnbaum	08/03/29	9:30a	4:30p	7	5.6
Gervais	08/03/17	9a	5p	8	20
Gervais	08/03/18	9:30	4:30	7	20
Lynn (Opened)	08/03/17	9a	9:30	0.5	1
Sheldon	08/03/15	10:30a	1:10p	2.7	48
Sheldon	08/03/19	11a	2p	7	48
Sheldon	08/03/20	11a	2p	7	48
Sheldon	08/03/28	11a	4:30p	3.5	48
Sherman	08/03/15	9:30a	5p	7.5	30
Sherman	08/03/17	9a	5p	8	30
Sherman	08/03/18	9a	5p	8	30
Sherman	08/03/19	9a	4p	7	30
Sherman	08/03/20	9a	4p	7	30
Sherman	08/03/21	9a	5p	8	30
Sherman	08/03/24	9a	5p	8	30
Sherman	08/03/25	9a	5p	8	30

Person	Yr/Mo/Dy	Start Time	End Time	Total Hours	Miles
Sherman	08/03/26	9a	4p	7	30
Sherman	08/03/27	9a	4p	7	30
Sherman	08/03/28	9a	4:30	7.5	30
Sherman	08/03/29	9:30a	4:30p	7	30
Stock	08/03/15	10a	1:10p	3.2	40
Stock	08/03/19	10a	1p	3	40
Stock	08/03/21	9a	1p	4	40
Stock	08/03/28	12	4p	4	40
Stonehouse	08/03/17	10:30a	12n	1.5	2
Stonehouse	08/03/17	1p	3p	2	2
Stonehouse	08/03/18	12	2p	2	2
Stonehouse	08/03/24	2p	3p	1	2
Stonehouse	08/03/25	2p	3p	1	2
Stonehouse	08/03/27	12	1:30	1.5	2
Stonehouse	08/03/28	9a	12	3	2
Thornton (Opened)	08/03/26	9a	10a	1	5.0
Thornton (Opened)	08/03/27	9a	10a	1	5.0
Thornton (Opened)	08/03/28	9a	10a	1	5.0
Thornton (Opened)	08/03/29	9:30a	10a	1	5.0
Thornton (Opened)	08/03/15	9:30a	5p	7.5	5
Thornton (Opened)	08/03/18	9a	9:30	0.5	0
Thornton (Opened)	08/03/19	9a	10a	1	5
Thornton (Opened)	08/03/20	9a	10a	1	5
Thornton (Opened)	08/03/21	9a	10a	1	5
Thornton (Opened)	08/03/24	9a	10a	1	5
Thornton (Opened)	08/03/25	9a	10a	1	5
			TOTALS	232.4	867.4

Note: People who wish to help should call Mr Sherman at 989-739-3650 (evenings 7-10pm) to be scheduled. If you wish only to observe stop at the Iosco County Museum anytime between 10a-4p Monday thru Friday.

Note: Glass Negative #1 file contains 3,050 negatives and Glass Negative File #2 file contains 620 negatives, a total of 3,670 negatives. 45% have been scanned in March 2008.

<u>Note:</u> There are also several boxes of glass negative that have not been counted, clean, put in archival envelopes, and indexed. No agreement has been made on these. There are estimated to be about 100 of these glass negatives.

