

Morris Area Genealogy Society Newsletter

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RECENT PROGRAMS

September: Tracing Your Germanic Ancestors

Tom Peters was our speaker; he told us when researching German ancestry (including Germany, Austria, Hungary, Switzerland, Prussia, Bavaria, Poland),



be sure to have as much information as possible before you jump the ocean. You'll need the name of the immigrant, their year of birth, their religion (most likely Evangelical Lutheran, Reformed, Roman Catholic or Jewish), the name of their village and it's helpful to have their parents' names too.

German-American church records are the best. Recommended website: feefhs.org

October: Genealogy Software Programs

Larry Fermi spoke about computer genealogical software. He showed us some of the unique features of each program.

Personal Ancestral File probably does the best job of supporting multiple languages and imports all other programs; *Legacy* has time lines and



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Morris Area Genealogy Society website:
rootsweb.com/~njmags/

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USA Individual - \$15.00 Canadian Individual - \$22.00
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Meetings

Meetings will be held on the second Tuesday of the month, ending this December, at Grace Episcopal Church, 4 Madison Ave, Madison, New Jersey. Coffee is served at 6:45pm; meetings begin at 7:00pm. From January through May they will be held the first Tuesday of the month, at Morris County Library at 6:30 pm. Usually a brief business meeting is held first, followed by the evening's program.

Newsletter

The *Newsletter* is published four times a year: March, June, September and December. Back issues are available at \$3.50 each. Members are welcome to submit ideas or articles for the *Newsletter*. Deadlines for articles for each issue are as follows:

Issue	Deadline
March.....	February 1
June.....	May 1
September.....	August 1
December.....	November 1

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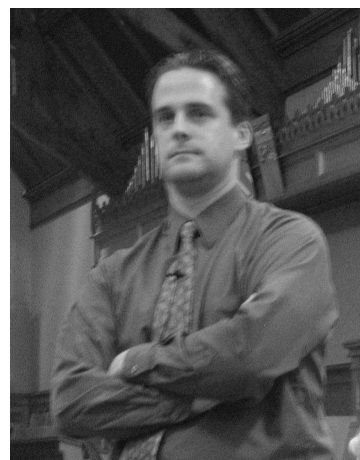
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can generate a "book"; *Roots Magic* has private events, a place finder and a read-only copy can be made for distribution; *Family Tree Maker* searches Ancestry on the internet (with an Ancestry subscription), bookmarks for flipping between ancestors and a map feature; and *The Master Genealogist* which is the most full featured with multiple levels of surety and it outputs to word processing programs.

November: Same Sources, Different Results: Evaluating Conflicting Genealogical Information

Chad Leinaweaver is the Director for the Library at the NJ Historical Society in Newark.

Chad's topic was: " ". He presented three cases where the same information was gleaned from the same source, yet the published (or



manuscript) results were different and even conflicting. He offered advice on determining which source may be the most plausible by finding out when and why the item was created, who created it, where did the information come from and does the original source still exist? The library is located at 52 Park Place which is open Tuesday through Saturday, noon to 5:00pm. Their website is jerseyhistory.org.

New Acquisitions at the Library

by John Andrew Sass

Here are the latest acquisitions in the Local History and Genealogy Department of the Morristown-Morris Township Library:

Mansfield Township, Warren County, New Jersey, 250th Anniversary, 1754-2004, by the Mansfield District Council, Mansfield, NJ, 2004, H3W5 MANS MAN, 2004. This publication historical and genealogical information pertaining to the towns of Anderson, Beattystown, Butler Park, Karrsville, Mount Bethel, Port Murray and Rockport all of which are part of Mansfield Township, NJ. Areas of interest include the Miller Farmstead of Anderson, the Perry-Petty Farmstead, the Morris Canal, Port Murray's historical district and Beattystown historical district. Families and individuals cited and/or pictured throughout this publication include: Adams, Apgar, Beatty, Bigler, Bird, Bowlby, Cole, Coleman, Collins, Cregar, Cruts, Davis, Deibel, Dufford, Ebener, Egbert, Fisher, Gibson, Gruendyke, Gulick, Hann, Herman, Heurich, Hinckley, Hurley, Johnson, Keggan, Ketchum, Leeke, Marlatt, Mayberry, Miller, Mitchell, Pakela, Perrine, Perry, Petty, Pixley, Purcell, Reynolds, Riso, Robeson, Robinson, Sansevere, Shoemaker, Snedeker, Sutton, Williver, Winters, Woolever, Wydner, Zellars and others.

Asbury Park's Glory Days, Asbury Park, Monmouth County, New Jersey; A Story of an American Resort, by Helen Chantel Pike, Rutgers University Press, New Brunswick, New Jersey, H3MO5, ASBU PIK, 2005. This publication chronicles Asbury Park's heyday, a ninety-year period from 1890 to 1980. It illuminates the historical conditions contributing to the town's cycle of booms and recessions. This publication also presents the factors that influenced these peaks, such as location, lodging, dining,

nightlife, merchandising, and immigration, and how and why millions of people spent their leisure time within this one square mile boundary on the northern coast of New Jersey. Families and individuals cited and/or pictured throughout this publication include: Ackerman, Addeo, Appleby, Barry, Bradley, Brown, Bruno, Bryan, Burnham, Carter, Conover, Cooper, Costello, Cottrell, Dorn, Durant, Edelson, Edwards, Fenner, Fitkin, Fredericks, Frisby, Gerechoff, Githens, Grossman, Hamilton, Hampton, Harris, Hetrick, Hines, Jackson, Johnson, Jones, Keator, Kinmouth, Knuckles, Kramer, Lamb, Lerner, Lyons, Moore, Pancoast, Petrillo, Potter, Reade, Reed, Reese, Resnick, Richardson, Robinson, Ruben, Rubin, Sammacro, Sanders, Saunders, Schnitzler, Scott, Smith, Steinbach, Stone, Thomas, Tusting, Vaccaro, Warren, Waters, Widdemer, Williams, Zuckerman and many others. *Indexed.*

Port Oram, Morris County, New Jersey, circa 1882: A New Jersey Iron Town, by Kenneth R. Hanson, Wharton Centennial Committee, Wharton, NJ, HM2 WHAR PORT HAN, 1995. This publication studies the area of Port Oram located about two and a quarter miles west of Dover, NJ and the technology that was practiced there especially around 1882 as well as its growth as a place to live and its culture. The book is divided into several sections: mines, furnaces, mills, transportation, schools, church, housing, politics and entertainment. Families and individuals cited and/or pictured throughout this publication include: Adit, Burrill, Canfield, Chirgwin, Curtis, Davis, Ford, Fuller, Geissenheimer, Hance, Hanley, Hazard, Hewitt, Hill, Hoff, Lathrop, Lord, McCauley, McFarlan, Oram, Pardee, Post, Potter, Richards, Schultz, Senez, Thomas, Tonklin, Treglown, Trowbridge, Tyack and others. *Indexed.*

The Search for Camp Olden, Hamilton, Township, Mercer County, New Jersey, by Joseph Francis Seliga, Longstreet Publishing House, Hightstown, New Jersey, H3M5 HAMI SEI, 1995. This publication began as a search for the exact location of Camp Olden in Hamilton, Township, NJ. There are hundreds of letters and articles written by soldiers, newspaper editors, and others that make note of and describe the activities, past and forthcoming, at Camp Olden. However, no reference has been found to a specific plot of ground. While not definitive, unequivocal location has yet to be found and corroborated, there is a growing body of circumstantial evidence that indicates the possible location of the camp. The book addresses the location of the camp and those involved with its selection, what units were assembled, organized and trained there, how long each unit was there, what the camp looked like, and some of the activities that occurred there. These topics are discussed in detail within the seven chapters of the book. Maps and a list of regiments at Camp Olden are also included. Five soldiers from The Fairfield Boys, Company H, 7th NJ Volunteers Infantry in 1861 are pictured on the cover. They are: Private Benjamin F. Ogden, Corporal Lorenzo D. Paynter, Private Elmer B. Ogden (d. May 5, 1862), Private, Corporal and Sergeant Joseph Burt (d. Feb. 10, 1863) and Corporal Joseph H. Diver.

The Bridges of New Jersey, Portraits of Garden State Crossings, by Steven M. Richman, published by Rutgers University Press, New Brunswick, New Jersey, H2 RICH, 2005. This publication provides a rare photographic and poetic journey across sixty of the state's bridges ranging from impressive suspension spans such as the Benjamin Franklin Bridge and George Washington Bridge, to the small wrought iron and stone bridges that are cherished by local citizens. The book provides a rich

diversity of stories that place the bridges in context of New Jersey history and culture. The author also explores the contribution New Jersey bridges have made to engineering. Over seventy photographs are illustrated in this book all of which provide a compelling visual demonstration of their symbolic functions, as well as their practical purposes and engineering accomplishments.

The publication is divided into several areas based on the type of bridge: arch, truss, covered, cantilever, suspension, movable and girder. Families and individuals cited and/or pictured throughout this publication include: Ammann, Andariese, Anderson, Balken, Barry, Bartley, Bauer, Billington, Bollman, Boothby, Brown, Brydon, Budd, Burr, Butler, Chaley, Chapin, Cohen, Cooper, Cowin, Cret, Cunningham, Dale, Davis, Dingman, Dischinger, Douglas, Driscoll, DuPre, Eads, Ellet, Fine, Fink, Finley, Finsterwalder, Freyssinet, Gauvureau, Gerber, Gilbert, Goodkind, Griggs, Grubenmann, Hague, Harddear, Hardesty, Hazard, Howe, Jackson, Johannesson, King, Lane, Lavis, Lindenthal, Long, Lowthrop, Maillart, Masters, Middleton, Nevius, Newberry, Owens, Palmer, Plowden, Porter, Pritchard, Ransome, Ray, Redden, Roebing, Scherzer, Scudder, Sergeant, Smeaton, Stansfield, Telford, Truesdale, Waddell, Warren, Wernwag, White, Wybel and others. *Indexed.*

Collections of the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society, Volume VIII, compiled by the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society, New York, New York, H974.72 NEW, 2005. This compilation of records was originally published in 1928 and contains the baptism records, marriage records and death records of the Clove Dutch Reformed Church Records of Glove Valley, Wantage Township, Sussex County, New Jersey, the

Presbyterian Church Records of Newtown (now Elmhurst), Queens County, Long Island, New York and the Reformed Dutch Church Records and the Presbyterian Church Records at Smithfield, Huntingdon County, Pennsylvania from the late 1700's and early 1800's. *Indexed* for each church.

Images of America Series. The library has recently acquired what appears to be the entire *Images of America Series* published by the Arcadia Publishing Company, Charleston, South Carolina. Unfortunately, these books are not indexed* and one needs to check each page for information and/or picture concerning the family that they are researching in that particular town or area. A list of these new acquisitions includes the following:

Asbury Park, Monmouth County, NJ, by Helen Chantel Pike, H3MO5, ASBT PIK, 1997.

Atlantic City, Atlantic County, NJ, by John T. Cunningham and Kenneth D. Cole, H3A5 ATLA CUN, 2004.

Atlantic Highlands, Monmouth County, NJ, by Randall Gabrielan, H3MO5, ATLA GAB, 1996.

Audubon, Camden County, NJ, by the Audubon Historical Society, H3C5 AUDU AUD, 2004.

Belleville, Essex County, NJ, by Nicole T. Canfora, H3E5 BELL CAN, 2002.

Bordentown, Burlington County, NJ, by Arlene S. Bice, H3BU5 BORD BIC, 2002.

Bradley Beach, Monmouth County, NJ, by Shirley Ayres and Gary S. Crawford, H3MO5 BRAD, AYR, 2002.

**MAGS Indexing Group is currently working on indexing these volumes - ed.*

Bradley Beach, Monmouth County, NJ, by Shirley Ayres and Troy Blanchi, H3MO5 BRAD AYR, 2004.

Brown's Mill, Pemberton Township, Burlington County, NJ, by Maud F. Reynolds, H3BU5 PEMB BROW REY, 2000.

Burlington, Burlington County, NJ, by Martha Esposito Shea and Mike Mathis, H3BU5 BURL SHE, 2001.

Cape May, Cape May County, NJ, In Vintage Postcards, by Don Pocher and Pat Pocher, H3CA5 CAPE POC, 1998.

Chatham Township, Morris County, NJ, by John T. Cunningham, HM2 CHAT CUN, 2001.

Clark, Union County, NJ, by Brian P. Toal, H3U5 CLAR TOA, 2003.

Closter and Alpine, Bergen County, NJ, by Patricia Garbe Morello, H3B5 CLOS GAR, 2001.

Ewing Township, Mercer County, NJ, by Jo Ann Tesauro, H3M5 EWIN TES, 2002.

Fanwood, Union County, NJ, by Fanwood Historical and Preservation Committee, H3U5 FANW FAN2004.

Florence, Burlington County, NJ, by Florence Historical Society, H3BU5 FLOR FLO, 2003.

Hamilton Township, Atlantic County, NJ, by Township of Hamilton Historical Society, H3A5 HAMI TOW, 2001.

Highland Park, Middlesex County, NJ, by Jeanne Kolva and Jeanne Piscotta, H3MI5 HIGH KOL, 1999.

Hoboken, Hudson County, NJ, by Patricia Florio Colrick, H3H5 HOB COL, 1999.

Jersey City, Hudson County, NJ, 1940-1960, The Dan McNulty Collection, by Kenneth Frend, H3H5 JERS FRE 1997.

Jersey City Medical Center, Hudson County, NJ, by Leonard F. Vernon, H3H5 JERS JER VER, 2004.

Keyport, Monmouth County, NJ, by Timothy E. Regan, H3MO5 KEYP REG, 1998.

Linwood, Atlantic County, NJ, by Carolyn Adams Patterson, H3A5 LINW PAT, 2002.

New Egypt and Plumsted Township, Ocean County, NJ, by Arlene S. Bice, H3O5 PLUM BIC, 2003.

Newton, Sussex County, NJ, by Kate Gordon and Wayne T. McCabe, H3SU5, NEWT GOR, 1998.

Ocean City, Cape May County, NJ, by Mark McLaughlin, H3CA5 OCEA MCL, 1998, including Great Egg Harbor.

Plainfield, Union County, NJ, by John A. Grady and Dorothe M. Pollard, H3U5 PLAI GRA, 2001.

Ramsey, Bergen County, NJ, by Ron Kase, H3B5, RAMS KAS, 2001.

Ridgefield Park, Bergen County, NJ, by Donna E. Rose-McEntre, H3B5 REDG ROS, 2001.

Ridgewood, Bergen County, NJ, by Vincent Parrillo, Beth Parrillo and Arthur Wrubel, H3B5 RIDG PAR, 1999.

Howell and Farmingdale, Monmouth County, NJ, by Tova Navarra, H3MO5 HOWE NAV, 1996.

Rutherford, Bergen County, NJ, Then and Now, by Lee Frances Brown, H3B5 RUTH BRO, 2002.

Sandy Hook, Monmouth County, NJ, by Randall Gabrielan, H3MO5 MIDD SAND GAB, 1999.

Sayreville, Middlesex County, NJ, by the Sayreville Historical Society, H3MI5, SAYR SAY, 2001.

Sea Isle City, Cape May County, NJ, by Michael F. Stafford, H3CA5 SEA STA, 2001.

Springfield, Union County, NJ, by Jean Rae Turner and Richard T. Koces, H3U5 PSRI TUR, 2004.

South Amboy, Middlesex County, NJ, by George Francy, H3MI5 SOUT AMBO FRAN, 1998.

South Brunswick, Middlesex County, NJ, by Maria Kotun, H3MI5 SOUT BRUN KOT, 2004.

Union County Black Americans, Black American Series, by Ethel M. Washington, H3U1 WASH, 2004.

Waldwick, Bergen County, NJ, by Michael Brunkhorst and Colleen P. Corbett, H3B5 WLD BRU, 2003.

West Essex, Essex Fells, Fairfield, North Caldwell and Roseland, Essex County, NJ, by Charles A. Roekel Jr., H3E1 ROEK, 1999.

Wharton, Morris County, NJ, by Charlotte Kelly and Alan Rowe Kelly, HM2 WHAR KEL, 2004, including Port Oram.

Willingboro, Burlington County, NJ, by Josh Bernstein, H3BU WILL BUR, 2002, including Rancocas Village and Levittown.

Woodbridge, Bergen County, NJ, by Patricia Helbig Sloan and Catherine Cassidy, H3B5 WOOD SLO, 2004.

Along the Delaware River: Postcard History Series, by Richard C. Albert and Carrie E. Albert, H2 ALBE, 2002.

The Delaware and Raritan Canal, NJ, by Linda J. Barth, H2 BART, 2003.

A&P – The Story of the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company, by Avis H. Anderson, H2A&P AND, 2002.

Baseball in Newark, Essex County, NJ, by Robert L. Cvornyck, H3E5 NEW CVO, 2003.

Baseball in Trenton, Mercer County, NJ, by Tom McCarthy, H3M5 TREN MCC, 2003.

Campbell Soup Company, Camden County, NJ, by Martha Esposito Shea and Mike Mathis, H3C5 CAMD CAMP SHEA, 2002.

College of Saint Elizabeth, 1899-1999, by Sister Mary Ellen Gleason, Carol Marie Kiernan and George Sirgiovanni, HM5IT STE GLE, 2000.

Henry Hudson Trail, Central Railroad of New Jersey, Seashore Branch, by Tom Gallo, H2 GALL, 1999.

New Jersey Coast Guard Stations and Rumrunners, by Van R. Field and John J. Galluzzo, H2FIELD, 2004, including Sandy Hook, Forked River, Squan Beach, Barnegat, Bayhead, Atlantic City, Townsend Inlet, Avalon and Cape May.

Lastly, surnames of published genealogies:

Yocum, Yoakum and Yocom family

MAGS Meetings 2006

Effective January 2006, MAGS meetings will be held at a NEW TIME on a NEW DAY and at a NEW PLACE.

NEW PLACE = Morris County Library, 30 East Hanover Ave, Whippany, NJ 07981; map and directions enclosed. Once you're there, enter the front door, walk straight in and just beyond the stairs is a hallway. Turn right, go past the eating area and turn right again, the meeting room is down the hall on the left.

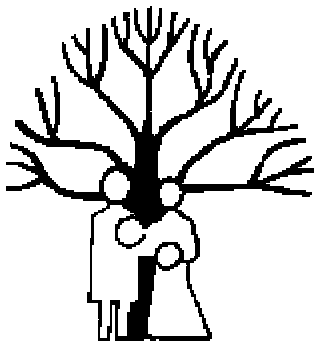
NEW DAY = 1ST Tuesday of each month, September through May

NEW TIME = Refreshments at 6:30; meeting at 6:45 – the library closes at 9:00



Morris County Marriages

by Linnea B. Foster



The following is a continuation of the abstract of Book G of Morris County Marriage Records. An explanation of these records may be found in Vol. 6 No. 3 (Sep.1993) and Vol. 17 No. 3 (Dec. 2004). The marriages have been abstracted in the order in which they were recorded. The name of the minister or official and the date recorded is shown for each group of marriages. The first column shows the page number in Book G; the second column shows the date of the marriages; the third column shows the names of the bride and groom and other information that appears in the original record.

(continued from Vol. 18, No. 3)

by Rev. John Callan, Catholic Pastor, Dover - Recorded 29 Aug 1864

37 2 Aug 1851 **John Moran** to **Catharine Johnston** Witnesses: *James Finigan* and *Eliza Johnston*

by Alexander Dickerson, JP - Recorded 30 Aug 1864

37 30 Jun 1864 **Charles Watters** to **Joseph Albert**

37 4 Jul 1864 **Albert Sergan** to **Catherine Sergent**

by Isaac Thomas, Pastor, M.E. Church - Recorded 9 Sep 1864

37 30 Jun 1864 **Moses Beach** of Rockaway to **Carrie Belcher** of Powerville, at Powerville

37 30 Jul 1864 **George Drayton** to **Emma H. Hall**, both of Denville, at Denville

38 30 Aug 1864 **Stephen D. Hall** to **Mary J. Vanderhoof**, both of Denville, at Denville

by Cornelias Clark, Minister of the Gospel in the M.E. Church - Recorded 15 Sep 1864

38 ca 18 Sep 1862 Mr. **John Deinkie** of Rockaway to Miss **Hester Ann Dickerson** of Denville

by Daniel Megie, Boonton - Recorded 20 Sep 1864

38 22 Jan 1864 **Edward McConnell** and Mrs. **Sarah Vanduyne**, at Boonton

38 11 Apr 1864 **William Nichols** and Miss **Margaretta S.N. Dawson**, at Boonton

by Rev. J. Ford Sutton - Recorded 4 Oct 1864

38 8 Jul 185[1?] **Thomas G. Davis** and **Mary Tool**, both of Boonton, at Parsippany

by E.V.G. Van Saun, JP - Recorded 4 Oct 1864

39 10 Sep 1864 **Ralph R. Riker** and **Susan Oniel**

by C. Clark, Jr., Minister of the Gospel - Recorded 6 Oct 1864

39 21 Jan 1860 **William D. Briggs** of Boonton and **Rebecca Cook** of Powerville.
Witnesses: *John D. Lyon, Margaret Lyon*

by Joseph M. Ogden, Pastor, Presbyterian Church, Chatham - Recorded 11 Oct 1864

39 3 Jul 1864 **Frederick Kuhlman** of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to **Louiza Johnsson**,
daughter of *Joseph Johnson* of Northfield, Essex Co., at the Presbyterian
Parsonage in Chatham Twp.

39 13 Sep 1864 **Frederic William Beker** of [Plummer?], Venango Co., Pennsylvania to
Emma Isabella Anna Kate Koch, daughter of *John Baptist Koch* of
Chatham, at Chatham

40 9 Oct 1864 **Charles M. Russell** of the City of Newark, Essex Co., to **Abby J.
Genung**, daughter of *Isaac Genung, Esq.* of Chatham, at Chatham

by B.J. McQuaid, Pastor, Catholic Church, Madison - Recorded 18 Oct 1864

40 4 Jul 1852 **George McDonald** and **Ann Halpin**. Witnesses: *Robert Young* and
Margaret Young

40 1 Nov 1852 **David Godbald** and **Mary O'Connell**

by Rev. David Irving, Pastor, First Presbyterian Church, Morristown - Recorded 25 Oct 1864

40 2 Feb 1860 **Conrad Stumpf** to **Wilhelmia Schwetner**

40 22 Feb 1860 **John W. Pitney** to **Nancy W. Ballentine**

40 9 May 1860 **Joshua Munn** to **Lydia Sayre Clawson**

40 21 May 1860 **Vernon Boker** to **Harriet B. Halstead**

40 31 May 1860 **William E. Powel** to **Phebe Ann Smith**

40 2 Jun 1860 **Robert McLaren** to **Mary Alwald**

40 22 Jun 1860 **J. J. Carlile** to **Letty H. Cutter**

41 27 Jun 1860 **Moses F. Ludington** to **Mary L. Freeman**

41 8 Oct 1860 **Charles Staiger** to **Libbie C. Smith**

41 1 Apr 1861 **John Wright, Jr.** and **Phebe A. Vail**

41 8 May 1861 **John W. McNair** and **Eliza B. Shaefer**

41 30 Jun 1861 **Joseph Garrison** and **Mary Louisa Taylor**

41 5 Sep 1861 **Warren S. Kelley** and **Mary B. Marsh**

41 10 Nov 1861 **Geo. W. Greenmyre** and **Elizabeth Sharp**

41 2 Feb 1862 **Kate Heacock** and **W.T. Meeker**

41 12 Feb 1862 **John Cary** and **Martha E. Axtell**

41 29 Apr 1862 **James V. Wood** and **Mary E. Devoy**

41 12 Jun 1862 **Joseph H. Vandoren** and **Lizzie Fleury**

41 25 Jun 1862 **Sam^l S. Halsey** and **Emma Rockwell**

41 29 Oct 1862 **Lewis Beach** and **Charlotte N. Guerin**

41 16 Sep 1863 **Granville A. Smith** and **Emma E. Ludlow**

41 20 Oct 1863 **Frank D. Sturtevant** to **Jenny Lee**

41 19 Dec 1863 **M. B. Monroe** to **Frances B. Sharp**

41 21 Jan 1864 **Clinton Vass** to **Sarah E. Hibler**

41 27 Feb 1864 **W^m Henry Powers** to **Caroline D. Baylis**

41 17 Mar 1864 **Simion Wilhelm** to **Mary Mott**

41 11 Jun 1864 **John P. Johnson** to **Maggie Brannin**

41 5 Jul 1864 **Mahlon S. Drake** to **Hannah M. Beers**

42 10 Aug 1864 **Isaac A. Canfield** to **Mary E. McGoldrick**

by Abraham Williamson, Minister of the Gospel - Recorded 25 Nov 1864

42 17 Dec 1842 **Alexander Sprague** to **Rachel Bowmen**, both of Mendham

42 10 Sep 1842 **Matthias Williamson** to **Clarrissa D. Stark**, both of Roxbury

by J. Ferguson Harris, Minister, Reformed Dutch Church, Pompton Plains - Recorded 26 Nov 1864

42 20 Apr 1864 **George Nichols, Jr.** of Newark and **Leah Margaret Mandeville** of Pompton Plains, at the residence of *Jacob Mandeville*, Pompton Plains

42 25 Sep 1864 **John Van Houten** of Totowa and **Jane Elizabeth Bogert** of Pompton Plains, at the residence of *James A. Bogert*, Pompton Plains

43 24 Sep 1864 **James H. Miller** of Pompton Plains and **Flora Coupay** of Oak Ridge, at the Parsonage, Pompton Plains

43 29 May 1864 **Peter M. Fredericks** of Stony Brook and **Hester A. Vanduyne** of Jacksonville, at the residence of *Peter G. Doremus*, Jacksonville

by Jas. M. Tuttle, Minister - Recorded 7 Dec 1864

43 24 Jun 1840 **Nathan C. Hedden** and **Mary Syne**, both of Walnut Grove

by Samuel P. Halsey, Pastor, First Presbyterian Church, Rockaway - Recorded 8 Dec 1864

43 7 Dec 1864 **Frederick Goldman** and **Caroline Elizabeth Lenz**

by Samuel P. Halsey, Pastor, First Presbyterian Church, Rockaway - Recorded 9 Dec 1864

44 8 Dec 1864 **John N. Bruen** and **Elizabeth Averill**

by Isaac J. De Baun, Minister of the Gospel - Recorded 3 Jan 1865

44 1 Jun 1864 **William H. Smith** of Boonton and **Charity M. Harrison** of Montville

by J.B. Hathaway, JP - Recorded 14 Jan 1865

44 29 Nov 1864 **Sarah E. Peekwell** and **John Yomaine**

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JANUARY WORKSHOPS

LDS Library Resources

Beginners

Land Records

January 3, 2006

NJ Genealogy

Irish Genealogy

**Using Family Tree Maker
software**

Check our website for any updates or changes to our workshops or meetings.

<http://www.rootsweb.com/~njmags/>

December Holiday Party

This will be our last meeting at Grace Church, Madison, NJ before moving to the Morris County Library. Come, bring a gift - usually some book or other item you no longer need that another genealogist would enjoy - for the Gift Table or bring some goodies for the Refreshment Table.

Help Wanted

We are still looking for a new Hospitality Coordinator and some additional helpers; please speak with Al Zimmerman if you can lend a hand. We need someone to come early to make the coffee, someone to shop for the goodies, someone to set-up and someone to clean up.

We are looking for a Newsletter Coordinator. The responsibilities would include picking-up the Newsletter from the printer, scheduling the volunteers who prepare the Newsletter for mailing and delivering the Newsletter to the post office once every three months. If this is the job for you, please speak with Al Zimmerman.

Is anyone interested in working with our current webmaster, Anna Nagy, with the possibility of moving into the webmaster job itself? If so, please see Al Zimmerman.

Military Records Release

Ancestry.com will soon be releasing millions of military records to complete the WWI Draft Registration Card Collection. The Draft Registration Card Collection includes about 24 million names, or approximately twenty-three percent of the United States population in 1918. If your male ancestor was born between 1872 and 1900, then he can probably be found in the WWI Draft Registration Card Collection.



At the November meeting, on behalf of MAGS, Al Zimmerman thanked Martha Corson for the good job she does with publicity. We thank her too.

THE IRON ERA

The Iron Era, published in Dover, NJ, contains a wealth of information about residents of Dover and the surrounding areas in Morris County. The Morristown-Morris Township Library has microfilmed copies of the issues published from January 20, 1872 through December 10, 1905. Unfortunately, there is no index. However, toward the end of each year from 1881 through 1892, a synopsis of the year's events was published in the newspaper. The Library's collection includes a transcript of the synopses, Morris County History 1881-1892 [HM1/Dove/Mor].

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FATAL ACCIDENTS 1890-1891

Dec	1890		
5	Samuel Williams fatally injured by a gunning accident at Beach Glen	24	Patrick Ryan fatally injured on the railroad near Dover
26	John R Johnson and Mahlon Sperry killed by explosion at Forcite Works, Lake Hopatcong	Apr	
Jan	1891	8	Body of Geo. Fairlie, of Newark, found drowned in a mill race at Troy Hills
22	Thos. Northwood drawn through the rolls at the Boonton Rolling Mills and killed	20	Patrick Mackin, Hibernia, killed in Andover mine
Feb		22	Lawrence Norris Killed on Ferro Monte Railroad, Mine Hill
10	Wm. M. Hedden killed apparently by accident near Dover	23	Samuel Struble, of Rockaway Valley, killed on the railroad at Boonton
23	Child of E.B. Temple drowned in a cistern at Boonton	26	Child of Ellsworth Mutchler, killed at Ironia by swallowing carbolic acid
Mar		29	Daniel Mooney, brakeman, fatally injured at Port Morris
2	Body of tramp found frozen to death near Millington	May	
12	Dr. J.V. Menagh, Rockaway, disappeared; body found in the pond on the 16 th	20	John Stickle killed in Andover Mine, Hibernia
13	John Kocsaba died from exposure on the road near Mt. Hope	26	Henry Case killed on the railroad at Butler
18	Child of Pagusto Lupocillo	26	Peter Huff killed in runaway accident at Morristown
		June	
		3	Two Italians killed at Pompton by a blast in the water works
		22	Frank Hoffman, Middle Valley, died from the kick of a horse
		29	Frank McGuinness drowned in Speedwell Lake, Morristonw
		July	
		3	Frank Ellis killed on the draw bridge at Dover
		18	Conductor W.H. Osmun killed at Port Morris
		27	Willie Barnes drowned at Hibernia
		31	Dominico Manattea killed by caving in of trench at Landing
		Aug	
		10	Joseph Dine, railroad

	employee, killed at Morris Plains		employee, Hibernia, killed by fall from trestle
10	Asher Danley fatally injured by a gall from a window at the poor house	FIRES 1890-1891	
		Dec	1890
12	Henry Brown, brakeman, fatally injured in Dover	2	Barn on Scott farm, Hibernia
		Jan	1891
13	Ethel Curtis drowned in Shongum Lake	7	House of Mrs. W.N. Spencer, Berkshire Valley
15	John Brown and John Beatty killed in the Weldon Mine	28	Carpenter shop of Jacob Cramer, Morristown, partially burned
21	Wm. J. Henry killed at Port Oram by a fall from a wagon	Feb	
30	Chas. Smalley, brakeman, of Port Morris, killed in Hoboken tunnel	2	Butcher shop of W.C. Handvil, Dover
		5	Glycerine house of Atlantic Dynamite Works, Kenvil
Sept		10	Carpenter shop of Job K. Lane, Morristown
6	Michael Lojock killed on railroad near Boonton	12	Three buildings belonging to D.H. McAlpin, Morristown, partially burned
7	Oscar Mielke drowned in Lake Hopatcong	13	Fire in wrecked freight train at Dover bridge
14	Mark Kent drowned in Lake Hopatcong	March	
23	Child of Samuel Jensen, Morristown, burned to death	2	Dwelling of Mrs. E.M. Quimby, Morristown, damaged
30	Child of Wm. Renshaw, Boonton, died from swallowing poison	20	Dwelling house on D.H. Nash's stock farm, Millington
Oct		20	Barns of Messrs. Cook and Thompson and storage house of M.B. Crane, Madison
17	Emmett S. Miller, Chester Township, killed by an injection of carbolic acid	April	
Nov		13	Candy store of an Italian, Morristown
6	John Kravec killed in Glendon mine, Hibernia	15	House of Stephen Costlett, Mine Hill
11	Hugh Gallagher killed on railroad at Netcong	20	Barn of Frank Howell, Morristown
13	Son of Patrick Shaughnessey, Madison, killed by drinking carbolic acid	26	Barn of John Smith, Kenvil
21	Son of Geo. Shelly, Morristown, fell in tub of hot water and fatally scalded	31	Farm house of Jacob Miller, near Butler
23	Geo. Harper, Andover		

(to be continued)

BIBLE RECORDS - MAPES

In 1968, Adelaide J. Howell presented three volumes of Bible Records to the Local History and Genealogy Department of the Morristown-Morris Township Library. These are records that she had copied and collected over a period of years. A surname index was published in Vol. 1 No. 2 and 3 (June and September 1988) of the Newsletter.

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Mapes Family Bible

Copied from an old Bible now in the Old Book Shop, Morristown, NJ by Mabel Day Parker, October 1946

Bible published by George Lane & Levi Scott for Methodist Episcopal Church, New York, Joseph Longking, Printer 1850

MARRIAGES

Wm. H. Mapes	Jane Ann Rhoades	October 15, 1839
William B. Stiles	Josephine Mapes	December 15 th , 1870
Thomas Gaynor	Mary E. Mapes	May 10 th 1882
Stephen W Stiles	Annie D. Mapes	July 8 th 1890

BIRTHS

Wm. H. Mapes	November 10 th 1815
Jane Ann Rhoades	June 3 ^d 1820
Mary E. Mapes	May 24 th 1841
Cecilia D. Mapes	December 31 st 1842
Ann Adelia Mapes	November 10 th 1844
Emma J. Mapes	March 17 th 1851
William B. Gaynor	May 2 nd 1883

DEATHS

Julia Mapes	October 6 th 1849
Jane Ann Mapes	September 13, 1866
Emma Mapes	February 13 th 1872
William H. Mapes	March 7 th 1877
William B. Gaynor	May 8 th 1893
Stephen W. Stiles	January 20 th 1913
Miss Cecilia Mapes	March 19, 1913

The 1920 US Census now has an every-name index on Ancestry.com.

QUERIES

Members may submit one query for publication in each issue of the Newsletter. Queries will be limited as space allows.

Please be sure to include dates and places in your request. Make sure it is typed or printed legibly. Please spell out all words. We will abbreviate as necessary. Don't forget to include your name, address and zip code and/or e-mail address.

Answers to queries should be sent directly to the submitter, whose name and address is shown at the end of the query. The deadline for queries for the next issue is November 1, 2005.

Seguine/Sequine –

I am searching for Margaret (Sequine) **Lance**'s parents Alfred S Seguine/Sequine and Renzilis **Slyker** birth, death, place of death & cemetery where they are buried, also their other children, besides Margaret born after 1820 in Washington Twp, Morris Co. Margaret (Sequine) Lance was on the 1870 census, not on the 1880 of Hope Twp, Warren Co, NJ as are her widowed husband Jesse R Lance and son Edward 21 yrs old. Jesse R Lance was born about 1820 in Newton, Sussex Co, when & where did he die & where is he buried?

Also searching for Joseph **Drake** born 1829-1840 in Newton, Sussex Co, father, his mother is Sophia (**Parks**) Drake about 1807. Jan 17, 1889 where she died in Allamuchy, Warren Co at 81 yrs old and buried in Hackettstown Cemetery
Dorothy J Drake, 25 Wilson Ave, Parlin, NJ 08859-1665

Horton, Dalrymple, Menard, Riggs

Jonah Horton m. Jane Dalrymple & lived in Chester Twp. Trying to prove that their son Nathaniel, b. 1794, Chester was the

Nathaniel Horton who m. Delilah Menard, 1819, Morris Co (parents: Henry & Hannah Riggs-Menard, Randolph Twp). Around 1825-30 Nathaniel & Delilah moved to Arcadia, Wayne Co, NY with Theodore F & Jane & later had George R, Charles, Esther & James S.

Bobbe Horton, 2505 Fletcher NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49506, bobbhort@aol.com

Grecian/Greacen, Day

I am interested in finding the marriage of Isaac GRECIAN (GREACEN) and Elizabeth H. DAY about 1813. She is listed as a member of the Hilltop Presbyterian Church, Mendham. He migrated to IN by 1818 leaving her & two sons in Morris Co. Was it desertion or divorce? Any information about this family greatly appreciated.

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UPCOMING PROGRAMS

13 December 2005 -----	Holiday Party – members only -----
3 January 2006 -----	Workshops – see page 10 -----
7 February 2006	" The Newest Electronic Frontier - Searchable Scanned Newspapers" by John Konvalinka
<p>December meeting will be held at the Grace Episcopal Church, 4 Madison Ave at Kings Rd (Route 124E), Madison, NJ Refreshments at 6:45 pm - Meeting at 7:00 pm January & February meetings will be held at the Morris County Library, 4 Madison Ave at Kings Rd (Route 124E), Madison, NJ Refreshments at 6:30 pm - Meeting at 6:45 pm</p>	