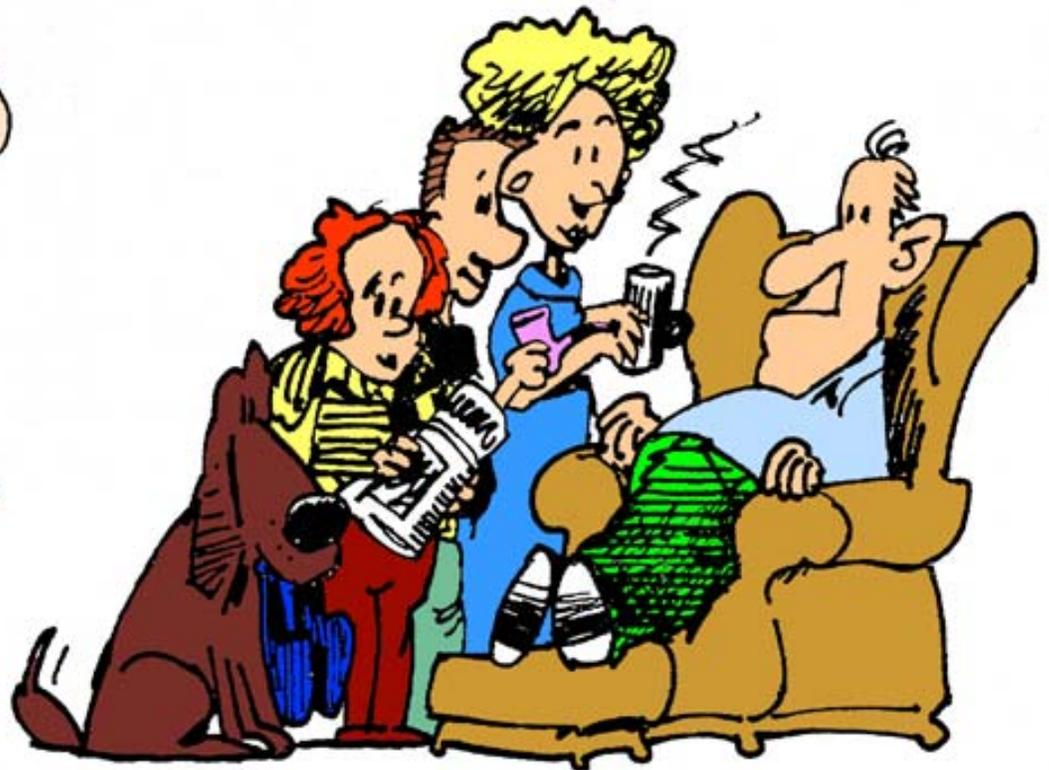


Happy  
Father's  
Day!



## Indexers Are The Genealogist's Best Friends

**HSGS Web Site.** <[www.rootsweb.com/~usgenweb/mi/iosco/3501hsgs.htm](http://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](http://www.rootsweb.com/~usgenweb/mi/search.htm). We currently have (May 31 2006) 928 indexes, 24,086 printed pages, and 1,069,865 names indexed. All these files are on HSGS's master file & the CD we sell, 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 & CD follows:

Master Index Status	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	APR	May
On the web, current	684	689	696	696	704	709	717	735	742	768	785	811	834
On the web, outdated	51	52	52	52	53	53	53	52	51	54	54	54	49
New, not yet sent to web	6	7	4	9	5	8	16	7	29	16	22	17	3
Future, being edited	13	13	13	13	14	14	14	14	21	21	14	6	6
Future, partially keypunched	36	38	38	37	37	36	37	37	37	36	36	36	36
Totals	790	799	803	807	813	820	837	849	880	895	911	924	928

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

### **New Indexes Added This Month:**

- Index To Civil War Nurses. By Alonzo J Sherman of Oscoda Mi.
- Index To MtJoy Cemetery, Alcona Co. By Alonzo J Sherman.
- Index To Herald 1910 Feb. By Joan Doerr of Ellicott City MD.
- Index To Barkman Outfitting Company's Day Book 1949-1950. By Alonzo J Sherman.

### **New Documents Added to HSGS's Library This Month:**

- A Brotherhood of Valor: The Common Soldiers of the Stonewall Brigade, C.S.A., and The Iron Brigade, U.S.A., by Jeffery D Wert, ©1999. Donated by The Friends of the Library.
- Bayonet Forward: My Civil War Reminiscence, by Joshua Lawrence Chamberlain, ©1994. Donated by The Friends of the Library.
- Mt Joy Cemetery, Haynes Township, Alcona County, Michigan: An annotated Transcription, 2nd Edition, by Robert L & Donald A Ferrett *et al*, ©2006, 502 pages. Donated by the authors.
- Alcona County Michigan 1880 Federal Census, by Robert L & Donald A Ferrett *et al*, ©2002, 223 pages. Donated by the authors.
- Alcona County Michigan 1860 & 1870 Federal Census, by Robert L & Donald A Ferrett *et al*, ©1994, 94 pages. Donated by the authors.
- 2002 & 2003 Oscoda Press newspapers. Donated by the Parks Public Library.
- Chippewa (Central Michigan University year book) for 1962, 1963 & 1965. Donated via HSGS's newspaper advertising for yearbooks etc.
- Iosco County Plat Books for 1963, 1967, 1970, 1973 & 1988. Donated by Janet Arntz of Hale Michigan.

**HSGS's Treasurers Report (May 31 2006).** Savings \$1,116.71, Checking \$394.77, cash \$20.84 = Total \$1,532.32. Plus \$249.98 cash card credit at Staples. Total of \$1,782.30.

### **HSGS's New Equipment:**

- Epson flatbed scanner model 4490. Wrong model, it was returned and model 4990 will be ordered when available.
- Brother Label Maker, model 550.

**ANCESTRY.COM.** Didn't know if you knew, but I just accidentally found out yesterday that ancestry.com was "ordered" or "settled" a mass dispute about their service from those that were members a couple years ago.

I had just went to their site and logged in and Walla! Of course then called them and asked what was going on? The Ancestry.com employee I talked to couldn't explain it real well, but I found out I was one of those customers that was given this "settlement" which entitled me to one month of ancestry.com world records. Ancestry did NOT notify any of the previous or current customers of this as far as I could find out. Just thought I would pass this on to HSGS just incase they was someone that got this wonderful little gift and wasn't told about it either. (Email from HSGS member Doris Demet).

**5,000 LDS Family History Books Digitized.** See [www.lib.byu.edu](http://www.lib.byu.edu).

**Obituaries.com.** The <[obituaries.com/Obits.asp](http://obituaries.com/Obits.asp)> site is good for people who died recently and has an obit in the larger US or Canadian newspapers. (Saginaw Gen Soc Newsletter v28n8p432 May 2006).

**Irish Newspaper Archives.** Irish newspaper from 1763 to the current month. Offered on a subscription bases, expecially to libraries, <[irishnewspaperarchives.com/](http://irishnewspaperarchives.com/)>. (Saginaw Gen Soc Newsletter v28n8p432 May 2006).

**Giggles & Grins.** An 1875 newspaper had the following article: "Mr. Jones' wife dropped dead a few days ago and he has had he funeral put off one day longer to get the balance of his corn husked. He said it wouldn't make any difference to her as she was always good natured." (Flint Gen Soc v29n5p2 June 2006)

### **INDEXERS ROLL OF HONOR**

See January 2006 Newsletter

### **TRAINING AVAILABLE (One Time Events):**

<b><u>Year/Mo/Day</u></b>	<b><u>Description/Location/Contact</u></b>
2006/05/05-06 Fri-Sat	29 <sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Nebraska State Genealogical Society, Beatrice NB. Contact Kelly Morgan 800-233-5027 Ext 1244.
2006/05/09 Tue	Bus trip to Allen County Library at FtWayne from Flint MI. Contact 810-655-4957 or <a href="mailto:lonewulf@localnet.com">lonewulf@localnet.com</a> .
2006/05/26-28 Fri-Sun	Ontario Genealogical Society Seminar, Osgawa ON. Info: Anne Delong 905-623-6975 or <a href="mailto:info@ogsseminar.org">info@ogsseminar.org</a> .
2006/06/04-09 Sun-Fri	Genealogy Summer Camp 2006, 11 <sup>th</sup> season. At Toronto Ont. For info <a href="mailto:info@torontofamilyhistory.org">info@torontofamilyhistory.org</a> or 416-733-2608.
2006/06/07-10 Wed-Sat	The National Gen Soc Annual Conference, Chicago, contact <a href="http://www.ngsgenalogy.org">www.ngsgenalogy.org</a> or 800-473-0060.

2006/06/7-10 Sat	National Genealogical Society, 2006 Annual Conference, Hyatt Regency (O'Hara) Chicago Ill. Info < <a href="http://www.ngsgenealogy.org">www.ngsgenealogy.org</a> or 800-473-0060.
2006/06/23-25 Fri-Sun	Palatines to America- Researching Your German-speaking Ancestor, Marriott Hotel, Richmond VA. Info, <a href="mailto:RalphKroehler@prodigy.net">RalphKroehler@prodigy.net</a> .
2006/06/23-25	Palatines to America 2006 National Conference at Richmond Marriott Hotel, Richmond VA. Contact <a href="http://www.palam.org/events.htm">www.palam.org/events.htm</a> .
2006/08/30-09/06 Wed-Wed	Federation of Genealogical Societies presents Birthplace of American Genealogy, at the Hynes Convention Center, Boston MA. Contact <a href="mailto:fgs-office@fgs.org">fgs-office@fgs.org</a> .
2006/11/11-18 Sat-Sat	Genealogy Conference & Cruise, Mexican Riviera, sponsored by Wholly Genes Software. Info <a href="http://www.whollygenes.com/crusie.htm">www.whollygenes.com/crusie.htm</a> .
2007/01/08-12 Mon-Fri	Salt Lake Institute of Genealogy. Contact <a href="http://www.infouga.org">www.infouga.org</a> .

**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.

**ANCESTRY LIBRARY EDITION**

See August 2005 Newsletter

**SOME USEFUL GENEALOGICAL INTERNET ADDRESSES:**

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

**HURON SHORES GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY 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). HSGS meetings are 6-7pm the 3rd Wednesday of Jan, Apr, and Jul & Oct in the Iosco County Historical Museum, 405 W Bay St (US-23), East Tawas MI. Officers, active project leaders, and indexers are listed below:

<b>Name</b>	<b>Current Projects</b>	<b>Phone &amp; E-mail</b>
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Daley, Lawrence	Hale Yearbook 1901-2002	248-253-7472 < <a href="mailto:daleymart@msn.com">daleymart@msn.com</a> >
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Sheldon, Judy	Treasurer	989-739-5497 <judesheldon@yahoo.com>
Sherman, Alonzo	Librarian/Publications	989-739-3650 <shermanaj@hotmail.com>
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### **HISTORY OF THE HURON SHORES GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY**

See March 2006 Newsletter.

### **MICHIGAN MANUALS FOR SALE**

**Send your check payable to the Iosco County Historical Society, 405 W Bay St (US-23), East Tawas MI 48730, 989-362-8911.**

Year	Condition	Price
1897-1898	Poor, Spin torn	\$25
1899	Fair	\$35
1919	Good	\$20
1921	Fair	\$15
1949	Good	\$15
1951-1952	Good	\$15
1953-1954	Good	\$15
1957-1958	Good	\$15
1959-1960	Good	\$15
1963-1964	Good	\$15
1967-1968	Good	\$15
1969-1970	Good	\$15
1971-1972	Good	\$15
1973-1974	Good	\$15