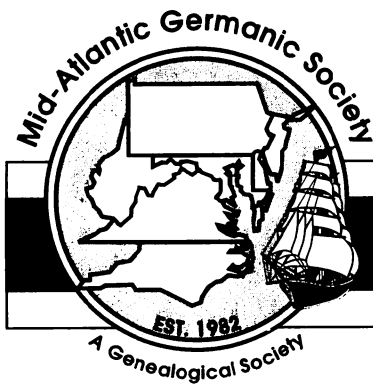




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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

It's time to VOTE! In this issue of *Der Kurier* you will find your ballot for election of officers to MAGS. We urge you to vote by marking your ballot and returning it promptly to the MAGS Treasurer, Gail Komar, at the address given on the ballot.

As President of MAGS I owe thanks to many people, particularly to the MAGS Board. I sincerely hope MAGS members appreciate the efforts of the Board for their commitment to this national organization. The MAGS Board works hard to ensure the quality of MAGS services, while at the same time making certain that every dime is spent wisely. These people serve you well.

I personally thank Cathryn Dippo, Doris Suresch, and Helyn Collison for serving as the Nominating Committee. Their work is not quite done, for I have expressed interest in stepping down as President so that I can serve MAGS in another capacity. As yet, they have not found anyone willing to serve as President, so I will continue in that position until we find a qualified candidate. If you have an interest in serving as President, please notify Cathryn Dippo. Write her at 1534 Endsley Pl., Crofton, MD 21114.

This is an exciting time to serve MAGS. As I mentioned, the organization has a talented, hard-working Board. The Lending Library continues to grow and is a considerable draw for potential members. Our funding is secure for venturing into new projects, and our two meetings held each year continue to bring in new members, eager to hear qualified speakers. As we enter the new century, we urge *your* participation in MAGS

Corinne Earnest
President

Thank you, Ardyce!

The President and the Board of Directors wish to send special thanks to charter-member Ardyce Harrison. Ardyce, who has done so much for MAGS, is moving to the Midwest to be closer to her daughter. Before her departure, Ardyce has donated some of her personal library, including badly needed shelves, to the MAGS Lending Library. We wish Ardyce well!

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The Mid-Atlantic Germanic Society

P.O. Box 2642, Kensington, MD 20891-2642

Purpose The Mid-Atlantic Germanic Society, a non-profit genealogical organization, was founded on July 10, 1982 to stimulate and facilitate research, resolve problems, and exchange information on Germanic ancestors who settled in Delaware, the District of Columbia, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, the Carolinas, Virginia and West Virginia.

Meetings The Society holds two meetings annually, one in the spring and one in the fall, open to members and the interested public, featuring speakers expert or knowledgeable in genealogical research and information.

Membership The membership year is from January 1 through December 31 and is based upon the individual's interests common to the Society and not on place of residence, nationality, or ethnic affiliation. Membership includes the quarterly newsletter. Available services include the Lending Library, Ahnentafels, Queries, Surname Exchange Index and Stumped Roots. Cost: \$10 yr single & \$12 yr family. See membership application form on back page of this newsletter.

Newsletter The society's newsletter *Der Kurier* is published quarterly in March, June, September, and December. Deadline for submission of material is the 15th of January, April, July, and October. Send all copy to Merl E. Arp, 20 Kinsman View Circle, Silver Spring, MD 20901-2652 or FAX (301) 593-1739. *Der Kurier* is indexed in the PERiodical Source Index published by the Allen County Public Library and in GPAI published by Heritage Books, Inc.

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See inside back page for costs of services & items for sale, and order blank.

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June 11-12. Kansas Council of Genealogical Societies, 24th annual conference "Frontier Genealogy: Special Sources & Techniques". Info, write: P.O. Box 3858, Topeka, KS 66604-6858.

June 12. Point Lookout Prisoner of War Organization, Point Lookout State Park, St. Mary's Co Gen. Soc. Display: "Living History Day". 10am-4pm.

June 21. Carroll Co. Gen. Soc., Library, 50 E. Main St., Westminster, MD 7:30 pm. "Adventures of the Baltimore & Washington DC Battalion in Mexican War 1846-48." Speaker: Richard Schmidt.

June 23. Montgomery Co. Gen. Club, Stella B. Werner Council Office Bldg, 100 Maryland Ave., Rockville, MD 7:30 pm. Speaker Dona L. Cutler "History & Genealogy of Montgomery Co. In the Sugar Loaf Mountain Area."

July 16-18. Germanna Annual Reunion, Culpeper, VA. For info, check Website: www.germanna.org

August 11-14. Federation of Genealogical Societies workshop, St. Louis, Missouri. Info: FGS, PO Box 200940, Austin, TX 78720-0940. Ph (888) 347-1500

September 24-27. Anne Arundel Gen.Soc., Holiday Inn, Annapolis, MD. Theme: "Make Mine Maryland" For info, check their Website at <http://geocities.com/Yosemite/Trails/4256/gensoc.htm>

October 23. MAGS Fall Meeting, Augustus Lutheran Church, Trappe, PA. Topic: "Penn's Woods Revisited". Speakers: Jonathan R. Stayer, Frances W. Waite, and Dr. John L. Ruth.

If you would like your event or program placed on der Kalender, please send the information to the MAGS Editor by the stated deadline (see inside front page).

Don't Miss Ordering Your New MAGS Book List

Ten years after MAGS was founded, the MAGS Board announced in the September 1992 issue of *Der Kurier* that it would form a lending library. Members generously donated almost 200 books in the first years of the Library. The first Book List, published in 1993, had 139 books listed for loan.

The second list was published in April 1994. It listed 290 books. A new Book List published in March 1999 lists 583 books, including 156 newsletter titles (25 of which are German specific), 19 CD ROMs, floppy disks, audio tapes, periodicals, and more.

The Lending Library, like all MAGS activities, is obviously growing. Under the careful supervision of Carl Shrader, it has almost doubled in size in the last four years alone.

You must be a MAGS member to borrow from the Lending Library. Also, a \$25 deposit is required to borrow books from the Library. The deposit is refundable once you terminate your MAGS membership. For more details concerning the MAGS Lending Library, write for a free brochure and membership application. Write Carl M. Shrader, MAGS Lending Library, 10 Saint Andrews Garth, Severna Park, MD 21146-1520.

To order the new 1999 Book List, send a check for \$4 made payable to the Mid-Atlantic Germanic Society to Carl Shrader at the MAGS Lending Library at the above address.

FRAKTUR FORUM

by Corinne Earnest

The December 1998 issue of *Der Kurier* listed a few fraktur having the name KNAUSS with the promise that more would follow. This article continues with KNAUSS's on fraktur. Most fraktur are *Taufscheine*, or birth and baptism certificates. In an article called "Taufscheine: A New Index for People Hunters", published in the Autumn 1978 issue of *Pennsylvania Folklife*, Judith E. Fryer listed a baptism certificate (T36) that says the sponsors at the baptism of Susan Letische WIEDER were "Jacob KNAUS and his wife Maria and the grandmother Maria KNAUS." This entry is a little confusing, because nowhere does the name KNAUS appear in the names of the parents. This example was made for Susana Letische, daughter of Valentin [sic] and Susana (LEIBERT) WIEDER. Susana Letsiche was born February 25, 1819 in Upper Milford Township, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania. She was baptized in 1819 by Pastor WEISS.

Clarence Spohn pictures a fraktur (Figure 49) having the name KNAUS in an article titled "The Bauman/Bowman Family of the Cocalico Township, Lancaster Co., PA: Millers, Tavernkeepers, Papermakers and Printers", published in 1994 in the *Journal of the Historical society of Cocalico Valley* in Ephrate, Pennsylvania. The birth and baptism certificate was made for Daniel ROTH, son of Heinrich and Salome (KNAUS) ROTH. Daniel was born April 7, 1816 about 8 o'clock in the morning in Bern Township, Berks County. He was baptized by Wilhelm HENDEL on May 12. Sponsors were Johannes and Elisabetha HAAG.

Three baptism certificates with the name KNAUSS are listed in the card catalog at the Lehigh County Historical Society in Allentown, Pennsylvania. One was made for Seras [perhaps a phonetic spelling of Cyrus] BOGERT, son of Johannes and Abigail (KNAUSS) BOGERT. Seras was born August 28, 1832 in Salisbury Township, Lehigh County. He was baptized by D ZELLERS on October 10, 1832. His grandparents, Johannes and Elisabeth BOGERT, were sponsors. Abigail KNAUSS's baptism certificate is listed in the catalog. Abigail was the daughter of Solomon and Maria Magdalena (KICK) KNAUSS. Abigail was born January 16, 1812. She was baptized January 27, 1812 by Johan GOBRECHT. Sponsors were Nicolaus SENGER and his wife. The third example listed in the Society's card catalog was made for George YUND, son of Georg and Eva Catharina (KNAUSS) YUND. Georg YUND, Jr. was born April 9, 1784 in Northampton County, and baptized April 25, 1784 by Reverend BLUMER. Sponsors at his baptism were Heinrich SCHWANDT and Barbara DESHLER. An added note says Georg married Salome NEUHART on October 2, 1807.

I found numerous fraktur having the name KNAUSS, and will continue with them in a future issue of *Der Kurier*. If you have names you wish me to research on fraktur, please send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Corinne Earnest, P.O. Box 1007, East Berlin, PA 17316. Please be patient for a reply. I research names on fraktur at no charge, so I get swamped with requests. MAGS members have high priority, but the research still takes time. If you have not heard back from me immediately, that's a good sign, for it means I will probably have something for you. If you hear back right away, it is probably because I am unable to help you.

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People and Events

MAGS Welcomes These New Members

Derien R. Andes of Pleasantville, NJ
Carol K. Bentley of Silver Spring, MD
Charles Buchner of Friendswood, TX
Joyce Deily of Charlottesville, VA
Ivan A. Dooley of Baltimore, MD
Thomas L. Houk of Woodbridge, VA
Mary K. Jordan of Chevy Chase, MD
Sharon H. Kehoe of Silver Spring, MD
Kearney Kuhlthau of Piscataway, NJ
Mary G. Moyer of Bedford, PA
Ingrid A. Rimland of Carlsbad, CA
C.M. Sonne of Bedford, PA
Charles W. & Imgar Trossbach of Alexandria, VA
Frances C. Wagman of Alexandria, VA
Todd A. Zeigler of Seven Valleys, PA

Thanks to These Vendors and Donors

MAGS thanks the following vendors for attending our 1999 Spring Meeting.

Masthof Bookstore. Masthof is the ancestral home of J.Lemar Mast, dating to 1789 when immigrant Jacob Mast and his son Johannes purchased the property. It has been in the Mast family since, with Lemar as the eighth generation. Lemar and Lois Ann (Zook) Mast named the property Masthof where they own and operate their bookstore and printing business in Morgantown, PA. Phone (610) 286-0258. Hrs: Mon-Sat. 9am-5pm.

Willow Bend Books acquired Family Line Publications on January 1, 1999. Their publications focus on Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Virginia, West Virginia and Washington, D.C. Their storefront is in Westminster, MD. Phone (toll free) 1-800-876-6103.

MAGS also thanks the following organizations and companies for providing door prizes: (1) Embassy of the Federal Republic of Germany, Washington, D.C. - calendar illustrating Goethe's life and works; (2)

National Genealogical Society, Arlington, VA - combination pack of charts and forms and NGS t-shirt; (3) Daughters of the American Revolution - DAR magazine subscription & centennial edition; (4) Heritage Books, Inc, Bowie, MD - \$25 book credit certificate; (5) Adventure in Ancestry, Abilene, KS - the *Schooner Genealogy* magazine, rubber stamp and pad; (6) Masthof Bookstore - ten generation fan chart. In addition, these organizations provided literature at the meeting: (1) Picton Press, Rockport, ME; (2) Genealogical Publishing Co., Baltimore, MD; Gen-Book, Auburn, CA; and Howard County Tourism Council, Inc., of Ellicott City, MD.

Congratulations to Door Prize Winners

Door prize winners at the MAGS Spring Meeting were: Carl Mitlehner of Frederick, Md; H.Clay Dumler, Jr. of Bowie, MD; Michael G. Heazel of Severna Park, MD; Thomas M. Beall of Ellicott City, MD; Karen Gelsleichter of Ortanna, PA; William Cramer of Silver Spring, MD; Pat Fogle of Middletown, MD; and Harriet R. Hunt of Falls Church, VA.

Dr. Hazel G. Pflueger of Nathrop, CO, received Honorable Mention for coming the longest distance to attend the Spring Meeting.

World's Fair in Hannover, Germany

The city of Hannover in the state of Lower Saxony, Germany, will be the site of a World's Fair running from June 1 to October 31 in the year 2000. If you begin planning ahead now, perhaps you will want to attend this event. You may secure tickets through your travel agent or on the Net at <<http://www.expo2000.de>>.

Source: *Der Blumenbaum*, October-December 1998 issue.

Tips From Other Newsletters

Stroudsburg, Pennsylvania, Library

Laraine Ferguson, editor of *German Genealogical Digest*, describes a library she visited last year which has a sizeable German collection for its local area: the Elizabeth D. Walters Library and Museum in the historic 1795 Stroud mansion at Stroudsburg, Monroe County (formerly Northampton and originally Bucks County, PA). This area had many early German settlements.

Source: *German Genealogy Digest*, Fall 1998, pp 67-68.

Delmarva Research Center

The Edward Nabb Research Center for Delmarva History and Culture has great records for Delaware, Maryland, and Virginia. It is located on the campus of Salisbury State University, Maryland.

Source: *The Genealogist*, March 1999.

Family Search on the Internet

For several weeks the Internet has been buzzing with "news" about the fact that the LDS Family Search programs are being placed on a Website. Persons not familiar with the LDS programs are making wild, exaggerated claims. Apparently equipment problems have slowed the process and Beta testing by authorized persons is now in progress.

All of Family Search probably will not be on the Website. At least the Ancestral File and FHC Library Catalog will be online. The URL should be: www.familysearch.org when it becomes open to the public. Reliable sources say the site may be available by June or July.

Source: *Immigrant Genealogical Society*, April 1999 issue.

Mueller's Grosses Deutsches Ortsbuch

To search for nineteenth century German cities, visit

this Website: <http://www.nexus.de/orte>.

German Immigrants from Pirmasens

Those interested in immigrants from the Pirmasens area, in today's German state of Rheinland-Pfalz, can contact Dr. Karl H. Danner, Casa Carola, Burgstrasse 107, D-66953 Pirmasens, Germany.

Source: *The Palatine Immigrant*, March 1999, p. 70.

Civil War Research Database

The American Civil War Research Database is a project of Historical Data Systems. Nearly half of the four million Civil War soldiers, both Union and Confederate, have already been entered into the data base. All Union troops serving from California. The entry of Confederate troops is slower and more difficult to achieve.

You may purchase a "visitor's pass" to the Website for \$25 a year or \$10 a month. The website is at: www.civilwardata.com. For further information, phone (781) 585-7716 or write to P.O. Box 196, Kingston, MA 02364.

Source: *Immigrant Genealogical Society*, April 1999 issue.

Another source (*Past Tracks*, Green Valley Gen. Soc., April 1999) indicates that many states are close to 100 % completed with the Civil War Database. This source says the website is www.itd.nps.gov/cwdd.

German-Polish Place Names

A list of German place names and their Polish equivalents is published in the March 1998 issue of *Wandering Volhynians*, pp. 15-18. It is printed in very small type, but is a sizeable list. The entries are for the former German provinces of Silesia, Brandenburg, Pomerania, East and West Prussia which were incorporated into Poland and Russia after 1945.

Source: *Immigrant Genealogical Society*, April 1999 issue.

Library News: Recent Accessions

Carl M. Shrader, Library Administrator

MAGS is fortunate to have a large number of friends and especially now a benefactor of the Library. Our long term members, will remember Ardyce E. Harrison, a charter member, C4, one of our more industrious and concerned members. Her home was continually open for Board Meetings, and she donated over one hundred books when the Lending Library was founded.

Now Ardyce is moving to Michigan to be close to her daughter, Sarah. Ardyce lost her husband several years ago and has decided to become less involved with her numerous activities. She has always thought well of the Library and now has befriended all library users by donating many of her genealogy and history books. This release is a partial listing, others will be published as we get them through accession and cataloging.

Thank you Ardyce, we will put a special plate in each book so everyone can identify with your kindness. Godspeed!

This is but one more chapter as we continually add new material. The items listed below will appear in the next Book List increasing what is now almost sixty pages of book titles and other items for loans to all members who are registered for Library privileges. If you are not registered to borrow books or need a complete Book List, see the publications page or inside cover of this issue.

The list of acquisitions is in order of receipt:

Accession #1113 Picton Press, Reviewer: Susannah Brooks. E184.G3B94 EMIGRANTS from BADEN and WÜRTTEMBERG in the 18th Century, Vol 1, Baden-Durlach and vicinity by Brigitte Burkett, 1996, hardcover 428p.

#1114 Heritage Books, Reviewer: John Humphrey F149.G3T64 THE PENNSYLVANIA GERMANS: *Jesse Leonard Rosenberger's Sketch of Their History and Life*. Edited by Don Heinrich Tolzmann. Bowie, MD, 1998, papercover 173p.

#1115 Donor: Corinne P. Earnest, CS68.S88 THE PRINTED BIRTH and BAPTISMAL CERTIFICATES of the GERMAN AMERICANS by Klaus Stopp. Vol I, General Part, Forms anonymously published, Pennsylvania: Allentown - Bath. Mainz/Germany and East Berlin PA/USA, 1997, hardcover copy #401, 286 p.

#1116 Donor: Corinne P. Earnest CS68.S88 THE PRINTED BIRTH and BAPTISMAL CERTIFICATES of the GERMAN AMERICANS by Klaus Stopp. Vol II, Pennsylvania: Carlisle - Hanover. Mainz/Germany and East Berlin PA/USA, 1997, hard #256, 283 p.

#1117 Donor: Corinne P. Earnest CS68.S88 THE PRINTED BIRTH and BAPTISMAL CERTIFICATES of the GERMAN AMERICANS by Klaus Stopp. Vol III, Pennsylvania: Harrisburg - Philadelphia.

Mainz/Germany and East Berlin PA/USA, 1998, hard copy #109, 302 p.

#1118 Donor: Corinne P. Earnest

CS68.S88 THE PRINTED BIRTH and BAPTISMAL CERTIFICATES of the GERMAN AMERICANS by Klaus Stopp. Vol IV, Pennsylvania: Pittsburgh - Reading. Mainz/Germany and East Berlin PA/USA, 1998, hard copy #MAGS, 331 p.

#1119 Donor: Historical & Genealogical Research Center, Kuethe Library. (OVERSIZE** add extra \$1.00 postage). CS49.P97 THE SOURCE BOOK OF COUNTY COURT RECORDS *a Concise, Straightforward, and Informative Reference Manual to the Main and Secondary Repositories of American County Court House Records*, papercover, 544 p.

#1120 Donor: Historical & Genealogical Research Center, Kuethe Library. (OVERSIZE** add extra \$1.00 postage). AS22.E5 ENCYCLOPEDIA OF ASSOCIATIONS, *An Associations Unlimited Reference*, (A guide to nearly 23,000 National and International Organizations), 32nd Edition, Vol 1, National Organizations of the US, Part 1 Sandra Jaszczak, Editor. 1997, hardcover, 1130 p.

#1121 Donor: Historical & Genealogical Research Center, Kuethe Library. (OVERSIZE** add extra \$1.00 postage). AS22.E5 ENCYCLOPEDIA OF ASSOCIATIONS, *An Associations Unlimited Reference*, (A guide to nearly 23,000 National and International Organizations), 32nd Edition, Vol 1, National Organizations of the US, Part 2 Sandra Jaszczak, Editor. 1997, hardcover, 1277 p.

#1122 Donor: Historical & Genealogical Research Center, Kuethe Library. (OVERSIZE** add extra \$1.00 postage). AS22.E5 ENCYCLOPEDIA OF ASSOCIATIONS, *An Associations Unlimited Reference*, (A guide to nearly 23,000 National and International Organizations), 32nd Edition, Vol 1, Name & Key word Index, Part 3 includes-Address, phones. Sandra Jaszczak, Editor. 1997, hardcover, 929 p.

#1123 Donor: K. Diane Stultz, Reviewer: Corinne P. Earnest F187.P9P9. *Gleanings from the Records of THE FRANCIS GASCH'S SONS FUNERAL HOME*, Prince Georges Cnty, Maryland 1860-1940. Compiled by the Records Committee of The P. G. Co. Genealogical Society, Inc., Bowie, MD, hardcover, 1996, 665p. (OVERSIZE** extra \$1.00 postage).

#1124 Donor: Heritage Books Inc., Deyerle R. Atkins F232.R68M88 A HISTORY of ROCKBRIDGE COUNTY, VIRGINIA by Oren F. Morton, Staunton, VA, 1920 Reprint 1998 Heritage Books, paperback 574p.

The following list of books and other items (Accessions 1125-1156) were donated by Ardyce E. Harrison, Charter member of MAGS #C4: (continued next page)

- F152.L2B84** CHURCH and PASTORIAL RECORDS in the Archives of the United Church of Christ and Evangelical and Reformed Historical Society Lancaster, PA. Compiled and Edited by Florence M. Bricker. 1982, paper, 49p.
- F148.5.D79** A GUIDE to GENEALOGICAL SOURCES AT the PENNSYLVANIA STATE ARCHIVES, by Robert M. Dructor. Harrisburg, 1981, paper 129p.
- F148.5.H69** GUIDE TO GENEALOGICAL and HISTORICAL RESEARCH IN PENNSYLVANIA, by Floyd G. Hoenstine. Hollidaysburg, PA 1978 Hardcover 604p. (OVERSIZE** add extra \$1.00 postage).
- Z710.N48** THE NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY BOOK OF HOW and WHERE TO LOOK IT UP, Sherwood Harris, Editor-in-Chief; 1991, papercover, 382p.
- CS15.B112** LEST WE FORGET, A Guide To Genealogical Research In the Nation's Capital, Compiled by June Andrew Babbel, Fourth Edition; Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Annandale, VA, 1976, Papercover, 135p.
- CS11.E11** THE GENEALOGIST'S GUIDE TO FRAKTUR by Corinne Earnest and Beverly Repass Hoch; Russell D. Earnest Associates, 1990, papercover, 48p.
- Z5311.G2J66**, Vol. 1, BIBLIOGRAPHY & SOURCE MATERIALS FOR GERMAN-AMERICAN RESEARCH, Vol. 1: USA, Edited by Arta F. Johnson. Paper, 1982, 112p.
- Z1251.A2R35** A BIBLIOGRAPHY ON HISTORICAL ORGANIZATION PRACTICES, RESEARCH, Edited by Frederick L. Rath, Jr. and Merrilyn Rogers O'Connell. Nashville, TN. 1984, Hardcover, 209p.
- Z6465.U5H43** DIPLOMATIC RECORDS, A Catalog of National Archives Microfilm Pubs. National Archives Trust Fund Board, Washington, DC 1986, Paperback, 245p.
- Z5305.U5U54** IMMIGRANT & PASSENGER ARRIVALS: A Catalog of National Archives Microfilm Pubs, National Archives Trust Fund Board, Washington. 1984 Paper, 46p.
- F147.3T873** PENNSYLVANIA LANDMARKS of THE REVOLUTION, A Bicentennial Guidebook for Visitors by John B.B. Trussell, Jr. Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission. Paperback, 57p.
- F157.B8W719** BUCKS COUNTY PENNSYLVANIA PIONEERS of the 18th CENTURY, Book 1, published by General Davis, Danboro, PA, 1905, Paperback, 121p.
- F149.R239** PENNSYLVANIA NEWSPAPERS AND SELECTED OUT-OF-STATE NEWSPAPERS, Prepared by Library Bureau, State Library of PA, 1976, Paperback, 73p.
- F149.M85** PENNSYLVANIA LAND RECORDS, A History and Guide for Research by Donna Bingham Munger, PA Historical and Museum Commission, 1991, Hardcover, 240p.
- F127.M7C44** INDEX TO HISTORY of MONTGOMERY and FULTON COUNTIES, NY BY Albert S. Chambers, 1979, Hardcover, 121p.
- F497.F588** OHIO GENEALOGICAL PERIODICAL INDEX: A COUNTY GUIDE, Second Edition by Carol Willsey Flavell, Youngstown, OH 1979. Papercover, 69p.
- F497.F58**, 1978 OHIO GENEALOGICAL GUIDE by Carol Willsey Flavell, Youngstown, OH, 1978. Papercover, 159p.
- F497.B433** OHIO GENEALOGICAL GUIDE, Third Edition by Carol Willsey Bell, Youngstown, OH 1984. Paper, 114p..
- F497.M64.M479** SYMMES PURCHASE RECORDS, A Verbatim Copy of the Entry Book, Pamphlet, and Forfeiture Records of John Cleves Symmes, 1787-1800, by Chris McHenry. Soft-cover, 106p+ Index.
- CS68.U5U54** GUIDE TO GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH IN THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES, National Archives and Records Service, Bibliographies & Index Soft, 1983, 304p.
- CD3023.U54** GUIDE TO THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES of the United States, National Archives and Records Service, Hardcover, 1974, 884p. (OVERSIZE** extra \$1.00 postage).
- CS18.G3J51** A GENEALOGICAL HANDBOOK of GERMAN RESEARCH, Revised, Larry O. Jensen, Pleasant Grove, UT, Soft-cover, 1978, 205p.
- CS16.I6G82** TRACING YOUR IRISH ANCESTORS, The Complete Guide by John Grenham. Gill and Macmillan, Ltd, Dublin. 1992, Soft-cover, 281p.
- CS18.S9W447** TRACING YOUR SWISS ROOTS by Maralyn A. Wellauer, Milwaukee, 1979. Soft-cover, 115p.
- F127.S96S81** SUSQUEHANNA: Images of the Settled Landscape by Roger B. Stein. The Exhibition, Robertson Center for the Arts and Sciences, Binghamton, NY. 144p.
- CB69.B66** THE DISCOVERERS, A History of Man's Search to Know His World & Himself, Daniel Boorstin. Paper, 745p.
- E162.E18** HOME LIFE IN COLONIAL DAYS, Social Life and Customs, ca.1600-1775. 1898 edition. Paper, 470p.
- CT274.W37M34** A SCATTERED PEOPLE, AN AMERICAN FAMILY MOVES WEST by Gerald W. McFarland. "True life saga that takes us from colonial settlements along the east coast to California." Hard, 280p.
- CD3024.J66** LOCAL GOVERNMENT RECORDS, An Introduction to Their Management, Preservation, and Use by H.G. Jones. Soft-cover, 208p.
- E169.1R7215** AMERICAN MYTH, AMERICAN REALITY by James Oliver Robertson. "From early colonial years . . . European forebears invasion of the American continent . . . in turn moved west." 1980, Hardcover, 398p.
- CS16.E93** HANDY TIPS TO YOUR GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH IN NEW YORK, Everton Pubs. Paper, 32p.
- Z1250.M48** A BIBLIOGRAPHICAL GUIDE to the GENESEE COUNTRY and NEIGHBORING AREAS of WESTERN NEW YORK by Blake McKelvey. Paper, 36p.
- CS15.G44** RECORD OFFICES: HOW TO FIND THEM by Jeremy Gibson and Pamela Peskett, Federation of Family History Societies, 1981, paper, 40p.
- Accession #1157:** A list of seven newsletters received as reciprocal exchange with MAGS *Der Kurier* by the Society or organization named on each publication. END



The Mid-Atlantic Germanic Society

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Please read the instructions and information on the candidates. .

The following candidates were recommended by the nominating committee and presented to the MAGS membership in attendance at the spring meeting in Jessup, Maryland, on April 24, 1999. The nominating committee asked for additional nominees at that meeting. A vote was taken for the slate. The full slate, including those Board members who have asked to return to the Board was accepted. All members will receive a BALLOT in *Der Kurier*. The BALLOT must be returned to the Treasurer for counting and final results to be announced at the fall meeting. A brief biographical sketch of the two new candidates is provided as follows.

SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT: John T. Humphrey, a native of Northampton County, PA, resides in Washington, D.C. He received his B.A. in government and public administration from the American University in Washington D.C. For many years, he has been actively engaged in genealogical research, working primarily in southeast Penn - sylvania. His published works include a 14-volume series listing eighteenth century births from eleven Pennsylvania counties. He has published several articles in the *Pennsylvania Genealogical Magazine*.

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Mr. Humphrey is a member of the National Genealogical Society, the Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, Palatines to America, the Mid-Atlantic Germanic Society, the Moravian Historical Society, and the Family History Society of Gwynedd in North Wales.

REPRESENTATIVE-AT-LARGE: Betty deKeyser is a native of Maryland and a graduate of Western Maryland College. After retiring from administrative work in industry, she pursued her interest in genealogy. She is past Past President of the Anne Arundel Genealogical Society, and Vice Regent of the Port Tobacco Chapter, NSDAR. For several years, she has been a volunteer at the Maryland State Archives, and recently served as Second Vice-President and Program Chair of MAGS.

The following incumbent Board Members have been asked to continue in office and have agreed to do so:

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The Printed Birth and Baptismal Certificates of the German Americans

by Klaus Stopp, Mainz, Germany. Available in the U.S. from Russell D. Earnest Associates, P.O. Box 1007, East Berlin, PA 17316. Limited editions of 500 copies of each of the 9 3/4" x 11 1/4" hardcover volumes.

Volume I: General Part & Forms Published Anonymously and in Allentown and Bath, PA (1997), 286 pp., \$80 plus \$5 shipping.

Volume II: Carlisle, Ephrata, Hanover, PA (1997), 284 pp. \$85 plus \$5 shipping.

Volume III: Harrisburg, Lancaster, New Berlin, Philadelphia, PA (1998), 303 pp. \$85 plus \$5 shipping.

Volume IV: Pottsville, Reading, PA (1998), 331 pp. \$85 plus \$5 shipping.

Dr. Stopp calls these volumes a "catalogue" of his personal collection of German American birth and baptismal certificates, but in reality, they are much more. Volume I contains a 69-page introduction (or general history) of the certificates beginning with handwritten sixteenth and seventeenth century *Taufpatenbriefe*, then eighteenth century ornamented Alsatian *Taufpatenbriefe*, and on to the various printed forms of the late eighteenth and nineteenth centuries in Germany and especially America.

The remainder of the four volumes is devoted to a detailed study of birth and baptismal certificates arranged by the location where they were printed, the printer, and the date. He begins with those for which the printer is not known ("anonymous"). There is a half or full page color photograph of each type of certificate as well as black and white photos or illustrations of the often minute changes made by the printer each year. The explanations and illustrations are so precise and clear that a person with little or no knowledge of American *Taufscheine* could use these volumes to identify the printer (if among those known), the year printed, and possibly the scrivener of the certificate that he or she owns. The student of American "folk art" or lithography would find these books to be a complete course in this art form.

The appeal of this series of books to the genealogist is the list of known examples (up to ten) of each variation of the printed forms and the every-name index (2,300 to 3,500 names) in each volume. Each example gives the child's name, birth date, baptismal date, parents' names, town and county, and the present day location of the certificate. The examples given are not limited to the towns or counties where they were printed (volume titles), because the forms were often sold in surrounding counties. The researcher may find information here on the birth or baptism of a central or eastern Pennsylvania ancestor, which they had been unable to find elsewhere.

Reviewed by Susannah E. Brooks, MAGS Stumped Roots Chair.

(Editor's note: Volume V of Stopp's Catalogue will be published in the Spring of 1999. It will include forms printed in Maryland, Ohio, and Virginia. Mentioned in Volume V is MAGS's own Vice President, Betty deKeyser, who helped Stopp with his research of printers in Baltimore.)

Gleanings from the Records of The Francis Gasch's Sons Funeral Home, Prince George's County, Maryland, 1860-1940

compiled and published in 1996 by The Records Committee of The Prince George's County Genealogical Society, Inc., P.O. Box 819, Bowie, MD 20718. Hardcover, 665 pages, indexed.

Beginning with a brief history of the Gasch family from Saxony, Germany, this book transcribes in chronological order notes from the Francis Gasch's Sons Funeral Home located in Hyattsville, Maryland. Many entries, especially early ones, include only the date, name of the deceased, and a record of the funeral expenses, as required by law. But far more entries include notes that give us glimpses into the life of the deceased. Naturally, not all entries are for people of German heritage, but many are. Picking out a few of the more interesting, and of course sometimes tragic, entries, we read about the deaths of three Watkins children burned

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in a fire at Seat Pleasant, Maryland in January 1921 (p. 258). Or that the death of Joseph A. King in August 1900 was reported in the Washington, D.C. newspapers as "Still a Mystery" and "Inquiry Resumed" (p. 110). Apparently King received "injuries" the Saturday night before his death. He was 45 years old.

An early entry was made for John Heisen, found dead near R. Cloak's farm in November 1864. Curiously, many of the early entries were made for children, "servants," African Americans, and people whose names were not known. By 1886, entries are more complete.

This book is a valuable resource, especially for researchers whose families settled in the Hyattsville/Bladensburg area of Maryland or Washington, D.C. and died there between 1860 and 1940. One of the best benefits from this book is that newspaper accounts concerning deaths are referenced in detail. Moreover, when remains of the deceased are removed to another location (such as Alabama in one case), you may be able to trace an ancestor to his proper gravesite. Or, through this book, you may find the cemetery where an ancestor is buried.

Often, relatives are mentioned in the entries. These include spouses names, or in the case of children, the names of the parents. The book has a bibliography and a 108-page every-name index.

Reviewed by Corinne Earnest, MAGS President

History of Rockbridge County, Virginia

by Oren F. Morton. Available from Heritage Books, Inc., 1540-E Pointer Ridge Place, Bowie, MD 20716 (Item #M568). A 1998 reprint of the 1920 publication. Illustrated, 574 pages, original subject index. Softcover. \$41 plus \$4 shipping

Heritage Books has done it again and brought to us a long out-of-print and valuable source for genealogy and local history. Although Rockbridge County was early

settled by the English and Scotch-Irish, there is a generous enough sprinkling of German surnames throughout the book to make it an interesting and worthwhile reference for anyone researching in the general area. German names include Entsminger, Hostetter, Isenhower, Muterspaw, and Niswander. The book would be greatly improved with an every-name index. Though the original publication was good for the era in which it was first published, it is not complete from the genealogist's point-of-view.

Originally written between 1917 and 1920, much of the genealogy was obviously obtained by personal interviews. The interviewees were either alive during the Civil War or were raised with people who were. Such a marvelous connection with the past has been preserved in this history of Rockbridge County and can provide clues which might never be guessed at otherwise. This is the principle asset of an early history such as this.

The first part of the book covers the history of the county with special mention of the Natural Bridge and Cyrus McCormick. The second part is devoted to genealogy and has many short family histories and numerous lists of taxpayers, soldiers of the various wars, and more.

Our hats are off to Heritage Books for its efforts to disseminate these rare, scarce, and out-of-print books to the genealogical public. It is fine to use these materials in a library (if your library has a copy), but so much handier to be able to add some of these to our personal libraries.

Reviewed by Deylerle R. Atkins, MAGS Recording Secretary.

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1 Jean OTTO b 24 Dec 1925,Balto, MD; m 8 Jun 1947

II
2 Joseph Norman OTTO b 12 Jan 1889; m 10 Aug 1918 Balto,MD
3 Lucy Janette Anne DORSEY b 2 Jan 1900; d 27 Feb 1968 Balto,MD

III
4 John Frederick OTTO b 4 Jul 1859 Balto,MD; m 1883; d 22 Jul 1912
5 Rosabella Ernestina Mary REINHARDT b 15 Aug 1865 Balto,MD;d 17 Mar 1921 Broken Bow, Neb
6 Decatur Kunkel DORSEY b 9 Nov 1858 Poolesville, MD, Frederick Co, MD; m 23 Feb 1898; d 6 Apr 1912 Balto,MD
7 Julia Ann WATERHOUSE b 24 Nov 1858 Balto, MD; d 8 Dec 1931 (second wife)

IV
8 Johann Ernst OTTO b 6 Apr 1827 Sax.Mein, Schwallungen (Schwalbingen),Ger; d 10 May 1872 Balto, MD (Civil War Soldier)
9 Sophia Maria PFANNENSCHMIDT b 16 Nov 1829 Ensheim, Ger; d 28 May 1913 Balto, MD
10 Henry Daniel REINHARDT b 25 May 1815 Arnstadt, Ger.
11 Marie Elise Wilhelmine BÄTZ (Mary Elizabeth BETZ) b 12 Mar 1829; d 25 Mar 1897
12 Basil EVAN b 1822 Fred.City, MD; m 1842; d 12 Jun 1868 Hotel-Fred, Mill-Poolesville,MD; bur Mt. Olivet Cem, MD
13 Anna Maria SHAFER (SHAEFER, SHAEFFER) b 1819; d 12 Mar 1906 Balto,MD; bur Mt. Olivet Cem, MD
14 William Edgar WATERHOUSE b 27 Oct 1814 Ridgefield, Conn; d 21 Jun 1886
15 Margaret Ann GEISEY b 11 Dec 1828 Shrewsbury, PA; d 28 Jan 1888

V
16 Johann Conrad OTTO b 1785 Schwallungen, Ger; m 11 Feb 1806; d 24 Jan 1839 Schwallungen, Ger
17 Anna Barbara MÜLLER b 25 Feb 1788; d 23 Dec 1856 Schwallungen, Ger
18 Johann Heinrich PFANNENSCHMIDT b 24 Jan 1797 Enzheim, Ger; m 21 Oct 1827; d 2 Aug 1872 (Emig. To America with wife and children)
19 Anna Elizabeth BICKEL b 21 Nov 1803 Bleichenbach; d ?
20 Johann Christian REINHARDT b 1782 Germany; Goldschmidts
21 Friedericke Regina VOCKORODT b ?; m abt 30 Jun 1807; d 29 Feb 1824
22 Christian Wilhelm BÄTZ b 24 Nov 1796 Ger; m abt 1823-24; d 16 Nov 1862
23 Augusta Carolina Magdalene KUHN b 19 Oct 1802 Gotha; d 25 Apr 1866 Balto, MD
24 Upton L(awrence) DORSEY b 1799; m 23 Oct 1819; d 6 Nov 1829 Frederick Co, MD
25 Janette HOBBS
26 Leonard SHAFER Frederick MD Area--Had 14 children
27 Mary SCHRODER (SCHROEDER) Frederick MD Area
28 Eleazer WATEROUS b 13 Nov 1786 Ridgefield, Conn; m 9 Sept 1812 Ridgefield, Conn; d 21 Jun 1815

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29 Arabella CRANE b 25 Dec 1789 Carmel, Putnam Co,N.Y.; d 4 Jul 1854 PA; m 1.. Eleazer WATEROUS, 2.Towsend WINTER

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32 Johann Jacob OTTO b 8 Jan 1743; m 19 Apr 1774; d 27 Jun 1787 Schwallungen, Ger.

33 Anna Margaret LÖSCH b 17 Feb; d 26 Jun 1801 Schwallungen, Ger.

36 Johann George PFANNENSCHMIDT b 22 Feb 1772 Walchenseld; m 19 Mar 1795 Enzheim; d 5 Mar 1800 Enzheim

37 Maria Barbara TISCHER b 2 Nov 1774; d 30 Jan 1815

38 Johann Conrad BICKEL b 1774 Bleichenbach; d 1 Nov 1838

39 Katharina Margarete LIEBGOTT b 1777 Bleichenbach; d 27 Apr 1824

40 Christian Heinrich REINHARDT b 1735; d 1801

41 Martha Rosina SCHMIDT b 1749; d 1800

44 Joseph Christoph BÄTZ b 1761 Ebenheim, Ger; m 31 Jan 1792; d 3 Dec 1825

45 Anna Maria GÖRLACH b 1767 Gotha; d 29 Mar 1827

46 KUHN?

48 Evan DORSEY b 1763 "Dorsey's Search," Fred.Co, MD; m 6 Jan 1789; d 6 Jan 1823 Drummine, Fred Co, MD

49 Susanna LAWRENCE

50 William HOBBS,SR

51 Henrietta Lawrence DORSEY

56 John WATEROUS

57 Martha

58 John CRANE II b 24 Nov 1742; m 1 Mar 1764; d 9 Jun 1827 Conn, N.Y.

59 Tamar CARPENTER b 1747

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64 Johann Adam OTTO d 18 Apr 1783 Schwallungen, Ger

65 Ottilia OTTO d 24 Dec 1773 Scheallungen, Ger

80 Johann George REINHARDT b 1705; m 1728; d 1757 Erfurt, Ger.

81 Anna Martha SCHENCKEN d 1751`

-----VIII

96 Judge Basil DORSEY b 1745 "Dorsey's Search,"Frederick Co, MD; d 7 Aug ?

97 Hannah CROCKETT daughter of John Crockett of Balto, MD

112 John WATEROUSE m 1. Hulda, 2. Martha

113 Hulda

116 Zebulon CRANE b 25 Jan 1721

117 BELDEN

118 John CARPENTER b Sep 1713

119 Hannah b Oct 1709-1717

160 Jeremias Tobias REINHARDT b 1668 Imenau (Ilmenau?), Ger; m 2. 1703; d 1752 Erfurt

161 Anna Sibylla BRABANDS d 1744

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192 Capt. John DORSEY JR (Patuxent John) b abt 1699; d 1761

193 Elizabeth HILL d 1777

232 Joseph CRANE b 17 My 1696; d 21 Aug 1741

320 Valentin REINHARDT II d 2 Sep 1686

321 Catherine DUNGEFELD b 13 Sep 1659; d 11 Mar 1683

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384 Edward DORSEY d 1700/1
385 Ruth Gillis HOWARD
464 Johnathan CRANE
640 Valentin REINHARDT b 9 May 1650
641 Gertrude MELHICK

-----XI

768 Hon. John DORSEY d 1714 (Troy)
769 Pleasance
928 John CRANE of England b 1646
1280 Michael REINHARDT b abt 1600; d 1680
1281 Gertrude MEHLBACH b 9 Sept 1601

-----XII

1536 Edward DARCY (DORSEY,D'ARCY) England
1537 Ann
2560 Valentine REINHARDT b 7 July 1568; d 1616
2561 Barbara LAMHARDT d 16 Mar 1615
2562 Johannes MEHLBACH
2563 Anna LUDOLPH

-----XIII

5120 Andreas REINHARDT b abt 1500; Goldsmith, Merchant, Advisor -1540
5121 Anna KOCH

-----XIV

10240 George REINHARDT b abt 1430; d 1522 Mayor of Mulhausen, Ger. 1516
10241 Gertrude VOLKENANDT

-----XV

20480 Heinrich REINHARDT b abt 1400 Merchant in Mulhausen 1450, Magistrate

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40960 Johannes REINHARDT b abt 1360 Merchant in 1410

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81920 Berthold REYNHARDT b abt 1340; d after 1418; merchant and acct. 1370 to 1390

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ANDES ANTIS

17-4 Wilhelm ANDES arr New York Oct 1741. He purch land Frederick Co., MD in 1766. Need info on whereabouts bet 1741 & 1766.

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