



Ingham County Genealogical Society
NEWSLETTER
P. O. Box 85
Mason, MI 48854

FALL 2008 Volume 11, No. 4

2008 /2009 ICGS

Officers and Committees :

President- David Held
Vice President- Grove Sandrock and Isabelle Wells
Recording Secretary- Beth Hall
Treasurer- William Carr
Membership Secretary- Cathy Morse
Librarian- Rodney Jewett
Trustee- Diane Bishop
Trustee- Pete Phelps

Appointed Committees:

Publications- John Castle
Computer and Web Master- Greg James
Historian- Alice Raatz
Michigan Council Delegate- Tammy Parsons
Michigan Council Delegate- Sam Pardee
Newsletter- Cindy Hawkins
Social Arrangements- **OPEN**
Merchandise Sales- **OPEN**
Publicity- Dave Held

Web site:

<http://www.IngCoGeneSoc.org>

ICGS meets on the second Thursday of the month – except for the months of January, June and July. Meetings begin at 7:00 p.m.. The public is welcome.

Meeting Location: Vevay Township Hall, located at 780 Eden Road, one mile south of Mason, Ingham County, Michigan

Attention Members: Open positions

If you are interested in the Social Arrangements or Merchandise Sales position, please contact Dave Held, president@IngCoGeneSoc.org

Correction

The summer 2008 newsletter has a correction. On page one it should read Summer 2008 Volume 11, No. 3, not No. 6

Christmas Potluck - Thursday,
11 December 2008

Our annual Christmas potluck will be held Thursday, December 11, 2008 at the Vevay Township Hall. Bring a dish to pass and your own table service. Starts at 6 p.m. We will eat at 6:30 p.m. Bring an interesting item you have to share concerning your family genealogy. We will also be accepting nonperishable donations for the local food bank. Plan to join us for an evening of enjoyment.

Meeting Schedule

13 November 2008 – Lori Fox “ Making Sense of the Census”

11 December 2008 – Christmas Potluck (see above for more details)

January 2009 – No Meeting

12 February 2009 – Karen Krugman “ Color Your Ancestor Alive”

Farmer's Mutual Fire Insurance Company,
OF INGHAM COUNTY, MICHIGAN

AMOUNT AT RISK, \$2,020,036

SECRETARY'S OFFICE
Eden, Mich., Sept. 10, 1880

You are hereby notified that the Executive Board of The Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance company, of Ingham County, Michigan, did, on the 17th day of August, 1880, order an assessment of one and one half mills on the dollar upon the amount at risk in said Company, to be collected 30 days after September 10, 1880, to meet the present and future losses and adjusted claims and current expenses of said Company.

The liabilities of the Company at date of the last annual report were \$997.43. Since the last annual assessment was ordered the following losses have been sustained by this Company: August 15, 1879, the barn belonging to M. M. **Covert** of Leslie, was struck by lightning and damaged \$5.00. August 25, 1879, the house of S. **McCormick** of Vevay, was struck by lightning and damaged \$10.00. September 6, 1879, the barn belonging to C. C. **Royce** of Ingham, was destroyed by fire. Loss on barn \$300; on hay and grain \$200. October 5, 1879, the barn and its contents belonging to A. **Wheeler** of Lansing, was destroyed by fire. Loss on barn \$250; on hay and grain \$190; on farm implements, etc., \$98. October 23, 1879, the barn and its contents belonging to A A. **Diamond** of Vevay, was destroyed by fire. Loss on barn \$400, on hay and grain \$177.25; on farm implements, etc, \$177.83. January 27, 1880, the house and most of its contents belonging to Lyman **Allen** of White Oak was destroyed by fire. Loss on house \$150; on household furniture, etc, \$157.71. April 20th, the house of E. M. **Hill** of Lansing, was struck by lightning and damaged \$10.00. July 1st, a colt belonging to R. **Bygrave** of Ingham, was killed by lightning; loss \$50.00. July 27th, the house of B B. **Wright** of Leslie, was damaged by fire \$40.00. August 19th, the barn of John **Day** of Delhi, was struck by lightning and destroyed. Loss on barn \$400; on hay and grain \$319; live stock \$37; farm implements, etc, \$119. August 18th, a horse belonging to John **Potter** of Alaiedon, was killed by lightning. Loss \$100.

The Board at its last annual meeting passed a by-law requiring members using steam threshers to see that the smoke-stack of the engine was properly screened; also that the hood or top screen shall not be open or removed while in use. Great care should be taken in the disposal of your asheds, and all stovepipes and chimneys should be thoroughly cleaned each fall and spring.

O. F. **Miller**, Secretary.

SAM'L **SKADAN**, President

The original document did not have the dates underlined. These were added to provide easier reading.

Ingham County Genealogical Society
Officers 2008-2009

President	David Held	president@IngCoGeneSoc.org
Co – Vice President and Co - Vice President	Grove Sandrock Isabelle Wells	vicepresident@IngCoGeneSoc.org vicepresident@IngCoGeneSoc.org
Recording Sec.	Beth Hall	recordingsecretary@IngCoGeneSoc.org
Treasurer	William Carr	treasurer@IngCoGeneSoc.org
Membership Sec.	Cathy Morse	membershipsecretary@IngCoGeneSoc.org
Librarian	Rod Jewett	librarian@IngCoGeneSoc.org
Trustee	Pete Phelps	trustee2@IngCoGeneSoc.org
Trustee	Diane Bishop	trustee1@IngCoGeneSoc.org



ICGS 2008-2009 Officers

Left to right: David, Grove, Isabelle, Beth, William, Rod, Pete and Diane (not pictured Cathy)

Library of Michigan Foundation

702 West Kalamazoo Street
PO. Box 30159
Lansing, MI 48909

July 31, 2008

David Held, Vice President
Ingham County Genealogical Society
3833 New Salem Avenue
Okemos, MI 48864

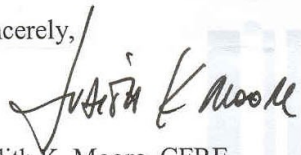
Dear Mr. Held:

On behalf of the Library of Michigan and the Library of Michigan Foundation, I want to express our sincere appreciation for your generous support of the 2008 Abrams Genealogy Seminar on July 25-26. Your check in the amount of \$614.50 was received in our office on July 26th.

As you know, the seminar was a huge success, with attendance exceeding 160 people. All the sessions were well attended and the speakers were very well received. Of course, keynote speaker Dr. George Schweitzer was a tremendous hit, as we had expected. What an opportunity for the audience to hear such a well-respected and admired genealogist! Please share our thanks with your members. We couldn't have had this wonderful line-up without your support.

The Library of Michigan and the Library of Michigan Foundation were very pleased to partner with the Ingham County Genealogical Society. Together we were able to provide a valuable educational opportunity that benefited the entire genealogical community.

Sincerely,



Judith K. Moore, CFRE
Executive Director

LANSING CREDIT EXCHANGE
BULLETIN #473 - May 26, 1930 (Typed as written)

BIRTHS	Mr. & Mrs.		
May 05, 1930	Ethan E. Allen	1104 E. Hazel St.	Boy
May 06, 1930	Marion L. Joslin	123 Albert St., East Lansing	Girl
May 07, 1930	Albert L. Wilson	914 Westmoreland Ave.	Girl
May 08, 1930	Fred E. Shepard	1429 Turner St.	Boy
May 09, 1930	Geo. C. Pearson	923 E. St. Joe St.	Boy
May 09, 1930	Harold L. Kohls	617, Elm St., East Lansing	Girl
May 10, 1930	Clarence W. Bagwell	1923 W. St. Joe St.	Boy
May 10, 1930	Theodore W. Klabunde	2109 Ray St.	Girl
May 10, 1930	Glen E. Paquet	Route #50	Girl
May 11, 1930	Harry Willison	Route #3	Girl
May 11, 1930	Herbert Hope	#4 Plymouth Apts. East Lansing	Girl
May 11, 1930	Jos. Genova	930 Grove St.	Girl
May 11, 1930	Harold J. Anderson	Lansing	Boy
May 12, 1930	Earl F. Lauer	1038 ½ W. Allegan St.	Girl
May 12, 1930	Russell G. Scott	1217 W. Main St.	Boy
May 12, 1930	Jos. A. Vroman	1406 May St.	Girl
May 12, 1930	Kenneth James	Route #5	Boy
May 14, 1930	Commodore C. Faulkner	1233 Vermont St.	Boy
May 14, 1930	Raymond O. Bennett	Wash. Apts.	Girl
May 14, 1930	Clarence Evans	606 Detroit Ave.	Girl
May 14, 1930	Jasper Ford	835 ½ W. Main St.	Girl
May 14, 1930	Jack Washington	Lansing	Boy
May 15, 1930	Merle Miller	529 River St.	Boy
May 15, 1930	Paul R. Convis	1822 Linval St.	Boy
May 16, 1930	Wm. E. Moore	814 Clare St.	Boy
May 16, 1930	Lawrence E. Mahon	801 S. Cedar St.	Girl
May 17, 1930	Geo. J. Crosby	114 S. Mifflin St.	Girl
May 17, 1930	Hugh L. Baker	2603 Eaton Rd.	Girl
May 17, 1930	Roy L. Harrington	Lansing	Boy
May 18, 1930	Sprio Vasiloff	1111 Ballard St.	Boy
May 19, 1930	Lorenzo Mannion	723 N. Cedar St.	Boy

DIVORCES - DECREES GRANTED

May 16, 1930	Emma Taylor	Vs. John R. Taylor
May 17, 1930	Lillian Bloch	Vs. Wm. J. Bloch
May 17, 1930	Eva L. Stafford	Vs. Sherley Stafford
May 21, 1930	Harold G. Bretz	Vs. Dorothy Bretz
May 21, 1930	Anna Dexter	Vs. Milton Dexter

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Charles W. **Webster**, 40, Leslie, Mich. - Cora **Ellwanger**, 35, DeWitt, Mich.
Chas. G. **Malone**, 24, Lansing - Lillian **Courses**, 16, Lansing
Ernest **West**, 33, Lansing-Minnie **James**, 32, Lansing
Ernest **Janetzke**, 22, Lansing-Bonita E. **Tuttle**, 20, Belding
Roy A. **Rider**, 25, Lansing - Mildred L. **Green**, 25, Lansing
Elbert **Eversole**, 24, Lansing - Elizabeth M. **Beltz**, 18, Lansing
Ross F. **Powis**, 25, Lansing - Lela M. **Tashmer**, 24, Lansing
Elijah G. **Basel**, 22, Lansing - Frances **Holden**, 16, Lansing
Eldon M. **Fraim**, 22, Lansing - Louise A. **Petrie**, 22, Lansing
Vito A. **Simone**, 38, Lansing - Virginia **Spanguolo**, 31, Lansing
Jacob W. **Riggs**, 63, Lansing - S. Melissa **Summers**, 67, Lansing
Seger B. **Rice**, 27 Bunkerhill - Ruth E. **Kelinsmith**, 24, White Oak
Richard E. **Horsch**, 23, Lansing - Kathlene **Pritchard**, 19, Lansing
Wilson Be. **Nickels**, 39, Lansing - Frieda C. **Laib**, 32, Mason, Mich.
Carl **Sanborn**, 20, Lansing - Wanda A. **Sanford**, 18, Lansing
Alfred E. **Seyfried**, 20, Lansing - Gwendolyn L. **Walker**, 17, Lansing
Edwin R. **Abendroth**, 25, Lansing - Helen **Gietzel**, 19, Lansing
Wm. H. **Hathaway**, 43, Lansing - Lucille M. **Caldo**, 42, Lansing
Lloyd K. **Greenmeyer**, 23, Lansing - Helen E. **Olwell**, 18, Everett
Elton **Woodruff**, 24, Lansing - Geraldine **Gaze**, 24, Lansing

CHANGE OF ADDRESS

NAME	FORMER ADDRESS	PRESENT ADDRESS
Ader , Frank L.	423 W. Barnes Ave.	3059 Effie Pl., Grand Rapids, Mich.
Allen , Gladys	536 Woodrow St.	Eureka, Mich.
Andrews , H. J.	1619 W. Saginaw St.	511 Lewis Bldg., Portland, Oregon
Blasius , F. C.	119 S. Larch St.	508 4 th St., Jackson, Mich.
Brophy , J. W.	1022 Eureka St.	1620 Fletcher St., Anderson, Ind.
Brown , Mrs. Clara B.	1912 E. Michigan Ave.	1104 S. Main St., Eaton Rapids
Burkholder , Wm.	1120 Farrand Ave.	R. #3, Grand Ledge, Mich.
Colvin , Barnard P.	139 Lathrop St.	R. #1, Owosso, Mich.
DeHaan , J. M.	502 Charles St., East Lansing	115 Felch Pk, Terr., Ann Arbor
Fisher , R. D.	601 ½ N. Pennsylvania	Marshall, Michigan
Good , E.	816 N. Pennsylvania Ave.	R. #2, Boyne City, Mich.
Moore , Tom	1107 Persons Ct.	Hamburg, Mich.
McDonald , Holly J.	527 S. Hayford St.	704 ½ E. Genesee Dr., Saginaw
Raleigh , Wm.	711 W. Ionia St.	#68 Davenport St., Detroit, Michigan
Shuart , Ford	310 S. Mifflin St.	Houghton Lake, Michigan
Stough , Mrs. Tressa	1811 S. Wash. Ave.	78 McKinley Dr., Pontiac, Mich.
Ward , Alfred	1316 S. Logan St.	736 Hight St., Lowell, Mich.
Wildt , Fred	532 N. Walnut St.	Bath, Mich.
Wilson , Lloyd	1014 Sparrow St.	R. #5, Mason, Michigan



STATE OF MICHIGAN

JENNIFER M. GRANHOLM
GOVERNOR

DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY, ARTS AND LIBRARIES
LANSING

DR. WILLIAM M. ANDERSON
DIRECTOR

Ingham County Genealogical Society
P.O. Box 85
Mason, Michigan 48854

August 5, 2008

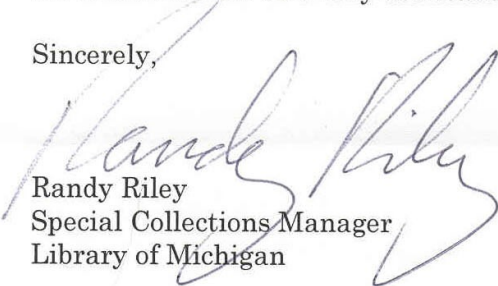
Dear Society Members,

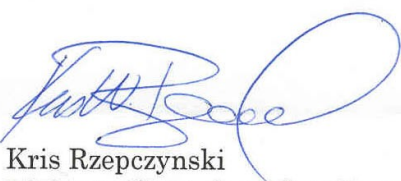
Thank you for your financial support in bringing Dr. George Schweitzer to the Library of Michigan for the Abrams Genealogy Seminar. We were pleased with the seminar's attendance and the number of Ingham County members who took advantage of the discounted registration costs.

We appreciate your support in making this seminar the success that it was, and I hope that our two organizations can continue to explore collaborative opportunities in the future.

We wish your society and its members continued success, and we look forward to working with you again in the future. Please feel free to contact us me if we can ever be of any assistance to you. Thank you again.

Sincerely,


Randy Riley
Special Collections Manager
Library of Michigan


Kris Rzepczynski
Michigan/Genealogy Coordinator
Library of Michigan

LIBRARY OF MICHIGAN
702 WEST KALAMAZOO STREET • P.O. BOX 30007 • LANSING, MICHIGAN 48909
www.michigan.gov/libraryofmichigan
Administration (517) 373-1580 • Information (517) 373-1300
Visit the Michigan eLibrary at www.mel.org

Printed by members of:





***INGHAM COUNTY
GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY
P.O. BOX 85
MASON, MICHIGAN 48854***

Shirley Hodges Honored with 2008 Genealogy Appreciation Award

Shirley Hodges, a member of our society, was presented with the 2008 Library of Michigan Genealogy Appreciation award at the 2008 Abrams Genealogy Seminar in July at the Library of Michigan.

The Library of Michigan Genealogical Appreciation Award is sponsored by the Library of Michigan and the Library of Michigan Foundation annually as a way to recognize and thank the genealogical community in Michigan for their work. This is the second member of our society to receive this award. John Castle was honored in 2007.

New CD Available – Leroy, Locke, & Williamstown Township Cemeteries in Ingham County, Michigan

The cemeteries of Leroy, Locke, and Williamstown townships, Ingham County, Michigan and other related information have been placed on a CD and is now available for sale. This CD is indexed and fully searchable.. The cost is \$20 which includes shipping and handling within the U.S. To order mail your name, address and check for \$20 (payable to ICGS) to: I.C.G.S. Attn: Sales, P. O. Box 85, Mason, MI 48854-0085. This CD will also be available for sale at our regular meetings.