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LOOKING AHEAD

1 DECEMBER 1985 MEETING--Tour and talk at Basilica of the Sacred Heart of Jesus (Conewago Chapel) at Edgegrove, Adams County, PA. This historic site was the location of Conewago Chapel built in 1741. The imposing Basilica, with significant paintings, was built in 1787 and is the oldest Catholic church building in the United States built of stone. Among those buried in the adjacent seven acre cemetery are Dudley Digges, Samuel Lilly, Father Francis Xavier Deneckere, and Baron de Beelen-Berthoff. The tour is scheduled to begin at 2:30 p.m. After the tour, Mr. Frank Miller, who is familiar with many of the Catholic families of the area, will talk on them and their migration paths. Those who live within traveling distance of this site and who have never visited the Basilica, could find this an interesting and informative meeting.

DIRECTIONS TO THE BASILICA (CONEWAGO CHAPEL): From the intersection of the Route 30 Bypass and West Market St., York (Route 462), proceed west on Route 30 for about 14.5 miles to New Oxford. In New Oxford go three-fourth way around the circle and proceed south on Hanover Street. After traveling for about 1 mile, at the "Stop Except Right Turn" sign, bear right onto Irishtown Road and travel for about 2 miles. Be alert for sharp bends on this road. After passing through Irishtown, proceed straight ahead. The road becomes Black Lane at this point. Shortly after leaving Irishtown the steeple of the Basilica should be visible. Proceed for about 1 mile and turn right at the historical sign onto Chapel Road. (To travel the distance covered in these directions, count on a minimum of 30 minutes.)

If weather is threatening or driving is dangerous on the day of any winter meeting, contact Pat Gross (phone 843-6169) to learn of the status of the meeting.

Any member living in or near York City who needs transportation to the Basilica should contact Pat Gross.

5 January 1986 - Harry Focht will present a slide program on eastern PA German tombstones and churches.

2 February 1986 - Jonathan Stayer will speak on his Hessian research.

RESOURCE PERSONS

The following persons are willing to help other members needing research assistance in the areas designated:

OHIO - Belmont, Coshocton, Guernsey, & Hamilton (Cincinnati) Counties. Rosegayle M. Williams, 426 Chisholm Trail, Cincinnati, OH 45215.

OHIO - Clark, Montgomery, & Warren Counties. Lysa A. Wright, 4277 Briar Pl., Dayton, OH 45405.

HIVELY'S GENEALOGICAL NOTES

The Archibald Hyson Association is attempting to update the book, Descendants of Archibald Hyson. Archibald Hyson was a soldier in the Revolution from York County, PA. His name was sometimes spelled Eason. His two sons were John and Robert. His daughters married into the Brown, Herr, and Moore families in the early 1800's. The association hopes to fill in some lines for

which it has no records and to bring the other lines up to the present generation. If anyone has knowledge of any members of this family, they are encouraged to contact SCPGS member Walter Keesey (10109 Eventide Ct., Orlando, FL 32821).

The National Genealogical Society (Educational Division, 4527 - 17th Street, North, Arlington, VA 22207) continues to offer its "American Genealogy" A Basic Course". This comprehensive course provides an introduction to each of the major groups of records used in American genealogical research, requiring "hands-on" experience in the use of the records. Also included is instruction in basic record keeping practices and in the interpretation and evaluation of evidence. Study is at home at an individual's pace. For more information write the NGS at the address given.

The Baer Newsletter is a publication for any persons researching any spelling of this family name. Much, but not all, of the data relates to Pennsylvania. A one year subscription is $7 for six issues. A sample copy is $2. For a subscription or more information write to Connie Baer Petersen, Editor (Baer Newsletter, 3-978 SR 18-R2, Deshler, OH 43512).

Among the publications prepared at various intervals by The Augustan Society, Inc. (P.O. Box P, Torrance, CA 90507-0210) are The Colonial Genealogist, The French Genealogist, The Irish-American Genealogist, The Scottish-American Genealogist, The Eastern & Central European Genealogist, and others covering specific geographical areas.

Lissy L. Weirich (347 E. Louther St., Carlisle, PA 17013) in 1984 translated into English The Emigration from Nassau-Dillenburg to America in the Eighteenth Century: The Conduct of the Government Towards It and the Ensuing Fates of the Emigrants by Adolf Gerber. This item addresses the three main waves of emigration from the Nassau-Dillenburg princedom in the 1700's. The index contains over 500 names and places. The booklet of 42 pages is available from Lissy at the above address for $9.75.

German for Genealogy--A Translator's Handbook is a 30 page, spiral bound booklet by John W. Heisey. Topics included are German alphabet types, German abbreviations, signs and symbols, Zodiac signs, glossary of Latin terms found in German records, and fraktur terms. The book may be purchased for $5 plus $2 shipping charges from Ye Olde Genealogical Shoppe (PO Box 39128, Indianapolis, IN 46239). Residents of IN and IL need to add 5% for sales tax.

Volume 4 of A New Index is to be available in a few weeks from Gary T. Hawbaker (PO Box 207, Hershey, PA 17033). This book of 100 pages covers assessment lists for the years 1718 to 1726 for the townships which are now in Lancaster County, PA or were at one time included in or near Lancaster County but that at the time were in Chester County, PA. The areas covered are Conestoga, Pequea, Donegal, Sadsbury, Tulpehocken and an area along the Schuylkill near French Creek. The original spelling has been retained. Also included is some pertinent information from a very early surveyor's notes. The price is $12.50 plus $1 for postage and handling. PA residents should add 6% sales tax.

Persons interested in the Spry and some related families may desire to write "Photos" (PO Box 118, Lewisberry, PA 17339) or call (717) 938-6422 for more information about the following items. There is Bible information on members of the Spry family from the Bible of "Uncle William J. Spry" of Plymouth, PA. There are numerous late 1800 and early 1900 photographs with locations of Brooklyn, Plymouth, PA, and Mechanicsburg, PA. Other related surnames are Davenport, Vicari, Fear, and Parrish.

QUERIES

Seeking info on the fam. of William Henry TYSON (1804-1880) & his wf. Teressa Eliza HUGHES (1808-1879) of Emmitsburg, Frederick Co., MD. Both bur.

St. Joseph's Catholic Ch. Cem. in Emmitsburg. Ch.: Joseph Vincent (1828-1855); Ann (1830-?); Bennett J (1832-1913) mar. Margaret ELDER; Frances (1834-?); Hugh (1836-?); Cecelia J. (1838-1921) mar. Francis William LONSINGER; Julia Ann (1840-?); Teressa A. (1842-?) mar. GIBBS; Ignatius (1843-?); and John (1845-1923) mar. Anna F. SMITH. Will answer all & exchange.

Michael A. Ports, 2036 Camp St., New Orleans, LA 70130.

Seek info on John D. SLOTHOWER (1808-1885) mar. Magdalena BENTZ (1811-1891). Ch.: Henry (1833-1922); Jacob (1835-1902); George (1837-1918); ** See bottom page 6; Lydia Ann (1848-?); Mary Ann (1846-1846); John William (1849-1911); & Adalina (1853-1853). All York Co., PA.

Seek info on Joshua Jackson CHAPMAN (1821-1864) mar. Sarah BLESSING (1819-1893), York Co., PA. Joshua d. in Andersonville Prison 1 Jul 1864. Their Ch.: Eliza Ann (1849-1911) mar. Lewis Bentz SLOTHOWER; Lavina (1856-?); Barbara (1856-?); Leah (1858-?); John (1861-?); Joshua (1863 to at least 1929); & Andrew (1851-?).

Donna M. Hornsby, 9503 NE 67th St., Vancouver, WA 98662.

Would like to correspond with anyone with info about Susannah HECK (22 Feb 1802-22 May 1842) wf. of Henry ATTICKS (20 Oct 1777-4 Jun 1844, Fairview Twp., York Co., PA). Both bur. Crone's Cem., Fairview Twp.

Would like to correspond with anyone having info about the ancestors of both Daniel L. SMITH (b. 1831 in Chester or Cumberland Co., PA, d. 25 Oct 1880 in Altoona, Blair Co., PA) and wf. Mary S. POWELL (b. 5 Apr 1833, PA, d. 7 Feb 1903 in Altoona). Mary was dau. of Jessie POWELL (d. 30 Jan 1892, age 84 yrs. 5 mo. & 13 days) & wf. Sarah (d. 13 Jan 1890, age 82-10-28). Sarah was a Quaker. Jessie & wf. bur. in Cem. of Christ (Limestone) Luth. & Ger. Ref. Ch., New Bloomfield, Perry Co., PA. Daniel & Mary were mar. 21 Oct 1852 in Chester Co., PA.

K. Gail Rudy, 825 Crawford Ave., Altoona, PA 16602.

Wish to correspond with anyone researching the following surnames in York Co., PA: LAIRD; KUNKLE; SOWERS; PAUP; RAFFENSBERGER, WEAVER; BECK; BENEDICK; KINSEY; HOBAUGH; GARDNER; SLENKER; BULL; SPOTTS; LANDES; and HARTMAN. Will share all information.

Patty Howard, 2905 E. Oakland Pl., Broken Arrow, OK 74014.

John DUNLAP (1762-1843) & wf. Issabella (1771-1823) lived in Leacock-Salisbury area of Lancaster Co., PA, & are bur. in Christ Protestant Episcopal Churchyard, Leacock. Need info on this family, especially children.

Seek info on these sisters & their parents who lived in York Co., PA area: Caroline BIGLER (b. ca. 1875) mar. a McGRANAGUS; & Susanna BIGLER who mar. a KAUFMAN.

John H. Timbrell, Jr., 99 Old Wolcott Rd., Bristol, CT 06010.

Seeking info on the par. of Winnfield Scott DAVIS b. 21 Dec 1847, d. 23 Mar 1929, of Carlisle, later Mount Holly Springs, PA. His fath. is thought to have been a Justice of Peace in Adams Co., PA. Also seeking info about his brothers: Durbin, moved to Bucyrus, OH; Simon, Mt. Holly Springs; Otis; McGowan; & sister, Agnes, mar. to Herman SMITH. Would like to hear from anyone researching DAVIS family.

Seeking info on father of Matilda Jane DAVIS, Carlisle, Cumberland Co., PA, b. 4 Apr 1850, d. 25 Apr 1921. Her moth. was Isabell ? McGONEGAL. Any info concerning McGONEGAL or McGONIGAL name would be appreciated.

Seeking info on fath. of Abraham ? SHORB, prob. from or near Taneytown, MD. I have no dates. He mar. Isabella (Anna) ICKES & they had Ch.: Daniel b. 24 Apr 1855; Charles; & Kate b. 12 Nov 1862. Would appreciate hearing from anyone researching the SHORB family.

Joanne Davis Shorb, 44 Middle Creek Rd., Fairfield, PA 17320.

Are the following HAMSBACHER/HAMSPACHER/HAMSPACH related? If so, how? Need their parents, brothers, & sisters. All lived in Lancaster and/or York Co., PA. Elizabeth HAMSBACHER b. ca. 1710, mar. Johann Jacob RUDISIL. Margaret HAMSPACHER mar. 18 Jan 1738 Johann Georg ZIEGLER. Rebecca HAMSPACHER mar. 29 Oct 1740 Carl EISEN. Maria Christina HAMSPACHER mar. 12 Feb 1749 Simon HENNINGER. Johann Georg HAMSPACH b. ca. 1710. Georg HAMSPACHER d. 1748, mar. a REMBLE.

Mrs. Winona F. Folks, 10407 Pleasant Valley Rd., Sun City, AZ 85351.

Need parents of James B. (Butler/Barton) STONE b. 1799, Mifflin, PA, & wf. Jane JAMES b. 1805, MD. Married before 1828 when they settled in OH. Lived Guernsey, Belmont, & Coshocton Co., OH. Ch.: James Ferman; Mahala Jane (HESLIP); George W.; John J.; Francis Asbury; Edward H.; William; & Thomas. Will appreciate hearing from anyone about STONE & JAMES surnames.

Mrs. Byron B. Williams, 426 Chisholm Trail, Cincinnati, OH 45215.

Patrick BRADY owned land in Adams Co., PA, ca. 1814. Is he related to Samuel & Thomas BRADY of Mt. Pleasant Twp., Adams Co.?

Does anyone have a history of Heidlersburg? I need to find more info on my ancestor, John HEIDLER, who supposedly founded the town.

Gertrude STAUB b. 1886, PA, single in Rochester, NY, d. ca. 1940's, NY. Is she related to the STAUBS in Adams & York Co., PA?

Researchers with Catholic roots of Conewago. Please send me your ancestor charts & fam. group sheets by December first. These will be included in my compilation, "Founding Catholic Families of Conewago".

Barbara Brady O'Keefe, 2120 SW 127th Ave., Miami, FL 33175.

Seeking info about John KOCH b. ca. 1747, came to Canada in 1800. Lived in York Co., PA. Mar. Anna __?__, b. ca. 1753. Possibly Lutheran. His Ch.: John b. 1783; Anna b. 1784; Henry b. 1785; ? Abraham b. 1785 ?; Helena b. 1786; Jacob b. 1792; Ebenezer b. 1793; & Sally b. 1797.

Marilyn Cook, 273 Fincham Ave., Markham, Ontario, Canada L3P 4E5.

Seek info./desc. of Jacob & Mary (KLINEPETER) RHODES, mar. 1830, Adams Co., PA, moved to Geauga Co., OH, 1835.

Seeking dates of death & burial place for Jacob & Elizabeth (EWIG) KLINEPETER, mar. Cumberland Co., PA, 1833, & resided in Monroe Twp.

Seek info./date of death/burial for Allen F. KLINEPETER, last resided Wood Co., OH, 1880's. Also need info. on his niece, Annie M. KLINEPETER, who lived with him.

C. Herbert Klinepeter, 2066 Edgar Ave., Chambersburg, PA 17201.

Jacob MOORE, s. of Peter, mar. Mary JACOBS, dau. of George, in Nov 1786. This fam. is known to have lived in East Berlin area of Adams Co., PA. Their Ch.: George b. 1787; Peter b. 1789; Elizabeth b. 1790; Catherine b. 1792; John b. 1795 mar. Mary PICKING; Jacob b. 1797; Mary b. 1799; Isaac b. 1801; Henry b. 1803; Daniel b. 1805; & Sarah b. 1807. Seeking the names of their spouses. John, Daniel, & Isaac are known to have moved to Sandusky Co., OH in the 1830's. Does anyone have any info about these families? Church records from East Berlin?

Nancy Gunder Mosier, 6022 E. Silverspur Tr., Anaheim Hills, CA 92807.

Would appreciate any info on a Preserveo COOLEY in 1700's, from Wellsville, York Co., PA.

Rosetta Cooley Fridley, 18 E. Austin St., Skaneateles, NY 13152.

Help is really needed for searching Samuel SCOTT who served under Col. William THOMPSON, as Sgt., during Rev. War. Who were his parents & wife? His

brothers & sisters? He was granted 1400 acres of land in Kentucky Co., VA, which later became Garrard Co. In his will, Jan. Court, 1804, Garrard Co., he left a "plantation" lying in York Co., PA, bounded by land of William READ & Thomas SHANNON. This was left to ch. of his son, John SCOTT, by John's first wf., namely, Samuel, Thomas Brown, Sarah (Sally), Robert, & William. Who were John's wives? Samuel bequeathed land and/or money to his other ch.: Joseph; Robert; William; Isabel Scott BROWN; Mary Scott CRAIG; & Jean Scott MORITY. My line of descent is through John's dau., Sarah (Sally). Will share & exchange.

Mrs. Charles E. Smith, 4660-62 N. River Rd., Oceanside, CA 92056.

Emanuel BOLLINGER b. ca. 1815, d. Nov. 1872, York Co., PA, mar. 10 May 1846 Sarah SENFT b. ca. 1825, d. 1 Nov 1900, bur Lischy's Cem., York Co., PA. Who were the parents of Emanuel? Would like to learn of Emanuel & Sarah's children.

When Michael PETERMAN d. in York Co., Windsor Twp., PA in 1785, he mentions a dau. Elizabeth who mar. a John BOLLINGER. Who is this John a son of? Do they have a family? need to identify this family.

Also, Isaac BOLLINGER d. 1770, York Co., Codorus Twp., PA & left wf. Catherine & three ch. but only mentions oldest s. Frederick BOLLINGER. Would like to learn more about this early BOLLINGER fam.

Leona Betteridge, 2709 W. Soundview Dr., Tacoma, WA 98466.

Any info on any of the following: John WHETSEL/WETZEL/etc. mar. Margaret MYERS. They lived in Oley Twp., York Co., 1759. Ch.: Eve; Peter; John; Jacob; Jeremiah; Isaac; Henry; Daniel (b. 29 Oct 1780, d. 29 Dec 1867); Samuel; Michael; & Martha. John owned a grist mill. Several of the above remained in the Chambersburg area. Daniel, Isaac, & Henry removed to Pickaway, Fairfield, & Franklin Counties, OH.

Eleanor Shonting, 101 Wimico Dr., Indian Harbour Bch., FL 32937.

Seek info on David HORN/HORNE of York City, PA. Traditional info: Served in Federal Army at Antietam, Fredericksburg, & Chancellorsville; mar. Sarah MORNINGSTAR of York; had 11 ch., 4 survived: Samuel; James; Luther ; & Arthur. Operated plumbing & heating establishment in York on the North side of Market Street (Route 30) at the bridge.

Also seek info on Sarah MORNINGSTAR, wf. of David HORNE. Traditional info: her parents owned a cemetery in York.

Marilyn Horne, c.o Dodge, 1110 Post Rd., Scarsdale, NY 10583.

Gathering data on William & Rebecca ADAMS fam. of Chanceford Twp., York Co., PA. Wm. b. 1772, d. 1844 Columbiana Co., OH. Ch.: Elizabeth; Jennie; John; Thomas; David; James; Levi; George; William; Mathew or Nathan. Believe Rebecca's par. to be DOUGLASS of Chanceford Twp., York Co., PA. Any info appreciated, postage refunded.

Janet R. Onken, P.O. Box 426, Francesville, IN 47946.

Would like to correspond with desc. of my line of GRAYBILLs. Ephraim GREBILL/GRABILL/GRAYBILL/GRABLE/etc. b. 1831, mar. 18 Jan 1853, Manheim Twp., York Co., PA (religious ceremony by Rev. Scheurer of Hanover, PA) to Elizabeth, dau. of John & Margaret MILLER. He was son of Ephraim GRABILL. Need info on Ephraim, Sr., & GRABILL fam. before 1831. Seeking first immigrant ancestor.

Mrs. Pauline G. Vice, 3 Cedarvale Ct., Cockeysville, MD 21030.

Seeking location of Stauffer's Cem., near Jefferson, North Codorus Twp., York Co., PA. My gggrandfath. Samuel BRILLHART (1777-1831) is bur. there.

Also seek Auchey Burial Ground, North Codorus Twp., York Co., PA. John AUCHEY (1796-1868) my gggrandfath. is buried there.

Virginia Baker, 107 Congress St., Millersburg, PA 17061.

Need info on Friederich WAGNER/WAGONER & wf. Elizabeth ? . They had daus. Catharina & Rebeca, bapt. 21 Feb 1819 & 23 Apr 1821, Altalaha Evangelical Luth. Ch., Rehrersburg, PA. Possibly this might be the same Friederich WAGNER bapt. 23 Jul 1794, Upper Alsace Twp., Berks Co., PA. Son of Elias. Later ch.: Sara Ann; Margaret Sophia; Johann George; Cathrine Mary bapt. Gettysburg, Adams Co., PA.

Marianna F. Shaw, 6119 - 83rd St., SW, Tacoma, WA 98499.

Seeking info on George W. LUCKENBAUGH, bur. 12 Jul 1917, Greenmount Cem. mar. to Savilla M. BABYLON, bur. 2 Apr 1917, Greenmount Cem., York, PA. Ch.: Clayton; Nettie; Bessie; Grace; Harvey; & Bertha. George was once a street cleaner in York.

Mrs. Robert G. Hildebrand, 3560 Raintree Rd., York, PA 17404.

Daniel SMITH, b. 18 Dec 1791, bapt. 29 Jan 1792, s. of Andreas & Susannah; spons., Andreas GOTTWALD. (Record of First Ref. Ch., now Trinity United Ch. of Christ, York, PA). Is this the Daniel SMITH who mar. Elizabeth, had ch.: Juliana; William; Jacob; Daniel; Andrew; & Ann Marie; & moved to Richland Co., OH about 1834? Need par. of Elizabeth and date of marriage for her and Daniel. Will share info with others researching this family.

Jeanne F. Hough, 1518 Warren Ave., Lakeland, FL 33803.

Would like par. of Maria Elizabeth SIMON who mar. Daniel DIEHL, b. 1713, d. 1761 of York City, PA. Also maiden name of Anna Maria ? mar. Ludwig SCHREIBER, b. 1709, d. 1796 of Adams Co., PA near Littlestown, PA.

Harold Ditzler, 162 S. Main St., Biglerville, PA 17307.

Seeking info on Joshua ROBB, b. 1786, York Co., PA. Son of Joseph & Mary (HILL) ROBB. The ROBBs are of Scotch descent & date back to the days of religious persecution in Scotland.

Lynda J. Floehr, 6074 Holiday Ln., Amlin, OH 43002.

NOTE: See page 3 **-missed a line--Joseph (1839-1920); Elias (1841-?); Solomon (1843-1916); Lewis (1844-1906) mar. Eliza A. CHAPMAN;

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