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- MEETINGS -- First Saturday of every month at the Kankakee Public Library, 304 South Indiana Avenue, 2nd Floor, Research Department at 1:00 p.m. unless otherwise announced. We have many fine programs and guest speakers. Members are friendly and willing to help answer questions after our meetings. Please attend.
- MEMBERSHIPS -- \$7.00 for calendar year (january 1st thru December 31st). All members are entitled to have their ancestor charts and family histories on file at our library. Privileges also include four (4) issues of THE-A-KI-KI.
- CORRESPONDENCE -- Please address all correspondence to: Kankakee Valley Genealogical Society c/o Kankakee Public Library P. 0. Box 1659 Kankakee, Illinois 60901

FATHER MEYER'S PARISH HISTORY BOOK

This 1920 book being reprinted and indexed by the Society should be available sometime in the month of November, 1982.

Due to unforeseen circumstances by the publisher, they were not able to finish the books as promised earlier. We thank you for your patience and will call you for pickup or mail those as requested as soon as they arrive.

It is still not too late to order a copy if you have not already done so. Hard cover is \$21.00 and Soft cover is \$17.00. If you wish the book mailed, please include \$2.00 for postage and handling. Otherwise, include your telephone number and we will call you and advise when and where you may pickup your copy,

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Important Immigration Records Now Available for Sale on Microfilm

All restrictions have been lifted on access to name indexes to passenger arrivals and passenger and crew lists in the custody of the National Archives. The Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS), at the request of the National Archives and Records Service, agreed to the release of "Passenger Arrival Records, 1883-1954," previously subject to a 50 year restriction.

The agreement opens 6,055 rolls of microfilm to researchers, making a total of 11,476 rolls of INS microfilm available.

Of particular interest are the following eight titles, comprising a total of 888 rolls that have never before been available to researchers. These newly released publications reproduce extensive name indexes for passengers arriving at major ports in the eastern United States:

Index (Soundex) to Passenger Lists of Vessels Arriving at Baltimore, 1897-July 1952. T520. 43 rolls. \$731.00*

Index to Passengers Arriving at Gulfport, [MS] August 27, 1904- August 28, 1954. T523. 1 roll. \$17.00

Index to Passengers Arriving at New Bedford, [MA] July 1, 1902 - November 18, 1954. T522. 2 rolls. \$34.00

- Index to Passenger Lists of Vessels Arriving at New Orleans, 1900-1952. T618. 22 rolls. \$374.00
- Index (Soundex) to Passenger Lists of Vessels Arriving at New York, July 1, 1902 - December 31, 1943. T621. 756 rolls. \$12,852.00
- Index (Soundex) cards, Ship Arrivals at Philadelphia, January 1, 1883-June 28, 1948. T526. 61 rolls. \$1,037.00
- Index to Passengers Arriving at Portland, Maine, January 29, 1893 -November 22, 1954. T524. 1 roll. \$17.00
- Index to Passengers Arriving at Providence, Rhode Island, June 18, 1911-October 5, 1954. T518. 2 rolls. \$34.00

A catalog describing microfilm publications of passenger arrivals, crew lists, and indexes will be published in the fall of 1982. The catalog will contain both detailed descriptions of the records and roll-by-roll listings for most publications. For a copy please write to: Publications Sales Branch (NEPS), National Archives and Records Service, Washington, DC 20408 or call (202) 523-3181 *Prices quoted reflect increase to \$17 per roll effective August 9, 1982.

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ILLINOIS LAND RECORDS

.... contributed by Mr. Ed Virgin

The Vol. III, Number 3 (July/August/September, 1982) newsletter from the Missouri State Genealogical Association contained the following quoted article:

"The Illinois State Archives has completed the Public Domain Computer Conversion Project. Information covers 550,000 original sales of the 55,740 square miles of public lands in Illinois. Access to these sales records by surname of purchaser is now ready for mail reference at the Illinois State Archives. Staff members can now provide photocopies of printout listings based on surnames. The only charges are for photocopying. Direct inquires to: Information Services/ Reference, Illinois State Archives, Archives Building, Springfield, IL 62756.

Based on the above information, Mr. Virgin wrote to the address indicated and requested a search on a particular surname.

The Archives mailed back to him a photocopy from the computer file showing all land sales on that particular surname, along with a double-sided sheet which, on one side, shows a map of the state of Illinois Land Districts; the other side explains the photocopy, what to do if photocopies of the original records are needed along with the cost and how to determine the exact location of the land in question. Diagrams are used for easy understanding.

The printout copy contained a wealth of information. Titled: State of Illinois, Archives Division Public Domain Sales Land Tract Record Listings; the column headings are: Name of Purchaser - Sale Type - Description (Fractional Section) - Section - Township - Range -Meridian - Acres Bought - Price Per Acre - Total Price - Social Status -Date Purchased - County or State of Purchaser - Archives Volume and Page Number (of original transaction).

If you are trying to locate land records, you might try the above. It may save you time and travel.

MISSOURI RECORDS

... contributed by Mr. Ed Virgin

Effective August 13, 1982, new fees went into effect for a 5year search of the files which entitles you to one certified copy of the record if located. Births, deaths, fetal deaths--\$4.00 each search.

A check or money order made payable to the Missouri Division of Health in' the amount indicated must accompany the request for services. Requests should be addressed to: The Bureau of Vital Records, Missouri Division of Health, State Office Building, P. 0. Box 570, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102

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A VOYAGE TO THE UNITED STATES

June - July 1848

contributed by Mrs. Earl (Toni Bergeron) Betourne, a great-great granddaughter of the author, L. E. SYLVESTRE whose French-written diary is translated below.

(Editor's note: For the reader's better understanding of the distances involved, we have placed the last portion of this diary first.)

Cap St.Ignace District of Quebec, Canada to Bourbonnais Groves, Will County, Illinois, U.S.A.

DISTANCES

Cap St.Ignace	to Quebec	13 leagues	(Editor's note:
Quebec	to Montreal	60 "	A League is 3 miles)
Montreal	to Kingston	60 "	
Kingston	to Toronto	60 "	
Toronto	to Niagara Fall	s 13.5 "	
Niagara Falls	to Buffalo	7.5 ^w	Total of
Buffalo	to Cleveland	63 "	
Cleveland	to Detroit	52 "	612.5 leagues
Detroit	to Mackinaw	106 W	or
Mackinaw	to Sheboygan	108 W	1,837.5 miles
Sheboygan	to Milwaukee	17.5 "	
Milwaukee	to Racine	8 "	
Racine	to South Port	4 w	
South Port	to Little Port	5 "	
Little Port	to Chicago	14 w	
Chicago	to Bourbonnais	21 "	

We left from Quebec at 5:30 p.m., Thursday, June 8th. The weather was good, strong north east wind. We landed in Montreal Friday the 9th at 9:00 a.m. and re-embarqued at 9:30 a.m. to continue our way through Lachine canal and upward the St-Lawrence River to Beauharnois canal which we ascended the same day. The weather was very nice all day long, fairly warm. The Beauharnois canal is fourteen miles long to avoid the cascades. At night we stopped at Coteau du Lac. The night was very fine. In the morning it rained from sunset until 9:00 o'clock. The rest of the day was cloudy with south west wind all day long. At night the sky cleared up. It was Saturday the 10th. After stopping at Matilda, Prescot and Brockville, small English towns on the left coast of the St-Lawrence, we carried on our 3ourney through the thousand islands and in front of Watnonkoui before entering into lake Ontario. Turning north west to reach Cataraqui, now Kingston, on the north shore of lake Ontario where we landed at 6:00 p.m. and reembarqued immediately on the "City of Toronto's continuing on lake Ontario. The sky was clear all night with a strong south west wind. The 11th was the Pentecost day. We stop at Cobourg, pretty town on the north west coast of lake Ontario. North west wind and clear sky. We were in Toronto at twelve (formerly York). Weather and wind same all day long. Night beautifull, We stayed in Toronto Monday 12th for the same ship. Town built with bricks is important, very clean, beautiful buildings, churches and bishop's palace, with trees of all sorts. From the lake the sight is not as good, the land being low and flat.

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Kingston is built of cut stone, fortified for war. Huge towers protect the approaches by water giving an agreeable sight, the town being higher up There is a bishops palace.

All the north coast of St. Lawrence river is beautiful with numerous orchards and beautiful vegetables.

From Quebec to Montreal 60 leagues, 180 miles From Montreal to Kingston 60 leagues, 180 miles From Kingston to Toronto 60 leagues, 180 miles

We left Toronto the same day at 2:00 p.m. Clear all day nice north west breeze. Heading south from Toronto to Niagara (Previously Fort George) at the estuary of Niagara river in Ontario, at the occidental point which is English and Youngstown on the oriental point which is American.

The Niagara river goes north south. We went to the bottom of the fall. Fair west breeze, clear in the afternoon. We landed at Queenstown, English city on the left shore opposite Lewiston, American town on the right shore. We reached the top of the fall by stage coach at 7:00 p.m. It took 3 hours to get through the detours. On the hill south of Queenstown stands a beautiful monument in honor of the brave general Brock. From Toronto to Buffalo, 21 leagues (63 miles). We lodged in an Inn at the top of the fall. It was a fine clear night. Tuesday the 13th we embarqued a steam boat to reach Buffalo. The river is about ½ mile wide. The shores are lower than from the falls to Niagara. There are many islands. We passed between Fort Erie on the left and Black... on the right. We reach Buffalo at 8:00 a.m. Always same good weather north wind from Kingston to Buffalo. All the farms are alike. In all the towns the soil blows like snow.

Buffalo is large city built with bricks. Many channels run through it. Also a small but deep river used as a harbor for the numerous ships that go by every day. The business is considerable We stayed there for one day and one night with a fine temperature. Wednesday, the 14th, the weather was fair with strong west wind in the afternoon.

We left at 9:30 p.m. on lake Erie heading west south west. Very bright night. Thursday always in the same direction about 2 1/2 miles from the southern coast of the lake which is quite high and well inhabited, We discover mountains in the Ohio state but cannot see the southern coast of the lake. At 4 p.m. we reach Cleveland situated on the oriental point of Cuyahoga river opposite Ohio City on the oriental point. As our ship conveyed one governor of the United States, a powerful cannon booming and music resounded from both towns where the business is good. We left at 9:30 p.m. by a lovely moonlight. Heading offshore we lost sight of the southern coast and proceeded west towards Detroit. I did not see anything else for the rest of the night. I was sleeping. Friday morning the 16th going northwest we met many islands and entered into the beautiful Detroit river and reach the City of Detroit, capital of Michigan State situated on the right shore of that wonderful river. The town is built of brick and the business is favorable. As soon as the town saw the national flag announcing the arrival of their state minister on our ship, the cannon resounded for a while. On the left side in front of Detroit is Sandwich on the English territory. We departed at 11 o'clock.

From Buffalo to Cleveland the distance is 63 leagues. From Cleveland to Detroit 52 leagues.

Leaving Detroit one child fell overboard and was rescued, but this delayed us. Afterward the ship headed east north east to enter into lake St. Clair. Wind west southwest. Weather clear and warm. The shores of the Detroit river are wonderful and well inhabited. The crops flourishing and ripening, beautiful orchards, wooded land of superior quality, tall timber. Nothing remarkable on lake St. Clair except that it is shallow with vast flats on the north side where great herds of cattle pasture, Entering the channel at the mouth of St. Clair river we turn north or north east and east to south east. On the river the direction is north northwest. The St. Clair river is nice scarcely populated. The land looks good, tall good quality trees and many forts on the right side: Huron, St. Clair, Palmer and Belle Riviere on lake Huron on the American side. The left side is English. The forts are not of much importance. I could not get their names.

We entered into lake Huron at sundown. Heading north we see the shore of Michigan state on our left. Clear sky all night. Saturday 17th cloudy all day with a few showers, Whole day to cross the lake and we landed at Mackinaw Island at 6 p.m. after sailing 50 leagues from St. Clair river heading north and turning west to Mackinaw without seeing the land on the east side. Mackinaw Island is elevated and good looking. The fort is on the south side. It is the meeting place of the Indians and fur traders. Good fishing. There are many islands between lake Huron and Michigan, some are very wide like Manitou and Manitouwan. We left Mackinaw the same evening to navigate towards Michigan going west quarter south west turning left as we proceeded into the straight joining both lakes. Cloudy skies in early night.

The distance from Detroit to Mackinaw is 106 leagues.

Sunday, the 18th, strong west wind all day. The fog covered the lake till 10 o'clock. At 4 p.m. we reached Sheboygan pretty little town on the occidental coast of lake Michigan. The Wisconsin coast alongside the lake are low and scarcely inhabited.

From Mackinaw to Sheboygan 108 leagues. We left Sheboygan immediately for Milwaukee, a distance of 17-1/2 leagues, woody shores.

We entered Milwaukee at 3 o'clock Monday morning the 19th. We saw the city only by moonlight. It seemed to be pretty, standing at the far end of a small bay on higher land. Cloudy sky and showers in the morning. And we reached Chicago, Illinois at 9 a.m. We remained there all day long having no facilities to go and see the country.

From Milwakee to Chicago 31 leagues.

On Tuesday and Wednesday, 20th and 21st, we stayed in town and left at 10 a.m. the following day. Temperature always fine with west wind. Leaving town we proceeded south and south west towards the prairies. Chicago is a large and beautiful city built with brick and wood, Business is very important. It is the depot of all the production of many surrounding states. The prairies gave the impression of a vast sea, houses are scarce, scattered groves and marsh land.

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Late that night we slept at the home of an American and we were well treated for money. Early the next day, Thursday the 22nd, with only the sky and the prairie in view except for a few groves of mediocre quality oak and walnut trees. Always going south southwest. At noon we finally arrived at a well populated place called Bourbonnais Groves, 21 leagues from Chicago. Cloudy sky in the morning, rain in the afternoon up until night with lightning and thunder.

Friday, Saturday and Sunday, 23, 24, 25th fair weather clears warm with westerly wind. High mass on Sunday and at 2 p.m. we left for Chicago where we arrived Monday 26th. Fair weather during the day with south wind but heavy thunder storm at night. Tuesday 27th fair in the morning with south west wind cloudy after. At 9 a.m. we deported from Chicago for Buffalo on the New Globe. At noon we stopped at Little Port and at 3 o'clock at South Port. We left at 6 p.m. under cloudy skies. We were delayed by the burial of a captain of the American troops killed at war in Mexico. There were many soldiers on our ship for that ceremony.

From Little Port to South Port 5 leagues and 4 leagues from South Port to Racine where we stopped.

From Racine to Milwaukee 8 leagues. From Milwaukee to Mackinaw 12-1/2 leagues.

Wednesday the 28th fair weather, clear sky wind north on lake Michigan. At 8 p.m. we passed by Manitou Island and many other islands on our way to Mackinaw, by a magnificent night. Thursday the 29th feast of the apostles St. Peter and St. Paul fair weather with sweet south breeze. We arrived at Mackinaw at 10 a.m. North east wind entering into lake Huron around 2 p.m. Same wind all night. Friday 30th soft south west breeze St. Clair river at 2 p.m. And by 7 p.m. we navigated on lake St. Clair to reach Detroit river by 8 o'clock and Detroit City at 10 p.m. We continued at 12 by a bright night.

Saturday, July 1st cloudy in the morning with strong north north east wind. We crossed Lake Erie to reach Cleveland at 10 in the morning resuming our trop at 3 p.m. With moderate wind we reached by 5:30 Grande Riviere on the pretty meridional coast of the lake. The river is deep and wide with handsome buildings on both sides. We quitted at 8 p.m. to continue on lake Erie by clear night and east wind.

Sunday the 2nd fair in the morning, rain after 2 p.m. and we arrived at Buffalo by 10 a.m. It rained the rest of the day and all night and no wind.

Monday 3rd we departed from Buffalo at 9 a.m. by railroad on the American side passing by Chypewa, Blackrock and Lockport to get down from the heights of Niagara Falls to Lewiston at the bottom where we embarked to navigate down the Niagara river to lake Ontario. All these towns are on the right side of the river. The day was very fine and warm with wind south west quarter west. We left Lewiston at 4 p.m. The night was clear and at 12 midnight we stopped at Genesee. It is a small river between high coasts cut like walls. From there we reached Oswego at 7 a.m. Tuesday 4th. The town is built on both sides of the river which enters into the town towards south southeast. From there we continued our way on the lake with strong north west wind. The waves were so hard on the ship that almost everybody was sick. Going north northeast across the lake to a bay on the east shore of lake Ontario called Sackets-Stanbows where we arrived at noon. It is a huge port on the south shore and a nice river across from the north to the south. Going back east we reach a little port on the right shore where we change steamboat and continue on the same direction between many islands to the St. Lawrence river that is the discharge of all the great lakes on which we navigated during this journey.

Cloudy the 4th, strong south wind, rain in the afternoon. After we had left the lake the wind did not bother us anymore.

From that river we entered the St. Lawrence through the Thousand Islands to reach Ogdensbourg at 9 p.m. by a bright night.

Wednesday the 5th weather clear, wind west we left at 0 a.m. Passed in front of Prescott on the left shore and continued on the St. Lawrence going rapidly downstream the currents being extremely strong through shallow rapids and cascades of Long Sault. One must go through it to realize what it is.

During the afternoon on little lake St. Francois we faced north wind and reached Lachine at 5 p.m. Then by railroad to Montreal where we arrived at 6 o'clock and stayed over night.

Thursday the 6th we left for Quebec City with a cloudy sky all day, violent and cold north east wind continuing all through the night.

Friday 7th fair strong north east wind. We spent the day in Quebec and departed at 11 p.m. by clear and calm night.

Same weather Saturday with south west wind.

Finally we arrived at Cap St. Ignace at 9 a.m. July 8th 1848

Signed L. E. Sylvestre

THANK YOUS for DONATIONS

We wish to thank Mrs. Charles (Anne Montague) Voss for the donation to our Society of the following three books:

1. History of Antrim, New Hampshire, 1744-1877 by W. R. Cochrane.

2. Men of Iowa - 1902, by Iowa Historical Co, Des Moines, Iowa, 1902.

3. The History of Hancock New Hampshire 1764-1889, Vol. I and Vol. II

....and to Mr. Noel A. Menard for JO Me Souviens--The First Book of Menard by Ambrois Noel Menard - 1981

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NEWS FROM ILLINOIS STATE GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

Are you a direct descendant of an ancestor who settled in Illinois prior to 1880?

ISGS has announced that "Prairie Pioneer Certificates" are now available to those who qualify. Certificates will be issued in three categories: (1) prior to statehood (December 3, 1818); (2) 1819-1850; and (3) 1851-"1880. Anyone may apply. You need not be a resident of Illinois. If interested, instructions and application forms may be obtained by sending a long SASE to Mrs. Reba Mathis, Route 2, Box 36 B-1, Troy, IL 62294.

GENEALOGY TODAY, the first national newspaper for genealogists, will begin publication on January 1, 1983 in Atlanta, GA. It will be published twice a month, on the 1st and 15th, and will be tabloid size (same size as the National Inquirer).

Introductory subscription offer good until Dec. 15 1982 is \$20.00 per year. Regular price after Dec. 15, 1982 is \$26.00 per year. For more details, write GENEALOGY TODAY, 2815 Clearview Place, Atlanta, GA 30340.

THE PEABODY LIBRARY - Baltimore, Maryland

The August, 1982 issue of GENEALOGY A publication of the Family History Section of the Indiana Historical Society has a very interesting article on the Peabody Library written by P. William Filby.

The Library was begun in 1868 by George Peabody. Over the years, they have acquired a very fine collection of British genealogy and heraldry. The first librarian bought all the British record society material which also had a high content of genealogy. This means that Peabody has complete sets of every record and parish register society from throughout Great Britain, with not one series lacking before 1870. Even though they had to cut back on library acquisitions, the librarians kept buying most of the series.

Late in the 19th century, a printed book catalogue in thirteen volumes was issued in analytical form--each article in periodicals was listed and the subject extracted. G. K. Hall reprinted this in the 1960's. It has been a boom to those searching pre-1900 volumes.

Mr. Filby also states that another good source for the British researcher is the series issued by the British government for more than a century which covers happenings in government history for over one thousand years. These series have various titles, but the one of greatest interest concerns home occurrences: Public Record Office: Calendar of State Payers. Domestic Series, He mentions that other series concern Spain, Italy and the West Indies, this last especially since so many immigrants went first to the Bermudas and Rest Indies and then to America. ***** Peabody Library - continued

In the past ten years or so, work was undertaken to segregate all genealogical material. A separate card file was established and all are now located near the entrance in a 72 by 36 foot room with large tables for the convenience of researchers.

The library does have one void in their collection, a period from 1930 to 1955. However, they recently received a superb gift of European genealogy and heraldry works (2,000 volumes).

If you intend to visit the Peabody Library, it is vital that you call (301-396-5540) or write them (17 Mount Vernon Place, Baltimore, MD 21202) because hours of closing and holidays often differ from the other nearby libraries. About one block away is the Maryland Historical Society with its uncomparable Maryland collection. Thirty miles away is the Maryland Hall of Records with its vast collection of manuscript Maryland records.

One final note, the staff cannot answer much correspondence with genealogical questions, but it has a list of professionals they will suggest to you.

MILITARY RECORDS IN THE OLD NORTHWEST

In the August, 1982 (No. 71) issue of GENEALOGY, a Publication of the Family History Section, Indiana Historical Society, is an excellent 4-1/2 page summary of a talk given at the National Genealogical Soc., Indiana Historical Society conference in May, 1982, by Mr. mimes D. Walker, recently retired from the National Archives, Washington, D.C.

Mr. Walker reminds us that many records prior to the War of 1812 have not survived in any form. He suggests we become familiar with The National Union Catalog of Manuscript Collections among others.

When the federal government came into existence immediately after the Revolutionary War, land grants were issued in what was known as the Northwest Territory. After the land surveys, military installations were established. This could have been militia units or, subsequent to 1789, regular army units. Settlers usually set up a defense system the first thing--a militia. As the community grew, the unit became a town militia, then a county militia, then a territorial militia, and finally, when admitted as a state, a state militia. Consequently, most of these units had no claims against the federal government.

In the National Archives there is a series called "Military Records for the Period 1784 to 1811", which contain evidence of military service in many of the states that were formed immediately after the end of the Revolution. This is broken into two classes--records relating to the Northwest Territory or territories north of the Ohio River, and records relating to service south of the Ohio River.

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**** Military Records - continued

The National Archives is preparing an index to the records that were created by the war department beginning in 1789, known as "The War Department Collection of Revolutionary War Military Records". The new number for the index is Microcopy 860. The records have been microfilmed and they are Microcopy 881. Much of this information was found in "The Revolutionary War Manuscript File". The Index is M-247 and the records are found on two microcopies, M-853 and M-859.

Also, the British records (of the Revolutionary War) have now been microfilmed and include copies of orders, returns, accounts, and muster rolls.

For an official record of service you would look with the enlisted records. The enlisted and officer records for the period 1789 to 1821 is contained in a series called "Enlistment Registers", Microcopy 233. After 1821, the records of enlisted men only is contained in that series, Microcopy 233.

The above is but a very small portion of the information contained in the summary of Mr. Walker's speech. Locating a copy will be well worth your time. If you or your local library do not have access to this issue of GENEALOGY, you might try writing to: Indiana Historical Society, GENEALOGY, 31 West Ohio Street, Indianapolis, IN 46202, They may be able to sell an issue or photostats of this article for a fee. At this writing I am unable to tell you the subscription rate.

BOOKS IN GENEALOGICAL ROOM - KANKAKEE PUBLIC LIBRARY

In the early part of 1982, the Kankakee Public Library received a \$3,000.00 grant from the Burr Oak Library System (Illinois). The Kankakee Public Library matched that sum for a total received of \$6,000.00. This sum was to be used by the Genealogical Section to become The Collection Development Grant District Genealogical System for the counties of Kankakee, Will, Kendall, Grundy, and a small portion of southern Cook.

Continuing with our listing of books now available.

Section 2 (Red) War Records

The Roll of Battle Abbey, by John Bernard Burke, Esq.

*) Soldiers of the American Revolution Buried in Illinois by Illinois State Genealogical Society - 1976.

The Pension List of 1818; Letter from the Secretary of War, Transmitting a Report of the Names, Rank, and Line, of every person placed on the Pension List, in pursuance of the Act of the 18th March, 1818 - Jan. 20, 1820; reprinted by Southern Book Co., 1955.

Historical Register of Officers of the Continental Army; During the War of the Revolution - April, 1775 to December 1783; by Francis B. Heitman Reprint of 1914 with addenda by Robert H. Kelby, 1932. *) = Belongs to KVGS **** Books in Library (Red) - continued

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913	861	Wm. Rakestraw (or Bakestraw) Margaret "	M F	20 10	wife	Farmer	Ohio
914	862	James Scott Beth A. Hiram A. Henry Sperry	F M M M M	19 44 39 20 15	wife son	Farmer	Penn NY Mich.
915	863	Eber Henry Bent Chritian "(?) Hambelton " Wm. " Henry " Aaron "	** M M M M	14 11 45 32 13 11 8 6	wife	Farmer	" C. West " Ill. Canada " "
916	864	Amy " Moriak (?) " Irena Vander B <u>i</u> lt (?) Richard " Aaron " John D. " Martin "	F F M M 11	4 1 57	son/lat " "	Farming orer	11 19 N•Y• 11 11 11 11
917	865	DuBois " Elsa " Harriet " Orena Wheling J. L. Lincoln Elizabeth " Carlos C. " Catharin " Cicelio	17 F 17 M F M F M	20 17 16 14 42 35 8 10	" wife	Domestic " " Farmer	" Ill. " Mass. Mich. S.A. Ill. S.A.
		Eliza Daniel Lincoln Ezra Youngblood Emma Bernier Marelline Bouigor	F M H F M	6 5 73 " 24 17		Laborer " Servant "	Ill. Mass VT. Canada " E.

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917	865	Continued : Ezria Beauprea Napolien Latulip	F M	17		Servant	Canada E.
918	866	Andrew Rice Mary "	M F	17 14 25 17	wife	Farmer	Ind.
919	867	George W. George Cooper Sarah M. " Alice	M M F F	1 39 34 10	wife	Farmer	111. R.I.(?) PH N.Y. I11.
920	868	Alexin Palmer Levi Vicery Joseph Miller Sarah " James " Sarah "	F M F M F	17 22 51 54 24 20	wife	Servant Farmer Farmer Laborer Domestic	France Penne H H H
921	869	Susan " Hester " Sunley " John St. John Matilda " Armena " Derrick "	F ** M F F M	17 9 6 28 26 4 2 1	wife	" Farmer	Ind. Ill. " Canada " Ill.
922	870	John " Frances Eggleston Elizabeth " Frances, Jr. "	M M F M	1 50 40 13 9 33 25 9 25 20	wife	Carpenter	n Conne n n
923	871	Wm. " George Eells(?) Margaret "	M M F	9 33 25	wife	Farmer	
924	872	Wm. Sharp James Swan Hanihretta(or) Hanahretta?? Malinda " Daniel "	M M F F M	9 25 20 3 1	wife	Farmer	Ill. Ind. Ohio Ill.

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925	873	Susanah Swan Edwin " Nathan " George "	F M M M	56 30 23 10		Farming Laborer	N•Y• Ind•
926	874	Cajlius Durant Betsey " Sbnes " (?) Iola "	M F M	71 61 20	wife	Farmer Laborer	Mass. Con. Ind.
927	875	Daniel Vickerey Ruth " Gilbert " Levi " Wm. " Edward " John "	F M M M M	8 50 44 26 22 19 13 11	wife	Farmer Farmer Farmer	
928	876	Franklin (g)? Porter Riggs (or Biggs) ? Mary " Edward "	M M F M	7 27 18 1	wife	Farmer	" Virginia Ind.
929	877	Wm. Riggs Etmanda " Lydia J. " Wm. " Margaret "	M F F M F	32 28 8	wife	Farmer	Ill. Ohio " Ill.
930	878	Margaret Wm. J. Swan Elvira V. " Henry Y. " Mary E. " Mitclla V. " (?) Mitctla Charles	F M F M F F M	4 2 43 41 17 15 13 10	wife	Farmer Laborer	" N.Y. Ohio Ken. "
931	879	Dudley R. Gleason (or Glason) Margaret " Edwin " Wilson "	M F M M	24 23 3 1	wife	Farmer	VT. Ind. Ill.
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932	880	L. D. Legg Ann W. " John R. "	M F M	40 31 18	wife	Farmer Laborer	Ken. VT Ill.
933	881	Peter L " Lorenzo " Luther " Laura " Benjamin Joseph Coyer	M M F M	17 7 5 1 30	uni fa	Farmer	u u u u Canada u
		Rossella Moses Amelia Mary Joseph, Jr. Vlasry (or Plasry)????	F F F M M	21 13 11 9 7 5	wife	Servant	" " Ill. " Canada
934	882	Joseph Lagan G. W. Legg Mary Jane Ida M.	M F F	25 22 1	wife	Farmer	Ind. Ohio Ill.
935	883	Joseph Bradall A. C. Cole Mary Ann " Napolian Newton Moses	M F M M M	40 318 17 5310131975552172649520 1726495208		Servant Farmer	France Ken. Ind. " " Ill.
936	884	John R. ^C ole Mary Fairanan Foster N. "	F M	50 18		Farmer	N.Y. Ind.
Unoccu 938	pied 885	Matthew Legg Martha " John W. " Laura "	M F M F	61 53 21 11	wife son	Farmer	Tenn. Virg. Ind.

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939	886	Wm. S. Moffet Martha A. " Jonathan Legg Mary "	M F M F	41 40 86 84	wife	Farmer Servant Domestic	S.C. Ken. Vir Penn.
940	887	George M. Legg Malissa Samuel " Mary " Jonathan Mildred Charles George Albert	M F M F M ? M M M	47 37 19 16 14 12	wife son	Farmer	Ken. Ind. II II II II II II II
941	888	Charles Edward Mary " Mary Ette Hanlon	M F F	9 7 2 50 35 5 ??		Farmer Domestic	England " Ill.
942	889	George Edwards Mary Boswell	M F	35		Farmer Domestic	England
943	890	John Budsom Feamon " Joseph " Adelia	M F M F	59 21 20 2 1	wife	Farmer	Canada " Ill•
944	891	Peter Dubriel Lucy "	M F	28 26	wife	Farmer	Canada "
945	892	Isaac Legg Julian "	M F	24	wife	Farmer	Tenn. Vt.
946	893	Isaac Legg Elizabeth Joseph	M F M	73 62 20	wife son	Farmer	Tenn? PA Ill.
947	894	John H. Seafield Edmond " John H. "	M M M	39 14 13		Farmer	Conn.(Can) " N.Y.
948	895	A. S. Baldwin Marin " Henry Francis	M F M M	43 33 16 14	wife son	Farmer	Ohio England Ohio "

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"GREATS AND GREAT, GREATS"

A SPECIAL PLEA TO LOCAL MEMBERS

Since we are without a researcher, Won't you please put forth a little extra effort to help out our fellow members in need. Thanks, FREE queries are reserved for members of the Kankakee Valley Genealogical Society. They will be: handled on a first-come, first-served basis. All queries must be typed or printed for legibility and should be limited to a maximum of 50 words whenever possible. NON-MEMBERSHIP QUERIES will be published at a fee of \$1.00 per query.

CHATFIELDWill exchange information and welcome hearing fromKENTdescendants of the KENT and CHATFIELD families, Areaof Aroma Park and Kankakee, Illinois.

Mrs. Marilyn Prisby, 315 Forest, Park Forest, IL 60466

JARVIS(Gervais) Have a marriage date of December 31, 1855 by a SOUCEY Rev. S. Cartuyvels, for Francis SOUCEY and Martha JARVIS(Gervais). Cannot locate what church, Need to find Francis SOUCEY's parents and where from in Canada.

> Mrs. Walter C, (Wanda) Bouchey, 1054 Loupe Ave. San Jose, CA 95121

CYRESeeking parents of Joseph CYRE who married AdelaidePONTONPONTON, 1 January, 1856 at Maternity BVM, Bourbonnais.MATHIEUJoseph CYRE was born 11 April 1834 in Canada. Hisparents may be Joseph CYRE and Seraphine MATHIEU.Seraphine MATHIEU may have died in Illinois 1853-1860.

Mrs. Rena Smith, P. O. Box 813, Balboa Station, Newport Beach, CA 92661

CARON	Am searching the named family's in area of St. George
FORTIN	Church and Maternity BVM in Bourbonnais, Will be glad
MENARD	to exchange information with anyone of similar or
St. Germain	related interest

Mr. Noel A. Menard, 402 North Third St., Bellevue, Iowa 52031

CEMETERY RECORDS - KANKAKEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS

Begun in late 1975 as a BirCentennial project for 1976, what we assumed would be about six months turned into a seven year hard work project. We are attempting to include not only the burials, but an history and location map. The county is being divided into five (5) districts. (1) Southeastern (Twps. of Aroma, St. Anne and Pembroke); (2) Northcentral (Twps, of Bourbonnais, Manteno, Rockville and Sumner), (3) Northeastern (Twps. of Ganeer, Momence and Yellowhead); (4) Western (Twps, of Essex, Limestone, Norton, Otto, Pilot and Salina); and (5) Central (Township of Kankakee). By next quarterly, we should have three of these districts in print with one (the Southeastern) being ready next month. At this writing we are not positive about cost, but should be approximately \$5.00. Thank you for your patience. We want our effort to be as complete as humanly possible and "well done". BOURBONNAIS TOWNSHIP. STATE OF ILLINOIS,

BOURBONNAIS TOWNSHIP. (Contributed by Mr. Donald Reimus)

STATE OF ILLINOIS,

COUNTY OF KANKAKEE.

Public notice is hereby given that the following is a full and complete list of the assessed value of personal property in the Town of Bourbonnais, County of Kankakee, State of Illinois, for the year ending A. D. 1908 as taken from the assessment book of the year.

> DANIEL G. LEE, Supervisor of Assessment.

Figures following e	each name i	ndicate Dollars.	
Name	Valuati	on. Name	Valuation.
Benoit, Prudent	509	Breault, Laurent	371
Brais, Michel	279	Caron, Leon	467
Granger, Arthur	231	Caron, Oliver	304
Longtin, Octave	411	Gregoire, Louis	174
Lanoue, Elric	109	Rivard, Leon	47
Lagesse, Joseph A	176	Rivard, Derick	117
Lesage, Frank	94	Suprenant, Albert	438
Leclair, Joseph	139	Senesac, Napoleon	151
Lambert, Joseph	149	Senesac, Levi	100
Lasage, Isaac	968	Senesac, Joseph	212
Longtin, Julien	96	Bisaillon, Peter J	129
Raymond, Oliver	189	Boisvert, Zephir T	51
Raymond, Xavier	340	Brosseau, Didier	127
Senesac, Leandre	123	Brosseau, Edward	118
Adam, Alex	42	Dupuis, Hubert	285
Benoit, Ambrose	135	Dupuis, Emole	154
Brosseau, Jeremie	177	Dupuis, Willie	95
Brosseau, Hippolyte	155	Graveline, George	293
Brodeur, Alex	92	Gregoire, Henry	204
Benoit, Hubert	312	Luneau, Narcisse	200
Bergeron, F. X	390	Luneau, Desire	400
Benoit, Joseph	332	Lambert, Robert	349
Brosseau, George	305	Legris, H. J	350
Brosseau, Jesse	145	Longtin, Simon	346
Cyrier, Ludger	472	Libert, Felicien J	148
Dandurand, Levi	115	Rivard, Joseph 0	240
Fortin, Mrs. Delia	117	Rivard, Charles	150
Gadbois, David	234	Rivard, Narcisse	220
Gadbois, Louis	197	Worrell, Mrs. Ellen	275
Leriger, Arthur	99	Arseneau, George	61
Paquette, Celestin	134	Audette, J. Boo	408
Paquette, Frank	244	Bergeron, Elizabeth	22
Searles, G. H	15	Bonneville, Peter	
Tucker Grain & Coal (Co 600	Betourne, Moses	12
Alarie, O. J	68	Bouthilier, Mrs. Phoebe	6
Blanchette, Henry	188	Besse, David	10
Benoit, Leandre	214	Boudreau, Napoleon	4
Blanchette, Levi	181	Bousas, Nicholas	128

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THE FRENCH SETTLEMENT Cherry County Nebraska

As the railroad progressed west in Cherry County it reached the Niobrara river near the newly mapped out site of Valentine in the fall of 1882. While the bridge was being built over the river, the railroad carpenters were busy in October of 1882 building the depot in Valentine. Among these carpenters was Peter Robidou, who had began work for the railroad as it reached Long Pine, Nebr. Peter worked for the railroad until it reached Crookston, Nebr. and then worked in Valentine as a carpenter, helping to build the first hotel. The Valentine House, and some early homes. Robidou homesteaded in 1884 between Valentine and Crookston, and in the 90's moved to the Kewanee area.

About the first of April of 1883, the first train reached Valentine. However, the railway was not ready to ship passengers and freight west of Stuart, Nebraska at this time, although there were probably some special trains before this, such as the one to ship cattle from Thacher in the fall of 1882.

In the fall of 1883, the Nollette family, from Kankakee, Illinois, arrived at Stuart, Nebr. The group consisted of Hilaire and Marie (Maillou) Nollette, four sons; Joseph, Louis, Francois Avila, Ephrem Antoine, and Felix, ranging in age from 25 to 17, three married daughters; Josephine (Mrs. John Dutour), Adeline (Mrs. John Sousey), and Leocadia (Mrs. Lou Taylor or Tulier), and one unmarried daughter; Philomine, who later married Louis Mosier.

Also joining this group was John Dutour's brother, Isaac, who later married Marie Marcotte, and Nicholas Renville, who was married to Margaret Dutour.

The railroad probably was still not in full use at this time, so they had to either buy horses, wagons and harness there, (at least these had been made available to settlers in the spring of 1883), or wait until they could take the train on west. At any rate, they camped at Stuart for several months, possibly awaiting arrival of part of the above mentioned party, and most likely scouting ahead for a place to homestead. They arrived in Valentine in March of 1884, filing for homesteads, and settling near Sparks, Nebr. in a community then known as "The French Settlement". This was later to be a part of the Kewanee Community.

Hilaire Nollette died in June 1886 and his wife, Mary, died Aug. 1887, thus marking the beginning of the St. Joseph cemetery.

Joseph Nollette married Flora Nenzel in Nov. 1889, and moved to Nenzel, Nebr. about 1894.

Louis Nollette Married Ellen Robidou, a daughter of Peter & Sophia Robidou, in Oct. 1890 and lived in the Kewanee area as a blacksmith and farmer.

Francois Avila Nollette moved to Canada sometime after 1890.

Ephrem Nollette later moved to Guide Rock, Nebr. and married Margaret King. Felix Nollette married Annie Robidou, a sister of Ellen, in May 1889 and continued to live in the Kewanee area as a farmer.

John and Adeline Sousey moved to Canada.

John and Josephine Dutour (or Detour) and Louis and Philamine Mosier are thought to have moved to the Guide Rock, Nebr. area. Lou and Leocadia Taylor lived on a farm north of valentine.

There were two older brothers in the Nollette family; Hilaire, Jr, and Frank Ferdinand. Hilaire, the oldest, had either stayed in Napierville, Quebec when the rest of the family moved to Illinois in 1864, or had stayed in Kankakee, Ill. when the others moved on west.

Frank Ferdinand had moved from Kankakee to Spencer, Iowa, then to Currie, Minnesota and finally to Campbell, Nebr. Franks first wife, Eulalie Trudeau, died about 1881 and he married Matilda Dutour in 1882.

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	Heldt, Wilhelm F.	p.b. Mecklenburg, German	
	(Father of No. 2)	m. d. 7 Apr 1916	d. Sept 1864
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Place of Birth Date of Marriage	p.b. Downers Grove, Ill. m. 5 Jun 1890	•	b. (Father of No. 9, Cont. on chart No.
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b. Date of Marriage
Date of Death m. $(S_D_)$ Emily 9 ? d. 25 Aug. 1927 (Mother of No. 4) .d. Place of Death Marion County, OR p.đ 19 1818 (?) b. Joseph & Samantha Peck Marion Whitman Stone n.h. 2 New York resided in Cabery, (Father of No. 1) d. before 1880 Ford County, Illinois ^{b.} 17 Aug. 1889 p.d Livingston Cty, IL 20 1860-1862. p.b. Brown ^County, S. D. m. 4 Sep. 1915 (Tacoma) Joseph Peck 10 m. d. 23 April 1963 (Father of No. 5) d. _{p.d} Spanaway, WA b. 29 Aug. 1825 $\mathbf{21}$ (Mother of No. 10. p.b. New York b. Cont. on chart No. Zorada A. Peck 5 1849 (New York) m. (Mother of No. 2) d, 28 March 1856 8 Sept. 1912 đ. Ъ. 22 p.d Salem, Oregon Michigan p.b. b, (Father of No. 1). Cont. on chart No. 5 Jan. 1938 d. Samantha Gleason m. 11 p.d. Tacoma, WA (Mother of No. 5) d. b. 17 Jan. 1827 23 p.b. New York 1 Thomas Marion Stone d. 6 Nov. 1906 Ann, mother of Matthias 12 June 1918 p.d. Salem, Oregon b. Goodle, married Hans Tacoma, Washington 24 p,b. Peter Brown in Momence. m. 23 Aug. 1937 Kankakee County, IL, (Tacoma) 12 Everton Publishers, Inc., r.v. nox xuo, Logan LOCICAL HELPER, Send for a free catalogu many genealogical aids. d. on 30 July 1853. Their (Father of No. 6) p.d. children: George, b. 25 Merritt and Mary were p.b. Matthias Goodle born in Kankakee Cty. Ø m. (Father of No. 3) Merritt was residing d. 8 March 1851 ь. in Exline at the time 26 p.đ p,b. England of Ann's death in 1899. 26 July 1874 at Colfax, MN Ann m. 13 9 Nov. 1917 Stayton, Oregon d. (Mother of No. 6) p.d b. 1823 27 p.b. (Mother of avv. England Loreen Muriel Goodell n AZ. Copyright 1963 by 1760 , publishers of THE GENEA lists and full descriptions of Cont, on chart No. ь. d. 19 April 1899 (Mother of No. 1) d. p.d. Fergus Falls, MN 11 June 1898 b. John Cruver 28 p.b. Stayton, Oregon b. New Yourster of No. 14, Cont. on chart No. 23 Aug. 1972 d. Benjamin Cruver m. 14 p.d. Tacoma, WA (Father of No. 7) d. 20 Sept. 1819 ? Rachel b. 29 Form Uteh, With H p.b.Ulster County, NY (Mother of No. 14, Hannah Maria Cruver b. New Yorkent. on chart No. m1841 Shawangunk, NY b. 23 April 1858 h d. 4 July 1885 30 p.b. Dehli, Iowa p.d Colfax, MN b. (Father of No. 15, d. 23 June 1929 Cont. on chart No. Charlotte Warner 15 m, p.d. Tacoma, WA (Mother of No. 7) d. b. 20 Nov. 1820 Frances Pearl Olson 31 (Spouse of No. 1) p.b. Orange County, NY (Mother of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. b. b. d. 17 Jan. 1901 d. d. p.b. p.d. p.d. Marion County, 0R pg. - 24 -

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