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PLEASE NOTE

The statements in this newsletter cited as quotes from other newsletters, quarterlies, etc., are quotations and not necessarily fact. I try not to reproduce statements that have been denied as being true and also those statements that are "old news" and have been quoted over a few years.

I would like to remind you that a few extra "paper" copies of newsletters from the recent 2 months are filed at the "Ask Us" Desk on the 2nd floor along with the most recent "handouts" from the last 2 months. Please remember that you can take any of the extra paper copies in the folder. The Newsletter as well as all "handout" summaries for a particular program will be contained in a folder specifically for that program date e.g. Newsletter as well as "handout" summary for program on 1/12/10 are contained in a separate folder. Each program date will have its own folder. If you do not find a copy in the manila "extra" folder, you will have to copy from the permanent file binder. If the staff has trouble finding the folders, please let me know.

More importantly, electronic PDF copies of the Newsletter and the "handouts" summary for our monthly program can be obtained electronically as PDF files from our Library's Genealogy Blog called "Tony's Genealogy Blog at the Schaumburg Township District Library". This is a WordPress blog that you can reach directly at:

<http://genealogywithtony.wordpress.com>

Look on the right side of the blog for links within the "Newsletter" category and the "Program Handouts" category. You can read the material online, download as a PDF file to your computer or print it from the blog.

If anyone needs to contact me via e-mail, you may reach me at the Schaumburg Township District Library at:

akierna@stdl.org

Or if you need to reach me the old fashioned way by phone, please contact me through the **Schaumburg Township District Library at 847-923-3390. I now can also be reached by direct FAX at the Schaumburg Township District Library. The FAX number in Reference is 847-923-3335.**

I am at the library each Monday, Tuesday (except on program dates) and Wednesday morning from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM in the Reference Office should you need to meet me to obtain assistance in your research plan. Please let me know in advance if you plan on dropping in on these days so we can schedule a convenient time slot within those hours.

Tony Kierna - Genealogy Coordinator/Schaumburg Township District Library

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FEBRUARY 13, 2018 GENEALOGY PROGRAM TOPIC

Our next genealogy program will take place on Tuesday evening, February 13, 2018.

The program title is "The Voyages of Our German Immigrants". The speaker for the program will be Teresa Steinkamp McMillin.

This talk will highlight significant aspects of the first four major waves of migration through 1910. The areas from which they came and motivations that typified each wave will be detailed. Available immigration and emigration records help tell the immigrants' story. Laws changed over time and impacted various aspects of the immigration experience.

Teresa Steinkamp McMillin Certified GenealogistSM author of the Guide to Hanover Military Records 1514-1866 on Microfilm at the Family History Library is the owner of Lind Street Research a company dedicated to helping people discover their German ancestry. She is a popular speaker for national regional and local genealogical societies. Reading German gothic script found in Germanic records prior to the mid-1900s is second nature to her.

Researching ancestors in Chicago and other areas of the Midwest is another of Teresas specialty areas. She is a multi-year attendee of the Institute of Genealogy and Historical Research (IGHR) and the Salt Lake Institute of Genealogy (SLIG). She has taken college-level German classes.

Teresa is a member of the National Genealogical Society the Association of Professional Genealogists as well as many Germanic and local genealogical societies. She is the webmaster for the Northwest Suburban Genealogy Society in Arlington Heights Illinois and is a genealogy volunteer at the Arlington Heights Memorial Library.

You may visit the library's web page at:

www.SchaumburgLibrary.org

to view a Calendar of Events section of the library web page for this program and for many more non-genealogical programs offered by our library.

You can also visit the Genealogy Blog of the library that is authored by Tony Kierna. Visit the blog at <http://genealogywithtony.wordpress.com> for all things related to genealogy and the genealogy programs at the Schaumburg Township District Library.

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WELCOME TO ALL NEWCOMERS

Glad you could join us as you embark on a rather adventurous journey into the unknown and far-reaching past! Please see me so I can get to know you and the details of the "journey" you plan to take. Make sure you receive from me a special "newcomer" package of materials that will help you take your first big steps.

I would greatly appreciate your taking the time to fill out and return to me a simple questionnaire that I use to better understand areas of research into which you may delve as well as your having access or not to a home personal computer.

Please feel free to become acquainted with the Genealogy Collection at Schaumburg Township District Library. Our book material is generally located in the 929.1XXXX to 929.3XXXX sections of both the Circulating Collection as well as the Reference Collection. The library also has a Video, Audio and Microform Collection of Genealogy material located in the AV-Department. The materials in AV are also identified in the same Dewey number range as the printed material. These are two great browsing areas for you to review introductory material.

For book material I would like to recommend as a starter a book titled Unpuzzling Your Past: A Basic Guide to Genealogy, 4th Ed. by Emily Anne Croom (929.1 CRO). A companion book that would follow Unpuzzling Your Past is The Genealogist's Companion & Sourcebook also by Emily Anne Croom (R 929.1 CRO). These two books present a good place to begin familiarizing yourself with the field of Genealogy. Feel free to review these books.

If you have access to the Internet, you may want to check out a "How To Make A Family Tree" web page that appears at the National Genealogical Society web site. The address is:

http://www.ngsgenealogy.org/cs/How_to_make_a_family_tree

Our participants are a great group of friendly people who are willing to help each other in their quest to discover their ancestors. Don't be shy to mingle!! You may be sitting next to a long, lost relative!?

Welcome to the group!

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WHO WE ARE AND WHERE WE ARE LOOKING - FOLLOW-UP

Here is an update on our participant information that I am tracking. My database to date includes information on 233 participants that have returned a filled-out questionnaire to me. I have received updates from many of you since our last meeting. You truly are a very sharing group in your willingness to share your personal information with others attending our genealogy program concerning your research efforts.

From the filled-out questionnaires that have been returned to me, the numbers show that they are searching for a total of 1,743 surnames among all of the individuals.

Remember, that I will bring to the program a current group report that I would appreciate you reviewing and marking any additions, deletions or changes for your particular information that you would like me to make onto the report itself. I will leave one updated report by the genealogical material by the "Ask Us" Desk on the 2nd floor for you to reference in-between meetings. I will make additions/deletions to the participants that

will be reflected in the listing of participants contained in the red binder that will be on the shelves at the combined Information/Magazine desk.

If you are in the library and need to review please ask someone at the "Ask Us" Desk on the 2nd floor for the material. Also check for this binder at my desk in the Reference Office if you do not find it at the "Ask Us" Desk.

Any feedback from you is welcome concerning the report and the material included in it. I do occasionally make typos or I possibly misread what you provided.

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SHORT TAKES / POTPOURRI

The following articles are from Eastman's Online Genealogy Newsletter November 28, 2017, December 5, 2017, December 8, 2017, December 11, 2017, December 12, 2017, December 13, 2017 and are copyright 2017 by Richard W. Eastman. They are re-published here with the permission of the author. Information about the newsletter is available at <http://www.eogn.com>.

Family Tree DNA Will Never Sell Your Genetic Data (November 28, 2017)
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[Dick Eastman](#) · [November 28, 2017](#) · [DNA](#) · [3 Comments](#)

A lot of negative, and often misleading, publicity concerning home DNA testing has been floating around the news services this week. In an effort to clear the air, Family Tree DNA has issued the following statement:

HOUSTON, Nov. 28, 2017 /PRNewswire/ — Family Tree DNA (FTDNA), a division of Gene-by-Gene Ltd, the first to market with a consumer oriented genealogical DNA testing kit and the only genealogical DNA testing company with its own state-of-the-art genetics laboratory, is telling consumers they will never sell their genetic data in a consumer awareness campaign entitled "Can the Other Guys Say That?"

"We feel the only person that should have your DNA is you," says Bennett Greenspan, President and Founder of Family Tree DNA. "We don't believe it should be sold, traded, or bartered."

According to Greenspan, "the value of DNA testing is that the DNA test can tell you things about yourself that you cannot determine by looking in the mirror. It allows you to interrogate the history book written in your cells."

The media campaign comes at the start of what is traditionally the biggest selling season of the year for genealogically focused DNA testing companies, reminding consumers who flock to genealogical sites to purchase their holiday gifts that, "Finding your roots is fun, but not all DNA test companies are created equal."

Other DNA testing companies are, in fact, selling consumers' genetic data to pharmaceutical companies for a profit. While these companies claim to remove personally identifying information prior to selling the data, the question, says Greenspan, is whether consumers feel the sale of their genetic data is "part of the deal [they] really thought [they] were signing up for when [they] ordered a simple DNA test for genealogical purposes."

The "Can the Other Guys Say That?" campaign launched on Thanksgiving Day and encourages consumers to "Make the Smart Choice this Holiday Season."

You also might want to view the video at: <http://bit.ly/2k7bghY>. Also, you might want to read *No, law enforcement won't use your Ancestry.com or 23andme DNA kits for investigations* at: <http://www.wcpo.com/news/crime/no-law-enforcement-wont-use-your-ancestrycom-or-23andme-dna-kits-for-investigations>.

How to Transfer Cassette Tapes to a Computer for Long-Term Preservation (December 5, 2017)

[Dick Eastman](#) · [December 5, 2017](#) · [Genealogy Basics, Preservation](#) · [No Comments](#)

A newsletter reader wrote to me recently, asking:

"I am in the process of backing up my family/genealogy records. There is a lot of information available about commercial services transfer of information. However, I am not seeing much about transfer of audiotapes to more stable backup. Have you written any articles or know of sources to help me evaluate commercial services for audiotapes?"



My answer is:

"No, I have not written about that simply because so many audio experts have already written about the topic and many of their articles are available online. I am not going to duplicate articles that have already been written. You can find dozens of articles describing several different methods by starting at: <https://duckduckgo.com/?q=copy+audio+tapes+to+digital&t=hg&ia=web>.

"My favorite article about transferring old audio tapes to computer digital files is *How to Transfer Cassette Tape to Computer* on the WikiHow site at: <https://www.wikihow.com/Transfer-Cassette-Tape-to-Computer>. It is very detailed and lavishly illustrated with some excellent drawings illustrating each recommended step. Check it out."

First Genetic Map of Ireland Unlocks Secrets About Ancestors (December 8, 2017)

[Dick Eastman](#) · [December 8, 2017](#) · [DNA](#) · [3 Comments](#)

The first genetic map of the people of Ireland has been produced by scientists at the Royal College of Surgeons and by genealogical researchers at the Genealogical Society of Ireland. *The Irish DNA Atlas; Revealing Fine-Scale Population Structure and History within Ireland* has been published in the journal [Scientific Reports](#).

The study has found that prior to the mass movement of people in recent decades, there were at least 10 distinct genetic clusters found in specific regions across Ireland. It also revealed that seven of those clusters discovered so far are of 'Gaelic' Irish ancestry and match the borders of either Irish provinces or historical kingdoms. The other three are of shared Irish-British ancestry, and are mostly found in the north of Ireland and probably reflect the Ulster Plantations.

The Irish DNA Atlas also found that two of the 'Gaelic' clusters together align with the boundaries of the province of Munster.

It also discovered that they are individually associated with the boundaries of the kingdoms of Dál Cais and the Eóganacht.

The Celtic and Viking influence was also evident in the findings with relatively high levels of North-West French-like and evidence of West Norwegian-like ancestry identified.

The *Irish DNA Atlas* may be found at: <https://www.nature.com/articles/s41598-017-17124-4>.

An introductory article explaining the study may be found in the NewsTalk web site at: <http://www.newstalk.com/New-study-gives-the-first-genetic-map-of-the-people-of-Ireland>.

Richmond Whig And Commercial Journal now Available on the Virginia Newspaper Project (December 11, 2017)

[Dick Eastman](#) · [December 11, 2017](#) · [Online Sites](#) · [No Comments](#)

The Virginia Newspaper Project has announced digitized copies of *Richmond Whig and Commercial Journal*, a daily published by John Hampden Pleasants and Josiah Abbot from 1831-1832, are now available on Virginia Chronicle web site.



Thanks to a partnership with the Huntington Library in San Marino, California, which generously shared its collection with the Library of Virginia, the digitized issues on Virginia Chronicle represent a nearly complete run of *Richmond Whig and Commercial Journal*. This title is one among many in the Whig family of newspapers published in Richmond during the nineteenth century.

Details may be found in the announcement at: <http://bit.ly/2A8Zu9J>.

**Learn More About Your Ancestors by Having Their Handwriting Analyzed
(December 12, 2017)**

[Dick Eastman](#) · [December 12, 2017](#) · [Genealogy Basics](#) · [4 Comments](#)

The following article was written by Jean Maguire, describing a recent presentation by Kathi McKnight at the Colorado Genealogical Society. This article is republished here with Jean's permission:

**Colorado Genealogical Society welcomes
Kathi McKnight, Hand Writing Expert
October 21, 2017**

By Jean Maguire

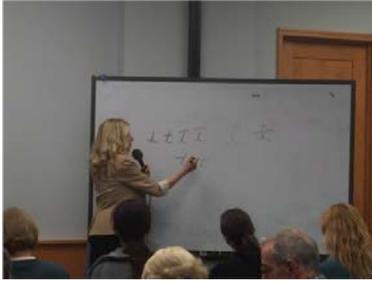
My interest in hand writing analysis began when I was accused of stealing narcotic drugs while a nurse at Swedish Hospital. Drugs were missing from the pharmacy and the drug cart and signed out with my name. Since my name was all over charts and medication records, it was easy to copy my signature. Quietly, a wonderful person in human resources began checking my handwriting and other nurses on my floor. My handwriting did not match and the drug addict was apprehended and sent to rehab.

Handwriting analysis has been used since Aristotle. Eighty percent of companies in Europe and many Fortune 500 companies use it. Kathi McKnight is a Master Certified Graphologist; author of three books; and has analyzed thousands of documents since 1991. She is the go to person for TV shows; *Dr. Oz*; *Washington Post*; *Sports Illustrated* and many more.



Kathi let us know each of us has different handwriting, even though we were all taught in the same method. Handwriting analysis does not predict the future; does not tell age; does not tell sex, or reveal left or right handwriting. Even people with disabilities have different handwriting because handwriting comes from the brain and not from the hands.

She looks for many things in a sample. Is it legible? What is the size or does it have do the letter T? The first letter shows a strong ego. M's can show heart or head. A letter left open on the bottom shows letting part of self just go. Slants show emotions; right emotive, left an actor.



How about your ancestors? More heart shows in our ancestors. Depression shows if letters drop in a line. John Hancock wrote such a big bold signature to make sure the King could see it.

If you would like to know more or to sign up for your own handwriting analysis, go to www.thehandwritingexpert.com.

Are You A "Trash Genealogist"? (December 13, 2017)

[Dick Eastman](#) · [December 13, 2017](#) · [Genealogy Basics](#) · [57 Comments](#)

NOTE: *I originally published this article in this newsletter in 1998. Yet it is still a problem today. It surfaced again in an email message I received today from a newsletter reader. I receive similar messages most every week from concerned genealogists who don't like to see online "fairy tales" in **user-contributed information** that is published in genealogy web sites. I expect to re-publish this article every year or two until the problem is solved. (I don't expect it to be solved during my lifetime, however.)*

While I am ranting and raving about genealogy home pages, I'll describe another "problem." This problem has existed for hundreds of years on paper. In more recent years the problem has spread to the International Genealogical Index, the Ancestral File and, more recently, to many CD-ROM disks containing collections of family trees submitted by some company's customers. However, the recent proliferation of personal web pages has magnified the issue still further.

I can go to almost any Internet search engine today and within a very few minutes find hundreds of "genealogy fairy tales" online. I can find claims of births in Massachusetts or Virginia in the 1500s or in Utah in the 1700s. Time and time again, I see claims that a girl gave birth at the age of three or perhaps at the age of seventy-three. Twelve-year-old fathers also are common in online genealogy home pages. Doesn't anyone ever check this stuff?

Please use the "sanity checks" built into the better genealogy programs! The exact name of this feature may vary from one program to another, but all the better genealogy programs have the capability to find suspicious data within a database. These built-in quality checks will quickly identify questionable data, such as very young girls or elderly women giving birth. If your program identifies such data, examine the evidence closely. Do you really believe it? And do you really want to put that information on the World Wide Web or on some genealogy CD-ROM with your name listed as the person who supplied this questionable data?

If you place genealogy fairy tales on the Web or elsewhere, are you labeling yourself as a "trash genealogist?" Please remember the three most important words in genealogy: "verify, verify, verify..."

Final Comment from 2017: *These so-called "sanity checks" were already built into the better genealogy programs in 1998. Yet it is obvious that many so-called genealogists are not using the software tools they already have! Before you upload your family tree information to any web site, please run a "sanity check" on your information! Then correct the problems **BEFORE** uploading.*



LOCAL GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY NEWS/PROGRAMS

Northwest Suburban Genealogy Society

The next meeting of the Northwest Suburban Genealogy Society will take place on Saturday morning February 3, 2018. The program for the morning is titled "**Funeral Homes and Family History – They're Dying to Meet You!**". The speaker for the morning will be **Daniel Earl**.

Most genealogists are familiar with death records, but few take the time to investigate the funeral home listed on the death certificate. This presentation dives head first into the world of funeral homes. We will look at the history of funeral homes in North America as well as examine some of the types of records that funeral homes produce and how to find these invaluable records online and offline. We will end our discussion with some tips on how to work with funeral directors based on the presenter's experience growing up in the funeral industry.

This meeting will take place at the Arlington Heights Senior Center, 1801 W. Central Rd., Arlington Heights, IL 60005 at 10:00 AM. There is a round table discussion that takes place at 9:00 AM prior to the main meeting/program that starts at 10:00 AM. Participants are invited to attend this round table and bring their research questions for discussion.

You may visit the society web page at:

<http://www.nwsgenealogy.org/>

Please note that it has happened once in a while that the society may change a program schedule without actively sharing that fact. Checking their web site may also not give you notice of such a change if they do not change the web site. That is still the first place to check. You may also want to contact someone at the society if a phone number is available to verify that a program is still scheduled as they had advertised. That is always not available either.

We do our best here to try to be sure that information we convey about programs is accurate. However, sometimes we are unable to convey changes unless we are made aware of those changes.

DuPage County Genealogical Society

Please note that meetings that will take place for the society will occur between September 2017 and May 2018. The September 2017 program will occur at the DuPage County Historical Museum located at 102 E. Wesley Street in Wheaton, IL. The October 2017 through May 2018 programs are once again taking place at the Wheaton Public Library in the Lower Level. The address of the library is 225 N. Cross St. in Wheaton, IL. Please note the times for refreshments and the program. Refreshments are offered at 6:30 PM. The meeting will start at 7 PM and last till no longer than 8:45 PM.

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the DuPage County Genealogical Society will take place on Wednesday evening, January 17, 2018 between 7:00pm to 8:30pm. Refreshments are offered at 6:30pm. The program scheduled for that evening is **"Reconstructing Your Soldier's WW I Experience"**. The speaker for the program will be **Tina Beaird**.

Many federal WWI personnel records were destroyed in a National Archives fire in the 1970s. Tina offers ways to locate copies of peripheral federal military records and provides solutions for recreating some of your soldier's lost military history by using local government documents, newspapers and more.

You may visit the society's web page at:

www.dcgs.org

The society also has a blog that you can visit to find out about "this and that" related to the society as well as find genealogical tips. You can visit the DuPage County Genealogical Society blog at:

<http://dupagecountygenealogicalsociety.wordpress.com/>

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Computer Assisted Genealogy Group of Northern Illinois (CAGGNI)

The next regular meeting of CAGGNI will take place on Saturday morning, January 20, 2018 at the Schaumburg Township District Library, 130 S. Roselle Road, Schaumburg, IL between 10:30am to 12:30pm. The program scheduled for this day is "**Brick by Brick: Tracing Your Home's History**". The speaker will be **Tina Beard**.

If walls could talk was your home moved, damaged by fire or enlarged to accommodate a growing family? Tina will provide strategies for researching the history of your home using government records, newspapers, phone directories, maps and other resources. Every home tells a story - what does your say?

You may visit the organization web page at:

www.CAGGNI.org

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INTERNET INFORMATION

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Announcing a Change on FamilySearch: a New Free Sign-in Process Offers Greater Subscriber Experiences and Benefits (November 16, 2017)

[Dick Eastman](#) · [November 16, 2017](#) · [Online Sites](#) · [19 Comments](#)

The following announcement was written by the folks at: FamilySearch

 **FamilySearch** Salt Lake City, Utah (16 November 2017), Beginning December 13, 2017, patrons visiting FamilySearch.org will

access, signed-in subscribers receive personalized experiences, notifications, and other features (see above).

6. Why do users need to log in to perform searches or to create a family tree?

FamilySearch wants to provide you more access to records and a rich, personalized experience with more successful discoveries. By signing in, you allow the FamilySearch system to customize and deliver its best services to you.

7. How will my contact information be used?

- Your information is used in the FamilySearch system to facilitate collaboration between users (you control how much information is shared).
- The Family Tree and Memories features display your username and any other contact information you approve when using select features.
- Your information allows you to send in-system messages to other users without revealing your personal identity or email address.
- FamilySearch will send you email and newsletters to keep you informed. You can specify how much email, if any, you receive.
- Your contact information is accessed when you contact the support group for help.

8. Is there anything I can do without signing in?

Absolutely. There are still a number of things you can do on FamilySearch without signing in. You can search the [catalog](#), digitized [books](#), [genealogies](#), the [Wiki](#), and the [learning center](#). You can also view [user-contributed photos and stories](#).

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About FamilySearch

FamilySearch International is the largest genealogy organization in the world. FamilySearch is a nonprofit, volunteer-driven organization sponsored by The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Millions of people use FamilySearch records, resources, and services to learn more about their family history. To help in this great pursuit, FamilySearch and its predecessors have been actively gathering, preserving, and sharing genealogical records worldwide for over 100 years. Patrons may access FamilySearch services and resources free online at FamilySearch.org or through over 4,921 family history centers in 129 countries, including the main Family History Library in Salt Lake City, Utah.

Findmypast Announces Plans to Publish Cincinnati & Chicago Sacramental Registers Online for the First Time (November 22, 2017)

[Dick Eastman](#) · [November 22, 2017](#) · [Online Sites](#) · [5 Comments](#)

The following announcement was written by the folks at Findmypast:

Findmypast's exclusive Catholic Heritage Archive continues to grow

- New partnership with the Archdioceses of Cincinnati will over 3 million original Sacramental Registers digitized, fully indexed and published online for the very first time
- A further 1.9 million records covering the Archdiocese of Chicago will also be released in partnership with FamilySearch international.



Leading family history website, [Findmypast](http://Findmypast.com), has today announced plans to publish over 4.9 Sacramental Registers in partnership with the Archdioceses of Cincinnati and FamilySearch International.

Digitization will soon be underway and over 800,000 fully indexed images of original Cincinnati Catholic baptism, marriage and burial registers containing over 3 million names and spanning the years 1800 to 1953 will be made available online for the first time, only at Findmypast, in 2018.

An additional 1.9 million Chicago Sacramental Registers will also be added to the site later in the year. Published in association with FamilySearch International, these records will cover 125 years of city's history (1864 to 1989) and will add yet another important region to Findmypast's growing collection of United States Catholic records.

Today's announcement marks the latest in a series of updates to Findmypast's exclusive [Catholic Heritage Archive](#); a ground-breaking initiative that aims to digitize the historic records of the Catholic Church in the United States, Britain and Ireland for the very first time. The digitization of collections such as these is a monumental undertaking and, when complete, this exclusive collection will contain over 100 million records spanning 300 years of Catholic history

The Catholic Church holds some of the oldest and best preserved genealogical records in existence. However, as many of these documents memorialise important religious sacraments, their privacy has long been protected and access to original copies has, until recently, been hard to come by.

In collaboration with various Archdioceses, Findmypast is helping to digitize these important records and make them widely accessible for the first time in one unified online collection. Beautifully scanned color Images of original documents will be available to view and fully searchable transcripts will also be included, providing family historians with easy access to these once closely guarded records.

The Roman Catholic Church is the largest Christian denomination in the world and it has always been a significant component (up to 25%) of the American population. These records will allow researchers from around the globe to uncover the history of millions of Irish, Italian, German, Polish and many other nationalities as they made a new home in the USA.

Additional Cincinnati and Chicago records as well as additional updates from variety of British, Irish, US and Canadian Dioceses will be added to the Catholic Heritage Archive throughout 2018.

Jen Baldwin, Data Acquisition Manager for North America at Findmypast said; *"We are delighted to be adding the materials from the Archdiocese of Cincinnati and the Archdiocese of Chicago to the Catholic Heritage Archive on Findmypast. The addition of these two crucial Midwest communities will greatly enhance the ability for family historians all over the country to discover their Catholic stories."*

Sarah L. Patterson, M.L.S., Archdiocesan Archivist at the Archdiocese of Cincinnati added; *"We're very excited to be working with Findmypast. This partnership will greatly increase research access to sacramental records in a way that we've never had before. With our earliest records beginning in the 1830s and given how Cincinnati was one of the largest cities in the United States in the 19th century and a stopping point for families migrating to the west, so many researchers will be able to trace their family line through our records."*



PERIODICAL NEWS

Your Genealogy Today

We have received the November/December 2017, Volume 3, Number 5 issue of Your Genealogy Today.

Key articles in this issue are:

"How to Scrapbook Your Photos"

By Lynn Cassity

Lynn Cassity offers suggestions for how to properly preserve those treasured family photos.

"Advice from the Pros"

By Diane L. Richard

Diane L. Richard looks at the benefits of historical research for genealogy.

"Secular Parish Records"

By David A. Norris

David A. Norris looks at why colonial churches were an important source of local government records.

"Perfect Pitch"

By Sue Lisk

Sue Lisk reveals how smaller bit players in your family's history can play a significant role in the overall picture.

"Dubuque's Third Street Cemetery"

By Constance R. Cherba

Constance R. Cherba researches the history of an Iowa cemetery that was almost lost to time.

“Researching Postal Records”

By Diane L. Richard

Diane L. Richard looks at geography, politics, religion and more as found in post office records.

“Buried Alive! A Grave Situation”

By Robbie Gorr

Robbie Gorr discovers how a missed diagnosis of sleeping sickness caused the death of a distant ancestor.

“The Riddle of Patti Morris”

By Richard H. Goms Jr.

Richard H. Goms Jr. details his attempts to solve the mystery of the life and Death of a young girl in the 1930s, and his discovery of newfound cousins.

“Have You Researched at NARA? Not Sure What NARA Is, Or What They Have?”

By Gena Philbert-Ortega

“Dave Obee Encourages You to Find Your Newsworthy Ancestors”

By Dave Obee

Also included in this issue is a section titled “Research Resources”. In here you will find recently published materials, usually books, that are relevant to genealogical research. You might even find described material that directly relates to your own person genealogical research interests.

Newly published titles noted here in this issue are:

American Settlements and Migrations: A Primer for Genealogists and Family Historians

By Lloyd de Witt Bockstruck

Tips and Quips for the Family Historian

By Elizabeth Shown Mills & Ruth Brossette Lennon

I thought that a good article in this issue is one titled “How to Scrapbook Your Photos”. The author is Lynn Cassity.

Think of the excitement you experienced when you discovered or received from a family member a scrapbook of photos and stories and notes about your ancestors. It may not have been too far in the distant past but those pictures looked awesome. Let me see, that is a picture of who? How about the what, why, when ?? Hmmm, don't know because there is no identification provided. I guess everyone alive at the time thought it was common knowledge that everyone viewing the picture would know. Guess again. It is from 60 years ago and many who might know are now deceased. So what can you do to solve

both that current mystery but what can you do to leave your scrapbook information to future generations.

The author gives some great advice on what to do with all the various photos you may have in your genealogical collection:

- Historic photos
 - Daguerreotype
 - Ambrotype
 - Tintype
 - Carte de Visite
 - Cabinet Cards
- Preserving such photos
 - Make copies or re-photograph the image; use these copies.
 - Store original in acid-free, lignin-free, buffered archival boxes in cool, dark places.
- Photos that are already glued to paper.
 - Leave as they are and make copies or re-take pictures of the photos.
- Polaroid pictures
 - Fade over time so make another copy of the original regardless of the condition.
- 35 MM Slides
 - Digitize and print as copies for your use and store originals in archival storage material.
- Creating a Traditional Photo Scrapbook
 - New trend is to create scrapbooks that merge both photos and memorabilia.
 - Use photo-mounting sleeves and use acid-free paper for making any copies.
 - Photo safe books have been around for at least 25 years but researchers simply do not want to invest the money to purchase these and transfer photos from old, pre-safe photo books.
 - "Magnetic" albums that covered picture with a clear page of plastic were often the worse. Over time, plastic adhered and could not be removed to access the picture without damaging the pictures. Don't force these to come off. Take another photo of each picture and use the digitized photos for future use.
- Adhering Pictures to Scrapbook Pages
 - Select your best photos, 4 to 6 pictures of ***ONE*** event on a page.
 - Adhere with photo splits, photo mounting tape or photo mounting corners insuring that all are acid-free.

- Use Pigma pens or acid-free pens to document the photos on the scrapbook page, not the photo itself. Give all the details of who, what, when, where, why.
- Computer created summaries of the who, what etc. are fine but also share your handwriting on some of the pages. Your handwriting will be greatly appreciated by future generations because it will give them the feeling that you are there.
- Do not use ink pens on photos, it will bleed through. Use a soft pencil on the back of the photo if need be to document names and dates.
- If you add decorative material to the book be sure it is acid-free.
- "Album pages can be created in chronological order, featuring one family member at a time, or by special events. Personal preference and your reason for making an album determine how your album pages are arranged."
- Digital Scrapbooks
 - Shutterfly
 - Mixbook
 - Mpix
 - Photoshop
 - Print Artist
 - Walgreens
 - Walmart
 - Use the templates already designed and created by the online scrapbook creator.
 - Add text descriptions to the photo.
- Gift your scrapbooks to younger generations. They may not understand the importance of it now but will be forever thankful many years down the road.

I thought that another good article in this issue is one titled "Have You Researched at NARA? Not Sure What NARA Is, or What They Have?". The author of the article is Gena Philbert-Ortega.

- What is NARA?
 - National Archives and Records Administration
 - Nation's record keeper
 - 1% to 3% of all government documents are considered important enough to keep forever.
 - Archive different than a library. It has materials that are "firsthand facts, data, and evidence from letters, reports, notes, memos, photographs ..."
 - www.archives.gov/about/info/whats-an-archives.html
- Genealogical Records at NARA

- Military Service
- Immigration and Naturalization
- Native American records
- Federal land records
- Census Records
- More
- Locations
 - Main location is in Washington D.C.
 - Branch offices throughout country but not in every state.
 - Records kept in branches pertain to local and surrounding area.
 - California National Archives at Riverside holds Southern California, Arizona and Clark County, Nevada
 - National Archives at San Francisco holds Central and Northern California, Nevada (except Clark County), Hawaii, American Samoa, Guam and former Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands
 - Find locations for NARA at www.archives.gov/locations
- Visiting NARA
 - Email in advance and ask about the records of interest to you.
 - Records of interest can be pulled in advance of your visit.
 - If never researched at NARA previously, you will need to obtain a research identification card.
 - Plan your trip by viewing webpage at www.archives.gov/research/start/plan-visit-0
- Partner Websites with NARA
 - Records you seek may be available through a partner website.
 - Fold3
 - Ancestry.com
 - FamilySearch.org
 - Fold3 has many different military records previously only available from NARA. Browse their collection at www.fold3.com/browse.
- More from NARA
 - Consult their Research our Records section of the website at www.archives.gov/research.
 - Specific genealogy page at NARA at www.archives.gov/research/genealogy.

This is another very good issue of [Your Genealogy Today](#). Check out the Table of Contents of the articles in this issue at the beginning of this write-up to see if any match your areas of research or are topics of interest. Make a personal copy for your use and

reference. It is always good to check out a resource if you have never subscribed to it or previously read an article.

You can find this most recent issue of [Your Genealogy Today](#) on the 2nd floor of our library on the Magazine Shelves.

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BOOKS IN PRINT

No new additional genealogy book added to our collection during this report period.

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SOFTWARE/HARDWARE

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Use a Twitter Bot to Colorize Your Black-And-White Photos in Seconds for Free (November 16, 2017)

[Dick Eastman](#) · [November 16, 2017](#) · [Web/Tech](#) · [6 Comments](#)

Use a Twitter bot to colorize photos? It sounds strange but is true.



If you tweet the Colorise Bot a photograph of a black-and-white photograph, will transform it into a technicolor picture. The best part? It's super fast, with some images colorized in a matter of seconds. The new tool is the product of two British teenagers, Oli Callaghan and Finnian Anderson. Oli is 18, while Finnian is just 17 years old. The Colorise Bot uses a pre-made neural network that'd been trained on a large dataset of 4.5 million images.

Ah, those teenagers! What will they think of next? When I was 17 years old, I wasn't thinking about neural networks!

To use Colorise Bot, just tweet it a black-and-white picture. It'll get back to you pretty quickly.

You can read more at <http://bit.ly/2j022zT> while the Colorise Bot is at: <https://twitter.com/colorisebot>.

Genealogy Data Entry Techniques (December 5, 2017)

[Dick Eastman](#) · [December 5, 2017](#) · [Genealogy Basics](#) · [One Comment](#)

In the course of a week, I get to see a lot of genealogy data. Some of what I see is abysmal. Many otherwise highly-skilled genealogists do not seem to know that their keyboards have a SHIFT key! Instead, they simply turn on CAPS LOCK and then ignore upper and lower case after that.

Of course, the use of UPPER CASE text has a long history in the computer business. The mainframes of the 1960s and 70s only used upper case text. Data typically was entered on 80-column punch cards. The IBM 026 keypunch machine, the most popular keypunch machine ever built, indeed did not have a shift key and was incapable of entering lower case text.

By the late 1970s, all of this had changed, and data was being entered from computer terminals in normal upper and lower case. However, not everyone got the word. It seems that a number of people do not realize that the keyboards of the twenty-first century have improved since those "stone age" computers of 40 or 50 years ago.

Here are two short examples produced by a popular genealogy program. Which one do you find easier to read?

Example 1:

4. JOSEPH PATRICK KENNEDY, SON OF PATRICK JOSEPH KENNEDY AND MARY AUGUSTA HICKEY, WAS BORN ON 6 SEP 1888 IN BOSTON, MA, 2 DIED ON 18 NOV 1969 IN HYANNIS PORT, MA, AT AGE 81, AND WAS BURIED IN HOLYHOOD CEMETERY, BROOKLINE, MA.

GENERAL NOTES: FROM THE TIME HE WAS A SCHOOL BOY HE WAS INTERESTED IN MAKING MONEY. HE HAD AN INTERESTING HOBBY OF TINKERING WITH CLOCKS. JOE WAS A POOR STUDENT, BUT GOOD AT ATHLETICS AND HAD AN ATTRACTIVE PERSONALITY. HE WAS ABLE TO OVERCOME MANY ETHNIC BARRIERS DURING HIS SCHOOL YEARS AT BOSTON LATIN, A PROTESTANT AND PRIMARILY YANKEE SCHOOL. WAS ONE OF THE

YOUNGEST BANK PRESIDENTS IN US HISTORY. HE WAS FIERCELY PROUD OF HIS FAMILY. HE WAS QUOTED AS HAVING SAID HIS FAMILY WAS THE FINEST THING IN HIS LIFE. JOE KENNEDY WAS A VERY HARD WORKER, WHICH OFTEN DETERIORATED HIS HEALTH. AT TIMES HE WAS HOSPITALIZED FOR HIS RUN DOWN CONDITION.

Example 2:

4. Joseph Patrick Kennedy, son of Patrick Joseph Kennedy and Mary Augusta Hickey, was born on 6 Sep 1888 in Boston, MA,² died on 18 Nov 1969 in Hyannis Port, MA, at age 81, and was buried in Holyhood Cemetery, Brookline, MA.

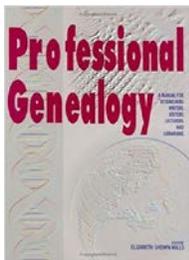
General Notes: From the time he was a school boy he was interested in making money. He had an interesting hobby of tinkering with clocks. Joe was a poor student, but good at athletics and had an attractive personality. He was able to overcome many ethnic barriers during his school years at Boston Latin, a protestant and primarily Yankee school. Was one of the youngest Bank Presidents in US history. He was fiercely proud of his family. He was quoted as having said his family was the finest thing in his life. Joe Kennedy was a very hard worker, which often deteriorated his health. At times he was hospitalized for his run down condition.

I certainly prefer to read the second example. The first one is much more difficult to read – so difficult that I may miss important information.

If you are entering genealogy data, please take pity on the future readers of your text. Please use upper and lower case characters, the same as you learned in grade school. Your fourth-grade teacher probably would have flunked you if you used all upper case in her class. Guess what? I'll also give you a grade of "F" if I see your genealogy data in all upper case!

Yes, there is a shift key on your computer. In fact, you can probably find two of them. Please use them only when appropriate.

In a future newsletter article, I may write about spelling, punctuation, and grammar. In the meantime, I can suggest some good reading for you:



Professional Genealogy: A Manual for Researchers, Writers, Editors, Lecturers, and Librarians edited by Elizabeth Shown Mills (It says "professional," but don't let that scare you; it is packed full of tips for us amateurs as well). This book is available at many bookstores as well as at Amazon.com at <http://amzn.to/2Amr3iO>.

Tips for Standardized Genealogy Data Entry at <http://www.managedoutsource.com/blog/2016/11/tips-for-standardized-genealogy-data-entry.html>

Getting It Right: Data Entry Standards for Genealogists by Judith Schaefer Phelps:
<http://www.columbinegenealogy.com/pdfs/Getting%20It%20Right.pdf>

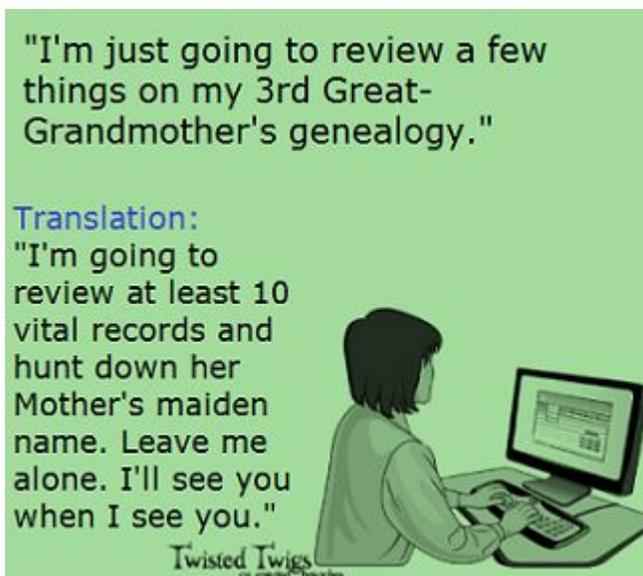
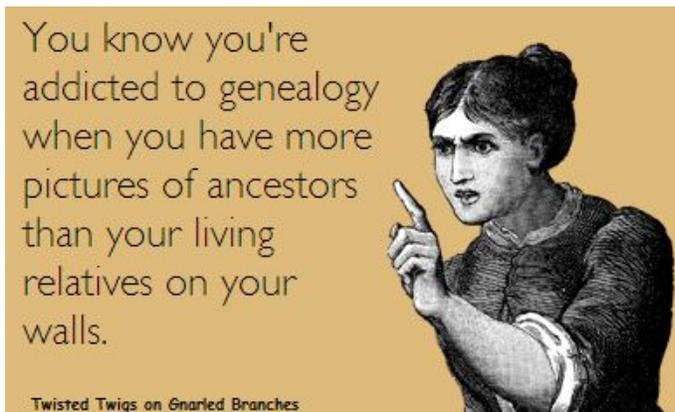


FUNNY BONE

Found some interesting genealogy humor images on Pinterest. Thought I would share the link below to the entirety of what is all there. Enjoy all of them.

<https://www.pinterest.com/explore/genealogy-humor/>

Here are some interesting examples:



WHEN I DIE,
I GIVE MY FRIENDS
PERMISSION TO
CHANGE MY
FACEBOOK
STATUS TO
"IS VISITING
WITH ANCESTORS"

Twisted Twigs
on grazed branches

Dear Fairy Godmother,
Think you could
bippity-boppity-boo
me back to
Washington D.C. in
January 1921 so I can
prevent the 1890 US
Census from being
destroyed? Thanks



Twisted Twigs
on grazed branches

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

For An Even More Comprehensive List of All Kinds of Genealogy Programs Being Offered Locally and Even Nationally, Please Visit My Blog I Write for the Library and Look At My Page Titled "Calendar of Local Genealogy Events".

Here Is A Direct Link To the Calendar:

<http://genealogywithtony.wordpress.com/calendar-of-local-genealogy-events/>

(Additions Since Last Newsletter Indicated With An "")*

Jan 9 Schaumburg Township District Library Genealogy Program.
TUE 130 S. Roselle Road. Schaumburg, IL, 60193. 7:30 PM. Room opens at 7
2018 PM.

"Optimizing Your Searches on the Internet -- It's More Than FamilySearch and Ancestry"

Presented by Maureen Brady.

Contact Tony Kierna at 847-923-3390.

Visit STDL Genealogy Blog at <http://genealogywithtony.wordpress.com>

Jan 17 DuPage County Genealogical Society. Wednesday, January 17, 2018
WED Wheaton Public Library, 225 N. Cross St., Wheaton, IL 60187.
2018 6:30 PM Refreshments.

Meeting/Program Presentation 7:00 PM to 8:45 PM.

"Reconstructing Your Soldier's WWI Experience".

Presented by Tina Beaird.

Society website at www.dcgcs.org.

Society blog at <http://dupagecountygenealogicalsociety.wordpress.com/>

DuPage County History Museum website at www.dupageco.org/museum

*Jan 20 Computer Assisted Genealogy Group of Northern Illinois (CAGGNI).
SAT January 20, 2018, Saturday, 10:30 AM, Schaumburg Township District
2018 Library

"Brick by Brick: Tracing Your Home's History".

Presented by Tina Beaird.

Society website at www.caggni.org.

Feb 3 Northwest Suburban Genealogy Society. Saturday, February 3, 2018.

SAT **"Funeral Homes and Family History - - They Are Dying to Meet You!"**
2018 **(This program is a webinar.)**

Presented by Daniel Earl

Arlington Heights Senior Center.

1801 West Central Road. Arlington Heights, IL.
Pre-Meeting Round Table/Helping/Sharing at 9:00 AM
Speaker program starts at 10:00 AM
Visit the society website at <http://www.nwsgenealogy.org/>

Feb 13
TUE
2018
Schaumburg Township District Library Genealogy Program.
130 S. Roselle Road. Schaumburg, IL, 60193. 7:30 PM. Room opens at 7 PM.

"The Voyages of Our German Immigrants"
Presented by Teresa Steinkamp McMillin, CG.

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Visit STDL Genealogy Blog at <http://genealogywithtony.wordpress.com>

*Feb 17
SAT
2018
Computer Assisted Genealogy Group of Northern Illinois (CAGGNI).
February 17, 2018, Saturday, 10:30 AM, Schaumburg Township District Library

"Tracing Your World War I Immigrant Ancestors in "Alien Papers"".

Presented by Debra Dudek.

Society website at www.caggni.org.

*Feb 21
WED
2018
DuPage County Genealogical Society. Wednesday, February 21, 2018
Wheaton Public Library, 225 N. Cross St., Wheaton, IL 60187.
6:30 PM Refreshments.

Meeting/Program Presentation 7:00 PM to 8:45 PM.

"Untying the Knot: Divorce Records".

Presented by Kimberly Nagy.

Society website at www.dcg.org.

Society blog at <http://dupagecountygenealogicalsociety.wordpress.com/>

DuPage County History Museum website at www.dupageco.org/museum

Mar 3
SAT
2018
Northwest Suburban Genealogy Society. Saturday, March 3, 2018.

"Learning Your Way Around Ancestry DNA"

Presented by Karen Stanbary

Arlington Heights Senior Center.

1801 West Central Road. Arlington Heights, IL.

Pre-Meeting Round Table/Helping/Sharing at 9:00 AM

Speaker program starts at 10:00 AM

Visit the society website at <http://www.nwsgenealogy.org/>

Mar 10
WED
DuPage County Genealogical Society. Wednesday, March 10, 2018
Annual Conference, NIU Conference Center.

"To Be Determined".

Presented by To Be Determined.

Society website at www.dcg.org.

Society blog at <http://dupagecountygenealogicalsociety.wordpress.com/>

DuPage County History Museum website at www.dupageco.org/museum

Mar 13
TUE
2018
Schaumburg Township District Library Genealogy Program.
130 S. Roselle Road. Schaumburg, IL, 60193. 7:30 PM. Room opens at 7 PM.

"Break Out Sessions/Small Group Discussions"

No Speaker

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Visit STDL Genealogy Blog at <http://genealogywithtony.wordpress.com>

- *Mar 17
SAT
2018
Computer Assisted Genealogy Group of Northern Illinois (CAGGNI).
March 17, 2018, Saturday, 10:30 AM, Schaumburg Township District
Library
"What's New in Technology?".
Presented by Ed Rosenthal.
Society website at www.caggni.org.
- Apr 7
SAT
2018
Northwest Suburban Genealogy Society. Saturday, April 7, 2018.
"Newspaper Research: Beyond the Birdcage"
Presented by Debbie Mieszela
Arlington Heights Senior Center.
1801 West Central Road. Arlington Heights, IL.
Pre-Meeting Round Table/Helping/Sharing at 9:00 AM
Speaker program starts at 10:00 AM
Visit the society website at <http://www.nwsgenealogy.org/>
- Apr 10
TUE
2018
Schaumburg Township District Library Genealogy Program.
130 S. Roselle Road. Schaumburg, IL, 60193. 7:30 PM. Room opens at 7
PM.
**"Family History's Navigational Tool: The Genealogical Proof Standard
(G.P.S.)"**
Presented by Laura Cosgrove Lorenzana.
Contact Tony Kierna at 847-923-3390.
Visit STDL Genealogy Blog at <http://genealogywithtony.wordpress.com>
- Apr 18
WED
2018
DuPage County Genealogical Society. Wednesday, April 18, 2018
Wheaton Public Library, 225 N. Cross St., Wheaton, IL 60187.
6:30 PM Refreshments.
Meeting/Program Presentation 7:00 PM to 8:45 PM.
"Oh Where, Oh Where Are My Ancestors From?".
Presented by Teresa McMillin.
Society website at www.dcgcs.org.
Society blog at <http://dupagecountygenealogicalsociety.wordpress.com/>
DuPage County History Museum website at www.dupageco.org/museum
- *Apr 21
SAT
2018
Computer Assisted Genealogy Group of Northern Illinois (CAGGNI).
April 21, 2018, Saturday, 10:30 AM, Schaumburg Township District
Library
"Preserve Your Ancestor's Legacy: Write Their Life Story".
Presented by Mike Karsen.
Society website at www.caggni.org.
- May 5
SAT
2018
Northwest Suburban Genealogy Society. Saturday, May 5, 2018.
**"Who Sank Grandpa's Boat? Effective Techniques for Finding
Passenger Manifests"**
Presented by Dan Niemiec
Arlington Heights Senior Center.
1801 West Central Road. Arlington Heights, IL.
Pre-Meeting Round Table/Helping/Sharing at 9:00 AM

Speaker program starts at 10:00 AM
Visit the society website at <http://www.nwsgenealogy.org/>

May 8
TUE
2018
Schaumburg Township District Library Genealogy Program.
130 S. Roselle Road. Schaumburg, IL, 60193. 7:30 PM. Room opens at 7 PM.
"How To Deal with Other Genealogists Without Going Crazy" (Live Webinar)
Presented by Thomas MacEntee, via off-site webinar.
Contact Tony Kierna at 847-923-3390.
Visit STDL Genealogy Blog at <http://genealogywithtony.wordpress.com>

May 16
WED
2018
DuPage County Genealogical Society. Wednesday, May 16, 2018
Wheaton Public Library, 225 N. Cross St., Wheaton, IL 60187.
6:30 PM Refreshments.
Meeting/Program Presentation 7:00 PM to 8:45 PM.
"What's New on the Internet for Genealogists".
Presented by Caron Brennan.
Society website at www.dcgsg.org.
Society blog at <http://dupagecountygenealogicalsociety.wordpress.com/>
DuPage County History Museum website at www.dupageco.org/museum

*May 19
SAT
2018
Computer Assisted Genealogy Group of Northern Illinois (CAGGNI).
May 19, 2018, Saturday, 10:30 AM, Schaumburg Township District Library
"Gone But Not Forgotten".
Presented by Bob Allen.
Society website at www.caggni.org.

Jun 12
TUE
2018
Schaumburg Township District Library Genealogy Program.
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"Break Out Sessions/Small Group Discussions"
No Speaker
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*June 23
SAT
2018
Computer Assisted Genealogy Group of Northern Illinois (CAGGNI).
June 23, 2018, Saturday, 8 AM to 4 PM, NIU Conference Center,
5555 Trillium Blvd., Hoffman Estates, IL
"GeneaQuest 2018: Skill Building".
Presented by various speakers throughout the day.
Society website at www.caggni.org

Jul 10
TUE
2018
Schaumburg Township District Library Genealogy Program.
130 S. Roselle Road. Schaumburg, IL, 60193. 7:30 PM. Room opens at 7 PM.
"Why Am I Stuck? 10 Solutions to Common Genealogical Problems"
Presented by Marsha Peterson-Maass.
Contact Tony Kierna at 847-923-3390.
Visit STDL Genealogy Blog at <http://genealogywithtony.wordpress.com>

- *Jul 21
SAT
2018
- Computer Assisted Genealogy Group of Northern Illinois (CAGGNI).
July 21, 2018, Saturday, 10:30 AM, Schaumburg Township District
Library
"Using Social Media to Build an Ancestor's Story".
Presented by Susan Mayer.
Society website at www.caggni.org
- Aug 14
TUE
2018
- Schaumburg Township District Library Genealogy Program.
130 S. Roselle Road. Schaumburg, IL, 60193. 7:30 PM. Room opens at 7
PM.
"Sharing with Others: How To Convey Evidence"
Presented by Jeanne Larzalere Bloom.
Contact Tony Kierna at 847-923-3390.
Visit STDL Genealogy Blog at <http://genealogywithtony.wordpress.com>
- *Aug 18
SAT
2018
- Computer Assisted Genealogy Group of Northern Illinois (CAGGNI).
August 18, 2018, Saturday, 10:30 AM, Schaumburg Township District
Library
"Beyond the Census".
Presented by Janis Minor Forte.
Society website at www.caggni.org
- Sep 11
TUE
2018
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No Speaker
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- *Sep 15
SAT
2018
- Computer Assisted Genealogy Group of Northern Illinois (CAGGNI).
September 15, 2018, Saturday, 10:30 AM, Schaumburg Township District
Library
**"Beyond the Records: Putting Flesh on the Bones of Your Civil War
Ancestors".**
Presented by Karen Heinrich.
Society website at www.caggni.org
- Oct 9
TUE
2018
- Schaumburg Township District Library Genealogy Program.
130 S. Roselle Road. Schaumburg, IL, 60193. 7:30 PM. Room opens at 7
PM.
"How DNA Can Help Your Genealogy"
Presented by Steve Szabados.
Contact Tony Kierna at 847-923-3390.
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- *Oct 20
SAT
2018
- Computer Assisted Genealogy Group of Northern Illinois (CAGGNI).
October 20, 2018, Saturday, 10:30 AM, Schaumburg Township District
Library
"To Be Determined".
Presented by Jeffrey Bockman.
Society website at www.caggni.org

- *Nov 13
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2018
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"Mapping the Past: Navigating Your Family History with Maps"
Presented by Dr. Daniel Hubbard.
Contact Tony Kierna at 847-923-3390.
Visit STDL Genealogy Blog at <http://genealogywithtony.wordpress.com>
- *Nov 17
SAT
2018
- Computer Assisted Genealogy Group of Northern Illinois (CAGGNI).
November 17, 2018, Saturday, 10:30 AM, Schaumburg Township District Library
"Historical Figure (To Be Determined) and Holiday Party".
Presented by To Be Determined.
Society website at www.caggni.org
- Dec 11
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