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## A LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

One of the privileges of being President of your organization is the opportunity to communicate; sometimes pontificate. This time, rather than pontificate, I have chosen to simply report a series of items discussed at the National Board Meeting and items of special interest to the Ohio Chapter.

A Virginia Chapter of Palatines is being organized by National V.P. Ruby Schultz, and Ohio Chapter member Dr. Richard B. Simons who resides in Arlington, VA. Those Ohio Chapter members who would consider a supplemental affiliation (extra cost \$4 per year) with the Virginia Chapter should contact either man or write to the National Office.

One of the livelier discussions regarded the continuation of National subsidies to smaller state chapters. The previous year's \$2,781 was lowered to \$675.

The National finances continue to be healthy with about \$52,000 as our Net Worth and an annual operating budget of \$45,000 (liabilities are \$1.05).

National President, George Evans, appointed Clara Harsh and myself to a Long Range Planning Committee. Your suggestions covering a 5 year outlook will be welcome.

I was asked to give a presentation at the fall National Board meeting on "deferred giving". Healthy members have decisions to make about the ultimate placement of their assets. Arrangements can be made for gifts of books, files, money, etc, to either the National or respective state chapters.

After considering 18 variants, the National Board decided on an unofficial subtitle to communicate what Palatines to America is about, "Researching German Speaking Ancestors".

On the Ohio scene- In a discussion with a Capital University official, a possible move of the Ohio Chapter Office & Library from Renner Hall to Saylor Ackerman Hall was mentioned as a likelihood for the summer of 1992. This would be across and down the hall from the National Office. Our space would about double and we would no longer have to climb 3 flights of stairs.

*Phil Beltz, Ohio Chapter President*

## NATIONAL OFFICERS

The National Convention of Palatines to America elected new officers during the business meeting held in Cobleskill, New York. The 17th annual meeting was held June 20 thru June 22.

**President:** George A Evans, Grand Rapids, Michigan

**Vice-President:** Ruby A. Schultz, Alexandria, Virginia.

**Recording Secretary:** Ruth E. Renton, Upper St. Clair, Pennsylvania.

**Corresponding Secretary:** Anne L. Rodick, Bloomington, Indiana.

**Membership Registrar:** Robert C. Harsh, Columbus, Ohio.

**Treasurer:** Florence M. Herrmann, Danville, Indiana.

**Historian:** Martha B. Agler, Columbus, Ohio

**Fall Conference  
September 21, 1991  
Capital University  
Columbus, Ohio  
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## 1991 Columbus International Festival Volunteers Needed!

The Ohio Chapter plans to have a booth at this years festival which will be held November 2, 3 & 4. This worthwhile promotion of our society requires some volunteers from the Columbus area to set up the booth and man in for the 3 day festival. Each shift need only be a few hours. Please contact- Ira Simons (614) 451-3796. 975 Amberly Pl. Columbus OH 43220-4101

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**OHIO MEMBERS PROMINENT AT  
COBLESKILL**

The national convention at Cobleskill New York saw many Ohio Chapter members making the 600 or more miles to attend. We counted 31 registrants listed on the registration sheets. They were:

Martha B. Agler ( National Archivist) Columbus  
 Andrew and Margaret Bauer Seville  
 Philip Beltz ( Ohio President) Columbus  
 Margaret Dieringer (Nominating Committee  
 Chairman) Greenfield  
 Dr. John T. Golden ( Editor Palatine Immigrant )  
 Columbus

Albert and Ruth Gress Trotwood  
 Genevra Gurr Wooster  
 Dr. Robert and Clara Harsh ( National Registrar  
 and National Treasurer respectively) Columbus  
 Robert and Florence Hulsizer Springfield  
 Lari Hummer Columbus  
 Dr. Arta F. Johnson Columbus  
 Elizabeth Knight Findlay  
 Mary Elizabeth Leppla ( Ohio Board Member)  
 Wooster

Dorothy Limbach Fairborn  
 Orié and Elinor Loucks Oxford  
 La Roux Mentz Columbus  
 Julie Overton ( Editor Palatine Patter)  
 Yellow Springs

Robert C. Ringer Columbus  
 Robert and Shirley Roelle Columbus  
 Robert S. Rudy Columbus  
 Robert H. Secrist Youngstown  
 Robert and Esther Strock Dalton  
 Clifford and Dorothy Wig North Canton

**REPORT ON COBLESKILL**

June 20, 21, and 22 the 17th Annual Meeting of Palatines To America was favored with fine attendance ( over 310), at the State University of New York at Cobleskill. While Lois and I had represented National when they received their charter in 1984, I was pleasantly surprised by the popularity of a Palatines program in the Schoharie Valley where Cobleskill is located.. The program attracted many persons of Palatine descent who until this time had not affiliated with our society. About 40% of those at the meeting were non-members and probably many of them took the opportunity to sign up. The weather was decently mild. None of those stifling hot days we so often run into at our annual June meetings. Actually, there was such a cool breeze at night that covers were welcomed. Those wise people who brought their own fans did not need them.

The headline speaker was Henry Z (Hank) Jones, noted author and researcher of Palatine families. His subjects were popular and informative. There were other fine speakers.. This writer personally attended the lectures of Mr, and Mrs. Peter Christoph, Douglas Schiffer, Elaine Lipshutz and Wayne Lenig. as well as Mr. Jones.' We learned from Professor Lenig that many families have legends claiming Indian women among the early marriages, and I recall that there is such a legend of my own Lancaster County Pennsylvania forbears, but it's essentially merely a legend.

The meals were cafeteria style in one of the dormitories mess halls and the great crowd taxed the capacity of the service people. They, however, handled it very well.. The student servers put ample quantities of tasty food on our plates.

Ohio members figured prominently in the business and Board meetings, Treasurer Clara Harsh reported that Palatines To America is financially well off, Dr. Robert Harsh reported the status of our office at Columbus, and the members on the rolls. Martha Agler, gave an up date of our archives, Julie Overton reviewed the publishing of The Palatine Patter and Dr. J. Terry Golden reported concerning the Palatine Immigrant.. Ohio President Philip Beltz ably represented our chapter at the two Board meetings. The Ohio Chapter sort of cleaned up on the awards. Dr. Harsh and Clara Harsh received citations for their outstanding service to the society during the past year, and Dr. Arta F. Johnson was awarded the coveted Harvey Harsh Award for past services such as having edited early issues of The Immigrant.

Leo Wastler of Pennsylvania announced that the 1992 meeting is scheduled for Lancaster Pennsylvania., June 18-20 He gave a rundown on the program the Pennsylvania Chapter has already assembled and promises that the Eden Inn will offer an all air conditioned sleeping and meeting rooms environment.

*Robert S. Rudy, reporter ,28 June 1991*

**Ancestor Charts**

The Ancestor Chart program is proceeding Jean Hall and her associates have completed Volume #5 and is being finalized for printing. they are currently inputing data for Volume # 6.

This is a very worthwhile project the chapter is doing and will benefit members nationwide. If you are interested in helping contact Sophia J. Hall, 181 Heischman Ave., Worthington OH 43085-2623. Phone (614) 885-4223

**Catholic Records Society** 197 East Gay St., Columbus OH 43215. (614)228-2453. Church records from SE & central Ohio.

**Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints** 2135 Baldwin Dr. P.O. Box 208,

Reynoldsburg OH 43068 (614) 866-7686

**Columbus Health Dept.** 181 South Washington Blvd. Rm 110, Columbus OH 43215-4096. (614) 645-7331

**Columbus Metropolitan Library**, 96 S. Grant Ave., Columbus OH 43215, (614) 645-2710.

Hours: 9:00 - 9:00, M/Th; 9:00-6:00 F/Sat; Sun 1:00-5:00. research in person or write, send SASE. See Biography, History and Travel Section, 3rd floor

**Franklin County-**

(Note that some court offices are currently in process of moving)

**-Court of Common Pleas**, 369 S. High St., Columbus OH 43215. For divorce records, see: Domestic Division. Use index to locate docket for order book (located in Microfilm Division).

Research in person (8:30-4:30 M-F) or write, (send SASE.) Fee.

**-Engineer**, 410 S. High St., Columbus OH 43215 or 970 Dublin Rd., Columbus OH 43215.

Call in advance with request for maps; must pick up at office. No fee for maps. No information given by phone or mail. Hours 7:30-4:30 M-F.

**-Genealogical Society**, P.O. Box 2503, Columbus, OH 43216-2503. (614) 469-1300.

Location- 570 West Broad Street. Open M-W-F, 10:00-3:00. Write, send SASE for fee or research in person, research sources for Franklin County, Ohio counties, US states, and other countries.

Forms for sale. Also, available for \$5.00:

"Franklin County Genealogical Research Guide" by Suzanne Mettle and Judy Moehl.

**-Probate Court**, 369 S. High St., Columbus OH 43215 (8th floor). Research in person, 8:30-4:30 M-F, or write; send SASE. Fee: \$1.00 / name plus photocopying; Birth/Death-\$3.00; Marriage-\$4.00; Wills-25c/page (75c minimum, may take four pages to copy one complete page of a will.)

**-Recorders Office**, 410 S. High Street, (4th floor), Columbus OH 43215. Write (SASE) or visit office, 8:30-4:30 M-F. Copies 25c per page  
OHIO STATE-

**-Adjutant General. Veterans Affairs**, Rm. 11, State House Annex, Columbus OH 43215. Will check index for Ohio veterans from Revolutionary War, 1776 to current date for volume, page and location of roster. Write; send SASE. No fee.

**-Auditor of State, Land office**.1272 S. Front St., P.O. Box 1140 Columbus OH 43216. Name, approx. time period, county & twp. required. Will check for original land records, for location of records, volume, page, and legal description of land. Search in person. Hours 8:00-4:45 or write, send SASE. No fee. Call (614) 446-6218 or 1-800-282-0370.

**-Bureau of Vital Statistics**. Room 6-20, 65 S. Front Street, Columbus OH 43215. Hours, 7:45-4:30 M-F. Birth & Death Certificates, 1937-current State of Ohio. Certified copy \$7.00. A statistical copy may be had by request for \$1.10. All certificates mailed. May be requested by writing, send SASE, or visit office.

**-Department of Transportation**, P.O. Box 889, Columbus OH 43215. Ohio maps with counties available for fee. Write, send SASE

**-Historical Society, Archives-Library Division**, 1985 Velma Ave., Columbus OH 43211-2497. (614) 297-2510. Hrs. 9:00-5:00 T-SAT. (Pencils only). Will research \$8.00 per item. Ohio residents and OHS members \$4.00 per item (takes several weeks). Send SASE. Birth & death certificates 1908-1936, Census records, Ohio Newspapers.

**-State Library, Genealogical Division**, 65 S. Front St, Columbus OH 43226-0334. Ph.(614) 644-6966. Room 308, 3rd floor. Hours 8:00-5:00 M-Th; 9:00-5:00 F. Research in person or write (SASE). Will research one full name per one Ohio county, with date, place; one family per letter. Printed material only; no microfilm. Will bill. \$1.00 for five or less pages copied, then 20c per page.

**-Palatines to America**, Box 101 Capital University, Columbus OH 43209-2394 (Ohio Chapter & National Offices). Ph.(614) 236-8281 (National Office only, no phone in Ohio office & Library). Library in room #339 Renner Hall. Hours 1:00 to 4:00 PM Wednesday. Other times subject to advanced confirmation with S. Jean Hall, Ph. (614) 885-4223.

*This list is taken from the Franklin County Genealogical Society list compiled by Suzanne Mettle & Emily Garner and is published by permission of Suzanne Mettle. Some revisions and additions made by Ira W. Simons. July 1991.*

*Some of the Franklin County courts are in the process of moving at this time.*

# Trans-Atlantic trace is tough

Reproduced from *The Columbus Dispatch*, Sunday, May 12, 1991  
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■ *Tracing ancestors to time before they crossed Atlantic will likely lead searcher to numerous records.*

Were your ancestors among the 13 million British, Irish, Scandinavian and German-speaking immigrants who came to America between 1820 and 1900?

Chances are you know the country of their birth. But do you know the year they arrived, the port they left from and their place of birth?

Trans-Atlantic connections are among the most common stumbling blocks in family history research. Unless you have family records or relatives with this information, the answers will likely be found in various documents.

Regardless of your ethnic background, the initial search is essentially the same. It should begin at home. A family Bible, letters from relatives, correspondence with relatives and other memorabilia are good sources. If this does not produce results, it's time to consult the records.

You may find a late 19th-century death certificate for a grandparent or other relative that lists a specific overseas birthplace. State departments of vital records, listed in the *International Vital Records Handbook* by Thomas Kemp (1990), can normally supply a certificate for a fee. Several local libraries have this reference book.

Otherwise, you will want to consult the 1900 federal census where your relatives lived that year. In addition to age, month and year of birth for each person, the year that an immigrant came to America is given, along with the number of years lived in this country, and, if applicable, for the head of household, the year citizenship was received. The 1900 Census Schedules and Soundex (index) for Ohio are in the State Library of Ohio and the Ohio Historical Society. Those for other states that year can be obtained through your local library for use there for a small fee.

Customs and immigration arrival lists for passengers for 61 U.S. ports are available, mostly from 1820 on. However, a majority of entries list the country instead of the actual place of birth. Microfilm copies of the lists for major ports can be obtained on interlibrary loan through your local library.

*A Guide to Genealogical Records in the National Archives* by Merdith Colket and Frank Bridgers (1964) contains details. Emigration passenger lists from overseas ports survive for Scandinavian and some German ports. Microfilm copies, available at the Family History Library in Salt Lake City and through its Family History Centers, normally contain the birthplace for each passenger listed and sometimes the name and address of relatives in America.

## FIND YOUR ANCESTORS



**JOY WADE  
MOULTON**

Of special interest are the two Hamburg Passenger Lists 1850-1934 and 1850-1910, which include many people from eastern Europe, and the Wuerttemberg Emigration Registers, which list everyone who left that state regardless of destination (primarily in the 19th and 20th centuries.)

All emigration lists are indexed on microfilm for the Scandinavian and German ports. Records for ports in the British Isles, which begin in 1890, are at the

Public Record Office, Kew, Richmond, England.

*The Library: A Guide to the Family History Library* by Johni Cerny and Wendy Elliott (1988) has a fine description of emigration records for each country and includes details of microfilm held by that repository. Several local libraries have this reference.

Naturalization records also may contain the birthplace and year of arrival in America. This process, generally five years, included only the head of the household before 1906. Until that year, a spouse and children automatically became citizens at the same time.

The Declaration of Intention, usually the initial application filed, is most likely to contain vital data. However, information on that form may vary from place to place, and in some instances may only list the year of arrival and country of origin.

It is possible that the declaration will be found in a different locality from the final citizenship certificate, for the individual may have moved during the five-year period. State, county and local U.S. District Courts all had authority to naturalize foreigners.

Check first in the earliest known area the immigrant lived upon arrival for the declaration. Names of the courts that held jurisdiction will be listed in the Historical Records Survey, *Inventory of County Archives* for any county in a given state. Published surveys for some counties in each state are at the Ohio Historical Society. The National Archives and Record Center, Bayoone, N.J., has many naturalization records for New York.

For Sept. 27, 1906, to April 1, 1956, there is a centralized index to all naturalizations. Inquiries should be made to the Department of Immigration and Naturalization, 425 I St., Washington, D.C. 20536.

*American Naturalization Processes and Procedures 1790-1985* by John J. Newman (1985), which includes a thorough discussion of this subject, is available at local libraries.

**New Library Books**

Title	Author	Donor
Liwätt Böke 1807-1882 Pioneer Culturgram for the '90s-Federal Republic of Germany / Republic of Austria	Luke B. Knapke, comp.	Eleanor Brucken
Descendant of Christopher Fuchs of the Palatine Generations (Journal) Vol 16 No. 1, March 1991	Donald P. Fox, compiler Manitoba Genealogical Soc.	Dr. Terry Golden Donald P. Fox
Hacker's Creek Journal Vol. IX, Issue 2 Winter 1991	Hacker's Cr. Pion. Desc.	Dr. Terry Golden
Kilgore History, Rachel Hugus	Ruth H. Davis, compiler	Robert B. Smith
Koontz Experience, A Sprawling 300 Years	John F. Koontz, Jr., P.h.D	Ruth H. Davis
The David and Anna Miller Story	Arlene Huss	John F. Koontz
Ohio Historical Society Archives/Library Division	Ref.	Arlene Huss
Sailing Ships	Ron Van der Meer/Dr. Alan McGowan	Joyce Thompson

Six Columbiana County, Ohio Pioneer Families  
1. William Peters (1794-1857) and Mary B. Leech  
Ancestors and Descendants

William Brooke Fetters

William B. Fetters

**New Members**

Registrar, Florence Beck reports 23 new Ohio Ohio Chapter memberships, 12 in Ohio, 10 from other states, and one from Canada. We take this opportunity to welcome the following-

**Members residing in Ohio**  
Donald Arnold, Up. Arlington  
William Beeler, Athens  
Dena Bovee, Worthington  
Lois Freeman, Zanesville  
Bruce Goll, Worthington  
Brenda Kuvin, South Euclid  
Sherry Scott, Columbus  
Ann & Vernon Vick, Irwin  
Lloyd Volk, Sunbury  
Ruth & Joseph Weikart,

Leetonia

Winifred & John Wellbaum,  
Columbus

Betty & Richard Wintermute,  
Worthington

**Ohio Members in other States**

Virginia & Robert Cassady,  
Phoenix, Arizona  
Lois Chanda, Sierra Madre, CA  
Helen Keeton, Palmdale, CA  
Henry Hensel, Great Lakes, IL  
Patricia & Richard Stahler,  
Naperville, IL.  
Haslem Smith, Lexington, KY  
Richard Gibboney, N.Y. NY  
Randy Kimler, Groves TX  
Henry Grunder, Williamsburg VA  
Betty & George Stout, Parkersburg WV

Shirley & Bill Eichenberg,  
Burlington, Ont., Canada

To these new members the chapter extends a hearty-

**Willkommen**

**Queries**

**Altwater:** Searching for place of origin in Germany an parent's names for Johann Friederich Altwater (Oldfather), born ca 1745, immigrated to Berlin, Somerset Co., PA in 1766, on the ship "Chance" from Rotterdam. Married Magdalena Freund/Freinsch. Many of Friederich's descendants migrated to Montgomery Co. Ohio.  
Barbara Fulmer, 1 Aspen Tree Lane, Irvine, CA 92715. Phone (714) 786-5208.

(2) Need to correspond with people who have done work on tracing their ancestors to Transylvania. Searching for wife's German Saxon ancestors from Transylvania (in the general location of Sibie) who settled in the Cleveland/Canton area. Need references for a genealogist researching that area.  
Kenneth E. White, 250 Bieber Drive, San Jose, CA 95123

Queries are welcome. Send to Editor. I. W. Simons. Address on back page.

**Editor's Ramblings**

My thanks to Joy Wade Moulton for permission to run her article on Trans Atlantic tracing. Joy's genealogical column is a regular feature in the Sunday Dispatch.



In addition to her column Mrs. Moulton frequently is a guest on WOSU AM 820. This is a listener call-in program that sometimes features a genealogical hour.

Dré and I are planning a tour of Italy with a side trip to Germany the first weeks of October. Returning after the deadline for the November Newsletter will make timely publication of that issue a bit difficult. Especially as the International Festival starts the 2nd of November and the Chapter will have a booth there (see Front page). Need volunteers!

I am also trying to find a death notice for g g grandmother Maira Anna (Langenstein) Simonis. B. Germany 1779 came to US in 1836. Died after 1841 Probably in Seneca Co., or neighboring counties. Let me know if you encounter any records.

The Harvey Harsh Award Winner



Dr. Arta F. Johnson  
HARVEY HARSH AWARD WINNER

Dr. Arta F. Johnson is a Charter Member of Palatines To America and was a major factor in the formation of this society in 1975, serving faithfully through the difficult early years. She was Editor of the newsletter, later called Palatine Patter, 1976-1978, then Editor of The Palatine Immigrant until 1981. She organized and edited The Immigrant Ancestor File and assisted with the first volume of The Ancestor Chart Index. During those early years she traveled and spoke to PAL-AM chapters without remuneration and has continued to contribute articles to the Ohio and Pennsylvania chapters newsletters.. Arta has willingly shared information with other members of PAL-AM, has assisted many members in basic research and has provided pointers along the way.

Dr. Helen Wikoff noted

A party honoring Dr. Wikoff's 91st birthday was given by Robert s. Rudy at his home on the afternoon of July 13. There was a large number of Dr. Wikoff's friends in the Palatine society in attendance. Dr. Wikoff has been active in our society since its inception and has been a valued member. She was given several books for her library. Food and good humor were in plentiful supply and the afternoon proved most enjoyable for those attending.

National Citation Award Winners



Dr. Robert C. & Clara H. Harsh  
NATIONAL CITATION AWARD WINNERS

Clara Hickox Harsh, during the past year and the two preceding years served faithfully and ably in her capacity of Treasurer of Palatines To America. In addition to her bringing improved procedures and order to the investing and recording of the society's funds she has computerized the bookkeeping and reporting. During her administration dues checks received have been promptly cashed. She actively contributed ideas and counsel in the national board meetings. Clara has indeed been a forceful factor in the administration of the national society of Palatines To America.

Dr, Robert C. Harsh was Membership Registrar for the national society of Palatines To America for the past two years and was reelected at the June Meeting for another one year term.. He manages the national office at Capital Univeristy, has brought the computerized record keeping to produce clear and concise information to the members, the several chapters' officers. and to the national officers. During Bob Harsh's administration receipts have been promptly handled and the dues renewal procedure has been streamlined. This society is fortunate to have the services of this highly competent and dedicated member



FALL CONFERENCE,  
OHIO CHAPTER, PALATINES TO AMERICA

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1991**  
**Ruff Learning Center Capital University, Columbus, Ohio**

**Schedule of Events**

Speaker for all sessions, Gerald M. Haslam, PhD, from Brigham Young University

<b>AM</b>		Map project and book sales at opening and intermissions
8:30-	9:00	Doors open, Registration, Coffee, Tea, Juice, & Donuts
9:00-	9:15	Welcome, opening remarks, Chapter President Phillip R. Beltz
9:15-	10:15	Use of Family History Centers for German Research
10:15-	10:45	Intermission
10:45-	11:45	German History for Genealogists
11:45-	12:00	Intermission
<b>PM</b>		
12:00-	1:00	Lunch. <i>Spiced Tomato Juice, Swiss Steak in Mushroom Gravy, Wild Rice Mix, Green Beans Almondine, Spinach Salad with Mushroom Dressing, Warm rolls, Warm Apple Crisp, Beverages. Subject To change by University catering.</i>
1:00-	1:15	Brief business meeting.
1:15-	2:15	Genealogical Research in Germany
2:15-	2:30	Intermission
2:30-	3:30	Linkage: Why Bother With All Those Brothers and Sisters?

**PAL-AM member registration \$17.00, Non-member \$20.00 prior to September 11.**  
(You will receive 2 up-dated announcements & registrations in separate mailing.)

Remember to pass one along to a friend!

**Conference Speaker**

**Gerald M. Haslam, PhD**, is an Accredited Genealogist, Assistant Professor of History, Brigham Young University, Provo Utah, where he teaches classes in paleography, writing family history, German genealogical sources and family history, Scandinavian genealogical sources and family history, European History (since 1750), and Scandinavian History.

He has lectured extensively on genealogical/historical topics, including lectures in Canada, England (Oxford) and Norway (Hamar). He has been a Germanic lineage research specialist since 1971 and has travelled extensively in Germany for research purposes, including what was formerly East Germany and parts of the Old Reich which are now under Poland. He holds a B.A. in print journalism and a M.A. in Renaissance / Reformation Studies.

He is married to the former Ann-Kathrin Schjerven, a native Norwegian. They are the par-

ents of three girls and two boys. They reside in Pleasant Grove, Utah.

**Other Meetings**

The **Ohio Chapter** is already planning the Spring 1992 Conference. Board Member, Mary Leppla, has made tentative arrangements for a conference to be held next April at the Berlin Christian Fellowship Hall in Holmes County.. The emphasis will be on Amish genealogy.

The **Pennsylvania Chapter** will hold its Fall Meeting September 28 at Wilson College, Chambersburg, Pennsylvania. Speakers will be Donna Valley and Dr. George K. Schweitzer. For more information write PA Chapter at P.O. Box 280, Strasburg, PA 17579

The **New York Chapter** will hold its Fall meeting September 14 at the Herkimer Home. southeast of Little Falls.

The **Indiana Chapter**, tentatively scheduled for 28 September in Indianapolis.

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**MEMBERSHIP DUES** per year (Oct. 1 to Sept 30) , \$19 for individual or \$21 Family (2 persons, single address). Add \$3 per membership if outside the US. Include SASE with check payable to Palatines To America, box 101 Capital University, Columbus, Ohio 43209-2394. National and Chapter dues are included in this payment. Members receive both National and Chapter mailings.

**LIBRARY;** The library is located in the Ohio Chapter office in room #339, Renner Hall at the SE corner of Main St. and College Ave. on the Capital University campus. The library is open each Wednesday from 1:00 to 4:00 PM. Other hours subject to advance confirmation with S. Jean Hall.

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