

Electronic News Update from the Michigan Council for History Education February 1, 2011, Vol. VIII, No. 7

Dear Colleagues:

May you find information of value in this issue. There is a great diversity of programs, resources, and opportunities in the 31 items listed below. Please remember that these E-Notes are as "tightly" edited as I can make it and often the flavor is removed in the interest of brevity. Check appropriate websites for more complete details. I am thankful for the friends who contribute information and for the colleagues who send this E-Notes on to others. May you have a warm and enjoyable February!

Dr. Jim McConnell, Editor, MCHE E-Notes

NOTE: The pdf attachment contains the same content as the message below. It is sent for those of you whose machines mess up the text of the E Notes. I hope this is helpful.

Check out the recent postings at www.michiganhistoryed.org Be sure to follow developments in History Education in Michigan on MCHE's website: <http://www.michiganhistoryed.org>!

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1. Breaking news: Library of Congress Resource Training set for Macomb ISD in July

TWENTY classroom teachers and media specialists are sought to develop Lesson Plans using materials from the Library of Congress website, www.loc.gov. The workshop will include an orientation to the materials and will require each participant to develop lessons for use by students. This project is subject to approval of funding, which is expected by early March. Sponsored by the Macomb Intermediate School District and the Michigan Council for History Education, the workshop will be held 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m., Tuesday-Wednesday, July 12/13, & Tuesday-Wednesday, July 26/27, 2011. All sessions will be at Macomb Intermediate School District, 44001 Garfield Road, Clinton Township MI 48038, from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., **Application must be RECEIVED no later than Friday, May 20th.** Application **MUST** be **accompanied by fully refundable DEPOSIT of \$25** to reserve your place. Deposits returned upon completion of workshop or, if not accepted, with letter of regret in mid-June. Applications will be available **AFTER FEB. 1st** at www.michiganhistoryed.org. Applicants will be notified of their selection by Friday, June 10th. Please contact Kathy Swanger, 586.228.3405 or kswanger@mysd.net or Dr. Jim McConnell, 734-525-2962 or jam1776@sbcglobal.net, Project Co-Directors, for more information. Participants will be expected to develop curriculum materials using the Library of Congress web resources and to help disseminate the materials by making presentations at educational conferences. A \$500 honorarium will be paid upon completion of appropriate materials. For sample lessons, visit <http://memory.loc.gov/learn/lessons/index.html>

2. 1812 Historic Sites Tour, July, Now accepting Reservations

A ten-day journey around the Great Lakes will visit key War of 1812 historic sites including the River Raisin Battlefield National Park, Fort Meigs, Fort Stephenson, the Perry Memorial on Put-in-Bay, the Niagara replica in Erie, PA, Brock Monument, the Battle of Lundy's Lane, Fort Erie, the Battle of Stoney Creek, historic Fort York, the Georgian Bay site of the Nancy, Fort St. Joseph and Fort Mackinac. The price of \$1,812 includes lodging, most meals, admissions and much more. For detailed brochure, please email Dr. Jim McConnell at jam1776@sbcglobal.net or visit www.michigan.gov/war1812

3. Rare signature by American Declaration of Independence co-signer turns up in, er, Wolverhampton

Yes, this is the 'return' of Button Gwinnett, worth an estimated £500,000, a co-signer of the American Declaration of Independence, one of the most sought after signatures in the world rivaling the likes of William Shakespeare. Read the full article at <http://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-1348142/Rare-signature-American-Declaration-Independence-signer-Button-Gwinnett-worth-500k-turns-er-Wolverhampton.html> (Thanks to historical researcher Matthew Christian Wayne, Toledo, OH)

4. Thurs., Jan. 27th, 7:00 PM, Democracy's Greatest Leaders: Abraham Lincoln and Winston Churchill, Gerald R. Ford Museum Speaker: Gleaves Whitney

2011 will be a year of considerable reflection. It is the 70th anniversary of America's entry into World War II and the 150th anniversary of the outbreak of the Civil War. The extraordinary leaders of these horrific wars not only led their people to victory; they also helped shape our modern world. Many regard Abraham Lincoln and Winston Churchill as the two greatest democratic leaders of all time. Who really were these men? How did they mobilize armies and the English language? Why do they endure in our collective imagination? In his talk, Whitney will explore some answers to these questions. **RSVP at**

Allpresidents.org

5. The Civil War Trust: Teacher Resources

Visit the Civil War Preservation Trust for a Civil War curriculum, lesson plans, and teacher events. There are also primary source materials and activities for students.

Click on: <http://www.civilwar.org/education/>
(from David Hales, wayne RESA Social studies Consultant)

6. "Everyday Life in Early Michigan" Workshop, March 5 & 19, Lansing

I want you to be aware of a workshop opportunity coming up soon. On March 5 & 19, the Michigan Historical Center is presenting "Everyday Life in Early Michigan". We will spend almost the entire first day in the galleries, immersed in 3 time periods: Pre-contact, French fur trade and Settlement. The second day is designed to help teachers put what they have learned into context using maps and timelines. SB-CEUs will be offered pending final approval from MDE. This will be helpful with the 3rd grade GLCEs. The content is also relevant to 5th grade and the techniques can be adapted to other content. I am happy to answer questions.

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7. Introducing American History TV on C-SPAN3 Every Sat., 8am- Mon., 8 am

Every weekend on C-SPAN3, join us for American History TV--48 hours of people and events that help document the American story. We search key political archives to bring you historic speeches of former presidents and other national leaders. We'll take you to campuses across the nation to attend classes in American history taught by top professors. Hear eyewitness accounts of the events that have shaped our nation. Come along with our cameras to exhibits at museums and historic sites. And, learn about U.S. history by watching speeches and seminars with leading historians. Visit c-span.org/history to learn more and see what's coming up this weekend.

8. Underground Railroad Symposium, Sat., Feb. 26, 1-4pm., Detroit Historical Museum

"Our Underground Railroad Story: The Descendants Speak of the River," a special presentation offered by the Detroit Historical Society's Black Historic Sites Committee, features panelists that include descendants of William Webb, Mary Ann Shadd Cary, Caroline Quarlls Watkins, and others. Local author and former Detroit News columnist Betty DeRamus, whose current book "Freedom by Any Means" tells some of the most compelling stories of the Underground Railroad, will also appear. \$10 for Detroit Historical Society and Black Historic Sites Committee members; \$15 nonmembers. For more info, call Janice Gates at (313) 833-1262. www.detroithistorical.org/main/upcoming/public_programs.aspx

9. Black History Month Resources

Go to: socialstudies.resa.net (No www, user name or password needed) Click on: "Black History Month" It contains a wide variety of web sites that offer lesson plans & resources to assist educators in teaching about MLK Jr. and Black History Month. Let me know if there are any sites you would recommend that I add. (from David Hales, Social Studies Consultant, Wayne RESA)

10. Professional Development Learning Opportunities at The Henry Feb. 12, March 12, March 26 and April 30, May 14, 2011 (9am-5:30pm)

Learn, share, co-design and get energized and rejuvenated to teach! •American Democracy & Civil Rights Feb. 12, •Science & Technology March 12, •American Innovation March 26, •Family & Community Life April 30, •America's Industrial Revolution May 14, CEUs offered through Wayne RESA (Fee \$10)/pending approval. Fee: \$80 per person per session (includes materials, coffee, lunch and admission to the thematic site.) Teachers who attend all spas will receive a content training endorsement certificate from The Henry Ford. Contact 313-982-6001 or visit www.thehenryford.org/events/learningSpas.aspx for more info and to register.

11. Using Google Earth to Help Teach US History, Course # 3528

When: 2/2/2011 Where: Room 203, Computer Lab Time: 9:00-3:00 p.m. Cost: \$50.00, .5 sb-ceu's available for a \$10.00 processing fee. Gain hands-on experience with Google Earth and walk away with a collection of ideas and lessons for using this free virtual globe software to teach US History. The intended audience for this course is teachers of grades 5, 8, and high school. To register:Go to www.resa.net Questions: Contact David Hales at halesd@resa.net

12. Sat., Jan. 29, Carver's Legacies @ The Henry Ford

A symposium honoring the life and lasting contributions of George Washington Carver, an exceptional scientist, educator, social activist, innovator, and friend of Henry Ford
www.thehenryford.org/enews/eblasts/2011/carverSymposium/invite/v1_s2.html

13. UK Survey of US Presidents: Results and Analysis

The United States Presidency Centre (USPC) of the Institute for the Study of the Americas has conducted the first ever UK scholarly survey of US presidents from George Washington to George W. Bush (with an interim assessment of Barack Obama). In total 47 UK specialists on American history and politics have rated presidential performance in five categories: (i) vision/agenda-setting; (ii) domestic leadership; (iii) foreign policy leadership; (iv) moral authority; and (v) positive historical significance of legacy. Survey results at <http://americas.sas.ac.uk/research/USPC/html>

New Bull Run Photo Gallery Available for Civil War Fanatics

The 150th anniversary of the Battle of Bull Run (First Manassas) is less than 6 months away. Check out our new gallery of historic and modern photos of the Battle of Bull Run.
<http://www.civilwar.org/photos/galleries/first-manassas-photos/bull-run.html>

14. Detroit Historical Museum to host Michigan Vietnam Veteran Traveling Memorial Wall January 29-February 13

To honor Michigan's Vietnam veterans, the Michigan Vietnam Veteran Traveling Memorial will be on display at the Detroit Historical Museum beginning Sat., Jan. 29 through Sun., Feb. 13. Veterans and their families may visit the display for free during its stay at the museum. The memorial wall features the names of Michigan's 2,654 casualties. In addition to the memorial, the display will feature books with biographies on each of Michigan's casualties, as well as photos of more than 1,400 of them. The public is invited to bring photos of friends and relatives killed in action during the Vietnam War, so that their photos may be included in the books. For more info, call (313) 833-1805 or check out www.detroithistorical.org.

15. Sat., April 30, Civil War Memorial Fundraiser Dinner

Tickets \$20 each, Tickets will not be sold at the door! ~Dinner Presentation: "Norman Hall and Fort Sumter, the Beginning"~, Monroe VFW Hall, 400 Jones Ave., Monroe, MI. Tickets available at the Monroe County Historical Museum, 126 S. Monroe St., Monroe, MI (734) 240-7780. or visit <http://mcmcws.wordpress.com>

16. Nominations sought by April 1st for John B. Swainson Award

The Michigan Historical Commission has established the GOVERNOR JOHN B. SWAINSON AWARD to recognize outstanding contributions to the preservation of Michigan history by public servants. The success of historic preservation often depends on the extra efforts of government employees whose primary function does not involve history, but who nonetheless recognize their agency's potential to preserve significant portions of

the physical record of Michigan's past. The purpose of the John B. Swainson Award is to recognize significant contributions to the preservation of Michigan's past (archaeology, archives, artifacts, stories, historic architecture and landscapes) by such governmental employees or their agencies, at the state, county, municipal or township level. The nomination is due by April 1st. Information on the award is available at www.michigan.gov/documents/dnr/mhc_commission_swainson-2010nomination_313830_7.pdf

17. Michigan in Perspective: The Local History Conference marks 53rd year, March 25-26, 2011

The 53rd annual Michigan in Perspective: The Local History Conference will be held March 25-26, 2011, at the Michigan State University Management Education Center in Troy . The conference is presented by the Historical Society of Michigan and organized by the Michigan in Perspective Planning Committee. The conference will feature several keynote speakers and breakout sessions focused on local history in Michigan . Hank Meijer , co-chairman of Meijer, Inc., will present the opening keynote, **Meijer at 77: Growing Up in Michigan**. Other keynotes include **The Story of Adam and Sarah Crosswhite** by Bryan and Shannon Prince; **Preserving Ford's Highland Park Plant** by Debbie Schutt, president of Schutt & Co.; and **Reinventing Detroit** by *Detroit Free Press* writer John Gallagher. Breakout sessions will cover topics such as local history, genealogy, women's history, cultural diversity and industrial history. Open to anyone interested in state or regional history, registration for the two-day event is \$35 (\$45 after March 16). To register or for more info, www.hsmichigan.org or call (800) 692-1828.

18. MSU Press releases book on Governor John B. Swainson

A winner of the Michigan Notable Book Award, 2011, "Wounded Warrior: The Rise and Fall of Michigan Governor John Swainson" has just been published by Michigan State University Press. Written by Lawrence M. Glazer, the complete story of one of Michigan's key 20th century personalities is told in complete detail. I admit to a strong personal appreciation for the years Swainson dedicated to helping promote public service and knowledge of Michigan's history so this is a 'must-read' book for me. Check it out at <http://msupress.msu.edu/>

19. "Historic Detroit" Tour set for Sat., April 30th, by Detroit Historical Society

SAVE THE DATE! Join Jim and Annette McConnell, Detroit Historical Society volunteers, on a fascinating, trivia-filled tour of many of Detroit's most historic sites. Highlights include Fort Pontchartrain, Campus Martius, Grand Circus Park, Midtown developments, the Cultural Center, the New center, and much more. Price of \$60 (members) and \$70 (guests) includes lunch at the historic Traffic Jam near Wayne State University. For more info, email jam1776@sbcglobal.net. Registration will be posted at www.detroithistorical.org in mid-March.

20. Subscribe now for FREE Michigan Civil War Sesqui Newsletter

If you would like to be added to "History Remembered, Inc.", the Michigan Civil War Sesquicentennial Circular, please email your request to civil-war@comcast.net. The "Circular" contains information on Civil war resources, activities and special events.

21. The Big Squeeze:

Inside Detroit, a nonprofit that operates the Downtown Welcome Center, is organizing an effort to break the Guinness World Record for the Largest Group Hug. More than 10,000 people are needed. The attempt will be made at 7 p.m. Feb. 12 at Campus Martius Park during the Motown Winter Blast. To raise funds and awareness of the event, "I Hug Strangers in the D" buttons are being sold for \$1 in Detroit. For information, call 313-962-4590 or e-mail info@insidedetroit.org.

22. Electrohistory news item

The History Department at UT Austin is launching an informative, interactive history web site Notevenpast.org The content and "picks" are written by the department's 60-person faculty with additional input from the graduate students. Notevenpast.org is rich with book and film recommendations, video interviews, podcasts, online commentary, and even virtual classes (free) every semester. Take a peak now: www.notevenpast.org (From Guven Witteveen <sjmi@hotmail.com>)

23. The Civil War of 1812: American Citizens, British Subjects, Irish Rebels, & Indian Allies by Alan Taylor Hardcover, 640 pages, \$35.00, ISBN: 978-1-4000-4265-4 (1-4000-4265-8)

(I just finished this book. It is NOT a survey of the War but rather a very thoughtful study of the war along the U.S.-Canadian border. Taylor makes extensive use of primary sources and tells a fascinating story. Jim) In this deeply researched and clearly written book, the Pulitzer Prize-winning historian Alan Taylor tells the riveting story of a war that redefined North America. During the early nineteenth century, Britons and Americans renewed their struggle over the legacy of the American Revolution. Soldiers, immigrants, settlers, and Indians fought in a northern borderland to determine the fate of a continent. Would revolutionary republicanism sweep the British from Canada? Or would the British empire contain, divide, and ruin the shaky American republic? Both sides then celebrated victory by forgetting their losses and by betraying the native peoples. A vivid narrative of an often brutal (and sometimes comic) war that reveals much about the tangled origins of the United States and Canada.

24. Opportunities for Teachers, Jan. 2011, from U.M. International Institute

(A) **Afghanistan 2011: Connections, Communities, Crises** *Sponsored by several International Institute Units. Friday, Jan 28 - Tuesday, Apr 5*; A series of public lectures and films looking at Afghanistan in context--regional, cultural, historical. Visit Afghan series for more information.

(B) **Conversations on Europe: The Balkan Sight of the Mediterranean (The Unbearable Similarity of the Other)** *Sponsored by the Center for European Studies-European Union Center, International Institute (SSWB), Rm. 1636, 1080 S. University Ave., Ann Arbor. Thursday, Feb 3, 4-5:30 PM*; Author Gazmend Kapllani discusses his new book, "My Name is Europe." Part of "The; Connecting Sea: Charting the Mediterranean across the Disciplines." Visit www.ii.umich.edu/ces-euc for more information.

(C) **A Day of East Asian Culture: East Asian Celebration** *Sponsored by the Center for Chinese Studies, the Center for Japanese Studies, and the Nam Center for Korean Studies School of Social Work (SSWB), Educational Conference Center, 1080 S. University Ave., Ann Arbor, Saturday, Feb 12, 9AM-4PM*; Spend an afternoon exploring the symbols representing long life, happiness, and prosperity in the arts of Chinese, Japanese and Korean cultures. Distinguished U-M faculty member David Chung will be discussing his work "The Ten Immortals" in addition to presentations in the performing arts. Contact Heather Littlefield for more information and to register.

(D) **Afghanistan Past and Present: Connections, Communities, Conflicts Professional Development Workshop for Middle and High School Teachers**, *International Institute (SSWB), Rm. 1644, 1080 S. University Ave., Ann Arbor, Tuesday, Mar 29, 4:30-7:30PM, Registration Deadline: Mar 15*; Visit CREES Teacher Outreach for more information and to register.

Resources

(E) Pedagogical Materials on Europe and the European Union

U-M Center for European Studies-European Union Center A new series of 10 free online lessons plans about the EU designed by educators to support History and Social Science curricula in the United States, primarily for grades 9-12. To view the lessons, please visit www.eurunion.org/eu

(F) Michigan Council for the Social Studies (MCSS) Opportunities for the Teachers Blog

Provides information on grant opportunities and resources for teachers. Created by former Outreach Coordinator and MCSS board member, Sylvia Meloche. Updated monthly. Please visit www.mcssmi.org/opportunities

25. Look!: The Green Hornet

The Green Hornet (soon flying onto the silver screen) debuted at a Detroit radio station in 1936. How did he come to be? Who is his famous great uncle? What is the mysterious fate of the radio actor who played the original Kato? All this and more here: <http://seekingmichigan.org/look/2011/01/11/green-hornet>

Look: Statehood Day

Tomorrow (Jan. 26) is Michigan’s 174th birthday! Read about the “rough and rocky road to statehood” by clicking this link: <http://seekingmichigan.org/look/2011/01/25/statehood> (from Bob Garrett,, Archives of Michigan, DNRE but soon to be DNR again)

26. Read a fascinating article on a sweet February topic!

Visit Colonial Williamsburg’s website

<http://us.mg203.mail.yahoo.com/dc/launch?.partner=sbc&gx=1&rand=cmeqg1el7tga>. The article, “HISTORY OF CHOCOLATE: CHOCOLATE IN THE AMERICAN COLONIES,” was written by Rodney Snyder. Among the items is a collection of “Chocolate References from North America.” including •Henri Joutel was an eyewitness historian of the La Salle expedition of 1684, which sought to reach the mouth of the Mississippi River by sea. He mentioned drinking chocolate in his diary. • Samuel Sewall, a Massachusetts judge best known for his involvement in the Salem witch trials, wrote about breakfasting on venison and chocolate in 1697. All this, suggested teaching strategy, and much more.

27. Archives: historian tampered with Lincoln pardon

Washington, DC...Archivist of the United States David S. Ferriero announced today that Thomas Lowry, a long-time Lincoln researcher from Woodbridge, VA, confessed on January 12, 2011, to altering an Abraham Lincoln Presidential pardon that is part of the permanent records of the U.S. National Archives. The pardon was for Patrick Murphy, a Civil War soldier in the Union Army who was court-martialed for desertion. To read the article, visit

http://news.yahoo.com/s/ap/20110124/ap_on_re_us/us_altered_lincoln_document_2 For the National archives report, visit <http://www.archives.gov/press/press-releases/2011/nr11-57.html>

28. Center for Michigan offers Thoughtful Insights on Michigan Government & Politics

One of the most interesting e-newsletters you can receive is the weekly summary of articles from the Ann Arbor-based Center for Michigan. The Center is led by Phil Power, former owner/publisher of the Observe and Eccentric chain, and much of the commentary is written by John Bebow. Among the recent items i found most fascinating were “ SPECIAL REPORT: NEW STUDY SHOWS FRESH EROSION IN SCHOOL CALENDARS,” “BIPARTISAN CAUCUS AIMS FOR GROWTH & POLICY WINS,” “A QUICK WORD WITH THE NEW GOVERNOR?” & “MICHIGAN CENSUS RESULTS EXPLAINED IN 5 MINUTES OR LESS” To subscribe and for more info, visit www.thecenterformichigan.net

29. News from the Detroit Historical society

(A) Michigan History Day at the Detroit Historical Museum

On Sat., **March 19**, over 100 fourth through twelfth grade students will share their historical scholarship at the Detroit Historical Museum as part of the **Michigan History Day** program. The March 19th contest is for students living in southeastern Michigan. The winners will advance to the Michigan History Day competition which takes place at Grand Valley State University on Sat., April 30.

It's not too late to get your students involved! Visit the Michigan History Day website www.hsmichigan.org or contact Tobi Voigt, Detroit Historical Society Director of Education, MHD District 10 Coordinator, at tobiv@detroithistorical.org.

(B) Collections Resource Center Tours Are Now Available!

Located on the grounds of Historic Fort Wayne, the **Detroit Historical Society's Collections Resource Center** is home to over **200,000 historic artifacts**, including: Political Campaign Collection, Toy Collection, Classic Car Models, Incredible Sports Memorabilia, and much more. Collections Resource Center

tours are available for students **13 years of age and older**. Please contact us at **313.833.1733** for more info and to schedule your tour.

(C) DON'T FORGET Book Your Historical Perspectives and Maritime History Tours Soon! Guided tours from the Detroit Historical Society are designed to align with the **Michigan Department of Education's Social Studies Content Expectations**. As the school year draws to a close, **available tours will begin to fill quickly** - call us today at **313.833.1733** to reserve your preferred date and time!

30. Michigan Joint Education Conference: Connecting Across the Curricula

The fourth annual Michigan Joint Education Conference will be held on Wed. June 22, in Coopersville at Coopersville High School. Featured sessions will be directed at teachers and administrators on integrated education, curriculum and instruction. For more info contact Michigan Joint Education Conference, at(734) 677-2270 or visit www.mijec.org to register for the event.

31. New Bull Run Photo Gallery Available for Civil War Fanatics

The 150th anniversary of the Battle of Bull Run (First Manassas) is less than 6 months away. Check out our new gallery of historic and modern photos of the Battle of Bull Run.

<http://www.civilwar.org/photos/galleries/first-manassas-photos/bull-run.html>

32. News from the History News Network (www.hnn.us)

(NOTE: You can subscribe directly to this E-newsletter from their website. About 3 times/week, I skim the titles for topics of interest. It includes many current issues as well as the historical items I include here.)

*The Much Maligned Twentieth Amendment DONALD A. RITCHIE

<http://www.hnn.us/articles/135008.html>

*Scalia: Women Don't Have Constitutional Protection Against Discrimination

<http://hnn.us/roundup/41.html#135100>

*King Tut's Wife's Tomb May Emerge in 2011

<http://hnn.us/roundup/41.html#135088>

*Slavery murals ordered out of Georgia state office

<http://hnn.us/roundup/41.html#135042>

*Pompeii's Second Destruction

<http://hnn.us/roundup/41.html#135040>

*Baby boomers: Officially, you're now senior citizens

<http://hnn.us/roundup/41.html#135028>

*Civil War, 150 Years Later, Still Divides Our Nation

<http://hnn.us/roundup/41.html#135015>

*Robin Hood 'based on William Wallace'

<http://hnn.us/roundup/41.html#135013>

Why the Civil War Happened THOMAS FLEMING

<http://www.hnn.us/articles/135102.html>

Wreck of USS Revenge found by divers near Rhode Island

<http://hnn.us/roundup/41.html#135226>

*JFK library to put all its records online

<http://hnn.us/roundup/41.html#135401>

The Faith of—and Our Faith in—George Washington THOMAS S. KIDD

<http://www.hnn.us/articles/135290.html>

*JFK's inaugural speech: Six secrets of his success

<http://hnn.us/roundup/41.html#135638>
