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## Overview Of our website – [iroquoisgenealogysociety.org](http://iroquoisgenealogysociety.org)

- I. ABOUT Section: administration area of the website.
  - A. **Mission:** Mission Statement.
  - B. **What We Do:** Objectives, Accomplishments.
  - C. **Partners:** Click on each symbol to go to the website of our partners.
  - D. **Projects:** Digitization projects, Elder Interviews, Photo & Document Collection.
  - E. **Officers:** Current IGS Officers.
  - F. **Meetings and Events:** Monthly meetings and special events listed.
  - G. **Events Gallery:** Pictures and description of our events.
  - H. **Comments & Suggestions:** we welcome your comments/suggestions!
  - I. **Contact:** IGS mailing address and email address.
  - J. **Join Now**
  
- II. **COLLECTION Section:** consists of the results of our on-going digitization project to make documents of genealogical interest accessible to Iroquois communities.
  - A. **Document Archives:**
    1. **Census Records**
      - 1840 Buffalo Creek
      - 1915 NYS All. & Catt. Territories
      - 1915 Tonawanda Territory
      - 1843-1844 Seneca territory Appraisals
      - 1845 NYS Census Buffalo Creek
      - 1845 NYS Cayugas at Cattaraugus
      - 1845 NYS Census Allegany Territory
      - 1845 NYS Census Cattaraugus Territory
      - 1875 NYS Census Allegany Territory Abstract by Jack Ericson  
And Gina Palermo

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### 1. Census Records

1849 Voters List, Cattaraugus Territory\*

### 2. Church Records

Church of Good Shepherd, Cattaraugus Territory

1822-1874 Seneca Mission Presbyterian Church

1823 Seneca Mission Buffalo Creek

### 3. School Records

1899-1908 Thomas Indians School

1905-1942 Thomas Indian School Annual Reports

1855-1955 Thomas Indian School Student Lists

Seneca Students at Carlisle Indian School

Tunesassa Quaker School Student List plus Genealogical info\*

All Students discharged from Thomas Indian School since founding

### 4. Vital Records\*

Cattaraugus Territory Death Records 1946-199

Tonawanda Territory Death Records 1856-2000

### 5. Kansas Claims

Cayuga Claims

Oneida Claims

### 6. Manuscripts

Gertrude Edith (Pierce) Maybee Family Bible Transcription

Mrs. Ulessus (Salina Mabee) Kennedy Ledger Records

Mrs. Arthur (Florence Silverheels) Wakolee Records

Tonawanda Genealogies collected by Elisabeth Tooker

Maris B. Pierce Diary\*

Link to Maris Pierce Papers on New York Heritage website\*

### 7. Iroquois Census Project

1815-1925

Annuity Roll census 1851-1886, Seneca Territories only\*

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### **B. Photo Galleries**

1. IGS Collection Gallery
2. IGS Collection Slideshow
3. Deardorff Collection
4. Photo Identification
5. Thomas Indian School NYS Archives
6. William Fention Photo Collection
7. Artistic Renderings & Sketches
8. Local Newspaper Clippings

### **C. Map Gallery**

Many digital maps of Cattaraugus, Allegany, Tonawanda Territories and other important sites.

### **D. IGS Presentations**

1. Descendants of Peter Crouse by Wallace Ward
2. Native American Resources in the Grosvenor Room (Buffalo & Erie County Public Library) by Rhonda Hoffman
3. Digital Resources for Haudensaunee Genealogy by Wallace Ward
4. Descendants of Buffalo Tom Jemison by Jare Cardinal
5. Buffalo Creek Timeline by Leatha Jimerson
6. The Senecas and Munsee at Cattaraugus by Dr. James Folts, NYS Archivist

### **E. IGS Member Genealogies**

1. Shirley (Patterson) Kennedy (Record and Pedigree Chart by Teresa VanAernum)
2. Ancestors of Marilyn Anderson by Marilyn Anderson
3. Spencer Jimerson by Arthur Hill
4. John Lay Descendants by Leatha Jimerson
5. Ancestors of Jennifer (Jenny) Logan
6. Robert and Amanda Jimerson by Debbi Hoag
7. Edward Kennedy Jr. by Debbi Hoag
8. Descendants of Isaac and Sally Halftown by Debbi Hoag
9. Pedigree chart of Randy John Descendants by Dr. Randy A. John

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### **F. Stories, Narratives and Histories**

1. History of Tunesassa School from Warren Historical Society
2. Cornplanter History from Warren Historical Society
3. History of Versailles
4. Historical Sketch of the Village of Gowanda, NY

### **G. Newsletter – Coming Soon**

**H. Submissions** – Submit your photos, documents and family history to our website.

## **III. RESOURCES Section:** resources and tools to help you to advance your research.

### **A. Genealogy 101**

IGS Genealogy 101 Resource List  
IGS Genealogy 101 Iroquois Resource List  
IGS Genealogy Forms  
Six Generation Pedigree Chart  
Family Group Record  
Relational Diagram

**B. Genealogy Websites** – links to national and local websites.

**C. Native Genealogy** – website links to First Nations websites.

**D. Recommended Readings** – books recommended by IGS to help in your genealogical research plus a link to a review or purchase if available.

**E. How to use this Website** – a descriptive narrative to the each section of the website.

## **IV. SITE MAP:** a basic outline of the IGS website, click on section name and you will be directed to that section.

**V. NEWS:** SNI Newsletter articles submitted by IGS

\*Denotes records added 2/2021