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This little-known periodical was published for only four years, and consisted largely of previously unpublished contemporary records, some of which have never been published elsewhere.

As this file was created for my own use a few words about the format of the entries are in order. The entries are listed by GA volume. Each volume is preceded by the volume number and year in boldface. Articles that are carried across more than one volume have their parts listed under the applicable volumes. This entry, from Volume 3, will illustrate the format used:

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I have listed only articles with genealogical or historical content of interest to the genealogical researcher. I have not included articles and series such as "Book Reviews" and "Queries," although the answers to queries are included.

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