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BRANCH BRIEFING

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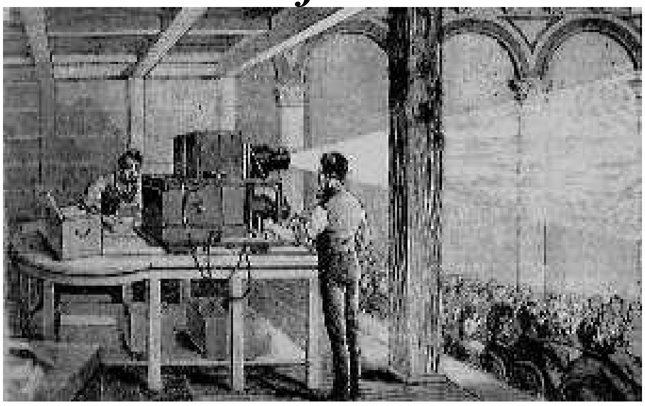
Our next meeting will be held on

Tuesday 13th March 2012 at 7.45 p.m.

"Travelling Magic Lantern Show –
More Pictures of Worcestershire"



compiled by our own member **Mike Fisher**

(due to an unforeseen Christmas present I will not be there in person but have compiled a show of general views of Worcestershire. Please all join in with you comments and anecdotes as usual)

There will be a short AGM during the evening – an opportunity for all to comment on the future of our branch.

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Warwickshire Records.

More and more Warwickshire County Record Office records are been made available via Ancestry. The latest are Occupational and Quarter Session Records:-

boat owners records,
flax bounty records,
lists of freeholders (This collection is largely 18th century),
lists of freemasons (start 1799),
hair powder certificates (The practice of powdering hair began in England in the

17th century. At the end of the 18th century a duty of one pound one shilling a year was levied on everyone who continued to use hair powder)
gamekeepers records,
hearth tax returns,
jurors' lists (1696-1849)
printing press owners records (These records include printers, publishers, and typefounders)

Already available
Burial Slips from Warwick Cemetery, 1859-1968
Bastardy Orders, 1816-1839
Parish Poor Law, 1546-1904
Land Tax, 1773-1830
Militia, 1776-1825
Miscellaneous Parish Records
Baptisms, Marriages, and Burials, 1535-1812
Baptisms, 1813-1910
Marriages and Banns, 1754-1910
Burials, 1813-1910

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In April - there will be no meeting as the hall is not available.

For our May meeting on Tuesday 8th May we are inviting you to bring along any ‘Wedding Memorabilia’ to show and share with the meeting.

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