

Michael E. Stevens
Presents

The Making of Pioneer Wisconsin

Voices of Early Settlers

From the mid-1830s through the 1850s, more than a half million people settled in Wisconsin. While traveling in ships and wagons, establishing homes, and forming new communities, these men, women, and children recorded their experiences in letters, diaries, and newspaper articles. In their own words, they revealed their fears, joys, frustrations, and hopes in this new place.

Woven together with context provided by historian Michael E. Stevens, these first person accounts form a fascinating narrative that deepens our ability to understand and empathize with Wisconsin's early pioneers.

Monday November 18th at 7:00 pm

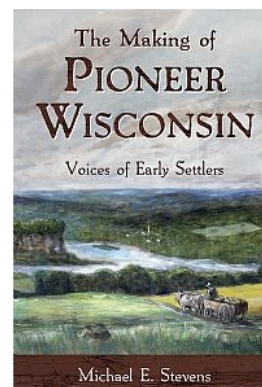
**New Berlin Public Library Community Room
15105 Library Lane in the City Center**

Free and open to the public

Light Refreshments



Michael E. Stevens is the author or editor of nearly thirty articles and thirteen books, including *The Family Letters of Victor and Meta Berger*, *Letters from the Front*, *Remembering the Holocaust*, *Voices from Vietnam*, and *Women Remember the War, 1941-1945*. Stevens earned his PhD in American history from the University of Wisconsin-Madison and is Wisconsin State Historian Emeritus.



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