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File.pm

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NAME

MARC::File - Base class for files of MARC records

VERSION

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SYNOPSIS

```
use MARC::File::USMARC;

my $file = MARC::File::USMARC->in( $filename );

while ( my $marc = $file->next() ) {
    # Do something
}
$file->close();
undef $file;
```

EXPORT

None.

METHODS

in()

Opens a file for input.
Returns a MARC::File object, or undef on failure.

next()

Reads the next record from the file handle passed in.
Returns a MARC::Record reference, or undef on error.

skip()

Skips over the next record in the file. Same as next (), without the overhead of parsing a record you're going to throw away anyway.
Returns 1 or undef.

warnings()

Similar to MARC::Record and MARC::Batch, warnings() will return any warnings that have accumulated while processing this file; and as a side-effect will clear the warnings buffer.

RELATED MODULES

[MARC::Record](#)

TODO

- out () method
We only handle files for input right now.

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