#### TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 35 Issue #10 Letters left at Post Office typed by Winnie Kleinknecht

List of letters remaining in the Post Office at Bucyrus, Ohio, on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of October, A.D. 1836; which if not taken before the first day of January, A.D. 1837, will be sent to the General Post Office as dead letters. Henry S. John Post Master

Albright, Joseph (3) Ackerman, John Anderson, Alexander Albright, David Bacon, Charles Browssen, John Gottreid Beelman, Joseph Bowman, Samuel Brown, George Bair, Adam Bacon, Ralph Boyer, John Bishop, Thomas Barias, Eliza Clingan, William Clark, Benjamin A. Coventry, Jacob Cary, Able Crothers, Sen. Wm. Clark, Victory Davis, John (3) Dyck (?) Dyer, L. Doty, Miss Mary Dunlap, William Doty, Lyman Davis, Slewellyn Gron/Grun, Gottlieb Gore, Joseph Garton, Amos Gun, Gandaloup George, Jesse Giger, Adam Griffith, Silas Garton, Lorenzo Grossco, Michael Garton, Harris George, Samuel G. Gibson, John Geover, Charles Gillespie, Thomas, Jr. Hallisreitenger, Michael Harmon, Jonathan (2) Hoss, Adam Haney, James Hirly/Hivly, Mr. Heminger, Samuel

Hassin, Joseph Hekenlively, George Hill, Joseph M. Hessin, Joseph D. Horst/Harst, George Harker, Elenor June, Sterling S. June, S.B. Kirk, John Knott, Joseph Kerr, Robert Kunze, Andrew Kerr, Alexander Kalb, William Littleton, Solomon Landon, Mrs. Ann Landon, Miss Betsy Lau, Gastwith Lauck, Mr. Loch, David (2) Jones, John Maze, Robert Mitchell, John Monnett, Thos. Mathews, William Miller, Phebe E. Mathews, Mrs. Mary McCauley, James McDonal, William Nye, Michael Overleader, Jacob Patterson, Samuel A. Plumer, Nathaniel Plants, Samual Patterson, William Patterson, Edward Pied/Pird, William Parks, Thomas Robinson, Martha Russel, Alpheas Rice, Isaac Ruth. Rev. F.O. Rigg, John (2) Reading/Rending, John Reeve, Esther Scott, J. Esq. Slifer, John

Shaeffer, Philip Shockey, Abraham Snele/Shele, Martin Smith, Edson Shultz, William Spyker, Eliza (2) Sinclair, William Shaffior. Martin Shaffer, Jacob Singler, Elias Stuckman, John Sweney, T.C. Stuff, Chr. Schmid, Julius (2) Shonfelt, Catharine Stine, Abraham (2) Savage, Daniel Snider, Jacob Schindler, Frederick Shafer, John or Catharine South, Michael Sweney, J. Stinehiller, Conrad Vanvoorhis, Samuel Wilson, Miss Nancy Winters, Samuel White, William Whitezeman, Jacob Wise, John Waters, Jacob Wittinger, M. C. Whitmore, John Wizeman, M. Yeiter, Jacob Young, Jacob Foreign Letters

Reidel, John Fredrick Price, Simon

#### CABINET MAKERS

<u>CLYMER & MYERS, Cabinet Makers</u> Proprietors: F. Clymer and William Myers (Dissolved Dec. 30, 1867)

<u>WILLIAM PENSINGER Cabinet Shop and Furniture</u> Moved to room on second floor of the old Fire Engine Building Opposite his former place of business – Aug. 13, 1868

> CARRIAGE FACTORIES KNAUSS & BECK, Carriage Makers J.C. Knauss and S.H. Beck, Proprietors

On east Main Street, east of C.C. & C. railroad crossing – Apr. 11, 1867

**CLOTHING, FURNISHINGS & TAILORS** 

BEALE & KERR CLOTHING HALL - Dec. 7, 1865

• FELLHEIMER and STRAUSS

<u>At The New Eastern Clothing Store Main</u> St one door below Odd Fellows Hall (Sold out and left Galion – Mar. 1867)

<u>M. FELLHEIMER</u> Two doors east of Post Office Auction to sell out – Sep. 1, 1870)

> <u>GREAT EASTERN CLOTHING STORE</u> Two doors east of First National Bank, Main Street

NEW STORE OF MILLER & COMPANY OF CLEVELAND, OHIO In Sponhauer's New Block – Dec. 5, 1867

ONE HORSE CLOTHING STORE & MERCHANT TAILOR SHOP P.W. and W.R. Weber, Proprietors In Deibig's Block on Main Street opposite Keen's National Saloon Galion Business Directory prepared by Lois Rinehart

THE PEOPLE'S CLOTHING STORE, Readymade Clothing and Furnishings

Leibschutz and Stern, Proprietors Main Street, a few doors west of the Western House

ANDREW READING, MEN'S CLOTHING STORE Two doors west of First National Bank

RISTINE & JENNINGS, Clothing and Furnishings On Main Street

<u>H. SEIG, Merchant Tailor Store</u> (Men's clothing) Union Block, south west corner of Public Square

> SWANNER, ANDERSON & BROTHERS Main Street

TWO HORSE CLOTHING STORE P.W. and W.R. Weber, Proprietors Long's Block, east side of Public Square

#### WEBER BROTHERS CLOTHING STORE

P.W. and W.R. Weber, Proprietors Long's Block, east side of Public Square

P.W. WEBER'S CLOTHING STORE Moved to East Main Street

#### COAL YARD

JOHNSON & COLLINS, Coal Yard South Market Street

#### COOPER SHOPS

CRONENWETT COOPER SHOP Charles Cronenwett, Proprietor

Barrels, Kegs, Cisterns, Tanks, etc. On South Street near the Foundry

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NAME	Railroad cases from Crawford County Common Pleas Court - REPORT
HANLON, Fannie KLAHN	Admin. for estate of Jacob KLAHN, deceased, vs. Erie Railroad Company. On December 3, 1931 the decedent was traveling by automobile on Harding Way East in Galion, OH going in an easterly direction when crossing the tracks of the defendant was hit by a train traveling at a high rate of speed. The said Jacob KLAHN was killed and is survived by his wife, Fannie KLAHN HANLON, and daughter aged two. The Plaintiff is praying for judgment of \$10,000 plus all proper relief.
HART, Eugene	vs. Emma HART, New York Central Railroad Co. et al. On October 4, 1927 Emma HART commenced a civil action by defendant and Justice of the Peace, Jackson Township, Crawford Co. OH against the plaintiff for money due for support of minor child. Plaintiff had moved to Bucyrus in March 1926 and did not receive notice of hearing. In September 26, 1928 he was adjudged bankrupt and was duly discharged of all his debts under the bankrupt law and that Emma HART was listed as a creditor. On October 10, 1928 Emma HART commenced, before Justice of the Peace, Jackson Township, an action to obtain earnings due to Plaintiff from New York Central Railroad Company. Plaintiff prays defendants be temporarily restrained and enjoined from enforcing said judgment and that the defendant New York Central Railroad Company be restrained from paying plaintiff's personal earnings and turning property over in the discharge of said judgment.
HARTWELL, Augustus	vs. Pennsylvania Railroad Company. Petition states on May 18, 1921 plaintiff made a contract with defendant at Bucyrus, OH whereby the defendant was to ship 19 horses to Cleveland, Ohio over the line of railroad in a car owned and operated by defendant. Plaintiff says all 19 horses were in good condition when delivered to defendant but that defendant company negligently and carelessly loaded horses into a defective car which was entirely insufficient to transport livestock. Through ordinary usage in handling of these horses the door of the car was broken loose to let the horses fall out of the car, badly injuring them. On account of injuries to four of the animals, the animals were scarcely of marketable value. Plaintiff prays to recover from defendant the sum of \$800 and his costs.
HASPESLAGH, Maude E.	vs. Pennsylvania Railroad Company. Plaintiff states that on December 27, 1930 she was riding in an automobile owned and driven by H.G. KEMMIS and while crossing railroad tracks at the intersection of the railroad and Woodlawn Avenue in Bucyrus OH, the auto was violently and forcibly struck by an electric motor railroad car. As a result of such striking and collision, the auto was dragged along by the railroad car for about 50 to 60 feet. As a consequence of the collision, the plaintiff was severely injured and is unable to write or to walk without assistance and the injuries are permanent. The plaintiff charges the defendant failed and neglected to keep the bell or gong apparatus in working order and the defendant did not give any signal or warning of the approach of the train to the crossing. The plaintiff prays judgment against the defendant for the sum of \$50,200 plus costs.
HAYNES, Eugene L. et al	vs. Pennsylvania Railroad Company. Plaintiffs state that on June 2, 1952 they owned ar International Semi-Truck and Kingham four-wheeler trailer and the trailer had a load of sheet steel with the truck driven by E. WELDE at the junction of State Highway No. 39 and State Highway 98. The truck with trailer was crossing the intersection and as the trailer was passing over the tracks of the defendant one of the defendant's trains carelessly and negligently struck the truck and driver suddenly and without any signal or warning of its approach. The collision severely damaged the four wheeler trailer and cargo, and injuring, bruising and otherwise damaging the driver. Plaintiffs pray for judgment against the defendant for \$2,712.31 and for such other relief to which they are entitled.
HEIMLICH, Elza	Admin. estate of Charles F. HUBER, deceased vs. New York Central Railroad. On Augus 12, 1965 plaintiff's decedent was driving west on Township Road 77 and his automobile was struck broadside by new York Central Flexi-Van train and the automobile with the drive inside was carried 2,520 feet down the defendant's tracks by reason of the carelessness and negligence of the defendant by failing to give reasonable warning. As a direct result, the decedent was critically injured suffering multiple fractures, internal injuries, lacerations and contusions, cerebral concussion and severe shock. Continued January 2010

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#### TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 35 Issue #10 Contributed and typed by member Joyce Vonstein

Continued from October Tracking - TIRO WORLD - APRIL 18, 1967 - - Jim Eckstein, on leave from Ft. Knox, KY, visited with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dick, Vance and Anita.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Dick and son John called on her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Klopfenstein in New Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Crum visited with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harrer and family of near New Washington.

TIRO WORLD -January 5, 1961 - Several Tiro servicemen are now in various military units located throughout the country. David Hench, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hench, U.S. Marine Corps, currently stationed in Hawaii, has been alerted that his outfit will soon leave for Laos.

William (Scrappy) Johnson, who lived in Tiro with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Johnson left for New London, Connecticut, where he will continue his duties in the U.S. Marine Corps.

Mrs. John Longnecker received a call from her son Keith, serving in the Navy stationed at Alameda, Calif. Keith told his mother he was leaving the next day for the Philippine Islands, going by way of Japan. His rating is S.K.1.

SP5 Gary Neff will leave for San Francisco after a Christmas furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Neff and his sister, Rosemary. He will leave California after January 9 for Formosa, where he will be located for two years helping to operate the army radio station there.

Rosella Triplett, junior at Ohio Univ Athens, majoring in speech and hearing therapy, resumed her courses after vacationing with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Triplett.

Ohio Univ - Aaron Wenger freshmen spent the holidays with Mr. and Mr. C.D. Laughbaum.

Peggy daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Hipsher, will finish her cadet course at Ohio Univ the last of January. She is an elementary education major will do student teaching in Cleveland the last semester of this year in preparation for public school teaching next fall. Mr. and Mrs. Hipsher's second daughter, Donna, returned to her studies at the Ohio State School of Cosmetology Tuesday.

1960 grads of Tiro H.S., Carol Allen and Nancy Cole, will complete their course at Warner's School of Beauty in Toledo this weekend. Carol is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Allen Nancy's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Verne Cole.

Cousins, Vance Dick and Gene Shull, 1960 grads of Tiro returned to O.S.U. Columbus after vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dick and Mr. and Mrs. LaVon Shull. Vance lives with his cousin Mrs. Marilyn Law while Gene resides in the fraternity house, The Triangle.

Larry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hench, started the last semester of his five-year Ceramic Engineering course when he returned to the O.S.U. He lived at the Triangle frat house the past semester, this semester, staying at International House having as a roommate a foreign student.

Gary and Mary Alice, children of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cole, have returned to their campus following vacation. Gary to O.S.U. where he is an agriculture ed. major. He lives in the Alpha Gamma Sigma fraternity house and spent part of his junior year doing practice teaching at Tecumseh School in New Carlisle, Ohio. Mary Alice returned to Otterbein College, majoring in Home Economics and is a sophomore.

A former Tiro resident, Ruth Smith, whose mother, Inez Smith, now lives in Crestline, returned to the Univ. of Michigan for the last half of her junior year majoring in English.

Miss JoAnn Aysh of Dallas, Texas, Mrs. Diane Weekly and son, Huntington, West Virginia, and Howard Aysh, Jr. of Richmond, Indiana, called on Mr. and Mrs. Carl Baker at Christmas time.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Dean and family returned Sunday from Buckhannon, West Virginia, where they spent Christmas with their parents. The three youngest Dean Children, Diane, Kenneth, and Rodney are convalescing from the measles.

Miss Becky McKew, who is here from California, spent the weekend visiting friends in Huron, her former home.

#### TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 35 Issue #10 Contributed by Fran Reiter from Telegraph Newspaper

April 9 1892 The April term of Common Pleas Court convened with Judge Smalley on the bench. Marriage Licenses: W. H. Davis and Tenie Ogle. ---- Wm. Bletz and Mary L. Huber. --- M. E. Smith and Jennie H. Brinkerhoff. One not to be published.

New Cases: Mary E. Whitesell vs. Tilghman Whitsell, petition for divorce filed March 31.

J. G. Prayer vs. George Metzger, judgment on transcript, filed April 1, 1892 Amount of \$9.60 and costs. Interest from Feb. 1, 1892.

George McNeal adm. estate Daniel Hancock deceased, vs. Simon H. Beck and Wm. Moderwell, Civil Action. Amount claimed \$250.32 with interest 8 % from Nov. 14, 1889.

Globe Implement Co. vs. James Cahill judgment on transcript, filed March 29. Amt. of \$117.96 and costs with interest from Feb. 26, 1892.

Patrick Dorrien vs. Mary Dorrien, petition for divorce filed March 30, 1892.

State of Ohio vs. Peter Felterer, bastardy.(sic) Released on bail \$400.

James Talcott vs. Herman P. Bamberger, civil action. Amount claimed \$396.00 with interest from March 30, 1892.

C. W. Hoeriger vs. E. A. Thoman, civil action. Amt. claimed \$390 with interest on \$15 from June 30, 1891 at 6 % and on \$375.40 from March 12, 1892, at 8 per cent per annum.

State of Ohio on complaint of Emma Sexauer vs. Virgil C. Koons, bastardy. Transcript filed April 2, 1892.

Samuel Klopfenstein vs. Mary L. Klopfenstein et al. action for partition of real estate.

C. W. Hoeriger vs. E. A. Thoman and Mary E. Thoman civil action. Amt. claimed \$391.18 with interest at 8 per cent on \$100 from May 8, 1887 on \$100 from August 3, 1887 \$100 from January 3, 1888 \$91.18 January 12, 1888.

<u>WILLS</u> - <u>Elizabeth Wisman</u> filed March 28. Hearing set for April 7. After payment of debts, testatrix bequeaths to Sophrona Morrow, Henry Wisman and Mary Wisman, residue of property, share and share alike. H. Laughbaum named as executor of will.

Johnathan N. Hellea, late of Liberty Twp., deceased. Dated January 10, 1891, filed April 2, 1892. Testator bequeaths all of his property. both personal and real, after payment of just debts, to his wife, Susanna, during life, and power to sell 10 acres if needed for her support, At the death of his wife property then to be equally divided between his six children, viz: Byron C., Cassius C., William L., Cynthia Ellen, and Elizabeth Catharine, except the latter, who shall have \$300 less than the others in consideration of moneys previously paid her.

<u>Margaret Frazee</u>, late of Vernon Twp dated January 5, 1892 filed April 1, 1892. Testatrix bequeaths residue of property to be equally divided among her four youngest children, viz: Frank, Ida, Louisa and Alfretta. Frank Frazee named as executor.

Juila (sic) Ann Hanes, late of Cranberry Twp., deceased, dated June 3, 1891, filed for probate April 2, 1892. Testatrix devises to her daughter, Samantha Martin, \$200; to her daughter Susanna De Roche, \$200, and balance of property to daughter-in-law, Mary J. Hanes, and other children, to wit: Franklin Hanes, Ann Hanes and Matilda Hanes, share and share alike. Jacob Schurer named as executor.

<u>Probate</u> <u>Court</u>. F. A. Keen appointed administrator of the estate of Geo.Howert, late of Polk Twp, deceased March 25. Bond \$3,000. F. S. Wisterman, Lewis Cook and David Bachelder, appraisers.

May 25, 1900 E M Overly executor of John Overly filed first partial account.

In re estate Walburga Fehr, report of sale of personal property filed. Walburga Fehr, of said estate filed, sale confirmed and deed ordered.

#### TRACKI NG IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 35 Issue #10 Contributed by Fran Reiter from the Evening Telegraph Bucyrus newspaper

NOVEMBER 9, 1888 continued from Oct. Tracking... According to an ante-election agreement between F. A. Vollrath and J. W. Bodey, Vollrath will be a conspicuous figure at the head of the column in the Republican procession next Tuesday evening. When you see a big fat, good natured looking fellow on a white horse-that's Gust. In fulfillment of a contract made during the campaign between Will Trounstein and Anton Wurzauf, there will be plenty of fun on Tuesday evening when Anton will wheel Will around the Public Square on a decorated wheelbarrow, accompanied by a bard of music and the National colors. Anton also to pay all the expense. The preparations are already on the way to make the occasion a very notable one.

"Fine Steer." Messrs. John and Linus Ross yesterday shipped one of their fine steers to the annual cattle show at Chicago. It weighed 2300 and it will not be "as usual" if among the fine fat stock there, it does not attract attention and carry off a prize.

August 29, 1901 - EVENING TELEGRAPH THE PIONEERS of Crawford County Hold Annual Picnic. The immense throng of people at Seccaium Park today makes it appear as a national holiday.All the ranks of life are represented, professional and business men, mechanics and tillers of the soil. The occasion was the annual picnic of the pioneer association and at 9 o'clock the people commenced gathering and the extra force of cars of the Ohio Central Traction company was taxed to their capacity. The day was an ideal one and the attendance of last year was far exceeded this year, the crowds visited every point of interest on the grounds, in fact every nook and corner of the spacious park was filled with people. The forenoon programme opened with an invocation by Rev T J Ingle of North Robinson. The invocation was followed by a duet by Prof and Mrs. W H Critzer of Galion. Miss Monnette of Galion rendered a voluntary after which A H Laughbaum of this city delivered a welcome address. Miss Bessie Moderwell of Polk Twp responded with a recitation and Bogan brothers of Bucyrus delighted the audience with a song. Wm Robinson of Crestline spoke at length on the pioneer life of those who settled in this county when it was yet a wilderness, and the programme closed with another duet by Prof and Mrs Critzer.

At the conclusion of the last number of the forenoon programme the assembly adjourned for one and one half hours, which time was spent in hand shaking, renewing old acquaintances, talking over past experiences and relating funny reminiscences of early life in the county, and it is notable that many of those present who were in the prime of life or mere boys and girls in the fifties are now gray headed men and women who were made to feel young again while relating past events and experiences. During this intermission the multitude also sat down to enjoy a picnic dinner provided from amply filled baskets.

The afternoon exercises opened with an invocation after which the chairman announced the selection of the following officers for the ensuing year: President--R W Knisley, of Liberty Twp. Vice president--H Dapper, of Jefferson Twp. Treasurer--J H Beard, Bucyrus Twp. Secretary--J A Smith, Liberty Twp.

Todd's band rendered a selection which was followed by a masterly address, by Rev W V Davis of Columbus Grove, who spoke on the subject, "Climb, Though the Rocks be Rugged."

The death list for the past year was read by the secretary and showed that one hundred and nineteen pioneers had passed to the great beyond. Rev D W Sprinkle of Beach city was on the program for an address on "Fourteen Years in Andersonville" but owing to the lateness of the hour the TELEGRAPH representative was obliged to leave before he spoke, and before the balance of the program was finished. Among the early settlers and residents of Crawford County at the picnic were Mrs. Elizabeth Teel, Mrs. Emily Trimble, Wm Halliwell, R W Knisley, J A Smith, John McCurdy, Wm H Heis, John Johnston, Squire John Holman, John Carle, J W Quaintance, Abraham McNutt, Wm Robinson, Squire James Hufty, and J J Bower. The day was most enjoyably spent by those present and will long be remembered as one of the happy events in the history of Crawford County.

Please send in your dues without expecting Melissa to mail you a reminder – she really appreciates your help! Most Chapters don't remind members to pay. TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 35, Issue #10page 143Esther Ferguson, donated History of Sulphur Springs Ohio sponsored by Sesquicentennial Committee and<br/>reprinted in 1983

Fall 1834 former Judge Enoch B. Merriman opened. a stock of dry goods and groceries in the village and Daniel Young, his clerk, sold his first pound of coffee. Fall of 1836 of early in 1837, Cornelius and James F. Borland started another store in the village. This store continued till the latter part of 1840. For the remainder of 1840 and all of 1841 the village had no store. Former Judge R. W. Musgrave then started a store which he sold to Horace Rowe of Bucyrus in 1844. Horace Rowe was in "business till the latter part of 1851. Judge R. W. Musgrave, Joseph Biddle and F. N. Biddle conducted a dry goods and grocery store in a building just opposite the garage on Paris Street, Later the firm name changed to Joseph Biddle, Oliver J. Keller and A. J. Scott. A. J. Scott and Oliver J. Keller built the brick building-that now stands on the south-west corner of Paris and Jackson Streets. In this building this firm carried on a wholesale business in produce, gathering in the various forms of produce from the neighboring towns and selling these goods by wholesale in Shelby, Bucyrus and elsewhere. They also did a. big business in dry goods. Andrew Morrison and his son carried on the same kind of business in this brick building. The Morrisons, however, introduced the huxter type of selling goods through the country. Mr. Morrison and his son disposed of their interests to Mr. John Meister who was the last to do this kind of business .in the building.

The present store of O. and C. Keller was built by Alfred Fry. Mr. Fry and John Guiss formed a partnership for dry goods and groceries. Later Alfred Fry and C. A. Keller .bought out John Guiss and continued the business. Yet later Isaac Klopfenstein bought out Alfred Fry. Then the firm was Keller and Klopfenstein. Still later Oliver J. Keller bought a one-third interest, then the firm was Klopfenstein, O. and G. Keller. Soon thereafter O. A. Keller and O. J. Keller secured the entire control of the business and property. They have been in business so long that the wholesale grocery firm bf Tracy and Avery in Mansfield, Ohio say that the account of O. and C. Keller is the oldest account on their books.

This village had a drug store since the 60's. Reuben T. Bower conducted the business in a building which stood on the south-west corner of Paris (Plymouth) and Liberty Streets. The building is now the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Wert and is located on Sandusky Street. Dr. H. S. Bevington followed R.T. Bower in the drug business in the same building. Frederick Sexauer later took over the business. He later took over the stock of drugs and notions to the building just west of O. and C. Keller's present store room. This building was occupied by Lewis Sexauer with a notion store. The Sexauers then took their entire interests to the brick building on the square now called the drug store.

There are at least three open Sulphur wells that at one time were open flowing wells. (in part) Amidst this lavish display of sulphur water we must not forget to notice an isolated spring of icecold sulphur water on the South-East corner of Short end East Streets - between the old grist mill and Short Street. Those who could not stake their thirst at the other places could always find a cold refreshing drink here. Many of these visitors were those who had to wait for their "grists" in warm weather at the old grist mill near by. One can well imagine many coming across the street from the blacksmith shop directly across the street belonging to Henry Heibertshausen. Again, no doubt many came to this spring from the old Humiston sawmill also just across on the north side of East Street.

Dr. H. S. Bevington was vitally connected with the drug business in the village. He practiced medicine for some time and then he moved to Bucyrus. Then he moved to a farm home at the intersection of the Plymouth Road and the second road from the north west of Sulphur Springs. Here he practiced his profession for some years. From this home he removed to Sulphur Springs for the practice of medicine. At this time he bought the drug store that had been conducted by B. T. Bower for a number of years. Milton Ebbert acted as the doctor's drug clerk. Charles Sexauer followed Mr. Ebbert as the Doctor's second drug clerk. He then took up the study of medicine. The third drug clerk in this store was Frederick Sexauer, Jr. After his apprenticeship, he, with his uncle, Lewis Sexauer, bought the store from Dr. Bevington. These men conducted the business in this place for some years when they left this place of business as indicated on the preceding page.

The Sexauer drug store was bought by John Bittikofer who conducted a very successful drug and notion business till the time of his death. Since that time his family has conducted a well established general notion and refreshment business. As shown elsewhere, the post office was in this store for some years.

#### TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 35 Issue #10 Contributed by Joe Blum – continued from October Tracking

Blum Letters from Alsace - Joseph R. Blum 217 N. Center Street New Washington, Ohio 44854 from September issue - (continued from October Tracking) - We have a dry year: only here and there a hail-rain or shower. We only got a few fodder and the "Ohmet" (a grass that is used in hay in a second cutting) is still missing. We have only a few straw. I had wheat in the "Niederhoizfield" and got only 240 sheaves: it gave us only 5 sacks of wheat. The field near Frick in the ""Elsenfield," planted with summer wheat game 117 sheaves and the half one near the "Rebgraben" gave 89 sheaves- 6 and 2 sacks. For the wheat one gets 20 to 30 francs, for the barley 14 to 19 francs. The price of cattle is no more so high. I still have 2 cows, 1 or 2 calves and the white horse. Each day this one is becoming better: I plow alone with him without any rein, he obeys at each word. I keep them through the winter. I get 5 to 6 thousands beetroots, half of them are very big: I measured one with a circumference of 69 centimeters. I nice field of yellow turnips, from note especially good soil. Josephel (young Joseph) has still his Fritz. (perhaps a dog or horse) written on the side of the letter: Be so kind and give me an answer at once. I'm waiting for a letter from you every day......

(Letter to John Baptiste Blum) Mackenheim June 14<sup>th</sup> 1876\_Dear brother, I've gotten your letter and was delighted to see that you are still in good health. As to us, we are all in good health too, as long as God will. I have to tell you this: if my sons don not come back to me in order to become soldiers in Alsace, all what they own will be taken as well as for me. I've already been summoned at the Court and this week, on 19<sup>th</sup>, I will be there once more. If someone does not appear himself, he will be punished and has to pay 4000 Francs. I would be obliged to sell a lot for having enough money to be able to pay Francs; because it's so here now: there are many fields, but nobody has enough money to buy!!

Dear brother, if I have to pay 12000 Francs for my sons, I'm ruined! I do no more know what to do and I would have written you to you earlier, but I always thought it will become better, but that didn't happen.

Dear brother, as soon as you'll get this letter, send me Xavier's passport, the one got at the Prefecture in Selestat. I'm afraid I could even loose my job with all this... Many went to America, and they also called for Starck's sons when I was at Court, but they can do nothing against them, as they are all in America. George Fulgraf's youngest son joined the French Army last year, but now he's deserted from there and is now a soldier in the Prussian Army.

We had a warm winter and a cold spring. Whole winter was very dry and we even had no snow at all. We could work the whole winter through, without any snow or rain. The first 15 days of April were so warm that the vine and the trees were in full blossom. There were so many buds upon the vine, we have never seen that in a long time....But the other 15 days in April became so cold that all has frozen. The vine has frozen, so did the clover and the second cutting of hay has been nipped by the frost. We will have very little hay. The price for cattle is going down. I have 2 nice cows, an ox, a calf, and a horse. I have planted a lot of beets and also a lot of corn, in order to feed the cattle.

On Whit Saturday, Monday and Tuesday it rained so we could plant the beets. We also have a lot of work to do. The grain in the good fields is growing well. The price is 30 Francs for the wheat and 16 Francs of the barley.

Dear brother, I really don't know if my sons are alive or not, because they do not write to me, or are they no more thinking of their father? Or are they doing like the birds?.. As long as they are in the best they appreciate their father and mother, but as soon as they are able to fly away, they recognize no one!!

Miss Pliegendorffer, who has a café, was also in America to visit her brother. She said she would have visited you if she had known your address.

I'm ending my letter. Give our greetings to all those who gave us theirs in your letter.

(on the side of the letter written) Hello to my Godfather. Marie Blum --Joseph Blum I'm expecting an answer very soon.

Members – could you also share research for others to enjoy – most everyone has 'something' that would help other members with their research. Help! Tracking needs you!

# TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 35 Issue #10page 145Windfall Reformed – later College Hill Reformed (UCC) Translated by Mary Sue Ross from German (cont'd)

Carolina & Katharina Wagner	Jun 20, 1870	John M. & Caroline	parents	Sep 25, 1870
Charley Ellsworth Shade	Mar 6, 1870	Wm. & Anna	parents	Sep 25, 1870
Eduard Marshall	Nov 26, 1869	David & Minerva	parents	Sep 27, 1870
Rosina Friedericka Beniger	Apr 17, 1870	Christ & Catharina	parents	Sep 27, 1870
Emmeline Louise Hartschuh	-Jul 14, 1870	John & Maria	parents	Sep 27, 1870

Richville or Chatfield Reformed 1895 – 1916 – books located at College Hill (see above) Constitution organized at Chatfield 18 Dec. 1870 J. F. H. Dieckman Pastor – The Evangelical Reformed Church Members:

Kunzie, Henry Nigh, Catherine Davidson, J. H. Nigh, Jacob Cladys, Jacob	Witte Slocu Slocu	Susan r, Wm. m, Francis m, Etta xer, Anna	Bordner, Danie Carrick, Aaron Hipp, Frederick Bornder, Aman Buchman, Laur	c Ida	Carrick, Lucy An Hipp, Mary Ann Hipp, Christianna Hipp, John Hipp, Charles
Members received May 1	0, 1879				
Deisler, George Wm.	•			Shade	e, Emma
Deisler, James		Shade, E. Elle	n	Deisl	er, Sarah Ann
Kent, Mattie, baptism & confirm		Shade, Laura Ann		Clady, Henry	
Members received – no d	ate by Rev	v. Wm Hurr			
Shade, Emory	-	Shade, W. H.	Shade,	Amanda	
Members received January 30, 1885Clady, JacobMarkly, Joseph ConfirmedWilliams, Harrison Baptized and confirmedClady, Mrs. Henry TransferMarkly, Joseph ConfirmedWilliams, Mrs. Frank, TransferClady, Mrs. Henry TransferClady, John					
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January 31, 1885 Davidson, Nellie baptized and confirmed Clady, Mrs. John Clady, Mrs. Peter

February 7, 1885

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Bartimess, Eva baptized and confirmed	Mollencop, J. H. transferred	Davidson, Laura
Shade, Fred	Shade, Mrs. Fred	Clady, Peter
Clady, Samuel		

Members who have subscribed and date 30 September 1894

	Memoris who have subscribed and date 50 September 1874					
Clady, Samuel	Clady, Henry	Sprow, Frank	Shiffer, W. F.			
Mollenkop, J. H.	Williams, H. A.	Rininger, E. M.	Martin, Peter J.			
Clady, Charles D.	Clady, Laura L.	Walimire, Mrs. Mary	Rockey, Mrs. Ad			
Clady, John	Korb, Henry	Clady, Harrison H.	Hanes, George			
Lutz, Mrs. John	Frank, Anna	Hanes, Tilla	Lutz, M.J. for Ella			
Gerstenberger, C. F.	Lutz, Sam	Nigh, Catharine	Martin now Durr, Emma			
Clady, Jacob	Angene, D. H.	Markley, Joseph H				
June 1896						
Clady, Jacob	Sprow, Frank	Mollenkop, J. H.	McLeod, Mrs. C.D.			
Clady, Henry	Martin, P. J.	Clady, Daniel	Clady, John			
Clady, Harrison	Korb, Henry	Lutz, Samuel	Haynes, Mrs. George			
Gerstenberger, Charles	Walimire, Mary H.	Markley, Joseph H	Rockey, Mrs. Adolph			

#### TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 35 Issue #10 Member Ken Striker sent information on Peter Wert of Leesville

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Compiled by: Jonathan M. Wert, Jr., WERT FAMILY HISTORY ASSOCIATION, P.O. Box 194, Port Royal, PA 17082-0194. Peter Wert (b. 1815 d.1885), son of Joseph and Barbara Kitch Wert, moved from Cumberland County, PA to Crawford County, OH with his parents in 1826 when he was eleven years old. He became the most prominent man in Crawford County in later years by providing assistance to escaping slaves seeking refuge in Canada. His brother Captain John Wert assisted him, he also being a strong abolitionist.

History of Crawford County and Representative Citizens, p. 269, "Jefferson Township had a station on the Underground Railway, which was kept by a man named Peter Wert, a wagon maker of Leesville, who was commonly known as "Black Pete." He aided many runaway slaves on their way to Canada and freedom." p. 351, "And men of the type of the Odells and Peter Wert, who conscientiously believed that the institution of slavery was a violation of the law of God, and no human law protecting it should be obeyed, and became important cogs in the "underground road through which many a slave found freedom only when he reached the protecting folds of the British Flag." p. 356, "In the early days Wert had charge of a mill, and it was a station on the Underground Railroad being the first point north of the Iberia Station." p. 457 refers to an advertisement about Wert that was published in the Bucyrus Journal, February 1, 1833. It states: "SIX CENTS REWARD - ran away from the subscriber living in Bucyrus, on the 20th inst., a boy named Peter Wert, an indentured apprentice in the wagon and plough-making business. All persons are hereby cautioned against harboring or trusting him on my account, as I will prosecute all who do so. Said boy is about 18 years old, dark complected, is fond of talking with his superiors, and occasionally tries to play the fiddle; had on when he went away a dark satinet coatee, white hat, and striped satined pantaloons of a snuff color. The above reward of a bundle of shavings will be given to any person returning said boy to the subscriber.

George Myers Bucyrus, December 20, 1833-W3" In response to this advertisement, there was a letter forwarded to the Editor which said: "TO THE PUBLIC - Sir: In your paper of the 21st inst. I perceive an advertisement concerning my son, Peter Werth, Now I wish to correct an error in said advertisement. My son did not run away as Mr. Myers states; he came home on account of some ill treatment on Saturday last. I as his rightful guardian commenced a suit against Mr. Myers on Monday last (for non-performance of the indenture) the result of which has been a verdict in my favor of thirty dollars. PS - Mr. Myers had better keep his shavings for the purpose of lighting candles to play cards, dice, and roulette by, and save his money also. Joseph Werth, Sr. Bucyrus, Dec 24, 1833, W4" March term of court in 1834, the following indictment found "George Myers, for suffering gaming in his outhouse." p 542, "The most prominent man in this county connected with the Underground Road was perhaps Peter Wert, first of Leesville, later of New Winchester. He was known as "Black Pete", not on account of his friendship for the slaves, but on account of his complexion, as he was very dark. He was a man of strong determination. He had a wheel shop at Leesville and here the slaves came to him after night. They generally arrived just before daylight, a signal was given by them which was recognized by him and they were given food and a place of shelter during the next day and when night came they were given explicit directions to their next stopping place which was probably the Robinson Mill on the Sandusky River, near the old Luke Tavern."

p 544, slave station operated by Eli Odell: "Slaves were brought to him by Peter Wert and from his place they were either piloted across to Kaler or McIntyre in Sandusky Twp, or moved directly north. There must have been some station at or around Sulphur Springs, although no trace can be found of one." "No record can be found of those in Bucyrus who kept stations on the Underground Road with the exception of Captain John Wert." p. 545, "About the same time Captain John Wert lived near the southeast corner of Mansfield and Spring Streets. He had a wheelwright shop on the same lot and did work at this and carpentering. He had several sons and all were strong abolitionists. One night a slave owner came to Bucyrus with two of his followers, having been given private information that his slave would be found secreted at the home of Captain Wert and demanded the slave. Being refused he threatened to enter the place by force and make a search. Mr. Wert seized a gun and stated that his house could not be searched without the proper papers, issued by the proper authorities in Bucyrus. <u>http://www.ohiogenealogyexpress.com/crawford/crawfordco\_chptxxxi\_undergroundrr.htm</u> (from member Ken Striker – thanks for this story for Tracking).....



#### TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 32 Issue #9 KELLER FAMILY Continued from October 2002

Excerpt of the "History of the Keller Family 1905" was submitted telling the early history of Joseph Keller. Joseph came to America from Bavaria in 1737 settled in PA. Five years later he married Mary Engel Drumm. Mary and Joseph are buried in the little church yard cemetery at the Plainfield Reformed Church. Philip, the youngest, grew to manhood and proved himself in all respects a tower of strength to his parents in their old age. The Keller History has the genealogy of all the children but we will concentrate on Philip since he was the ancestor of the Crawford County Kellers. Philip married Sarah Miller and they were blessed with 3 boys, John Henry, Jacob, and Adam. Adam was tragically killed when thrown off a load of hay and run over by the wagon when he was thirteen years old. John Henry married Mary Engler and they were blessed with 8 children: Philip b. Jan 6, 1818; Anna, b. Mar. 31, 1820; Amos, b. Nov. 10, 1822; Eli, b. Dec. 20, 1825, Joel Frederick, b. Mar. 31, 1829; Aaron Henry, b. Nov. 16, 1832; Joseph Allen, b. Mar. 27, 1836; Susannah, b. June 12, 1840. Should we characterize the father in one word, we would say, "A man intensely active."

On his father's property, half a mile north of the first home, were grist and saw mill and a lime kiln. (In Pennsylvania near Plainfield). There a house was built, a home established and occupied till 1835 when they moved to a farm house more than a mile nearer the Plainfield Church. John Henry was a farmer, miller, captain, major, colonel, brigade inspector, justice of the peace, notary public, associate judge of the county, and an active member and elder in the Reformed Church. He was the author of a special plan for raising and protecting the funds of our theological seminary at Mercersburg, PA. There was no room left for idleness. The large farm, supplied with all needed buildings, contained many acres. The fences were built of chestnut rails.

Heavy crops of rye, oats, and corn made much work in threshing. Early in the spring, the speckled trout lured them away to the mountain streams. The Keller boys learned trades. This idea was taken up from the custom of the Jews, and finds expression in the proverb, "A trade is an estate." Philip studied algebra and later surveying; Amos learned shoemaking, Eli learned weaving, Joel learned milling in his father's mill, Aaron Henry learned blacksmithing .Of these boys, at least four in their time---Philip, Eli, Joel, and Joseph were teachers in the public schools. The idea prevailed that education and religion should go hand in hand, and that God should be acknowledged in the school as well as in the family and the church. All took an interest in military affairs. Philip was lieutenant in the militia.

Amos was the captain of his own company, Eli and Aaron were lieutenants in volunteer companies. In the Spring of 1856 the whole family moved to Crawford Co., Ohio and a year later his brother Jacob with his family, followed to the same place. They settled at Annapolis. (Sulphur Springs) John Henry bought a 200 acre farm, and Jacob was not far away. It did not take long until all the Kellers had settled down to some useful and permanent work. Philip established himself on the farm, Amos conducted a hardware store in Annapolis, Anna stood a true Martha by the side of the parents, and Eli filled an appointment for preaching the first Sunday after his arrival, and was at once elected pastor of the Bucyrus charge of the Reformed church. Joel farmed adjoining Philips land. Aaron became a partner in a Bucyrus planning mill. (Later this would become the Roehr Mill.) Joseph and Susannah attended College at Tiffin.

There were five sunny years to the time of the great Rebellion. One of the last acts for the community by John Henry was the securing and laying out of a large Union Cemetery on the banks of the Sandusky River in Bucyrus. On August 15, 1861 brothers Amos, Aaron and Joseph entered Camp Noble, Tiffin, Ohio. Their company was Company C of the 49th regiment which was entrusted the regimental flag. On the last day of December 1862, Captain Amos and Lieutenant Aaron were killed at the Battle of Stones River. After the war Brother Joel brought them back to Bucyrus and they are buried in a common grave in the Keller plot at Oakwood cemetery.

We welcome family stories for the newsletter Tracking, and copies of books for our book review chairman Marty Keller.

#### TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 32 Issue #9 Excerpts from the 1881 History of Crawford County Ohio continued

REFERENCE ONLY

# <u>BUCYRUS TOWNSHIP</u>: <u>Myers, Gen. Samuel</u>, b. 4 Dec 1802 near Lancaster, PA, s/o Abraham Myers; m. 1st-6 Oct 1825 Rebecca Deardorf (31 Jul 1808-17 Jul 1845); OH 1827; 10 children; m. 2nd-22 Jun 1848 Mrs. Hannah Hamilton; one son, b. 2 Jul 1849; elected to State Legislature 1848; elected Brigadier General 3rd Brigade, 11th Div. OH Militia Abraham Myers, b. 4 Jul 1776; bought a mill in York Co., PA; moved to Carlisle, PA 1807-08.

<u>Miller, John</u>, native of Little York, PA; his family to Perry Co., OH when he was a child; m. Lydia Murdick (d. 1871); John d. 1858; 5 children Miller, Daniel, b. 1 Jun 1824 OH, s/o John & Lydia Murdick Miller; m. 1847 Maria Lemmon (b. 20 May 1827 Seneca Co., NY); children—Jennie, John D., Charles R., Francis E., Cassius M. & Stansbury L., Jeanette deceased.

<u>McCreary, Thomas, farmer, b. 15 Jul 1826 York Co., PA, s/o Thomas & Polly McCreary; family to OH</u> 1837; m. 1st-28 Dec 1849 Eliza (d. 1867), d/o John Boyer; children-J. F. McCreary m. Maria McMichael res. NE, Elizabeth m. James Gamble, Joseph Reuben, Annie K. & Elida B.; m. 2nd-3 Sep 1868 Catherine Cobb; children-Sadie M., Charles H. & Edith N.; St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

<u>McCutchen, William,</u> bookkeeper, b. 6 Oct 1841 Franklin Co., PA, s/o James & Louisa Pike McCutchen; OH Apr 1861; enlisted Aug 1861 in Co. G, 49th OVI, discharged Louisville, KY; m. 20 Nov 1865 Elizabeth C. Williams (b. IN); children--George & Mary L., who both died in childhood.

<u>McCormick, W. H.</u>, b. 10 May 1840 Franklin Co., PA, s/o Thomas & Margaret Martin McCormick; family to OH May 1843; m. 15 May 1862 Rosannah Boyer; children-Alvertie & Anna K.; Methodist Episcopal Church.

<u>McKinstry, John</u>, b. Belfast, Ireland; America 1776 when 3 yrs. old; m. 1806 Franklin Co., PA Mary Patton (b. SC, father a Capt. in Rev. War); family to OH Sep 1833; 3 sons & 3 daus. <u>McKinstry, James</u>, b. 18 Jun 1811 Washington Co., PA, s/o John & Mary Patton McKinstry; m. 15 Sep 1842 Rebecca Garberson, d/o William Garberson; children--William Thomas, Mary E. w/o John R. Miller, Anna H. w/o Theo. F. Shotwell & Matthew; 6 deceased.

<u>Miller, Jacob R.</u>, stock dealer, b. 19 Jan 1839 Dauphin Co., PA, s/o Henry & Elizabeth Ramberger Miller; family to Northumberland Co., PA 1847, returning to Dauphin Co. in 1854; Jacob lived in Schuylkill Co., PA 1865-1871 then moved to OH; m. 22 Oct 1866 Hannah Bensinger of Schuylkill Co.; children–Ulysses G. & Villera L., those deceased–Cora L. (PA), Katie O. & Jennie B.; German Methodist Church.

<u>Plants, Judge Josiah S.</u> (dec., portrait), b. 10 Dec 1820 York Co., PA "it is believed," s/o Samuel & Rachel Sands Plants; family to OH 1834: m. 1 Jan 1849 Amanda C. Lauck; children--Justinian L. res. Bedford, IA, Galen S. res. Concha Co., TX; Frank & Anna J.; d. 24 Aug 1863.

<u>Ruhl, Alexander A.</u>, Clerk of Courts of Bucyrus, b. 4 Apr 1828 Shrewsbury, York Co., PA, s/o Jacob & Sarah Daws Ruhl; family to OH 1833; entered Wittenberg College 1850; m. 27 Dec 1853 Aurelia M. Shauke; children--Ida B., George S. & Frank I.; Methodist Episcopal Church. <u>Ruhl, Jacob</u>, OH 1833 from Shrewsbury, York Co., PA; d. age 63; children--Alexander A., Joanna m. O. T. Hart, Margaret m. C. G. Rupp, James H. res. Allen Co., IN, Mary M., Louisa M. m. W. H. Clymer res. Van Wert, OH, Calvin E. dentist at Findlay, Sarah G. m. S. G. Cummings, Cornelius K., d. Jul 1863; Evangelical Lutheran Church.

<u>Rupp, Charles G.</u>, b. 3 Feb 1822 York, York Co., PA, s/a Peter & Hellena Earnst Rupp; OH May 1843 by stage & canal; m. 18 Jul 1848 Margaret J. Ruhl; children--Annie, Clara, Maggie & Lincoln (5 died in childhood) Gottlieb Rupp, grandfather of Charles G.; native of Germany; settled in York in the late 18th century; a butcher; 4 sons & 2 daus Peter Rupp, butcher, s/a Gottlieb Rupp; 4 sons & 2 daus., 3 living-Dr. Peter Rupp of South Bend, IN, Charles G. & Melvina wid/o both Rev. A. Kuhn & David Seltzer; Peter Rupp d. 1825 in York & Hellena d. Mar 1878, age 93 yrs., at Wapakoneta, OH

#### TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 32 Issue #9 Newspaper articles from Frances Reiter

#### April 5, 1906 REAL ESTATE TRANSFER

Jane P. Monnett to Michael P. Bussy, lot 22, Monnett Allotment, \$125. A. W. Christman to

Delana Sampsell, 12 1-10 acres Polk, \$1100.

Joseph Neff to J. W. Burns, 35.42 acres, Sandusky, \$2125.

Wm.H. Mahla to Geo. C. Court, inlot 285, Galion, \$1400.

Mary J. Darr to Oliver Flohr, inlot 1, Annapolis, \$500.

Celastia and J. A. Lauthers, to W. L. Ferrall, inlot 1728, Bucyrus, \$100.

John Myers to Wm. H. Covert outlot 150, 151, 152, Crestline, \$1425.

E. L. Conklin to, Jas. M. Smith, inlot 1377, Bucyrus, \$1715.

Geo. Miller to Jacob R. Bishop. 77 1/2 acres, Cranberry, \$7000.

Savilla Schaefer to L. Agnes and Meuser, inlot 141Galion N 1/2 certified.

Jacob Deardorff to Elizabeth Dimon, inlot 333, Bucyrus, certified.

J. I. Mahon to Elizabeth Bishop, inlot 221, New Washington, \$1500.

Frederick Kibler to Wm. Kibler, 74.55 acres, Whetstone, \$6300.

Albert Angene to Geo. Brause, 25 acres, Lykens, \$800.

Chas. Esterly to Chas. Welsh, 30 acres, Tod, \$200.

Charles Esterly to Daisy L. Welsh, 10 acres, Tod, \$1200. H. W. Markley to Leonard Weidemyrer, 37.72 acres, Liberty, \$3900.

Philip Keller to Amos Keller, 85 acres, Sandusky, \$5400.

Philip Keller to S. E. Teel and L. A. Ackerman, 80 acres, Sandusky, \$4800.

Philip Keller to Abbie and Ellen S. Keller, 74 acres, Sandusky, \$5550.

Wm. C. Gerster to P. J. Carroll, inlot 1237, Bucyrus, \$300.

Chas. B. Maskey to Henry and Don R. Lea, 100 acres, Tod, \$4300.

Joseph Neff to John F. Hayes, 33.89 acres, Sandusky, \$2202.85.

Christian Dininger to Geo. Lapp. 47.43 acres Holmes, \$7050.

Daniel Drexel to J. M. Drexel guardian, 78.01 acres Holmes, 5-18 parts, \$1965.75. United States to Benjamin

Johns, 80 acres Jackson.

Catharine Minich to Catharine Yeittie, inlot 4, Crestine, \$1110.

John Eckstein to Peter Webur, part outlot 100, Crestline, \$1100.

Catharine and A. Rehm to L. D. Pickering, inlot 26, Bucyrus, \$2525.

W. F. Smith to F. J. Ulmer, 60 acres, Cranberry, \$5620.

Isaac Eichelberger to W. H. Smith, 40 acres, Whetstone, \$3400.

#### Nov. 7, 1906 Court Notes

Samuel Leuthold, as guardian of the estate of J. Frederick Myers, has filed his petition for the partition of the real estate of Joshua L. Myers, deceased, a ninety acre farm in Liberty Township.

The <u>will</u> of Adam Knipf has been filed for probate.

Samuel Leuthold has been appointed guardian of J. Frederick Myers.

J. H. Greffel has been appointed <u>guardian</u> of Maggie Whitmire.

# Nov. 9, 1906 REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

G. Donnenwirth to Benjamin Donnenwirth, Inlot 1605 Bucyrus, \$1000

John E. Ferrall to Fremont Seiser, 10 acres Holmes, \$1500

S. Leuthold to C. S. Leuthold, Outlot 57 Bucyrus, \$1.00.

A. S. Leuthold to Hattie D. Leuthold, Inlot 1717 Bucyrus, \$100.

E. A Diddie to Rosa B. Beer, Inlot 1351 Bucyrus, \$1800.

Adam Ulmer to Mary A. Long, 1568 Bucyrus, \$1200.

Elizabeth Caton to Wm F. Fetter, Inlot 954, Galion, \$850.

J. O.Holmes to H J. Chaney, 150 acres, Sandusky, \$7700

John C. Miller to Richard & Diller Graham, 10 acres Holmes \$1900.

Edward Starner to W. L. Blair, 12 1/2 acres Tod, \$275.

Chas. Goodwrich to Johnannal Gerster, InIot 1955, \$275.

S. E. Bretz to Lizzle M Burris, 35 acres Tod \$3200.

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#### TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 32 Issue #9 page 131 First Baptist Church Galion, Ohio abstracted from microfilm by Winnie Kleinknecht and Mary Fox

Mecklin, Mrs. Susan 7 June 1891 by experience received into membership Eich---, Emma 17 June 1891 baptized June 21 as member Eich---, Eliza 17 June 1891 baptized June 21 as member Myers, Minnie 7 Sep 1891 letter of recommendation to the Disciple Church Brumbaugh, Miss Oral 25 Nov 1891 was received into membership after baptism Nov 29 Hite, Mr. & Mrs. 2 Dec 1891 removed to Danville IL Savre, Delia 13 Dec 1891 dismissed to unite with Baptist Church Lima McConnell, Miss Mertie 13 Dec 1891 by experience accepted into membership after baptism Dec 30 Prentice, Mrs. Alice 10 Jan 1892 desires to unite with us - received after baptism McIntire, Mrs. J.H. 16 Mar 1892 by experience received after baptism Tulley, Ellen 1 Apr 1892 letter to unite with Baptist Church Garretsville OH Tracy, Nancy 1 Apr 1892 letter of dismissal to unite with First Baptist Church Mansfield Sorrick, Miss Emma 17 Apr 1892 was a member in good standing and was accepted into full membership Chapman, Miss Nellie 1 May 1892 dismissed to unite with the church at Kent OH 14 Sep 1892 death reported Breckville, Mrs. **Dillinger, Miss Kathelene** 29 Dec 1892 admitted to membership Johnston, Mrs. Sarah 2 Feb 1893 reported her death 2 Mar 1893 received in membership after baptism Mecklin, Mrs. Lora Bodey, Miss Clara 2 Mar 1893 received in membership after baptism 5 Mar 1893 received by letter from Woodward Ave. Baptist Church Detroit MI Lemke, Frederick Waters, Mrs. Mary 9 Mar 1893 by experience after baptism Mar 14 12 Mar 1893 expressed desire for membership and baptism Proutly, John 12 Mar 1893 expressed desire for membership and baptism Proutly, Eunice (wife) Morris, James D. 12 Mar 1893 expressed desire for membership and baptism 12 Mar 1893 expressed desire for membership and baptism Morris, Mrs. Catherine Morris, Mrs. Jennie 12 Mar 1893 expressed desire for membership and baptism 12 Mar 1893 by experience received in membership after baptism Lantz, Mrs. W. H. 17 Mar 1893 applied for membership, received after baptism Hubley, Foster 17 Mar 1893 applied for membership, received after baptism Hosford, Miss Elma 19 Mar 1893 desires to unite and was baptised Early, Miss Myrtle Wells, Mrs. Zona 24 Mar 1893 received upon experience 24 Mar 1893 united with church after baptism Mar 25 **Ringer, Charles** Bodey, Anna 24 Mar 1893 baptized 24 Mar 1893 baptized Wirick, Bert Gregg, Mrs. Emma 24 Mar 1893 baptized 24 Mar 1893 baptized Morris, James Morris, Mrs. Jennie 24 Mar 1893 baptized 24 Mar 1893 baptized Morris, Catherine 26 Mar 1893 after experience requests membership after baptism Bates, Mrs. Marina 27 Mar 1893 request membership Maddux, William 30 Mar 1893 received from Franklin OH Browning, Cynthia 30 Mar 1893 expressed desire to unite with church after baptism Bates, William 30 Mar 1893 expressed desire to unite with church after baptism Bates, Edward John 2 Apr 1893 admitted into membership after baptism Snyder, Arthur 2 Apr 1893 admitted into membership after baptism Wilson, Leona 7 Apr 1893 received from Lindin Ave Baptist Church Dayton OH Hopkins, Horace Hopkins, Sarah 7 Apr 1893 received from Lindin Ave Baptist Church Dayton OH 31 Aug 1893 moved to First Baptist Church Marion OH Watters, Mrs. Mary 31 Aug 1893 letter of sympathy to the family at Oil City PA Culp, Brother 3 Sep 1893 reported her death Johnston, Mrs. Sarah

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Methodist Church the Sulphur Springs Circuit - records now in UMC New Washington abstracted by Winnie Kleinknecht and Mary Fox

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Member	State in Life	Remarks
	М	Class Leader GOODWILL CLASS #2
Hilburn, Robert	M	From Lutherans
Hilburn, Nancy		FIGHT Lutherans
Lash, George	M	
Lash, Sarah	M	
Mahon, John	M	
Mahon, Margaret	M	
Mahon, Charles (?)	S	
Mahon, James	S	
Mahon, Emily	S	
Wynn, Isaac	M	Deceased August 1864
Wynn, Rebecca	M	
Irwin, Israel A.	M	
Irwin, Margaret	M	
McConnell, Nancy	W	
McConnell, James	S	Killed at Tunnel Hill
McConnell, John	S	
Crouse, Amanda	S	Going to Lutherans
Crouse, Jonas	Μ	Moved out of bounds
Crouse, Angeline	M	Moved out of bounds
Nigh, Lorenze	M	Withdrawn 1863
Nigh, Elisabeth	Μ	Withdrawn 1863
Nigh, Jonathan	M	Withdrawn 1863
Member	State in Life	Remarks
Wilson, William H.	М	Class leader NEVADA CLASS
Shaw, Eli B.	M	Removed without letter under censure
Shaw, Lucy A.	M	Removed without letter under censure
Edgington, Jessie	M	
Snyder, Samuel	W	
Felton, Josiah L.	M	In the army spring of '54
Felton, Rebecca	M	
McLauglin, James	M	
McLauglin, Eleanor	M	
Frazee, John	M	
Frazee, Susan	M	
Wilson, Elisabeth	S	Removed by letter
Gregg, Rebecca	w	Nemoved by letter
Maskey, Adeline	M	
Johnson, Elijah	M	Deceased July 1864
Johnson, Nancy	M	Deceased July 1004
Homer, Susan	M	
•	W	
Wolf, Elisabeth	M	
Zook, Jacob Zook, Amanda	M	
Zook, Amanda Spyder, Julia		Dropped
Snyder, Julia	M	Dropped
Steiner Elischeth	R.A.	loiped by letter Sept 25, 1965
Steiner, Elisabeth Wilson, Elsabeth	M S	Joined by letter Sept 25, 1865 Reinstate to full fellowship, letter lost, Oct. 9, 1865

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#### TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 32 Issue #9 First United Methodist Church, S. Walnut St. Bucyrus, OH 44820



Presumed to be a "Gay Ninety's photo - the Methodist Aid society of that period furnished by Mrs. Charles Shanks - - - - back row - L to R: Mrs. Allen Hoffman, Mrs. F. M. Hamilton, Mrs. Shearer, Mrs. Daniel Kansleiter, Mrs. F. M. Wade, Mrs. J. Dougherty and Mrs. Charles Roop

Center - Mrs. Rowse, Mrs. Mervin Monnett, Mrs. Ephram Monnett, Mrs. Martin Deal, Mrs. Stephen Harris Lower row Mrs. Madison Rogers, Mrs. Orvis, Mrs. Daniel Sheckler, Mrs. Fry and Mrs. W. T. McDonald



First United Brethren Church, North Robinson, OH - now United Methodist Church - - looking for early history, members, etc. about this church - - we have nothing in our files and would like to have more information. The Chapter has tried to obtain records to be microfilmed, but so far it hasn't worked out. Could someone help supply information?

The Chapter tries to locate church records to use in Tracking, and Church histories, pictures, perhaps you have something in your files that members could share to help others with their research?

The picture of the ladies sewing was located in the church boxes when co - editor was sorting records to be taken for microfilming and scanned the picture for the newsletter for members to enjoy. Thanks Mary Fox

#### TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 32 Issue #9 Presbyterian Church Bucyrus Ohio abstracted by W. Kleinknecht and M. Fox

Sweeney, Isaac Loneth(?) Walker, Hannah Jane Walker, Lieper (?) Leo McCullouch, Mrs. Mary McCullouch, Martha McCullouch, Thomas Booth, J. Johnston, Permelia Black, Henry and Eleanor Huston, James and Rebecca B. Martin, Henry F. Martin, Martha J. Andrew, Robert Kerr, Davis Todd, Archibald McMichael, Susanna Marshall, Catharine Dunlap, William McCullough, Mary Daring, Harriet Coe, Jane M. Clive/Oliver, Mrs. Elizabeth **Children Infant Baptism** Stevenson, Silas Wright Kerr, John Andrew Forbes, George Watson Noffker, Laura Ellen Marshall, Mary Frances Hill, Harriet Atwood Coulter, Clara Belle Gibson, James McGinley McConnell, Maria Bell Matthews, Margaret Fulton, Perry Chalmers Fulton, Anna Zelina Johnson, Phebe Evaline Wagner, Mary Evaline Wagner, Celesta Jane Marshall, James Henry Marshall, John Patterson Kerr, Margaret Ann Marsh, Franklin Johnston, Clarabell Barrett, Curtis Elder Black, Thomas Grackan Bamett, Thomas Jefferson Barnett, Sara Abigail Barnett, Elmore Thompson Barnett, Charles Johnston Fulton, David Edgar Stevenson, Joseph Adams Matthews, Jonathan Dixon Bowman, William Moffett

Dismissed by certificate April 1, 1852

Death September 1841 Dismissed November 1841 She forsook us to join the Baptists November 1841 She forsook us to join the Baptists in April 1841 Dismissed November 1841

Dismissed November 1841 December 1842 dismissed Parents

William A. & S.A.
David & Margaret
William & Eleanor
Ann
David & Isabella
T.(?)M. & Elizabeth
John & Jane
John & Mary A.
Alex W. & Maria
William & Elizabeth
Andrew & Elizabeth
Andrew & Elizabeth
Silas & Harriet
Nancy
Nancy
Patterson & Anna
Patterson & Anna
David & Margaret
John & Rebecca
Dr. R. & Permalia
David & Nancy Bell
John & Margaret
Mary E.
Mary E.
Mary E.
Mary E.
David & Sarah
William M. & S.A.
William & Elizabeth
F.P. & Sarah M.

Birth	<b>Baptism/Received</b>	Dismissed/Died/Admitte
	June 28, 1852	
	June 28, 1852	
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Contributed by Kathy Adams - fragile copies - some were fragments from Daily Forum and Evening Telegraph November 15, 1901...typed by Mary Fox

**THE EVENING TELEGRAPH BUCYRUS OHIO Nov. 15, 1901 -** <u>Al Faber</u> Galion is said to have taken the short end of a two to five thousand dollar bet on Jefferies.

<u>Harry Everett and Jim Crawford</u> were in Whetstone Twp. and got a bag of 23 quails and 4 rabbits.

According to Shelby Globe, <u>Dan Hennessey</u>, living at Crestline was hurt quite seriously at Bucyrus while walking along the track when a ground switch flew up and struck him in the head.

REAL NAUGHTY The Shelby Glove says Frank Rowe of Galion was in Crestline and while either drunk or \_\_\_\_\_ pointed a revolver at a clerk in W. D. Cover's grocery following an argument. He was arrested and lodged in jail. He is suspected of having been indicted in the Tiro bank robbery says Pinkerton detective. They have been working in the vicinity of Galion, Bucyrus and Crestline ever since the robbery and have come to the conclusion Rowe is one of the men wanted.

After twenty years Conrod Munch, a Germany lad resided at Galion. He took a pair of \$2 shoes of Ernst Kramer but stuck bad luck and couldn't pay for them. His finances improved but he couldn't remember Kraners name and the bill went unsettled as he had moved to the east. Wednesday he came back to Galion to pay for the shoes. He found but one man that he knew who told him Kraner had moved away. Article is clipped off!

<u>Piano Recital</u> by the pupils of Miss Olive Geyer in the Union School for music loving people of Bucyrus. Ushers: Misses Lela Keyes, Helen Tobias and Bertha Beal. Students were: Bessie Johnston; Hillrey Hitchens; Mabel Butte; Margaret Johnston; Annabel Haynes; Mabel Butte; Grace Morgan; Margaret White; Edith Chesney and Grace Morgan.

#### The Daily Forum Bucyrus November 13, 1901

<u>Frank Jacobs</u> residing near Chatfield and afflicted with lock jaw is reported much better. Tetanic antitoxine has been administered by attending physicians and this treatment will be kept up until the customary fifteen doses have been given.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Isen were pleasantly remembered on the eve of their departure. Mt. Vernon Republican News says a very pleasant surprise party was tendered the Isens of East Curtis Street by neighbors and friends. They were presented was a handsome lamp. Mrs. George Peugh was present with a graphophone, entertained during the evening with fine selections. Many contributed choice eatables. The Isens were wished much happiness in their new home near Bucyrus whey they will remove in a few days.

<u>M. H. Snepp</u> extra agent on Pittsburgh Ft. Wayne and Chicago railway will move to this city next Thur. He will continue to assist as extra agent but when not out on the road will assist Agent Burkett in his clerical duties. Snepp will move his family here as soon as he can secure a suitable home.

(Edited version) Seldom is a wedding seen in which the kindly interest is more widespread than in that of Elsie, only daughter of J. George Mader to George B. Koch of Cleveland, which occurred on Thursday evening at Mader's Hall in the presence of more than a hundred invited guests. The bridal party entered the hall to the strains of Mendelesohn's wedding march by Gettman's Orchestra. Bridesmaid Miss Lora Angell of Columbus, Groomsman was Al Becker. The ceremony performed according to the ritual of the Evangelical Lutheran Church by Rev. J. W. Kuntz. It was a ring service and was very impressively pronounced in German. The marriage feast was prepared by Caterer J. F. Mader. The gifts were displayed at the bride's home on East Mansfield Street. The couple left for Cleveland, their future home. Out of town guests: Mr. and Mrs. George B. Koch parents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. C. Koch, Misses Viola and Estella Koch, Mrs. Wise, Mrs. Berno, Mr. and Mrs. Albrecht, Mr. and Mrs. Rader, Mr. and Mrs. Zwick, Will Zwick, Al Becker, Will Grant and Fred and Charles Geckler all of Cleveland. Miss Eva Shook Wooster, Al Schaal, New York, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Donnenwirth, Caledonia, Miss Grace Fruth, Fostoria, Mrs. Klingler, Nevada and Miss Lora Angell Columbus. Mr. Koch is a prominent and successful young business man of Cleveland of the firm Koch and Hanks furniture dealers Lorain Street. She was a graduate of Bucyrus, and broadened by travel and mingling in the society of larger cities.

The Daily Forum Bucyrus November 13, 1901 Case of Myrtie Hemmelspeck and Obediah Campbell against the Ohio Central Traction Co. settled out of court. Hemmelspeck received \$2000 and Campbell \$500. **TIRO WEEKLY WORLD** - - - The microfilm newspaper clips off the date.) W.A. Brown was a business caller in Toledo one day last week.

C.A. Geiger of New Washington was a business caller here Friday.

Mrs. E.W. Lautsbaugh was a guest of relatives in Fostoria and Chicago Junction last week. Mrs. Ford Trusell and son of Huron County are visiting at the home of Mrs. Victoria Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dickson and daughter of Cleveland were guests of relatives in Tiro and vicinity this week.

Master John Harley of Des Moines IA arrived in Tiro Tuesday to spend the summer with W. A. Brown and family.

F.W. May is having his residence treated to a coat of paint. B.L. VanHorn and George Alexander are doing the work.

Will be here to clean closets (outdoors) beginning June 23<sup>rd</sup>. Leave orders with C.H. Ledman, C.L. Davidson, Crestline OH.

The large bell which hung in the steeple of the old United Brethren Church was taken down and shipped to a city in Michigan.

John Hilborn and Mr. and Mrs. Hartman and daughter attended the Hilborn family reunion at Nevada Thursday.

The two children of Mr. and Mrs. V.W. Cahill underwent a serious but successful operation for removal of adenoids at the Cahill home by Dr. Gerber of Mansfield, assisted by Dr. W.H. Guiss.

William H. Pohlman, veteran of the Civil War and member of the only U.S. Soldiers Home in America located on the beautiful hills of the country near Washington DC, arrived Saturday to spend the summer with Tiro relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Pohlman will make their home in the room over their son's barbershop where they will be glad to meet all friends.

The trustees of Auburn Township received the resignation of Harry B. Morrow, J.P. The trustees appointed Charles J. Morrow as Justice of the

Peace to fill the vacancy. If he accepts the office, he will qualify before the County Clerk of Courts.

Robert DeGray is reported very poorly today, Thursday.

German Settlement Sisters Patty and Adeline Beach spent several days with their sister Mrs. Henry Weaver and family.

Mrs. Theodore Feick who has been very ill has been reported about the same at this writing.

Fred Bauer is visiting with Crestline friends a few days this week.

Clyde Thrush and family spent Sunday in the Settlement.

Miss Catherine Kunkle of Marion is spending a few days with Jennie Beach.

Children's Day will be observed at the German Reformed Church June 21.

The fifth annual Brown-Eddlinger Reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Magsig near New Washington July 4<sup>th</sup>. The home was beautifully decorated for the event. The nation's colors being in profusion appropriate to welcome the 100 or more happy guests.

Mrs. Deistelhorst is spending her summer vacation with Mrs. Resler and has asked the paper to publish the following. Last Sunday Mrs. Resler gave an elegant receiption in the honor of her sister, Mrs. Deistelhorst of Kansas City. To meet her friends formerly of Kansas City, Edwin May and family of Shelby were also present and it gave her much joy to meet her friends whom she had not seen in many years. Mr. May was raised by the subject of our sketch and now own a home in Shelby which he had inherited. He has a charming young wife and two sweet children who he dearly loves. Mrs. Resler gave an elegant repast, the dinner was fine and the napkinery was of the finest white linen with embroidered violets. and in the center of the table stood a large vase filled with roses and other flowers. On the 18<sup>th</sup> of July will come to Tiro (co-editors don't understand) to hold a reunion with their mother and aunt, Mrs. Deistelhorst whom they never saw. Continued in November Tracking

#### Lucretia Rudolph Garfield

Lucretia Rudolph was born in 1832 near Garrettsville, in northeast Ohio. She was a shy, serious child. Her father, Zebulan Rudolph, was a farmer and one of the founders of Hiram College. It was at Hiram that she met James Garfield, who shared her love of books. They were both fitting themselves to teach. It wasn't until he was ready to leave Hiram that they made their plans for the future. He was entering William and Mary College in Massachusetts. When he completed his course there, they would be married. Meanwhile, Lucretia went to Cleveland to teach in the public schools.

Their engagement was a long one. Lucretia was 26 and James was nearing his 27<sup>th</sup> birthday when they were wed and settled down in a little cottage on the campus of Hiram College where Garfield taught Greek and Latin. At the end of the year, he became president of the College.

In 1859 James Garfield was elected to the Ohio State Senate. In 1861 he entered the Civil War as Colonel of the 42<sup>nd</sup> Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry. Garfield was elected representative in 1862 and was re-elected every two years until 1879 when he was elected to the United States Senate. He never took his seat there; however, much to his own surprise he was nominated to the Presidency in 1880. Lucretia was kept busy helping to prepare four sons for college and her daughter for high school.

Garfield's presidency brought a cheerful family to the White House in 1881. Lucretia was always reserved, a self-contained woman. She flatly refused to pose for campaign photographs, and much preferred a literary circle or informal party to a state reception.

In May she fell gravely ill, apparently from malaria and nervous exhaustion. She was still convalescing, at a seaside resort in New Jersey when her husband was shot by an assassin on July 2. She returned to Washington by special train. During the three months her husband fought for his life, her grief, devotion and fortitude won the respect and sympathy of the country. In September, after his death, the family went home to their farm in Ohio. For another 36 years she led a strictly private, but busy and comfortable life, active in preserving the records of her husband's career. She died March 4, 1918.

#### **Caroline Lavina Scott Harrison**

Caroline Lavina Scott was born in Oxford, Ohio in 1832. She was the daughter of Mary Potts Neal and the Reverand Dr. John W. Scott, a Presbyterian minister and founder of Oxford Female Institute. At 19 she met her future husband, young Benjamin Harrison, grandson of the 9<sup>th</sup> President of the United States. They were married in 1853. He was 20 and his bride was 21. They had no money and he had no job.

He borrowed \$800 against a lot that was left to him in Cincinnati and they moved to Indianapolis where they lived in a boarding house while Benjamin found desk room in an office and hung out his shingle as a practicing lawyer.

When their first child was born, it was necessary for the Harrison's to find some kind of home. It was a one-story wooden building with three rooms and a shed which could be used as a summer kitchen. Caroline managed as economically as she could, doing all of her own work. As the years passed, Harrison's law practice increased and at the beginning of the Civil War he was starting to earn a fair living.

His military career was impressive and before the end of the conflict he was made Brigadier General by brevet. At the close of the war, he resumed his law practice in Indianapolis.

In 1881 he became a Senator. During his six years in the United States Senate, Mrs. Harrison was very popular in Washington, entertaining many callers and engaging in charity works. In 1889 when Harrison became President, she was well equipped to take over the duties of the First Lady.

Readers sometimes ask what might they find in the veteran's books - here is a sample of a few pictures in the WWII section. The book is filled with genealogical research in many ways. See order form in the back to order this book," Honored and Remembered" and Liberty Remembers, along with our many other fine publications.



North Robinson Grange Ladies serving free lunch to Service Men on troop trains passing through Crestline during WWII - - - - - - L to R - Mrs. Walter Parcher; Mrs. Paul Phillips; Mrs. Roy Eichhorn; Mrs. Bishop and Mrs. Glen Wagner. Submitted by Paul Wagner 2592 Parcher Rd. Bucyrus, OH.

### Try a little German cooking - - from Good Hope Lutheran Bucyrus Cook Book - older copy

#### **GERMAN CUT-OUT COOKIES**

Mary Scott

 c. margarine or butter
2/3 c. sugar
1/2 c. light or dark corn syrup 1 Tbsp. lemon juice 1 egg 4 c. unsifted flour 1/4 tsp. salt

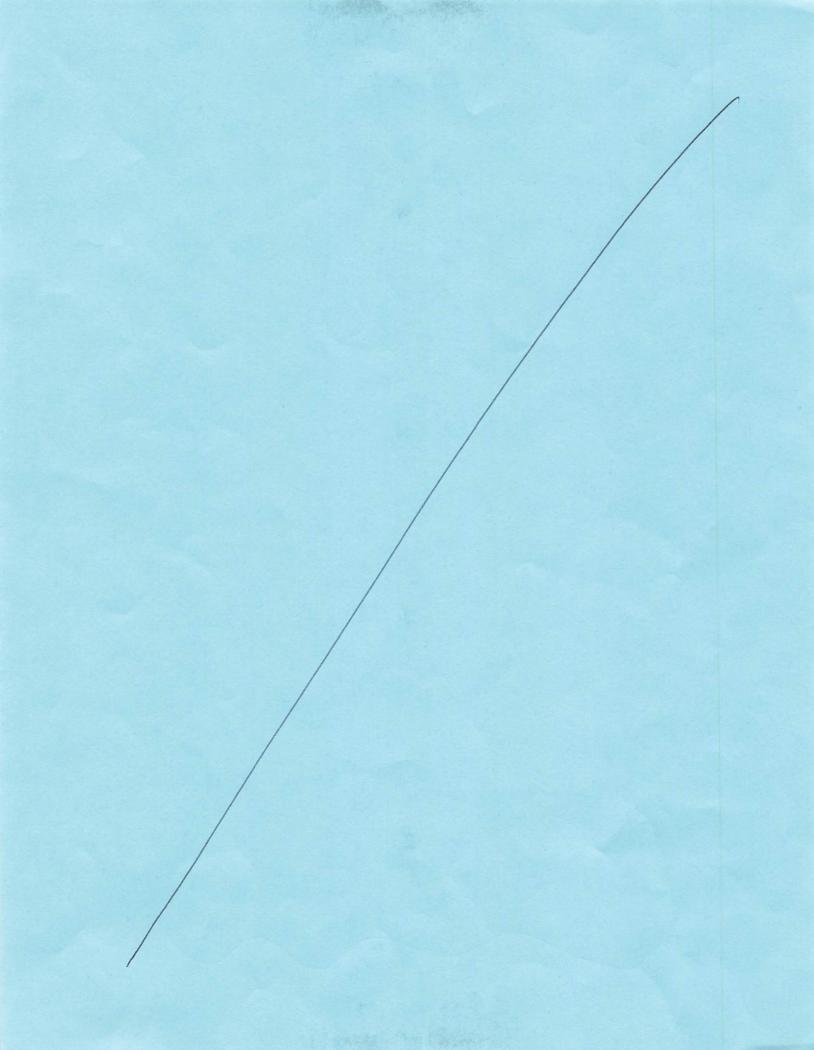
In large bowl with mixer at medium speed, beat first 5 ingredients until smooth. Gradually beat in flour and salt. Chill 1 hour. On floured surface roll out dough 1/3 at a time to 1/8 inch thickness. Cut into desired shapes. Place 1 inch apart on greased cookie sheet. Bake in 350° oven 10 to 12 minutes or until lightly brown around edge. Remove from cookie sheet; cool on rack. Decorate as desired. Makes about 7 dozen (2 inch) cookies.

#### **GERMAN POTATO SALAD**

#### Augusta Kantzer

8 or 10 cooked potatoes 4 hard cooked eggs. 2 small onions 3 Tbsp. sugar 1/4 c. water 3/4 c. vinegar 1 c. water 1 Tbsp. flour

Fry bacon, cut into small pieces, until brown. Remove from fat. Add to cooked, diced potatoes. Add vinegar and flour to fat and let thicken, then add the sugar and the rest of water and bring to boil, pour over potatoes. Mix well and then add sliced eggs. Heat about 1 hour stirring occasionally ------Serve 6.



#### TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 33 Issue #8 Contributed by Fran Reiter - Evening Telegraph newspaper Bucyrus

January 21, 1896 - -Mr. and Mrs. M. Coutant of Peru, Ind., are the guests of their son W.-T. Coutant and family on South Walnut Street.

J. G. Deagle opens new barber shop - all new furniture in basement of the new Mader building, where he hopes to meet old and new patrons.

Clearance Sale of Boots and Shoes. Owing to free trade and the financial distress of the country I will sell five thousand dollars worth of leather boots and shoes at such prices as never were heard of before in Bucyrus. They must be sold to make room for spring goods. Terms cash. No. 126 South Sandusky Avenue, Bucyrus, Ohio. J. E. CORRELL.

February 20, 1897 Local News: BRING IN YOUR "OLD COUNTRY" SOAP COUPONS and we will redeem them at the OPERA HOUSE GROCERY PHONE 51 J.H. ULMER

EVENING TELEGRAPH The Leading Daily Paper Published In Crawford County BUCYRUS FEBRUARY 20, 1897. Lots of sick people and plenty of grip Keep your feet dry if you want to get along without the grip. To Cure a Cold in a Day Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets All druggists money refunded if it fails to cure.

The marriage license clerk has been doing a fair business, but says he can do lots more.

Marion Star: Mr. and Mrs. Hecker Riley of Bucyrus, visited in the city Thursday afternoon.

BY OUR REPORTERS who have gathered them together and prepared them for THE EVENING TELEGRAPH Edited this Week by Massana Manbeck and Charlie Kern.

Examinations were held in all the schools this week. The junior high will commence the study of botany next Monday. Mrs. John Farquhar visited the fourth grammar Wednesday afternoon. The examinations are past for this half term, and the schools will again resume their daily recitations.

John Clarke Ridpath has been engaged to give two lectures before the Northwestern Ohio Teachers association at Lima, next fall.The superintendent, Prin. Plumb, Messrs. McComb, Goldsmith, Fouts, Assenheimer and De Witt attended the institute at Galion today. Teachers' meeting will be omitted next Monday afternoon on account of Washington's Birthday. The subject for the next meeting is answering questions in recitations. Those pupils contemplating a sojourn in the French capital in 1900 should attend the lecture "A Saunter through Paris" to be given by Dr. Georgia Merriman Friday evening, Feb. 26 7:30 standard for the benefit of the Good Templar. Your vision may be clarified by looking through the doctor's glasses.

Washington's Birthday will be celebrated in all the schools. Committees from the G. A. R. will visit the North and West buildings in the morning and the Union building in the afternoon. The schools will have exercises in their own rooms but different schools will be called on to present exercises in the chapel and then return to their own rooms to complete their exercises. It is hoped that friends of schools will attend these exercises.

The senior class met with the president, Susan Reid, on Monday evening. After disposing with a light lunch, toasts were responded to by different members of the class, which was very elegant. The most important feature of the evening was the selection of the class motto. The one decided on is from the Latin "Vita seir litteris mors est"; or translated, "Life without learning is death." They now all realize that life without learning is surely death to the highest and noblest gift to manhood,-the mind.

#### <u>MARRIED</u>

Mr. Gilbert F. Malcolm Weds Miss Elizabeth Hinaman. - The following clipped from the <u>Marion Mirror</u> relates to the marriage of Tom Malcolm who has a host of friends in the city:--The most conspicuous society event of Thursday night was the marriage of Miss Elizabeth Hinaman and Mr. Gilbert F Malcolm, which was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Hinaman, six miles north of the city. At 7 o'clock the contracting parties accompanied by Miss Rebecca Hinaman (article clipped off here)

Mrs. J.C. Keil is considerably better today.

Hugh Dobbins is recovering from a very severe illness.

M Englehart has an interesting ad in this issue. Read it.

John Whitmore, west of the city is reported seriously sick.

# TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 33 Issue #8 Contributed by Fran Reiter from newspaper clippings

July 9, 1897 - Ethel A Neff Accident -----A THRILLING ESCAPE by a Ten-Year-old Girl Crushed to Death by the Cars from Being Crestline Advocate: Ethel A:, the bright ten-yearold daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Neff living on Columbus Street near the Big Four tracks, met with a serious accident this morning about 6:30. She was sent out to do a little marketing, which duty she promptly attended to. Her nearest route to the place laid among the Big Four where she was sent tracks, that being the usual course taken by the members of the family when coming to the business portion of the town. Ethel had procured the things she was directed to get and started happily for her home, walking along the Big Four. The local was doing some shifting on the tracks. When Ethel was Burch Plow Works and not far from near the home, she noticed the train had been cut in two and thinking of the danger she went to avoid stepped on the wrong track and was knocked by backing cars to the ground. Her foot catching under the cruel wheel was badly mangled, the wheel evidently passing over the heel and sole of the foot. The trainmen saw the accident and ran to the assistance of the unfortunate little child, and raising her prostrate and bleeding little form into their hands. She was not unconscious and answered the brakeman's question telling where she lived. She was carried to her home, where Drs. Bennett and Marquart were called. Besides the crushed foot she received several bruises about the head and face, evidently caused by her fall. Everything will be done to save her foot from amputation. It is probable that the foot can be patched up. It is hoped it may.



Sept 1 1897 (picture of L.A. Dozer with caption "President Photographer's Association of Ohio.")

(Apparently the first few lines of this article are missing)

...the presidency of the association but when the matter was suggested to him he replied, "Oh yes it

might be, but there are many older and better men and they took upon me as "just a boy."Mr. Dozer was evidently too modest to think of the matter seriously but it appears that the members of the association don't consider him "just a boy," but are willing to honor him with the highest position in their association and willing to entrust their affairs to him. In this they will not be disappointed as Mr. Dozer's management of the business of the association as secretary for the past years is an abundant assurance that his official term will surely bring further progress to the association. Mr. Dozer was born in the wilds of the gaseous regions around Fostoria, early in life be absented himself from school, without leave, to study scenery along the brooks. It was while thus engaged that a snapping turtle gave him his first introduction of a "snap" shot and left a lasting impression on Len's mind and big toe. Upon his return to school he was invariably given the place of honor "on the tripod" beside the teacher's desk and he "posed" in all the glory of his tall, painted cap. However his love of artled him to respect his jaunt to the brooks and fields, and now when his more studious companions are plugging along at manual labor Len is honored by his Mr. Dozer entered the photograph association. business at Fostoria and later went to Upper Sandusky, where he made lots of friends, but little honor, glory or money. Coming to Bucyrus he at once began to be recognized as a rising young man. The action of the association today proves that the people of Bucyrus judged wisely, and all will unite with THE TELEGRAPH in congratulations.

December 12 1890 - A Distressing Case Leroy Flickinger, a young man of Lykins Township, was adjudged insane today in the Probate court and was taken to the asylum at Toledo. He was one of the victims of typhoid fever during the epidemic which has so seriously scourged that community this season as well as the last, as was also his father, John Flickinger, who died a few weeks ago The young man made an apparently good recovery and for several weeks has been regarded as practically well. About ten days ago he began to show unmistakable signs of serious mental derangement and has constantly grown more and more violent until it was found impossible to restrain him at home and necessitated an application to take him to the asylum which was unwillingly acceded to by the relatives. He was accompanied to the Asylum by his brother and his brother-in-law, Mr. Sam Coulter. The strong probability is that the insanity is only the form or symptoms of a disease which is consuming his vitality, and which must result in speedy recuperation or death, and most probably the latter.

#### TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 33 Issue #8 Contributed by Genie Kalb and typed by Winnie Kleinknecht

Evangelical Pietist Church, Chatfield, Ohio Presented at Harvest Supper October 28, 1979 BIOGRAPHIES OF MEMBERS OF MEN'S CLASS AND WOMEN'S CLASS

<u>Daniel and Luella Kalb</u>: Daniel Kalb was born September 3, 1904 to Daniel and Emma Kalb. He went to Pike's Peak and Chatfield Schools. Samuel and Mary Heiber became the parents of Luella on July 6, 1904. She attended Hog Town School at Chatfield. Daniel and Luella were married on October 25, 1928 (51 years) by Rev. John Beal at Rev. Beal's home which is now the home of the Kenneth Rothhaar family. The minister forgot to ask for the ring during the ceremony so the groom placed it on the bride's finger when they got in the car. They have five sons and one daughter: John, Carl, Robert, Glen, Luther, and Dorothy. There are six granddaughters and four grandsons.

Daniel and Luella were both confirmed in the same class with Mike Brose. (Don't remember the date.) Former Sunday school teachers remembered most are Daniel Brose, Reuben Geissman, and Mr. Bumgardener. Especially remembered is Katie Beal, Willie Beal's mother, as the first teacher. She taught the little children to read German from religious books for children. They also recalled when there were six classes in the large room in the basement with approximately 60 people. They would pass the plate for a "penny collection," each giving a penny. Then they started buying quarterlies and they increased the collection to a "nickel collection," then later they gave as much as they wanted.

Daniel was on the Church Council for over 20 years. Luella was assistant teacher of the women's class for several years. Daniel is a retired farmer and Luella a housewife. Daniel's favorite scripture verse is Psalms 119:11 "Thy word have I hid in mine heart, that I might not sin against thee." Luella's is John 3:16 "For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

Lulu Leuthold: was born March 23, 1912 to Victor and Dessie (Jump) Bantzhaff in Eden Township in Wyandot County. She attended Eden School. On March 30, 1934 she became the bride of Paul Leuthold. It was on Good Friday in Canton, Ohio at a parsonage. The busy minister had a wedding, a confirmation, and a funeral all on that day. Lulu and Paul had nine children: Arieta Stephenson, William, James, Everett, Gerald, Dwight, Wayne, Douglas, Christine Warren; and 19 grandchildren. Lulu did housework before marriage and a housewife after.

They came to the Pietist Church on Easter Sunday 1935 after moving into the area. Paul's mother had attended Little York Methodist and had been to the altar at the age of 12. Paul had attended Epworth Methodist and also had been to the altar. Persons that had influenced her in our church included Naomi Beal as Sunday School teacher and Edna Luidhardt being so kind. She remembers one Sunday she stopped after church at Edna's to say hello to her mother who was ill and could not attend church. Edna invited them all to stay for dinner: Paul, Lulu, and five children, besides her own family (Mrs. Beal, Edna, Harvey, Paul and Lulu) and also that day Paul Luidhardt sprained his ankle or something of that nature and Harvey took him to the doctor before dinner.

Incidents remembered most by Lulu are Paul would sit on one side of the church with the older children and she sat on the other side with the younger ones. She also recalls Rev. Shisler's big confirmation class with Bill and Arieta and Mrs. Shisler helping Arieta with her singing. Arieta sang specials in our church. A testimony given by Lulu is that she is thankful that both she and Paul were brought up in church and could bring their family to church. She felt like praising the Lord when they finally had everybody in the car and were ready to go to church. Her favorite scripture is Psalm 121.

The first two verses are "I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help. My help cometh from the Lord, which made heaven and earth.

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# TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 33 Issue #8 Hershner Family History Book Review Contributed by Marty Keller Book Review Chairman

Hershner History – the book will be placed in Galion Library as requested and the review will appear in the second part October 2007 Tracking.

The Descendants of Lorentz Hershner to Cole Hayden Hershner." By Richard D. Hershner This is a lengthy compilation of families, and photos, with interesting comments by the author along the way. The book is over 400 pages so will cover as much as possible straight line. The two Hershner brothers, Johannes and Lorentz were first thought to have come to America on the same ship, the Saint Mark in 1741 but after a lot of search and going over many lists of passengers our author now is convinced that Lorentz arrived on the ship Lydia, on September 29, 1741, three days after the St. Mark. The author believes the two brothers decided to cross on different ships in case one ship sank and the other ship would make it to America. The Hershners like many of our ancestors left Germany because of religious persecution. Also, food and land was scarce and when William Penn opened his vast acreage for settlers many came to what is now Pennsylvania. Lawrence married Anna Maria Salone in 1747 and they had 14 children .Two daughters and two sons died in infancy. Lawrence was born 1726 in Germany, died Sept. 4, 1779 Windsor Twp., York Co. PA. He was buried at Canadochly Lutheran Church, York Co. Lawrence's original hand written last will and testament are in the book His script is very impressive. Evidently he was in very poor health when he wrote the will on 20 July 1779 because he says" Unchangeable providence and decree hath laid me, Lorentz Herschner down through long and tedious bodily sickness, so that thereby I am not only disabled to manage my own and my families affairs, but am also put to an uncertainty at what time and hour the Lord will end my days." He died two weeks later at the age of 53.

Jacob Hershner, Lorentz's son, with his family immigrated to what is now Crawford County, Ohio in 1819 being one of the original landowners in the area. History tells that Jacob was a farmer, a carpenter and a fine cabinet maker. He was born Mar. 25, 1769 in Windsor Twp., York Co. Pa. Died Mar. 9, 1829, Crawford Co., burial Middletown Cemetery, Co. Ohio. Very little is known about his wife, Eva. They had nine children. The 6<sup>th</sup> child of the marriage was Andrew (1803-1889). He was of thrifty German descent, born in York Co., PA. In 1819 Jacob and family came to the Buckeye state. They journeyed across the country in the customary prairie schooner. Andrew was 16 years of age at this time. The family located north of the present city of Galion, Ohio. Andrew was a well educated man and was to become one of the pioneer school teachers in Morrow Co. When ready to assume the duties of a married man, he turned his attention to agriculture. He walked from the farm of his father near Middletown, north of Galion, to Wooster, Ohio, and back to enter 80 acres of land in Troy Twp., Morrow Co. afterwards he engaged in farming and teaching school, until his death in 1889. Andrew's wife, whose maiden name was Mary Murray was born in Baltimore Co., Maryland of English and Irish ancestry. She accompanied her parents to Ohio at a young age. She and Andrew were married in 1830.

The very southeast corner of Andrew's farm was dedicated for public education. This was where Andrew built a small brick one room school house and he was the teacher. The present farm buildings are still at St. Rt. 314 and Troy Twp. Rd., 57. Andrew and Mary are buried in Walters Cemetery on the west side of St. Rt. 314 between Johnsville and Steam Corners, Ohio. George Washington Hershner, son of Andrew and Mary, was a worthy member of an honored pioneer family of Morrow County, Ohio. He was prominently identified with its agricultural development. He was born Oct. 12, 1833 in Troy Twp. Morrow Co., and lived in the county all his life. He was a farmer and a skilled carpenter, erecting many of the townships residences and public buildings. He successfully followed the carpenter's trade for thirty years. During this time he built many churches, school houses, and barns. Mr. Hershner married Louisa Fensler of PA. She died June 7, 1862 leaving three children. In adulthood they were Rev. John L. Hershner, a graduate of Corvallis College, Oregon, Professor Andrew F. Hershner of Oregon and Allen D. Hershner of Nebraska. George Hershner Sarah C. Markward on May 4, 1865. She was from PA also and the daughter of Samuel and Mary Markward. They had arrived in Ohio in 1852. To this marriage was born three more children; Arthur Hershner, Cora Hershner Cole, and Charlotte Hershner. George W. was also active in local politics. He was voted to the Troy Twp. Clerks of Office for 12 years and was a Morrow Co. Commissioner for three terms. For over 40 years he was a Justice of the Peace. Arthur S. Hershner was born June 3, 1868 in Steam Corners, OH. Died Dec. 15, 1954, Marion, OH Burial Lexington Cem. Lexington, OH. Married 1891 to Mary J. Cole Hershner who was born March 1869, Died Jan. 31, 1935 Burial Lexington Cem. Lexington, OH. Arthur and Mary had one child, Continued in October Tracking:

#### TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 33 Issue #8 Bucyrus Telegraph Forum 1944 abstracted and typed by Mary Fox

Telegraph Forum Bucyrus Ohio August 8, 1944 Henry Baumoel, seventy, for many years a Bucyrus dry goods merchant died at Mt. Sinai Hospital in Cleveland following an illness of six weeks. He made his home in Cleveland since retirement twenty years ago. He never married and closest survivors are nephews and nieces. Two brothers, Morris and Mark associated with him in business here preceded him in death. Born in Czechoslovakia, he came to America aged six, coming directly to Bucyrus with his parents. Since retirement he made his home in Cleveland in the summer and Florida in winters. Rabbi Kramer of Temple will conduct rites burial in Mayfield Cemetery Cleveland.

Marking completion of forty years service to the Second Evangelical and Reformed Church at Tiffin, the pastor Rev. David R. Raiser was given recognition by his congregation and visiting parishoners. Rev. Raiser, native of Bucyrus sent all but two years of his 42 years in the ministry at the Tiffin Church.

Camp Millard soldier forced entrance into the Harold McClintock home 618 East Charles St. Bucyrus.

<u>City News Flashes and Announcements</u>: Mrs. Frederick McConnell and infant son of Upper Sandusky were discharged today from City Hospital

Funeral services for Hazel Cotsamire held Monday at Wise Funeral home with burial in Whetstone Cemetery.

Samuel David Stoltz, 325 West Rensselaer St. had his tonsils taken out this morning at City Hospital.

Mrs. Edith Weiler 849 South Sandusky Ave. was admitted to City Hospital Monday for medical care.

Dr. A. L. Higgens office will be closed until Aug 21

Services for Harvey Kinder were held Monday afternoon at United Brethren West Hope Church and burial made in adjoining cemetery.

Maxine Hancock Sulphur Springs submitted to a tonsillectomy this morning at City Hospital.

Mrs. Fred Eusey 514 Woodlawn Avenue was dismissed today from City Hospital.

From: <u>Kwstriker@aol.com</u> Sent: Sunday, July 22, 2007 8:50 AM --Ken Striker is interested in getting this message to all the members.

http://boards.rootsweb.com/localities.northam.usa.st ates.ohig.counties.crawford/2630/mb.ashx Message Board Fost: The Daughters of '98, was chartered in 1938 and the Sons Of Spanish American War Veterans in 1937 by the United Spanish War Veterans and are both National Societies. The Forts and Camps(Chapters) of the National Societies are made up of Female(Daughters) and Male(Sons) Descendants of Spanish American War Veterans of 1898-1902; Accepting Both Collateral and Lineal Ancestors of the Veterans of the SAW in Cuba. The Philippine Insurrection and the China Expedition(aka Boxer Rebellion). Relief

You may be eligible for membership if you are descended through a daughter/son, grandchild, niece/nephew law, or son/daughter\_\_\_\_ in even cousin of a Spanish American War Veteran who honorably served. If interested in membership feel free to visit the local Watervliet Arsenal Fort webpage for more information and how to research your ancestor. The Fort itself is nearing Charter status and those join by August 1st will be charter more information For Visit: members. http://leonardcamp.tripod.com/daughters of 98 w atervliet fort.htm Or write me back for an application , rlemay1407@earthlink.net at Did you know that in the 1930 Federal Census, there is a Column for Veteran Status; if it says Yes, and the abbreviation "SP" that means he/she was in the Spanish American War. Our Dues are low and our ideals high! Join now to keep green the memory of the Veterans of 98-02 so they are not forgotten. If you have any comments/questions feel free to write/call (518)273-9642. Best Regards, Adjutant. Raymond W. LeMay III Acting Watervliet Arsenal Fort, Daughters of ) '98 President~Past-Camp President~LM ~Camp Joseph Melvin Leonard Camp No.168, Cohoes, NY Sons Of Spanish American War Veterans.

BOOKS: THANK YOU TO THE MEMBERS WHO CAME TO BUCYRUS OVER THE SUMMER AND PURCHASED OUR CHAPTER BOOKS AND ORDERED FROM THE POST OFFICE BOX, WE WOULD LIKE YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT TO HELP LOWER INVENTORY WE HAVE IN STOCK.

#### TRACKI NG IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 33 Issue #8 Contributed by Fran Reiter from the Evening Telegraph Bucyrus

March 30, 1906 Evening Telegraph - DECLARED INSANE J. N. Free Taken to the Toledo Hospital Today. J. N. Free, known far and wide as the "Immortal J. N." has been declared insane and was taken from Upper Sandusky to the Toledo hospital this morning. Continued from Issue 7 p. 108 The Wyandot county infirmary directors took him before Probate Judge Brown, who declared him insane and the director took him to the Toledo hospital, thinking that was the best place for him. He will probably end his days there. When asked where his legal residence was he replied simply "McCutchenville." An old family Bible in possession of one of the relatives gives the place of his birth as Cumberland County, Penn. and the date May 28, 1828, making him nearly seventy-eight years old. After many years of wandering about the country he has at last been placed where he will be given the best of care and attention.

#### September 3, 1897 - The Evening Telegraph

Several cases were taken up by Judge Babst and motions heard. Joseph F. Kester against J. W Nelson and others. Judgment for plaintiff for \$724.86.

Mosler Safe Co. vs. John Link, Judgment for plaintiff.

Carrie A. W hitacre vs. Jason A. Whitacre. Divorce granted; custody of child awarded plaintiff.

Ethel Piastre vs. John B. Piastre. Divorce granted, and plaintiff restored to her maiden name.

Martin Seibel vs. unknown heirs of John A. Lee. Judgment for plaintiff.

<u>New Cases</u> Mary J. Garnhart and others against the unknown heirs of Henry Traub and Samuel Hench, Suit to quiet title.

<u>Probate Court</u> The will of Adam Zimmerman of <u>Crestline</u> has been filed. It leaves all his property to his wife, Maria Zimmerman, and nominates her as executrix, without bond.

John A. Nagel was appointed administrator of Margaret Nagel, with bond of \$6,000.

January 16, 1906 Evening Telegraph - Application made to admit to probate the will of the late Benjamin Buckolz, of Vernon Township. The will was executed October 2, 1896. To Joseph, a son, is given all the household goods and other chattels. To Joseph and Fredrick, both sons, is given in equal shares the home farm of 80 acres. The farm however is charged with a legacy of \$200 to the heirs of Sophia Biglin, a deceased daughter. The two sons are required to pay \$200 to the heirs of Philimena Gwertz, a deceased daughter, also a like sum to Martha Horning, a granddaughter. All moneys or credits are to be equally divided among the two sons. Both are named as executors.

July 29, 1907 Probate Court - The will of Jane Bishop, of Sandusky Twp., has been filed. It directs that her property in Liberty Twp. be sold and the property divided equally between her brothers, William and Henry Sheldon and her nephew, Elzey Weaver. B.F. Worden is named as executor.

The will of John H. Nagel of Holmes Twp, has been filed. It leaves all the property to his wife, Margaret Nagel.

There will be a hearing in probate court at 1 o'clock tomorrow in the care of Albert Etzinger, charged with petit larceny:

Amos Keller, administrator of George F. Eberhart filed account of final distribution.

E. M, Loyer, guardian of Maria and Freda Domroe, filed first account.

F.J. Smith, administrator of Henry J. Korb, filed first account.

September 28, 1907 An authenticated copy of the will of Mrs. L.E. Linsel,(Linser)? deceased, late a resident of Bucyrus, has been filed for probate. The will bequeaths property in this county. -- Upper Sandusky Chief.

#### **December 24, 1906**

The last will and testament of Margaret Ginkle of this city, who died the 18th day of Dec. last, was filed in probate court today; the will was signed the 14th of last February and was witnessed by Charles Gallinger and Linda Buck of this city. The deceased bequeaths to her husband, Peter Ginkle, all of her property, real and personal. After his death, it is to be equally divided among the five children, Mary Kent, and, Emma, George, Philip and John, all of whom reside in this city.

#### TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 33 Issue #8 Contributed by member Fran Reiter from Crawford County Court news.

#### March 28, 1907 PROBATE COURT

D. L. Beall, administrator of Jas. P. Beall, filed his third account.

Andrew Fix, guardian of Wm. J. Bisel, filed his second and final account.

Andrew Fix, guardian of Harry M. Bisel, filed his second account.

Jacob Babst, guardian of John P. Brown, filed report of sale of personal property.

The will of Agatha Link of Galion was filed. It makes several small bequests, and leaves the balance of her property to her children, John, Anthony, Albin and William Link and Elizabeth Hinkley. It names John and William Link as executors.

The will of Caroline Dye of Galion, was filed for probate.

#### **REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS**

John A. Harris to James Sharrock, parts inlots 598, 599 and 600, Galion, \$1200.

J. G. Myers, by administrator to Jacob and S. C. Campbell, 100 acres, Holmes, \$8150.

Christopher Walther to Ira Baker, inlot 1656. Bucyrus, \$450.

L. E. Jones to Ed. L. Sproull, inlot 1370, Bucyrus, \$500.

C. P. Munz to Henry Baehr, part outlot 108, Bucyrus, \$1100.

Leonard W. Weber to Albert Ricker part outlot 437, Galion, \$180.

Zella M. and J. M. Michener, to Melissa M. Stock, inlot 26, Tiro, \$1000.

M. C. Reece heirs to Jacob Schwenck, part inlot 403, Bucyrus, \$2700.

Minnie M. and C. H. Stricker to John Schimpf, 80 acres, Sandusky, \$5600.

Laura A. Oehm to Jacob Mollencop, inlot 1481, Bucyrus, \$450.

W. D. Koons to M. C. Reece heirs inlots 377 and 378, Bucyrus, \$2700.

Sheriff to Jonas Crall, 90 acres, Liberty \$7230.

Isaac Hinkle et al Doner & Zeigler, part outlot 68, New Washington, \$2000.

John Muth to John Schieber, inlot 868, Bucyrus, \$2300.

Samuel and N. R. Cairns to Michael Wolford, part outlot 50, Crestline, \$3300.

M. C. Coulter to H. C. Sargel, lot in Bucyrus, \$450.

John A. Eusey to Harvey E. Kiess, inlot 799, Bucyrus, \$1250.

W. D. Cover to I. M. and N. R. Cairns, inlot 954, Crestline, \$1000.

J. J. Martin to J. B. Schell, inlots 1690 and 1691, Bucyrus, \$950.

Wm C. Klein to Zehner Catherine et al, inlots 1380 and 1383, Bucyrus, \$2700.

Mary Dinkle to Flora Tressler, inlot 548, Bucyrus, \$2000.

Henry Eller to George and Mary A. Baublitz, undivided half inlot 389, New Washington, \$1500.

W. C. Kiess to Cynthia Sharrock, inlot 1060, Bucyrus, \$2500.

Margaret E. Geary to Pearl Melroy, north part outlot 8, Bucyrus, \$4000.

A. P. Tracht, guardian, to Olivia Tracht, 28 1/2 acres, Jefferson, \$2550.

Albin Zeigner to Emanuel Long, middle part inlots 868 and 869, Galion, \$2500.

Mary A. and J. S. McCarrell to W. D. Koons, inlots 868 and 869, Bucyrus, \$1650.

#### April 2, 1907 Court News.

Judge Young on the bench. Godfrey A. Leuthold, administrator of Christian Leuthold, filed report of private sale.

Ella P. Neff appointed guardian of Hubert W., Margaret, Florence and Harry M. Neff.

H E Valentine guardian Roland Allen, filed inventory.

Will of John Volk Galion filed leaves a small legacy to his daughter Margaret Muth, and the balance of his property divided equally among his other children or their heirs, William H. John and Jacob Volk, Mrs. Anna Brewer and Estella Volk daughter of his son Samuel Volk, deceased. He nominates his son William H. Volk as executor.

End of series from newspaper articles on court news abstracted by Fran Reiter.....

#### **READING CIRCLE**

Mrs. W. C. McCullough was hostess to members of North Side Reading Circle at her home on North Sandusky Ave. Miss Ida Uhl read a part of Stoddard's lecture on Jerusalem and a paper on "A New Commandment, That Ye Love One Another" was prepared by Mrs. Ember(e?)nd, of St. Paul, a former member.

#### TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 33, Issue #8 Contributed by Joyce Vonstein 6622 Ganges Five Points Rd, Shiloh, OH 44878 jvons81440@aol.com

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TIRO WORLD - APRIL 23, 1931 - - - May 1st is the last day to list your personal property and get the \$100 exemption. R.K. Raudabaugh for Tiro; M.J. Humphrey for Auburn Township, and C.L. Easterday for Vernon Township are the local assessors.

Emanuel Kaufman died April 13, born December 2, 1856, on a farm near Tiro. He was the son of Daniel and Elizabeth Kaufman and is survived by his wife, a son, a daughter, and a grandson. One of ten children, three sisters and a brother also survive.

J.L. Patterson died at his home Monday with burial in Union Cemetery.

Members of the eighth grade of Tiro School made a remarkable showing in the state scholarship test which was given throughout the state. Ten of the 27 in the local eighth were placed in the upper 26% in this test and in this respect the local school led the entire county.

Joan Elizabeth Metzger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Metzger, made the best individual record of the Tiro students and placed second in the county when she answered 150 questions correctly of the 200 that were given.

In addition to Miss Metzger, others taking the test and receiving honorable mention were: William Carl Hipsher, Frank Milton Griffeth, Madeline Elinor Davis, Mildred Isabell Love, Navajo Rosalind Heckert, Minjel Lee Sargent, Mary Pauline Lash, John Clifford Farrell, and Virginia Jane Clawson. Each received their award from Supt. H.L. Shibler Thursday morning.

A large truck loaded with eggs and bearing a Maryland license overturned in the ditch near the William Hines residence three miles north of Tiro.

Frank Dickson brought to the World office samples of some apples that were dried by his mother probably 30 years ago. Mr. Dickson stated they had eaten some of the apples recently and found them delicious. His mother died 28 years ago. The apples were in a can at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Messimer and the house where Mrs. Dickson lived prior to her death.

Thirty years ago Tuesday, April 21, 1898, the whistles blew, the bells proclaiming war with Spain. A few days later several boys from this community

answered President McKinley's call to arms. They were: Ed Borroughs, G.O. Coleman, R.A. Trumbull, Harvey Coleman, and Avery E. Davis. On May 11, 1898, they were mustered into the National Service. The war was short; the results were magnificent in that the war gave the United States the rating of a first class power among the great powers of Earth.

Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Ludin and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Buskirk spent Saturday evening in Bucyrus.

Ralph Burns and family moved from Vernon Junction to the James Cole property on Robinson Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Cloyce Humphrey and family were entertained at the home of Anna Humphrey in honor of the formers birthday.

Mrs. Frank S. Delo is convalescing following her recent illness.

Misses Evelyn and Carrie McClain were visitors in Toledo last week.

Marion Bender is ill and confined to his bed at his home west of town.

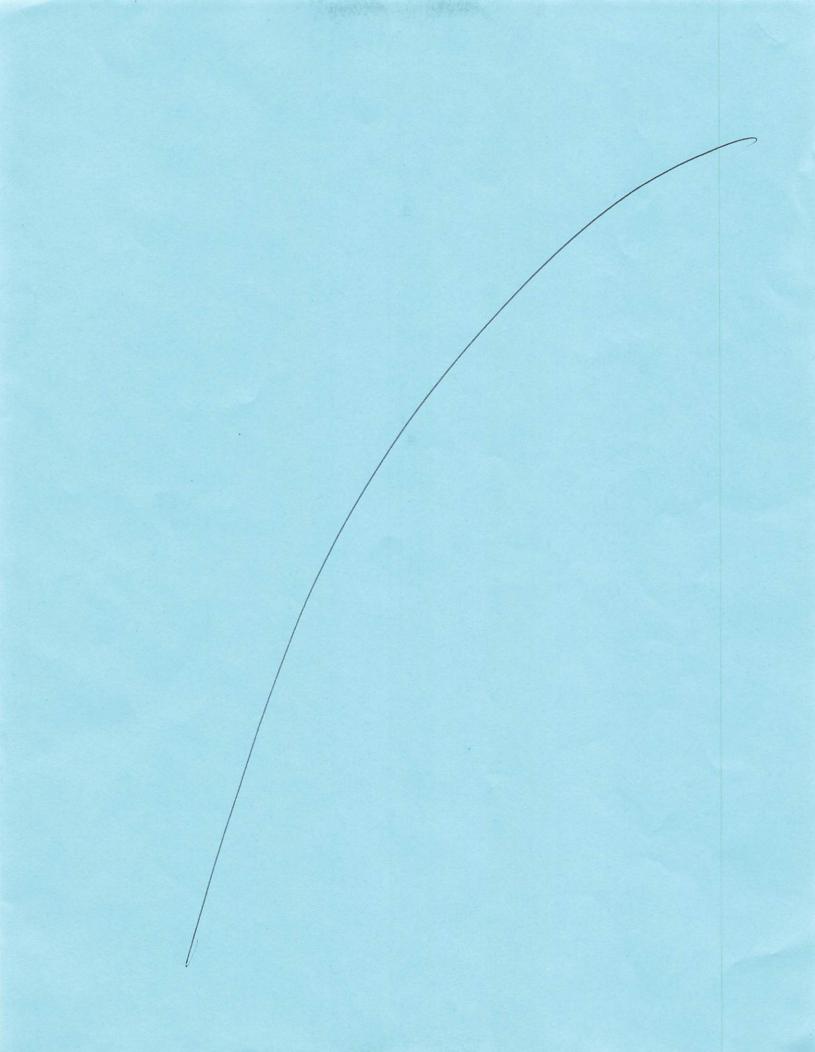
Miss Clara Fox of Shelby was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bevier. Miss Fox and Mrs. Bevier are sisters.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence J. Karl on April 19 and named Mary. The birth certificate was filed in the local Registrar's office by Dr. K.H. Barth.

Mr. and Mrs. William McManus and son arrived in this community Sunday from Montana, where they have lived for the past several years. They expect to locate in this community. Mr. McManus is a former Tiro boy and is a brother to Mrs. Cantwell Lash and Mrs. Melvin Hartman.

Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Ludin and Mrs. Russell Smith were in Chatfield Monday evening on account of the death of Mrs. Shafer.

Mrs. Homer Grove, Mrs. Frank Cole and daughters, Alice and Helen, and Mrs. Ray Vanasdale attended the Baptist Missionary meeting at Bucyrus, Wednesday.



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Crawford County Ohio Election Workers November 1933 General Election

Name	Precinct, Ward	Name	Precinct, Ward
FOX, Catherine	Bucyrus City, A 2nd	HOFFMAN, Mrs. J.	Galion City, A 4th
FOX, Paul G.	Bucyrus City, A 1st	HOOVER, Wilson	Vernon Township
FRANK, A.H.	Sandusky Township	HORNER, Francis L.	Galion City, A 3rd
FRANK, W.A.	Galion City, A 2nd	HUBER, R.E.	Jefferson Township
FREY, W.S.	Bucyrus City, A 2nd	HUMPHREY, Mrs. Amy	Auburn Township
FROST, W.S.	North Robinson	JACOBS, Velma	Bucyrus City, A 1st
GARVIN, Roy	Tod Township	JENNER, A.J.	Holmes Township
GEARHART, H.F.	North Robinson	JOHNSON, Homer	Polk Township
GEIGER, Conrod	Lykens Township	JOHNSTON, A.D.	Bucyrus City, B 4th
GIVENS, Gladys	Whetstone Twp, South	JOHNSTON, Orpha E.	Galion City, B 4th
GLEDHILL, Mack	Jefferson Township	JOURDAN, E.B.	Galion City, C 4th
GOEBELT, Anna	Bucyrus City, C 1st	JOURDAN, Pearl	Galion City, C 4th
GOSHORN, Wm. L.	Galion City, A 4th	JUMP, C. N.	Tod Township
GREEN, Harry	Cranberry Township	KAHLER, Carl	Sandusky Township
GRIFFETH, Hazel M.	Auburn Township	KAHLER, Wm.	Cranberry Township
GROVE, Robert	Auburn Township	KALB, W.H.	Chatfield Township
GROVER, John	Bucyrus City, B 1st	KARK, Clarence	Cranberry Township
HAALA, Elsie	Bucyrus City, B 1st	KAVIS, Kate	Galion City, A 2nd
HAMILTON, Gertrude	Bucyrus City, D 2nd	KEHRER, Bessie W.	Bucyrus City, A 4th
HARER, Gust V.	Bucyrus City, B 4th	KEPLINGER, A.J.	Bucyrus City, B 4th
HARTER, R.C.	Bucyrus City, C 1st	KIBLER, Chas. L.	Whetstone Twp, North
HARTER, Stephen	Tod Township	KIBLER, Gertrude	New Washington, West
HARTER, W.F.	Bucyrus City, C 2nd	KLINE, Alfred E.	Chatfield Corporation
HARTMAN, Oliver	Vernon Township	KLINE, Gust F.	Chatfield Corporation
HAWKINS, Vemon	Texas Township	KLINE, Robert	Bucyrus City, C 2nd
HEIBERTSHAUSEN, Carl	Chatfield Township	KNISELY, Morris	Sandusky Township
HEINLE, Clyde W.	Bucyrus Township	KNISLEY, J.W.	North Robinson
HEISER, J.C.	Chatfield Township	KNODEL, F.J.	New Washington, East
HELFRICH, Walter	Galion City, C 2nd	KOONS, Inez	Bucyrus City, A 3rd
HENRY, Wm. M.	Dallas Township	KOPPE, Laura	Galion City, B 3rd
HEPP, Elizabeth	New Washington, West	KOPPE, W.W.	Galion City, A 4th
HERSHNER, Carl	Jefferson Township	KRANICH, Thelma A.	Bucyrus City, A 3rd
HEYDINGER, Earl J.	New Washington, West	KRAUTER, James B.	Bucyrus Township
HIGH, Milton	New Washington, East	KREPS, Floyd	Jackson Township
HILDEBRAND, C.E.	Liberty, West	LAW, James J.	Bucyrus City, A 1st
HOCKER, D. Carl	Polk Township	LEACH, C.J.	Galion City, C 2nd
HOERRIGER, Frank J.	Whetstone Twp, North	LEUTHNER, Robert L.	Galion City, B 2nd

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Ohio Crawford Co.

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# Crawford County Ohio Election Workers August 1934 Primary

Name	Precinct, Ward	Name	Precinct, Ward
ACKERMAN, Nettie	Bucyrus City, D 3rd	KOONS, Inez	Bucyrus City, A 3rd
AHL, Gertrude	Bucyrus City, C 2nd	KRANICH, Thelma L.	Bucyrus City, A 3rd
ASSENHEIMER, A.W.	Bucyrus City, C 3rd	LaRUE, Harry	Bucyrus City, B 1st
AUCK, Donald J.	Bucyrus City, B 2nd	LAW, James J.	Bucyrus City, A 1st
BAER, Grace	Bucyrus City, B 2nd	LIGGETT, Margaret L.	Bucyrus City, D 2nd
BAIRD, Rose	Bucyrus City, C 2nd	LINN, W.G.	Bucyrus City, A 4th
BEALL, Toinette	Bucyrus City, D 2nd	LUDWIG, Ruth B.	Bucyrus City, C 2nd
BEAM, Mabel	Bucyrus City, A 4th	MARQUIS, Rosena	Bucyrus City, C 1st
BELLER, John	Bucyrus City, C 1st	MAUDLSLEY, Susan Vay	Bucyrus City, B 3rd
BOGAN, Fern	Bucyrus City, D 2nd	McKEEHEN, Ivan E.	Bucyrus City, D 3rd
BROWN, Isadore	Bucyrus City C 4th	McPHERSON, Iva	Bucyrus City, A 4th
CARVER, Albert	Bucyrus City, A 1st	NICHOLSON, Hazel L.	Bucyrus City C 4th
CRALL, J.P.	Bucyrus City, B 2nd	PAXTON, H.A.	Bucyrus City, A 3rd
DAVENPORT, Clarice E.	Bucyrus City, B 1st	PERROTT, Blanche A.	Bucyrus City, A 1st
DAVENPORT, Fannie B.	Bucyrus City, B 1st	PETERMAN, Ernest G.	Bucyrus City C 4th
DeLASHMUTT, William S.	Bucyrus City, C 3rd	PFISTERER, Agnes	Bucyrus City, A 3rd
DOBBINS, Esther M.	Bucyrus City, A 4th	PFISTERER, Anna K.	Bucyrus City, C 3rd
DONNENWIRTH, Elizabeth	Bucyrus City, A 3rd	REIFF, Katheryn	Bucyrus City, A 4th
ELSASSER, Rose E.	Bucyrus City C 4th	<b>RISINGER, Clarice</b>	Bucyrus City, D 2nd
FLICKINGER, A.G.	Bucyrus City, D 3rd	RUMER, Rose E.	Bucyrus City, B 3rd
FLOHR, D.F.	Bucyrus City, B 2nd	RUSSELL, Charles	Bucyrus City, C 2nd
FOX, Anthony	Bucyrus City, A 2nd	RUTHRUFF, Blanche L.	Bucyrus City, A 2nd
FOX, Catherine	Bucyrus City, A 2nd	SACHS, Wm.	Bucyrus City, B 1st
FOX, Paul G.	Bucyrus City, A 1st	SCHELL, S.J.	Bucyrus City, C 3rd
FREY, W.S.	Bucyrus City, A 2nd	SEITS, E.E.	Bucyrus City, B 4th
GOEBELT, Anna	Bucyrus City, C 1st	SHARROCK, Chester	Bucyrus City, B 3rd
HAALA, Elsie	Bucyrus City, B 1st	SHECKLER, Millie	Bucyrus City, C 2nd
HAMILTON, Gertrude	Bucyrus City, D 2nd	SHECKLER, W.C.	Bucyrus City, B 4th
HARER, Gust V.	Bucyrus City, B 4th	SHERER, Geo. H.	Bucyrus City, B 2nd
HARTER, R.G.	Bucyrus City, C 1st	SHILLING, Merle E.	Bucyrus City C 4th
JACOBS, Velma M.	Bucyrus City, A 1st	SMITH, Addison G.	Bucyrus City, A 2nd
JOHNSTON, A.D.	Bucyrus City, B 4th	SMITH, J.I.	Bucyrus City, A 3rd
KEHRER, Bessie W.	Bucyrus City, A 4th	SNYDER, H.C.	Bucyrus City, D 2nd
KENNEDY, Lehr	Bucyrus City, B 3rd	SOCIN, Lenora	Bucyrus City, C 1st
KEPLINGER, A.J.	Bucyrus City, B 4th	SPORE, Lucy A.	Bucyrus City C 4th
KIESS, Harry W.	Bucyrus City, C 3rd	STUCKERT, G.J.	Bucyrus City, A 2nd
KLINE, Robert	Bucyrus City, C 2nd	SWANK, Anna	Bucyrus City, D 3rd



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March 3, 1899 Newspaper clipping

SCHOOL NOTES

Entertainingly Presented by Miss Bessie Gertrude Leitz.

Herbert Hoover visited the high school last Monday.

Meedames Fenner and Van Voorhis visited the high school last week.

Nottie Gebhardt and Luella Vollrath visited the high school last Monday.

The rhetoricals held in the high school last Monday were very interesting.

Special rhetoricals will be held in the high school the isst Friday afternoon of the term.

Gurney Laughbaum has resumed his studies in the fifth primary after a long and sevare illness.

The primaries have again their must attendance after many alcences on account of prevailing epidemics.

The concert to be given on May 12th by Ernest Gamble, the famous singer, assisted by Edwin Shonert, will be for the benefit of the piano fund.

The seniors will study trigonometry in the spring. Neither has that branch nor any other been dropped from the course as some have supposed.

Miss Klindenst received some language papers from Mary Derha, Flora Chaney and Fook Kyau, pupils in the school of Miss Josie Haman at Honolulu. They were very neatly done in vertical writing.

At the next teachers' meeting, March 20th, the city teachers will discuss Mrs. Lew Wallace's artice in the Ladies' Home Journal on "The Murder of the Innocents." Patrons of the schoo's are invited to attend and participate in the discussion.

The following are the members of the senior c'ass: Suste Cramer, Bessie Leitz, Sylvia Paschal, Mebel Richards, Carrie Rupensberger, Vay Williams, Clemence Faeth, Walter Heinle, Claude Jamison, Frank Leonard, Robert Picking, Harry Van Voorhis, Walter Van Voorhis, John Wentz, Carl Young.

Lewis Henderson, Adelbert Winkelfoos, Arthur Norton, Cuno Eichman, Homer Crall, Paul Croneis and Carl Goebel have made a fine map of the U. S. two feet by three on which they have glued actual specimens of the grains, metals, etc in the localities in which they are produced. This elegant production map they will tpresent to their teacher, Miss Anna Reid. Zoology is now taught in the grammar grades and geology and astronomy are taught in the high school in connection with composition. The pupils do actual observation work and then write accounts of it. The seniors are hoping for settled pleasant weather that they may begin geology. These branches are better taught in this way and the expense of text-books is saved.

#### April 15, 1899

The following are the persons who are teaching the spring schools of this township: [Maybe Bucyrus?]

No. 1 Mattie Ames No. 2 Anna McCreary No. 3 W. H. Speigle No. 4 Cora Mollencopf No. 5, Bertha Sears No. 6 Miss T. J. McCreary No. 7 Anna Rexroth No. 8 Effie Rexroth No. 9 Mr. Miller All are meeting with success

Lydia McCreary is teaching in the Hogswamp District near New Winchester

Born to Mr. and Mrs. All Wilson, a daughter

Jay, the youngest son of John Gwinner is quite sick.

#### The Board of Education Adopts A Schedule of Payments-

At a special meeting of the board of sducation on Monday evening, a resointion was passed, adjusting the salaries of teachers. The resolution was presented by J. C. Tobias. J. H. Robinson moved its adoption. It was seconded by J. F. Angeli, and unanimously adopted. In presenting and adopting this resolution no account was taken of the shortening of the school year by two weeks, and the salaries by the new schedule will average a little higher than formerly. The resolution is only for the present school year, and the schedule is as follows:

lst Year-Primary, \$80; Grammar 1 and 2, \$46; Grammar 3, 940; Grammar 4, 543; Junior High, 52.50. 2nd Year-Primary, \$31; Grammar 1 and 2. \$37; Grammar 5, \$41; Grammar 4, \$44. ard Year-Primary, 82; Grammar 1 and 2, 838; Grammar 8, 842; Grammar 4, 845. 4th Year-Primary, \$33. 5th Yeari Primary, \$34. 6th Year-Primary, \$35. And the following named teachers be paid as follows-monthly: Jeaste Measner...... 42 00 Lydia streib...... 42 0 Sophia Schaber...... \$K (I Augusta Kleindeinst...... 38 0 Katie King...... 85 0 Dillie Wingert...... 31 0 

Then on Oct 3, 1899 the Board Adopted Payments

The late Eileen Hancock clipped many articles as she sorted thru a van load of area newspapers the Chapter obtained from the Ohio Historical Society in the 90's.

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# TRACKING IN CRAWFORD COUNTY OHIO Volume 30 Issue #7 Contributed by Frances Reiter

#### COMMON PLEAS COURT OPENED Feb 5 1906

Plaintiff Granted Decree of Divorce The February term of common pleas court was opened this morning by Judge Tobias. All the grand jurors responded to the call except S. A(?) Hoke. The vacancy was filled by George Wagerley.

The court appointed William Crowe foreman. The jury went into session immediately after the charge of the court and as indicated by the witnesses called at once began an investigation of the charge of bigamy against Smythe.

The first witness called was Smythe's first wife. An hour later the second one was called. She was subpoenaed in the name of Ada Nichols Smythe. She objected to the name when she approached the Clerk to be sworn but there was no alternative in the eyes of the law. In the language of one of the attorneys present her name dejura is Smythe until the courts decree her a divorce.

Upon the call of the docket by Judge Tobias cases were assigned for trial as follows: Hall vs. Malcolm Feb 19 Miller vs. City of Galion Feb. 20-21 Parcher vs Penn.. Co. Feb 22 McClinton vs. McClinton Feb 23 Keckler vs. Keckler Feb 23 Castello vs. Big Four March 5 Jump vs. Brinkman March 6-7 Oil Well Co. vs. Weaver, March 8

Failmer & Co. vs Trish Mar 9

Kissinger vs. Wurgert Mar 12 Chapin vs. Bartholomew March 13 Errett vs. Big Four Mar 14-15 Laybert vs. Big Four March 16

All motion for new trial March 3 Criminal cases

The cases assigned for the week in February will be tried by Judge Young. Prosecuting Attorney Henkel stated that the case against Reeber would likely be the first to be tried.

The Evening Telegraph The Leading Daily Paper Published in Crawford County Nov 24, 1905

#### BUCYRUS, O., NOVEMBER 24 <u>1905</u> COURT HOUSE NEWS No Criminal Cases Heard Before January

The damage case of Richard Davis against the O. C. Traction Company occupied the attention of Judge Tobias and a jury today. The plaintiff is a resident of this city and was a passenger at the time a car left the track east of the infirmary. He claims that he was permanently injured and is entitled to damages. The trial will likely occupy two or three days.

Judge Tobias announced from the bench today that it was impossible to assign any of the criminal cases for trial before January. Civil cases were assigned for trial as follows:

Neuman vs. Big 4, January 2. Kissinges vs. Wingert, Jan 4 Shrader vs. Trautman, Jan 5 Guisman vs. Meck, January 8. Young vs. Weir, Jan 9.

Monat vs. Rose Supply Co. January 10. The county jail at this time contains five prisoners: John Hanley, Joe Simons, Frank Chrisman and Fred Rieber. The first three have been in since last June and July and all but one are held on very serious charges.

Judge Kiess is back from Cleveland where he gave testimonv in the Havs-Flickinger case. He was called to testify as to the assignments made by both defendants and was on the witness stand but five minutes. The judge says he was very fortunate in getting away. Others from Bucyrus tried in vain to be excused.

The American National bank at Barberton, took two cognovit judgments in the common pleas court of this county: one against P. B. & G. A. Close for \$145.85, the other against Charles M. Karch and G. A. Close for \$202.98.

The commissioners fixed Jan 16, as the day for the hearing of the William Freeze ditch improvement. Preparations are in progress for further court improvements. The house commissioners have received Architect Lane from specifications for radical changes in the hall way. Advertisements for bids will be made in a few days.

Hon. C. E. McBride of Mansfield was over today one of the attorneys for the Traction Co. in the Davis damage case.

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w-swisher@northwestern.edu Swisher Bill Biddle Evangelical United Brethren Church: Bill has tried, also, to locate those early records of the church that no longer exists. Here is a record of the Bethel Class. In the year of our Lord 1843 in the month of April: Rev. Jacob Neuman held a series of meetings in what was then called the Swisher School House and some 40 were converted; and fifteen or twenty united with the United Brethren Church. Among the first members were: Mrs. Mary M. SWISHER and her sons John William (his wife Rachel); and Samuel (wife Elizabeth). Samuel was the first leader of the Society. In Jan. or Feb. 1849 Nicholas James; John; and William SWISHER elected Trustees and at once procured a piece of land of Mr. SWISHER and the same year finished a neat house of worship, 30 x 40 feet with a good foundation on the aforesaid land. There is a good and growing Sabbath School here with Aaron LAUGHBAUM Superintendent and present trustees: Adam BILSING; John C. COLE; and John DEWALT, S. H. RAUDEBAUGH, Pastor, June 12, 1878.

Carol Albright 1225 Southland Ave., Bucyrus, OH 44820 - Daniel and Joseph ALBRIGHT moved to Bucyrus ca. 1829 where Timken Co. now stands. Joseph's home still stands just east of Al Smith's Motel white house with large pillars. They owned land around Albright Rd. and made tile and brick. The brick home that First United Methodist Church tore down was the home of Georgianne ALBRIGHT, d/o George Washington (she was a schoolteacher). One of Joseph's daughters or granddaughters married a Fahl (David's mother). Daniel the brother of Joseph founded the Evangelical Church, and the Grace United originally Evangelical Church. Methodist was Johannes ALBRECHT 1695 born in Palatinate Germany wife Anna. Sons: Daniel and Jacob. Daniel born Berks Co. PA 1766 d. 1855 and wife Eshter WAGNER b. 1776 in PA died in New Lisbon, Columbiana Co. OH and was Joseph's Mother. 2nd wife: Hester b. 1776 died 1831. Daniel and Hester are buried in Oakwood Cemetery Bucyrus. OH.

#### Memories of Growing up ca 1910- One Room School

Helen Elizabeth WERT HARTUP written July 1983 from YcnanF@aol.com "When I was in the seventh grade my parents sent Ralph and me to Aunt Lib and Uncle Wilbur WERT as they were moving from Wapakoneta to Montpelier. We were to go to a One Room School, Hoot Owl, and have Uncle Jim TUTTLE for a teacher. Ralph and I walked two miles, carrying lunch pails that had such things as country-cured ham sandwiches, sometimes an egg sandwich, cookies or cake, and a jar of canned fruit. As I recall the place, Hoot Owl was the only building on a mile of road, set in thickly wooded area. But we didn't think it lonely". "Although strictly speaking I was in the 7th grade, I went up to recite with the 8th grade. Ralph went with the 5th and o en gan Talalais en concentral (Alto) AHA

6<sup>th</sup>. Lunch was always eaten hurriedly. There was always a ball game going on them and at recess. Uncle Jim played too, I don't remember any fights about decisions; he probably he made all of them. The ball, itself, was one made of bits of string someone had saved and wound into a ball {written on the side} P.S. In writing this, I've come to appreciate Jim TUTTLE more. He was an intelligent man; I can see his making that ball; the recess and noon were our physical education! Ralph tried Uncle Jim out to see what the price was for whistling on an ink bottle. It turned out to be a good shaking-up. My stomach churned all the while this was going on because I thought Ralph ought to be on his good behavior if he was going to school to his uncle. The school was a good experience as far as my education was concerned. There was awhile when we cut across fields instead of going by road; we saw them boiling down sap for maple syrup in SPITTER's woods".

Old Holy Trinity Church dedicated 1888 From a postcard shared by Don and Mary Ellen Lust. The ceilings had painted scenes and the altars were of golden oak. The church was torn down on E. Mary Street and a new one built on Tiffin Street after 1965.



From Marty Keller "excerpts from the autograph book of Anna Schueler Dec. 25, 1882

"Cousin Anna, There is another album filled with leaves of spotless white, Where no name is ever tarnished, But forever pure and bright. In the book of Life, God's Album. May your name be penned with care, and may all who here have written, write their names forever there." Nettie Barraider March 13, 1883

You ask me for my autograph, that is too hard a task by half. The letters all will make you laugh. They'll look as though they need a staff. Perhaps you think I give you "taffy" No? Well, here's the autograph, your friend Sophia Schaber

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# Dog and Kennel Register - Register of Dogs Crawford Co. OH

The following is a listing of the names of applicants and the address where the dog is kept or harbored. Page 19 of 26 Typed by Winnie Kleinknecht

1917-1918 (Cont'd) ROSS, Adam - Lykens Twp, Chatfield 2 RIFE, Chas. D. - Dallas Twp, Bucyrus RD 5 REGULA, John - Chatfield Twp, Chatfield 1 RITZHAUPT, Fred - Whetstone Twp, Bucyrus 8 RODEY, Scott - Sandusky Twp, New Washington 1 ROSS, Christian - Lykens Twp, Chatfield R 2 REIFF, Charles F. - Bucyrus 7 REHL, C.E. - Galion 3 **RIEDEL**, Charles - Carrothers REGULA, Robt. - Chatfield Twp 1 ROSER, Frank - Nevada R 3 ROSSMAN, August - Chatfield R 1 **RIETSCHLIN**, John - Crestline R 1 REIFF, W.C. - Bucyrus R 7 REEHLING, J.P. - 300 W. Galen St., Bucyrus ROOP, Z.O. - Crestline R 1 RAUTH, Wm. F. - 628 E. Rensslaer St., Bucyrus RYLAND, B.L. - 403 Rogers St., Bucyrus ROLEY, Ed - 832 S. Poplar St., Bucyrus ROLEY, Arthur - 832 S. Poplar St., Bucyrus RIESTER, Julia C. - Galion R1 Box 6 RIESTER, Joseph A. - Galion R1 Box 6 RUTH, Geo. E. - Bucyrus RINKER, Arthur - Bucyrus R 1 RUTTER, Gail - 320 S. Poplar St., Bucyrus REINHARD, E.C. - Bucyrus R 1 ROSS, Royal - Tiro R 1 RAHN, Miss Marie - Plants Way, Bucyrus RIDENOUR, LeRoy - 550 Sherman St., Bucyrus REAGER, Anthony - 825 E. Mansfield St., Bucyrus ROBERTSON, Lester L. - 707 W. Railroad St., Galion RIESE, Miss Esther - 380 First Ave., Galion RHINEHART, J.G. - Galion RHOAD, E.W. - Lykens Twp, Bloomville R 1 RUHL, F.T. - 426 E. Charles St., Bucyrus RETTIG, Paul - 418 Wallace Ave., Bucyrus REECE, Hugh - Whetstone Twp, Martel 1 RUTH, W.H. - Whetstone Twp, Bucyrus R 2 RHODES, Ray S. - Auburn Twp, Shelby RD 4 ROUSCH, Katherine - 415 S. Boston St., Galion RETTIG, J.G. - 324 Boston St., Galion RULE, Ida - 319 S. Columbus St., Galion RITTNOUR, Herman - 692 Maple St., Bucyrus RIGBY, F.M. - 626 Harman St., Galion RICKER, J.F. - Polk Twp, Galion ROSS, J.F. - Lykens Twp, Chatfield R 2 RICHARDS, Mrs. C.B. - 341 S. Sandusky Ave., Bucyrus RUCH, Harman - Willard St., Bucyrus RYAN, S.G. - 316 N. Columbus St., Crestline REED, Mrs. F. - 521 Kaler Ave., Bucyrus RICKER, Allen - Polk Twp RD 3 **REINDEL**, L.W. - Crestline

ROSS, Chas. - Lykens Twp, Chatfield R 2 ROEHR, Nellie - 729 E. Rensslaer St., Bucyrus RHINEHART, F.L. - 1295 Lincoln Way E., Galion RITTENOUR, Leo - Fisher St., Bucyrus RIEDEL, Peter - Chatfield Twp RD 1 ROUGE, Donnie - Crestline RHOADS, Frank - Galion RD 1 ROOP, Orlo - Sandusky Twp, Tiro RD 2 RICHLEY, Geo. - Perry St., Bucyrus RITER, Russell - 538 E. Walnut St., Galion RAISER, J.E. - Jefferson Twp, Galion RD 3 RAY, William - 469 S. Riblet St., Galion REYNOLDS, Joe - Box 6, New Washington RAYEL, Vergil - Crestline RHODES, R.S. - Auburn Twp, Shelby RD 4 ROBBINS, A.C. - 531 High St., Bucyrus ROBINSON, H.K. - 238 W. Atwood St., Galion REIS, George - 328 S. Walnut St., Bucyrus ROBINSON, K. - N. Market St., Galion RYAN, James - 441 S. Riblet St., Galion ROELLE, Homer - 310 Summit Ave, Galion RONK, Jay - 317 S. Thoman St., Crestline RISHER, Agnes - 213-1/2 S. Sandusky Ave., Bucyrus RIDENOUR, Roy - 550 Sherman St., Bucyrus RIBLET, C.D. - 141 S. Columbus St., Galion REICHHARD, G.A. - Tiro R 1

SHADE, S.A. - Carrothers SMITH, E.H. - Tiro RD 2 SHELLHORN, B.F. - Lykens Twp, Bloomville 2 SCOTT, N.T. - 1212 John St., Bucyrus SCHEIB, C.W. - 425 W. Charles St., Bucyrus SEERY, Reno R. - Lykens Twp, Sycamore 3 SNYDER, C.R. - Whetstone Twp, Bucyrus RD 4 SMITH, P.E. - Whetstone Twp, Bucyrus 8 SMITH, H.J. - Holmes Twp. STROHM, J.G. - Tod Twp, Nevada 3 SCHIEBER, Howard - 415 S. Walnut St., Bucyrus STEELE, John J. - 514 E. Walnut St., Galion SULLIVAN, Geo. - 221 Railroad St., Bucyrus SHUPE, Earl - 333 S. Union St., Galion SPAHR, Geo. - Tod Twp, Sycamore 4 STRIKER, Bros - Cranberry Twp, New Washington SHRADER, Mrs. Wm. - 549 E. Oakwood, Bucvrus SHAEFFER, W. - Bucyrus RD 5 SEIF, J.Z. - Polk Twp, Galion SCHIEFER, M.I. - Holmes Twp, Bucyrus 1 SMITH, Clyde L. - Galion SCHOOLFIELD, Dr. E.R. - 223 E. Rensslaer, Bucyrus SHERER, W.J. - Polk Twp, Galion 3 SHIFLEY, Andy - Holmes Twp, Bucyrus 1 SWISHER, Albert - Lykens Twp, Sycamore 3

ORANGE COUNTY CALIFORNIA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

# Tracking in Crawford Co. Ohio Volume 30 Issue #5 Nazareth Lutheran Church Chatfield OH Translated by Mary Sue Ross

Child's Name	Birthdate	Parents	Sponsors	Baptism
GIEGER, Maria		Peter Geiger & Susanna (born Bachmann)	the parents	Aug 7, 1853
KOHLER, Oskar		Julius Kohler & Barbara (born Menges)	the parents	Sep 18, 1853
SCHIEBER, Anna Maria		Johann Jakob Schieber & Anna M (born Kübler)	the parents	Sep 18, 1853
SCHAUER, Martha Adelfrid	1	Georg Schauer & Sarah (born Hausermann)	the parents	Oct 30, 1853
LUTZ, Emmanuel		Adam Lutz & Maria (born)		Jan 30, 1854
LUTZ, Karoline		Leopold Lutz & Maria (born Linn)	Philipp Linn	Apr 14, 1854
BARTH, Heinrich August		Friedrich Barth & Katharina (born Bull)	Friedrich Jakob & Maria (born Bull)	May 7, 1854
ZOLLER, Friedrich		Friedrich Zoller & Maria (born Fried)	father and grandmother, Dorothea Zoller	Jun 7, 1854
FINSTER, Louise		Joseph Finster & Elisabeth (born Zoller)	the mother	Jun 7, 1854
SCHIMPF, Louise Sophia	May 7, 1854	Friedrich Schimpf & (born)	the parents	Aug 13, 1854
LUTZ, Michael	Aug 29, 1854	Michael Lutz & Sabina (born Kalb)	the parents	Oct 1, 1854
KRAFT, Alver Emanuel	Aug 9, 1854	Jakob Kraft & Salome (born Österle)	the parents	Oct 1, 1854
GOTTFRIED, Anna Maria	Nov 3, 1854	Philipp Gottfried & Anna Maria (born Brandt)	the parents	Nov 19, 1854
WEIGEL, Ernst		Peter Weigel & Katherina (born Kullmann)	Johann Ernst Weigel & Maria Schlater	8 April 1855
LUDY, Pauline	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Michael Ludy	Heinrich Leimenstoll & Catharine Leimenstoll	Oct 12, 1855
HEERWAGEN, Heinrich Louis		Amalie Heerwagen	Heerwagen	Oct 21, 1855
LUTZ, Anna Maria	Oct 2, 1855	Adam Lutz	Friedrich Jacob & wife	Nov 11, 1855
BARTH, Immanuel	Oct 11, 1855	Barth	parents	Nov 25, 1855
ZOLLER, Sara	Mar 27, 1855	Zoller	parents	Dec 25, 1855
GIEGER, Peter	Dec 4, 1855	Peter Geiger	parents	Dec 25, 1855
HEROLD, Helene Magdalene	Feb 15, 1856	Herold	parents	Mar 2, 1856
SCHIMPH, Amalie Auguste	May 23, 1856	Johann Friedrich Schimph	parents: J. F. Schimph & Rosine Schimph	Jul 23, 1856
BRAUN, Catharine		Johann Braun	parents: Johann Braun und Christine Braun	Aug 6, 1856
ROSS, Wilhelm	May 3, 1856	Johannes Ross	Johannes Ross, Catharine Ross	Aug 6, 1856
RIEDEL, Catharine	Jun 21, 1856	Jacob Riedel	Jacob Riedel, Elisabeth Riedel	Aug 13, 1856
SCHMIDT, Emma	Jul 31, 1856	Georg Schmidt	Friedrich Schimph, Rosine Schimph	Oct 19, 1856
LUTZ, Catharine	Oct 10, 1856	Michael Lutz	parents: Michael Lutz, Catharine Lutz	Nov 16, 1856
RIEGULA, Louise	Oct 22, 1856	Jacob Riegula	parents: Jacob Riegula and his wife	Nov 16, 1856
KIBLER, Johann Gottfried	Jan 6, 1857	Gottfried Kibler	the parents	Feb 7, 1857
GIEGER, Peter	Jan 5, 1857	Peter Gieger	the parents	Feb 22, 1857
WEICHEL, Wilhelmine Emma	Dec 7, 1856	Jacob Weichel	the parents	Mar 8, 1857
SCHWÄMMLE, Catharine Anna	Feb 22, 1857	Johann Schwämmle	the parents	Mar 22, 1857
BRAUN, Victorine	Jun 29, 1857	Georg Braun	the parents	Jan 17, 1858
ZOLLER, Maria Anna	Dec 26, 1857	Friedrich Zoller	F. Zoller, grandfather	Feb 28, 1858
MAUL, Dorothea	1858	Jacob Maul	the parents	Mar 28, 1858
BAUER, Johann Adam	Mar 15, 1858	Jacob Bauer	the parents	Mar 28, 1858
SCHWÄMMLE, Maria Anna	Apr 30, 1858	Johann Schwämmle	Conrad Riedel, Catherine Siefert	May 9, 1858
BARTH, Hermann	Jun 3, 1858	Friedrich Barth	the parents	Jul 4, 1858

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