

Feb Program (Cont)

So with those seeds and the aid of a computer to keep track, he was able to compile a number of both his wife's and his family lines. It was very enlightening to find so many "ancestors/cousins" that our families did not know before our research.

Matthew Rowland is one of those ancestors from whom he was able to prove descent for First Families of Ohio. He came to Stark Co, OH and located in what was to become Lawrence Tp in 1814 and laid off in lots the Town of Milan, later the western part of Canal Fulton, for sale. In 1815 his daughter became the second wife of Robert Cameron. This became his brick wall for a number of years. Not until a Holmes County Chapter newsletter abstract of a quitclaim deed did he find Mary Rowland's father in Stark County. Matthew died in 1822 with many of the lots unsold. This caused each of the children to sign the deeds of the lots as they were sold. By the mid 1830's most of the children and their families had migrated to Henry, Holmes, or Wood Counties in Ohio. One daughter remained in Stark County.

The program will show, with slides, how he found and recorded the Matthew Rowland family.

Future Programs

~~14 Mar 1996 Clifford Wig "Putting the Finishing Touches on Your Genealogy"~~

~~9 May 1996 Dr Henry L Hunker, "Opening the Ohio Country to Settlement"~~

~~11 Jul 1996 Picnic at Fort Laurens~~

~~9 Nov 1996 Dinner Meeting, Massillon Womens Club at Five Oaks, Massillon~~

~~Additional programs will be announced as they become scheduled.~~

Stark County Marriages Ohio Repository

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5-537 Beatty, Samuel, Brig Gen & Miss Susan Graham. dtr of John Graham, deceased, at Mt Airy,

31 Mar 1863. (OR = 1 Apr 1863).

5-429 Brooks, Walter L & Miss Kate Mendenhall, both of Marlboro, 1 Apr 1862. (OR = 30 Apr 1862; MR = Brooke, Walter L, 20 Apr 1862).

5-465 Carper, Enos & Miss Caroline Brown, both of Nimishillen Tp, 13 Jul 1862. (OR = 30 Jul 1862; MR = Karper, Enos).

5-477 Deehl, Edward P, Charleston, MO & Miss Emma E Brownnewell, Canton, dtr of Capt J C Brownnewell, 19 Aug 1862. (OR = 27 Aug 1862; MR = Diehl, Edwin P).

5-333 Delaplaine, Robert, Wheeling VA & Miss Mary Ann Burke, Canton, dtr of William Burke, 24 Mar 1863. (OR = 25 Mar 1863; MR = Delaplaine, Robert M).

5-545 Douds, A J, & Miss Almira Fringes, both of Canton, 5 May 1863. (OR = 6 May 1863; MR = Douds, Alonzo).

5-447 Dulin, James T, Massillon & Miss Melvina Dangler, dtr of J B Dangler, 13 May 1862. (OR = 14 May 1862).

NIB Finefrock, Emanuel & Miss Rebecca J Robbison, both of Carroll Co, 6 Jan 1863 by Rev J D Nunemacher. (OR = 21 Jan 1863).

NIB Flohr, Thadeus T, Canton & Miss Anne Baker, Wooster, at the Grove Female Institute, Wooster, no date listed, by Rev M Beck. (OR = 27 Aug 1862).

NIB Goepfert, Joseph & Miss Barbary Hausel, 23 Sep 1862 by Rev E W J Lindesmith. (OR = 1 Oct 1862).

NIB Grimes, John, Mt Union & Miss Rachel H Pidgeon, Smith Tp, Wayne Co. 22 Oct 1862 by Rev A B Way. (OR = 5 Nov 1862).

NIB Hurxthal, C B, Esq & Miss Emma Dickson. Bolivar, 23 Dec 1862 by Rev D C Blood at Bolivar. (OR = 31 Dec 1862).

NIB Reel, Jacob, Stark Co & Miss Mary Klotz, Carroll Co, 17 Apr 1862 by Rev J D Nunemacher. (OR = 7 May 1862).

NIB Roberts, J H, Dayton & Miss Louisa C Yates, formerly of Canton, at the home of B N Beaver, Dayton, OH, 8 May 1862 by Rev S G Spees. (OR = 28 May 1862).

NIB Stafford, John F, Esq & Miss Mary Frances Harris, Massillon, dtr of the late Herman B Harris, at Trinity Church, Chicago, IL, 4 Dec 1862 by Rev Pratt. (OR = 10 Dec 1862).

NIB Temple, Joseph & Miss Margaret Sala, both of Canton, at the home of Andrew Morrows, New
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Stark Co Marriages (Cont)

Brighton, 7 May 1862 by Rev M Reeves. (OR = 14 May 1862)..

NIB Vent, Charles F, merchant in Cincinnati & Miss Emily Goodman, formerly of Canton, dtr of Thomas Goodman, Esq. At Chicago, IL 22 May 1862 by Rev J Dixon. (OR = 28 May 1862).

NIB Willaman, Henry & Miss A E Zimmerman, both of Wooster, at the St Cloud Hotel, 21 Sep 1862 by Rev S P Woolf. (OR = 8 Oct 1862).

5-469 Yant, Henry, 104th Regt & Miss Elizabeth Kinney, Canton Tp, dtr of William Kinney, 9 Aug 1862. (OR = 13 Aug 1862; MR = Elizabeth McKinney; applied for license only 8 Aug 1862, record shows no date of marriage).

It was noted in checking the marriage of Henry Yant and Elizabeth McKinney that the Stark County Marriage records do not include in the index those couples who applied for the marriage license but for whom the record was not completed by a return by the minister. Thus many couples may have their names in the Marriage Books but there is no way to locate them if they did not follow through with a marriage or if the minister did not follow through with his report.

Ohio Vital Statistics

The following article was written by Charles Arp, Archives Library Division of The Ohio Historical Society and was contained in the Winter 1996 issue of Preview, Vol 5, No 1.

Vital statistics record the most important events in our lives: our births, our marriages, and our deaths. And these public documents are research materials most frequently referenced by the staff of the Ohio Historical Society's Archives/Library Division. Death certificate requests alone make up more than half of the twelve thousand mail inquiries replied to annually by the division's reference librarians. Other records may be more interesting, or more important historically, but no records are more often used than vital statistics.

There are several important dates researchers must keep in mind when using Ohio vital statistics. The first is 1867, the year in which the state first required public officials in each of its eighty-eight counties to maintain birth and death records. The second is December 1908, at which time a department of state government, the Bureau of Vital Statistics, first

began keeping birth and death records. The third is 1949, the year in which marriage records--kept by officials at the county level since 1803--were first maintained on a statewide basis by the Ohio Division of Vital Statistics.

Marriage records were among the first public documents created and maintained by county officials in the Northwest Territory, and the practice of recording marriages--originally undertaken to ensure the orderly validation of property rights in probate proceedings--continued at the county level after Ohio became a state in 1803.

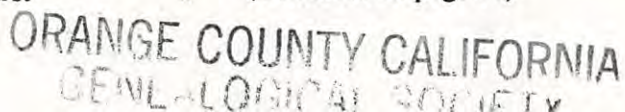
There is no statewide index available for marriages that took place in Ohio before September 7, 1949. Those who are interested in researching marriages dated prior to that time need to know the county in which they occurred. Ohio's statewide marriage record file and index is located at the Division of Vital Statistics in Columbus (PO Box 15098, 35 East Chestnut Street 43215). The telephone number is (6714)466-2531.

The marriage record holdings of the Archives/Library Division are incomplete at best, with files for the counties of central Ohio among the most comprehensive. The division's Franklin County holdings, for example, date from 1803 through 1969. Marriage record files for counties in other regions of the state, however, are generally meager, particularly so for the twentieth century.

Marriage records dated before September 7, 1949, and birth and death records dated before December 20, 1908, are still considered county records and may be held at the office of origin, at the Ohio Historical Center in Columbus, or at a member repository of the Ohio Network of American History Research Centers. Uncertainty surrounding the exact location of these records is one of the most common and vexing problems facing genealogists who pursue family history research in Ohio.

At some time in the future, the birth record files that are now maintained by the Ohio Division of Vital Statistics may be transferred to the custody of the Ohio Historical Society. The historical society, which serves as the State Archives of Ohio, currently holds death records dating from December 1,

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Ohio Vital Records (Cont)

1908, through December 31, 1944. Last October the Division of Vital Statistics transferred an eight-year series of death records dating from January 1, 1937, through December 31, 1944, to the Ohio Historical Center. The transfer includes more than six hundred thousand individual certificates bound in 2,548 volumes. It is expected that the records, which are indexed and cover the entire state, will be open to researchers by January 1996.

In order to make these frequently used records more widely available and to preserve the information they contain, the Archives/Library Division recently arranged to have both the index and the death certificates microfilmed by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. The LDS Church, working through the Genealogical Society of Utah, microfilms select series of vital statistics for free and then provides a copy of the film to the custodian of the original files. The work is done all over the world--with records having been filmed even in the iron curtain countries of Europe before the fall of communism. The microfilm is sent to the LDS Family History Library in Salt Lake City where it is available to the public. It is also loaned on request to LDS family history centers found throughout the United States. Most users of the microfilmed genealogical records are not members of the LDS Church.

Those who film the vital statistics are LDS missionaries, usually a husband and wife team. They are taught microfilming procedures and are supervised by a micrographics professional employed by the Genealogical Society of Utah. The Ohio Historical Society has had a long and fruitful relationship with the Genealogical Society of Utah dating back to 1959. Over the past two years, five LDS missionary teams have refilmed more than two million death certificates, work made necessary by the poor quality of the original microfilm file.

The Ohio Historical Society, working in cooperation with the Genealogical Society of Utah and the Ohio Division of Vital Statistics, is ensuring that these family history resources are preserved and made available to the public.

Famous Men in Early Canton

By Rosemary Anderson in Nov-Dec McKinley News Vol XI No 6.

Joshua Gibbs came to Canton in 1823, via Cleveland from his native city of Trenton, NJ. He first lived in Cleveland where he worked at a forge. He went to that city after he had completed his apprenticeship in the blacksmith, cooper and woodworking trades in Trenton and New York. At the age of 19, Gibbs traveled south to Canton and found work with George Fogle, who had a cooper shop south of the square in our city. He had a dream of having his own agricultural implement company.

In 1829, he married Barbara Schaefer and during the years that followed they had ten children. Shortly after their marriage, Gibbs opened his first blacksmith shop. Here in his spare time he used his mechanical genius to develop a better plow than any on the market. He experimented endlessly and in 1836 obtained a patent on the Gibbs Bar Share Plow. The new plow was made of metal and had a greatly improved mouldboard shape. It was an immediate hit with farmers throughout Ohio, Michigan, Illinois and Indiana. It was the first plow manufactured west of the Allegheny Mountains. To publicize his plow, Gibbs entered many plowing competitions and won many championships.

In 1856, Joshua Gibbs retired from business at the age of 52. His son Lewis took over the company and formed a partnership with his two brothers, Martin and William. After seven years, the firm was discontinued and Lewis joined John Bucher and others in founding Bucher and Gibbs Plow Company. Bucher and Gibbs was the biggest plow company until the early 1880's. It employed about 75 people and turned out \$ 1 20,000 worth of plows yearly. In 1891, Gibbs left the company to devote full time to his Gibbs Lawn Rake Company that he owned with his sons, Elmer and Alvin. This company was the forerunner of Gibbs Manufacturing Company.

Mr Gibbs died on December 15, 1875 at the age of 72. He had fulfilled his dream and made a lasting contribution to the industrial growth of Canton.

Out-Of-Africa (Cont)

Tishkoff said the amount of variation in the pattern is a measure of how long the DNA sequence has existed in a population. It also is a rough measure of time, since it takes many generations for a specific population to develop a mixed pattern of DNA sequence. For this reason, she said, the rich variety in patterns found in sub-Saharan Africa suggests that anatomically modern humans existed there much longer than in rest of the world.

"This pattern of variation also suggests that the common ancestry of the non-African populations is quite recent," Tishkoff said. She estimated that the migration from Africa was no earlier than 100,000 years ago and could be as recent as 70,000.

Mark Stoneking, a Pennsylvania State researcher who also is studying human evolution by analyzing gene patterns, said the study by Tishkoff "is an important step" in trying to understand the migration history of the early anatomically modern humans. "Their findings are entirely consistent with the out-of-Africa theory," he said.

This theory is that modern humans first evolved in Africa and then moved into rest of the world, replacing a primitive human like creature, such as Neanderthal Man, that had evolved in Africa perhaps 2 million years earlier and had migrated into Asia and Europe.

Some researchers, however, contend that there may have been a parallel evolution, in which modern humans arose from primitive ancestors both in Africa and in Asia. Stoneking said the Tishkoff findings support the idea that non-Africans sprang from a single genetic subset in Africa. "Those findings are most easily explained by an African origin," he said.

Stark County Marriages

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5-622 Allen, Alexander, hardware merchant & Miss Mercy Cole, both of Milton, 18 Feb 1864. (OR = 2 Mar 1864; MR = Mary Cole).

NIB Allis, W H, Canton & Miss S S

Thompson, at the residence of R Thompson in Holmes Co, OH, no date listed, by Rev Owen Lawrence. (OR = 9 Mar 1864; IGI lists Allis, W C & Miss S S Thompson, with marriage date of 22 Feb 1864).

NIB, Bard, E C, Stark County & Miss Alice Mather, Mahoning Co, at Alliance, 8 Sep 1864 by J M Hole, Esq. (OR = 21 Sep 1864).

NIB, Bender, John, Massillon & Miss Catharine Eaton, Hollidaysburg, PA, 2 Oct 1864 by Rev Doherty. (OR = 12 Oct 1864).

5-608, Berger, William B, New Castle, PA & Miss Maggie Kountze, Osnaburg, dtr of Christian Kountze, Esq, 29 Dec 1863. (OR = 30 Dec 1863).

6-56, Bliss, Henry & Miss Priscilla Rogers, both of Massillon, 11 Oct 1864. (OR = 26 Oct 1864; MR = 12 Oct 1864).

6-50 Boyer, Joseph & Miss Harriet Shanafelt, 29 Sep 1864. (OR = 5 Oct 1864; MR = Royer, Joseph & Harriet Shanafelt).

NIB, Brush, J A, Mt Union & Miss Amelia McCall, Nelson, 23 Jun 1863, marriage performed at Nelson but not recorded. (OR = 8 Jul 1863).

NIB, Burgert, Frederick & Miss Angeline Highlands, Carroll Co double wedding, 1 Mar 1864, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 9 Mar 1864).

NIB, Burgert, Samuel H & Miss Catharine Highlands, Carroll Co double wedding, 1 Mar 1864, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 9 Mar 1864).

5-626, Dysart, B F, Lt, 34 Reg Inf Vol & Miss Allie C A Harrison, Canton, dtr of Capt William Harrison, 25 Feb 1864. (OR = 2 Mar 1864).

NIB Eakin, James D, Minerva & Miss Mary A Lodge, New Lisbon, at New Lisbon, 4 Dec 1862, by Rev Joseph King. (OR = 10 Dec 1862).

6-31 Ensign, Lyman S & Miss Maria S Walter, Canton, dtr of John Walter, 5 Jul 1864. (OR = 6 Jul 1864; MR = 6 Jul 1864).

5-574 Estep, Joseph H & Miss Sarah Rank, both of Canton, dtr of George Rank, 17 Sep 1863. (OR = 23 Sep 1863, paper starts with page 2).

5-555 Fern, Joseph & Miss Sarah McClure, both of New Franklin, 25 Jun 1863. (OR = 1 Jul 1863; MR = Sarah McClim).

NIB Harman, David H, Canton & Miss Elizabeth Robex, Leesburg, 23 Feb 1864, by Rev J A Rodgers. (OR = 2 Mar 1864).

5-620 Hardgrove, Orrick J, Massillon & Miss Adaline Rank, Canton, dtr of George Rank, 11 Feb 1864. (OR = 17 Feb 1864).

5-624 Harris, John & Miss Caroline Gerber, 23 Feb 1864. (OR = 2 Mar 1864; MR = Hasis, John

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NIB Hatcher, Harrison, New Baltimore & Miss Ann Eliza Austin, Randolph, at the home of Dr C R Bassett in Ravenna, 20 Jun 1863, by Rev T W Browning. (OR = 8 Jul 1863).

NIB Hatfield, William P, Pittsburgh, PA & Miss Susan Fletcher, Dalton, Wayne Co, at American Hotel, Massillon, in double wedding, 14 Sep 1864, by Rev G Williams. (OR = 21 Sep 1864, recorded in Wayne Co in 6-258).

6-54 Hawkins, Richard & Miss Eveline Mayes, both of Massillon, 1 Oct 1864. (OR = 12 Oct 1864; MR = Eveline Mayer).

6-34 Holwick, Henry & Miss Anna Penny, both of Canton, 23 Jul 1864. (OR = 3 Aug 1864; MR = Anna Purng).

5-550 Howbert, John & Miss Elizabeth Hine, 28 May 1863. (OR = 3 Jun 1863; MR = John Houbert).

5-630 Howenstine, John & Miss Catharine Pieter, 29 Feb 1864. (OR = 2 Mar 1864).

NIB Humphrey, James B, Pittsburgh, PA & Miss Kate M Marshall, Dalton, Wayne Co, at the American Hotel Massillon, in a double wedding, 14 Sep 1864. (OR = 21 Sep 1864; not recorded in Wayne Co like Hatfield-Fletcher above).

6-33 Jacobs, Adam, Jr, Brownsville, PA & Miss Laura J Myers, Canton, dtr of H H Myers, 14 Jul 1864. (OR = 20 Jul 1864).

NIB Kimball, Thomas S, Canton & Miss Mary E Glessner, Zanesville, dtr of Hon Jacob G Glessner, at Zanesville, 28 May 1863, by Rev Platt. (OR = 3 Jun 1863).

5-560 Lowman, Alexander & Miss Mary Cable, both formerly of Indiana Co, PA, at Alliance, 16 Jul 1863. (OR = 5 Aug 1863; MR = 17 Jul 1863).

NIB Lowry, Will C, Sgt, 162 Reg, Co G, ONG, Mapleton & Miss Sallie M Youngest, Wooster, dtr of Simon & Elizabeth Christine Youngest, at Wooster home of bride's parents, 16 Oct 1864, by Rev P M Weddle. (OR = 26 Oct 1864; recorded in Wayne Co 6-267 with bride Sarah M Christine).

NIB McCoy, Samuel, Copley & Miss Sarah Foust, Jackson Tp, 15 Nov 1863, by Jacob Palmer, Esq. (OR = 23 Dec 1863).

6-59 McIntire, Orin & Miss Maria Brownell, both of Canton, 12 Oct 1864. (OR = 12 Oct 1864; MR = Orren McEntire).

NIB Metzger, Conrad & Miss Margaret Piero, 2 Jun 1863, by Rev E W J Lindesmith. (OR = 3 Jun 1863).

6-47 Ohliger, Louis & Mrs Carolina Lang, both of Canton, 14 Sep 1864. (OR = 28 Sep 1864; MR

= Carolina Long, 22 Sep 1864).

5-602 Putman,, Harrison & Miss Lanorilda Lash, 10 Dec 1863. (OR = 6 Jan 1864; MR = Putman, Haman & Samilda Lash).

5-555 Shafer, William S, Wellsville & Miss Mary Cummins, Navarre, 25 Jun 1863. (OR = 1 Jul 1863; MR = Shaver, William S & Mary Cummings).

NIB Shallenberger, David & Miss Mary A Dowell, both of Holmes Co, wedding in Massillon, 6 Oct 1864, by Rev A G Williams. (OR = 19 Oct 1864).

5-627 Sluss, John M, & Miss Catharine B Youtz, both of Nimishillen Tp, 28 Feb 1864. (OR = 2 Mar 1864; MR = William M Sluss).

NIB Sowers, Percy S, Esq, Canton & Miss Carrie E Cole, Monroe, MI, at Monroe, MI 1 Jan 1864, by Rev Thomas Greene. (OR = 6 Jan 1864).

5-610 Stackpole, Thomas, Capt & Miss Frank L Buckius, Canton, dtr of John Buckius, Esq, 6 Jan 1864. (OR = 13 Jan 1864).

NIB Walker, Jacob & Miss Henrietta Miller, 29 Sep 1864, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 5 Oct 1864).

6-58 Walter, Anthony & Miss Louisa Class, 13 Oct 1864. (OR = 26 Oct 1864).

5-612 Wilson, John, East Tennessee & Miss Mary A E Robin, Canton, 15 Jan 1864. (OR = 20 Jan 1864; MR = John Wilkins).

Military Terms

Brevet: An officer who distinguished himself would be awarded a Brevet promotion. Medals did not exist for many years. A Captain could be a Brevet Major or Lt Col while serving as a Captain. Such Captain would outrank all other Captains without a Brevet, thus giving him a slight edge on future promotions.

Sutler: A man who followed a regiment to sell necessary items to the soldiers. They were unofficial arrangements by each regimental commander until Congress made sutlers official on 19 Mar 1862. Replaced by the Post Exchange after the Civil War.

Zouave: A special type of Infantry copied from a French North African regiment. Zouaves were noted for their precision drill, fast marching pace and gaudy uniforms.

Sappers and Pioneers: Specialized forms of Engineer Troops.

Source: Compendium of Historical Sources by Ron Bremer, 1983.

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6-197 Anthony, Newton, Akron & Miss Abbie V McCarty, Mt Union, dtr of Rev John McCarty, at the bride's father's home, 23 Oct 1865. (OR = 1 Nov 1865).

NIB Bachtel, Isaac, Jackson Tp & Miss Lizzie H Hibben, West Newton, PA, 14 Feb 1866 by Rev O H Miller. (OR = 21 Feb 1866).

NIB Bahnas, Joseph P & Miss Eugenia Monck, both of Louisville, 14 Feb 1865 by Rev L Molan. (OR = 1 Mar 1865).

6-72 Bash, David, Lt 19 Regt OVI & Miss Elizabeth Shank, Milton (now Wilmot) 25 Nov 1864 by D B Wyandt, Esq. (OR = 7 Dec 1864; MR Elizabeth Shunk).

NIB Bixler, Jacob, Stark Co & Miss Mary A Hupp, Tuscarawas Co, at New Philadelphia 18 Dec 1864 by Rev S McReynolds. (OR = 28 Dec 1864).

NIB Burton, William W & Miss Ella M Landis, both of New Philadelphia, at St Cloud Hotel, Canton, 4 Sep 1865 by Rev G F Stelling. (OR = 6 Sep 1865).

6-202 Cock, George B, Major, & Miss Addie E Greenwood, dtr of Judge Greenwood, both of Stark Co, at Paris, 31 Oct 1865. (OR = 8 Nov 1865).

6-140 Conrod, Hiram & Miss Cordelia G Koontz, dtr of David Koontz, Esq, both of Stark Co, at Minerva, 24 May 1865. (OR = 31 May 1865; MR = Conrad, Hiram, Cordelia G Kurtz).

6-287 Corl, B F, Portage Co & Miss Julia Shell-enbarger, Stark Co, 20 Mar 1866. (OR = 4 Apr 1866; MR = Corl, Benjamin Franklin).

NIB Day, A V P, Canton, & Miss O Farrell, Kenosha, WI, at Milwaukee, WI 18 Mar 1866 by Rev Heale. (OR = 4 Apr 1865).

6-293 Derwig, Charles W & Miss Nettie Taylor, both of Minerva, at Nixon House in Alliance 10 Apr 1866. (OR = 18 Apr 1866; MR = Gerwig, Charles W).

6-73 Donner, William A & Miss Sarah Cutler, both of Massillon, 1 Dec 1864. (OR = 28 Dec 1864; MR = Sarah Cutter).

NIB Dougherty, Daniel, Massillon & Miss Mary Ann Carlile, Dover, DE, at the residence of George Wheatly near Dover, DE, 15 Oct 1865 by Rev H Sutton. (OR = 8 Nov 1865).

6-68 Dougherty, Harlan & Miss Sarah Duhlebaum, Perry Tp, 13 Nov 1864 by Joseph Heckman, Esq. (OR = 23 Nov 1864; MR = Dougherty, Harton & Miss Sarah Dulybaum).

C-252 Everhart, Philip & Miss Emely Serva 27 Dec 1864. (OR = 28 Dec 1864; MR = Emely Servey).

6-167 Failer, Harrison & Miss Malissa Hiple 13 Aug 1865. (OR = 16 Aug 1865; MR = Failor, Harrison).

6-142 Fierstor, Martin & Miss Gertrude Kane 30 May 1865. (OR = 7 Jun 1865; MR = Fierstoz, Martin, Massillon & Gertrude Kohn).

6-198 Finefrock, George W, Dr, Fairmount, WV & Miss Margaret Melissa Brown, Alliance, dtr of Rev J W Brown, 17 Oct 1865. (OR = 25 Oct 1865).

C-256 Frank, Anthony & Mrs Catharine Frank 31 Oct 1865. (OR = 1 Nov 1865).

NIB Frederick, Joseph G, Stark Co & Miss Mary A Little, Bayard, Columbiana Co 25 Jan 1866, by Rev J Dundas. (OR = 28 Feb 1866).

6-183 Freer, Garrett Q & Miss Augusta M Gray, dtr of Dr M Gray, both from Stark Co, 17 Sep 1865. (OR = 20 Sep 1865).

6-293 Gerwig, Charles W - See Derwig

6-179 Gottshall, John K & Miss Elizabeth Bomm, Canton, dtr of Conrad Bomm No date given. (OR = 6 Sep 1865; MR = Elizabeth Boom, 5 Sep 1865).

6-268 Hall, Charles, Alliance & Mrs Ellen Hessen, Marlboro 13 Feb 1866. (OR = 7 Mar 1866; MR = Ellen Hesser).

6-65 Haverland, Jacob, Sugar Creek Tp & Miss Rachel Holm, Pike Tp, dtr of Jacob Holm 3 Nov 1864. (OR = 9 Nov 1864; MR = Haverland, Jacob)

6-166 Hays, Joseph & Miss Cora Dunbar, both of Canton, dtr of Allison Dunbar, 9 Aug 1865. (OR = 16 Aug 1865).

6-202 Hocksmith, Henry & Miss Margaret Ann Casper, both from Stark Co, 22 Oct 1865. (OR = 25 Oct 1865).

NIB Hyatt, Will H, Alliance & Miss H J Han-num, Streetsboro, at Hudson 1 Mar 1866 by Prof H B Hazford. (OR = 14 Mar 1866).

NIB Jarvis, Dwight, late Col 13th OVI & Miss Mary L Rodgers, youngest dtr of Gen John Rodgers, at Nashville, 1 Mar 1866 by Rev W G Brownlow. (OR = 14 Mar 1866).

NIB Jarvis, Kent & Mrs Julia M Dunn, both of Massillon, at Elmira, NY 4 Apr 1866 by Rev Isaac Clark. (OR = 25 Apr 1866).

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NIB Kaldenbaugh, William, Canton & Miss Leah King, Milton (now Wilmot), at Berlin, OH 15 Apr 1866 by Rev Isaac H Beardsly. (OR = 25 Apr 1866).

6-104 Keipamer, Charles & Miss Darety Gehrhardt 21 Feb 1865. (OR = 1 Mar 1865; MR = Keifaber, Charles & Dorty Jehrhart).

NIB Kidd, William & Miss C L Stratton, both of Mt Union, no date given, by Rev Cowdrey. (OR = 26 Apr 1865).

NIB Kieffer, Isaiah, Smithfield, Wayne Co & Miss Ruth A Gaddis, West Brookfield 25 March 1865, by Rev J Schawer. (OR = 26 Apr 1865).

6-138 Knouff, Henry & Miss Mary A Jamison, both of Stark Co, 21 May 1865. (OR = 14 Jun 1865).

6-270 Lash, Wescott & Sarah Kreichbaum, both of Stark Co, 15 Feb 1866. (OR = 21 Feb 1866; MR = Sarah Kreighbaum. No return made in Marriage Book.

6-176 Lehman, John H & Miss Emma J Oberlin, dtr of Adam Oberlin, both from Stark County, 31 Aug 1865. (OR = 6 Sep 1865).

NIB Leist, Zephesin & Miss Margaret Wagner, both of Bethlehem, 14 Feb 1865 by Rev L Molan. (OR = 1 Mar 1865).

NIB McCauley, John K, McKeesport, PA & Miss Annie A Bury, Canton, at Allegheny, PA, 17 Feb 1865 by Rev W Lyons. (OR = 1 Mar 1865).

6-280 Meek, John W, Mahoning Co & Miss Elizabeth Mummert, Canton, dtr of Adam Mummert, 1 Mar 1866. (OR = 7 Mar 1866; MR = Elizabeth Mumert).

NIB Miller, Charles H & Miss Sarah A Davis, both of Carroll Co, 3 Oct 1865 by Rev J M Bray. (OR = 18 Oct 1865).

NIB Miller, Elmer E, Limaville & Miss Mary L Rummell, Berlin, at Deerfield, 8 Aug 1865 by Rev C Brown. (OR = 6 Sep 1865).

6-304 Myers, James & Miss Martha Scott, 18 Apr 1866, at Massillon. (OR = 25 Apr 1866; MR = Matilda Scott, 17 Apr 1866).

6-162 Nelson, W J, Lt & Miss Kate Kaler, both of Stark Co, 27 Jul 1865. (OR = 2 Aug 1865; MR = Nelson, William J).

6-292 Oberkircher, John & Miss Amelia Ulrich, 29 Mar 1865. (OR = 4 Apr 1865; MR = Overcashier, John).

6-178 Oberly, Christian & Miss Elizabeth Faller, both of Canton, 5 Sep 1865. (OR = 20 Sep 1865; MR = Elizabeth Feller).

NIB Payne, Louis, Rev, Pittsburgh and Miss Mary E Linn, 20 Mar 1865 by Rev I N Baird. (OR

= 22 Mar 1865).

6-305 Piper, William & Miss Sarah F King, both of Massillon, 17 Apr 1866. (OR = 18 Apr 1866; MR = 19 Apr 1866).

6-133 Reifschneider. Charles F, Stark Co Recorder & Miss Emma Painter, Pike Tp, dtr of Joseph Painter, 9 May 1865. (OR = 10 May 1865; MR = Reifsnider, Charles L & Emeline A Painter, 8 May 1865).

NIB Seimetz, Nicholas & Miss Mary Fausner, both of Bethlehem, 10 Aug 1865 by Rev L Molan. (OR = 23 Aug 1865).

6-185 Shook, Valentine & Mrs Sarah Christ, both of Stark Co, 19 Sep 1865. (OR = 20 Sep 1865)

6-270 Smith, John W & Miss Mary Ellen Brite-man, both of Stark Co, 18 Feb 1866. (OR = 7 Mar 1866).

6-299 Smith, Peter & Miss Mary Kister, 10 Apr 1866. (OR = 18 Apr 1866; MR = Mary Kissler).

6-194 Spangler, John L & Miss Amanda E Housel, both of Plain Tp, 12 Oct 1865). (OR = 18 Oct 1865; MR = Amanda E Hensel).

6-274 Stamm, William Henry & Miss Elmira Mayse, both of Stark Co, 22 Feb 1866. (OR = 7 Mar 1866; MR = Elmira Magse).

6-295 Trush, Harry & Miss Mary Miller, both of Lawrence Tp, at the American House, 5 Apr 1866). (OR = 11 Apr 1866; MR = Treisch, Henry).

NIB Trump, H H, Canton & Miss Mollie Allinder, Union Tp, Allegheny Co, PA, 8 Mar 1866 by Rev J C Boyd. (OR = 28 Mar 1866).

6-296 Trump, Peter P & Mrs Mary A Williams, wife of the late George Williams, 5 Apr 1866. (OR = 11 Apr 1866).

NIB Urschel, Christian & Miss Maria Reiff, both of Canton, 5 Sep 1865 by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 6 Sep 1865).

NIB Waidman, Louis & Miss Catharine McClain, 5 Jun 1865 by Rev E W J Lindesmith. (OR = 7 Jun 1865).

NIB Walch, Michael & Mrs Catharine Shina-berger, 25 May 1865 by Rev E W J Lindesmith. (OR = 7 Jun 1865).

NIB Warstler, Jacob, Stark Co & Miss Rebecca Gingrich, Portage Co, 9 Mar 1865 by Rev S Beecher at his residence. (OR = 29 Mar 1865).

Captured Confederate Flag

The colors of the Confederate 30th Louisiana Infantry Regiment were captured by the 46th OVI at Ezra Church, GA 29 Jul 1864. This flag was returned to Louisiana in 1900 in the first act of its kind performed under provisions of a law passed by the Ohio Legislature.

Stark County Marriages

Marriages from the Ohio Repository have been copied by Karl Harsh and compared to the official records. Only those are selected which have either additional or different information from the Marriage Record, or are not recorded at all. 6# refers to volume and page number of the Marriage Books; NIB = Not in Book; OR = date of Ohio Repository; MR = Marriage Record. The years are 1866 - 1867.

6-343 **Altekruse, Henry & Miss Flora Morgenthaler**, Massillon, dtr of Mr & Mrs Henry Morgenthaler, 12 Jul 1866, by Rev H Karthever. (OR = 18 Jul 1866; MR = Rev H Kortheur).

NIB **Austice, Henry**, Rev, Rector, St Lukes Church, Rochester, NY & **Miss Flora Fenner**, formerly of Massillon, dtr of Dean K Fenner, 30 May 1866, by Rev H Potter in St Barbara's Church, Irvington, NY. (OR = 6 Jun 1866).

NIB **Baldwin, A H**, Limaville & **Miss Mary M Hubbard**, Portage Co, OH, 9 Oct 1866, by Rev L J Dale. (OR=31 Oct 1866).

NIB **Barr, Samuel P**, Milton & **Miss Mary Fishburn**, Wooster, 18 Oct 1866 by Rev P M Weddell. (OR = 14 Nov 1866).

6-412 **Baudebush, Eli & Miss Sarah J Shanebrook**, 12 Dec 1866. (OR = 19 Dec 1866; MR = Raudebush, Eli).

NIB **Baughman, John H & Miss Lydia A Bowman**, 2 Dec 1866 by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 12 Dec 1866).

6-368 **Beam, Henry & Miss Ellen Russell**, 18 Sep 1866. (OR = 26 Sep 1866; MR = Ream, Henry).

6-408 **Betz, Rufus & Miss Harriet Miller**, 8 Dec 1866. (OR = 12 Dec 1866; MR = 6 Dec 1866).

NIB **Binford, J**, Alliance & **Miss Lucy E Cobb**, Columbiana Co, 10 May 1866 by Rev T Storer at the parsonage in MT Union. (OR = 23 May 1866).

NIB **Bowman, Eli & Miss Emma J Miller**, both of the vicinity of Magnolia, Carroll Co, 22 Nov 1866, by Rev T V Milligan at the residence of Peter Farber. (OR 5 Dec 1866).

6-382 **Brown, Charles H**, Esq, Knoxville, TN & **Miss Mary C Humburger**, Massillon, dtr of Mr & Mrs A J Humburger, 11 Oct 1866. (OR = 17 Oct 1866; MR = Mary C Humburger).

C-441 **Caldren, John D & Miss Susan McLaughlin**, 7 Feb 1867. (OR = 13 Feb 1867; MR = Coldren, John D).

NIB **Climes, Jackson & Miss Matilda Yerrick**, 3 Jan 1867 by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 9 Jun 1867).

NIB **Creighton, Robert M & Miss Nancy Jane McIlravy**, 13 Oct 1866, by Rev T V Milligan at the residence of Dr McIlravy, Waynesburg. (OR 17 Oct 1866).

NIB **Deuble, John**, formerly of Canton & **Miss Laura Chamberlin**, Kent, 3 Oct 1866, by Rev A Wilson. (OR = 10 Oct 1866).

NIB **Ellison, Henry C**, Alliance & **Miss Isadore Leek**, Canton, dtr of T W Leek, 18 Oct 1866, by Rev J Monteith. (OR = 24 Oct 1866).

6-505 **Farnham, Lewis P**, Tallmadge & **Miss Ellie Rank**, Canton, dtr of George Rank, 20 Jun 1867. (OR = 26 Jun 1867).

6-474 **Gachter, F J & Mrs Catharine Billie**, 10 Apr 1867. (OR = 17 Apr 1867; MR = Gaster, Francis Joseph).

NIB **Gerber/Garber, John & Miss Julia Darmeier**, 21 Jun 1866, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 27 Jun 1866).

6-381 **Geiger, Walter P**, served 3 years in the army as Regimental Druggist of the 115th Regiment OVI & **Miss Mary E Tows**, both of Canton, dtr of the late William R Tows, 9 Oct 1866, at the home of the bride's mother. (OR = 10 Oct 1866).

6-329 **Halben, George A & Miss Leah McLaughlin**, 21 Jun 1866. (OR = 27 Jun 1866; MR = Holben, George A).

NIB **Hammelhlo, John George**, Alliance & **Mrs Amalia Schmitz**, Canton, 21 May 1866, by Rev G A Bruegel. (OR = 23 May 1866).

6-346 **Harter, S T & Miss Emma Young**, 22 Jul 1866. (OR = 25 Jul 1866; MR = Harter, JF).

6-332 **Haukins, Charles H**, Esq, Pittsburgh, PA & **Miss J A Schlebach**, Canton, dtr of George Schlebach, 14 Jun 1866. (OR = 20 Jun 1866; MR = Hawkins, Charles H & Miss J A Schlebach).

6-466 **Hayman, Samuel & Miss Lucinda Slack**, 28 Mar 1867. (OR = 3 Apr 1867; MR = Haynam, Samuel).

NIB **Heldenbrand, George W**, West Irving, IA & **Miss Sarah E Adams**, Mogadore, dtr of Horace Adams, 16 Oct 1866, by Rev J D Hughes. (OR = 14 Nov 1866).

NIB **Heller, Joseph**, & **Miss Amanda King**, both of Orrville, 20 June 1867 by Rev S Gorman at the American House, Canton. (OR = 26 Jun 1867).

NIB **Herbruck, L & Miss Margaret Foss**, 18 Oct 1866 by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 31 Oct 1866).

6-428 **Hessner, Adam J & Miss Agnes Troxel**, both of Plain Tp, 1 Jan 1867. (OR = 2 Jan 1867; MR = Hissner, Adam J).

6-362 **Houser, Jefferson & Miss Ann Martin**, both of Canton, 6 Sep 1866. (OR = 12 Sep 1866; MR = Mary C Martin).

NIB **Hurford, Lewis K & Mary E Hershey**, 27 Nov 1866, by Rev E Buckingham. Double Wedding with Hackman - Welsh. (OR = 12 Dec 1866)

NIB **Jayburg, John & Miss Nancy Snyder**, both of Holmes Co, 23 May 1867, by Rev E Buckingham at St Cloud Hotel. (OR = 29 May 1867)

NIB **Johnson, John R & Mrs Elizabeth Fogle**, both of New Philadelphia, 13 Dec 1866, by Rev A R Smith. (OR = 19 Dec 1866).

6-450 **Kaltz, John M & Miss Rosina Leibbrand**, 17 Feb 1867. (OR = 20 Feb 1867; MR - Katz, John Michael).

6-363 **Keith, Uriah G**, Lt & **Miss Mary Frances Grossman**, dtr of Mr & Mrs Grossman, 11 Sep 1866, at Massillon. (OR 19 Sep 1866).

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Stark Co Marriages (Cont)

NIB Keller, Alvin & Miss Margaret Walter, both of Wayne Co, 12 Sep 1866 by Rev S Gorman, at the American House, Canton. (OR = 26 Sep 1866).

NIB Keplinger, Edward D, Bucyrus, OH & Mrs Frankie Miller, Minerva, dtr of Mr Kelly, 18 Sep 1866 by Rev George Scott and Rev C W Scott. (OR = 3 Oct 1866).

NIB Kimball, William C, Capt formerly of Canton & Miss Emma C Kuhn, 2 Aug 1866, by Rev Young, at Tiffin, OH. (OR = 8 Aug 1866).

NIB Kleckner, John, Canton & Miss Elizabeth Dickerhoof, Summit Co, 2 May 1867, by Rev E Buckingham. OR = 8 May 1867).

NIB Koehler, Christian, Stark Co & Miss Catharine Klink, Summit Co, no date listed, by Rev P I Buehl. (OR = 6 Jun 1866).

NIB Lebold, Conrad H & Miss Amanda Nixon, both of Tuscarawas Co, 25 Oct 1866, by Rev J W Goodlin. (OR = 31 Oct 1866).

6-393 Lehr, Henry S, Ada, Hardin Co & Miss Albina Hoover, Harrisburg, eldest dtr of William Hoover, 30 Oct 1866. (OR = 18 Nov 1866).

NIB Leohner, Noah N, Lancaster, OH & Miss Sophia M Crouse, Akron, OH, 21 Mar 1867, by Rev G A Little, at the residence of Massillon Mayor Folger on Prospect St. (OR = 27 Mar 1867).

6-405 Lind, J Murray & Miss Alice Hoover, 22 Nov 1866. (OR = 28 Nov 1866; MR = Lind, James M).

6-340 Mayer, William B, Esq, Freeport, IL & Miss Lucinda E Hane, dtr of the late Rev John Hane, 28 Jun 1866. (OR = 4 Jul 1866).

6-389 McDonald, John, late of Inverness, Scotland & Miss Ella McDonald, Massillon, dtr of S C McDonald, Esq, deputy US Marshall, Northern District of Ohio, 25 Oct 1866. (OR = 31 Oct 1866; MR = McDonald, John A & Miss Nellie McDonald).

6-358 Parks, Clement T & Miss Melissa J Wise, both of Mt Union, dtr of H R Wise, 31 Aug 1866. (OR = 12 Sep 1866; MR = 30 Aug 1866).

6-299 Pecher, W H & Miss Sabilla Apley, both of Pike Tp, 12 Apr 1866. (OR = 9 May 1866; Portrait & Biographical Records of Stark Co, p410 Dr William H Becker).

6-382 Pittis, Edward & Miss Osee Ann Wilson, 18 Oct, 1866 at bride's residence near Waynesburg. (OR = 31 Oct 1866; MR = Pettit, Edward).

NIB Rank, David, Massillon & Miss Maggie J Mahon, Chambersburg, PA, 31 May 1866, by Rev Moor. (OR = 31 May 1866).

6-317 Reynolds, William F, Jr, Lt, US Navy & Miss Mary A Lester, Canton, dtr of J G Lester, 15 May 1866. (OR = 16 May 1866).

NIB Rex, George & Miss Mattie P Upham, dtr of the

late W K Upham, ? Nov 1866, by Rev E Buckingham, in the Presbyterian Church. (OR = 14 Nov 1866).

6-314 Robertson, William Denny, Carroll Co & Miss A A Rogers, Stark Co, 9 May 1866, at the residence of John B Rogers. (OR = 23 May 1866; MR = 10 May 1866, Miss Alice A Rogers).

NIB Robinson, Charles W, merchant, Canal Fulton & Miss Sarah A Kirk, Greencastle, Madison Co, IL, 13 May 1867, by Rev E M West, at Edwardsville, IL. (OR = 22 May 1867).

NIB Robinson, Jerome B, Elkhart, IN & Miss Mary E Rowland, formerly of Stark Co, 13 Aug 1866, by Rev Dillow, in Elkhart, IN. (OR = 22 Aug 1866).

6-352 Roesle, Gottlieb & Mrs Louisa Huber, both of Canton, 12 Aug 1866. (OR = 15 Aug 1866; MR = Roesley, Gottlieb & Mrs Louisa Hoover).

6-429 Roher, Daniel S, Freeport, IL & Henrietta R Bockius, Canton, dtr of J C Bockius, Esq, 1 Jan 1867. (OR = 2 Jan 1867; MR = Rohrer, Daniel S & Henrietta R Bockins).

6-349 Ruhman, Isaac, Canton & Miss Bertha Simon, Philadelphia, PA, 29 Jul 1866, by Rev D Herzman, Pittsburg, PA. (OR = 1 Aug 1866; MR = Bertie Simon, Married by W W Clark, JP).

6-423 Sanders, Thomas J, Marshall Co, IN & Miss Rebecca S Bigler, Marlboro, 27 Dec 1866. (OR = 2 Jan 1867; MR = Rebecca S Bilger).

NIB Schlaybaugh, Frank G & Miss Catharine Fultz, both of Summit Co, 16 Sep 1866, by Rev E Buckingham, at St Cloud Hotel. (OR = 19 Sep 1866).

6-332 Schwiter, Nicholas & Miss Catharine Steeley, 14 Jun 1866. (OR = 20 Jun 1866).

6-351 Serlock, Henry & Miss Frances Mary Miller, 8 Aug 1866 at Milton. (OR = 15 Aug 1866; MR = Gerlock, Henry).

NIB Shorb, Andrew S & Miss Mattie L Blanchard, 5 Mar 1867, at Columbus, OH. (OR = 6 Mar 1867).

NIB Silver, David, Stark Co & Miss Eleanor J Cox, Columbiana Co, 30 May 1867 by Rev J M Bray. (OR = 5 Jun 1867).

6-332 Slusser, Lewis M, Dr, Canton & Miss Helena A Ricks, Massillon, dtr of C F Ricks Esq, 14 Jun 1866. This was Dr Slusser's second marriage. (OR = 20 Jun 1866).

NIB Squires, Charles, Freeport, IL & Miss Mary Bradshaw, Massillon, only dtr of D M Bradshaw, 27 Sep 1866 by Rev J R Brodnack at Lockport NY, the bride's mother's home. (OR = 10 Oct 1866).

NIB Stalcup, William, Alliance & Miss Alice A Shelton, Salem Tp, no date listed. (OR = 29 May 1867; IGI date of marriage 16 May 1867).

NIB Swartz, Abraham & Miss Mary E Rhodes, both of Summit Co, 21 May 1867, by Rev William Lynch, at American House, Massillon. (OR = 29 May 1867).

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Stark Co Marriages (Cont)

6-475 Swisher, Daniel & Miss Mary Firestone, 16 Apr 1867. (OR = 17 Apr 1867; MR = Mary Finstine).

NIB Teeters, R W, Alliance & Miss Maggie McIntosh, Cleveland, 7 Jun 1866, by Rev S D Lynn, at Cleveland. (OR = 20 Jun 1866).

NIB Van Pelt, Jacob, WI & Miss Malinda Urquhart, WV, 3 Oct 1866, by Rev J M Bray. (OR = 31 Oct 1866).

6-312 Vick, Holland, Alliance & Miss Emerelis Whetstone, Marlboro Tp, 3 May 1866, ceremony performed in a buggy in front of the Presbyterian Parsonage in Canton. (OR = 9 May 1866; MR = Emerellis Whetstone).

6-313 Walker, Albert & Miss Sarah Brownelle, near Osnaburg, dtr of George Brownelle, 10 May 1866. (OR = 16 May 1866).

6-327 Wallace, William, Omaha, NE & Miss Mary B Grant, dtr of E P Grant, 5 Jun 1866. (OR = 6 Jun 1866).

NIB Walton, Amos, Alliance & Miss Hettie A Seekens, Columbiana Co, 16 Oct 1866, by Rev J H Brown, ceremony performed near New Garden, Columbiana Co. (OR = 31 Oct 1866).

6-403 Wardle, Edward, Capt, Hudson, NY & Miss Emma V Abbott, dtr of Dr J P Abbott, 26 Nov 1866 by Rev S M Heckman, at the residence of Dr J L Leeper. (OR = 5 Dec 1866; MR = Rev S M Hickman, 27 Nov 1866).

6-400 Williman, Simon P, Jackson Tp & Miss Mary C Shook, Plain Tp, dtr of George A Shook, 18 Nov 1866. (OR = 21 Nov 1866; MR = Williman, Simon T).

6-370 Winfield, Henry H & Miss Matilda Hupert, 20 Sep 1866. (OR = 26 Sep 1866; MR = Miss Matilda Huberty).

6-377 Yonery, John & Miss Margaret Refound, 1 Oct 1866. (OR = 3 Oct 1866; MR = Yonely, John).

Ohio Death Certificates

The July 1995 Tree Climber had a full page article on Ohio Death Certificates. Most of the information is still correct but there have been some changes.

As previously reported the State of Ohio Department of Health turned over to the Ohio Historical Society all Death Records from 1908 to 31 Dec 1944 (this was previously from 1908 to 31 Dec 1936). They now have 12 indexes to search as follows: 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913-17, 1918-22, 1923-27, 1928-32, 1933-37, 1938-40, and 1941-44. They will search only two indexes per request and you have to pick the indexes. The cost for an uncertified copy is \$3.18 for Ohio residents (includes Ohio sales tax) and \$3.00 for non-residents. If you want a certified copy, send two checks: One for \$3.18 (or \$3.00) made out to the Ohio Historical Society and

another for \$7.00 for certification by the state made out to Treasury, State of Ohio.

If you go in person to the Ohio Historical Society you can find the Death Certificate by yourself and make a copy for 25 cents which includes state sales tax.

The address of the Ohio Historical Society is:

Research Services Division
Archives/Library Division
Ohio Historical Society
1982 Velma Avenue
Columbus OH 43211-2497

For Death Certificates after 31 Dec 1944 send your request to the Ohio Department of Health, Division of Vital Statistics, which is located in Columbus at 35 Chestnut Street, Sixth Floor, telephone number (614) 466-2531. The mailing address is:

Ohio Department of Health
Division of Vital Statistics
P O Box 15098
Columbus OH 43215-0098

The cost of an uncertified Death Certificate is 3 cents plus a SASE. One SASE can cover 5 certificates. Although the usual rule is send no cash by mail, they will accept 3 pennies taped to a card inside the envelope.

There is no change in the cost of a certified copy which remains \$7.00. This price is established by law and is the same no matter if you obtain one from your local health department. Make out the check to Treasury State of Ohio.

If you call the Ohio Department of Health on (614) 466-2531 an answering machine will automatically give you the details of obtaining vital records including address. However, they do not mention the 3 cent price for an uncertified copy. If you stay on the line after the automatic message, a person comes on the line and you can then obtain prices for uncertified copies. Your editor verified the 3 cent price in a phone call.

Please note the 3 cent price for uncertified copies applies to Birth Certificates also. All Birth Certificates in the state from 1908 to present day are kept at the Ohio Department of Health in Columbus, Ohio.

Some local Health Departments have changed their price for an uncertified copy of birth and death records:

City of Canton now charges \$1.00.
City of Massillon now charges \$.25
City of Alliance still charges \$1.50
Stark County still charges \$.25
All charge \$7.00 for a certified copy.

The Forts of Ohio

Fort Amanda: Built in 18121 on the Auglaize River near old Ottawa Indian town.

Fort Ancient: Located on the high bluffs on the Little Miami River in Warren County. It was built by a pre-historic tribe supposedly the Mound Builders. It is one of the largest pre-historic forts in America.

Fort Ball: Built by General William Henry Harrison during the War of 1812 on the Sandusky River at the site on Tiffin.

Fort Defiance: Built by General Anthony Wayne in 1794 at the junction of the Auglaize and Maumee Rivers.

Fort Deposit: Built by General Anthony Wayne in 1794 on the north bank of the Maumee River, and used as a deposit for supplies.

Fort Findlay: Built in 1812 on Blanchard's Fort in Hancock County.

Fort Finney: Built in 1785 by General Richard Butler on a journey down the Ohio River, it was the first work for human habitation built between the Miamis. The fort was abandoned by 1789, the troops going to the Indiana side of the Ohio opposite Louisville where a small work was also erected but likewise called Fort Finney.

Fort Gower: A stockade built by Lord Dunmore on the Hocking River in 1774.

Fort Greenville: Built on the site of Greenville in 1793 by General Anthony Wayne.

Fort Hamilton: Built by General Arthur St Clair in 1791. It stood on the great Miami River at the present site of Hamilton.

Fort Harmar: Located on the west bank of the Muskingum River at Marietta. Built in 1785 by Major John Doughty.

Fort Industry: Built by Wayne's troops and stood on the Maumee River at the present site of Toledo.

Fort Jefferson: Built by General St Clair in 1791 about 50 miles north of Fort Hamilton, just west of the present site of Greenville.

Fort Junandat: a French trading post built in 1754 on Sandusky River. It was abandoned at the end of the French-Indian War.

Fort Laurens: Built by General McIntosh in 1778. The fort stood below Sandy Creek on the Tuscarawas River near the present site of Bolivar.

Fort Loramie: An English trading post built in 1750. It was destroyed by General George Rogers Clark. General Lane built another fort at this location and called it Fort Alliance.

Fort McArthur: Built in 1812 located on the Scioto River in Hardin County.

Fort Meigs: Built in 1812-1813 on the Maumee River opposite the rapids by General William Henry Harrison.

Fort Miami: May have been first fort built in 1680 by Canadians. Located on Maumee River near Maumee. It was the site of the headquarters of British General Proctor during the siege of Fort Meigs during the War of 1812.

Fort Piqua: A stockade built for storage purposes by General Anthony Wayne a short distance north of Piqua.

Fort Recovery: Built by troops of General Anthony Wayne in 1793. It stood on the west bank of the Wabash River.

Fort St Clair: Built a short distance north of the present town of Eaton in 1791 by Major John S Gano.

Fort St Marys: Built by General Anthony Wayne's Army in 1794 where the town of St Marys now stands.

Fort Sandusky: A French trading post built in 1730 on Sandusky River in Erie County, near Sandusky.

Fort Seneca: Built by General Harrison in 1812 on the Sandusky River a short distance from Fort Stevenson.

Fort Stevenson: Stood on the Sandusky River on the present site of Fremont and was built in 1812.

Fort Steuben: Built on the present site of Stuebenville in 1789 and was one of the first outposts in the northwest territory.

Fort Washington: Built in what is now Cincinnati in 1789 by Major John Doughty, the commander of a body of troops sent by General Harmar from Fort Harmar with discretionary power to locate a fort in the Miami country. It became an important military headquarters.

Source: Fayette Connection, Vol 15, No 3, Fall 1995 via Rocky Mountain Buckeye, Dec 95/Jan 96. Supplemented by Howe's History of Ohio, 1888 edition printed 1908.

Soundex at Western Reserve

On page 109 of the September 1996 Tree Climber we listed the Soundex for the 1900, 1910, and 1920 censuses at Western Reserve Historical Society. This information was determined from a letter written by WRHS soliciting funds for purchase of additional Soundex film.

We have now learned that 5,268 rolls of Soundex film were ordered by WRHS to beat a substantial price increase. All of the US Federal Population census microfilm has been available for some time and when the new order is processed and paid for, the library will also have all of the Soundex available for 1880 and 1900.

In 1910 only 21 states were indexed and WRHS will have Soundex for: Kentucky, Michigan, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania and West Virginia.

In 1920 all states were indexed and WRHS will have Soundex for: Indiana, Kentucky, Michigan, New York, Ohio, Rhode Island, Vermont and West Virginia.

This information supersedes the information in the October Tree Climber. However, additional donations for Soundex microfilm are still solicited. Film purchased from the National Archives, Washington, DC has increased in price recently.

Source: Cuyahoga West Tracer, Vol 20 #3, September 1996

The Union Army (Cont)

haps with the orderly who stood before their tents, or the private who held their stirrups."

A widespread and healthy sentiment which the soldier encountered on his return regarded his savings, those snug little sums that most of the men found in their pockets as the result of the long delay in paying the armies. The men must not be fleeced out of these, so everybody had decided,--they must be persuaded to invest them. A favorite investment with many soldiers was the seven-thirties, a national loan issued in sums from \$50 upward, and bearing interest at 7½%. The seven-thirties were advertised in every town and at every country corner. Agents for them traveled the North over, subscriptions were taken at night, every device possible was practiced for putting them in the way of workingmen and soldiers. Many soldiers did take advantage of the loan, though a greater number used their money more boldly. They sought the oil regions of Pennsylvania, the silver mines of Colorado, the gold mines of Idaho, the cornfields of Kansas, the scenes of any one of the tremendous developments of national resources which had taken in the four years they had been fighting, hoping there to "make a strike" which would give them wealth.

These then were the outlets into which the returning legions flowed. That they disappeared so promptly and quietly was due primarily to the manliness of the men themselves, their sturdy independence, their unconsciousness of their own desserts, their healthy desire for work. But there was another factor in their assimilation which should not be forgotten. It never could have taken place without the cooperation of the people at home. It was they who had by gigantic sacrifices furnished the money for the war. It was their energy which had, at the same time, developed the West, increased imports, opened new industries. It was they who foresaw the danger in the floods of men which the disbanding of the volunteers would cause, and prepared for them, opening to them their old positions, calling them to new enterprises. It was they who said to every civilian, You must step aside until the soldier is served; to the soldier, You must work, and here is the place. The citizens of the North deserve, indeed, as much credit for the rapid assimilation of the volunteer army in 1865 as the War Department for its orderly disbandment.

Manliness, vigor, foresight efficiency explain the success of the gigantic undertaking. The motive power was the hallowing flood of solemn and tender emotions which swept over the country at the sight of the returning soldiers. Men remembered them as they had gone forth--gay, fresh, and youthful. They saw them now stern, bronzed, mature. Every one of these returning men recalled, too, others that had gone out with him, but would never return recalled terrible days after great battles, defeats, slaughter, long

waiting for victory. With the bitter memories came the deep thankfulness that now finally it was all over. There would be no more battles, no more prisons, no more lists of dead and wounded. The war was over, the cause won. There was too great and too reverent thanksgiving in the North in 1865 for men to neglect the interests of the boys in blue.

The men were quick to feel the spirit of the welcome. They realized the sincerity of the enthusiasm and the helpfulness which met them on every hand. They saw themselves the honored guests of the North, and their pride and self-respect were aroused. They came at once, too, under the sanctifying influence of reunion with friends and families.

As they marched into a town they saw again and again a woman rush from a cheering crowd to cling sobbing to a husband, a child bound out crying, "Father! Father!" a comrade spring from the ranks to clasp a mother. It was the sight of wives weeping with joy, of mothers thanking God for their sons, which all the summer and fall stirred the hearts of the returning soldiers. For the sake of these sweet things more than all else, these men, in whom love of danger and adventure had become a strong and compelling passion, hung up their guns and cheerfully took up the steady grind of earning their daily bread. The End

The article, Disbanding the Union Army, was published in *McClure's Magazine* in March of 1901. It was written by Ida M Tarbell, a staff writer for *McClure's*. She is best known as a muck-raker who wrote *The History of the Standard Oil Company* which was one of the first of the muck-raking books. In fact, the break-up of the Standard Oil Company subsequently was a direct result of the material contained in the book. When she and several of the other staffers of *McClure's* quit and started *The American Magazine*, they sounded a death knell for *McClure's*.

Explanation of Illegitimacy

There were many reasons for illegitimacy:

1. Wars. In war times girls were raped by soldiers.
2. The parents did not agree with the choice of mate because of his social class, or lack of property.
3. There were times when the daughter didn't want to marry the man that the family had chosen and could perhaps get family consent by having a child by the man of her choice.
4. There were religious reasons. There is one case where the girl was Protestant and the boy Catholic. She had six children with him but they weren't allowed to get married. The village she lived in was pure Protestant and her parents were very prominent in the community and therefore he didn't get permission to live there.

Source: Imprints 16-2 1997; The Genealogical Society of Broward County, Inc, Ft Lauderdale, FL.

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NIB Adams, J W & Miss Jennie C Dobson, both of Columbiana Co, 1 Apr 1869 by Rev W J Sharpe, triple wedding, See Dobson and Oyster. (OR = 22 Apr 1869).

NIB Altaffer, John P, Alliance & Miss Anna Snider, Salem, at the parsonage near Enon Valley, PA 1 Jul 1869 by Rev J B Miller. (OR = 15 Jul 1869).

NIB Aultman, Cornelius, Canton & Mrs Catharine B Reynolds, Philadelphia, PA at the residence of the bride in Philadelphia, PA, 18 Nov 1869 by Rev Joseph A Seiss. Cornelius built the home where he lived with his first wife, Kate, which was the future McKinley home. He was in the process of building the Aultman Mansion which became the Harter Mansion. George D & Elizabeth Harter lived in the McKinley Home after McKinley went to Congress. (OR = 25 Nov 1869).

7-175 Bair, David R & Miss Mary B Oswalt, both of Washington Tp, 7 Jul 1869 by Rev E Buckingham. (OR = 15 Jul 1869; MR = J BARR., David R).

NIB Conklin, B F, Fayette City, PA & Miss Mella Kelly, Minerva, dtr of William Kelly Esq, at the home of the bride's parents in Minerva, 28 Oct 1869 by Rev Williams of PA. (OR = 4 Nov 1869).

NIB Cook, David Y & Miss Lovinia E Moatz, both of Portage Co, at the bride's home in Suffield, 16 May 1869, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 3 Jun 1869).

NIB Cooper, J M, Dr, Canton & Miss Salome McFarlan, Meadville, PA, at Meadville, PA 15 Dec 1869 by Rev J C Lavery. (OR = 16 Dec 1869).

NIB Cox, William H & Miss Amanda Roudebush, at Hanover Station, 9 Sep 1869 by W B Higby; double wedding with Roudebush, John H. (OR = 30 Sep 1869).

NIB Crawford, Silas E, Cleveland & Miss Mary E Harrington, Canton, 30 Sep 1869 by Rev E Buckingham. (OR = 7 Oct 1869).

NIB Davis, F & Miss Hattie R Nighman, Portage Co, at the Sourbeck House, Alliance, 19 Oct 1869. (OR = 4 Nov 1869).

NIB Dobson, James K & Miss M A Oyster, both of Columbiana Co, 1 Apr 1869 by Rev W J Sharpe, triple wedding with Adams & Oyster. (OR = 22 Apr 1869).

7-212 Dielhenn, John & Miss Catharine Shriver, both of Massillon, 21 Oct 1869 by Rev H Korthener. (OR = 28 Nov 1869 & 4 Nov 1969).

NIB Fall, Isaac & Miss Leah Royer, both of Summit Co, 16 May 1869 by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 3 Jun 1869).

7-143 Fay, Gilbert O, superintendent of the Deaf & Mute Asylum, Columbus, OH & Miss Mary J Jarvis, Massillon, dtr of Edwin Jarvis, 14 Apr 1869 by Rev George W

Timlow. (OR = 29 Apr 1869).

NIB Finney, Henry T, Philadelphia, PA & Mary H Warner, Stark Co, 24 Nov 1869 by Rev L L Rinehart. (OR = 25 Nov 1869).

NIB Goodwill, Bradley C, Canton & Miss Abbie J Prouty, Brimfield, MA at Brimfield, MA 2 Nov 1869. (OR = 18 Nov 1869).

7-176 Foulk, Samuel & Miss Sarah VanVoorhis, both of Stark Co, 11 Jul 1869 by Rev S S Chapman. (OR = 11 Jul 1869; MR = Samuel Fulk).

7-234 Garver, David A, Bryan, OH & Miss Elma Welker, Massillon, dtr of George Welker, 18 Nov 1869 by Rev R L Williams. (OR = 25 Nov 1869).

7-239 Hangaud, James S & Miss Catharine Snyder at Nimishillen Tp, 25 Nov 1869 by Elder D J Peck. (OR = 25 Nov 1869; MR = James Hang).

7-164 Harvey, James & Miss Amanda Sauver, both of Wilmot, 30 May 1879 by J M Truby, JP. (OR = 10 Jun 1869; MR = Amanda Lauver).

NIB Hewitt, Alonzo & Miss Eliza A Reed, both of Malvern, Carroll Co, 3 Jun 1869 by Rev T N Milligan. (OR = 10 Jun 1869).

NIB Hoover, Emerson, formerly of Stark Co, late of Oskaloosa, IA & Miss Lulu Jones, Ottumwa, IA at Ottumwa IA, dtr of Judge Jones, 26 Apr 1869 by Rev D Miles. (OR = 6 May 1869).

NIB Hughes, William A & Miss Lovecy Dallwigh, formerly of Canton, at Cleveland, 16 Nov 1869 by Rev E Shepard. (OR = 18 Nov 1869).

7-250 Irwin, Darwin M & Miss Jemima R Colton, both of Stark Co, dtr of J Colton. 25 Dec 1869 by Rev J Madison Bray. (OR = 30 Dec 1869).

NIB Jones, Charles, Waynesburg, OH & Miss Laura L Christy, Pittsburgh, PA dtr of James M Christy, Esq, at the bride's parents home in Pittsburgh, PA, 21 Oct 1869 by Rev John H Egar. (OR = 4 Nov 1869).

NIB Kaufman, Herman S & Miss Mary Williams, at the residence of Thomas H Williams, Cleveland, 5 Oct 1869 by Rev D C Blood. (OR = 21 Oct 1869).

7-154 Kaylor, Harry J & Miss Sarah C Buck, both of Alliances, 6 May 1869 by Rev G W Johnson. (OR = 20 May 1869; MR = Harry J Kayler & Miss Sarah C Brook).

NIB Kitzmiller, J E, Canton & Miss Vene Kurtz, Minerva, at Minerva 14 Jul 1869 by Rev W C P Hamilton. (OR = 22 Jul 1869).

NIB Leopard, George W & Miss Mary Ellen Grable, 4 Jul 1869 by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 8 Jul 1869).

7-160 Mertin, Elisha & Miss Leanna Leech, both of Stark Co, 24 May 1869. (OR = 10 Jun 1869; MR = Martin, Elisha S & Miss Leanna Leech).

NIB Owen, Robert H, New York, NY & Miss Flora T Evans, Cleveland, formerly of Canton, dtr of William E Evans, 18 Oct 1869. (OR = 28 Oct 1869)

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Stark Co Marriages (Cont)

NIB Oyster, Amos & Anna M Dobson, both of Columbiana Co, 1 Apr 1869 by Rev W J Sharps; triple wedding with Adams & Dobson. (OR = 22 Apr 1869)

NIB Pressler, William & Miss Lucinda Garl, both of Summit Co, 16 May 1869 by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 3 Jun 1869).

NIB Reifsnider, Calvin K, Akron & Miss Carrie C Moseley, Philadelphia, PA, at the home of the bride's brother WB Moseley in Philadelphia, PA, 21 May 1869 by Rev William Gamble. (OR = 3 Jun 1869).

NIB Reighley, James, Wooster & Miss Phebe Madder, Massillon, at the American House, Massillon, 4 Nov 1869 by Rev Augustine Smith. (OR = 11 Nov 1869).

NIB Rothermel, Peter, San Francisco, CA & Miss Mary Patton, Canton, dtr of Thomas Patton, 21 Apr 1869 by Rev Arnold. (OR = 6 May 1869).

NIB Roudebush, John H & Miss Annie Lamb, at Hanover Station, 9 Sep 1869 by Rev Higby; double wedding with Cox and Roudabush. (OR = 30 Sep 1869; MR = Annie Launt).

NIB Sanders, Jonathan B & Miss Ida A Nease, both of Alliance, at Enon Valley, PA, 8 Sep 1869 by Rev Miller. (OR = 28 Oct 1869).

NIB Sears, David H & Miss Amanda Shook, both of Randolph, at Franklin House, Marlboro, 13 Oct 1869 by Rev S S Chapman. (OR = 21 Oct 1869).

NIB Scranton, Darius, WI & Miss Isabella M Vickers 3 Jun 1869 by Rev J M Bray. (OR = 17 Jun 1869).

7-153 Shearer, Christian, & Miss Louisa Baier, both of Massillon, 29 Apr 1869 by Rev P J Buehl. (OR = 20 May 1869).

NIB Stauffer, Daniel E, Canton & Miss Mary L Balmer, Smithville, dtr of Rev C Balmer, at Smithville, Wayne Co, no date listed by Rev H Davidson. (OR = 18 Nov 1869; date of marriage from IGI 21 Oct 1869).

7-195 Styne, James L, Pittsburgh, PA & Miss Emily L Myers, Canton, dtr of the late Hiram Myers, 1 Sep 1869 by Rev L M Kuhns. (OR = 2 Sep 1869).

7-230 Webb, William Wallace, attorney at law & Miss Mary C Killian, Canton, 12 Nov 1869. (OR = 18 Nov 1869; MR = Webb, Wallace).

7-186 White, Dallas, Canton & Miss Frances Prince, both of Canton, dtr of Joseph Prince, 18 Aug 1869 by S S Slanker, JP. (OR = 19 Aug 1869)

NIB Wilhelm, George & Miss Fannie Lautin, at American House, Massillon, 14 Oct 1869 by Rev W Lynch. (OR = 4 Nov 1869).

NIB Wood, Thomas J & Miss Julia Sebrill, both of Stark Co, 22 Apr 1869 by Rev J L Dales. (OR = 6 May 1869).

NIB Woolworth, Ralph E, Sacramento, CA & Miss Helen J Fogle, Canton, 29 Sep 1869 by Rev A J Stone. (OR = 21 Oct 1869).

NIB Varian, David & Miss Nellie Brocket, both of Randolph, Portage Co, OH, at Marlboro, 2 Apr 1869 by

Elder S S Chapman. (OR = 29 Apr 1869).

NIB Wikidal, William A, Canton & Miss Emma Kerch, Mansfield, at Mansfield 23 Dec 1869 by Rev Twitchell. (OR = 30 Dec 1869).

New Titles in Library

New titles in the Stark County District Library, Canton Ohio include:

Fairfield Co, OH Church Records of the Evangelical

Lutheran Churches, Amanda Parish

Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church, Dauphin Co, PA

1770-1859

Records of Baptisms, Births, Marriages, and Deaths at St

Thomas the Apostle Roman Catholic Church, Bedford

Co, PA

Fannettsburg Presbyterian Records, Franklin Co, PA 1851-

1970

Some Fayette Co, PA Cemeteries

German Protestant Cemetery, Mahoney City, Schuylkill Co, PA

Indiana Co, PA Cemeteries, Vol 1

1765 Chester Co, PA Archives

Complete Records of Emmanuel Evangelical Lutheran

Church, Freeport, Armstrong Co, PA 1875-1920

Surname Index of the Upper Ohio Valley, Vols 1 & 2

Unlocking the Secrets in Old Photographs

Understanding and using Baptismal Records

Apprentices of Virginia 1623-1800

Schuylkill Co, PA Archives, Vol 1

Trinity Lutheran Church Records, Lancaster, PA, Vol 1 &

2, 1730-1782

Our Italian Surnames

The Boron Book: A Genealogy

Kiser Generations

Genealogy and Computers for the Determined Researcher

Shenandoah Co, VA Birth Records of Free Born Children

1853-1871.

Graveside Plantings Have Meaning

Many 18th century cemeteries had very significant religious meanings, according to Donna Lynne Benson of Chagrin Falls, OH. Some hynnals called Christ the Rose of Sharon. Sometimes plants were planted to try to cure whatever the person died of. For example, Hawthorn is associated with high blood pressure and angina. The tulip poplar with dysentery and malaria. An oak signified eternal life and steadfastness. Moss is maternal love. Dr Benson has a degree in anthropology and historic archaeology. She takes many hours researching old cemeteries of the Church of the Brethren, many in Adams County, OH and northern Kentucky. Many small cemeteries have been lost over the years, but sometimes their plantings hold a clue to their culture.

Source: Mercer Co Monitor Apr-Jun 1997 fr Cleveland Plain Dealer via Mahoning Co newsletter.

Naturalization

The first naturalization law in the United States was passed by Congress in 1790. This law gave certain courts the right to naturalize aliens. Under this law an alien could apply for citizenship after being in this country for two years. Before this time, a person always remained a citizen of his native land, no matter where he lived. It was not until 1870, that Great Britain finally recognized the right of an individual to leave the country and become the citizen of another country.

The 1795 Federal law allowed a free white person to apply for citizenship provided he had:

- (1) Resided in the U S at least five years.
- (2) Declared his intent to become a citizen at least three years previously.
- (3) Resided in the state or territory where his final papers were granted for at least a year.

Prior to 1906: Naturalization could take place in any court of record authorized by state or federal law. As a result many federal, state, county and municipal courts had the power to naturalize.

In 1906 The Bureau of Immigration and Naturalization was established by the Federal Government; and took over the responsibility of granting citizenship. Requirements for Naturalization were changed as follows:

- (1) Five years residence in country.
- (2) One year in State of residency.
- (3) Minimum of two years residence in U S before declaring intent.

Naturalization records can consist of four series:

1. Declaration of intent--first step in the citizenship process. This involved renouncing allegiance to a former sovereign and declaring intent to become an American citizen.

Prior to 1906 the records usually included:

- (a) Applicant's name.
- (b) Country of birth or allegiance.
- (c) Date of application.
- (d) Applicant's signature.
- (e) Possible date of arrival and port of entry.

After 1906, records became more detailed and included:

- (a) Name and Age.
- (b) Occupation.
- © Personal description.
- (d) Date and place of birth.
- (e) Citizenship.
- (f) Present and foreign address.
- (g) Name of vessel and port of embarkation.
- (h) U S port and arrival date.

- (i) Applicant's signature.

2. Petition -- formal application for citizenship. (These records were generally not used in the 19th Century.)

This application contains:

- (a) Applicant's name and personal description.
- (b) Occupation and marital status.
- (c) Date and place of birth.
- (d) Citizenship information.
- (e) Date of emigration.
- (f) Ports of embarkation and arrival.
- (g) Names, dates, and place of birth & residences of children.
- (h) Date U S residence began.
- (i) Time of residence in State.
- (j) Any name change
- (k) Possible copies of Declaration of Intention and Certification of Arrival.

3. Depositions -- sworn statements of applicants' witnesses as to character and residency of the applicant. Witnesses could be a neighbor or a relative.

4. Final Papers -- actual grant of citizenship privileges.

- (a) New citizen received a copy.
- (b) Duplicate kept in court record.

5. Other Naturalization may be found in the National Archives.

6. Many of the late 19th Century and the 20th Century naturalizations from the U S District Courts in Ohio are kept at the National Archives Branch in Chicago.

Source: Archival Chronicle, Bowling Green State University, August 1986. The World Book Encyclopedia. Found in The Medina County Story Vol XIV No 2.

Queries

SWARTZ, RIBLET

Henry SWARTZ b 18 Dec 1770 probably in Germany d 13 Dec 1848 in Wayne Co & wife Anna Elizabeth RIBLET b 20 Mar 1774 d 12 Nov 1870. Have located only one son, William SWARTZ. One source says they had 8 girls & 4 boys. Any info on this family will be appreciated. Carol Immel Nelson, Rt 1, Box 27EE, Salmon ID 83467-9709.

MROSS, LAPUS

Seeking info on parents and ancestors of my grandfather Edward MROSS b 13 Oct 1872 in Germany, emigrated to Massillon about 1889, m Theresa Burka LAPUS in 1903, d 25 Jul 1948 in Massillon. Also seeking info on great grandfather Benjamin LAPUS who m Theresa Erb & had dtr Theresa Burka LAPUS on 8 Apr 1879 in Massillon. William O Reynolds, 2001 Gasparilla Rd, G18, Placida FL 33946-2602.

Stark County Marriages (Cont)

7-595 **Certia**, Jacob & Miss Kate Auer, both of Strasburg, 27 Feb 1872. (OR = 1 Mar 1872).

7-599 **Clay**, Henry N & Alice E Van Horn 14 Mar 1872. (OR = 22 Mar 1872).

NIB **Dill**, David & Miss Mary A Zones, both of Carroll Co, 5 Dec 1871 by Elder S S Chapman. (OR = 15 Dec 1871).

7-610 **Eicher**, Gottlieb & Lizzie Betz 2 Apr 1872. (OR = 5 Apr 1872).

7-608 **Elson**, C C & Salena L Rutter, 28 Mar 1872. (OR = 5 Apr 1872; MR = License not filled in).

NIB **Garrett**, Daniel K, Alliance & Mrs Laura Beeson, Salem, Salem, 22 Feb 1872 by Rev William Lynch, Massillon. (OR = 1 Mar 1872).

7-604 **Glespie**, Francis M & Ella E McAbee, 20 Mar 1872. (OR = 22 Mar 1872).

7-605 **Hasler**, Isaiah & Sarah Ann Uplinger 22 Mar 1872. (OR = 29 Mar 1872).

7-599 **Hensel**, Josiah & Mary E Whitmer 7 Mar 1872. (OR = 29 Mar 1872).

7-741 **Herbruck**, Charles & Miss Lizzie G Poyser 17 Apr 1871. (OR = 19 May 1871; MR Herbruck, Charles W & Lizzie E Bentley).

7-584 **Hisey**, Isaac W & Miss Mary L Stambaugh 20 Jan 1872. (OR = 2 Feb 1872; MR = Mary S Stombaugh, 30 Jan 1872).

7-604 **Hollibaugh**, Aaron H & Sarah Lower 21 Mar 1872. (OR = 5 Apr 1872).

7-538, **Honeywell**, Oliver & Miss Olivia Montgomery, 4 Nov 1871, by Rev W A Smith. (OR = 10 Nov 1871; MR = Otelia Montgomery).

7-592 **Johnson**, Hiram & Miss Lydia Rebecca Hilton, both of Washington Tp, 22 Feb 1872. (OR = 1 Mar 1872; MR = return not finalized, marriage date 16 Feb 1872).

7-592 **Kridler**, William & Miss Ella Mauz, both of Marlboro, 21 Feb 1872. (OR = 1 Mar 1872).

NIB **Lautzenheiser**, Karl E, DeKalb Co, IN & Miss Elizabeth Richman, Steuben Co, IN at the home of the bride's father in Stark Co 23 Mar 1871 by Rev J K Swihart. (OR = 14 Apr 1871).

NIB **Long**, Jacob & Miss Maggie A Elsass 28 Nov 1871 by Rev A H Shulze. (OR = 22 Dec 1871).

7-589 **Matz**, Jacob W & Miss Lubesa Myers 11 Feb 1872. (OR = 1 Mar 1872; MR = Matts, Jacob W & Miss Lutesa Myers).

7-593 **McCammom**, Isaac W & Louisa C Brown 18 Feb 1872. (OR = 5 Apr 1872).

7-605 **Olinger**, Henry & Mary Pickens 21 Mar 1872. (OR = 5 Apr 1872; MR = Mary Pogens).

NIB **Paxton**, William, Canton & Miss Maria Kidd, Frederburgs, Wayne Co, at Mrs Paxton's residence in Canton, 2 Jan 1872 by Rev B F Booth. (OR = 12 Jan 1872).

7-603 **Ream**, Josiah W & Lizzie Walters, 17 Mar 1872. (OR = 22 Mar 1872).

7-536 **Royer**, John & Miss Sophia Anstine 2 Nov 1872. (OR = 3 Nov 1871; MR = marriage date is 2 Nov 1871).

NIB **Schade**, Rev E A A & Miss Lottie M Bottman by Rev P Herbruck, 26 Apr 1871. (OR = 5 May 1871).

NIB **Siedenbach**, Abe, Alliance & Miss Selina Rothchild, Cleveland, at bride's parents home in Cleveland, 17 Jan 1872. (OR = 26 Jan 1872).

7-560 **Voght**, Joseph & Miss Mary Mathews, both of Massillon, 2 Jan 1872. (OR = 12 Jan 1872; MR = Vogt, John Joseph).

NIB **Weis**, Jacob E & Miss Terrasa Locker 21 Nov 1871, by Rev A H Shulze. (OR = 22 Dec 1871).

7-607 **Wilhelm**, Charles & Elizabeth Hahn 28 Mar 1872. (OR = 5 Apr 1872).

New Books in Canton Library

Carroll County (MD) Cemeteries, Vol 1-4

One Hundred Cemeteries of Harrison County, KY

Monument Inscriptions of Pendleton Co, KY

Birth & Death Records of Pendleton Co, KY

Vital Records from Newspapers of Harrison Co, KY, 1836-1900

Salt Creek Tp, Pickaway Co, OH Cemetery Inventories

Pickaway Co, OH Partitions Records Abstracts, 1836-1873

Ohio Newspaper Abstracts Series, Vol 5, Defiance, Fulton,

Henry, Paulding, Putnam, Williams & Wood Counties

American Place Names of Long Ago

Genealogical & Local History Books in Print

Passenger & Immigration Lists Index 1999 Supplement, Part I

Mt Hope Cemetery, Rochester, Monroe County, NY, 1837-1860

Inscriptions & Index to Locust Grove Cem., Twinsburg, Summit Co, OH

Inscriptions & Index to Maple Lawn Cem, Stow, Summit Co, OH

A Pictorial History of Coshocton Co, OH

District of Columbia Marriage Licenses 1811-1858

District of Columbia Death Records, 1 Aug 1874-31 Jul 1879

District of Columbia Probate Records 1801-1852

Genealogical & Historical Notes on Culpeper Co, VA

New Member

PHILLIPS, Nancy W, 616 Mt Hood Dr, Antioch TN 37013-2788, 615-367-6975, Messinger, Mowls, Weis, Williams.

Change of Address

Davies, Marian M, 92 Willard St, Rittman OH 44720
Flowers, Hubert & Ann, 1310 Concord Ave NW, Massillon OH 44646

Yost, Dorothy M, 1406 Heathercrest Dr, Arlington TX 76018-2524

Confederate Army (Cont)

history of the world--the Reconstruction of the South. The story of the self-control of these disbanded men in the situation in which they found themselves when they reached their homes, of their courage, their patience, their effort, forms one of the finest chapters of heroism in the History of the United States.

Stark County Marriages

Marriages from the Canton Repository and Republican have been copied by Karl Harsh and compared to the official records. Only those are selected which have either additional or different information from the Marriage Record, or are not recorded at all. 7-# refers to volume and page number of the Marriage Books; NIB = Not in book; CR = date of Canton Repository and Republican; MR = Marriage Record. The year is 1870.

NIB Bartlett, J C, MD, Canton & Miss M F Hart, Marietta, dtr of Dr B F Hart, no date given. (IGI = Bartlett, Jeremiah C, Miss Franklin Hart, married at Marietta, OH 27 Jan 1870, by Rev T H Hawks, DD. CR = 3 Feb 1870)

NIB Blackford, Samuel S, Capt, Washington, DC & Mrs Frances L Sanford, Randolph, OH, dtr of J C Brainerd, Esq, 12 Oct 1870 by Rev R S Borland assisted by Rev J Merriam. (CR = 21 Oct 1870)

7-297 Bresson, Peter, Wayne Co & Mrs Frances Galisot, Stark Co 6 Apr 1870. (CR = 14 Apr 1870; MR = Brisson, Peter; also Gerard Galizot m Frances Belot 2 Jun 1867).

NIB Burson, William, Alliance & Mrs Susan C Lewis at the home of Mrs Mills, Still Fork, OH, 28 Dec 1869, by Rev T V Milligan. (CR = 20 Jan 1870).

NIB Cook, A, & Miss Mary Robin, both of Canton, 4 Oct 1870, by Rev F Berthelet. (CR = 21 Oct 1870).

NIB Durgin, J L & Miss Anna E Rupp, Warren, at Warren, OH, 17 May 1870, by Rev Bailey. (CR = 2 Jun 1870).

NIB Folsom, G B, Canton & Miss Hettie Emerson, New Brighton, PA, at New Brighton, PA, 3 Nov 1870 by Rev B C Critchlow. (CR = 18 Nov 1870).

NIB Geib, S S, Stark Co & Miss Kate Wise, Portage Co, at St Joseph Church, Randolph, Portage Co, 19 Mar 1870, by Rev L Koehn, Jr. (CR = 28 Apr 1870).

NIB Gerould, H, Dr, Massillon & Miss Julie A Clapp, Mentor, 21 Jun 1870 by Rev A Atwater. (CR = 7 Jul 1870).

7-347 Glerke, Charles & Miss Magdalena Mutchler, both of Stark Co, 21 Aug 1870. (CR = 11 Nov 1870; (CR = Yearke, Charles).

7-375 Herbster, Peter, Paris & Miss Sarah Higgins, Canton, 16 Oct 1870. (CR = 21 Oct 1870).

7-279 Hershey, John & Miss Carrie Stevenson, no date given. (CR = 3 Mar 1970, MR = 24 Feb 1870).

NIB Howeld, Christian, Massillon & Miss Adolds Prouts, Winesburg, at Griffin House, Millersburg, 18 Aug 1870, by Rev A S Milholland. (CR = 9 Sep 1870).

NIB Howley, Charles R & Miss Anne Ferguson, Canton, 25 Jan 1870, by Rev A R Bower. (CR = 27 Jan 1870).

7-288 Hoyer, H Harry & Miss Louisa Sehenry, both of Alliance, at the St Cloud Hotel, 17 Mar 1870. (CR = 24 Mar 1870; MR = Hoyes, Humphrey H & Louisa L Henry).

NIB Huber, Jacob & Miss Wilhelmine Gotwals, 25 Apr 1870, by Rev Joshua H Derr. (CR = 12 May 1870).

7-272 Kimberly, G Paul, Greenville, MI & Miss Anna M Lind, Massillon, 10 Feb 1870. (CR = 24 Feb 1870; MR = Kimberly, Gerald P).

7-370 Kittering, William & Miss Susan Landes, both of Nimishillen Tp, at the Baptist parsonage, 6 Oct 1870. (CR = 21 Oct 1870; MR = Kettering, William).

7-366 Kreighbaum, William B, Summit Co & Miss Mary E Richards, Stark Co, dtr of Isaac Richards, 4 Oct 1870. (CR = 11 Nov 1870).

7-328 Lozens, Elijah & Miss Sade Burgert, both of Washington Tp, 16 Jun 1870. (CR = 23 Jun 1870; MR = Lozer, Elijah & Sade Burget).

7-374 McLean, Cornelius J & Miss Mary E Moore, both from Canton, , no date listed. (CR = 21 Oct 1870; MR = 13 Oct 1870).

7-309 Miller, Julian & Miss Anna E Eicher, 5 May 1870. (CR = 12 May 1870; MR = Muller, Gilgian).

7-267 Ogg, John W & Mrs Ellenora Doll, both of Newton, Jasper Co, IA, at the Baptist parsonage Canton, 30 Jan 1870. (CR = 3 Feb 1870)

7-357 Penny, Joseph H & Miss Carrie Myers, Louisville, at Louisville, 15 Sep 1870 (CR - 14 Oct 1870).

NIB Penrose, Thomas, Alliance & Miss Hannah J Gibson, Mt Pleasant, Jefferson Co, 10 Feb 1870, by Rev D Mitchell. (CR = 24 Mar 1870).

NIB Perkins, William B, Canton & Miss Mary A Lowdan, Zanesville, 26 May 1870, by Rev B F Easton. (CR = 2 Jun 1870).

NIB Rankin, George T, New York City & Mrs Carrie M Welmer, 8 Sep 1870, by J H Bates. (CR 16 Sep 1870).

NIB Rankin, John C, Warren, OH & Miss Jennie Phillips, North Jackson, OH, 8 Sep 1870, by Rev J H Bates. (CR = 16 Sep 1870).

7-377 Robertson, W B & Miss M E Rhoads, Waynesburg, at the home of the bride, 19 Oct 1870. (CR = 21 Oct 1870; MR = Robertson, William B & Maggie Rhoads).

NIB Seip, C P, Dr, Canton & Miss Eliza Hoffman, Pittsburgh, PA, eldest dtr of Dr H Hoffman, at Pittsburgh, 23 Jun 1870, by Rev G A Wensel. (CR = 7 Jul 1870).

7-373 Shriver, Hiram, Canal Fulton & Miss Frances Shriver, Canton, 11 Oct 1870. (CR = 14 Oct 1870).

7-280 Slusser, Lewis M & Miss Cora Wolf, both of Canton, 1 Mar 1870. (CR = 3 Mar 1870; MR = Slusser, Levi).

7-340 Stanford, W M, Rockland, PA & Miss Rose A Welmer, Wilnot, dtr of Gabriel Welmer, 2 Aug 1870. (CR = 4 Aug 1870; MR = Stanford, Wesley).

NIB Straw, A Norton, Akron & Miss Amanda Harsh, Massillon, 27 Jan 1870, by Rev W Lynch. (CR = 10 Feb 1870)

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Stark Co Marriages (Cont)

7-334 Street, Zadok H, Salem & Miss Nancy A Bates, Canton, dtr of A A Bates, Esq, at Massillon 5 Jul 1870. (CR = 14 Jul 1870).

NIB Tomlinson, Allen J, Prof, principal of the Friends Academy, Columbiana Co & Miss Anna Fawcett, dtr of Simeon Fawcett, 10 Nov 1870, by Rev J M Bray. (CR = 18 Nov 1870).

7-373 Thurston, Charles A & Miss Lou V Cook, both of Canton, at the bride's mother's home in Louisville, 13 Oct 1870. (CR = 21 Oct 1870; MR = Lou V Cook).

NIB Wageman, Adam, Summit Co & Miss Sarah Long, Portage Co, 30 Oct 1870, by Rev A Miller. (CR = 18 Nov 1870).

NIB Weilandt, John F & Miss Mary Becherer, both of Canton, 27 Jan 1870. (CR = 3 Feb 1870).

7-285 Wendling, Charles & Miss Elizabeth Katienbach no date listed. (CR = 5 May 1870; MR = 10 Mar 1870; Wentling, Charles & Miss Elizabeth Colenbauch).

NIB Wharton, William C, North Benton, Mahoning Co & Miss Emma A Farber, Magnolia, Carroll Co, 11 Oct 1870, by Rev William Dickson. (CR = 21 Oct 1870).

7-313 Williams, Alfred & Miss Margaret Thomas, both from Sparta, at Waynesburg, 12 May 1870. (CR = 26 May 1870).

NIB Yark, Simon, Indiana & Miss Caroline Louby, Summit Co, 13 Oct 1870, by Rev D M Martins. (CR = 11 Nov 1870).

Consent of Marriage

The following consent was found with the marriage license application of F H Bagley and Josephine Seney, in the Seneca County Probate Court marriage records. It was dated 11 October 1858. The bride-to-be was under 18 years of age.

"As her guardian my consent is required by law for the reason, as you are doubtless aware—a minor cannot make a binding contract. But it is equally true that, in many cases, minors are as competent to judge for themselves, as at any subsequent period of their lives. And believing that, my sister has sufficient judgement and direction to decide this question for herself, her choice is with my consent. I trust that your union may be long, happy, and useful."

George Seney

Source: Seneca Searchers, Sep/Oct 1996

Humor

A woman of 92 died, a spinster. She requested only female pallbearers because "Men didn't take me out when I was alive, so they sure as heck aren't taking me out when I am dead." Source: Fairfield Trace, Summer 1997

Ancestors vs Descendants

Source: James L Kilpatrick 13 Apr 1997 furnished by Member Robert A Stonerock.

The Court of Peeves, Crotchets & Irks resumes its April assizes with a class action. The suit was filed two years ago by a plaintiff with the improbable name of Alexander Woolly Bear III. He wrote from a motel in Olympia, WA to express his outrage at a headline in the local Olympian: "Geronimo's ancestors face a million-dollar question."

Mr Bear was upset: "Ancestors? What do they mean, ANCESTORS?"

The story dealt with a proposal to bury nuclear waste on the Apache reservation in exchange for a \$250 million payment. Some members of the tribe were in favor of acceptance; Joe Geronimo, grandson of the great Apache chieftain (1829-1909), was opposed. Obviously, Joe Geronimo is not an ANCESTOR: Joe is a DESCENDANT.

Since Woolly Bear III filed his complaint in 1995, the court has been inundated with clippings in which some inattentive writer has confused ancestors and descendants. The court will admit in evidence the remarkable news that:

In South Carolina, ancestors of Civil War veterans are protesting removal of the Confederate flag from the state capitol.

In Salmon, Idaho, "a century after prospectors prowled the mountains looking for gold, their ancestors walk the same trails..."

In St Augustine FL, according to The Associated Press, "An ancestor of Christopher Columbus canceled a speech here and returned to Spain."

In the dairy industry, "unfortunately the primary issue facing American farmers 100 years ago is the issue facing their ancestors today: Making a living as a farmer is more often than not impossible."

In Biloxi, MS, "Two ancestors of crew members who sailed to what is now Biloxi in 1699 are among the five developers who want to build the first casino in D'Iberville."

Aaargh! The court decrees: Every computer in every newsroom in the nation shall henceforth be rigged to prevent, or at least to deter, such bonehead statements. When the work "ancestor" is typed, a question shall appear on the screen: "Look, stupid: Do you mean 'ancestor' or do you mean 'descendant'?" Further remedial orders will be issued as they may be required.

Stark County Marriages

Marriages from the Canton Republican have been copied by Karl Harsh and compared to the official records. NIB = Not in book; OR = Date of newspaper. Those found in the official records (MR) show Vol 7, and page number. The year is 1870/71.

7-414 **Bright**, Charles H & Margaret **Keller**, 29 Dec 1870 by Rev J Dick. (OR = 6 Jan 1871; MR = BEIGHT).

NIB **Bryan**, Franklin & Miss Mary C **Yarian** 4 May 1871, by Elder S S Chapman. (OR = 12 May 1871).

NIB **Donnenworth**, Samuel & Miss Emma **Houseman**, both of Canal Fulton, no date listed, by Rev J J Fast.

NIB **Duell**, David L, Canton & Miss Amanda **Richards**, Harlem Springs, Carroll Co, OH, 27 Aug 1871, by Rev B F Booth. (OR = 1 Sep 1871).

7-395 **Everhard**, Henry, Massillon & Mrs Eliza **Housley**, Buckhart, IL 17 Nov 1870 by Rev J J Fast. (OR = 25 Nov 1870).

7-445 **Gardner**, A & Miss Olivia **Fribley**, both of Navarre 9 Mar 1871, by Rev W A Hale. (OR = 17 Mar 1871; MR = Gorden, Andrew Y).

NIB **Hartzell**, Jesse & Miss Mary E **Stanley**, near Beloit, 15 Aug 1871 by Rev Robert Dickson. (OR = 1 Sep 1871).

NIB **Hawk**, John W, Canal Fulton & Miss Sarah M **Schwamm**, Canaan Tp, Wayne Co, OH 22 Dec 1870 by Rev L A Markham. (OR = 30 Dec 1870).

NIB **Hollaban**, Abraham, New Baltimore & Miss Helen **Jendly**, Deerfield, at Deerfield 23 Nov 1870 by Elder A R D Damon. (OR = 2 Dec 1870).

7-395 **Hunter**, John K, Carroll Co & Miss Pauline **Monnier**, Plain Tp, Stark Co, both deaf mutes, 17 Nov 1870 by Rev E Buckingham. (OR = 25 Nov 1870; MR = Paline Monnon).

7-408 **Landerbaugh**, August L & Miss Sarah A **Clapper**, both of Stark Co, 22 Dec 1870 by Rev A H Schulze. (OR = 30 Dec 1870; MR = August L Laubender).

NIB **Lautzenheiser**, Ezra E, DeKalb Co, IN & Miss Elizabeth **Richman**, Steuben Co, IN, married at the home of the bride's father 25 Mar 1871, by Rev J E Swihart. (OR = 14 Apr 1871).

7-441 **McConville**, D, Steubenville & Miss E **Hingeley**, Massillon, dtr of Rev E Hingeley, 14 Mar 1871, by Rev E Hingeley, assisted by Rev E R Stephens in the Methodist Church in Massillon. (OR = 17 Mar 1871; MR = McConville, Daniel & Emily Mary Hingeley).

NIB **Muir**, Andrew & Miss Jennette **Simpson**, both of New Lisbon, in New Lisbon 20 Nov 1871, by Rev R L Williams. (OR = 8 Dec 1871).

7-170 **Nichols**, Byron W, Canton & Miss A **Savary**, Boston, MA, at the residence of Josiah Nichols, Beaver Falls, PA 19 Nov 1870, by Rev S McCarthy. (OR = 25 Nov 1870; MR = Annie L Savory, 19 Jun 1869).

NIB **Park**, Daniel H, Sharedon, IA & Miss Martha R **Roadman**, Cedar Valley, Wayne Co, OH, 16 Dec 1870 by Rev L A Markham. (OR = 30 Dec 1870)

NIB **Piero**, Anthony, Canton & Miss Mary E **Crall**, Mansfield, only dtr of the late John Crall, at Mansfield, 30 Jan 1871, by Rev A Magenham. (OR = 10 Feb 1871).

NIB **Ralston**, Robert W & Miss Belle **Deemer**, both of Wooster, 19 Sep 1871, by Rev W A Smith. (OR = 22 Sep 1871).

7-420 **Schilling**, Edward, Louisville, Stark Co & Miss Mary E **McGregor**, Canton, eldest dtr of A McGregor, Esq, Editor of the Stark County Democrat, 16 Jan 1871, by Rev E Buckingham. (OR = 20 Jan 1871). As the bride was the dtr of an editor, the printers were not forgotten; and we thankfully acknowledge the receipt of a goodly portion of cake. May their voyage through life be one of happiness and contentment and may they never want for schillings.

7-417 **Shertzer**, Winifred & Miss Flora H **Hill**, both of Plain Tp, 4 Jan 1871, by Rev E Buckingham. (OR = 6 Jan 1871; MR = Schertzer, Winfield & Miss Flora A Hull).

7-413 **Simmes**, Samuel P & Miss Emeline **Sponseller**, 29 Dec 1870, by Rev Joshua H Derr. (OR = 6 Jan 1871; MR = Simmer, Samuel P).

NIB **Snyder**, James P, Summit Co & Miss Mary M **Stroman**, East Liberty, OH, 1 Jan 1871, by Rev A Miller. (OR = 13 Jan 1871).

NIB **Strayer**, Oliver J & Miss Lizzie C **Hawke**, at the residence of Mrs Hawke near Waynesburg 31 Jan 1871. (OR = 3 Feb 1871)

7-439 **Sweeney**, William Myers & Miss Margaret **Cable**, dtr of Samuel Cable, near Sandyville, 2 Mar 1871, by Rev Charles Fickinger. (OR = 10 Mar 1871)

NIB **Wallace**, James, Philadelphia & Miss Margaret **Park**, Canfield, in Alliance 25 Jan 1871, by F M Green. (OR = 27 Jan 1871).

7-393 **Wasen**, Philip & Miss Fannie **Beck** 25 Nov 1870, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 25 Nov 1870; MR = 15 Nov 1870).

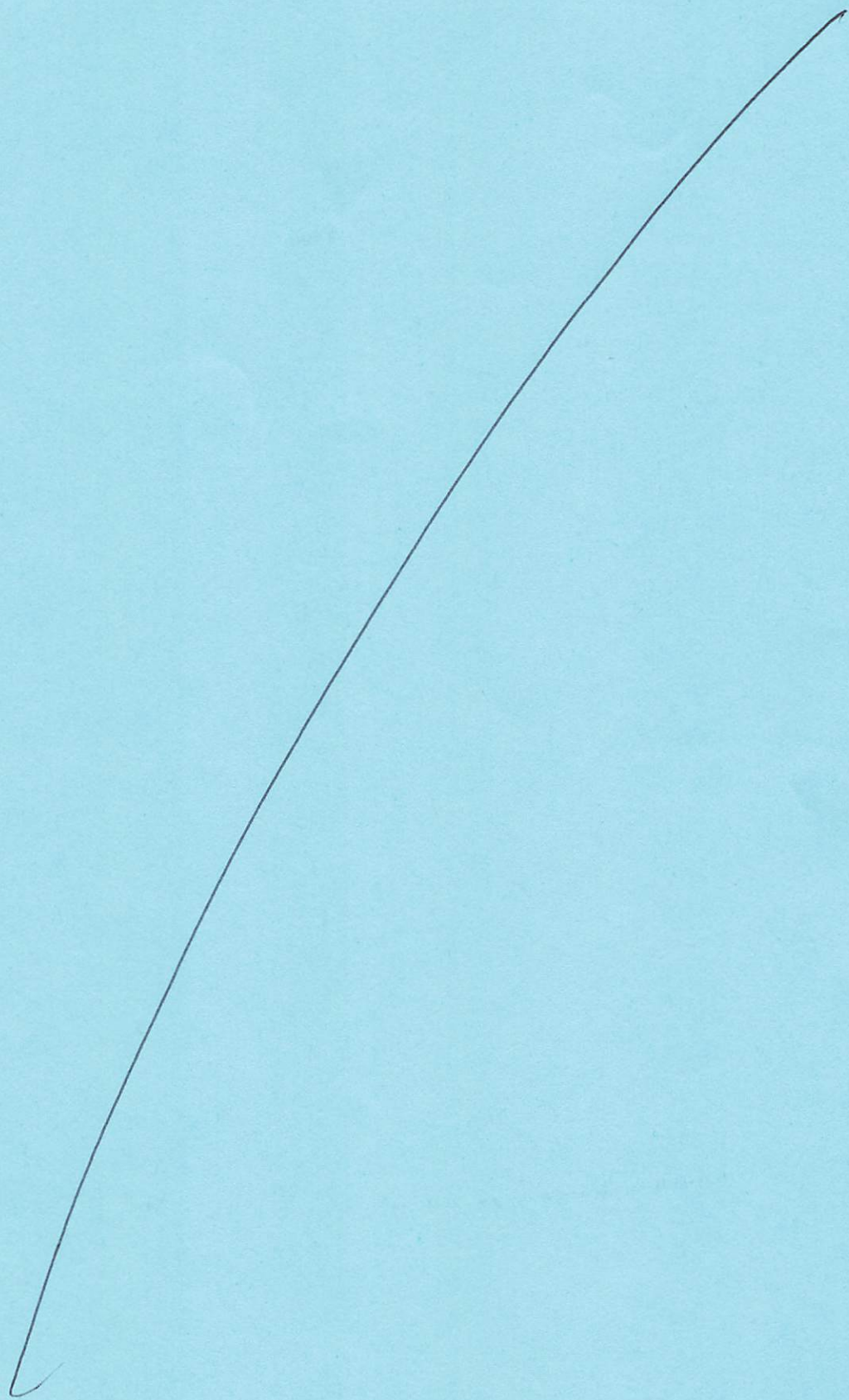
1875 Combination Atlas Map of Stark County Ohio

Compiled, Drawn and Published From
Personal Examinations and Surveys
By L H Everts & Co, Philadelphia

An examination of the above book will enable anyone to obtain a picture of Stark County in 1875. There are illustrations throughout the book of residences of famous people, scenes from the countryside, government buildings, churches, schools, farms, and many people.

Included is a History of Stark County one account in English and another in German. There are also accounts of the 17 townships with their histories. Biographical sketches of many outstanding persons who lived in and built the county from the very beginning.

Except for the German we will bring many of these items to you in the Tree Climber over the next year. See page 39.



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Stark County Marriages Ohio Repository

Karl Harsh has copied marriages from the newspaper and compared them to the official records. Ones selected have either additional or different information or are not recorded. B# refers to Vol and page # of the Marriage Books; NIB = Not in Book; OR = date of Ohio Repository; MR = Marriage Record. The years are 1849-1852.

NIB **Baer**, Abraham, Jr, formerly of Stark Co & Mrs **Mary Arnold**, both of Coshocton Co, no date given. IGI lists Barr, Abraham 9 Nov 1851. (OR = 7 Jan 1852).

B352 **Barber**, George Arnold & Miss **Frances Dixon**, both of Canton, 29 Apr 1850. (OR = 1 May 1850; MR = Arnold, George, 29-Apr 1849).

NIB **Bigelow**, John Gordon, Canton & Miss **Isabella P Hine**, Warren, married at Warren, OH, 2 May 1850, by Rev Perkey. (OR = 8 & 16 Oct 1850).

C11 **Blyler**, John & Miss **Mary Edginton**, both of Lawrence Tp, 12 Feb 1852. (OR = 18 Feb 1852; MR = John Bliler).

NIB **Burkett**, William, Hanover & Miss **Tabitha Pritchard**, dtr of **Rezin Pritchard**, Harlem Springs, Carroll Co, 25 Dec 1851, by Rev John Hare. (OR = 7 Jan 1852).

B342 **Burr**, Charles S & Sarah W **Malsburt**, both printers, 9 Apr 1850. (OR = 10 Apr 1850; MR = Laura W Masbury).

NIB **Carr**, James G, Dr, Coshocton & Miss **Ann McCann**, Canton, at Cleveland, 8 Jan 1852, by J Bair, Esq. (OR = 21 Jan 1852).

B342 **Delop**, George, Osnaburg Tp & Miss **Mary Lapoose**, Canton, 21 Jan 1850. (OR = 30 Jan 1850; MR = Mary Sapoose).

B309 **Fisher**, Samuel & Miss **Rebecca Kitterer**, both of Sugar Creek Tp, 13 Feb 1849. (OR = 21 Feb 1849; MR = Rebecca Kettens).

NIB **Focke**, Edward L, Massillon & Miss **Elizabeth L Small**, Baltimore, dtr of D B Small, at Baltimore 19 Mar 1850. (OR = 27 Mar 1850).

B369 **Forney**, Abraham P, Wayne Co & Miss **Harriet Weimer**, Sugar Creek Tp, dtr of John Weimer, double wedding at home of John Weimer 29 Dec 1850. (OR = 8 Jan 1851; MR = Harriet Weiner).

B352 **Foster**, Jonathan & Miss **Anne Cline**, both of Jackson Tp, 18 Apr 1850. (OR = 24 Apr 1850; MR = Fosters, Jonathan & Anne Cline).

B332 **Frailey**, William P, Canton & Miss **Caroline F Goodwill**, North Industry, dtr of B C Goodwill, Esq, 15 May 1849. (OR = 16 May 1849).

B370 **Frease**, Jacob, merchant of Milton, Franklin Co, PA & Miss **Harriet Feighner**, dtr of Adam

Feighner, 21 Nov 1850. (OR = 4 Dec 1850).

C23 **Gardheffner**, Andrew & Mrs **Mary A Tulman**, both of Lawrence Tp, 5 May 1852. (OR = 25 May 1852; MR = Mary A Sallmon).

NIB **Gay**, James P, Akron & Miss **Sarah C Skinner**, Massillon, dtr of C K Skinner, Esq, at Massillon, 2 Aug 1849, by Rev A Clark. (OR = 22 Aug 1849).

NIB **Gottshall**, John F, Canton, printer & Miss **M L Gordon**, Warren, at Warren, 2 May 1852 by Rev Ranstead. (OR = 12 May 1852).

NIB **Grant**, Jeremiah, Stark Co & Miss **Eliza Brown**, Wayne Co, at Wooster, 7 Jun 1849, by Rev Page. (OR = 20 Jun 1849).

B369 **Grim**, Josiah S, Tuscarawas Co & Miss **Elizabeth Weimer**, Sugar Creek Tp, dtr of John Weimer, double wedding at home of John Weimer, 29 Dec 1850. (OR = 8 Jan 1851).

B367 **Haas**, Thomas A & Miss **Eliza E Kimmell**, both of Canton, dtr of Adam Kimmell, 12 Nov 1850. (OR = 13 Nov 1850).

NIB **Hammel**, Levi D, Jackson Tp & Miss **Susan Elizabeth Mallinger**, formerly of Summit Co, now of Lancaster Co, PA, 15 Feb 1852, by Rev P Spangler. (OR = 18 Feb 1852).

NIB **Hanna**, J A, Rev, Dalton, OH & Miss **E Bell McMillen**, Cannonsburg PA, at Pittsburgh, 3 Feb 1852 by Rev William D Howard. (OR = 4 Feb 1852).

NIB **Hartman**, Joseph M & Miss **Catharine Stover**, both of Canton, at Erie, MI, 8 Jan 1852. (OR = 28 Jan 1852).

B347 **Hoffman**, John J, Merchant of Massillon & Miss **Caroline Bockius**, Canton, eldest dtr of John C Bockius, 26 Feb 1850. (OR = 27 Feb 1850).

B340 **Holtz**, Michael & Miss **Phebe E Folsom**, both of Canton, 14 Mar 1850. (OR = 27 Mar & 3 Apr 1850; MR = Phebe E Volson).

NIB **Houts**, Abraham, MD, & Miss **Esther Ellen Porter**, at Canal Fulton, 29 Nov 1849, by Rev C Hartley. (OR = 5 Dec 1849).

NIB **Irwin**, Jonathan, Stark Co & Miss **Cornelia Armstrong**, Richland Co, 21 Nov 1850, by Rev A Scott. (OR = 4 Dec 1850).

NIB **Jackson**, John, Richland Co & Miss **Martha Louthan**, Stark Co, 17 Jul 1845, by Rev S A Shearer. (OR = 31 Jul 1845).

B352 **Jamison**, David & **Rebecca Masters**, 4 May 1850. (OR = 8 May 1850; MR = Jameson, David).

B340, **Karns**, A D, formerly of Canton now of Savannah, GA & Miss **Lucy M Hawk**, Canton,

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Stark Co Marriages (Cont)

only dtr of William Hawk, deceased, 18 Dec 1849). (OR = 19 Dec 1849; MR Karn, Aaron J & Mary Lucinda Hawk).

NIB Kissell, John G, Bryan, Williams Co, OH & Miss Charlotte Yates, formerly of Brookfield, Stark Co, at Bryan, Williams Co, 25 Feb 1850, by Rev B Herbert. (OR = 20 Mar 1850).

NIB Klinker, Joseph & Miss Catharine Kryder, both of Sugar Creek Tp, 13 Jun 1850, by Rev D Kemmerer. (OR = 19 Jun 1850).

C10 Lancaster, William, a colored man, & Miss Harreit Smith, a white girl, 28 Dec 1851. (OR = 28 Jan 1852; MR = Henrietta Smith).

B310 Longabaugh, Henry & Miss Eliza Jolly, both of Pike Tp, 18 Jan 1849. (OR = 24 Jan 1849; MR = Langabaugh, Henry).

B369 Lytle, Andrew, IL & Miss Elizabeth Ritchie, Lawrence Tp, 25 Dec 1850. (OR = 1 Jan 1851).

NIB McMillen, A M, Canal Fulton & Miss Rebecca, Neeper, Lancaster, PA, at Lancaster Pa, 19 May 1849, by Rev Rutter. (OR = 6 Jun 1849).

B367 McSweeney, John, Esq, Wooster, & Miss Catharine Ann Rex, Canton, dtr of Jacob Rex, 7 Jan 1851. (OR = 8 Jan 1851).

NIB Melsheimer, Charles A & Miss Eliza A Haack, both formerly of Canton and now of Milwaukee, WI, 22 Apr 1852, by Rev J J Winter. (OR = 12 May 1852).

B310 Miller, Eli & Miss Catharine Bowen, both of Perry Tp, 18 Feb 1849. (OR = 21 Feb 1849; MR = Catharine Brown).

NIB Miller, Peter, Stark Co & Miss Elizabeth Rens, Salem, Columbiana Co, 25 Sep 1850, by Rev Ebbert. (OR = 9 Oct 1850).

NIB Mills, Francis P & Miss Mary Ann Welty, both of Pike Tp, 3 Feb 1852, by Rev J D Cramer. (OR = 11 Feb 1852).

B335 Morrow, Thomas, Marlborough & Miss Susanna Nogel, Washington Tp, at American Hotel, 5 Jul 1849. (OR = 11 Jul 1849; MR = Susanna Nickel).

NIB Nighman, Constantine T & Miss Emeline Bitler, both of Canton, at Bethlehem Tp, 12 May 1850, by Rev J Hamilton. (OR = 15 May 1850).

B249 Norford, James & Miss Elizabeth Talbot, both of Massillon, 6 Dec 1849. (OR = 19 Dec 1849; MR = Elizabeth Talleret).

NIB Nutting, T B, innkeeper in Massillon & Miss Julia T Butler, Northfield, at Northfield, 6 May 1852, by Rev Tubby. (OR = 19 May 1852).

NIB Oyer, ? Paris, Stark Co & Miss Catharine Lamborn, New Lisbon, Columbiana Co, 27 Jan

1852, by Elder Lanphear. (OR = 18 Feb 1852).

C19 Patton, John & Miss Francenia M Shorb, both of Canton, dtr of John Shorb, 27 Apr 1852. (OR = 28 Apr 1852).

B333 Perry, Henry & Miss Margaret Grusch, both of Lake Tp, 5 Aug 1849. (OR = 15 Aug 1849; MR = Margaret Treesh).

B355 Pontius, John & Miss Mary Hoover, both of Plain Tp, dtr of Henry Hoover, 18 Apr 1850. (OR = 24 Apr 1850).

NIB Porter, John, editor of the Richmond Clipper & Miss Elizabeth Main, at Carrollton, 21 Apr 1850, by Rev D Rothacker. (OR = 8 May 1850).

B353 Price, Levi & Miss Lydia A McClun, both of Marlborough Tp, 20 Apr 1850, at the Eagle House, Canton. (OR = 24 Apr 1850; MR = Lydia McCleen).

NIB Rinehart, Charles & Miss Rose Christem, both of Canal Fulton, at Clinton, Summit Co, 28 Feb 1850, by Rev C Hartley. (OR = 27 Mar 1850).

NIB Robinet, Nathan W & Miss Elmira Roberts, both of Brown Tp, Carroll Co, 4 Mar 1850, by Samuel Ross, Esq. (OR = 20 Mar 1850).

C23 Russell, Hugh J & Miss Nancy Gull, both of Stark Co, 6 May 1852. (OR = 19 May 1852).

B310 Saxton, George R & Miss Kate B Shorb, both of Canton, dtr of John Shorb, at Little Sandusky, 20 Feb 1849. (OR = 20 Feb 1849; MR = Catharine B Shorb).

B341 Shelly, Joseph & Miss Sarah Sailing, both of Stark Co, in Seville, Medina Co, 8 Mar 1850. (OR = 20 Mar 1850; MR = Sarah Shilling).

C1 Shriver, David, vicinity of Canton & Miss Susan Bower, Nimishillen Tp, dtr of the late Mathias Bower, no date listed. (OR = 7 Jan 1852; MR = 4 Dec 1851).

NIB Smith, John M & Miss Eliza Jane Hissam, both of Brookfield, at Brookfield, 17 Mar 1850, by Rev J F Kennedy. (OR = 27 Mar 1850).

B352 Speakman, James H & Miss Christiana Essig, both of Plain Tp, dtr of Jacob Essig, 18 Apr 1850. (OR = 24 Apr 1850; MR = Christine Essig).

B357 Stonehill, Daniel & Miss Adeline Brothers, both of Plain Tp, 13 Jun 1850. (OR = 19 Jun 1850; MR = David Stonehill).

B357 Thompson, James & Miss Margaret Bowman, both of Bethlehem Tp, at residence of Mrs Bowman on the Houser Farm, 11 Jun 1850. (OR = 19 Jun 1850; MR = Margaret Boughman).

B347 Truby, Samuel J & Miss Mary Grover, both of Sugar Creek Tp, at the American House, 17 Jan 1850. (OR = 30 Jan 1850; Mary Groner).

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C4 Van Vooris, William & Miss Nancy Cook, both of Osnaburg Tp, 25 Dec 1851. (OR = 7 Jan 1852; MR = 15 Dec 1851).

NIB Wadsworth, Jacob R, Waynesburg & Miss Elizabeth Finefrock, Carroll Co, 3 Mar 1850, by Rev D Rollacre. (OR = 20 Mar 1850).

B346 Warstler, Solomon & Miss Maria Snyder, both of Lake Tp, dtr of Simon Snyder, 24 Mar 1850. (OR = 27 Mar 1850).

NIB Willison, Conrad W, Massillon & Miss Caroline Scott, Millersburg, 29 May 1850. (OR = 5 Jun 1850).

NIB Wyman, W W & Mrs Eliza C Brooks, dtr of Connor Sweeney late of Canton, at Madison, WI, 10 Jan 1849. (OR = 31 Jan 1849). Her first husband was Joseph Brooks.

B329 Zent, Samuel H, Falls House Deardorffs Mill, Wayne Tp, Tuscarawas Co & Miss Charlotte Shearer, Sugar Creek Tp, Stark Co, at the Eagle Hotel, Canton, 21 Jun 1849. (OR = 27 Jun 1849; MR = Zent, Samuel H).

The Allmon Project

The Allmon Project, c/o Jean Barnes, 244 Prospect St, Berea, OH 44017-2460 is attempting to find the descendants of William Allmon of Washington Co, PA. His children include James, John, William, Henry, Haman, Sarah, Elizabeth & Hannah. They would like to hear from you if your name follows:

Alford, Allbaugh, Allmon, Alvanito, Anania, Andreson, Applegarth, Armstrong, Ball, Barnes, Balcer, Barrick, Barton, Baughman, Beadle, Bearkheimer, Beck, Blackledge, Blazer, Blythe, Boone, Borland, Boyd, Branch, Brown, Buck, Burke, Cain, Carnes, Carson, Cartwright, Check, Clements, Clutter, Cocklin, Connor, Cosgrove, Cotterman, Crabb, Cree, Croft, Cromie, Culver, Dahlinger, Dailey, Davis, Dawes, Dennis, Dere, DeWalt, Dickerhoff, Dixon, Drayton, Duffy, Dugger, Dunbar, Dutton, Dye, Eames, Eberhardt, Ecrement, Edmondson, Everett, Farnet, Favret, Fawcett, Fink, Fishel, Flint, Forhand, Fry, Gallatin, Gates, Geckler, Gerren, Glazner, Good, Goodman, Graham, Grimm, Green, Grimes, Grossman, Gstalder, Guess, Gunderson, Haney, Hart, Hastler, Haugh, Hawkins, Heidy, Heinzman, Hershey, Hewitt, Hill, Hogsed, Holder, Hoobler, Hopkins, Hudson, Hughes, Hull, Hummel, Hutson, Hykes, Jacobs, Jamison, Jenkins, Johnson, Jones, Kean, Kedzer, Kirby, Kirkum, Klein, Kleman, Knouse, Knox, Kozar, Kreuger, Kriynovich, Laetare, Lafferty, Latta, Leidtke, Linder, Little, Lucas, Madison, Magee, Malorni, Markley, Martin, Mathey, Mayfield, McCausland, McConnaughy, McIntyre, McKay, McKenzie, McLaughlin, McMaster, Mefford, Merryman, Michael, Miller, Monroe, Morrow, Mosberger, Myers, Neff, Neighbor, Nelson, Norman, Palmer, Park, Paterson, Patrick, Paul, Pepper, Peters, Peterson, Phillabaum, Pierce, Pietro, Pinkerton, Pompey, Potter, Pottiger, Powell, Presloid, Preston, Pritchard, Rabbitt, Radloff, Ray, Reynolds, Rhoads, Rintanen, Ritter, Robeson, Rodriguez, Rogers, Roudebush, Rumple, Rush, Rutledge, Saltsman, Scarlott,

Schaefer, Scott, Seaman, Sexton, Shane, Shaw, Shepherd, Sherlock, Sherry, Simmons, Stenger, Stephen, Stoneman, Summers, Tate, Taylor, Terry, Thinger, Thomas, Thrall, Tinlin, Torrence, Toth, Triner, Vahalik, VanSickle, Wallace, Watkins, Wayman, West, Westbrook, Wheeler, White, Williams, Wilson, Winnett, Wolbert, Woods, Wright, Yocum, Zawrotny, Zurfley.

Some of the children of William Allmon (1736-1830) came to Ohio in the early 1800's: James, John, William, Henry, Haman, Sarah, Elizabeth and Hannah.

What Can Atlases Tell Me?

By Bill Graver, Hamilton Co Chapter OGS 15:3 1994

For many genealogists locating the address of an ancestor can be a major accomplishment. Specific details about the house and neighborhood is often lost to history and beyond the reach of most researchers. Below is some of the information that can be found in atlases. A good place to start any land/building search is your local library. Atlases and city/county directories should be available. Sanborn Fire Maps can be most helpful

Specifics To Be Learned:

Street addresses for both original and renumbered systems
 Legal descriptions for subdivision name and lot number or township, range and part of a section
 Measurements copied or calculated, street corner to building or lot or acres
 Counts for number of lots and buildings from corners of streets and alleys
 Size of building, dimensions, shape number of stories, setback
 Construction: brick, frame, stone, concrete, metal
 Roof: tine, composition, shingles
 Features: porches, elevators, stairwells
 Labels: dwelling, tenement, shop, business name

What the Neighborhood was like:

Buildings: churches, schools, firehouses, car barns, saloons, shops
 Businesses: big compounds show many details
 Transportation: railroads, canals, livery stables, street car lines
 Water for firefighting: wells, cisterns, fire plugs
 Other: farms, creeks, rivers, quarries, cemeteries

Who has owned this land and building

Maps and atlases: owner names by lot or just on larger lots/farms

The County Recorder's Office can be helpful in finding indexes for your ancestors' area in the county.

Stark County Marriages Ohio Repository

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NIB Anenny, R V and Miss Sarah Lavine, both of Millersburg, at Massillon, 4 Aug 1853, by Rev Blood. (OR = 17 Aug 1853).

C83 Black, James P & Miss Ada M Harris, both of Canton, dtr of John Harris, 11 May 1854. (OR = 17 May 1854).

C86 Christleib, John, age 70 & Miss Fanny Cable, aged 46, both of Pike Tp, 5 Mar 1854. (OR = 15 Mar 1854).

NIB Coates, Isaac G, Stark Co & Miss Emma S Morris, Chester Co, PA, at Moore Hall by Friends ceremony, 11 Nov 1853. (OR = 7 Dec 1853).

NIB Creps, David F & Miss Samantha C Lyman, dtr of John Lyman formerly of Stark Co, in Iroquois Co, IL, 24 Apr 1853. (OR = 11 May 1853).

C73 Doty, Andrew & Miss Adeline Moxheimer, both of Stark Co, at Wooster, 25 Oct 1853. (OR = 2 Nov 1853; MR = Adeline Maxheimer).

NIB Dresbach, Herr, the lion tamer & Miss Sallie A Walter, dtr of John Walter, Esq, near Wooster, 27 Apr 1854. (OR = 10 May 1854).

C85 Druckabrod, James & Miss Catharine Bair 1 Apr 1854. (OR = 3 May 1854; MR = Druckabrod, Jonas, 2 Apr 1854).

C52 Dyer, John W, Allegheny Co, PA & Miss Eliza Webb, Canton, dtr of George Webb, 21 Mar 1853. (OR = 23 Mar 1853; MR = Dyer, Joseph M, 22 Mar 1853).

NIB Evans, Owen, Alliance & Miss R A Lee, Salem, 27 Apr 1854, by Rev Grimes. (OR = 10 May 1854).

NIB Everett, William L, Akron, OH & Miss Adelaide A Fink, New Haven, only dtr of James Fink, Esq, no date listed, at St Paul's Church, New Haven CT, by Rev A N Littlejohn. (OR = 17 Aug 1853; MR = Adelaide Frink; IGI lists date as 1851).

C46 Fry, Thomas R & Miss Ann G Hogate, both of Alliance, at the American House, Canton. 16 Feb 1853. (OR = 2 Mar 1853; MR = Frey, Thomas R & Ann J Hogate).

C34 Gaddis, Henry & Miss Mary Putt, both of Tuscarawas Tp, at the Massillon House, 18 Jan 1853. (OR = 26 Jan 1853; MR = Caddis, Henry).

C53 Hammond, Jacob & Miss Rosanna Glessner, both of Plain Tp, 7 Apr 1853. (OR = 13 Apr

1853; MR = Rosanna Glessne).

NIB Haney, Jacob & Barbara Gur, at the Massillon House, 5 Dec 1853, by R H Folger, Esq. (OR = 7 Dec 1853).

C51 Hershberger, Jeremiah & Miss Harriet Shearer, both of Osnaburg Tp, dtr of Adam Shearer, 7 Apr 1853. (OR = 13 Apr 1853).

C89 Hilbert, Alson & Miss Elizabeth Hamilton, both of Canal Fulton, at Tremont House, Massillon, 13 Mar 1854. (OR = 29 Mar 1854; OR = Wilbert, Alvin, 16 Mar 1854).

NIB Hoopes, Jesse B, Stark Co & Miss Rachel Gilbert, Columbiana Co, 29 Dec 1853, by J McConnell, Esq. (OR = 11 Jan 1854).

NIB Hossler, Samuel & Miss Maria West, dtr of Jacob West, formerly of Stark Co, at DeKalb Co, IN, 24 Apr 1854, by James Hahn, Esq. (OR = 17 May 1854).

NIB Jacoby, Josiah, Navarre & Miss Phebe M Frunks, Doylestown, Wayne Co, 16 Mar 1854, by Rev J Richards. (OR = 29 Mar 1854).

C67 Karthaus, John F, Esq, & Miss Mary B Wellman, both of Massillon, dtr of Hiram Wellman, 12 Oct 1853. (OR = 26 Oct 1853).

NIB Lienhard, John & Miss Barbara Ann Krosselauser, both of Bethlehem Tp, 5 Oct 1853, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 26 Oct 1853).

NIB Lippencott, Joseph A, Wheeling VA & Miss Matilda Sprague, Wooster, dtr of Gen D N Sprague, at Wooster, 2 May 1854, by Rev P E Nash. (OR = 10 May 1854).

NIB Loutzenheiser, George, Stark Co & Miss Ann C Kissinger, Williams Co, at Williams Co, 8 Feb 1853, by D Farnham, Esq. (OR = 23 Feb 1853).

NIB McDowell, Samuel, Waynesburg & Miss Catharine Moore, Upper Sandusky, 10 Oct 1853, by Rev Thayer. (OR = 26 Oct 1853).

NIB McQueen, Daniel, Stark Co & Miss Miriam Unkefer, Carroll Co, 29 Dec 1853, by Rev M W Warren. (OR = 11 Jan 1854).

NIB Meyers, Joseph A, Canton & Miss Caroline L Bleck, Canal Dover, at Canal Dover, 23 Aug 1853, by Rev F R Holland. (OR = 31 Aug 1853).

C55 Mitchener, William & Miss Harriet Pratt 1 Mar 1853. (OR = 9 Mar 1853; MR = Michner, William).

C54 Mock, John Philip, St Louis & Miss Matilda R Breysacker, Canton, 2 Jun 1853. (OR = 8 Jun 1853; MR = Mack, John Philip & Matilda R Brysacker).

C91 Mohn, Daniel B & Miss Rebecca Woods, 23 Mar 1854. (OR = 3 May 1854; MR = Mahn, Daniel B).

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Stark Co Marriages (Cont)

C75 **Mytholer**, M, Dalton, Wayne Co & Miss **Caroline Hower**, Plain Tp, dtr of Adam Hower, 9 Oct 1853. (OR = 12 Oct 1853; MR = Mytholer, Maximullian).

NIB **Nimon**, John, Stark Co & Miss **Caroline Lodge**, Columbiana Co, 13 Mar 1853, by C M Aten, Esq. (OR = 23 Mar 1853).

C65 **Pfoutz**, Daniel & Miss **Elizabeth Riemen-schneider**, both of Stark Co, 3 Nov 1853. (OR = 21 Dec 1853; MR = Pfoutz, David B & Elizabeth Reamsnyder).

C57 **Phillips**, Uriel & Miss **Martha Crozier**, both of Paris, dtr of John Crozier, 7 Apr 1853. (OR = 20 Apr 1853).

C51 **Rahn**, Adam R & Miss **Emeline Feighner**, both of Canton Tp, dtr of John Feighner, 7 Apr 1853. (OR = 13 Apr 1853).

C51 **Price**, John & Miss **Jane Mills**, 1 May 1853. (OR = 18 May 1853; MR = Rice, John).

C56 **Robinson**, Elijah, Capt & Miss **Susan Rhodes**, at the house of J W Blackburn, Massillon, 27 Mar 1853. (OR = 30 Mar 1853; MR = Robison, Elijah & Susannah Rhodes).

C78 **Robinson**, Alfred, Ravenna & Miss **Sarah J Elson**, Waynesburg, 12 Dec 1853. (OR = 21 Dec 1853; MR = Robison, Alfred R).

C83 **Roudebush**, Abraham & Miss **Catharine Shaeffer**, 1 Jun 1854. (OR = 7 Jun 1854; MR = Shafer, Christina).

C63 **Seigh**, John & Miss **Mary A Shannon**, both of Massillon, 27 Nov 1853. (OR = 7 Dec 1853, MR = Sieg, John).

NIB **Shanley**, C, Massillon & Miss **Ann Maria Moore**, Port Stanley, dtr of John Moore, MD, at Port Stanley, Canada, 6 Oct 1853. (OR = 26 Oct 1853).

C71 **Sheidler**, Adam & Miss **Mary Kloppen-stein**, both of Stark Co, 6 Nov 1853. (OR = 21 Dec 1853; MR = Shidler, Adam W, 7 Nov 1853).

C85 **Shorb**, John S & Miss **Amanda L DeWalt**, Canton, dtr of Daniel DeWalt, at Massillon, 20 Apr 1854. (OR = 26 Apr 1854).

C86 **Snyder**, Daniel B & Miss **Frances Gilbert**, both of Stark Co, 16 Mar 1854. (OR = 29 Mar 1854; MR = Snider, Daniel B).

C35 **Spangler**, Lewis & Miss **Lydia A Weaver**, Plain Tp, dtr of Samuel Weaver, 17 Feb 1853. (OR = 23 Feb 1853).

NIB **Sweeney**, Connor, Col, late of Canton & Mrs **Louisa C Dresser**, late of Stockbridge, MA, at Madison, WI, 1 Nov 1853, by Rev Gardner. (OR = 9 Nov 1853).

C54 **Taylor**, Isaac, Wayne Co & Miss **Amelia**

Dille, Massillon, 5 Apr 1853. (OR = 13 Apr 1853; MR = Amelia Dele).

NIB **Thompson**, Joseph, Esq, Washington Tp & Mrs **Elizabeth Taylor**, Columbiana Co, at the New England Hotel, Cleveland, 16 Sep 1853, by I T Philpot. (OR = 8 Oct 1853).

C46 **Vanderhoof**, Aaron & Miss **Mary F Moffit**, dtr of P Moffit, at Louisville, 29 Jan 1853. OR = 2 Feb 1853; MR = Mary F Moffitt, 20 Jan 1853).

C87 **Vildebiddle**, Benjamin & Miss **Elizabeth Reese**, 31 Jan 1854. (OR = 15 Feb 1854; MR = Hildebittle, Benjamin & Elizabeth Keese).

NIB **Waers**, William H, Canton & Miss **Julia A Hine**, Eden, Trumbull Co, 28 Mar 1853, by Rev B F Perga. (OR = 30 Mar 1853).

C76 **Warser**, Josiah, Mercer Co, PA & Miss **Julia Ann Bowers**, Jackson Tp, 2 Feb 1854. (OR = 8 Feb 1854; MR = Wasser, Josiah).

NIB **Weary**, Henry W, Rockford, IL & Miss **Rosiela Inman**, Canton, dtr of Rev T E Inman, 15 Oct 1853, by Rev A M Torbet. (OR = 2 Nov 1853).

C53 **Weirich**, Isaac, merchant in Massillon & Miss **Maria S Everhard**, Jackson Tp, dtr of Henry Everhard, 17 May 1853. OR = 18 May 1853).

C33 **Wendler**, Herman, Cleveland & Miss **Mary Oertel**, Canton, dtr of H Oertel, 20 Jan 1853. (OR = 26 Jan 1853; MR = Windler, Herman).

C58 **Werner**, Henry & Miss **Mary Warner**, 18 Feb 1853. (OR = 23 Mar 1853; MR = Warner, Henry & Mary Warren).

C59 **Whipple**, Andrew & Miss **Elizabeth Free-man**, both of Perry Tp, 31 Mar 1853. (OR = 6 Apr 1853; MR = Whipple, Ambrose, 30 Mar 1853).

NIB **White**, John & Miss **Charlotte McAlpine**, both of Akron, at Methodist Church, Canton, 25 Dec 1853. (OR = 18 Jan 1854).

C85 **Wingert**, Daniel & Miss **Rebecca Wagner**, 20 Apr 1854. (OR = 3 May 1854; MR = Phoebe Wagner).

C92 **Worning**, Frederic & **Mary Ann Myers**, both of Stark Co, 5 Jan 1854. (OR = 18 Jan 1854; MR = Horning, Frederick & Mary Ann Meyer).

NIB **Younkman**, David, Stark Co & Miss **Susanna Stebby**, Tuscarawas Co, at New Philadelphia, 11 May 1854, by Rev A H Aughemr. (OR = 17 May 1854).

Chapter Membership

At the end of 1994 the Chapter had 360 members on the roster. Because of deaths, members who did not renew or those who were late renewing, the membership dropped dramatically. The membership has now risen above 360.

Stark County Marriages Ohio Repository

Karl Harsh has copied marriages from the newspaper and compared them to the official records. Only those are selected which have either additional or different information from the Marriage Record, or are not recorded at all. B# refers to Vol and Page # of the Marriage Books; NIB = Not in Book; OR = date of Ohio Repository; MR = Marriage Record. The years are 1854 to 1856.

NIB **Armstrong, W**, Norwalk & Miss **Rosalia Lattimer**, dtr of William Lattimer and formerly of Canton, 16 Jun 1855, at Crestline by Rev Bruner. (OR = 4 Jul 1855).

NIB **Bacon, D W C**, MD, Massillon & Miss **Louisa S Knight**, Oneida Co, NY, dtr of Hon W Knight, 11 Sep 1855, at Oneida Co, NY. (OR = 17 Oct 1855).

C152 **Becket, Edward** & Miss **Caroline Benger**, both of Paris Tp, 21 Feb 1856. (OR = 27 Feb 1856; MR = Chubert, Edward & Caroline Benger).

NIB **Beiler, Philip** & Miss **Catharine Bower**, 13 Mar 1856, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 19 Mar 1856).

NIB **Bettler, Frederick** & Miss **Matilda Kreichbaum**, 24 May 1855, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 27 Jun 1855).

C169 **Biebesheimer, John** & Miss **Barbara Swalen**, 19 Aug 1856. (OR = 27 Aug 1856; MR = Barbara Swalen).

NIB **Blount, R F**, Roanoke, IN & Miss **Tillie Taylor**, Massillon, at residence of C Eldred Roanoke, 22 Jul 1855, by Elder S L Collins. (OR = 15 Aug 1855).

C124 **Bouch, Asa** & Miss **Savilla Alexander**, 6 Mar 1855. (OR = 7 Mar 1855; MR = Pouch, Asa, 1 Mar 1855).

C160 **Bowers, Samuel** & Miss **Catharine Brumbaugh**, 6 Mar 1856. (OR = 19 Mar 1856; MR = 3 Mar 1856).

C141 **Bowman, Abraham**, Perry Tp & Miss **Charlotte Schick**, Canton, 27 Sep 1855. (OR = 3 Oct 1855; MR = Bowman, Adam).

C177 **Bucher, John R**, merchant & Miss **Emma E Wikidal**, dtr of Martin Wikidal, both of Canton, 14 Sep 1856. (OR = 8 Oct 1856; MR = Bucher, J R, 11 Sep 1856).

C152 **Cannon, John A**, Hollidaysburg, PA & Miss **Sarah E Fogle**, dtr of the late Lewis Fogle, Canton, 26 Feb 1856. (OR = 27 Feb 1856).

C152 **Chance, Perry** & Miss **Miranda Webb**, both of Lexington Tp, 29 Feb 1856. (OR = 5 Mar 1856; MR = Chance, Perry, Jr).

C171 **Culler, David** & Miss **Elizabeth Karn**, both of Stark Co, 12 Oct 1856 by Elder Henry Kurez of

Mahoning Co. (OR = 15 Oct 1856; MR = Elizabeth Kam).

C86 **Custer, Isaac** & Miss **Angeline Breamer**, both of Bethlehem Tp, at Navarre, 1 Aug 1854. (OR = 16 Aug 1854; MR = Cutter, Isaac & Angeline Bremer).

C170 **Doll, Benjamin** & Miss **Catharine Fisher**, both of Perry Tp, 20 Sep 1856. (OR = 24 Sep 1856; MR = Susan Fisher, 14 Sep 1856). Note: Massillon Cemetery lists Benjamin & Catharine.

C133 **Erb, Caleb H** & Miss **Sarah Ann Burgert**, Washington Tp, 22 Jul 1855. (OR = 8 Aug 1855; MR = Erb, Gottlieb).

C141 **Essig, Lewis** & Miss **Mary Jane Gaff**, dtr of John Gaff, both of Plain Tp, 25 Sep 1855. (OR = 3 Oct 1855).

NIB **Fisher, Henry** Canton, & Miss **Eunice Wyeth**, Conneaville, PA, no date listed, by Rev Nelson Smith at Conneaville, PA. (OR = 31 Oct 1855).

C129 **Foltz, John B** & Miss **Elisidana Hipsch**, at Navarre 10 Jun 1855. (OR = 20 Jun 1855; MR = Else Sana Hipsch, 24 May 1855).

NIB **Fulmer, Simon**, Stark Co & Miss **Sophia Stinebaugh**, Carroll Co, 24 Feb 1856 by Jacob Helfrich. (OR = 12 Mar 1856).

C145 **Foster, Sewell**, Green Tp, Summit Co & Miss **Eliza Heldenbrand**, dtr of Samuel Heldenbrand, Jackson Tp, 13 Dec 1855. (OR = 19 Dec 1855).

NIB **Landaw, Edward R**, Wayne Co & Miss **Mary E Fryberger**, Stark Co, 1 Jan 1856. (OR = 23 Jan 1856).

C108 **Grant, Joseph** & Miss **Mary Ax**, both of Stark Co, at the American House, 12 Sep 1854. (OR = 13 Sep 1854; MR = Eliza Ax).

NIB **Hamilton, James** & Miss **Mary Ellen Dicky**, both of Carroll Co, 16 Jul 1854, by Rev E Buckingham at the parsonage in Canton on Sunday evening. (OR = 19 Jul 1854).

C143 **Hannah, Thomas**, Montreal, Canada & Miss **Elizabeth Marshall**, dtr of Thomas Marshall, Massillon, 8 Oct 1855. (OR = 17 Oct 1855).

C130 **Haupton, Peter** & Miss **Elizabeth Schall**, both late of Germany, 14 Jul 1855. (OR = 18 Jul 1855; MR = Elizabeth Schake).

C131 **Heldenbrand, Jacob** & Miss **Catharine Neugen**, 16 May 1855. (OR = 23 May 1855; MR = Hildenbrand, Jacob, 17 May 1855).

C168 **Herker, Ferdinand** & Miss **Harriet Siegle**, 21 Aug 1856. (OR = 27 Aug 1856; MR = Meiker, Ferdinand).

C122 **Hess, Gideon** & Miss **Rebecca Jane Rosen**

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bery, at the Franklin House, 6 May 1855. (OR = 16 May 1855; MR = Rebecca Jane Rosenberg).

C151 **Hoffman**, Frederick & Miss Philipina **Long**, 28 Feb 1856. (OR = 6 Mar 1856). (Con't)

C168 **Horst**, Michael & Mrs Gertrude **Sibert**, 21 Aug 1856. (OR = 27 Aug 1856; MR = Marst, Michael).

C147 **Hewstetter**, David & Miss Mary **Kurtz**, both of Lawrence Tp, 19 Dec 1855. (OR = 26 Dec 1855; MR = Henstetter, David, 20 Dec 1855). Note, this was a double wedding with Jacob Kurtz & Rebecca Smith.

NIB **Kelly**, John C & Miss Matilda Jane **Pearson**, both of Pike Tp, 4 Mar 1855, by Rev John Sinclair. (OR = 7 Mar 1855).

C132 **Kinney**, Levi M & Miss Catharine **Bender**, both of Plain Tp, 10 Jun 1855. (OR = 13 Jun 1855; MR = McKinney, Levi M).

NIB **Lahm**, Samuel, Hon & Miss Henrietta **Faber**, both of Canton, at Pittsburgh home of F Faber, 11 Dec 1855, by Rev W A Palmvent. (OR = 12 Dec 1855).

NIB **Lash**, W H, Navarre & Miss Clara E **Jay**, Middlebury, IN, 28 Dec 1854, by Rev Cook at Middlebury, IN. (OR = 3 Jan 1855).

C146 **Loenhard**, Lewis E, Greensburg, Summit Co & Miss Maris **Hildenbrand**, dtr of Samuel Hildenbrand, Jackson Tp, 3 Jan 1856. (OR = 9 Jan 1856; MR = Leonhard, Lewis E & Maris Heldenbrand).

C124 **M**____, **W**____ & Miss **P**____ **M**____, 6 Mar 1855. This couple of Know Nothings or Sach Nichts refused to have their marriage published in any other way than as a love. (OR = 7 Mar 1855; MR = Miller, William L & Miss Priscilla Miller).

NIB **Murdock**, David & Miss Martha **Hunter**, 29 Jan 1856, by Rev P Weddell. (OR = 6 Feb 1856).

NIB **Murray**, Thomas & Miss Lorrna **Knesler**, both of Canton, at Winchester, Columbiana Co, 8 Apr 1855, by Rev Davis. (OR = 18 Apr 1855). Note, IGI lists Laurins Knesler.

C123 **Pepper**, Theodore E, Summit Co & Miss Elizabeth S **Moore**, dtr of Henry Moore, Lake Tp, 30 Apr 1855. (OR = 9 May 1855).

C144 **Raff**, George W, attorney at law & Miss Belinda J **Schneider**, dtr of F J Schneider, both of Canton, 17 Dec 1855. (OR = 19 Dec 1855).

NIB **Reiter**, C H, Rev & Miss Nancy **Earnest**, both of Carrollton, at Navarre, 30 Apr 1855, by Rev J Richards. (OR = 16 May 1855).

NIB **Richart**, William, Alliance & Miss Elizabeth **Grove**, Carroll Co, 15 Nov 1854, by Rev William J

Bough. (OR = 13 Dec 1854).

C158 **Shafer**, David J & Miss Christina **Bair**, 13 Mar 1856. (OR = 19 Mar 1856; MR = Christiana Bair).

C148 **Sharp**, James, Columbiana Co & Miss Harriett **Conn**, Stark Co, 22 Nov 1853. (OR = 5 Dec 1855; MR = Shoup, James & Harriett Cann).

C107 **Slusser**, Jeremiah & Eliza **Sell**, both of Osnaburg, 20 Sep 1854, by Rev P J Spangler. (OR = 27 Sep 1854; MR = Sluss, Jeremiah & Liza Sell, 21 Sep 1854 by Rev William Smith).

NIB **Slusser**, Robert, Esq, Richville & Miss Mary A Smith, 25 Nov 1855, by Rev D Johnson at M E Church in Dalton. (OR = 5 Dec 1855).

C153 **Smith**, Henry & Miss Margaret **Spielman**, dtr of George Spielman, both of Plain Tp, 21 Feb 1856. (OR = 27 Feb 1856).

C172 **Spargne**, Henry, Salem & Miss Helen **Flohr**, dtr of Jacob Flohr, Canton, 2 Oct 1856. (OR = 8 Oct 1856; MR = Sprague, Henry).

NIB **Strohn**, Charles W, Canton & Miss Cynthia **Hatch**, Weymouth, at Weymouth, Medina Co, by John Wilcock, Esq, no date given. (OR = 5 Dec 1855).

C169 **Silker**, Louis & Miss Sarah **Limbach**, 23 Sep 1856. (OR = 1 Oct 1856; MR = Stulke, L & Sarah Limbeck).

C130, **Teeters**, Jonathan & Miss Mary A **Fitzpatrick**, both of Washington Tp, 1 Jun 1855. (OR = 6 Jun 1855; MR = Teetors, John C & Mary Ann Fitzpatrick, 31 May 1855).

NIB **Thomas**, John W & Miss Mary Jane **Kimbuland**, both of Wayne Co, at Alliance, 8 May 1855 by Rev William Leet. (OR = 16 May 1855).

NIB **Vesaria**, Louis, formerly of Canton & Miss Maria Louisa **West**, dtr of the late Lester West, at Sacramento, CA, 24 Jul 1855, by Rev H L F Pratt. (OR = 29 Aug 1855).

C124 **Veubert**, Julius R & Miss Amanda **Ream**, 19 Apr 1855. (OR = 16 May 1855; MR = Neubert, Julius Robert).

C129 **Wagoner**, Daniel K & Miss Elizabeth **Porter**, both of Canal Fulton, 12 Jun 1855. (OR = 20 Jun 1855).

NIB **Williams**, David, Rev & Miss Sarah A **McEwen**, both of Pittsburgh, PA, 31 Jan 1856 by Rev P Weddell. (OR = 6 Feb 1856).

NIB **Young**, Jacob & Mrs Sarah **Barshimes**, both of Canal Fulton, 24 Apr 1855, by Rev G B Hawkins. (OR = 9 May 1855).

NIB **Ales**, Amos, Alliance & Miss Ann **Allman**, Greenfield, at Greenfield, Washington Co, PA, 29 May 1855, by Rev Swain. (OR = 6 Jun 1855).

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C192 Hayhurst, John T, Mahoning Co & Miss Elizabeth Keefer, Richville, 23 May 1857. (OR = 27 May 1857; MR = Hayhurst, Joseph T).

NIB Hayward, Nahum & Miss Christina A Sibert, dtr of David A Sibert, late of Pike Tp, at Roanoke, Huntington Co, IN, 22 Mar 1857 by Rev Silas W Camp. (OR = 1 Apr 1857).

C188 Hockenberger, Henry & Miss Catharine Myer 3 Mar 1857. (OR = 25 Mar 1857; MR = Hokenberger, Henry).

NIB Hotz, Samuel W & Miss Nancy A Young, both of Pike Tp, 19 Aug 1858 by George Howens-tine, Esq. (OR = 25 Aug 1858).

C192 Jones, Lewis & Miss Matilda J Pearson, dtr of Jonathan Pearson, both of Sandy Tp, at A Pearson's home in Pike Tp, 31 May 1857. (OR = 3 Jun 1857).

C192 Jcayens, Henry, Columbus & Miss Catharine C Lawson, Uniontown at Franklin House, Canton, 7 Apr 1857. (OR = 8 Apr 1857; MR = Junyens, Henry).

NIB Knight, Irwin, Stark Co & Miss Susannah Haines, Carroll Co, 29 Nov 1856 by J B Roach, Esq. (OR = 24 Dec 1876).

C181 Kroft, William & Miss Elizabeth Deckert, 18 Dec 1856. (OR = 31 Dec 1856; MR = Kroft, William).

C192 Lesch, William N & Miss Rebecca Grant, both of Stark Co, 9 Jun 1857. (OR = 17 Jun 1857; MR = Lash, William N).

NIB Merwin, Joseph R, Massillon & Miss Emma Musselman, Carrollton, at Carrollton, no date listed, 25 Aug 1858 from IGI, by Rev Harmount. (OR = 8 Sep 1858).

NIB Moore, William & Miss Nancy Earman, 15 Aug 1858 by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 18 Aug 1858).

C188 Noble, Henry A, Akron & Miss Mary F Cummins, Massillon, dtr of C B Cummins, 13 Mar 1857. (OR = 11 Mar 1857; MR = 3 Mar 1857).

C203 Phillips, J Tedley, Washington Co, PA & Miss Mary J Ellett, Lexington Tp, at Alliance, 3 Sep 1857. (OR = 9 Sep 1857; MR = Phillips, Joshua E & Mary S Elliott).

C193 Rebar, Joseph & Miss Margaret Koontz, both of Jackson Tp, 4 Apr 1857. (OR = 8 Apr 1857).

C188 Regenaus, Jacob & Miss Julia Ann Brown, 19 Mar 1857. (OR = 25 Mar 1857).

C198 Rucher, Alfred & Miss Rebecca Eacherman, both of Waynesburg, 6 Aug 1857. (MR = Bucher, Alfred & Rebecca Edleman).

C194 Saxton, Thomas W & Miss Maria S Slanker, dtr of Samuel Slanker, Esq, both of Canton, 30 Mar 1857. (OR = 1 Apr 1857).

C199 Schneider, Frederic, Jr, Omaha, NE & Miss Eliza Bonfield, vicinity of Canton, eldest dtr of the late Dr Thomas S Bonfield, 11 Aug 1857. (OR = 19 Aug 1857).

C183 Schwartz, Jacob & Miss Matilka Spoek, 25 Dec 1856. (OR = 31 Dec 1856; MR = Matilda Hoch).

NIB Shrerer, Christian & Miss Susan Baker, 31 Mar 1857 by Rev P Hurbuck. (OR = 1 Apr 1857).

C199 Simms, John & Miss Ellen Baisey, both of Massillon, 31 Aug 1857. (OR = 2 Sep 1857; MR = John Suims).

NIB Stidger, Harman, Dr, Canton & Mrs Rachel Searight, Brownsville, Fayette Co, PA, near Brownsville 25 Jun 1857, by Rev Page. (OR = 1 Jul 1857).

C195 Stoud, John C & Miss Elizabeth Richard, 23 Apr 1857. (OR = 6 May 1857; MR = Standt, John C).

C183 Vaughan, David, Sr & Miss Elizabeth Fry, 18 Dec 1856. (OR = 31 Dec 1856).

NIB Warner, Joseph, Alliance & Miss Mary A Coates, Marlboro, 3 Aug 1858, by Elder A B Way. (OR = 18 Aug 1858).

NIB Warstler, Isaac & Miss Julia Ann Troxell, dtr of Peter Troxell, both of Plain Tp, 2 Sep 1858 by Rev J J Fast. (OR = 8 Sep 1858).

C194 Welker, George W, Sandy Tp & Miss Margaret S VanVoorhis, Osnaburg Tp, 19 May 1857. (OR = 27 May 1857, MR = Wilker, George)

NIB Willett, Hiram, IL formerly of Canton & Miss Mary M Lemaster, at Millersburg, 23 Jul 1857 by Rev J Heisel. (OR = 12 Aug 1857).

C180 Woy, Peter, Osnaburg Tp & Miss Catharine Sausser, dtr of John Sausser, Jr, 29 Jan 1857. (OR = 4 Feb 1857; MR = Anna Maria Sausser).

NIB Zevallen, Christian & Miss Caroline Foltz, 21 Oct 1858 by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 27 Sep 1858).

1996 OGS Conference

Next year the Ohio Genealogical Society Conference will be held April 19 & 20 1996 at the Holiday Inn, Eastgate, Cincinnati, Ohio. The primary speaker will be Lloyd Bockstrock from the Dallas Public Library in Dallas, Texas. Mark your calendars now so you will not miss what promises to be an excellent Conference. The Society passed 6,000 members in 1995.

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5-57 Alexander, William H, Esq, Mount Vernon, OH & Miss Lauretta J Wise, Canton, dtr of Adam Wise, 23 Dec 1858. (OR = 29 Dec 1858).

5-33 Altman, Henry, Brimfield, Portage Co, son of William Altman & Miss Elizabeth Goshard, Stark Co, dtr of George Goshard, 17 Oct 1858. (OR = 20 Oct 1858).

NIB Bade, Jacob, Holmes Co & Miss Rosanna Goetz, Canton, 28 Nov 1858, by Rev J D Nune-macher, (OR = 22 Dec 1858).

5-123 Barr, Peter & Miss Ada F Geiger, both of Canton, dtr of Dr C J Geiger, 14 Jul 1859. (OR = 19 Jul 1859).

5-131 Beck, Christian & Miss Catharine Darm, 16 Aug 1859. (OR = 23 Aug 1859; MR = Catharine Darm).

5-45 Beckel, John G F & Miss Wilhelmina Beck, 18 Nov 1858. (OR = 24 Nov 1848; MR = Breckel, John G F).

NIB Beecher, C H W, editor of the Columbiana Ledger and formerly of Canton & Miss Lavina M Beard, Columbiana, at Columbiana 18 Jul 1859, by Rev C H Hess. (OR = 19 Jul 1859).

NIB Brown, W T, Kalamazoo, MI, formerly of Canton & Miss Fannie H Hunt, Warren, OH 14 Sep 1859 by Rev Tribby. (OR = 20 Sep 1859).

5-58 Carr, Walter, Noble Co, IN & Miss Harriet Kilgore, Sugar Creek Tp, dtr of James Kilgore, Esq, at the St Cloud Hotel 23 Dec 1858, by Rev E Buckingham. (OR = 29 Dec 1858).

NIB Duck, Benjamin, Stark Co & Miss Martha Jane Lattimer, Dalton, Wayne Co, 9 Dec 1858, by Rev R C Colmary. (OR = 12 Jan 1859).

5-114 Fansnaucht, Samuel & Miss Emeline Trump, Canton Tp, dtr of John Trump, 9 Jun 1859). (OR = 16 Jun 1859; MR = Fausnacht, Samuel).

5-32 Flexer, E B & Rebecca Jane Weimer, both of Sugar Creek Tp, at the residence of Catharine A Weimer, 26 Oct 1858. (MR = 3 Nov 1858).

5-111 Grimes, Edward M & Miss Elmira M Shorb, both of Canton, dtr of Peter Shorb, 26 May 1859. (OR = 2 Jun 1859).

5-149 Grimm, Daniel S & Miss Lucinda Heacock, both of Marlboro Tp, 16 Oct 1859. (OR = 6

Dec 1859; MR = Grimm, David S).

5-108 Heim, Frederick & Miss Elizabeth Walter, both of Stark Co, 19 May 1859. (OR = 26 May 1859; MR = Elizabeth Waltz).

5-177 Holbyson, John & Mrs Mary Sterlan, both of Lawrence Tp, in Canton 9 Jan 1860. (OR = 17 Jan 1860; MR - Holbyson, John & Mary Sitterlan).

NIB Kauffman, Alfred, Canton & Miss Mary McRaynolds, Cleveland, at the residence of William McRaynolds, Cleveland, 28 Dec 1859, by Rev L Cooley. (OR = 10 Jan 1860).

NIB Lebeau, Adolph & Miss Barbara Ott, both of Carroll Co, 22 May 1859 by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 26 May 1859).

5-120 Marshall, Levi, Augusta, Carroll Co & Miss Tilla Carl, Massillon, 4 Jul 1859. (OR = 14 Jul 1859; MR = Matilda Corl).

5-138 McNich, Levi J & Miss Ellen Maria Ricksecker, both of Canton, dtr of Rev L Ricksecker, 8 Sep 1859. (OR = 13 Sep 1859; MR = McNinch, Levi J).

5-170 Miller, Solomon & Miss Delilah Oliver, 18 Dec 1859. (OR = 27 Dec 1859; MR = Delilah Alvis).

NIB Mong, William & Miss Mary Yingling, both of Minerva, 8 Sep 1859, by Rev A B Way. (OR = 13 Sep 1859).

NIB Nusbach, John, Stark Co, & Miss Almira Grice, Columbiana Co, 23 Dec 1858 by Rev Am Turner. (OR = 12 Jan 1859).

NIB Orchard, Christian & Miss J Wise, 10 Nov 1859, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 15 Nov 1859).

NIB Paine, Louis, Limaville, Stark Co & Miss Mary E Cunning, Winesburg, Holmes Co at residence of bride's father, 1 Jan 1860, by Prof O N Hartshorn. (OR = 10 Jan 1860).

5-37 Richards, John & Mrs Catharine Hines, both of Pike Tp, widow of Jesse Hines, 28 Oct 1858). (OR = 3 Nov 1858).

5-53 Rlidincet, Ezekiel & Miss Nancy Rouch, both of Sugar Creek Tp, 30 Dec 1858. (OR = 12 Jan 1859; MR = Clidincet, Ezekiel & Nancy Roush).

5-160 Robinson, John & Miss Mary Ann Anderson, both of Canton, 13 Nov 1859. (OR = 22 Nov 1859; MR = Robinson, Thomas).

NIB Rowan, John S, Canton & Miss Ellen S Birge, Hudson, at Hudson 25 Dec 1859 by Rev Darling. (OR = 10 Jan 1860).

NIB Schell, Peter, Stark Co & Miss Nancy Ann Oyster, Smith Tp, Mahoning Co, 24 Oct 1858, by Joseph Stanley, Esq. (OR = 3 Nov 1858).

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Of such jugglery as this, no one

Before has ever heard tell,

Where a man, by a simple word or two,

Changed an Oyster to a Schell.

NIB Stocker, John & Miss Margaret Kirch, both of Columbiana Co, 18 Aug 1859, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 23 Aug 1859).

NIB Stoner, David, Lake Tp & Miss Elizabeth Myers, Springfield, Summit Co, at the residence of John Stoner, Lake Tp, 7 Jan 1860, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 10 Jan 1860).

NIB Trimble, James & Miss Carrie L Lehman, eldest dtr of Henry Lehman, at St James Church, Wooster, 30 Dec 1858, by Rev E H Cumming. (OR = 12 Jan 1859).

NIB Zetallen, Christian & Miss Caroline Foltz, 21 Oct 1858, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 27 Oct 1858, paper has no front page).

5-132 Yoke, Harris & Miss Mary Bounce, both of Stark Co, 21 Aug 1859. (OR = 30 Aug 1859; MR = Mary Prone).

Stark County Ohio Deaths

(Deaths taken from the Ohio Repository by Karl Harsh are listed below. The date of the newspaper is listed after OR. The years 1858 and 1859 are prior to the recording of deaths in Ohio by the Probate Court).

Ake, Susanna, Mrs, wife of the late Francis Ake of Osnaburg Tp and the mother of Samuel Ake, Osnaburg Tp. She was born in Huntington Co, PA and with her husband came to Stark Co in 1811. She died at the residence of her son-in-law at Randolph, OH 21 Nov 1858, age 80. (OR = 8 Dec 1858).

Billing, John, Wayshara, WI, a former resident of Stark Co, 20 Dec 1858, age 62. (OR = 12 Jan 1859).

Bowman, Jacob, Pike Tp, pioneer settler of Stark Co, Aug 1859, age 82. (OR = 4 Oct 1859; Blue & Heald lists 19 Jul 1859, age 82y1m17d).

Brady, Elizabeth, Mrs, Plain Tp, wife of David Brady, 7 Jan 1859, age 75. (OR = 12 Jan 1859).

Brutcher, Xavier, Canton cabinet maker, 16 Dec 1858. (OR = 22 Dec 1858).

Buchtel, Herman, Bethlehem Tp, 2 Jan 1859, age 56. (OR = 12 Jan 1859).

Chestnut, Ann P, Miss, Massillon, died in a lingering illness, 8 Jan 1860, age 40. (OR = 17 Jan 1860).

Clinefelter, Alfred, near Waynesburg, left his wife, Mary Fiscus, and one child, 23 May 1859, age 30. (OR = 26 May 1859).

Coffin, Rebecca, Mrs, Richmond, Jefferson Co, OH; Rebecca Talbot was born 14 Jan 1784 in Frederick Co, MD; married Joseph Hobson 18 Mar 1813 Jefferson Co; came to Jackson Tp spring of 1815; Joseph Hobson died 10 Sep 1828 and she returned to Jefferson Co. 9 years later she married Charles Coffin who died 2 Jan 1843. Rebecca was the last survivor of the group that formed the Society of Friends at Kendall; she died 17 Nov 1859, age 76. (OR = 6 Dec 1859).

Crawford, Jane, wife of Francis Crawford, resident of Sandy Tp and member of Presbyterian Church, died of typhus fever 20 Oct 1858, age 62y5m20d. (OR = 27 Oct 1858).

Culler, Michael, Tuscarawas Tp, no death date listed, age 78. Blue & Heald lists tombstone with death date 10 Feb 1859, age 78y4m18d. (OR = 19 Jan 1859 thus the tombstone month is in error).

Downing, James, Captain, died at the home of his sister, Mrs Sarah Thompson, 15 Dec 1858, age 73. There is a big obituary that tells of the building of his home and the War of 1812. (OR = 22 Dec 1858).

Drennan, James, Esq, Richland Co. Resided in Canton from 1806 to 1821; enlisted 2 companies of soldiers in the War of 1812 and became their Lieutenant and Captain. No date listed. (OR = 10 Jan 1860).

Dunbar, George, Sr, Esq, born in Philadelphia, PA 1 May 1770, oldest child of ten sons and 1 dtr, moved to Dauphin Co, PA; his father was a commissary for Washington's army at Valley Forge where he contracted camp fever and was taken home to die; he married Elizabeth Elliott 21 Apr 1796 and raised a family of 5 sons and 4 dtrs; he lived in Mifflinburgh, Northumberland Co, PA until 1814 when they came to Columbiana Co and in 1816 to Canton; Elizabeth died 12 Aug 1816; he remarried Catherine Slusser 20 Dec 1821; left wife, 7 children, 32 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren, died 1 Jun 1859, age 89y1m. (OR = 9 Jun 1859).

Engle, Sarah, Mrs, Osnaburg Tp, born in VA, settled in Osnaburg Tp 50 years ago; had 13 children, 11 living on 14 Aug 1859 when she died of dysentery. (OR = 23 Aug 1859).

Eshelman, Anna, Mrs, after an illness of 18 months she died at the residence of her son in Canton on 24 Jan 1860, age 78y10m15d. (OR = 31 Jan 1860).

Frederick, Kate, Miss, Canton, died of consumption 11 Oct 1859, age 20. (OR = 18 Oct 1859).

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NIB Brennon, James, Cleveland & Miss Olivia Meyer, Canton, dtr of S Meyer, Esq, 16 Apr 1860, by Rev E N J Lindersmith. (OR = 1 May 1860).

NIB Chain, William, Marlboro & Miss Matilda M Case, Rootstown, at Randolph 4 Dec 1861, 25 Dec 1861, by Henry Ladd, Esq. (OR = 25 Dec 1861).

5-278 Collins, George & Miss Jane Dougal, both from Massillon, 3 Dec 1860 by Rev T McClary. (OR = 12 Dec 1860; MR = application date only, 3 Dec 1860).

5-299 DeRhodes, Samuel G, Franklin Square, Columbiana Co & Miss Mary H Clappsaddle, Alliance, 23 Jan 1861. (OR = 6 Feb 1861; MR = Samuel F Daroads & Mary H Clopsaddle, 24 Jan 1861).

NIB Dervoine, Angart & Miss Hannah Lucas, both of Mount Eaton, Wayne Co, at the Tremont House, 6 Jul 1860 by Rev D C Blood. (OR = 17 Jul 1860).

5-268 Earnshaw, Charles W & Miss Mary A Harting, both of Canton, 22 Nov 1860. (OR = 12 Dec 1860; MR = application date only, 30 Oct 1860).

5-281 Fosnaucht, John & Miss Sarah Bailey, both from Massillon, 9 Dec 1860. (OR = 12 Dec 1860; MR = Fasnacht, George).

5-231 Gardiner, J F, Dr, Canal Fulton, formerly of Navarre, youngest son of J Gardiner, Esq & Miss Lizzie Stahl, Navarre, eldest dtr of A Stahl, Esq, 18 Jul 1860. (OR = 31 Jul 1860; MR = Gardiner, Dr James F & Elizabeth Stahl).

NIB Gray, J S, Wooster & Miss Clara Seaton, Bucyrus, at the residence of W Brown, Esq in Massillon, 26 Mar 1862 by Rev D Blood. (OR = 9 Apr 1862).

5-389 Kutzner, Sylvester, DeKalb Co, IN & Miss Margaret Hoover, Plain Tp, dtr of Henry Hoover, 7 Nov 1861. (OR = 13 Nov 1861; MR 6 Nov 1861).

5-235 Lahiff, William & Miss Catharine Oalvin, 5 Aug 1860. (OR = 14 Aug 1860; MR = Lappin, William & Catharine Galvin).

NIB Lantzer, Benjamin, Stark Co & Miss Eliza Philips, Portage Co, 29 Apr 1860, by Rev P

Herbruck. (OR = 8 May 1860).

5-287 Layman, L D H, Somerset, PA & Miss Frances J Young, at the St Cloud Hotel, 25 Dec 1860. (OR = 26 Dec 1860; MR = Fayman, L D H).

5-216 Liber, William & Miss Almeda Cooper, both of Manchester, at the American House, Canton, 10 May 1860. (OR = 15 May 1860).

5-396 Miller, David, & Miss Mary Vauman, both of Canton, 5 Dec 1861. (OR = 11 Dec 1861; MR = Mary Nauman).

NIB Mills, M B, Captain, of the Freeport Wide Awakes & Miss Rebecca E Black, dtr of John Black, formerly of Canton, at Freeport, IL 3 Jan 1861, by Rev C Waterbury. (OR = 6 Feb 1861).

5-238 Oliver, Rees & Miss Elizabeth Booth, both of Alliance, at Farquhar House, Salem, Columbiana Co, 25 Aug 1860. (OR = 4 Sep 1860).

5-297 Pontius, Adam, son of Peter Pontius & Miss Malinda Hoover, dtr of Henry Hoover, both of Plain Tp, 17 Jan 1861. (OR = 23 Jan 1861).

5-413 Richmond, Theodore, Ligonier, Noble Co, IN & Miss Hallie E Burgert, Navarre, dtr of A Burgert, Esq, 21 Jan 1861. (OR = 29 Jan 1861; MR = Harriet Eliza Burgert).

5-396 Rainsburgh, William, Holmes Co & Mrs Delilah Richard, Canton, 2 Dec 1861. (OR = 11 Dec 1861).

NIB Rickecher, G V & Miss Susan Shumaker, both of Bolivar, at the American House, Canton, 30 Aug 1860, by Rev P M Weddell. (OR = 4 Sep 1860).

5-375 Sausser, Jerome & Miss Lydia Ann Ritz, 3 Oct 1861. (OR = 16 Oct 1861; MR = Lydia Ann Fritz).

5-314 Shively, Josiah, & Miss Christena Rank, both of Canton, dtr of John Rank, at the house of Mrs Pirrong, 28 Feb 1861. (OR = 6 Mar 1861; MR = 27 Feb 1861).

5-298 Shopp, Emanuel, Louisville & Miss Carolina Kill, Washington Tp, 22 Jan 1861. (OR = 23 Jan 1861; MR = Carolina Kille).

5-394 Silvers, Jehu B, Osnaburg Tp & Miss Alvira White, Canton Tp, 21 Nov 1861. (OR = 27 Nov 1861; MR = Silver, John B).

5-404 Spangler, Alpheus & Miss Elizabeth Troxal, both of Plain Tp, dtr of Peter Troxel, 31 Dec 1861. (OR = 5 Feb 1862).

5-296 Steiner, Jeremiah, & Miss Calancy Carnes, both of Pike Tp, 13 Jan 1861. (OR = 30 Jan 1861; MR = Calancy Kerns).

NIB Tressel, J H, Prof, Malvern Seminary & Miss Sue J Hawkins, at the bride's father's at

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Berlin Center, 19 Jun 1860, by Prof O N Harts-horn. (OR = 26 Jun 1860).

5-297 Weaver, Hiram H & Miss Catharine Ann Troxel, both of Plain Tp, dtr of Mr & Mrs Peter Troxel, 17 Jan 1861. (OR = 23 Jan 1861).

5-379 Warstler, Emanuel & Miss Susan Lac-trer, 13 Oct 1861. (OR = 16 Oct 1861; MR = Susan Launtzer.

NIB Wert, Robert & Miss Margaret Erch, both of New Philadelphia, at Tremont House, Massillon, 31 Dec 1861, by Rev D C Blood. (OR = 21 Jan 1862).

NIB Whitmer, John & Miss Martha Mansfield, both of Canton, 13 Jun 1860, by Rev E N J Lindensmith. (OR = 19 Jun 1860).

5-359 Wickidal, Lomis P & Miss Libbie Wil-liams, both of Canton, dtr of George Williams, 10 Oct 1861. (OR = 16 Oct 1861; MR = Lewis P Wickidal & Elizabeth C Williams).

NIB Wricht, Edwin R, Cincinnati & Miss Annie Strowbridge, Terre Haute and formerly of Can-ton, at Terre Haute, IN, 28 Jun 1860, by Rev W G Spencer. (OR = 17 Jul 1860).

NIB Zinsmeister, Theobald & Miss Lydia Blatner, both of Summit Co, 29 Apr 1860, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 8 May 1860).

The German Card

From the Flory Family Newsletter, 1 Oct 1995, Vol 8 No 4

The Sacramento German Genealogy Society offers "The German Card," a handy item to have with you when doing German genealogical research. Lami-nated, and the size and thickness of a credit card, it opens up accordion-fashion to provide 8 little pages of useful information. Around the edge is the complete German alphabet, both cursive script and printed Fraktur, with upper and lower case for each alphabet. You can place each letter directly under the German work you are working on.

It also has: immigration information on US Census, 1850-1920; German genealogy symbols; rules + code for Soundex system; German genealogy resources, basic German genealogical vocabulary, and dates of German civil records.

Send Self Addressed Stamped Envelope, 32 cent stamp, and \$3.00 check to Sacramento German Genealogy Society, PO Box 660061, Sacramento CA 95866-0061.

How To Compute The Birthday Of An Ancestor

Taken from an article in Guernsey Roots and Branches, Nov 1995. The article refers to the March 1976 issue of Genea-logical Helper which is published by Everton which provided a method called the "8870 formula."

Before about 1870, it was not unusual to find age inscribed on a tombstone rather than the date. Many times the date of death was followed by a statement of age given in years, months and days instead of a date of birth. It's not difficult to figure this date using simple math. Here are three methods.

1. If you have a computer with a genealogical program it may calculate it for you. Personal Ancestral File requires you to put the death date in as the second date, then the age in years, months and days. Simply press F1 (Calculate) and the birth date appears as the first date.

2. Traditional method: List the death date of May 6, 1889 on the top line by year, month expressed as a number, and day.

Death date	1889 5 6
Age:	<u>71 7 9</u>

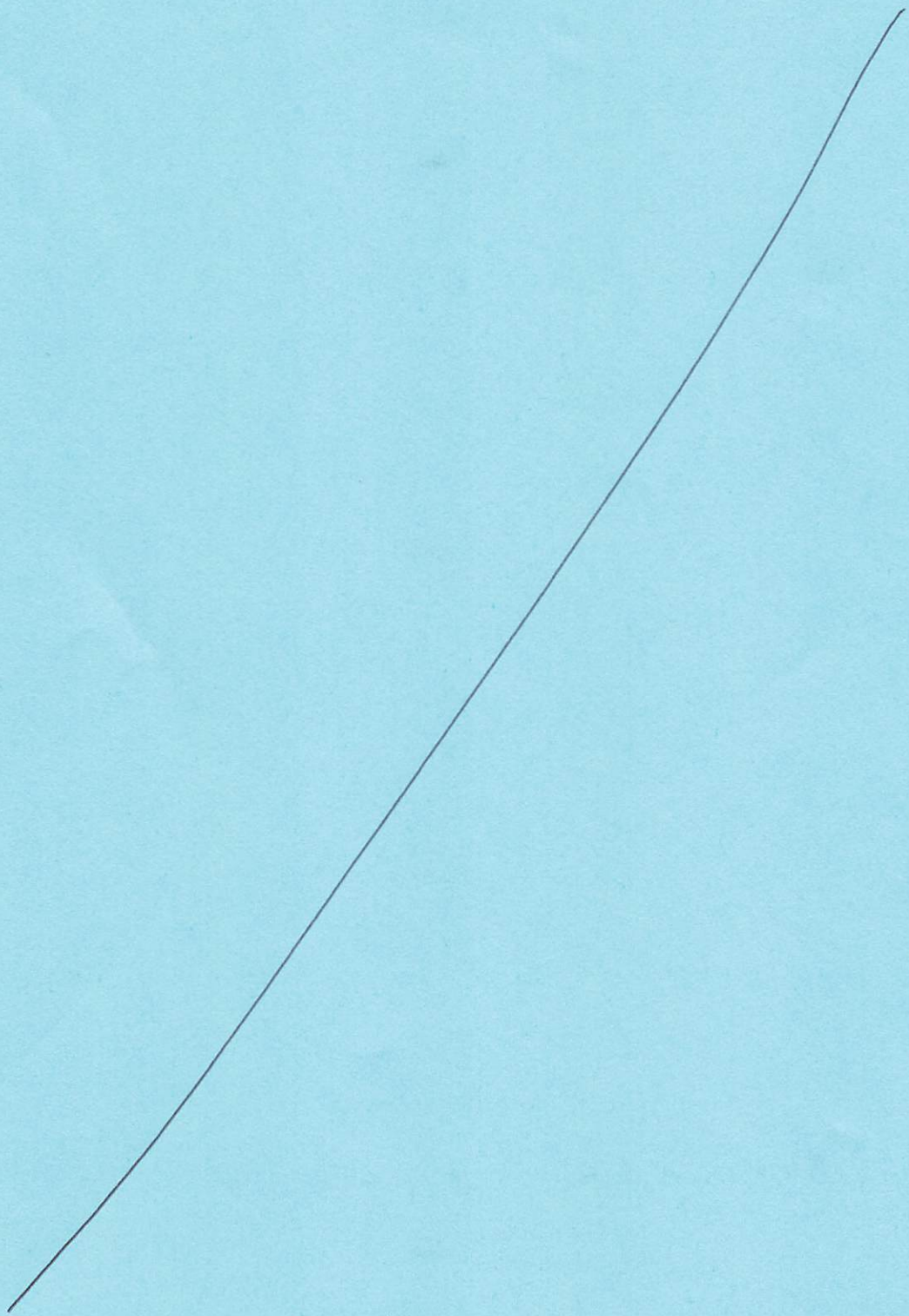
Before you can subtract you have to borrow (a) 30 days from the 5 months, making it 4 months and 36 days; (b) borrow 12 months from the year making 4 + 12 = 16 months; (c) adjust the year to 1888 as a result of the borrowing; and (d) then subtract.

You then have:	1888 16 36
	<u>71 7 9</u>
	1817 9 27 or Sep 27 1817

3. The 8870 formula: Simply write the death date as before converting months and years into two digit numbers by adding a zero. Then subtract the age mathematically, making no adjustments of any kind. From your answer subtract 8870 to find the correct date of birth.

Date of death:	18890506
Age:	<u>710709</u>
Subtract:	18179797
Subtract 8870	<u>8870</u>
Date of birth:	18170927 or Sep 27 1817

Granted the computer is the easiest way, you may sometimes have to do it manually. The last way is much easier and faster.



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Ledger (Cont)

Myers, Jacob	Rig(g)s, ()	Schrive, Adam	Varrons, Peter
Myers, Jacob, Jr	Road, Frederick	Schrive, John	Wagner, Philip
Myers, Jacob, Sr	Roberts, William	Shunk, Jacob	Walling, Henry
Myers, Nathan	Roff, Jacob	Shup, Henry	Wanner, Jacob
Mufley (?), ()	Roffe, Andrew	Sill, Peter	Webb, John
Niolyson, Jonathan	Ronk, Abraham	Sloone, John	Wells, John
Nodi, Moses	Rowland, Jacob, Jr	Sluser (?), ()	Whipple and Dayton
Owens, ()	Roppe, Jacob	Slusser, John	White, David
Park, David	Ruffner, George	Smith, Jacob	White, Jacob
Parker, Joseph	Sailer, Jacob	Smurr, Jacob	White, John
Patton, John	Sailer, Michael	Starling, John	White, Samuel
Patton, Samuel	Salla, Jacob	Stigers, George	White, widow
Pauly, John	Salsman, Joseph	Stonner, Conrad	Wiel, John
Ploum (Plum), Phillip	Savenston (Stevenson), Jacob	Strickland, Edward	Williams, James
Randole (Randall?), William	Saxton, John	Strine, Jacob	Williams, "brickmaker"
Rappe, Andrew	Sell, John	Swenne (?), ()	William's Store
Raymond, William	Sell, Peter	Tawunny (Tanny?), Henry	Williams, William
Raynolds, William	Shafer, J	Thomas, Henry	Wingard, Martin
Read, Timothy	Shafer, Peter	Troxel, Jacob	Wingard, Samuel
Reem, George	Shafer, (Grat?)	Troxel, Peter	Wise, Jacob
Rex, Daniel	Shoults (Schultz?) Jacob	Underwood, Elihu	Wise, John
			Yant, Jacob

Note: Jacob Rowland, Jr is not the son of Jacob of Canton but may be his uncle, in Hagerstown, MD in a financial transaction.
Also, Christian Hane is the father-in-law of two children of Jacob Rowland.
The original Ledger Book is still in the hands of the Rowland family.

Stark County Deaths

Deaths taken from the Ohio Repository by Karl Harsh are listed below. The date of the newspaper is listed after OR. The years 1864, 1865 and 1866 are prior to the recording of deaths in Ohio by the Probate Court (1867).

- Allen, Amanda, Mrs, Canton, wife of A J Allen and dtr of Col E Ball, died of consumption 31 Aug 1865, Age 22. (OR = 6 Sep 1865).
- Anderson, Catharine, Mrs, Canton, wife of James Anderson, 19 Mar 1865, age 68. (OR = 22 Mar 1865).
- Anderson, Henry G, Canton, son of William & Elizabeth Anderson, died of congestion of the brain 18 Oct 1865, age 10y18d. (OR = 25 Oct 1865).
- Aultman, Eliza, Mrs, Canton, wife of C Aultman, 3 Feb 1866, age 39. (OR = 7 Feb 1866).
- Ball, Lettie H, dtr of John & Hannah J Ball, 4 Apr 1866, age 8y7m4d. (OR = 4 Apr 1866).
- Barr, David, Genoa? Jackson Tp? Leaves wife & 8 children, 3 sons in army, was able to conduct business up to a half hour before his death, 28 Mar 1865, age 67y9m4d. (OR = 5 Apr 1865).
- Bean, William, Massillon, 16 Mar 1866, age 70y9m16d. (OR = 28 Mar 1866).

- Bender, John, tailor, came to Kendal in 1824 (now part of Massillon), father-in-law of Joseph Coleman, suffered a paralytic stroke 10 Jun 1865, age 65. (OR = 14 Jun 1865).
- Bierce, Angelina, Mrs, born 20 Oct 1810 at Becket, Berkshire Co, MA. In summer of 1811 her father, Thatcher Conant moved to Windham, Portage Co, OH. Married Alexander A Bierce on 27 Oct 1839. First resided in Massillon but for last 22 years lived in Canton. Died of typhus fever 13 Nov 1864, age 54. (OR = 23 Nov 1864).
- Bockius, Rosanna, Mrs, wife of John C Bockius, came to canton in 1823 and was married 2 May 1825, died of consumption 19 Jun 1865, age 52. (OR = 21 Jun 1865).
- Bowen, Catharine, Mrs, Osnaburg Tp, died at the home of her son-in-law, Samuel Dangler, mother of 8 children, grandmother of 65, and great grandmother of 140, 18 Nov 1864, age 91. (OR = 14 Dec 1864).
- Bowers, William Henry, son of Benjamin & Rebecca Bowers, Co E, 115 Reg OVI, died at Murfreesboro, TN of typhoid fever 26 Oct 1864, age 21y1m1d, buried in Osnaburg Cemetery. (OR = 9 Nov 1864). (Continued on page 96)

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Brown, Elizabeth, Mrs, Perry Tp, wife of Solomon Brown, suffered a stroke of palsy 13 years ago, died 29 Feb 1865, age 60y1m6d, buried in West Lawn Cemetery. (OR = 1 Mar 1865).

Bruce, Samuel, Captain, left wife and 2 small boys, Assistant Superintendent of Military Telegraph, died in Memphis TN 31 Mar 1865, age 33y3m1d, buried in Canton. (OR = 12 Apr 1865).

Buckingham, Laura S, Mrs, born 31 Jul 1815 as Lucy H Sturgess (per IGI) at Poultney, VT, joined Presbyterian Church at Lansingburgh, NY, finished her education in 1834 and opened a Female Seminary in Circleville, OH, met and married 9 May 1837 Rev E Buckingham who became pastor of Canton Church in 1846 where Laura took charge of the Female Seminary in Canton, she was both wife and mother, died 7 Mar 1866. (OR = 14 Mar 1866).

Cameron, William, native of Canton, son of Alex Cameron and grandson of Edward Nelson, one of the early settlers of Kendal, left wife and 5 children, Sgt Co A, 162 Reg ONG 2 May 1864-4 Sep 1864, no date of death given, buried in Canton with military honors. (OR = 19 Apr 1865).

Carpenter, Elizabeth, Mrs, Berlin, Stark Co, wife of Israel Carpenter, 14 Feb 1866, age 35. (OR = 28 Feb 1866).

Conrad, Rosanna, Mrs, Jackson Tp, wife of the late John D Conrad and dtr of the late Samuel Bachtel, 6 Apr 1866, age 46. (OR = 11 Apr 1866).

Church, John W, moved to Massillon 12 years ago, when elected judge of the Court of Common Pleas he moved to Canton, died at Youngstown 21 Mar 1866, age 38, buried at Canfield, home of his youth. (OR = 28 Mar 1866).

Cocklin, Adam, Plain Tp, died of dropsy 13 Mar 1865, age 56. (OR = 22 Mar 1865).

Craighead, Thomas, Esq, born 5 Dec 1789, Cumberland Co, PA, married 1817 Martha Sterrett, had 2 sons, 3 dtrs, came to Canton in 1852, 24 Apr 1865, age 75y4m. (OR = 26 Apr 1865).

Creighton, Abigail, Miss, Waynesburg, dtr of James Creighton, left father, mother, several brothers and sisters, no date listed, age 28. (OR = 21 Feb 1866).

Cuneo, Sherman, Canton, son of Peter & Almira Cuneo, died of cholera 29 Jul 1865, age 9m. (OR = 2 Aug 1865).

Doxie, Jeannette Judd, Massillon, wife of Edward Doxie, 22 Jun 1865, age 22. (OR = 19 Jul 1865).

Faber, Margaret, born Margaret Myerly in Reading PA 1 Jan 1781, married 1802 George

Faber who died 1834, left 4 dtrs, 2 sons, 45 grandchildren, 11 great grandchildren, died at home of her dtr, Mrs F A Schneider 15 Nov 1864, age 83y10m14d. (OR = 23 Nov 1864).

Ferguson, Rosanna, Mrs, died at the residence of her son, Dr J C Ferguson of Mogadore, Summit Co, OH 31 Aug 1865, age 70. (OR = 4 Oct 1865).

Fielding, John, son of S H & S J Fielding, 16 Oct 1865, age 10m. (OR = 25 Oct 1865).

Flohr, Mary Helen, age 4y5m18d

Flohr, Margaret Emma, age 2y10m24d

Flohr, George Leonard, age 1y7m14d

All were children of James A & Maria E Flohr, died of diphtheria. The 2 dtrs died 26 Mar 1866 and son 1 Apr 1866. (OR = 4 Apr 1866).

Foreman, Michael, Sr, died at the home of his son-in-law William Gibbs 20 Oct 1865, age 65y1m-11d. (OR = 25 Oct 1865).

Fox, Peter, Tuscarawas Tp, native of Berks Co, PA, 20 Oct 1865, age 95y6m. (OR = 8 Nov 1865).

Gorman, James Downing, born in Urbana, Champaign Co, OH, son of Rev G Gorman of Canton, killed in the battle of White Oak Swamp, Charles Co, VA 13 Jun 1864, age 17y9m19d. (OR = 29 Jun 1864).

Grant, Joseph, Sugar Creek Tp, died of dropsy 7 Dec 1864, age 76y29d. (OR = 28 Dec 1864).

Grovemiller, Christena, Canton, 24 Jul 1865, age 21. (OR = 26 Jul 1865).

Holl, Samuel, Berlin, 25 Feb 1866, age 78y11m-14d. (OR = 28 Feb 1866).

Hossler, Henry Calvin, Plain Tp, son of Henry & Rachel Hossler, 30 Nov 1864, age 9y7m1d. (OR = 7 Dec 1864).

Hudson, Rebecca, Alliance, wife of John Hudson, 5 Jul 1865, age 48. (OR = 26 Jul 1865).

Hellis, Jane, Mrs, Fairmont, Stark Co, wife of Robert Hellis, died in Columbiana Co 28 Jun 1865, age 55. (OR = 26 Jul 1865).

Hurford, Elenora, Mrs, wife of Perry Hurford and dtr of the late John Harris, Esq of Canton, died at Omaha, NE Territory 3 Dec 1864, age 30. (OR = 7 Dec & 21 Dec 1864).

Hurford, Ida, Canton, dtr of Alex Hurford, 29 Mar 1865, age 13m. (OR = 5 Apr 1865).

Kelly, David L, civil engineer, died at the St Cloud Hotel in Canton from a fall 3 Oct 1865, age 22, remains taken to New Brighton. (OR = 4 Oct 1865).

Kerstetter, Peter, 2½ miles west of Massillon, pioneer of western Stark Co, left wife & 4 children, 17 Feb 1866, age 71. (OR = 21 Feb 1866).

Koontz, Sarah Jane, Miss, Canton, dtr of John
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Koontz, 9 Apr 1866, age 22y9m. (OR = 11 Apr 1866).

Latimer, Ann Elizabeth, dtr of the late Robert Latimer, 20 Jul 1865, age 16y10m. (OR = 26 Jul 1865).

Lattimer, Rachel Cordella, Miss, Tuscarawas Tp, dtr of Parkinson Lattimer, 3 Apr 1865, age 16y11m11d. (OR = 26 Apr 1865).

Lawrence, Savilla, wife of George W Lawrence, 23 Apr 1866. (OR = 25 Apr 1866).

Lawrence, Joseph, son of George W & Sevilla Lawrence, 27 Feb 1866, age 2y. (OR = 28 Feb 1866).

Lester, Helen, Canton, dtr of J G & M A Lester, 5 Mar 1866, age 12y5m. (OR = 7 Mar 1866).

Lind, Eve, Mrs, Canton, wife of the late Abraham Lind, pioneer settler, 24 Feb 1866, age 78y-10d. (OR = 28 Feb 1866).

Linn, Sarah Ann, near Canal Fulton, 18 Oct 1865, age 4y18d. (OR = 8 Nov 1865).

Lohr, Sarah, Canton, wife of Martin Lohr, died of consumption 21 Oct 1865. (OR = 25 Oct 1865, first name from Blue & Heald Cemetery book which states death date of 21 Sep 1863 & age 75y6m16d, taken from tombstone in West Lawn).

Lynch, Meta Ellen, Canton, dtr of George W & S A Lynch, 11 Jul 1865, age 3m15d. (OR = 19 Jul 1865).

Marburger, George Nathan, son of John & Lena Ann Marburger, 29 Apr 1865, age 2y1m12d. (OR = 10 May 1865).

Meyer, George, Plain Tp, son of Francis & Catharine Meyer, 3 Apr 1865, age 1y6m18d. (OR = 12 Apr 1865).

Melchoir, Peter, Canton, choked to death on a piece of meat 3 Dec 1864, age 50. (OR = 7 Dec 1864).

Morrow, Eliza, Mrs, New Philadelphia, wife of the late Rev James B Morrow and sister of Mrs James Hazlett of Canton, 18 Jul 1865, age 60. (OR = 26 Jul 1865).

Mottinger, Henry, Stark Co, sent his family on ahead from St Joseph and he would meet them at Gentry, MO. He came in a coffin. No date listed, age 59. (OR = 25 Oct 1865).

Nave, Michael, Perry Tp, died in a lingering illness 12 Apr 1865, age 81y5m13d. (OR = 26 Apr 1865).

Neisz, Mrs, wife of George Neisz of Canton, died after a painful sickness 11 Nov 1864. (OR = 16 Nov 1864).

Oldfield, Margaret H, Mrs, wife of William Oldfield, died of consumption 22 May 1865, age 50.

(OR = 24 May 1865; first name from Blue & Heald Cemetery book.

Owen, Harriet, Mrs, Canton, wife of Robert Owen, left her husband and 4 children, died a sudden and unexpected death 10 Feb 1866, age 36y 10m29d. (OR = 14 Feb 1866).

Ritchey, Elizabeth, North Industry, dtr of Adam Ritchey, died of scarlet fever 9 Mar 1865, age 6y9m4d. (OR = 15 Mar 1865).

Robinson, Mary Lillie, Canton, dtr of Thomas Robinson, 3 Apr 1865, age 3y3d. (OR = 5 Apr 1865).

Robinson, Thomas, Canton, son of Thomas Robinson, 2 Apr 1865, age 1y3m. (OR = 5 Apr 1865).

Ross, Maria Louisa, Miss, Waynesburg, dtr of I N Ross, died of typhoid fever 11 Nov 1864, age 22. (OR = 23 Nov 1864).

Sausser, John, Sr, Osnaburg, 23 Oct 1865, age 78y7m. (OR = 8 Nov 1865).

Schlott, Adeline, North Industry, dtr of Isaac Schlott, died of scarlet fever 11 Mar 1865, age 18. (OR = 15 Mar 1865).

Schmurr, Maria, Jackson Tp, died in the home of her son-in-law, Jacob Smith, no date given, age 74y. (OR = 29 Mar 1865).

Shaffer, George, served in War of 1812, age 78y2m19d and wife Elizabeth Shaffer, age 76y2m-25d, Marlboro Tp, both were sick 2 days and both died 3 Nov 1865, buried in same grave. (OR = 8 Nov 1865; see also Blue & Heald Cemetery book).

Shilling, Mary, Mrs, Tuscarawas Tp, wife of Elder Adam Shilling, came to Stark Co with her husband in 1816, died 18 Nov 1864, age 72y10m-26d. (OR = 30 Nov 1864).

Slusser, Frankey A, Dalton, dtr of R G & M A Slusser, late of Richville, died of diphtheria 27 Mar 1865. (OR = 5 Apr 1865)

Stabler, Mrs, Canton, died at an advanced age, no date given. (OR = 6 Sep 1865).

Stamm, Daniel, Stark Co, born in Berks Co, PA and moved to Stark Co at an early period, 24 Feb 1866, age 78y6m23d. (OR = 7 Mar 1866).

Sternberg, J C, Canton, married 30 Mar 1858 Hannah Hoover of Canton, left wife and 4 children at Elkhart, IN, died of consumption 20 Jan 1866, age 29y9m17d. (OR = 7 Feb 1866).

Stimmell, Peter, an old citizen of Paris Tp, died of consumption, no date listed, Blue & Heald Cemetery Book says he died 16 Mar 1865, age 71y1m1d. (OR = 29 Mar 1865).

Stinchcomb, Walter P, son of John O & Mary Stinchcomb, died of cholera 29 Jul 1865, age 10m22d. (OR = 2 Aug 1865).

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Tonner, Thomas, Canton, cashier at First National Bank, 20 Mar 1865, age 48. (OR = 22 Mar 1865).

Troxel, David, Plain Tp, died with a lingering disease 24 Feb 1866, age 50. (OR = 28 Feb 1866).

Trump, Alva Henry, Dunkirk, Hardin Co, only son of David & Elizabeth Trump, died of typhoid fever 18 Feb 1866, age 10y, remains brought to Canton. (OR = 21 Feb 1866).

Trump, Mary, Mrs, Canton, wife of Peter P Trump, left husband and a large family of children, 23 Oct 1865, age 42y6m26d. (OR = 25 Oct 1865).

Tschubb, Hannah, Mrs, emigrated from PA with her first husband, Daniel Paulus in 1815; came to Jackson Tp; he died a year later leaving 5 small children; she remarried Jacob Tschubb and again became a widow in 20 years. She went to IN to live with her children and after 20 years died at the home of her son-in-law, James Smith 30 Dec 1865. (OR = 4 Apr 1866).

Upham, William K, Esq, died at Canfield, Mahoning Co 22 Mar 1865, remains brought back to Canton. (OR = 29 Mar 1865).

Voglegesang, Frances, Canton, dtr of H L Voglegesang, 4 Mar 1866, age 3y3m. (OR = 7 Mar 1866).

Wagner, Blantine, 28 Feb 1866, age 67y14d. (OR = 7 Mar 1866).

Watson, Ann, Mrs, Rochester, Stark Co, 11 Feb 1866, age 49y1m10d. (OR = 7 Mar 1866).

Welker, Alice, Massillon, 20 Mar 1866, age 15y 6m20d. (OR = 28 Mar 1866).

Wernet, Frank X, Canton, died of consumption 4 Mar 1866, age 56. (OR = 7 Mar 1866).

Wise, Adam, Canton, born in Washington Co, PA 1798, came to Stark Co 1818, died after long painful illness 8 Mar 1865, age 66y2m11d. (OR = 15 Mar 1865).

Wyandt, Daniel B, life resident of Milton (now Wilmot), his son Winfield Scott Wyandt at age 17 enlisted in 19 Reg OVI and was killed 27 May 1864 in battle at Dallas, GA, Daniel left wife and 6 children 1 Aug 1865, age 45. (OR = 9 Aug 1865).

Yates, Thomas H, Canton, contracted consumption in KY during the Kirby Smith's raids and died 3 Mar 1865, age 24y2m23d. (OR = 15 Mar 1865).

Yenner, Harriet, Rochester, 23 Oct 1865, age 23y18d. (OR = 8 Nov 1865).

Yohe, Barnet, Canton Tp, farmer, died of dysentery 21 Jul 1865, age 40. (OR = 26 Jul 1865).

Young, Barbara, Canton, wife of Frederick Young, pioneer settler, died at advanced age 24 Apr 1865. (OR = 26 Apr 1865).

Queries

GARMAN, DICKERHOFF, FOUST, STUVER, WEAVER, RININGER, REITER, MYERS, HANE, SPITLER, SWARTZ, NEITA, BRIDENTHAL, BEARD, CLAY, BATES, SNYDER: Need info: John GARMAN 1811-1889; m (1) Martha Sarah DICKERHOFF 1811-1849; children: Sophia (Abraham FOUST); Nancy (James Wm STUVER); m (2) Mary WEAVER; children: Louisa (George RININGER); John (Louise REITER); Lydia (Levi REITER); Leah (Rolandus MYERS); m (3) Catherine HANE 1838-1920; children: Frank (Ann SPITLER); Ellen (SWARTZ); Charles (Fanny NEITZ); Ida (BRIDENTHAL); Lewis (Ellen BEARD); Emmanuel (Sylvia CLAY); Dan (Emma BATES); Anna (Tom SNYDER). Nancy Howell, 50 Delora Drive, Akron OH 44319.

LITTLE, BIRNHEISER, POYSER, STOVER
Need info about Elias LITTLE b 1795 Gettysburg, PA; died 1850 Canton, OH. Married 1821 to Mary BIRNHEISER who died 1877. Children: Rufus, William (wife Eliza POYSER); Catherine; Samuel; Sarah; Mary & Eliza. Also Elias' brother Andrew LITTLE & his dtr Delia STOVER. All resided in Canton. Ruth Minnery, 3150 Rivermill Dr, Columbus, OH 43220.

SIMON, HUNT: My father was Walter August SIMON, b 29 Jun 1913 in Massillon, OH. He died in July 1964. His first wife was my mother, Rosella HUNT of Massillon. Walter and his second wife had a son named Walter SIMON. This child is my half brother. Does anyone know the name of the second wife or the whereabouts of the child, Walter SIMON? Susan Simon Westbrook, P O Box 8, 6110 South Virginia Land, Dahlgren, VA 22448.

PRICE, ROLAND, BROWN: James Price died 1830/31 Pike Tp, Stark Co. He had 8 children: Benjamin; John; Osee (1794); Mary; Thomas; William; Peter (1810); James. (1) Who was the mother of the children? (2) When and (3) Where was James married? (4) Did Peter have two wives or is Nancy ROLAND 10 years older than 1850 census shows? Jacob C BROWN mar Sarah PRICE about 1835, Stark Co? Has anyone traced Sarah's parents? George W BROWN, their son is chronicled in Perrin's History of Stark County. Is there a record of burial for Sarah BROWN, wife of Jacob C BROWN? She died about 1848. Rose Schaer, 8506 W Grange Hall Rd, A, Edwards, IL 61528-9734.

Stark County Deaths

Deaths taken from the Ohio Repository by Karl Harsh are listed below. The date of the newspaper is listed after OR. The years are 1866 and 1867.

Allen, Myra J, Miss, Massillon, dtr of Alexander Allen, Esq, 25 Apr 1866, age 18y7m21d. (OR = 2 May 1866).

Allman, Daniel, near Massillon, lived in Stark Co more than 40 years, 21 Feb 1867 at advanced age. (OR = 27 Feb 1867).

Anderson, Elizabeth, Mrs, Canton, wife of William Anderson, Esq, died of consumption, 24 May 1866, age 33y3m24d. (OR = 30 May 1866)

Atwater, Emily M, Mrs, wife of David R Atwater, Esq, injured when jumping from a buggy while still moving. She and another lady were driving to Fulton when the horse became restive and unmanageable, 22 Jun 1866, age 50. (OR = 27 Jun 1866).

Avery, Edward, Judge, Wooster, 28 Jun 1866, at advanced age. (OR = 11 Jul 1866).

Bachtel, Isaac, pioneer settler of New Berlin, died of apoplexy, 4 Jun 1866, age 66y10d24d. There were 93 carriages in the funeral. (OR = 6 Jun 1866).

Bair, Samuel, Plain Tp, pioneer settler of Stark Co, 18 Jan 1867, age 97. Mrs Bair is still living at age 96. (OR = 23 Jan 1867).

Barnes, Emma Frances, Bethlehem Tp, dtr of John S & Maria Barnes, 4 Apr 1867, age 13y5d. (OR = 10 Apr 1867).

Beatty, Samuel, Jackson Tp., only son of Gen S Beatty & wife, no date given, age 6m7d. (OR = 13 Feb 1867).

Bose, Michael, came to Stark Co in 1812 and settled 2 miles south of Massillon. 2 years later he moved to Sugar Creek Tp near the falls. He was one of the first pioneers in Tp. Father of 9 children, 52 grandchildren and 60 great grandchildren, 27 Mar 1867, age lacks 2 days of 93. (OR = 10 Apr 1867).

Brown Sarah, Mrs, Bethlehem Tp, wife of H D Brown, left husband and 5 children, 17 Aug 1866, age 44. (OR = 5 Sep 1866).

Browning, Mary Frances, Miss, Canton, oldest dtr of Oren T Browning, graduated the month before from the Wesleyan Academy at Wilbraham, MA, No date given, age 16y5m24d. (OR = 8 Aug 1866). Cemetery Book Vol 7, Westlawn Cemetery Canton, died 3 Aug 1866.

Campbell, William J, Bowling Green, Clay Co, IN, died at the home of Peter Housel in Canton of billious colic, 8 Nov 1866, age 45. Married 22 Sep 1864 to Sarah Housel whom he left with several children. Remains taken back to IN. (OR = 14 Nov 1866).

Chilson, Abel, Canton, died of consumption 28 Sep 1866, age 57. (OR = 3 Oct, 1866).

Chilson, Jerusha, Miss, died of consumption at the home of her brother-in-law, William Rank, no date given. (OR = 27 Feb 1867). Cemetery Book death date 26 Feb 1867.

Cooper, Thomas, Canton, born in Bilston, Staffordshire,

England, 6 Jun 1867, age 58. (OR = 12 Jun 1867).

Crawford, Francis, Mr, born 21 Aug 1787 Cumberland Co, PA; moved to Jefferson Co, OH Dec 1812 and in 1831 moved to the farm in Sandy Tp. where he died. He married 2 Dec 1824 Jane Carr, member of the Presbyterian Church in Waynesburg; 10 Nov 1866. (OR = 14 Nov 1866).

Creighton, James, Waynesburg, pioneer settler came in 1813, 28 Apr 1866, age 81. (OR = 23 May 1866).

Dangler, Lahmyan L, Mrs, Massillon, wife of Isaac B Dangler, Esq, died of erysipelas at the residence on Main St, 29 May 1866, age 46. (OR = 6 Jun 1866).

Daughenbaugh, Abraham, formerly of Canton was living at Findlay, Hancock Co; industrious mechanic, 22 Aug 1866, age 68. (OR = 29 Aug 1866).

Davis, John, Massillon, superintendent of the coal mines of Rhodes & Co, 7 Mar 1867, age 40. (OR = 13 Mar 1867).

Deuble, Anna S, Mrs, Canton, wife of George Deuble, 21 Oct 1866, at advanced age. (OR = 24 Oct 1866).

Dombauld, Susanna, Mrs, died at the home of her son-in-law, Gabriel Weimer, Sr in Sugar creek Tp; mother of 6 children, 47 grandchildren and 47 great grandchildren; member of the Presbyterian Church for over 60 years; 7 Mar 1867, age 83 lacking 4 days (OR = 10 Apr 1867).

Eshleman, Newton, near Canal Fulton, son of David & Harriet Eshleman, no date listed, age 1y7m13d. (OR = 17 Apr 1867).

Everhard, Anna Rebecca, Mrs, Jackson Tp, wife of Henry Everhard and dtr of the late Daniel Slanker, suffered from heart disease, died 28 Aug 1866, age 59y1m23d. (OR = 5 Sep 1866).

Fox, Mary, Mrs, wife of George R Fox, 1 Jun 1866, age 27. (OR = 6 Jun 1866).

Garrison, John R, Alliance, 1 Sep 1866, age 66. (OR = 12 Sep 1866).

Good, Jacob, Perry Tp, 28 Mar 1867, age 77y1m14d. (OR = 3 Apr 1867).

Goodwill, Bradley C, Esq, North Industry, died of consumption 2 Sep 1866, age 72. (OR = 5 Sep 1866).

Guinea, Josiah, Waynesburg, died of consumption 11 Nov 1866, age 34. (OR = 5 Dec 1866).

Haack, Samuel, Milwaukee, father of Ferdinand Haack of Canton; formerly a citizen of Canton; buried with Masonic honors, no date given, at an advanced age. (OR = 13 Mar 1867).

Handy, Cortland C, Massillon, son of Parker & Corneia S Handy, 31 May 1866, age 16. (OR = 6 Jun 1866).

Hawkins, Amanda, Mrs, wife of Charles H Hawkins, Esq, of Pittsburgh and the dtr of George Schleich of Canton; remains brought back to Canton, 22 Jan 1867, age 25. (OR = 23 Jan 1867).

Hoover, Jaban, Elkhart, IN, son of J & R Hoover, formerly of Canton, died of consumption 13 Feb 1867, age 23. (OR = 27 Feb 1867).

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Houghton, John, Esq, Akron, former resident of Hartville, died of cancer 23 Jun 1866 at advanced age. (OR = 11 Jul 1866).

Howenstine, Barbara, Mrs, Pike Tp, wife of the late Samuel Howenstine, 5 Apr 1867, age 63y11m10d, (OR = 10 Apr 1867).

Hurford, Zachary T, Osnaburg Tp, son of Alfred Hurford, died of dropsy of the heart 30 Jan 1867, age 20y2m12d. (OR = 13 Feb 1867).

Hurxthal, Dorothea, Mrs, Massillon, wife of the late Ferdinand G Hurxthal, Esq, and dtr of Peter Arnold Karthaus Esq, of Baltimore; born 22 Nov 1789 in Remscheid, Duchy of Berg in the kingdom of Prussia; came to US when 10. In March 1858 they celebrated their golden wedding anniversary and in Dec he died, 4 Dec 1866, age 78. (OR = 12 Dec 1866).

Jarvis, Frances M, Mrs, Massillon, wife of the late Gen Dwight Jarvis, 7 Jul 1866, age 54. (OR = 18 Jul 1866).

Johnson, George, Alliance, 2 Sep 1866, age 35. (OR = 12 Sep 1866).

Kreiling, George, West Brookfield, died of asthma 26 Nov 1866, age 75y3m16d. (OR = 12 Dec 1866).

Kryder, Sarah, Mrs, Plain Tp, wife of the late Jacob Kryder, 7 Apr 1866, age 59. (OR = 2 May 1866).

Labeau, Margaret, Mrs., Canton Tp, wife of Charles Labeau, left her husband and 7 small children, 16 Feb 1867, age 35. (OR = 20 Feb 1867).

Laird, Madison R, Lt, 16 Reg Iowa Infantry, was in southern prisons for 9 months and there contracted disease from which he never recovered. He was the son of John Laird of Dalton, OH; died 4 Dec 1866 and buried at Des Moines, IA by GAR on 5 Dec. (OR = 12 Dec 1866).

Laird, Mathew, Canton, had lived in Canton since 1815; died at the residence of his brother, John Laird, 26 Jan 1867, at advanced age. (OR = 30 Jan 1867).

Lantzer, Abraham, Plain Tp, a pioneer settler, no date given, age 87. (OR = 20 Jun 1866). Cemetery Book, St Jacobs Church Cemetery death date 28 May 1866.

Leiter, Benjamin F, Esq, Canton, Attorney at Law, ex-member of Congress, state senator, 17 Jun 1866, age 55. (OR = 20 Jun 1866). An obituary was to have appeared the following week but it did not.

Lichtenwalter, Jacob, Jackson Tp, 29 May 1866, age 77. (OR = 6 Jun 1866).

Lind, Mary A, Mrs, wife of Samuel Lind; joined English Lutheran Church at age 16, 8 May 1867, age 34y6m13d. (OR = 22 May 1867).

Martin, John B, Alliance, 4 Sep 1866, age 22. (OR = 12 Sep 1866).

McGregor, William, Canton, son of Collins McGregor, died of softening of the brain 10 Sep 1866, age 28y5m12d. (OR = 26 Sep 1866).

McSweeney, Mary, Wooster, 2nd dtr of John & Kate McSweeney, died of diphtheria 27 Sep 1866m age 11. (OR = 24 Oct 1866).

Mentzer, Jefferson, 21 Apr 1866, age 18y6m27d. (OR = 2 May 1866).

Miller, Benton, Perry Tp, son of Lewis Miller, 16 Apr 1867, age 1y7m14d. (OR = 24 Apr 1867).

Miller, Harriet, Miss, youngest dtr of Jesse Miller, died of inflammation of the brain 25 Sep 1866, age 22y7m23d. (OR = 3 Oct 1866).

Miller, Julia, Miss, dtr of Peter & Barbara Miller. After a lingering illness over 3 years, she died 30 Oct 1866, age 47y5m15d. (OR = 2 Jan 1867).

Myers, Caroline, Mrs, wife of the late John Myers, Esq., born in Germany, came to Baltimore, then to Middlebury, then to Canton. In 1817 she joined the Lutheran Church. She died at the home of John Lahm, Esq, Canton, 12 Nov 1866, age 78y8m. (OR = 14 Nov 1866).

Oberly, infant child of C Oberly, 22 May 1866, age about 7 weeks. (OR = 30 May 1866).

Palmer, Margaret, Mrs, wife of Jacob Palmer, leaves her husband and 6 small children, 18 Oct 1866, age 34y7m. (OR = 24 Oct 1866).

Penny, J, Louisville, member of the United Brethren Church in Christ, left wife & several children, 16 Aug 1866, age 62. (OR = 5 Sep 1866).

Rex, Catharine, Mrs, Canton, wife of Jacob Rex, born in Philadelphia, PA 12 Jun 1798, pioneer settler and member of M E Church, 1 Apr 1867, age 68y9m20d. (OR = 3 Apr 1867).

Richards, John, Pike Tp, settled in 1807, raised large family, 16 Mar 1867, age 83. (OR = 20 Mar 1867).

Rider, Louisa, Mrs, wife of Col John F Rider and dtr of the late Dr George Breysacher, formerly of Canton. She was living in St Marys, IL and on 2 Jul when retiring, she undertook to blow out a coal oil lamp, when it exploded, burning her in a terrible manner. She lingered until 26 Jul 1866. (OR = 8 Aug 1866).

Robertson, James, member of the Minerva Lodge No 222, IOOF State of Ohio Resolution, died at Fort Hayes, KS 4 May 1867, age 23. (OR = 12 Jun 1867).

Ross, Nancy, Mrs, Waynesburg, wife of I N Ross, mother of 10 children, 23 Aug 1866, age 49y9m2d. (OR = 26 Sep 1866).

Rubenstein, _____ Lately of Canton, left wife and 3 children, died of a disease of the throat, no date given, age 38. (OR = 16 May 1866).

Saint, William, Canton, left wife and 3 children, member of the 19 Reg OVI, died of typhoid fever 24 Jan 1867, age 48. (OR = 30 Jan 1867).

Schlott, William H, Rochester, formerly of Stark Co, left a wife and 1 child, died of inflammatory rheumatism 4 Mar 1867. Buried by the Order of Good Templars. (OR = 13 Mar 1867).

Scully, Lavinia, Mrs, Uniontown, wife of Thomas Scully, died in Columbus of nervous complaint 8 Oct 1866, age 43 (OR = 24 Oct 1866).

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Sell, Isaac, near New Berlin, 1 Dec 1866, age 35. (OR = 5 Dec 1866).

Sherrick, Mary, Canton Tp, wife of C Sherrick, left husband and 7 children, 8 Dec 1866, age 46y4m16d. (OR = 12 Dec 1866).

Shorb, Adam A Canton, came with his parents from Baltimore, MD in 1805 to Steubenville and in 1807 to Canton, 4 Oct 1866, age 68. (OR = 10 Oct 1866).

Shreve, Mary, Miss, Salem, OH, born 27 Nov 1792 in Fayette Co, PA, dtr of John & Abigail Shreve; came to Salem in Apr 1823 to live with her brother, Joseph. In Apr 1833 they moved to Stark Co and in Apr 1863 she and her sister moved back to Salem, 11 Apr 1867, age 74y4m14 d. (OR = 24 Apr 1867).

Shriver, Isaac, Canton, married Rachel Bowers 6 Sep 1860, leaves wife and 1 child, member 115 Reg OVI, died suddenly 30 Jan 1867, age 28. (OR = 30 Jan 1867).

Smith, Samuel, Esq, Greentown, Commissioner of Stark Co, died of typhus fever, 18 Sep 1866, age 66. (OR = 19 Sep 1866).

Snyder, Philip Lishawa, Osnaburg Tp., member Co D, 19 Reg OVI and severely wounded in battle of Chickamauga, died of consumption 3 Jul 1866, age 26. (OR = 18 Jul 1866).

Stansberry, Elizabeth, Mrs, Tuscarawas Tp., died at home of son William Stansberry 1 Nov 1866, age 93y8m-21d, date from cemetery book. (OR = 14 Nov 1866).

Staub, Jacob, Mapleton, 22 Aug 1866, age 84. (OR = 29 Aug 1866).

Stevenson, George B, Canton, son of John M & Elizabeth, 4 Jul 1866, age 3y2d. (OR = 18 Jul 1866).

Steffa, Martha J, Mrs, Massillon, 23 Feb 1867, age 54. (OR = 27 Feb 1867).

Stover, George, Lawrence Tp., resident of Stark Co over 50 years, 21 Apr 1867, age 80. (OR = 24 1867).

Voelker, Anthony, died at the Washington House of Consumption, no date listed, age 55. (OR = 30 Jan 1867).

Wagner, Christiana, formerly of Plain Tp., moved to Porter, Cass Co, MI 17 years ago, died at home of Gabriel Eby, 17 Feb 1867, age 75. (OR = 20 Feb 1867).

Weasner, Charlotte, Mrs, born in Philadelphia, PA, dtr of Godfrey Bockius, Esq, resident of Stark Co for over 30 years, buried her husband in 1846, died at home of son-in-law near Massillon, 17 Jan 1867. (OR = 23 Jan 1867).

Weaver, Samuel, Plain T.p., pioneer settler, 26 Nov 1866, age 66. (OR = 28 Nov 1866).

Whitacre, John, Rev, minister of Disciple Church over 40 years, traveled OH, VA and KY, died in home of Mr Allen in Jackson Tp, 26 Nov 1866, age 76. (OR = 28 Nov 1866).

Widgeon, Ruth Emily, Massillon, wife of William Widgeon and mother-in-law of Col G W Williams in whose home she died. Born in Providence, RI 6 Jun 1786 and married in Boston in 1813; and in 1816 came to Kendal in a carriage trip of 39 days. Pioneer settler of

Jackson Tp where she lived for 1 month short of 50 years. Left husband and 3 children, Mrs John Long, Charles Widgeon & Mrs G W Williams, 2 Jun 1866, age 81. (OR = 6 Jun 1866).

Widgeon, William, Massillon, a native of Norfolk, VA he was in the Navy in the War of 1812 and participated in the battle between the Constitution and the two British vessels, the Java and the Gurriere. He died at the home of his son-in-law, Major G W Williams in Canton, 27 Sep 1866, age 79. (OR = 10 Oct, 1866).

Wise, Catharine, Mrs, Jackson Tp, wife of George Wise, 27 Apr 1866, age 53y6m5d. (OR = 2 May 1866).

Wonderly, Charles, son of John & Elizabeth Wonderly, 22 May 1866, age 6y. (OR = 30 May 1866).

Young, Kate, Mrs., Iowa, dtr of George Stump, formerly of Canton Tp, died of consumption at the home of R A Dunbar, Esq, in Canton, 13 Nov 1866, age 33. (OR = 14 Nov 1866).

Zerbe, John, Canton T.. 11 May 1867, age 70. (OR = 15 May 1867).

New Family History Center

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints has announced that a new Family History Center will be opened in North Canton, OH. It will be located at the LDS Church at 735 Easthill Street SE and will open on Monday 18 Nov 1996. Easthill St runs off S Main St and becomes 55th St before it reaches Market St.

The hours will be as follows:

Mondays and Wednesdays 10:00AM - 2:00PM
Tuesdays and Wednesdays - 6:30 PM - 9:30PM
Saturday: 10:00AM - 4:00PM

The Director will be Virginia M Hall. All mail should be sent to her at 1105 W Maple Street, North Canton, OH 44720. She is the former Director of the Family History Center in Tallmadge, OH.

The Center has 2 microfilm readers and 2 microfiche readers and 1 computer. They will have the basic information that all Family History Centers have and more will be acquired over time.

Enter at the front of the Church on the lefthand side. This is the southwest corner of the Church building.

The Canton area is indeed fortunate to have a Family History Center so close by. The Talmadge location is 25 miles from Canton. The former location on the west side of Akron was over 30 miles from Canton. Other sites in Ohio are further. Films may be ordered from Salt Lake City for viewing at the Church. You may pay an additional amount to retain the film at the Local FHC permanently. The catalog for Salt Lake City Family History Library is on the computer for you to select films to view.

Stark County Deaths

Deaths taken from the Ohio Repository by Karl Harsh are listed below. The date of the newspaper is listed after OR. The years are 1867 and 1868.

Anderson, Phoebe S, Mrs, wife of the late David Anderson and formerly of Massillon, died in Toledo of consumption 19 Feb 1868, aged 60. (OR = 12 Mar 1868).

Aungst, John T, Rowland's Mills, son of John S & Margaret Aungst, 10 Jun 1868, age 1y8m17d. (OR = 24 Jun 1868).

Bailey, Sarah M, Mrs, Oneida Mills, Carroll Co, wife of William A Bailey, recently married, died of typhoid fever 3 Jan 1868, age 19y3m14d. (OR = 15 Jan 1868).

Ballard, Sophia, infant dtr of James & Mollie Ballard, 17 Oct 1867. (OR = 23 Oct 1867).

Beecher, Simon, Canton, 13 Dec 1868, age 70. (OR = 24 Dec 1868)

Belden, George W, Judge, elected a judge of the 5th judicial court under Ohio's old constitution as well as the new constitution, 15 Aug 1868, age 59. (OR = 19 Aug 1868).

Belden, Rachel, Mrs, Canton, wife of George W Belden, died of cancer 11 Nov 1867, age 50. (OR = 13 Nov 1867).

Belnap, S S, Bolivar, resident of Bolivar 33 years and member of Methodist Church, 20 Sep 1868, age 68. (OR = 30 Sep 1868).

Berg, Ida, dtr of Jacob & Ella Berg, 17 Jul 1868, age 3m10d. (OR = 22 Jul 1868).

Biechele, Emile, Canton, son of Joseph & A Biechele, 19 Oct 1868, age 3m. (OR = 21 Oct 1868).

Blythe, Richard, resided near Mapleton, 14 May 1868, age 60, buried at Waynesburg. (OR = 20 May 1868).

Borroway, Elmer, infant son of Michael & Sarah E Borroway, 27 Aug 1867. (OR = 4 Sep 1867).

Brown, James M, Esq, Massillon, native of Bloomfield, Trumbull Co, OH. Came to Massillon in 1854, Attorney, 28 Oct 1867, age 50. (OR = 30 Oct 1867).

Buchtel, John, Bethlehem Tp, came to this county in 1809 from Centre Co, PA, resided on the farm he opened until his death, 29 Jan 1868, age 74. (OR = 5 Feb 1868).

Cassilly, James H, died of consumption 25 Aug 1868, age 65. (OR = 26 Aug 1868).

Cunningham, Mathias S, Canton, died of yellow fever at New Orleans, 6 Oct 1867, age 28, buried by the Printers Union. (OR = 16 Oct 1867).

Dillon, Lewis S, Capt, in the Military 3 years and died of a disease 25 May 1868. (OR = 27 May 1868).

Doll, John, Perry Tp, born in York Co, PA but came to Stark Co at an early age, died 22 Dec 1868, age 71. (OR = 8 Jan 1868).

Eckert, Elizabeth, Mrs, Canton, died 1 Aug 1868, age 69. (OR = 5 Aug 1868).

Fielding, Sarah, Mrs, wife of John Fielding, died of consumption 8 Jun 1868, age 37, left husband and 3 children. (OR = 10 Jun 1868).

Fogle, John M, Canton, son of George & Mary Fogle, employed by the ANGRW as a brakeman; north of Mansfield when the signal was given to apply the brake, the handle slipped off and he was sent beneath the wheels of the car and killed 18 Aug 1868, age 27. Fought in Civil War under Capt William S Williams and discharged as a corporal. (OR = 26 Aug 1868).

Foley, Eliza, dtr of Patrick & Catharine Foley, died of cholera 22 Jul 1868, age 14d. (OR = 5 Aug 1868).

Foust, Elias, son of the late Benjamin Foust, 26 Jan 1868, age 39. (OR = 29 Jan 1868).

Friedman, Matthias, Canton, 12 Oct 1867, age 79. (OR = 16 Oct 1867).

Gaff, John, Plain Tp, born 22 Dec 1794 in Westmoreland Co, PA. He moved to Stark Co the spring of 1807. He married Hannah Moore 5 Jul 1821; she died 27 Jan 1863. He tried to bury a large stone in a field and broke his leg and suffered much pain until death on 2 Sep 1868. (OR = 9 Sep 1868).

Grove, Margaret, Mrs, died at home of her son in Pike Tp on 31 Aug 1868, age 75y6m9d. (OR = 16 Sep 1868).

Haas, Elizabeth, Mrs, native of Huntington, PA, wife of the late Rev Frederick Haas, former pastor of the 1st Lutheran Church who died in Canton, Elizabeth moved to Tiffin where she died at the home of her son on 23 Apr 1868, age 78y6m. (OR = 29 Apr 1868).

Hane, Mary Magdalene, Mrs, born 25 Sep 1784 in Northampton Co, PA, married 3 Jun 1800 to Christian Hane, came to OH 1810 and settled a mile east of Canton. She was the mother of 11 children and was survived by 8 children and 75 grandchildren and many great grandchildren. She died 4 Mar 1868, age 83y5m3d and was buried in Westlawn Cemetery. (OR = 18 Mar 1868).

Harsh, Louisa, Miss, Massillon, adopted dtr of George & Sarah Harsh, 1 Dec 1867, age 19. (OR = 4 Dec 1867).

Hayhurst, Jasper Ross, son of J T & E K Hayhurst, 21 Aug 1868, age 2m. (OR = 26 Aug 1868).

Hazlett Harry Brown, eldest son of Judge Isaac & Helen Hazlett, 9 Jun 1868, age 11y9m. (OR = 10 Jun 1868).

Hazlett, Margaret B Laird, Mrs, born 5 Jan 1794 in Northumberland Co, PA; came to Canton 18 Oct 1818 and mar 22 Feb 1821 the late James Hazlett, died 1 Aug 1868, age 74. (OR = 5 Aug 1868).

Hostetter, Jacob, Esq, resided in Plain Tp and Paris Tp, served 2 terms as Ohio Legislator and was one of the Associate Judges, died at the residence of his son, Edmond Hostetter at Millburn, Crawford Co, IN 2 Oct 1868, age 83. (OR = 14 Oct 1868).

Housel, Margaret, Miss, born 22 Sep 1798 in Northumberland Co, PA, brought to Stark Co in 1812, died at the home of her brother, Anthony Housel in Plain Tp 12 Sep 1868, age 70. For 50 years she was insane. (OR = 16 Sep 1868).

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Johnson, Esther, Mrs, born in Kent Co, England, mar (1) Mathew Judd; mar (2) Joseph Johnson, mother of 9 children, came to America in 1850 with part of her family, died at the home of her son-in-law, Mr Elliott in Sugar Creek Tp 22 Apr 1868, age 84y8m22d. (OR = 6 May 1868).

Jones, Mary, Mrs, Canton, wife of Robert V Jones, left husband and several children, died 25 Jan 1868, age 40. (OR = 5 Feb 1868).

Karthus, Olivia W, dtr of the late Mr & Mrs Karthus of Massillon, died at Moravian School at Bethlehem, PA, 26 Nov 1867, age 14. (OR = 4 Dec 1867)

Ligtheizer, Henry, Canton, soldier in the War of 1812, 11 Oct 1867, age 88y7m. (OR = 16 Oct 1867).

Lynch, Frances, Mrs, Canton, wife of Arnold Lynch, died of a lingering illness 26 Jul 1868, age 49. (OR = 29 Jul 1868).

Miller, Mahala, Mrs, wife of Jesse Miller and mother of many children, 26 Sep 1867, age 63. (OR = 2 Oct 1867).

Myers, Catharine B, Mrs, Canton Tp, wife of Jacob P Myers and dtr of Alpheus & Elizabeth Brown, left husband and 5 children, 16 Jul 1868, age 44y8m14d. (OR = 5 Aug 1868).

Myers, Charles, Canton, only son of Oliver P & Laura Hale Myers, died at home of Mrs E D Myers, 8 Aug 1868, age 12y7m15d. (OR = 12 Aug 1868).

Newman, Barbara, Mrs, died 15 Mar 1868, age 94y9m9d. OR = 18 Mar 1868).

Nichols, William, Sugar Creek Tp, one of the oldest settlers, 11 May 1868m age 81y1m3d. (OR = 17 Jun 1868).

Niesz, Mary, Mrs, born 9 Apr 1798 at Franklin Co, PA, brought to Stark Co by mother and step father, John Newman. Spend over 62 years in Canton Tp, married to Rev John Niesz of United Bretheran Church nearly 50 years, had 5 sons and 5 daughters, died 28 Oct 1868, age 70y6m19d. (OR = 4 Nov 1868).

Noll, Susanna, Mrs, Canton, wife of Henry Noll, 4 Aug 1868, age 26. (OR = 5 Aug 1868).

Pease, Ann Louisa, Mrs, Massillon, born in Palmyra, Wayne Co, NY, the older of 2 dtrs of Ezra & Nancy Shepherdson; came to Massillon in 1831 with her sister, Mrs Teller, wife of Samuel Pease, Esq, mother of 4 children, died 17 Mar 1868, age 56. (OR = 25 Mar 1868).

Platt, Margaret, Mrs, Canton, died of cancer of the stomach, no date given, age 71. (OR = 29 Jul 1868).

Platt, William A, Canton, died of a throat disease 9 Sep 1867, age 40. (OR = 11 Sep 1867).

Ralston, Jane, Mrs, West Brookfield, Stark Co, died 30 May 1868, age 70y8m19d. (OR = 3 Jun 1868).

Rank, Mollie, Miss, dtr of the late Abraham Rank, died 21 Jan 1868, age 61. (OR = 29 Jan 1868).

Reefy, Maria, Mrs, Sugar Creek Tp, born in Berne, Switzerland, wife of John H Reefy who with 2 dtrs and 1

son preceeded her in death, mother of 4 sons and 4 dtrs, died 3 Mar 1868, age 61y11d. (OR = 18 Mar 1868). Death date came from Vol 2 Cemetery Book.

Richardson, James C, Canton coming from Waynesburg, PA; mar Ellie Wagner on 15 May 1867, died of typhoid fever 26 Aug 1867, age 21. (OR = 4 Sep 1867).

Roan, David A, Canton, had a sudden death 5 Apr 1868, age 60. (OR = 8 Apr 1868).

Roush, Elizabeth Ann, Crestline, OH, wife of Nathaniel Roush, had been a resident of Stark Co, survived by husband and 8 children, age 32y9m14d, buried in Massillon. (OR = 1 Apr 1868).

Schott, Mathias, Massillon, son of Lucas Schott. Robert Schertz, an employee of James Miller was digging in the sand and 2 feet down the body was discovered. The doctors who examined the body and thought the boy had laid down to rest and the sand suffocated him, but the jury kept in mind that it might be murder. The death occurred 18 Oct 1867 at age 14. (OR = 13 Nov 1867).

Scott, William, Jackson Tp, son of John Scott, died of lung fever 25 Jan 1868, age 25. (OR = 29 Jan 1868)).

Shanabruck, Martina, Mrs, Canton, wife of Aston, 23 Aug 1868, age 35. (OR = 26 Aug 1868).

Shorb, Mary Ann, Miss, dtr of the late Adam A Shorb, died after a long illness 4 Nov 1867, age 39y11m14d. (OR = 13 Nov 1867).

Smith, William, Perry Tp, son of the late Jacob Smith, left his mother Lydia and a sister, 17 Nov 1868, age 19y8m22d. (OR = 15 Jun 1868).

Tonner, Katie, Canton, dtr of J S & Kate Tonner, 3 Sep 1868, age 1y10m. (OR = 9 Sep 1868).

Wallace, Perkins, MD, Canton, born 27 Jul 1808 in Geauga Co, OH, named for Simon Perkins of Warren, OH. His father moved to Cleveland in 1809, later to Brandywine, Summit Co. Studied medicine with Thomas S Bonfield and commenced the practice of medicine in Massillon in 1836 and moved to Canton in 1847. He married on 20 Jul 1834 Rebecca Reynolds who with 6 children now mourne his loss. Member of Presbyterian Church. Died 17 Jul 1868, 10 days prior to 60th birthday. (OR = 22 Jul 1868).

Wilson, Harriet Alice, Mapleton, dtr of John H & Lucinda P Wilson, 4 Sep 1868, age 1y8m18d./ (OR = 16 Sep 1868).

Immigration Lists

If you discover a reference to your family in Filby's Passenger and Immigration Lists, it is possible to get a copy of the original source. The Burton Historical Collection at the Detroit Public Library, 5201 Woodward Ave, Detroit, MI 48202, maintains all sources indexed in Filby's. You must cite the source number. They charge \$2.00 postage and handling plus 20 cents per copy.

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*HARTMAN, H, 18, K, 1 AUG, DIARRHEA C
 HARTMAN, JOSHUA, 2, K, 23 AUG, SCORBUS
 HARVEY, CHARLES, 76, K, 26 APR, DYSENTERY C
 HATFIELD, ANDERSON G, 114, E, 9 NOV, DEBILITAS
 HATFIELD, GEORGE W, 126, K, 11 AUG, DYSENTERY
 HAWKINGS, NATHAN W, CPL, 103, G, 8 MAY, FEVER TYPHUS
 HAYFORD, ANSON E, 125, C, 24 JUN, DIARRHEA
 *HAYNER, B, 185, A, 6 NOV, SCORBUS
 HAZLETT, WILLIAM, 2, K, 6 JUN, FEVER INTERMITTENT
 HEATON, AMOS W, 45, F, 20 APR, SMALL POX
 HECKLER, JOHN, 36, G, 11 SEP, SCORBUS
 HEIFNER, GEORGE W, 96, C, 14 SEP, SCORBUS
 HENDERSHOT, JOHN, 45, D, 31 JUL, SCORBUS
 HENDERSON, DAVID, 122, H, 23 OCT, SCORBUS
 HENDERSON, SAMUEL W, SGT, 40, H, 22 JUN, DIARRHEA C
 *HENDRICKSON, O, 19, F, 7 AUG, SCORBUS
 KENNING, NATHAN, 7 CAV, D, 15 AUG, CATARRH
 HENRY, GEORGE W, 95, E, 4 MAY, DIARRHEA
 HENRY, JOSEPH, 7 CAV, L, 8 APR, DIARRHEA C
 HERBERT, WILLIAM, 4 CAV, L, 8 OCT, SCORBUS
 *HERBOLT, DANIEL, 115, F, 7 SEP, DIARRHEA
 HERERLIN, B, 82, 7 OCT, DIARRHEA
 *HERMAN, R, 135, F, 11 OCT, SCORBUS
 HIBBERT, WM, 21, D, 19 AUG, MARASMOUS
 HICKOX, WILLIAM R, 2 CAV, B, 13 APR, PLEURITIS
 HICKS, JOHN D, 11, D, 22 AUG, DYSENTERY
 HICKS, THOMAS, 40, H, 16 AUG, DIARRHEA
 HIGGINS, JAMES, CPL, 14, C, 18 AUG, DIARRHEA
 HILL, ELIAS S, 89, G, 13 JAN '65, SCORBUS
 HILL, JOHN, SGT, 7 CAV, L, 7 APR, DIARRHEA C
 HILL, SAMUEL, 126, F, 20 SEP, SCORBUS
 HILL, WALTER L, 54, A, 6 JAN '65, SCORBUS
 HILLYER, JOHN H, 98, F, 16 OCT, DIARRHEA
 HINE, FRANK E, 2 CAV, D, 25 AUG, DIARRHEA
 HINTON, WM, 72, A, 5 OCT, DIARRHEA
 *HINTZ, D, 1, B, 28 OCT, SCORBUS
 HITCHCOCK, GEORGE A, 34, G, 14 SEP, SCORBUS
 HOCKINBERRY, NORTON, 45, C, 1 APR, DIARRHEA
 HOLCOMB, LEWIS, 7 CAV, L, 2 OCT, SCORBUS
 *HOLDMAN, F, 1 BATTERY, D, 16 APR, PNEUMONIA
 HOLEBAUGH, JOHN M, 23, E, 11 AUG, DIARRHEA
 *HOLLOWAY, G W, 1, C, 28 MAY, DIARRHEA C
 HOLLY, PHILO H, SGT, 100, B, SCORBUS
 HOLMAN, A, 68, K, 12 AUG, WOUNDS
 HOLMES, WESLEY, 135, F, 30 SEP, DIARRHEA
 HOLTZ, WILLIAM, 101, I, 7 MAR, '65, DEBILITAS
 HOMER, JACOB, 45, B, 9 APR, DIARRHEA C
 HONNELL, FRANCIS R, 9, G, 13 AUG, DIARRHEA
 HOOVER, JACOB L, 68, K, 28 SEP, DIARRHEA
 HORNICK, CHRISTOPHER, 110, D, 8 OCT, SCORBUS
 HERRICKS, EDWARD, 34, H, 23 AUG, SCORBUS
 HOWARD, JEROME B, 123, C, 20 OCT, DYSENTERY
 HOWARD, JOHN, MUSICIAN, 70, D, 23 JUN, DIARRHEA C
 HOWSER, WILLIAM R, 89, K, 18 AUG, CEREBRITIS
 HOYT, ROYAL, 116, B, 16 AUG, MARASMOUS
 HOYT, ROYAL, 7 CAV, K, 18 SEP, SCORBUS
 HOYT, WALLACE B, 29, A, 20 OCT, SCORBUS
 HUBBEL, DANIEL, 45, A, 16 OCT, SCORBUS
 HUBBELL, W A, 23, A, 31 AUG, SCORBUS
 HUDNELL, OWEN, 72, C, 1 SEP, FEVER TYPHUS
 *HUDESEN, WM, 74, G, 16 JUL, DIARRHEA
 HUGE, JOHN, 3 IND CAV, C, 15 JUN, DYSENTERY
 *HUGHES, HENRY, 38, A, 23 AUG, SCORBUS
 HUGHES, JOSHUA, 12, E, 5 SEP, DIARRHEA
 HULL, JAMES W, 4, A, 9 MAR, PNEUMONIA
 HULL, OTHO, 89, B, 27 APR, DIARRHEA
 HULL, SAMUEL, SGT, 21, E, 10 JUN, DIARRHEA C
 HULSCHUT, ADOLPHUS, 32, C, 9 SEP, DIARRHEA
 HUME, JOSEPH A, CPL, 12, F, 29 DEC, MARASMOUS
 HUMPHREY, WILLIAM, 45, C, 19 JUN, PLEURITIS
 HUNT, WILLIAM H, 118, G, 16 JUL, DIARRHEA
 HURD, GEORGE F, 103, H, 25 MAY, DIARRHEA
 HURLBURT, OTTO, 14, H, 2 JUL, DIARRHEA C
 HURLES, ISAAC, 126, C, 30 JUN, FEVER INTERMITTENT
 HURLEY, CYRUS, 15, F, 20 JUN, DIARRHEA
 HURLEY, JOHN C, 124, C, 23 SEP, DIARRHEA
 HUTCHINS, GEORGE W, 153, A, 23 OCT, SCORBUS
 HUTCHINS, JOHN W, 153, A, 31 OCT, DIARRHEA
 HUTCHISON, JAMES, CPL, 111, B, 3 JUL, DIARRHEA
 HUTSINPILLER, REUBEN L, 7 CAV, L, 15 MAY, DIARRHEA C
 HYMES, BRUNTON, 2, G, 17 OCT, SCORBUS
 IDLET, ANDREW J, SGT, 7 CAV, C, 11 OCT, DIARRHEA
 IMBODEN, JOSEPH, 44, K, 1 SEP, DYSENTERY
 INGLE, WILLIAM, 31, C, 14 JUN, DIARRHEA C
 IRVIN, ESTEL, 114, H, 29 MAY, FEVER
 ISHAM, DAVID C, 89, G, 8 FEB '65, SCORBUS
 JACKSON, SHERMAN A, 72, E, 10 JAN '65, PLEURITIS
 *JACOBS, H, CPL, 26, F, 6 SEP, DIARRHEA
 JACOBS, PHILIP O, 45, K, 19 JUL, SCORBUS
 JARRETT, WILLIAM, 15, A, 22 NOV, SCORBUS
 JEFFRIES, HENRY, 36, I, 20 AUG, ICTUS SOLIA
 JENKINS, WM, 8 BATTERY, 13 SEP, SCORBUS
 JENNINGS, JOHN C, CPL, 24, K, 20 OCT, SCORBUS
 JEWELL, JONATHAN, 99, F, 31 JUL, DYSENTERY
 JEWELL, WILLIAM A, 126, G, 14 AUG, DIARRHEA
 JOHNSON, ALLEN S, SGT, 45, I, 6 DEC, DIARRHEA C
 JOHNSON, DAVID, 51, A, 14 SEP, DIARRHEA
 JOHNSON, DAVID, JR, 43, B, 14 SEP, DIARRHEA
 JOHNSON, ENOCH, 124, I, 30 AUG, DIARRHEA
 *JOHNSON, J H, 95, D, 5 JUN, FEVER TYPHUS
 JOHNSON, MICHAEL, 126, C, 13 AUG, DYSENTERY
 JOHNSON, RICHARD, 2, C, 25 SEP, DIARRHEA C
 JOHNSTON, JOHN W, 89, H, 9 AUG, DIARRHEA
 JOLLEY, GEORGE W, 21, K, 16 AUG, SCORBUS
 JONES, HENRY, 45, G, 14 AUG, DYSENTERY C
 *JONES, I B, 30, M, 25 SEP, DIARRHEA
 JONES, JAMES L, 105, G, 9 NOV, SCORBUS
 JONES, JOHN, CPL, 45, G, 25 AUG, SCORBUS
 JONES, RICHARD, 45, C, 22 JUL, SCORBUS
 JONES, ROLAND W, 118, F, 5 SEP, DIARRHEA
 JONES, SAMUEL, 111, B, 24 JUL, FEVER INTERMITTENT
 JONES, SAMUEL D, 135, F, 16 OCT, DYSENTERY
 *JONES, W H, 2, C, 26 DEC, SCORBUS
 *JONES, WILLIAM, CPL, 84, B, 27 SEP, DIARRHEA
 JORDAN, ANSEL, 103, G, 20 SEP, SCORBUS
 JUSTICE, GEORGE W, 45, B, 2 APR, DIARRHEA C
 KALER, JOHN H, 72, B, 8 MAR '65, DIARRHEA
 KARCH, JOSEPH, 183, B, 20 MAR, '65, PLEURITIS
 KELLER, JAMES O, 15, D, 1 OCT, SCORBUS
 *KELLEY, G, 15, E, 31 OCT, ANASARCA
 KELLEY, HERBERT, 1, I, 14 AUG, DYSENTERY
 KELLY, EDWARD W, 41, D, 12 AUG, DIARRHEA
 KELLY, JOSIAH, 45, C, 1 MAY, PNEUMONIA
 KELSEY, JOHN, 51, I, 19 AUG, DEBILITAS
 KELVINGTON, ROBERT, 72, C, 8 JAN 65, FEVER REMITTENT
 KENNEDY, JEREMIAH B, 70, K, 16 NOV, BRONCHITIS
 KENNEDY, SAMUEL J B, 45, E, 29 AUG, SCORBUS
 KERR, ANDREW, 13, I, 17 OCT, DIARRHEA C
 KERR, ISAAC W, 122, C, 21 SEP, DIARRHEA
 KIGER, JOSEPH H, CPL, 45, E, 9 APR, SMALL POX
 *KILLY, WM, 46, C, 20 SEP, ANASARCA
 KIMBLE, SAMUEL, 98, A, 1 AUG, DEBILITAS
 KINCADE, SEWELL H, 18, C, 2 NOV, SCORBUS
 KINNEY, JOHN, CPL, 67, E, 27 APR, DIARRHEA C
 KIRBY, OSCAR, 4 CAV, A, 10 OCT, SCORBUS
 KLINE, HENRY, 111, B, 17 AUG, DIARRHEA
 KNAPP, JOHN, 54, E, 24 SEP, DIARRHEA
 KNIDLER, JOHN W, 33, H, 22 AUG, DYSENTERY
 KNIGHT, JAMES, 21, E, 4 AUG, ANASARCA
 KNOTT, ISAAC C, 153, H, 16 OCT, DIARRHEA
 KNOWLTON, ERASTUS, 6 CAV, B, 24 JUN, DIARRHEA C
 KONKLE, JAMES R, 45, L, 20 AUG, DIARRHEA C
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Stark County Marriages

Marriages from the Ohio Repository have been copied by Karl Harsh and compared to the official records. Only those are selected which have either additional or different information from the Marriage Record, or are not recorded at all. 6# or 7# refers to volume and page number of the Marriage books; NIB = Not in Book; OR = date of Ohio Repository; MR = Marriage Record. The years are 1867, 1868 and 1869.

NIB Ball, James, Canton, & Miss Sallie L Braun. Allegheny City, PA, 26 Sep 1867, by Rev John Miller. (OR = 2 Oct 1867).

7-3 Baum, John & Miss Ann J Creighton, both of Stark Co, dtr of John Creighton, 25 May 1868, by Rev J Madison Bray. (OR = 3 Jun 1868).

6-617 Bicknell, Daniel & Miss Barbara Wourst, 11 Feb 1868, by Rev Daniel Worley. (OR 1 Apr 1868; MR = Daniel Becknell).

7-116 Boswick, Charles E & Nuss Mary C Perdue, both of Minerva, 16 Feb 1869 by Rev A B Wary. Double wedding with William F Faas & Mary C Perdue. (OR = 25 Feb 1869).

NIB Bour, William H & Miss Lida Winkleman, 5 Mar 1868. (OR = 12 Mar 1868).

6-452 Bradley, Lucius, New York City & Miss Isadore Sheldon, Taylorsville, IL, 21 Feb 1867, married by Rev H H Morrell of New York City in St Timothy's Church, Massillon. Double wedding. (OR = 27 Feb 1867).

7-47 Brady, Oliver, Canton & Miss Libbie Bergman, Fremont, IN, 4 Oct 1868, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 7 Oct 1868; MR = Elizabeth Bergman).

7-11 Briggie, Joseph, Jr & Miss Jane Williams, both of Stark County, dtr of John Williams, 28 Jun 1868, by Rev J Madison Bray. (OR = 8 Jul 1868).

NIB Brownson, Ira D, Stark Co & Miss Eliza J Baxter, Carroll Co, 4 Feb 1869, by Rev J R Roller, at the home of the bride's mother in Carroll County. (OR = 11 Feb 1869).

NIB Buckingham, E, Rev, Canton, OH & Miss F N Horr, Hannibal, MO, dtr of B W Horr, Esq, 22 Jun 1868, by Rev John Leighton at the First Presbyterian Church of Hannibal, MO. (OR = 1 Jul 1868).

6-572 Buffner, Samuel & Miss Malinda Essig, 7 Nov 1867, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 13 Nov 1867; MR Samuel Ruffner).

NIB Cassady, Joshua S & Mrs Mary A McNary, 27 Feb 1869, by Rev L J Dales at Limaville. (OR = 18 Mar 1869).

7-45 Clark, Edwin & Miss Sarah Benthin, 1 Oct 1868 by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 7 Oct 1868; MR = Sarah Rindchin).

6-648 Clark, William W, attorney & Miss Eunice K Bierce, both of Canton, dtr of A Bierce, Esq, 6 May 1868, by Rev E Buckingham. (OR = 13 May 1868).

6-571 Cook, Henry & Miss Malinda Monnin, 5 Nov 1867, by Rev E W J Lindesmith. (OR = 6 Nov 1867; MR = Malinda Morrison).

NIB Cook, Otis L, Detroit & Miss Mary E Reynolds, Akron, dtr of George Reynolds, Esq, 24 Dec 1867, by Rt Rev S A McCoskey, Bishop of Michigan, at the home of

Gen William F Reynolds in Detroit. (OR = 1 Jan 1868).

6-549 Dangler, Isaac B, Esq, & Mrs Mary M Bowen, Massillon, dtr of Dr & Mrs John Schertzer, 1 Oct 1867, by Rev George A Little at home of bride's parents, Massillon. (OR = 2 Oct 1867).

NIB Deter, George & Miss Rosanna Walk, 30 Sep 1867, by Rev E W Lindesmith. (OR = 9 Oct 1867).

7-117 Faas, William F, Alliance & Miss Josephine C Perdue, Minerva, 16 Feb 1869, by Rev A B Wary. Double wedding with Charles E Boswick & Mary C Perdue. (OR = 25 Feb 1869).

NIB Feasel, William & Miss Augusta McDowell, 30 Jan 1868 by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 5 Feb 1868).

7-105 Glass, John & Miss Ellen Ream, 19 Jan 1869, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 21 Jan 1869; MR = John Class).

6-568 Gander, Andrew & Miss Susanna White, 31 Oct 1867, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 6 Nov 1867; MR = Andrew Gonder).

6-567 Giesler, Frank & Miss Catharine H Choffin, 29 Oct 1867, by Rev E W J Lindesmith. (OR = 30 Oct 1867; MR = Frank Grisler).

NIB Good, Adam, Pikes Peak & Miss Carrie Heffelfinger, Uniontown, Stark Co, 2 Apr 1868, at the residence of Jacob Good, Akron, OH. (OR = 15 Apr 1868).

7-24 Gregory, Lewis, Rev, CT & Miss Libbie H Buckingham, Canton, dtr of Rev E Buckingham, 12 Aug 1868 by Rev E Buckingham. (OR = 19 Aug 1868).

7-100 Gressinger, Jacob & Miss Rosa Reichart, both of Stark Co, 5 Jan 1869, by Rev J C Klar, Richville. (OR = 28 Jan 1869; MR = Jacob Gretzinger & Rosanna Richard).

NIB Grubb, George, Stark Co & Miss Catharine Ann Sour, Summit Co, 17 Oct, 1867, by Rev Abraham Miller. (OR = 30 Oct 1867).

NIB Haines, Henry W, Canton & Miss Kate Bilger, Salem, 16 Aug 1868, by Rev J N Bard, at the residence of Miss Mary Webb, Salem OH. (OR = 26 Aug 1868).

6-547 Harmann, Joseph & Miss Sophia Tragesser, 1 Oct 1867, by Rev E W Lindesmith. (OR = 9 Oct 1867; MR = Joseph Hermann).

NIB Heister, John, Stark Co & Miss Delia Willaman, Wayne Co, 1 Oct 1867, by Rev J Shaner. (OR = 9 Oct 1867).

NIB Hoot, George & Celia Moladere, both of Akron, 9 Aug 1868, by Rev Abraham Miller at Uniontown. (OR = 9 Sep 1868).

NIB Habler, Abraham, Ft Wayne, IN & Mrs Emily Gigger, Summit Co, 23 Aug, 1868, by Rev Abraham Miller at Uniontown. (OR = 9 Sep 1868).

7-92 James, John Henry & Miss Elizabeth McGregor, both of Limaville, 24 Dec 1868, by Rev L J Dales. (OR = 21 Jan 1868; MR = no return).

6-540 Karnes, Michael & Sarah Forest, both of Massillon, 17 Sep 1867, by Rev E Buckingham at the St Cloud
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Hotel. (OR = 18 Sep 1867; MR = Michael Karens & Sarah Foust).

NIB Kepler, Ephraim & Miss Mary A Smith, both of Summit Co, 20 Oct 1867, by Rev Abraham Miller. (OR = 30 Oct 1867).

NIB Laird, G F, Canton & Miss Ellen F Ashman, Akron, 10 Feb 1869, by Rev Robert Smith. (OR = 18 Feb 1869).

6-631 Lesh, William E & Miss Priscilla Shreffler, 22 Mar 1868, by Rev D Worley. (OR = 1 Apr 1868; MR William E Lash).

NIB Marsden, Thomas, ID & Miss Sarah Willett, WV, 26 Sep 1867, by Rev J M Bray. (OR = 9 Oct 1867).

NIB Marsh, George L & Mrs Rachel Stetler, both of Summit Co, 29 Sep 1868, by Rev A Miller, Uniontown. (OR = 14 Oct 1868).

7-112 Martin, John D, formerly of Allegheny City, PA & Miss Josephine E Gilbert, New Philadelphia, 2 Feb 1869, by Rev D W Townsend at Alliance. (OR = 4 Feb 1869).

NIB McCauley, Franklin G, Medina Co, Editor of the Reserve Standard & Miss Ada Sherod, Wayne Co, 7 Oct 1868, by Rev H Sinsabaugh at the residence of John Wherry in south Canton. (OR = 7 Oct 1868).

NIB McQuade, Samuel & Miss Lucy Funk, both of Summit Co, 8 Oct 1868, by Rev A Miller. (OR = 14 Oct 1868).

6-652 McQuate, Isaac & Miss Caroline Hoffman, 19 May 1868, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 20 May 1868).

6-588 Miller, Richard & Miss Flora Hipp, Canton, dtr of Frederick Hipp, proprietor of the American House, 19 Dec 1867, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 25 Dec 1867).

NIB Motz, Calvin, Summit Co & Miss Elizabeth Shive, Portage Co, 18 Jun 1868, by Rev Abram Miller. (OR = 1 Jul 1868).

7-8 Neidig, N, Canton & Miss Tillie Baker, Paris, OH, only dtr of A D Baker, Esq, 18 Jun 1868, by Rev D M Slusser. (OR = 14 Jan 1869).

7-117 Neisz, George W & Miss Josephine Regan, both of Stark Co, 11 Feb 1869, by Rev A J Wiant. (OR = 18 Feb 1869; MR = Josephine Ryan).

NIB Paules, George & Miss Catharine Getz, both of Summit Co, 15 Oct 1868, by Rev Abraham Miller. (OR = 4 Nov 1868).

7-72 Piero, Louis P, Canton & Miss Fannie Karper, Alliance, 16 Nov 1868, by Rev E W J Lindesmith. (OR = 14 Jan 1869; MR = Frances Karper, no return).

NIB Reed, James & Miss Amanda Leggett, both of Carroll Co, 18 Feb 1869, by Rev J M Bray. (OR = 4 Mar 1869).

7-103 Rich, Christian & Miss Felicia Dubois, 13 Jan 1869, by Rev J W Goodlin. (OR = 21 Jan 1869; MR = Christian Rick).

6-451 Ricks, A J, Esq, Knoxville, TN & Miss Emma E Atwater, Massillon, 21 Feb 1867, by Rev H H Morrell of New York City at St Timothys Church, Massillon. (OR = 27 Feb 1867).

NIB Rodecker, Isaiah & Miss Leah Weirich, both of Wayne Co, 3 Oct 1867, by Rev J Shaner. Double wedding with Henry Weirich & Catharine Keefer. (OR = 9 Oct 1867).

6-627 Stern, Samuel & Mrs Adaline Neff, both of Perry Tp, 10 Mar 1868, by Rev J C Klar at the home of the bride's father, William S Bahney. (OR = 18 Mar 1868).

NIB Smith, O & Miss Kate Beard, both of Summit Co, 29 Oct 1868, by Rev Abraham Miller. (OR = 4 Nov 1868).

NIB Spade, James H & Miss Louisa Myers, both of Summit Co, 21 Feb 1869, by Rev Abram Miller, at Uniontown. (OR = 25 Feb 1869).

NIB Spittler, Scoob & Miss Amanda Frick, 30 Apr 1868, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 13 May 1868).

NIB Stands, John B & Miss Sarah M Donsider, 26 Mar 1868, by Rev E Buckingham. (OR = 1 Apr 1868).

6-647 Thompson, Henry W & Miss Mary E Kreighbaum, 5 May 1868, by Rev A Miller. Double wedding with Otis R Thompson & Isabel Machamer. (OR = 20 May 1868; MR = no date and no return).

6-647 Thompson, Otis R & Miss Isabel Mochamer, 5 May 1868, by Rev A Miller. Double wedding with Henry W Thompson & Mary E Kreighbaum. (OR = 20 May 1868; MR = Isabel Machamer, no date and no return).

NIB Tritt, Joseph & Miss Margaret Warner, both of Summit Co, 5 Sep 1867, by Rev Abram Miller, at his residence. (OR = 2 Oct 1867).

6-537 Wagner, George & Miss Magdalene Seibrock, 14 Sep 1867, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 18 Sep 1867; MR = George Seibrock, 12 Sep 1867).

6-612 Wagner, Valentine & Miss Catharine Geringer, 28 Jan 1868, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 5 Feb 1868; MR = Valentine Wagoner).

7-30 Warner, Levi & Miss Lucinda McCammon, both of Stark Co, 27 Aug 1868, at residence of John McCammon. (OR = 2 Sep 1868; MR = Levi Werner).

7-60 Warstler, Jonas W & Miss Henrietta Gelb, both of Stark Co, 29 Oct 1868, by Rev Daniel Worley. (OR = 4 Nov 1868; MR = Henrietta Grib).

NIB Weirich, Henry & Miss Catharine Keefer, both of Wayne Co, 3 Oct 1867, by Rev J Shaner. Double wedding with Isaiah Rodecker & Leah Weirich. (OR = 9 Oct 1867).

6-559 Williams, Charles H, Canton & Miss Annie E Wright, formerly of Cumberland, MD, 15 Oct 1867, by Rev H Sinsabaugh. (OR = 16 Oct 1867).

7-101 Zerbe, Emanuel & Miss Dinah M Kinney, both of Stark Co, dtr of William Kinney, 7 Jan 1869, by Rev J Madison Bray. (OR = 14 Jan 1869).

NIB Zool, David & Miss Marilla Alderman, 3 Oct 1867, by Rev P Herbruck. (OR = 9 Oct 1867).

Stark County Deaths

Deaths taken from the Ohio Repository by Karl Harsh are listed below. NIB = not in book; OR = date of newspaper. Those found in the official Death Records show Vol 1-page #. The years are 1868 & 1869, after the Probate Court began keeping the death records. Will be presented in two parts with conclusion in May issue.

NIB Anderson, Phoebe, Mrs, formerly of Massillon, wife of the late David Anderson, died of consumption in Toledo 19 Feb 1868, age 60. (OR = 12 Mar 1868)

NIB Aungst, John T, Rowlands Mills, son of John S & Margaret Aungst, 10 Jun 1868, age 1y8m17d. (OR = 24 Jun 1868).

NIB Bailly, Sarah M, Oneida Mills, Carroll Co, recently married to William A Bailey, died of typhoid fever 3 Jan 1868, age 19y3m14d. (OR = 15 Jan 1868).

NIB Ballard, Sophia, infant dtr of James & Mollie Ballard, 17 Oct 1867. (OR - 23 Oct 1867).

NIB Beecher, Simon, Canton, 13 Dec 1868, age 70. (OR = 24 Dec 1868.)

NIB Belden, George W, served as judge of the 5th Judicial Court under the Ohio's old constitution and was elected to same position under Ohio's new constitution, 15 Aug 1868, age 59. (OR = 19 Aug 1868).

NIB Belden, Rachel, Canton, wife of George W Belden, Esq, died of cancer 11 Nov 1867, age 50. (OR = 13 Nov 1867).

NIB Belnap, S S, Bolivar, resident for 33 years, member of the ME Church, 20 Sep 1868, age 68. (OR = 30 Sep 1868).

1-16 Berg, Ida, dtr of Jacob & Ella Berg, 17 Jul 1868, age 3m10d. (OR = 22 Jul 1868; DR = died of cholera Infantum).

NIB Blechele, Emile, Canton, son of Joseph & A Biechele, 19 Oct 1868, age 3 m. (OR = 21 Oct 1868).

NIB Blythe, Richard, near Mapleton, 14 May 1868, age 60, buried at Waynesburg. (OR 20 May 1868).

NIB Borroway, Elmer, infant son of Michael & Sarah E Borroway, 27 Aug 1867. (OR = 4 Sep 1867).

NIB Brown, James M, Esq, Massillon, native of Bloomfield, Trumbull Co, OH, came to Massillon in 1854, attorney, 28 Oct 1867, age 50. (OR = 39 Oct 1867).

NIB Buchtel, John, Bethlehem Tp, came to this county from Centre Co, PA in 1809 and has resided on the farm he opened until his death 29 Jan 1868, age 74. (OR = 5 Feb 1868).

NIB Cassilly, James H, Canton, died of consumption 25 Aug 1868, age 65. (OR = 26 Aug 1868).

NIB Cunningham, Mathias S, Canton, died of yellow fever at New Orleans 6 Oct 1867, age 28, buried by the Printers Union. (OR = 16 Oct 1867).

NIB Dillon, Capt Lewis S, in the military 3 years and contracted a disease, 25 May 1868. (OR = 27 May 1868).

NIB Doll, John, Perry Tp, born in York Co, PA, came to Stark Co at an early age, 22 Dec 1867, age 71. (OR = 8 Jan 1868).

NIB Eckert, Elizabeth, Canton, 1 Aug 1868, age 69.

(OR = 5 Aug 1868).

NIB Fielding, Sara, wife of John Fielding, left husband and 3 children, died of consumption 8 Jun 1868, age 37. (OR = 10 Jun 1868).

NIB Fogle, John M, Canton, son of George & Mary Fogle, employed by the ANGRW as a brakeman. North of Masfield when the signal was given to apply the brake, the handle slipped off and he was sent beneath the wheels of the car and killed. He fought in the Civil War under Capt William S Williams and discharged as a corporal, 18 Aug 1868, age 27. (OR = 26 Aug 1868).

NIB Foley, Eliza, dtr of Patrick & Catharine Foley, died of cholera 22 Jul 1868, age 14d. (OR = 5 Aug 1868).

NIB Foust, Elias, son of the late Benjamin Foust, 26 Jan 1868, age 39. (OR = 29 Jan 1868).

NIB Friedman, Matthias, Canton, 12 Oct 1867, age 79. (OR = 16 Oct 1867).

NIB Fulmer, Martin, left wife and 5 children, suffered from asthma and dropsy. No date listed, age 59y8m18d.

NIB Gaff, John, Plain Tp, born 22 Dec 1794 Westmoreland Co, PA, moved to Stark Co the spring of 1807, married on 5 Jul 1821 to Hannah Moore who died 27 Jan 1863. He was trying to bury a large stone in a field and broke his leg; suffering much pain until his death 2 Sep 1868. (OR = 9 Sep 1868).

NIB Grove, Margaret, Pike Tp, died at the home of her son, 31 Aug 1868, age 75y6m9d. (OR = 16 Sep 1868).

NIB Haas, Elizabeth, Mrs, formerly of Canton, a native of Huntingdon, PA, wife of the late Rev Frederick Haas, former pastor of First Luthran Church, moved to Tiffin where she died at the home of her son, John, 23 Apr 1868, age 78y6m. (OR = 29 Apr 1868).

NIB Hane, Mary Magdalene, Canton, born 25 Sep 1784 Northampton Co, PA, married 3 Jun 1800 to Christian Hane, came to OH in 1810, mother of 11 children, 100 grandchildren, survived by 8 children and 75 grandchildren and many great grandchildren, 4 Mar 1868, age 83y5m3d, buried in West Lawn Cemetery. (OR = 18 Mar 1868).

1-6 Harsh, Louisa, Miss, Massillon, adopted dtr of George & Sarah Harsh, 1 Dec 1867, age 19. (OR = 4 Dec 1867; died of consumption).

NIB Hayhurst, Jasper Ross, son of J T & E K Hayhurst, 21 Aug 1868, age 2m. (OR = 26 Aug 1868).

1-12 Hazlett, Harry Brown, eldest son of Judge Isaac & Helen Hazlett, 9 Jun 1868, age 11y9m. (OR = 10 Jun 1868; DR = died of pulmo-apoplexy).

NIB Hazlett, Margaret B (Laird), Mrs, Canton, born 5 Jan 1794 Northumberland Co, PA, came to Canton 18 Oct 1818, married 22 Feb 1821 to the late James Hazlett, 1 Aug 1868, age 74. (OR = 5 Aug 1868).

NIB Hostetter, Jacob, Esq, Plain Tp & Paris Tp near Minerva, served 2 terms in Ohio Legislature and was Associate Judge, died at home of his son Edmond Hostetter in Millburn, Crawford Co, IN 2 Oct 1868, age 83y. (OR = 14 Oct 1865).

Out On A Limb

By Wendell K Edwards, President

What with these terrific winds blowing all night. It's difficult for a night owl like me to get any sleep out on this limb. While trying to get back to sleep, my musing took me to dear Aunt Jane who wanted me to write a book to trace the ancestry and tell the story of our paternal Edwards family.

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Day says that "Gen Book" "doesn't take all the pain out of publishing a genealogy, but it minimizes the toil."

The reviewer admits that he has not used the new software, because his research isn't "...ripe enough." Then goes on to say that he has experimented extensively"...and am, frankly, awed by the software's performance.

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NIB Housel, Margaret, Miss, Plain Tp, born in Northumberland Co, PA 22 Sep 1798 and came to Stark Co in 1812. For over 50 years she was insane. She died at the home of her brother, Anthony Housel 12 Sep 1868, age 70. (OR = 16 Sep 1868).

NIB Johnson, Esther, Mrs, born in Kent Co, England. Her first husband was Mathew Judd and her second was Joseph Johnson. She was the mother of 9 children. In 1850 she emigrated to America with part of her family. She died at the home of her son-in-law Mr Elliott in Sugar Creek Tp 22 Apr 1868, age 84y8m22d, and was buried in Cross Road Church Cemetery. (OR = 6 May 1868).

1-8 Jones, Mary, Canton, wife of Robert V Jones, left husband and several children, 25 Jan 1868, age 40y1m1d. (OR = 5 Feb 1868).

NIB Karthaus, Olivia W, dtr of the late Mr & Mrs Karthaus of Massillon, died at the Moravian School at Bethlehem, PA 26 Nov 1867, age 14. (OR = 4 Dec 1867).

NIB Lighthouse, Henry, Canton, soldier of the War of 1812, 11 Oct 1867, age 88y7m. (OR = 16 Oct 1867).

NIB Lynch, Frances, Canton, wife of Arnold Lynch, died after a lingering illness 26 Jul 1868, age 49. (OR = 29 Jul 1868).

NIB Miller, Mahala, wife of Jesse Miller and mother of many children, 26 Sep 1867, age 63. (OR = 2 Oct 1867).

NIB Myers, Catharine B, Canton Tp, wife of Jacob P Myers and dtr of Alpheus & Elizabeth Brown, leaves husband and 5 children, 16 Jul 1868, age 44y8m14d. (OR = 5 Aug 1868).

NIB Myers, Charles, Canton, only son of Oliver P & Laura Hale Myers, died at the home of Mrs E D Myers 8 Aug 1868, age 12y7m15d. (OR = 12 Aug 1868).

NIB Newman, Barbara, Mrs, 15 Mar 1868, age 94y9m9d. (OR = 18 Mar 1868).

NIB Nichols, William, Sugar Creek Tp, one of the oldest settlers, 11 May 1868, age 81y1m3d, (OR = 17 Jun 1868).

NIB Niesz, Mary, Mrs, wife of John Niesz, born 9 Apr 1798 at Franklin Co, PA and brought to Stark Co in 1806 by her mother and stepfather, John Newman. She spent over 62 years in Canton Tp. Married Rev John Niesz of the United Bretheran Church nearly 50 years, had 10 children, 5 sons and 5 dtrs. Died 28 Oct 1868, age 70y6m19d. (OR = 4 Nov 1868).

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1-18 Noll, Susanna, Mrs, Canton, wife of Henry Noll, 4 Aug 1868, age 26y. (OR = 5 Aug 1868; DR = Susan Noll, age 83y, cause of death unknown).

NIB Pease, Ann Louisa, Massillon, wife of Samuel Pease, Esq, and dtr of Ezra & Nancy Shepherdson, born in Palmyra, Wayne Co, NY, elder of 2 dtrs, 1831 came to Massillon with her sister, Mrs Teller. She was the mother of 4 children, 17 Mar 1868, age 56. (OR = 25 Mar 1868)

NIB Platt, Margaret, Mrs, Canton, died of cancer of the stomach, no date given, age 71. (OR = 29 Jul 1868).

1-6 Platt, William A, Canton, died of throat disease 9 Sep 1867, age 40. (OR = 11 Sep 1867; DR = Died at age 40y3m10 d).

Nib Ralston, Jane, Mrs, West Brookfield, d 30 May 1868, age 70y8m19d. (OR = 3 Jun 1868).

1-8 Rank, Mollie, dtr of the late Abraham Rank, 21 Jan 1868, age 61. (OR = 29 Jan 1868; DR = Magdalena Rank, died of inflammation of lungs, age 61y3m1d).

1-14 Reefy, Maria Sugar Creek Tp, born in Berne, Switzerland, mother of 8 children, 4 sons & 4 dtrs, her husband, John H Reefy, 2 dtrs and 1 son preceded her in death, no date given). (OR = 18 Mar 1868; DR = Rosana Reefy died of consumption 1 Mar 1868; Cemetery Book 2-331 = Mary Reefy died 3 Mar 1868, age 61y11d)

1-4 Richardson, James C, Canton, married Ellie Wagner 15 May 1867, came from Waynesburg, PA, died of typhoid fever 26 Aug 1867, age 21. (OR = 4 Sep 1867; DR = died of fever and hepatitis)

NIB Roan, David A, Canton, died suddenly 5 Apr 1868, age 60. (OR = 8 Apr 1868).

NIB Roush, Elizabeth Ann, Mrs, Massillon from Crestline, OH, wife of Nathaniel Roush, survived by her husband and 8 children, no date listed, buried in Massillon. (OR = 1 Apr 1868).

NIB Schott, Mathias, Massillon, son of Lucas Schott. Robert Schertz, an employee of James Miller, was digging in the sand and 2 feet down found the body. The doctors examined the body and thought the boy had lain down to rest and was suffocated by the sand. The jury was keeping an open mind that it might be murder. Died 18 Oct 1867, age 14. OR = 13 Nov 1867).

1-12 Scott, William, Jackson Tp, son of John Scott, died of lung fever 25 Jan 1868, age 25. (OR = 29 Jan 1868; DR = died of pneumonia 29 Jan 1868, age 26).

NIB Shanabruck, Martina, Mrs, Canton, wife of Aston Shanabruck, 23 Aug 1868, age 35. (OR = 26 Aug 1868).

1-6 Shorb, Mary Ann, dtr of the late Adam A Shorb, died after a long illness 4 Nov 1867, age 39y11m14d. (OR = 13 Nov 1867; DR = died of disease of the kidneys).

1-8 Smith, William, Perry Tp, son of the late Jacob Smith and of his mother Lydia Smith, also left a sister, 17 Nov 1868, age 19y8m22d. (OR = 15 Jan 1868; DR = died of internal injury 17 Nov 1867, age 19y8m25d).

NIB Tonner, Katie, Canton, dtr of J S & Kate Tonner, 3

Sep 1868, age 1y10m. (OR = 9 Sep 1868).

NIB Wallace, Perkins, M D, Canton, born in Geauga Co 27 Jul 1808, named for Simon Perkins of Warren, OH. His father moved to Cleveland in 1809 and later to Brandywine, Summit Co. He studied medicine with Thomas S Bonfield. He commenced the practice of medicine in Massillon in 1836, and Canton in 1847. On 20 Jul 1834 he married Rebecca Reynolds who with 6 children now mourn his loss. Member of Presbyterian Church. Died 17 Jul 1868, 10 days prior to 60th birthday. (OR = 22 Jul 1868).

1-16 Wilson, Harriet Alice, Mapleton, dtr of John H & Lucinda P Wilson, 4 Sep 1868, age 1y8m5d. (OR = 16 Sep 1868; DR = died of dysentery).

If The Creek Don't Rise

What is the origin and significance of the expression, "if the creek don't rise?" Surprise! It doesn't mean a creek in the usual sense - a stream smaller than a river and larger than a brook or a branch. The word refers to the Creek Indians. Lloyd Bockstruck, program presenter at the Kentucky Genealogical Seminar, explained the origin. Part of his presentation was describing the pattern of migration from the eastern seaboard colonies to the Mississippi Valley states. In the South, the Creek Indians were vigorous in defending their land from being taken by the white settlers. So, for the pioneers moving west into the Alabama and Mississippi, there was always the possibility that the Creek might "rise" up against them.

Thus the expression arose; the pioneers would say that they would do something in the future if the Lord's willin' and the Creek don't rise.

Source: Richland Co Chapter OGS Jan-Mar 97; Fayette Connections, Spring 97, Bluegrass Roots, Fall 1995.

What Does That Date Mean?

When reading old newspapers, letters, or manuscripts, the references to dates can be very confusing. Terms are found such as Monday instant or the 20th ULT, terms which are no longer in use today. These all had specific meanings which were generally accepted. Perhaps this list will help.

Monday instant - if used, usually means today

The 10th instant - the 10th of the present month

The 20th ultimo - the 20th of the last month

Monday last - the most recent Monday

Tuesday next - the nearest Tuesday to follow

December last - the most recent December, even though this has been in the previous year.

While the terms next and last are written out, the term ultimo is often written ULT while instant is designated INST. It is important when interpreting these to note the date on the document being read as this is the key.

Source: Richland County Chapter OGS Jan-Mar 97; The Fayette Connection, Spring 1997; Pathways (Butler Co OGS, Vol XV #1).

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1-28 Anderson, William G, Canton, died after a protracted illness of several months on 6 Jul 1869, age 53. OR = 15 Jul 1869; DR = born Pittsburgh, PA, age 54).

NIB Aungst, John S, Plain Tp, died of consumption 9 May 1869, age 39. (OR = 13 May 1869).

NIB Bacon, Margaret, Mrs, Canton, wife of Henry Bacon, 30 May 1869. (OR = 10 Jun 1869),

NIB Ball, Milton, born in Greentown 23 Jul 1836, son of Col E Ball, who had a foundry, Ball, Aultman & Co. Married Miss Susan Sweitzer 4 Sep 1860 and had a son about a year old at the time of Milton's death on 16 May 1869, age 32y9m. (OR = 20 May 1869).

NIB Bare, George, Jackson Tp, 5 Dec 1869, age 67. (OR = 9 Dec 1869).

NIB Barringer, George, died at the home of his mother, Mrs E Barringer (1859-60 Canton City Directory) 30 May 1869, age 32. (OR = 10 Jun 1869).

NIB Baurick, Lewis, Canton, died of a lingering illness 20 Apr 1869, age 60. (OR = 22 Apr 1869).

NIB Biglow, Conrad, died at the home of his son in Massillon 22 Oct 1869, age 81y2m27d. (OR = 28 Oct 1869).

NIB Bivins, Marion Francis (sic), Miss, dtr of Ebenezer & Susan Bivins, Toledo, OH, 2 Dec 1869, age 19. (OR = 9 Dec 1869).

NIB Bivins, Susan, Mrs, Toledo, formerly of Massillon, wife of Ebenezer Bivins 1 Jul 1869, age 52. (OR = 9 Dec 1869).

1-24 Blum, Olive J, Canton, infant dtr of John & Lucy A Blum, 3 Jun 1869. (OR = 10 Jun 1869).

1-38 Bowman, Christiana, Mrs, Tuscarawas Tp, died in the home of her son, Abraham Bowman 25 Aug 1869, age 77. (OR = 9 Sep 1869; DR = age 79y3m, born in PA; Blue & Heald Cemetery Book shows death 25 Aug 1849 in error).

NIB Boyer, Conrad, Sandy Tp, left wife, son and dtr, Jul 1869, age 77. (OR = 22 Jul 1869).

NIB Brackebush, Carlotta Alice, Indianapolis, IN, infant dtr of Charles J & Lizzie Brackebush 28 Nov 1869, buried at Canton 1 Dec 1869. (OR = 9 Dec 1869).

NIB Brownell, Orlando Joseph, died at the home of his father in Canton 29 Sep 1869, age 21y9m26d. He was called away to meet his mother, 2 brothers and 2 sisters who went before him. (OR = 7 Oct 1869).

NIB Bush, Minnie A, dtr of David W & Margaret Bush, died of whooping cough 25 Mar 1869, age 1y2d. (OR = 1 Apr 1869).

1-42 Cock, John S, Judge, Louisville, born in Fayette Co, PA, came to Jefferson Co in 1823 and to Stark Co in 1844. Twice elected to the House in the State Legislator 1846-

1847, served as paymaster in the army at the ending of the Civil War. He was a judge in Jefferson Co. Survived by his wife, 4 sons & 4 dtrs, 20 Jun 1869, age 68y3m. (OR = 24 Jun 1869).

1-24 Danner, Philip, Canton, early settler of Stark Co, died of paralysis 10 Mar 1869, age 74. (OR = 11 Mar 1869; DR = born PA, died of palsy 9 Mar 1869, age 73y2m24d).

NIB Fleck, Christian Gottlieb, Canton, born in Altenburg, Saxony 25 Dec 1778, went to Hamburg and in 1842 came to Canton. Lived here 27 years, left a dtr and a son-in-law, died at home of his son-in-law J C Langbane 23 Aug 1869, age 90y8m. (OR = 2 Sep 1869).

NIB Flohr, Frank J, only child of James & Maria Flohr, 24 Jun 1869, age 6y5m. (OR = 1 Jul 1869).

NIB Flohr, Ina K, Canton, dtr of George & Margaret Flohr, 19 Jan 1869, age 18y4m26d. (OR = 11 Feb 1869)

NIB Foster, Jonathan, MO, formerly of Tuscarawas Tp, Stark Co 10 Jan 1868. (OR = 4 Feb 1869).

1-24 Fulmer, Elizabeth, Mrs, Canton, wife of the late Marion Fulmer, died of heart disease 7 Feb 1869. (OR = 18 Feb 1869; DR = Born PA, died 4 Feb 1869).

1-22 Geib, Susannah, Mrs, Hartville, wife of Samuel S Geib, 15 Mar 1869, age 42y9m25d. (OR = 8 Apr 1869).

1-28 Gerber, William, Canton Tp, 27 Jun 1869, age 61. (OR = 15 Jul 1869; DR = son of John Gerber & Christina Cline).

NIB Harry, Maurice, son of James P Harry, no date of death given, age 8m23d. (OR = 11 Mar 1869).

1-44 Hatcher, William, Marlboro, born in Columbiana Co, married Mary Lodge Aug, 1824, moved to Stark Co becoming one of its early pioneers. Was representative in State Legislature in 1855. Stricken with paralysis for many years and died in a protracted illness 22 Dec 1869. (OR = 30 Dec 1869).

NIB Heckman, Joseph, Massillon, born 18 May 1795 in Shippensburg, PA, moved to Canton in 1822 and to Massillon in 1829, mechanic by trade, Justice of the Peace for 21 years, 12 Nov 1869, age 75. (OR = 18 Nov 1869).

1-24 Herbst, Parmelia, Mrs, Canton, wife of John Herbst, 15 Mar 1869, age 52. (OR = 18 Mar 1869; DR = born in PA; died 16 Mar 1869).

NIB Hering, Mary E, Mrs, West Massillon, wife of the late Philip Hering, 3 Dec 1869, age 77y 3m. (OR = 16 Dec 1869).

NIB Higginbotham, Lucinda Lubetis, Mrs, Massillon, wife of Robert Higginbotham, 7 Jun 1869, age 63. (OR = 1 Jul 1869).

NIB Howenstine, Isaac, Pike Tp, He was a mute and married a mute. They had 3 children and all had their full faculties. Died 24 Mar 1860, age 31. (OR = 15 Apr 1869).

1-22 Jackson, George, West Brookfield, son of William & S Jackson, 26 or 28 Feb 1869, age 7m18d. (OR = 4 Mar 1869; DR = died of pneumonia 2 Feb 1869).

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NIB Johnson, Simon, Alliance, born in Washington Co, PA and a pioneer settler who settled in Washington Tp, Stark Co in 1824. Married Kezia White in 1816 and celebrated their golden anniversary. Died 18 Apr 1869, age 77y4m and buried at Mt Union. (OR = 22 Apr 1869).

1-22 Jones, Mary A, Mrs, Alliance and formerly of Columbiana Co, wife of Catlet Jones. Died of congestion of the heart 21 Feb 1869. (OR = 11 Mar 1869; DR = born Mahoning Co, OH, age 51y7m7d).

NIB Kauffman, Peter, Canton, a native of Germany but has lived in Canton since 1822. He printed a German newspaper for many years. Survived by his wife and children, died 28 Jul 1869, age 66. (OR = 29 Jul 1869).

NIB Keefer, Emma, died of dropsy of the brain 12 Jul 1869 (could be 21 Jun), age 15y6m. (OR = 15 Jul 1869).

NIB Keefer, Matthew, Marshall Co, IA formerly of Canton, OH 17 Dec 1869, age 38. (OR = 30 Dec 1869).

NIB Kelley, Anna Elizabeth Van Stavoren, Mrs, Massillon, born in Philadelphia, PA 6 Mar 1817; married on 15 Oct 1840 the late Judge James S Kelley, Sr, while residing in East Union, Wayne Co, OH, died 16 Apr 1869 in New York City. (OR = 29 Apr 1869).

1-26 & 1-30 Kemper, Sarah Jane, Mrs, wife of Jerry Kemper, Massillon, died 14 Apr-1869, age 34y4m. (OR = 29 Apr 1869; DR = dtr of Daniel & Mary Jane McBride; Blue & Heald Cemetery Book lists 4 Apr 1869 as death date).

NIB Killian, George, Sr, Canton, 26 Jul 1869, age 51y5m14d. (OR = 29 Jul 1869).

1-30 King, Linton W, Massillon, son of Mr & Mrs W L King, 20 Sep 1869, age 14y. (OR = 30 Sep 1869).

NIB Kister, Margaret, Massillon, 1 Dec 1869, age 42y3m. (OR = 16 Dec 1869).

NIB Kriechbaum, John, Bethlehem Tp, died of dropsy in the head 29 Jun 1869, age 74. (OR = 15 Jul 1869).

NIB Krider, Frances, Mrs wife of George Krider, 21 May 1869, age 80y7m26d, (OR = 3 Jun 1869; Blue & Heald Cemetery Book furnished first name and death date of 21 Jul 1869).

NIB Laffer, Philip E, Rev, born 9 Oct 1814 Wheeling, VA (now WV), moved from Sandville to Canton in 1863, member of Methodist Church for 35 years and a Deacon for many years, 17 Feb 1869, age 55. (OR = 4 Mar 1869).

1-42 Lind, Kate, Mrs, Plain Tp, wife of Samuel Lind and dtr of Samuel Stover, formerly of Canton now from Navarre, 24 Dec 1869, age 35. (OR = 30 Dec 1869; DR = Born in PA).

NIB Loutzenhiser, Catharine, Mrs, Indianapolis, IN formerly of Stark Co, wife of J H Loutzenhiser, 16 Oct 1869, age 59. (OR = 2 Dec 1869).

1-22 Mathews, Joseph, Canton, born in Bristol, England, crossed the ocean at an early age; has a large circle of family and friends. He was a printer and several of his children became eminent in art, died at the home of his son, attorney

J H Mathews 10 Feb 1869, age 81y6m. (OR = 11 Mar 1869; DR = 9 Mar 1869),

1-30 McBride, Mary Jane, Mrs, Massillon, 10 June 1869, age 68. (OR = 24 Jun 1869; DR - born in PA).

NIB McCall, Martha, Mrs, Waynesburg, wife of the late Dr Robert H McCall, 29 Sep 1869, age 22. (OR = 7 Oct 1869).

NIB McClure, Alice, Mrs, Wooster, wife of Matthew McClure, dtr of Mr & Mrs C A Crandal and sister of Mr Elisha D Ely of Canton, 29 Jan 1869. (OR = 4 Mar 1869).

1-21 Meyer, Joseph, Canton, son of the late Andrew Meyer, possessed more land than any other person in the county, 11 Jul 1869, age 69. (OR = 15 Jul 1869; DR = born in Baltimore, MD).

NIB Miller, Elizabeth, Mrs, Plain Tp, wife of the late Abraham Miller, pioneer woman, coming here 55 years ago from PA when this was a wilderness, 14 Jul 1869, age 80y11m3d. (OR = 22 Jul 1869).

NIB Miller, Eva L, Akron, eldest dtr of Lewis & Mary Miller, 28 Apr 1869, age 15y9m26d. (OR = 13 May 1869).

1-28 Miller, Wardie, younger son of William & Sarah Miller, his older brother, Willie, who died in 1862 is mentioned, died of diphtheria 11 Dec 1869, age 7y. (OR = 16 Dec 1869, buried in Westlawn).

NIB Morton, Caroline, wife of George Morton and dtr of Mr & Mrs Francis Buerer. Caroline was born in Canton, and moved to California many years ago. She died in San Francisco 6 May 1869. (OR = 6 May 1869).

NIB Newberry, Mary B, Mrs, wife of Henry Newberry of Cleveland and sister of the later Judge George Belden of Canton, 30 Jan 1869, age 49. (OR = 11 Feb 1869).

1-38 Oberlin, Clara E, Tuscarawas Tp, dtr of Joseph & Mary C Oberlin, no date listed, age 7y5m. (OR = 9 Dec 1869; DR = 22 Nov 1869, died from congestion of brain).

NIB O'Boyle, Patrick, Canton, died of consumption 15 Mar 1869, age 48. (OR = 18 Mar 1869).

1-24 Ohliger, Otto, Canton, son of Louis Ohliger, 7 Feb 1869, age 11. (OR = 11 Feb 1869).

1-42 Orth, Mary, Miss, adopted dtr of John Shertzer, Mary L Orth Shertzer was orphaned at an early age and was adopted at an early age by the John Shertzer family, at age 19 she joined the Disciples Church, 17 Nov 1869, age 28. (OR = 18 Nov 1869; DR = age 29y2m 11d).

NIB Pease, Samuel, Massillon, born Sep 1803 Wooster, Otsego Co, NY, moved to Aurora, OH in 1805 with parents, studied law and admitted to the bar in 1831, opened office in Massillon, survived by brother at the Etna House in Ravenna, OH, son and dtr, 10 Apr 1869, age 67 (OR = 6 May 1869).

NIB Peters, Christian, born in Washington Co, MD, came to Stark Co in 1823, died 21 Apr 1869, age 82y3m 19d. (OR = 29 Apr 1869).

(The balance of this alphabetical listing of deaths in 1869 will be continued in the next issue of the Tree Climber.)

Our First National Election

Our first presidential election was held 7 Jan 1789. The total number of electoral votes, apportioned by the constitution to the 13 original states, was 91. The number cast was 69, leaving 22 votes to be accounted for as follows: North Carolina and Rhode Island not having ratified the constitution when the first was held were debarred from voting, which accounts for 10 votes. The New York legislature could not agree on the manner of choosing electors, which accounts for 8 more. The remaining four were caused by vacancies.

According to the constitution each elector was allowed to vote for two candidates for president. The candidate receiving the largest number of votes to be president and the one next highest to be vice president, 34 electors voted for Washington and Adams. The remaining 35 voted for Washington, but their votes were divided among 10 candidates as their other choice, making the total stand, Washington 69, Adams 34, scattering 35.

No president since Washington has received the total vote of the electoral college. Monroe at his second election received all the electoral votes but one. One elector thought no other president should receive the honor that Washington had received, therefore voted for a candidate in opposition to Monroe.

In two states, Maryland and Virginia, the electors were chosen by the direct vote of the people. In Massachusetts the people elected two as electors at large and selected 24 names from which the legislature was to choose 8. In all the other states the electors were chosen by the several legislators.

By 21 Jun 1788, 9 states had ratified the constitution being requisite number to make it effective. On 13 Sep 1788 the Confederate Congress, (being our national congress from 1781 to 1789) passed a law, making the first Wednesday in Jan 1789, the date for the states to choose presidential electors; the first Wednesday in February the date for the electors to vote and the first Wednesday in March the date for the assembling of Congress. The election for Representatives in many places was protracted. The New Jersey Legislature specified time for the closing, consequently the voting continued for 3 weeks, and the polls would not have been closed had not the governor of the state fixed a date after which no returns would be received. Connecticut chose 3 candidates for representative in each district at the first election. These 3 names were published and a second election held to choose one from the three, the one receiving a majority to be elected. This called for repeated elections. Connecticut still retains many features of this law. Much the same manner of choosing representatives prevailed in Massachusetts.

The first house of representatives was to consist of 59 members thus requiring 30 for a quorum. It was 30 Mar before enough congressmen had arrived to make a quorum. On the arrival of the 30th member, the house proceeded at once to organize. The president was chosen from Virginia, the vice-president from Massachusetts and New York had secured the seat of government, therefore the speaker of the house was chosen from Pennsylvania. On 6 April enough senators had arrived to make a quorum of that body. They organized at once and the two houses met, counted the electoral vote and notified Washington and Adams of their election. On 30 April, Washington arrived at the seat of government and inaugurated at noon of that day. The chief justice of New York administered the oath of office. Thus our present form of government began 30 April 1789.

Source: Fairfield Trace, Summer 1998.

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1-74 Bachtel, Elizabeth, Mrs, Jackson Tp, wife of the late Samuel Bachtel; born near Hagerstown, MD; Married there and moved to Stark Co in 1819 where they spent the rest of their lives; 20 Dec 1871, age 71y9m12d. (OR = 5 Jan 1872; DR = 18 Dec 1871).

NIB Bear, Sevilla, near New Berlin, 24 Jan 1872, age 18. (OR = 2 Feb 1872).

NIB Boden, Barbara, Mrs, b Dauphin Co, PA 11 Jan 1778, wife of the late David Boden whom she married 25 Jul 1797, married 60 years, mother of 13 children, 8 living, 65 grandchildren, 49 living, and 76 great grandchildren, 68 living and 2 great great grandchildren, a total of 156 descendants of whom 127 living. 11 descendants were in the Civil War. They had lived in Stark Co but moved to Williams Co, OH where she died 29 Feb 1872, age 94y0m15d. (OR = 8 Mar 1872).

1-70 Bowman, Hannah, Mrs, Pike Tp, emigrated with her husband from PA to Stark Co and endured the life of a pioneer, died at the residence of her youngest son, Samuel Bowman, 7 Dec 1871, age 89y8m13d. (OR = 19 Jan 1872; DR = age listed as 87y3m13d).

NIB Colt, Benjamin B, son of B F & Helen Buckingham Colt of St Joseph, MO, died of diptheria 18 Feb 1872, age 2y5m. Parents married 5 May 1864. (OR = 29 Mar 1872).

NIB Cromer, Rachel M, Mrs, Plain Tp, born and raised in Wayne Co, OH, married 1871 Samuel Cromer who was superintendent of the Stark County Infirmary and she became the Matron. Died 1872 of consumption, age 26y9m26d. (OR = 16 Feb 1872).

1-76 Dawson, Samuel, Jackson Tp, born in England, worked as a mechanic, died of dropsy 11 Mar 1872, age

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72y6m. (OR = 29 Mar 1872).

NIB Deville, Margaret, Canton, wife of John H Deville, died 22 Jan 1872, age 20. (OR = 2 Feb 1872).

1-82 Grimes, Martha, Mrs, Canton, born in Strabane, Londonderry, Ireland 26 Feb 1800, arrived in Baltimore, MD in Jun 1814, married Owen Grimes in 1810 in Baltimore, came to Ohio in 1810, foster mother of John McSweeney of Wooster, died 21 Jan 1872, age 71y11m19d. (OR = 26 Jan 1872; DR = died 1 Jan 1872).

NIB Harmony, Elizabeth, Mrs, wife of the late Abraham Harmony, descendants are 13 children, 28 grandchildren and 63 great grandchildren, died 21 Feb 1872, age 84y4m28d. (OR = 1 Mar 1872).

NIB Harshey, Hannah, Mrs, Alliance, wife of David Harshey, came from Topeks, KS, has been a resident of Alliance for 8 years, died 31 Dec 1871 age 36. (OR = 12 Jan 1872).

NIB Hays, Mary Ann, Mrs, Canton, wife of Hugh Hayes, died of a lingering illness 31 Jan 1872, age 60. (OR = 2 Feb 1872).

1-80 Hazlett, Helen E, wife of late Judge Isaac Hazlett, died of cancer 14 Jan 1872, age 47. (OR = 19 Jan 1872; DR = born New Harmony; died 11 Jan 1872, age 47y19d).

1-98 Hershey, Sabina, Mrs, wife of John Hershey, died at the residence of J Setterlin of Massillon, died 8 Jan 1872, age 57. (OR = 12 Jan 1872; DR = born in MD, age 56y11m21d).

NIB Hoffacker, George, Massillon, born in Germany, lived in US 2 or 3 years, married 11 Jun 1870 Mary Busch by Rev H Korthener, leaves wife and 1 child, murdered 20 Jan 1872. (OR = 26 Jan 1872)

1-66 Hoover, Margaret, Mrs, New Berlin, wife of Henry Hoover, left 7 children, Jacob, Daniel, Alice wife of J M Lind, Elizabeth wife of Jacob Spidel, Malinda wife of A Pontius, Mary wife of John Pontius, Ann wife of David Kutzner, died 1 Apr 1872, age 71, buried in Warstler Cemetery in Plain Tp. (OR = 5 Apr 1918; DR = age 71y9d, born in MD, daughter of Daniel & Ann Maria (Lind) Smith.

NIB Horst, Martin, North Lawrence, son of David B & Anna Horst, died 15 Dec 1871 of croup. (OR = 19 Jan 1872).

NIB Horst, Mary Ann, only dtr of Barbara and the late John M Horst, died of dropsy 15 Dec 1871, age 10y4m19d. (OR = 19 Jan 1872).

1-80 Niesz, John, Rev, Canton, born 7 Jan 1798 near Aaronsburgh, Pennsylvania Valley, Center Co, PA, son of George Niesz who was born in Lancaster Co, PA and the son of Wilhelm Niesz of the village of Dorlach on the Rhine River, Germany. John is the eldest son of 4 sons & 6 daughters. Large obituary with much local history. Died 6 Mar 1872, age 74. OR = 8 Mar & 15 Mar 1872; DR age 74y1m30d).

1-80 Numan, Barbara, Mrs, Canton, wife of Isaac

Numan, died 10 Feb 1872, age 48. OR = 16 Feb 1872; DR = born in Osnaburg, age 42y2m3d). (Continued on p98)

1-68 Oberlin, Peter, Tuscarawas Tp, 19 Feb 1872, age 52y30d. (OR = 1 Mar 1872; DR = farmer died of liver complaint, age 52y20d).

NIB Piero, Ignatius, Canton, has been a citizen of Canton since 1827, leaves wife of 56 years, 4 children and many friends, lived on W Tuscarawas St, died of a lingering illness 28 Feb 1872, age 82y1m. (OR = 1 Mar 1872).

1-68 Pollock, George, Lawrence Tp, died 11 Mar 1872, age 74y6m. (OR = 29 Mar 1872; DR = born in Scotland, miner, died of consumption 11 Feb 1872, age 72y4m).

1-76 Roach, Samuel, near Robertsville, died 5 Feb 1872, age 73y10m28d. (OR = 1 Mar 1872; DR = farmer born in PA, age 73y10d).

NIB Rothrock, Samuel, Copley, Summit Co, OH, died 30 Dec 1871, age 50. (OR = 19 Jan 1872).

NIB Scherrick, Joseph, died of typhoid fever 24 Jan 1872, age 24y3m24d; name spelled Sherrick on stone in Rowland Cemetery. (OR = 2 Feb 1872).

NIB Skelton, George, Pike Tp, died 4 Feb 1872, age 42. (OR = 22 Mar 1872).

1-76 Steel, William, Robertsville, son of Jabes & Rachel Steel, died 17 Feb 1872, age 1y10m21d. (OR = 1 Mar 1872; DR = died of pneumonia, age 2y1m10d).

1-66 Wise, Phoebe C, near Wise Mills, dtr of the late Adam Wise and wife of Alexander Wise, died 13 Mar 1872, age 35. (OR = 29 Mar 1872; DR = Feb C Wise died of childbed fever in Plain Tp, age 36y3m5).

NIB Wright, Anna, Mrs, Washington Tp, died 13 Feb 1872, age 85. (OR = 1 Mar 1872).

Stark County Marriages

Marriages from the Canton Republican have been copied by Karl Harsh and compared to the official records. NIB = Not in book; OR = Date of newspaper. Those found in the official records (MR) show Vol 7, and page number. The years are 1871 and 1872.

NIB Angstadt, Charles M & Miss Kate Myers 2 Nov 1871. (OR = 3 Nov 1871).

7-597 Beidler, John M & Lora Laph 29 Feb 1872. (OR = 8 Mar 1872, Rev E Buckingham MG).

7-571 Bippus, John George & Miss Wilhelmina Leonhart 25 Dec 1871, Rev J J Fast. (OR = 5 Jan 1872; MR = Miss Mene Leonhart).

7-545 Boughman, Josiah & Miss Alice Ann Klingel, both of Stark Co, 19 Nov 1871 by Rev T H D Bell. (OR = 24 Nov 1871; MR = Buchman, Josiah & Alice Ann Klinge).

NIB Brenneman, Jacob & Miss Charlott Rutt, both of Wayne Co, 29 Jan 1872. (OR = 2 Feb 1872 by Rev E Buckingham).

NIB Case, Gibbon A & Mrs Emergene Garby, both of Randolph, 27 Nov 1871 by F M Green, Alliance. (OR = 1 Dec 1871). Continued on page 97)

Stark County Deaths

Deaths taken from the Ohio Repository by Karl Harsh are listed below. NIB = not in book; OR = date of newspaper. Those found in the official Death Records (DR) show Vol 1, page #. Continued from August issue.

NIB Raff, Franklin C, Wilmot, son of John & Eliza Raff, also surviving him were brother and sisters, died of inflammation of the brain, no date given, age 21. (OR = 29 Apr 1869; Blue & Heald lists death as 15 Sep 1869, in view of date of paper, must be 15 Apr 1869).

NIB Riffe, Rudolph, Wayne Tp, Tuscarawas Co, 6 Jan 1869, age 60y8m12d. (OR = 28 Jan 1869).

NIB Riggerberg, John Newton, Bethlehem Tp, son of Samuel & Caroline Riggerberg, 2 Jun 1869, age 11y5m. (OR = 24 Jun 1869).

NIB Rose, Thomas, Navarre, 18 Mar 1869, age 63. (OR = 25 Mar 1869)

1-24 Roush, Anna Maria, wife of the late Frederick Roush, died at the home of her son Reuben Roush in Perry Tp after a lingering illness, leaving 7 children 8 grandchildren and 22 great grandchildren 23 Mar 1869, age 78y9m12d. (OR = 25 Mar 1869 & 29 Apr 1869, DR = born in PA, dtr of Jacob & Margaret Hosflick, died of cancer).

NIB Schell, Daniel, Dr, died at the home of his son-in-law, William Williams of Canton 1 Mar 1869, age 80. (OR = 11 Mar 1869).

NIB Shepley, Frederick, Massillon, 27 Sep 1869, age 65y9m. (OR = 30 Sep 1869).

NIB Siles, John, Massillon, 9 Feb 1869, age 40. (OR = 18 Feb 1869).

1-28 Silvers, Frank, son of John & Elvira Silvers, 26 Jul 1868, age 9m. (OR = 29 Jul 1869).

NIB Slanker, Henry H, Canton, eldest son of Samuel Slanker, Esq. In Jul 1862 he enlisted in the 104th Reg OVI and served as Headquarters Printer until the end of the war. He contracted a disease (not named) which eventually killed him on 9 May 1869, age 25y7m20d. (OR = 13 May 1869).

NIB Slough, George, formerly of Canton, second son of G W & E M Slough of Dalesville, IN, 16 Jul 1869, age 21y0m24d. (OR = 29 Jul 1869).

NIB Slusser, Emma, infant dtr of Dr Lewis & Helena R Slusser, died of congestion of the brain 31 Jul 1869, age 2m24d. (OR = 5 Aug 1869).

1-34 Snyder, Ruth, Mrs, New Franklin, wife of Jacob Snyder, 26 Oct 1869, age 75. (OR = 4 Nov 1869; DR = born in NJ, died of dropsy on 26 Sep 1869).

NIB Stands, Catharine, West Brookfield, departed her life after a long illness 22 Feb 1869, age 86y10m22d. (OR = 4 Mar 1869).

NIB Stands, Charles Clinton, Canton, son of Sarah H & Levi H Stands, 12 Feb 1869, age 2m. (OR = 25 Feb 1869).

NIB Stands, Helen May, Canton, dtr of Sarah H & Levi H Stands, 4 Feb 1869, age 2y.. (OR = 4 Feb 1869).

NIB Stauffer, Elizabeth, Canton Tp, wife of P E Stauffer, 26 Nov 1869, age 40y6m21d. (OR = 2 Dec 1869).

NIB Stenger, Frank, Auburn, IN, born in Richville, Stark

Co, OH and raised there, moved to IN when 16, 1 Apr 1869, age 22y22d. (OR = 15 Apr 1869).

NIB Sternberg, Abana, Mrs, formerly of Canton, wife of the late J C Sternberg, Elkhart, IN, 24 Mar 1869, age 80y2m1d. (OR = 15 Apr 1869).

NIB Sweeney, Conner, Col, born in Dutchess Co, NY, when a young man moved to PA and married Mrs Susan Myers in 1817. In 1819 moved to Canton and in 1848 to Madison, WI. In 1853 he married Mrs Louisa C Dresser and settled in Westpoint, Columbia Co, WI and died at the home of his son-in-law in , David Atwood in Madison, WI 31 May 1869, age 77. (OR = 3 Jun 1869).

NIB Thomas, Christiana, Mrs, Sparta, wife of the late Nathaniel Thomas, died of apoplexy 12 Mar 1869, age 53. (OR = 25 Mar 1869).

NIB Warner, Mary A, Mrs, died of consumption 29 Jan 1869. (OR = 4 Mar 1869; Blue & Heald lists Mary Ann wife of Joseph Warner and died 20 Feb 1869, age 32y8m19d, buried in St Joseph Cemetery, Maximo).

1-28 Weagley, L E, Dr, Canton, died of consumption 26 Dec 1869, age 27y4m. (OR = 30 Dec 1869: DR = born in Wooster).

NIB Wert, Margaret, Massillon, wife of John R Wert, 21 Nov 1869, age 37. (OR = 2 Dec 1869).

NIB Wikidal, Laura, Canton dtr of Lewis P & Elizabeth Wikidal, 26 Mar 1869, age 3. (OR = 8 Apr 1869).

NIB Wileman, Mahlon, Marlboro Tp, died at the home of of his son-in-law in Alliance, 16 Dec 1869, age 83. (OR = 14 Jan 1869).

NIB Wright, John W, Louisville, KY, born Cumberland, MD, editor of Arkansas Daily Gazette, Little Rock, AR, Major in Confederate Army, agent for E Ball & Co, Canton. Body brought to Canton to his mother, Mrs Ruth Wright, brother Charles B Jr and Cousin Miss Hannah Blecher. Died 2 Sep 1869, age 28. (OR = 9 Sep 1869).

NIB Yoder, Charlie, Canton Tp, 29 Mar 1869, age 55. (OR = 1 Apr 1869).

Ohio Birth, Death and Marriage Records

Many requests are received from researchers asking for a "certificate" of birth, death or marriage. These are not available for early Ohio records. This is best explained by an article by Jocelyn Fox Wilms in the Winter 1994 OGS Report, p 181.

"In Ohio no certificates were issued for births and deaths until 20 December 1908. Before that date, there were 'returns' of births and deaths and they were just that, returns (to the courthouse).

"In 1856 Ohio enacted a statute that required the registration of births and deaths by the Clerk of Courts. *Some Ohio*

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Stark County Deaths

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1-54 **Abdill**, Maria A, Mrs, Alliance, wife of George L Abdill, 10 May 1870, age 30. (OR = 19 May 1870; DR = Abdell, Mary Ann, age 32y17m17d).

NIB **Arnold**, Rebecca, late of Stark Co, wife of Dr Arnold, died at Harrison Grove, MI, no date given. (OR = 10 Mar 1870).

NIB **Bachtel**, Mary, Mrs, born in Huntington Co, PA in 1803 and came to Stark Co, OH in 1815 and settled in Pike Tp where she lived the rest of her life; died 19 Aug 1870, age 67y4m16d. (OR = 2 Sep 1870).

1-62 **Belden**, Edith Martha, Miss, died 21 Aug 1870, 2:30 P M Sunday, age 19y3m0d. (OR = 26 Aug 1870).

NIB **Blum**, Elizabeth, M, Mrs, Canton, dtr of Philip Stinnhoft and wife of John N Blum, 18 Jun 1870, age 31. (OR = 23 Jun 1870).

1-62 **Blum**, Emma, dtr of John F Blum, died of scarlet fever 15 Sep 1870, age 3y5m20d. (OR = 23 Sep 1870; DR = died 6 Sep 1870, age 8y4m10d).

1-62 **Blum**, Susan, dtr of John F Blum, died of scarlet fever 7 Sep 1870, age 8y4m13d. (OR = 23 Sep 1870; DR = Blum, Susan Helen, died 6 Sep 1870, age 8y4m10d.)

1-30 **Betz**, Henry, Canton, belonged to the Masons, died of consumption 28 Mar 1870, age 30. (OR = 31 Mar 1870; DR = age 28y11m20d).

1-52 **Bobst**, Jane Reid, Mrs, dtr of Col James Reid who commanded a regiment in the War of 1812 and wife Isabella Dinwiddie of Dinwiddie's Row, VA; and granddtr of General John Reid who was in the Revolutionary War with 4 brothers all officers and who was President of the U S Congress; Jane Reid married the late Michael Bobst and had 16 children. She died suddenly of apoplexy at the home of her son-in-law, Rev Joshua H Derr in Louisville, Stark Co, OH, 28 May 1870 age 70y7m 13d. (OR = 16 Jun 1870).

1-62 **Bowers**, Samuel, Canton Tp, 29 Aug 1870, age 58. (OR = 16 Sep 1870; DR = age 56y).

NIB **Brilhart**, John, Seneca Co, formerly a resident of Stark Co, 13 Apr 1870, age 85y2m29d. (OR = 12 May 1870).

NIB **Brobst**, Angeline, Navarre, 5 Sep 1870, age 60. (OR = 9 Sep 1870).

NIB **Bunny**, Charlotte, Mrs, New York, born in England 11 Dec 1778, came to CT in 1793 and moved to NY in 1796. She had been a widow since 1828 and was visiting her niece, Mrs Cross in Bethlehem Tp when she died 3 Nov 1870, age 92. (OR = 18 Nov 1870).

NIB **Cail**, Charlie C, son of J W & Carrie C Cail of Canton, died 29 Mar 1870, age 8y1m8d. (OR = 14 Apr 1870).

NIB **Cail**, Wilmot, son of J W & Carrie C Cail of

Canton; died 25 Mar 1870. (OR = 14 Apr 1870).

NIB **Coe**, Alfred Irving, Canton, son of Alvan & Henrietta F Coe, 29 Aug 1870, age 7m19d. (OR = 2 Sep 1870).

NIB **Crevosie**, Joseph, Canton, born in France, lived in Canton 17 years, 14 Apr 1870, age 46. (OR) = 21 Apr 1870).

NIB **Criswell**, Mary Ellen, Mrs, born in Knox Co, 5 Apr 1829, wife of B Criswell, 17 Feb 1870, age 41. (OR = 3 Mar 1870; IGI = maiden name Walker, husband Benjamin Criswell, date of marriage 17 May 1849).

NIB **Dehn**, Volentine, Mrs, Canton, 6 Sep 1870, age 50. (OR = 9 Sep 1870).

1-62 **Deville**, Sophronia L, wife of Joseph Deville, 31 Oct 1870, age 30. (OR = 4 Nov 1870; DR = age 31).

NIB **Dewalt**, Christiana, born Lancaster Co, PA 14 Nov 1800, wife of the late George Dewalt; went to Freeport, IL to visit her son, John Dewalt, in Sep, 1870 while her home was being repaired and enlarged, not expecting to return until the following spring (the house is now referred to as the Saxton House). She died 29 Oct 1870, age 69y11m15d. She was the grandmother of Ida Saxton McKinley and sister of Isaac Harter Sr. (OR = 4 Nov 1870).

NIB **Flanigan**, William, Newman's Coal mine, 13 Feb 1870, age 35. (OR = 24 Feb 1870).

NIB **Folger**, Julia A, Mantius Station, Portage Co, formerly of Massillon, wife of William M Folger, died of heart disease at Akron while visiting at the home of her son-in-law, John McGregor, Esq, 5 Oct 1870, age 62. (OR = 14 Oct 1870).

NIB **French**, Sarah L, died after a protracted illness of 6 mo, 19 Jun 1870, age 2y15d. (OR = 27 Jan 1870).

1-38 **Fry**, Mary, Mrs, East Greenville, wife of the late Henry Fry, 7 Feb 1870, age 86. (OR = 17 Feb 1870).

1-36 **Garver**, Eugene P, son of Herman & Irene Garver, 24 Feb 1870, age 2m19d. (OR = 17 Mar 1870).

1-60 **Gonder**, Joseph H, Ironton, formerly of Canton, served in Col E Ball's regt during Civil War, 26 May 1870, age 42. (OR = 2 Jun 1870; DR = died 25 May 1870, age 42y1m4d).

NIB **Graham**, Ann, Alliance, Mrs, 8 May 1870, age 70. (OR = 19 May 1870).

NIB **Gross**, Peter, Sugar Creek Tp, 10 Mar 1870, age 79. (OR = 24 Mar 1870).

1-56 **Grosse**, Emma Estep, Mrs, Massillon, formerly of Canton, 2 Jun 1870, age 72, buried in Canton ceme)OR = 9 Jun 1870; DR = died 3 Jun 1870, age 23).

1-46 **Hartman**, John Anthony, Lake Tp, 18 Sep 1870, age 46y11m27d. (OR = 23 Sep 1870; DR = died 18 Aug 1870, age 47).

NIB **Horr**, B W, native of Littleton, MA, member Masons; died at home of his son-in-law Rev E Bucking 28 Apr 1870, age 82. (OR = 5 May & 19 May 1870).

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Cemetery, 16 Jan 1870, age 23. (OR = 20 Jan 1870; DR = date of death 12 Jan 1870, age 27y9m).

NIB Reed, Flora, Mrs, died at the home of her son, W H Reed, West Massillon, 2 Jan 1870, age 78. (OR = 6 Jan 1870).

1-62 Richards, Benjamin, Canton Tp, died of consumption 31 Aug 1870, age 50. (OR = Richard, Benjamin, age 49y9m28d).

1-42 Ritz, Susan, wife of the late David Ritz of Osnaburg, 8 Feb 1870, age 63y5m22d. (OR = 17 Feb 1870).

1-28 Robin, George, Canton, died of consumption 27 Jan 1870, age 65. (OR = 17 Feb 1870, DR = death date 21 Jan 1870, age 65y3m6d).

NIB Rockensmith, Mervin Henry, Marlboro Tp, son of John & Amanda Rockensmith, 7 Sep 1870, age 2y1d. (OR = 23 Sep 1870).

NIB Salsline, Jules, Alliance, 14 Nov 1870, age 80. (OR = 18 Nov 1870).

NIB Schott, Caroline, Canton, wife of Joseph Schott, 7 Apr 1870, age 31y6m. (OR = 14 Apr 1870).

1-56 Snyder, Jacob, New Franklin, 11 Jun 1870, age 81. (OR = 7 Jul 1870; DR = death date 10 Jun 1870, age 80).

NIB Snyder, Mary, Massillon, wife of Samuel Snyder, 25 Aug 1870, age 50. (OR = 2 Sep 1870).

NIB Snyder, Newton, Bethlehem Tp, son of Hugh & Mary Snyder, 4 Mar 1870, age 18y5m17d. (OR = 10 Mar 1870).

NIB Stahl, John, died at the home of his son, Jacob Stahl in Lawrence Co, IL. Formerly a resident of Canton Tp, Stark Co. Nearly 60 years ago he came from Somerset Co, PA. In 1867 he moved to Indiana to be with his sons. He then went with his son Jacob. His sight failed him and he was on his couch much of the time for the rest of his days. He died 14 Aug 1870. (OR = 2 Sep 1870).

NIB Tyler, Robert G, Esq, formerly of Sligo, Ireland, lately of St Louis, MO, died of congestive fever at the home of his son-in-law, Harry Chalmers of Canton, 9 Oct 1870, age 74. (OR = 14 Oct 1870; OR 21 Oct 1870 made corrections. He was from Pittsburgh, PA and was buried at Allegheny Cemetery).

1-28 Weaver, Sadie, died 9 Feb 1870, age 13. (OR = 24 Feb 1870; DR = Weaver, Sarah E).

NIB Wechter, Philip, died 2 Jun 1870, age 64y17d. (OR = 16 Jun 1879).

NIB Welker, Henry, Des Moines, IA, a native of Stark Co, died of consumption 28 Jun 1870, age 41, survived by wife and 3 children. (OR = 7 Jul 1870).

1-36 Wert, Adam, Navarre, died of heart disease 9 Jan 1870, age 72. (OR = 27 Jan 1870; DR = age 75y16d).

NIB Wertz, Mary, Miss, Canton, died 3 Nov 1870, age 17. (OR = 4 Nov 1870).

NIB Whitmer, Martha, Canton, wife of John Whitmer,

19 Sep 1870, age 30. (OR = 23 Sep 1870).

1-28 Wilkins, Mellie, Canton, dtr of J & M Wilkins, died of inflammation of the bowels, 12 Feb 1870, age 18m. (OR = 17 Feb 1870; DR = Wilkins, Marian M, age 1y6m6d).

1-54 Williams, Barbara A, Mrs, born in Plain Tp 18 Mar 1838; married 3 Nov 1859 James F Williams; on 18 Jun 1865 she united with the Presbyterian Church, 19 Oct 1870. (OR = 21 Oct 1870; DR = death date 16 Oct 1870).

NIB Williams, Charles, son of Charles H & Annie Williams, 8 Sep 1870, age 1m. (OR = 16 Sep 1870).

NIB Wilson, Andrew Thomas, Mt Union, 20 Jan 1870, age 13y1m6d. (OR = 3 Feb 1870).

NIB Witting, Agnes, wife of the late Dr C C A Witting, died at the home of her son in Canton, 30 Jan 1870, age 58. (OR = 3 Feb 1870).

1-62 Worley, Francis William, Canton, only child of Rev Daniel & Henrietta J Worley, died of dropsy, buried with his grandfather at Greenlawn Cemetery near Columbus, 27 Oct 1870, age 11y8m12d. (OR = 11 Nov 1870).

1-56 Yant, John, born in 1769 in Northampton Co, PA, married in Washington Co, PA, came to Ohio in 1805. He was a Revolutionary child and had much to say about the privation of that day. He went to the defense of his country in 1812, He died at the home of his son, William Yant, west of Minerva, 31 May 1870, age 101, buried at the Liberty Church beside his companion. (OR = 9 Jun 1870; DR = age listed as 101y1m15d).

Film Warning

There is a potential firebomb in your house! Fire marshals across the country have been alerted.

Between 1889 and the mid 1950's all film contained nitric acid. This means ALL FILM—negatives, slides, and home movies. With age, this film will self-combust, especially in attics and basements.

What can you do about this very real danger? You can have each piece of film tested or do it yourself with a special "pen" from an archival products company. Your best bet with old film, however, is to have new copies made on modern film. Then, the old film should be destroyed carefully because nitric acid fumes are highly toxic.

As an example of what could happen, that 1890 census we miss so much was destroyed by a fire caused by such old film. The National Archives now stores its old film in steel drums immersed in water.

Don't let old film destroy your treasures, your house and even yourself. Take care of this hazard today.

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Stark County Deaths

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NIB Armstrong, Amelia E, Mrs, Cleveland, wife of C E Armstrong and dtr of William Bucher, formerly of Massillon, 29 Jul 1871. (OR = 4 Aug 1871).

NIB Arter, Eva, dtr of George & Harriet Arter, 11 Jul 1871, age 5m. (OR = 14 Jul 1871).

NIB Augustine, John, Gen, came to Stark Co in 1808; a former Stark Co sheriff and representative; moved to Braceville Co, IL where he died 20 Mar 1871, age 81y7m15d. (OR = 7 Apr 1871).

NIB Avery, A G, Mrs, Granville, OH, mother of William H H Avery, Principal of the Canton Academy, 25 Dec 1870. (OR = 30 Dec 1870).

NIB Bachtel, Nelson Kingsley, son of Moses A & Mary A Bachtel, 1 Sep 1871, age 3m4d. (OR = 15 Sep 1871).

1-54 Bair, Catharine (DeWalt), born in Adams Co, PA on 4 Oct 1770; married 21 Aug 1798 Samuel Bair who died Jan 1867 in his 99th year, came to Stark Co, Plain Tp about 1818; died 11 Feb 1871, age 100y4m7d. (OR = 24 Feb 1871; DR = 18 Feb 1871, age 102, died of old age).

NIB Baird, S A J, Mrs, wife of Dr I N Baird and mother of H M Baird of Canton; died at Salem 30 Nov 1870. (OR = 9 Dec 1870).

1-46 Baird, Wellington, Lake Tp, died of typhoid fever 9 Dec 1870, age 20y7m0d. (OR = 16 Dec 1870).

1-82 Ballard, Margaret Whitcomb, Canton, dtr of J F & M A Ballard, 20 Jun 1871, age 1y8m19d. (OR = 23 Jun 1871; DR = Maggie Ballard, age 1y8m18d).

NIB Balsler, Louise, Canton, dtr of Casper Balsler, 19 Aug 1871, age 8y. (OR = 1 Sep 1871).

NIB Bauner, John, Massillon, 2 Aug 1871, age 32. (OR = 11 Aug 1871).

1-80 Beatty, Agnes, Mrs, wife of Henry Beatty, 26 Jun 1871, age 39. (OR = 30 Jun 1871; DR = b in England, died of consumption 24 Jun 1871, age 29y1m).

NIB Bederman, Caroline, Canton, dtr of Henry Bederman, 30 Oct 1870, age 13. (OR = 6 Jan 1871).

NIB Betz, Isaac, Canton, died of consumption 13 Feb 1871, age 35. (OR = 24 Feb 1871).

NIB Black, John, Freeport, IL, born in PA and moved to Canton, OH at an early day, where he lived until 21 years ago when he moved to Freeport, IL, 27 Dec 1871, age 70. (OR = 13 Jan 1871).

NIB Bollinger, Caroline, Perry Tp, 2 Aug 1871, age 83y6m10d. (OR = 11 Aug 1871).

NIB Brownell, Arnold J, Canton, died after a severe illness 16 Jan 1871, age 49y4m0d. (OR = 20 Jan 1871).

NIB Childress, Phoebe, Mrs, wife of the late Rev Thomas Cross, DD, of the Baptist faith. Born 22 Feb 1783 in Leeding Co, VA. Her mother's maiden name was Margaret Washington. During the 46 years of their mar-

riage she shared the labors of her husband. She died at the home of Samuel Cross Esq, 6 Aug 1871, age 88y5m14d.

1-60 Clark, Daniel V, a soldier in the late war in the 76th Reg OVI, died at Massillon 4 Feb 1871. (OR = 10 Feb 1871).

1-82 Clark, Jennie Frances, eldest child of James J & Ada F Clark, 19 Jul 1871, age 4y2m21d. (OR = 28 Jul 1871).

NIB Collins, Mary S, Palmyra, Portage Co, wife of Noah Collins, teacher, 24 Nov 1870, age 21. (OR = 16 Dec 1870).

NIB Colly, George W, a native of Herefordshire, England; came to Canton in Aug, 1870. Worked for the Aultman Company. Died of pneumonia 10 Jan 1871; age 26. (OR = 13 Jan 1871).

NIB Cox, Demis A, Mrs, Massillon, wife of O S Cox, 22 Nov 1870, age 21. (OR = 25 Nov 1870).

1-80 Delong, ?, Massillon, child of Enos Delong, 31 Jul 1871, age 10m. (OR = 4 Aug 1871; DR = Julian Delong, son of John J Delong & Katharine Kutz, age 9m26d).

1-64 Deweese, Mary, Osnaburg Tp, before she died she talked calmly until the end 19 Feb 1871, age 65, (OR = 24 Feb 1871; DR = Marie Deweese died 8 Feb 1871, age 64y10m5d).

1-68 Dodd, Thomas, Canal Fulton, 22 Mar 1871, age 71y11m16d. (OR = 21 Apr 1871).

NIB Earnshaw, John, Capt, died in Cincinnati, 3 Sep 1871, age 45; body was brought to Canton and placed in the M E Church. Buried in West Lawn Cemetery. (OR = 8 Sep 1871).

NIB Feighner, Catharine, Canton Tp, wife of the late John Feighner, died at the home of her son-in-law John Lichtenwalter 18 Dec 1870, age 76y5m13d. (OR = 23 Dec 1870).

NIB Fox, ? Canton, dtr of L B Fox, 23 Jun 1871, age 2d. (OR = 30 Jun 1871).

1-82 Fulmer, Charles Leiter, only son of Volney & Linnie Fulmer, died of scarlet fever 1 Jul 1871; age 4y4m13d. (OR = 7 Jul 1871).

NIB Garrigues, William, Limaville, died at the home of his dtr 22 Dec 1870, age 82. (OR = 20 Jan 1871).

1-82 Goodwill, Lewis F, son of the late Bradley C Goodwill. Lewis was born on a farm near North Industry 1 Apr 1841. In the fall of 1861 he joined Co Fm 4th Ohio Reg under the command of Capt James Wallace; he was taken ill in Jul 1863 and was sent to Camp Ohio at Georgetown, DC. He was sent home and died of consumption 6 Jun 1871, age 30y. (OR = 16 Jun 1871; DR = Louis Goodwill, age 30y2m5d).

Grovemiller, Christina, Canton, 25 Aug 1871, age 77y9m0d. (OR = 1 Sep 1871).

1-58 Hacket, Harriet, 23 Dec 1870, age 25y10m23d, buried at Massillon. (OR = 30 Dec 1870; MR = Harriet Ruthrauff & James A Hacket, were mar 25 Jan 1870).

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NIB Hain, ? Massillon, son of Margaret Hain, 4 Jan 1871, age 2y6m. (OR = 13 Jan 1871).

NIB Halter, Aloose, Canton, died of heart disease 18 Nov 1870, age 21. (OR = 25 Nov 1870).

NIB Hamilton, ? near Massillon, died at advanced age 29 Aug 1871. (OR = 4 Aug 1871).

1-58 Harger, John, Massillon, 7 Mar 1871, age 69. (OR = 10 Mar 1871; DR = age 59y3m).

1-60 Hazlett, Isaac, Esq, born in Canton, attorney, son of James Hazlett who was an early settler, married Dec 1855 Helen E Brown, died of heart disease 22 Jan 1871, age 47. (OR = 27 Jan 1871; DR = Isaac Hazlet, age 46y2m22d).

NIB Hisey, Sarah, Marlboro Tp, wife of the late Samuel Hisey, 23 Jan 1871, age 41y29d. (OR = 10 Feb 1871).

NIB Hoffman, Rebecca, near Freeburg, wife of Daniel Hoffman, 26 Jan 1871, age 25y2m13d. (OR 10 Feb 1871).

1-48 Howenstine, Sarah A, Pike Tp, dtr of George & C Howenstine, died of consumption 30 Jan 1871, age 33y7m-17d. (OR = 10 Feb 1871).

NIB Hudson, Willie T, Salem, died at Massillon 16 Nov 1870, age 17. (OR = 25 Nov 1870).

1-76 Hutton, Elizabeth, Mrs, New Franklin, wife of Samuel Hutton, committed suicide by hanging 26 Apr 1871, age 68y22d. (OR = 5 May 1871; Blue & Heald p 189).

NIB Johnson, Mary E, New Lisbon, dtr of James Johnson, 17 Mar 1871, age 21. (OR = 31 Mar 1871).

NIB Jones, John Harry, West Brookfield, son of Amanda & John Jones, 10 Mar 1871, age 7m3d. (OR=17 Mar 1871)

NIB Kirk, William, born 15 Oct 1795 at Centre Co, PA and moved to Ohio at a young age. He married Mary Miller (who survives him) 14 Jan 1819. In 1858 he moved to IL and died in Freeport, IL 24 Feb 1871, age 75. (OR = 17 Mar 1871).

1-60 Koons, Adam lived in Paris many years but moved to Canton 2 years ago and was building a house on N Market St but it was not finished. He died 6 Apr 1871, age 61. (OR = 7 Apr 1871; DR = died 6 Mar 1871, age 60y6m20d).

NIB Laiblin, C P, Sr, Pike Tp, born in Wirtemberg, Germany, came to America in 1815 and settled in Steubenville where he lived 50 years. He moved to Stark Co, fell upon a barn door and broke his ribs, later was run over by a horse and buggy and his ribs were re-broken. He left his wife and 6 children and died 14 Jun 1871, age 74y1m. (OR = 30 Jun 1871).

NIB Linedecker, Jonathan, Canton, 25 Aug 1871, age 60. (OR = 1 Sep 1871).

1-58 Loew, Bertha J, Massillon, dtr of S Loew, 26 Dec 1870, age 5m. (OR = 30 Dec 1870; DR = Bertie Lowe dtr of S Lowe, age 4m26d).

NIB Marsh, Elizabeth, Mrs, wife of the late Edward Marsh formerly of Washington Tp, Stark Co, died at the home of her son, D B Marsh, Bloomington, IL no date of

death given, age 69. (OR = 10 Mar 1871).

NIB McMillen, William A, Wooster, for many years he was a businessman in Canton, united with the Baptist Church 3 Mar 1866, survived by 2 orphaned children and his parents, died 18 Mar 1871, age 35y3m14d. (OR = 24 Mar 1871).

NIB Mericle, Cyrus, Tuscarawas Tp, son of Caleb Mericle, 14 Feb 1871, age 20. (OR = 17 Feb 1871).

1-82 Metzgar, William, son of Jacob & Mary Metzgar, 12 Sep 1871, age 15m8d. (OR = 15 Sep 1871).

NIB Miller, Joseph R, Deca, IN, brother of William K Miller of Canton, 12 Feb 1871, age 54. (OR = 3 Mar 1871).

NIB Miller, Lorena, Massillon, child of John & Rebecca Miller, died of scarlet fever 8 Mar 1871. (OR = 17 Mar 1871).

NIB Miller, Henry, Massillon, child of John & Rebecca Miller, died of scarlet fever 8 Mar 1871. (OR = 17 Mar 1871).

NIB Miller, Orlandus, Lake Tp, son of Joseph R & Barbara Anna Miller, 21 Feb 1871, age 10y8m9d. (OR = 3 Mar 1871).

1-60 Miller, Theodore, Canton, teacher of the German school, 28 Dec 1870, age 36. (OR = 30 Dec 1870; DR = 29 Dec 1870; age 36y11m12d).

1-50 Mong, Josiah, Waynesburg, 6 Feb 1871, age 67. (OR = 24 Feb 1871; DR = 9 Feb 1871; age 66y9m).

1-82 Monnot, Mary, Canton, dtr of Charles & Catharine Monnot, died of scarlet fever 13 Jun 1871, age 2y2m. (OR = 16 Jun 1871; DR = Mary J Monnot, age 3y2m15d).

NIB Mood, Andrew, Massillon, 24 Jan 1871, age 31. (OR = 3 Feb 1871).

NIB Mummert, Mary Magdalena Kimmel, dtr of Philip & Susan Duck, born 18-Nov-1794 in Newell, Cumberland Co, PA. In 1819 she moved with her parents to Lisbon, Columbiana Co, OH and 2 years later they moved to Canton where she spent the rest of her life. She married 13 Jun 1833 Adam Mummert, and was the mother of 3 sons, deceased and 2 daughters. She died of dropsy 15 Aug 1871, age 76y8m27d. (OR = 18 Aug 1871).

1-54 Musser, Angeline, Mrs, Alliance, wife of D A Musser, died of consumption 25 Dec 1870, age 63. (OR = 6 Jan 1871; DR = died 20 Dec 1870; age 62y5m).

1-46 New, Barbara, near Cairo, no date listed, age 92. (OR = 3 Mar 1871; DR = Barbara Neu, died 9 Feb 1871; Blue & Heald, wife of Otto Neu).

NIB Newhouse, Christian, Osnaburg Tp, died of consumption 21 Mar 1871, age 14. (OR = 24 Mar 1871).

NIB Nolan, William, Massillon, son of S & C Nolan, 29 Jul 1871, age 1y5m. (OR = 4 Aug 1871).

1-58 Ogden, ? Massillon, son of John Ogden, 23 Dec 1870, age 5y5m. (OR = 30 Dec 1870; DR = Frank Taylor Ogden, age 6y3m28d).

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Stark County Deaths

Deaths from the Canton Republican have been copied by Karl Harsh and compared to the official records. NIB = Not in book; OR = Date of newspaper. Those found in the official Death Records (DR) show Vol 1, page #. The year is 1870/71. This alphabetized list is continued from Feb 1998.

NIB Olinger, Leah, Harrisburg, Stark Co, wife of George Olinger, 18 Mar 1871. (OR = 7 Apr 1871).

1-60 Otto, Marion, Massillon, son of John Otto, 7 Jan 1871, age 2y8m27d. (OR = 13 Jan 1871; DR = Marion M Otto, age 2y7m23d).

1-68 Packer, George, Lake Tp, a farmer, he left a wife and 5 children 16 May 1871. (OR = 26 May 1871; DR = date of death 14 May 1871, age 55y5m22d).

NIB Patton, Helena, Mrs, Canton, wife of Thomas Patton, 15 Feb 1871, age 54. (OR = 17 Feb 1871).

NIB Pickering, Joseph, Lexington Tp, 5 Nov 1870, age 87. (OR = 25 Nov 1870).

1-60 Poyser, Mamie E, Canton, dtr of William & Catharine Poyser, 11 Feb 1871, age 7y2m0d. (OR = 17 Feb 1871; DR = Poyser, Mary T, age 8y).

1-76 Prouse, William, Sandy Tp, 4th son of Michael & Eliza Prouse, born near Muddy Creek, Lancaster Co, PA; came to OH in 1809; lived first near Lisbon and then came to Canton. In the War of 1812 he enlisted in the company known as the Canton Blues under Capt Stidger. After his discharge he returned to Newville, Cumberland Co, PA and married on 6 Jun 1817 Hannah Duck. They then returned to Stark Co and had 3 sons and 7 daughters. He lived in Stark Co and died 23 Jun 1871, age 83y1m5d. (OR = 30 Jun 1871; DR = date of death 25 Jun 1871).

NIB Reamsnyder, John, New Berlin, left wife and ten children, 10 Apr 1871, age 78. (OR = 14 Apr 1871).

NIB Ritman, Minnie, Miss, Massillon, 7 Jan 1871, age 19y9m6d. (OR = 13 Jan 1871).

NIB Roush, James, Perry Tp, son of Reuben Roush, 24 Dec 1870, age 23y4m12d. (OR = 30 Dec 1870).

NIB Russe, Eliza, Mrs, Massillon, 15 Jul 1871, age 64y 10m6d. (OR = 21 Jul 1871).

1-78 Russell, Martha L, Massillon, dtr of Allen & Olive Russell, 16 Jul 1871, age 6m. (OR = 21 Jul 1871; DR = Martha L Russel died 15 Jul 1871, age 5m28d).

NIB Saxton, John, publisher of the Repository for 56 years, veteran of the War of 1812; born 28 Sep 1792 at Huntington, PA. He died at 5:00 AM Sunday morning 16 Apr 1871 in Canton, OH, age 79. (OR = 21 Apr 1871).

NIB Schneider, Adam, Canton, died at the home of his son, Rinehart Schneider, no date listed, age 83. (OR = 25 Nov 1870).

1-50 Senfter, Markaretha, Mrs, Freesburg, 10 Feb 1871, age 55y. (OR = 3 Mar 1871; DR = Senfter, Margaret, age 55y2m2d).

NIB Sharp, Elizabeth, Massillon, wife of Emanuel Sharp, 2 Dec 1870, age 55). (OR = 13 Jan 1871).

1-72 Shearer, Charity M, Mapleton, dtr of Robert & Charity Wilson and wife of Hezekiah Shearer, 13 Apr 1871, age 22. (OR = 21 Apr 1871; DR = Shearer, Charity Margaret, age 22y9m2d).

NIB Simons, ?, Mrs, Massillon, 2 Jul 1871, age 40. (OR = 7 Jul 1871).

1-56 Smith, Jacob, Paris, OH, 30 Dec 1870, age 71. (OR = 6 Jan 1871; DR = date of death 12 Dec 1870, age 71y8m19d).

1-48 Snyder, Emma E, dtr of J B & M Snyder, 5 Mar 1871, age 1y24d. (OR = Snider, Emma S, age 1y1m9d).

1-62 Sowers, Eli, born in Woodbury, Frederick Co, MD Feb 1797; came to Canton Apr 1809; married on 3 Sep 1819 Mary Dunbar, dtr of George Dunbar, Sr. She preceeded him to the grave 24 Dec 1863. He was appointed Associate Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, Stark Co and served 7 years. He was a carpenter by trade and was in the grocery business in his last years. He died 3 Feb 1871. (OR = 10 Feb 1871; DR = date of death 4 Feb 1871).

NIB Stuck, Cora, Pike Tp, dtr of Adam Stuck, was engaged in filling a lamp while burning and it exploded. She died from burns the next day 24 Apr 1871. (OR = 28 Apr 1871).

NIB Teller, Susan, Mrs, Bolivar, dtr of Samuel Patton, early settler of Canton and sister of Thomas & John Patton. She was a member of the Methodist Church and was buried beside her 6 children. She died of apoplexy 1 Jul 1871, age 83. (OR = 14 Jul 1871).

NIB Wallace, Eliza Bradley, wife of George H Wallace of Canton; died at Wilmington, DE 31 Mar 1871, age 104. (OR = 28 Apr 1871).

NIB Wallace, Rebecca, Mrs, born in Canton on 18 Apr 1814 eldest dtr of William Reynolds, Esq. On 20 Jul 1834 she married the late Dr Perkins Wallace. She died 2 Dec 1870, age 56 and was survived by her children, brothers, sisters-in-law and son-in-law. (OR = 9 Dec 1870).

NIB Warstler, James, Marlboro Tp, 25 Mar 1871, age 9y3m3d. (OR = 7 Apr 1871).

NIB Wheeler, Martha J, born at Waynesburg, OH 1 Jan 1839 to Mr & Mrs Gilbert Davis and married on 25 Nov 1861 at New Philadelphia, Thomas J Wheeler. She died 9 Sep 1871. (OR = 15 Sep 1871).

NIB Willenborg, Ernest, 8 Jan 1871, age 7y. (OR = 13 Jan 1871).

1-72 Wilson, William W, Mapleton, son of Hiram & Margaret Wilson, 1 Apr 1871, age 2y1m26d. (OR = 21 Apr 1871; DR = Wilson, Willie Walter, age 2y1m24d).

NIB Witting, Lela May, only dtr of Jacob G & Mary A Witting; she had been deaf and died 14 Jul 1871, age 7y8m16d. (OR = 14 Jul 1871).

1-58 Zielly, Elizabeth, Massillon, wife of George Zielly, 24 Jan 1871, age 46y8m10d. (OR = 3 Feb 1871; DR = age listed as 48y).

Pittsburgh Deaths (Cont)

ALGEO, MARGARET, 16 DEC 1816
 ANDERSON, MARY, MRS, 11 JUL 1817
 BRETTON, SUSANNAH LOUISA, AGED 87, 5 JAN 1817
 CARMACK, JACOB, CAPTAIN, 11 MAR 1817
 DALLAS, ALEX J, PHILADELPHIA, 16 JAN 1817
 ERNEST, SUSAN, MISS, 3 APR 1917
 FRAZER, JAMES T, A.B., GREEN TP, BEAVER CO, PA, AGED 22, 13 MAY 1817
 JONES, HANNAH, MRS, AGED 38, 2 OCT 1816
 LATSHAW, MRS, 16 DEC 1816
 LOGAN, SARAH, MRS, NORTH HUNTINGDON TP, WESTMORELAND CO, PA, 25 JAN 1817
 MORTON, THOMAS, ELIZABETH TP, ALLEGHENY CO PA, 8 JAN 1817
 M'COMBS, MARY, MRS, 29 MAR 1817
 M'CUNNIGLE, MRS, AGED 75, 5 MAY 1817
 M'KOWN, ESTHER, MRS, AGED 25 YEARS, 21 AUG 1817
 O'CALLAGHAN, MRS, 1 OCT 1816
 PRIDE, ANN, MRS, 26 MAR 1917
 REED, ELIZA, MRS, GREENSBURGH, PA, 9 FEB 1817
 STEVENSON, ALFRED, AGED 18, SON OF DR STEVENSON, PITTSBURGH, MARSEILLES, FRANCE, 6 DEC 1816
 WEIDNER, HENRY, 5 FEB 1817
 WILSON, MARY S, MRS, ST CLAIR TP, 12 JUN 1817
 WOODS, JOHN, AGED 55, 16 DEC 1816

Vital Statistics in Pennsylvania of this time period are very scarce. Since this is in western Pennsylvania close to the Ohio line it is published herein.

Irish Genealogy

On 24 Mar 1998 at 6:00 PM The Carroll County Chapter OGS will sponsor an Irish Genealogy Night at the First Presbyterian Church, 200 N Lisbon in Carrollton, OH. This is at the corner of 2nd St and Lisbon St just one block north of the square. The speaker will be Dr Bryan Trainor, Research Director of the Ulster Historical Foundation, Belfast, Ireland. The cost will be \$8.00 if you have made a reservation and \$10.00 at the door with late reservation. Reservations must be made by 10 March and should be made with Lois Heming, 59 3rd St NE, Carrollton OH 44615. Telephone number is 330-627-2094. Dr Trainor is a well known speaker on the subject of Irish Genealogy and sources for the local genealogists. If you want information on your ancestors send a message via email to shame@uhf.org.uk or send via FAX to (0232) 23 98 85 and pay \$15.00 to him at the Carrollton meeting. His mail address is Balmoral Bldg, 12 College Square East, Belfast, Northern Ireland, BT 16 DD, but there may not be enough time to contact him prior to his leaving Ireland. Include your ancestor's name, parents if possible, birth date, county, Town Land and religious affiliation. If you have Irish ancestry you are encouraged to attend this program in Carrollton. It is seldom that such an occasion is held this close to Canton and Stark County. And if you contact him you must do so immediately so he will have time to look up the data on your ancestor.

In 1803 Congress approved the Ohio Constitution and admitted Ohio as the 17th state.

In 1953 Congress discovered it had neglected to officially recognize Ohio's statehood, and passed a formal resolution declaring the official date of Ohio's entry into the union as 1 March 1803.

From: The Ohio Almanac

New Books in Canton Library

Cemetery Records of Hampton Tp, Washington Co, NY
 Cemetery Records of Ft Ann Tp, Washington Co, NY
 Cemetery Records of Dresden and Putnam Tps, Washington Co, NY
 Cemetery Records of Argyle Tp, Washington Co, NY
 Cemetery Records of Hartford Tp, Washington Co, NY
 Cemetery Records of Kingsbury, Tp, Washington Co, NY
 Compendium of Historical Sources
 Virtual Roots
 Index to Revolutionary War Service Records, Vols 1-4
 Mayflower Families through Five Generations, Vols 2, 4, 5
 Abstracts from the Land Records of Dorchester Co, MD, Vols G & F, 1763-1771
 Cemetery Inscriptions of Anne Arundel Co, MD, Vol 2
 Land & Property Research in the United States
 A Medical Miscellany for Genealogists
 Clifford-Shumaker Funeral Home Records
 Index to Volunteer Soldiers in Indian Wars & Disturbances 1815 - 1858 Vols I & II
 Index to Pension Applications for Indian Wars Service between 1817 & 1898
 Ashtabula County Bible Records Vols I & III
 General Alphabetical index to the Townlands and Towns, Parishes and Baronies of Ireland
 Lycoming Co, PA Cemeteries, Vol 1
 Mt Carmel Cemetery Inscriptions, Northumberland Co, PA
 Oak Hill Cemetery, at Mt Carmel, Northumberland Co, PA
 Monroe Presbyterian Church, Nicholasville, Clermont Co, OH 1831-1950
 Ulster Co, NY Cemeteries
 History of Ulster County, NY
 Records of the Beam German Reformed Church, Somerset Co, PA
 Church Records of Berlin, Somerset County, PA
 History of Western Maryland (3 Vols)
 Evidence! Citation and Analysis for the Family Historian
 Indian Blood, Volume II
 Herringshaw's City Blue Book of Biography - New York City's of 1917
 Annals of a Parish - Church of the Saviour in Akron, OH
 Life Would Be Better In America - Bergener Family History
 157th New York Volunteer (Infantry) Regiment
 Auglaize County, OH Obits, Death Mentions & Funeral Cards Volume I, Book 1 & 2
 Strongsville, OH Cemetery 1816-1994
 Names & Sketches of the Pioneer Settlers of Madison County, NY

Did you know the Ten Commandments are not multiple choice? If God believed in permissiveness, He would have given us the Ten Suggestions.

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NIB Bierbrier, Willis R, infant son of Charles L & Mary E Bierbrier, 30 Nov 1871, age 9d. (OR = 15 Dec 1871).

NIB Chance, Perry, Dr, born in what is now Alliance 8 Sep 1834; moved to Wood County from where he entered the army. His brother, ex-sheriff Chance of Canton received a telegram of his passing at Delano, MN. He died of brain fever 19 Nov 1871, age 37. (OR = 24 Nov 1871).

NIB Goodman, Alfred E, died at the home of his father, 421 Case Ave, 20 Dec 1871, age 26. (OR = 29 Dec 1871).

1-122 Jarvis, Lydia E, Massillon, wife of Edwin Jarvis, 28 Nov 1871 age 65. (OR = 8 Dec 1871; DR = age 64y 6m13d).

1-70 Lash, Sarah, Mrs, Sugar Creek Tp, born 12 Sep 1850, dtr of Daniel & Nancy Kreighbaum, and wife of Wescot Lash, survived by husband and 2 little children, 25 Aug 1871, age 29y11m21d. (OR = 22 Sep 1871; DR = died 23 Aug 1871, age 20y11m11d).

1-80 Martin, Elisha, Canton, survived by wife and children, 15 Sep 1871, age 65y4m25d. (OR = 22 Sep 1871).

1-82 Nave, ? Infant son of William & Lucinda C Nave, died 27 Nov 1871. (OR = 1 Dec 1871; DR = Nave, Charles A, 3m old).

NIB Neisz, Charley Victor, son of John F & Margaret Neisz, died of scarlet fever 9 Nov 1871, age 9y8m4d. (OR = 22 Dec 1871).

NIB Overcasher, Daniel, died of consumption 11 Dec 1871, age 60. (OR = 15 Dec 1871)

NIB Pflaestener, Anna Margaretha, Robertsville, wife of Philip Peter Pflaestener, died 17 Dec 1871, age 71y1m17d. (OR = 29 Dec 1871).

1-76 Rhorer, Henry, near Massillon, died 3 Dec 1871, age 60. (OR = 8 Dec 1871; DR = Henry Rohr).

1-72 Rodabaugh, Polly, Louisville, wife of Adam Rodabaugh, 9 Dec 1871, age 55. (OR = 15 Dec 1871, age 54y1m9d).

1-80 Walters, Fred, Massillon, 22 Nov 1871, age 41. (OR = 1 Dec 1871; DR = Walter, Frederick, age 45).

NIB Waters, Margaretta Reese, Massillon, 22 Nov 1871, age 25y7m 29d. (OR = 1 Dec 1871).

NIB Wyant, John, Richmond, Jefferson Co, OH, was the father of W H Wyant and had been a resident of Paris Tp, died 19 Nov 1871, age 59y4m15d. (OR = 24 Nov 1871).



I am not at all concerned about that, that the Lord is on our side in this great struggle, for I know that the Lord is always on the side of the right; but it is my constant anxiety and prayer that I and this nation may be on the Lord's side.

Abraham Lincoln

Queries

KESSEL, OHMS, CLEMENTZ, WANTZ

Need info on family of Jacob KESSEL and wife Margaretha OHMS who came to America ca 1838 settling in Massillon, OH. Dtr Elizabeth b 1840 in Stark Co is my gr grandmother who mar Joseph CLEMENTZ. Need info about town in Germany the KESSELS came from and b & m dates & other children. Also need info on Elizabeth CLEMENTZ who was b 1825 in France & mar Michael WANTZ in France and had 3 children born in France. Eugene b 1861; Catherine b 1862 & Joseph b 1864. Seeking info on these and other children of the WANTZ name. Florence G Manning, 4868 Orchard Lane, Owosso, MI 48867-9450.

CAMPBELL, PUMROY

I would like to communicate with anyone researching James Crawford CAMPBELL, b 17 Feb 1793 Fayette Co, PA, d 11 Aug 1858 Adams Co, IA. James' spouse was Hannah PUMROY b ca 1797 Stark Co, OH, d before 1830, Stark Co, OH. James & Hannah had children: Francis Graham (14 Jan 1819-16 Nov 1877); Rev William (12 Oct 1821-21 Mar 1877; and Rachel (1 Sep 1823-12 Jan 1906). Wesley R Campbell, 5307 Backtrail Dr, Austin TX 78731-2669.

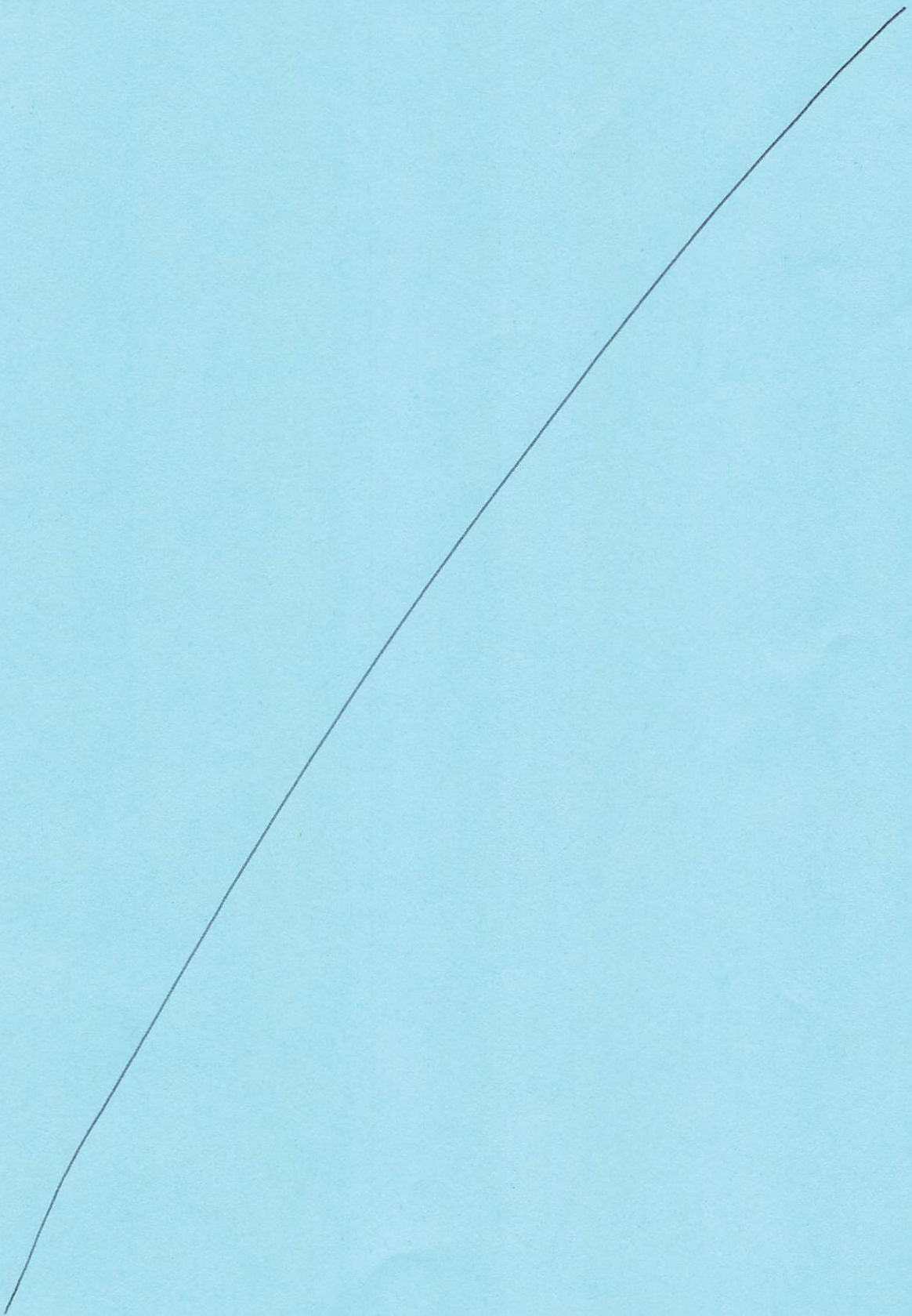
SNODGRASS, PHILLIPS

Henry SNODGRASS b 1816 in area of NE WV or MD panhandle d 1895 Martins Ferry, Belmont Co, OH. Henry's parentage is unknown but two known siblings were Dennis SNODGRASS and Margaret Ellen SNODGRASS SCHULTY. Henry mar (1) Elizabeth PHILLIPS in 1837. She was b in Allegheny Co, MD, her parentage unknown. Children: Margatet Ellen (VANCE); John Nelson b in Monongalia Co, WV; Mary Ann; William Perry; George Thomas; Elizabeth; Almira; Washington Theodore b in Wheeling, WV; Cornelia (James PHILLIPS); Sarah (John DAVIDSON); Jane (John GASSAWAY & Charles BENLINE); Isabella b in Belmont Co, OH (William WELCH). Henry m (2) Bethsheba Francis COSS. They had 7 children. Anyone having any info on this family or any families of the same names in these areas, I would like to correspond with you. Christine Welch Harrison, 137 Miles Ave SW, Canton OH 44710-1261, 330-477-6270.

German Genealogical Symbols

* = Born; +* = Stillborn
 ~ = Baptised (*) = Born illegitimately
 O = Engaged
 OO = Married O/O = Divorced
 O-O = Illegitimate union
 + = Died ++ = This line extinct
 □ = Buried X = Died in battle
 +X = Died from battle wounds

Source: Connecticut Society of Genealogists as seen in *Palatine Heritage*, Nov 1997



Stark County Ohio Deaths

Deaths taken from the Ohio Repository by Karl Harsh are listed below. The date of the newspaper is listed after OR.

Aber, Rebecca, Mrs, Freeport, IL, formerly of Stark Co, left husband & 4 children, 14 Apr 1853. (OR = 27 Apr 1853).

Ackerman, George, Zoar, OH, a member of community, no date given, age 48. (MR = 8 Mar 1854).

Anderson, Lantha L, Canton, dtr of James Anderson, died of typhoid fever 10 Nov 1853, age 12y1m0d. (OR = 16 Nov 1853).

Bachtle, Elizabeth, Mrs, Canton, early pioneer, wife of late David Bachtle and mother of Martin Bachtle, 9 Feb 1854, age 79y3m5d. (OR = 22 Feb 1854).

Barnes, Champion L M, Seville, son of Dr H & Miranda E Barnes, Principal of Fulton High School, died of scarlet fever 26 Nov 1853, age 5. (OR = 7 Dec 1853).

Beatty, George Seward, Canton, son of Dr George S Beatty, 8 May 1853, age 2y3m0d. (OR = 11 May 1853).

Beffin, David, a stranger, died suddenly at the Rail Road House 6 Feb 1852, age 23. (OR = 11 Feb 1852).

Blum, Barbara, Canton, wife of J Blum, left husband & 6 children, 5 Apr 1853, age 46. (OR = 27 Apr 1853).

Bodenheimer, ___ vicinity of Canton, died at home of her son-in-law Daniel Raffensperger, Esq 12 Mar 1853 at advanced age. (OR = 23 Mar 1853).

Bodenheimer, Sophia, Massillon, wife of J H Bodenheimer and dtr of Dr T P Abbott, 17 May 1852, age 20. (OR = 25 May 1852).

Bradshaw, David M, Massillon, attorney at law, died of erysipelas 12 Mar 1854, age 38. (OR = 15 Mar 1854).

Brockebush, Charles, Dr, Canton, native of Hanover, Germany, graduated at Wertzberg, Bavaria, came to US 1834, left invalid wife, died of neuralgia caused by exposure in recent inclement weather at 8:00AM 24 Mar 1851, age 43. (OR = 26 Mar 1851).

Brown, Susan Fockenrode (first name from marriage record), Canton Tp, wife of Moses Brown & dtr of Mr Fockenrode, 9 May 1853. (OR = 11 May 1853).

Christmas, Rebecca, Miss, dtr of the late Judge Christmas of Canton, died at Wooster 11 Apr 1851. (OR = 16 Apr 1851).

Clark, James, former associate judge of Stark Co, clerk of the court of Tuscarawas Co, and

member of the Ohio Legislature, died at the residence of his son, W B Clark, in Holt Co, MO 26 Feb 1852 at advanced age. (OR = 21 Apr 1852).

Clark, James H, died at the residence of his father 17 Mar 1854, age 24y2m14d. (OR = 29 Mar 1854).

Clark, John, Brookfield, one time coroner of Stark Co, died, no date listed, age 70. (OR = 8 Mar 1854).

Couch, Esq, John R, Waynesburg, 28 Nov 1853, age 33. (OR = 7 Dec 1853).

Dalhauer, Henry, near Canton, died, no date given, age 56. (OR = 4 Jan 1854).

Dewalt, Harriet, Canton, dtr of the late George Dewalt, Esq, died of chronic peritonitis 23 Jan 1851, age 19. (OR = 29 Jan 1851).

Earl, Gilbertharp, Esq, near Massillon, came from Burlington NJ in 1816/17, died 20 Jan 1851, at advanced age. (OR = 22 Jan 1851).

Espich, C G, Dr, Germantown, OH, son of C Espich of New Philadelphia, at an early day was a student of Dr A Rappe of Canton, died 24 Nov 1853, age 55. (OR = 11 Jan 1854)

Essig, Simon, soldier of the Revolution, settled in Plain Tp in 1808, left 6 sons, 6 dtrs, 98 grandchildren, 173 great grandchildren and 2 great great grandchildren, died 18 Mar 1852, age 97. (OR = 21 Apr 1852).

Evans, George W, Willamette Valley, OR, son of Mrs Elizabeth W Starkweather, Canton; left Canton for OR in 1849, left wife and a child, died of consumption 29 Dec 1853, age 24. (OR = 29 Mar 1854).

Firestone, Haffstot, Plain Tp, son of Henry Firestone, 23 Mar 1854, age 3m25d. (OR = 29 Mar 1854).

Firestone, Mary Mrs (first name from cemetery book), Plain Tp, wife of Henry Firestone, 7 Dec 1853, age 37. (Note cemetery book gives date 8 Dec 1853). (OR = 14 Dec 1853).

Frease, John, Massillon, 31 Dec 1851, age 48y9m17d. (OR = 7 Jan 1852)

Frederick, William, died of bronchitis 11 Apr 1854, age 37y6m4d. (OR = 26 Apr 1854).

Galloway, Mrs, Canton, died at the residence of D H Harman, no date listed, age 60. (OR = 1 Feb 1854).

Gosser, Victor, Toledo, died while visiting his mother just outside of Canton, no date listed, age 25. (OR = 21 Dec 1853).

Grim, William, Wayne Co, died while on board the steamer S S Lewis from San Juan to San Francisco 2 Jan 1853, age 45. (OR = 2 Mar 1853).

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Stark Co Deaths (Cont)

Hardman, Ida, Canton, only child of Dr Joseph & Casandra Hardman, 29 Aug 1853, age 14m. (OR = 31 Aug 1853).

Haefer, Edward, Canton, son of Frederick Haefer, died of croup 30 Nov 1853, age 2y. (OR = 7 Dec 1853).

Harris, Mary Rebecca, Canton, dtr of John & Sarah A Harris, died at Akron of scarlet fever 7 Jan 1853. (OR = 12 Jan 1853).

Harris, Rebecca, Mrs, Canton, dtr of William Reynolds, Esq, born 28 Jun 1798 Loudon Co, VA. In 1804 parents moved to Zanesville and in 1815 to Canton. In Oct 1819 married John Harris, Esq by whom she had 8 children and 4 survive her. Member of Presbyterian Church, died 26 Nov 1853, age 56. (OR = 30 Nov 1853).

Harris, Silas, Stark Co, 15 Oct 1853, age 39. (OR = 2 Nov 1853).

Hart, Sarah, Mrs, Massillon, wife of William P Hart, 27 Dec 1851, age 36. (OR = 7 Jan 1852).

Harter, Elizabeth, Mrs, Plain Tp, wife of the late Jacob Harter, early pioneers of Stark Co, 19 Feb 1854, age 67. (OR = 22 Feb 1854).

Headley, Susan C, Massillon, wife of J B Headley, Esq, left husband and infant, 27 Feb 1851, age 27. (OR = 12 Mar 1851).

Hildt, Caroline, Massillon, dtr of George Bink-ley of Canton and wife of Daniel Hildt, 8 May 1853, age 23. (OR = 18 May 1853).

Hockenday, Hannah, Mrs, Bethlehem, wife of William Hockenday, 26 Jan 1854, age 59y6m0d. (OR = 15 Feb 1854).

Hoffman, Caroline Louisa, Massillon, wife of J J Hoffman, Esq and eldest dtr of John C Bockius of Canton, died at childbirth 26 Feb 1851, age 24. The child survived. (OR = 12 Mar 1851).

Holdeman, Levi Olmstead, Minerva, son of Dr L & M A Holdeman, died of imflammatory fever 23 Nov 1853, age 24. (OR = 7 Dec 1853).

Hoover, Allison D, Canton, son of John B Hoover, died of scarlet fever 4 May 1852, age 3y2m0d. (OR = 12 May 1852).

Housel, Mary, Mrs, Plain Tp, wife of Anthony Housel, Esq and dtr of the late Judge Hoover. Member of Presbyterian Church in Canton, 2 Juan 1853, age 18y7m0d. (OR = 4 Jan 1854).

Howe, J H, Mrs, formerly of Canton whose maiden name was Mary West, died on steamer Cortez from Panama to San Francisco, no date listed. (OR = 2 Mar 1853).

Hunt, Maria, Massillon, dtr of Salmon Hunt, died of scarlet fever 17 Jan 1852, age 3. (OR = 28 Jan 1852).

Humphrey, Lyman, Esq, New Baltimore, pioneer of Deerfield, Portage Co, Justice of the Peace, Colonel of the 4th Regiment of Portage Co, died 28 Aug 1853, age 57. (OR = 31 Aug 1853).

Kimmell, Timothy, 1 mile north of Canton, born York Co, PA 24 Jan 1773, came to Stark Co 1823, married several times, father of 8 children, 7 surviving, left grand & great grandchildren, died, no date listed, age 81. (OR = 23 Nov 1853).

Kirk, Jacob, near Fulton in Lawrence Tp, a pioneer soldier and citizen of Stark Co, died, no date listed (15 Sep 1853 in cemetery book), age 73. (OR = 28 Sep 1853).

Kirk, Samuel, Lawrence Tp, left wife & 3 children, died of lung fever, no date listed, (Cemetery book lists 16 Feb 1854), age 45. (OR = 8 Mar 1854).

Kurt, Anna Barbara, Canton, wife of John Kurt, late of the canton of Bern, Switzerland, died of dysentery 28 Aug 1853, age 37y2m8d. (OR = 31 Aug 1853).

Lattimer, Robert, born 3 Jun 1777 Westmoreland Co, PA, came to Ohio 1802 and Stark Co 1805, cleared, planted and raised the first 10 acres of corn in the county, member Presbyterian Church, died 30 Nov 1853. (OR = 14 Dec 1853).

Long, Leander R, son of Benjamin & Mary Ann Long, 15 Apr 1854, age 5. (OR = 3 May 1854).

Miller, Abraham, Plain Tp, pioneer settler of Stark Co, 4 May 1852 at advanced age. (OR = 12 May 1852).

Miller, Angel, Canton, died of typhus fever, no date listed, age 18. (OR = 11 Feb 1852).

Miller, Jacob, son of old and respected citizen of Pike Tp, 26 Dec 1853. (OR = 28 Dec 1853).

Montgomery, Mary, Mrs, Marshall, Clark Co, IL, wife of William Montgomery & dtr of William Gillen, formerly of Canton, 1 Apr 1853, age 37. (OR = 13 Apr 1853).

Mottice, Osse, Stark Co, dtr of Peter Mottice, Esq, died of chronic bronchitis 14 Apr 1852, age 38. (OR = 19 May 1852).

Murray, Mrs, wife of Mr Murray, shoemaker in Canton, 10 Dec 1853. (OR = 14 Dec 1853).

Newcomer, Margaret, Mrs, widow, died of consumption 15 Sep 1853, age 38. (OR = 28 Sep 1853).

Niess, Velman Isadore, Canton, dtr of Samuel & Mary A Niess, died of lung fever 25 Aug 1853, age 18m. (OR = 31 Aug 1853).

Niesz, Delilah, Mrs, wife of William Niesz and mother of 6 children, 5 Jan 1853, age 30. (OR = 12 Jan 1853).

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Stark Co Deaths (Cont)

Oberlin, Rosette, Canton, wife of Christian Oberlin, 20 Aug 1853, age 38. (OR = 24 Aug 1853).

Patterson, Eliza, Canton, dtr of Rev F C Patterson, died after illness for past 3y, 22 May 1853, age 18. (OR = 25 May 1853).

Pearce, John, Esq, Carrollton, attorney at law, expresident Judge of this circuit, 16 Oct 1853, age 49. (OR = 19 Oct 1853).

Pirrong, Christiana, wife of John Pirrong, 3 Jan 1854, age 32. (OR = 18 Jan 1854).

Pirrong, Martha, dtr of Jacob Pirrong, died at the home of John Pirrong of typhoid fever 16 Feb 1854, age 12. (OR = 22 Feb 1854).

Plum, Maria, Massillon, maiden name Maria L Bahney, wife of O T Plum, 4 Jan 1852, age 24y9m 13d. (OR = 21 Jan 1852).

Price, Catharine, Maysville, Hocking Co, formerly of Waynesburg, Stark Co, dtr of James S & Catharine Price, died of consumption 15 Mar 1854, age 15y10m14d. (OR = 7 Jun 1854).

Prince, Elenora, dtr of William & Christiana Prince, died of scarlet fever 29 Jan 1853, age 1y5m6d. (OR = 2 Feb 1853).

Raynolds, Betsey S, Mrs, Canton, born 26 Jun 1796 Newport, RI, came to Canton with father, Capt John Fisk in 1810, mar 18 Dec 1811 William Raynolds, had 6 children, survived by 5 children, 18 Apr 1853. (OR = 20 Apr 1853).

Raynolds, George W, Pike Tp, resided in Canton in his youth, under Gen Harrison in Co of Dragoons in War of 1812, early settler of Richland Co, died at Beaver, Pike Tp 24 Jun 1847, age 55. (OR = 15 Jul 1847).

Ream, Mary, near Canton, wife of Phillip Ream, resided here since 1806/07, died at home of son-in-law, Mr Stonehill in Nimishillen Tp 2 Jan 1851, age 69y9m1d. (OR = 8 Jan 1851).

Richard, Joseph, Canton, son of Michael Richard, died from injuries when he fell from a horse 18 Apr 1854, age 16. (OR = 26 Apr 1854).

Richards, Michael, Canton, left wife and 5 children, 5 Jan 1854, age 41. (OR = 1 Feb 1854).

Robertson, Jane, Mrs, Sandy Tp, no date listed but died at advanced age. (OR = 23 Nov 1853).

Saxton, Anna Laura, Canton, only child of Joseph S & Harriet A Saxton, 23 Dec 1853, age 1y2m9d. (OR = 28 Dec 1853).

Schafer, Christopher, Waynesburg, native of Germany, died at the home of his son-in-law Peter Elssas of erysipelas 21 Mar 1851, age 70. (OR = 2 Apr 1851).

Scholder, Ernst, Canton, son of John Scholder,

died at Grass Valley, CA 1 Jan 1853, age 30. (OR = 23 Mar 1853).

Sherrick, Joseph, Canton, MS, formerly of the vicinity of Canton, OH, 13 Mar 1852, age 50. (OR = 25 May 1952).

Shipe, Henrietta, Paris, wife of W H Shipe & mother of 3 children, died of consumption 8 Nov 1853. (OR = 16 Nov 1853).

Shorb, George Saxton, youngest son of Adam L & Maris Shorb, 28 Nov 1853, age 1y9m0d. (OR = 30 Nov 1853).

Shoeneberger, Margaret (first name from 1850 census), Canton, wife of the late Jacob Shoeneberger, pioneer settlers of Stark Co, died at home of son-in-law Christian Palmer 19 Jan 1851, age 93. (OR = 22 Jan 1851).

Shriver, Hiram, Canton, died at home of his grandfather, David Shriver of Congestive fever, no date given, age 16. (OR = 18 Feb 1852).

Shroyer, Mrs, Plain Tp, died at residence of Daniel H Smith 16 Dec 1853. (OR = 28 Dec 1853).

Shull, Henry, Osnaburg Tp, pioneer settler of Stark Co, no date listed, age 73. (OR = 14 Apr 1852).

Slaybaugh, Henry, Nimishillen Tp, 13 Mar 1852, age 73. (OR = 28 Apr 1852).

Smith, George L, only son of John & Catharine Smith, 30 May 1854, age 11m. (OR = 7 Jun 1854).

Snodgrass, Mary, Mrs, Tuscarawas Tp, wife of John A Snodgrass, left husband & 2 children, died of consumption 31 Jul 1853, age 32. (OR = 1 Feb 1854).

Spotts, Daniel, old citizen of Jackson Tp, no date listed (cemetery book lists 13 Mar 1853, age 40). (OR = 13 Apr 1853).

Stahl, Eliza F, wife of A J Stahl, Esq who was clerk of the Court of Common Pleas and who has been confined to his home since last Dec with a lingering disease, left husband and 3 children, 1 but a week old, 26 Apr 1853, age 28. (OR = 27 Apr 1853).

Swan, Eliza, Miss, East Union Tp, Wayne Co, OH, died of consumption 11 Mar 1853, age 23. (OR = 23 Mar 1853).

Toffler, Catharine, Mrs, Canton, wife of the late Peter Toffler, died at home of son-in-law, William Dunbar at Mt Vernon, no date listed but body returned to Canton and interred 14 Mar 1851, age about 70. (OR = 12 Mar 1851).

Tragesser, Catharine, Plain Tp, died of measles 5 Feb 1854, age 17. (OR = 15 Feb 1854).

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Trantee, Jacob, Wayne Co, on board the steamer S S Lewis from San Juan to San Francisco, 1 Jan 1853. (OR = 2 Mar 1853).

Trout, Mary, dtr of Joseph & Caroline Trout, died of croup 9 Nov 1853, age 2y7m0d. (OR = 30 Nov 1853).

Wales, Arvine, Massillon, early pioneer of Stark Co, no date listed, age 68. (OR = 4 Jan 1854).

Warstler, Lewzata Elizabeth, dtr of Daniel & Catharine Warstler, died of inflammation of the lungs 13 Feb 1852, age 20m. (OR 18 Feb 1852).

Weaver, Mrs, wife of David Weaver and keeper of the Rail Road Tavern, no date listed. (OR = 11 Feb 1852).

Welch, Susan Frances, Waynesburg, dtr of the late Dr James Welch, died of neuralgia 13 Apr 1851, age 14. (OR = 16 Apr 1851).

Wentz, James N, Louisville, son of John N Wentz, 16 Jan 1854, age 17. (OR + 25 Jun 1854).

Wertz, John, Osnaburg Tp, 18 Apr 1854, age 80. (OR = 10 May 1854).

White, Cora, Canton, dtr of Edward White, 23 Jan 1854, age 18m. (OR = 25 Jun 1854).

Wickersham, Thomas W, Marlboro, 27 Mar 1854, age 24y10m12d, (cemetery book lists 29 Mar 1854. (OR = 10 May 1854).

Williams, George, Wayne Co, vicinity of Canton, native of Dauphin Co, PA, moved to Big Island, Lycoming Co, PA, then to Stark Co in 1819, father of George & William Williams, 21 May 1852, age 81y2m0d. (OR = 25 May 1852).

Wilson, Osee, Mrs, Osnaburg Tp, born 1782 in Sussex Co, NJ, at age 12 moved with father to Washington Co, PA, mar 1802 Douglas Wilson, moved to Stark Co 1808, husband died 1816, 24 Feb 1854, age 72. (OR = 15 Mar 1854).

Yahne, Charles F, formerly of Sandy Tp, Stark Co, died at his home 5 miles east of Huntington, IA 26 Oct 1853, age 62y10m0d. (OR = 9 Nov 1853).

Yant, Jacob, Canton Tp, 19 Mar 1854, age 33. (OR = 22 Mar 1854).

Additional Surnames

A02 ALDRIDGE, Jeanne, 215 Lindy Lane SW, North Canton OH 44720-2969, CARROLL, DOLAN, DONOHUE, GOLDEN, PARKS, WOOD

B77 BACK, Marsa Simmons, 1104 N Howard St, Akron OH 44310-1028, BITTAKER, BUEHL, LONG/LANG, SELLARS/SELLERS, SIMMONS, WEYGANDT

B07 BLANTZ, William A, 20104 Longview Dr, Lawrenceburg, IN 47025-9061, BAKER, BESSLER,

CULLER, DORNHECKER, GRESSER, HEINZER, KARRENBAUER, KERSTETTER, MAULTER, MANG, PETERS, RADEL, REICHART, SWETZ, THORN, WALKER, WILHELM

B70 BERNDSEN, Shirley Baxter, 3268 West 165 St, Cleveland OH 44111-1907, PERHAMUS

C17 CAMERON, Robert W, 1156 Whipple Ave SW, Canton OH 44710-1316, BALDWIN, BARKER, BARSTOW, BATEMAN, BEAUCHAMP, BELCHER, BROOKS, CURTIS, FOREMAN, GILLIAM, GOODNOW, HACKLEY, HADLOCKE, HOUSE, HYATT, KILHAM

C40 CARTER-CARMELLA, Barb, 560 Elvin Ave, Hamilton OH 45013-3027, SEITZ

C33 CONVERSE, Richard A, 4165 Columbia Ave NW, Massillon OH 44646-1523, BIDDLE, KITCHEN

C34 CONVERSE, Frances J, 4165 Columbia Ave NW, Massillon OH 44646-1523, CHRISTMAN, LATIMER, WARNER, WILCOXEN

C06 CRAWFORD, Roy, 820 Pierce Ave NW, North Canton OH 44720-2328, Remove SPENCER

E18 ERICSON, Norvell, 618 E7, Newton KS 67114-2808, HOUK, STUMP, WAGGONER

G11 GIBBONS, Carol Lee, 37084 Bennett, Livonia MI 48152-2706, AULTMAN

G12 GRAEF, Harry, 3916 Dover Zoar Rd, Dover OH 44622-9546, Remove KUNZ. Add ERB, LEBOND, LEISER, MARUER, UHLMANN

G13 GRAEF, Jeanne, 3916 Dover Zoar Rd, Dover OH 44622-9546, BIRCHFIELD, SMITH, STIENBAUGH

H102 HASEK, George O, 8001 Hi-View Dr, N Royalton OH 44133-3825, BROWN, UNDERSMITH

H75 HAWKINS, Ida M, 3416 Grunder Ave NW, Canton OH 44709-2615, BAILEY, BAYLOR, CREW, GRANT, HAMILTON, LEWIS, PARRISH, POWELL, SEBRELL, SHAFFER, STANLEY, WALLACE, WILEY

H52 HENNEY, Lloyd, PO Box 115, Willshire OH 45898-0115, HENNEY, HORNER, KELLER, MILLER, OVERMIRE, PIATT, PONTIUS, REINHART, RICKLE, RISHEL, SANDS, SHOWALTER, STAMM, STEM, WEYERBACHER

H103 HOLLETT, Martha D, 11105 Park Forest Dr, Granger IN 46530-9051, DIEGLE/DEAGLE/DAIGLE, KREW, MILBUCK/MELBICK

H26 HOWELL, Nancy, 50 Delora Dr, Akron OH 44319-1819, DICKERHOFF, SNYDER, STUVER

L35 LEWIS, Shirley, 5736 Kings Cross Cir NE, North Canton OH 44721, BERTHOLET, BUGNON, CUVIER, DENHOLM, FAREY, GILLIOTTE

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Land Records (Cont)

Probate Court: estates/wills; land sales records.

On the basis that a picture is worth a thousand words, shown below are the two methods of numbering sections in a township described in the last issue.

1785

36	30	24	18	12	6
35	29	23	17	11	5
34	28	22	16	10	4
33	27	21	15	9	3
32	26	20	14	8	2
31	25	19	13	7	1

1796

6	5	4	3	2	1
7	8	9	10	11	12
18	17	16	15	14	13
19	20	21	22	23	24
30	29	28	27	26	25
31	32	33	34	35	36

Ohio Land Grants

- Virginia Military Lands, 1784. Land between Scioto & Little Miami Rivers
- Connecticut Western Reserve, 1786. NE Ohio.
- Firelands, 1792. Primarily Erie & Huron.
- Congress Lands, 1786.
- Seven Ranges, 1786.
- Ohio Company's Purchase, 1787. 1 million acres.
- Donation Tract, 1792. Washington & Morgan.
- Symmes Purchase, 1794. SW Ohio, Butler, Warren & Hamilton.
- French Grant, 1795. Scioto County.
- United States Military Lands, 1796. 2.5 million acres in central Ohio.
- Moravian Lands, 1787-96. 12,000 acres on Muskingum River in Scioto.
- Refugee Tract, 1798. Parts of Franklin, Licking & Fairfield.
- Dohrman's Grant, 1801. Tuscarawas & Harrison.
- 12 Miles Square Reserve, 1805. Wood & Lucas.
- 2 Miles Square Reserve, 1805. Sandusky.

**Stark County Death Records
Ohio Repository**

Deaths taken from the Ohio Repository by Karl Harsh are listed below. The date of the newspaper is listed after OR.

Alban, John, Sgt, late of Stark Co, from dispatch by Joseph Oberlin from Ureka, CA 11 Aug 1856: Sgt Alban killed in an Indian fight and buried where he fell; died 30 Jul 1856. (OR = 1 Oct 1856).

Allen, Joseph, formerly of Tuscarawas Tp, died at Lucas Co, OH 6 Sep 1855, age 79. (OR = 17 Oct 1855).

Baer, John, farmer in Canton Tp, died of typhus fever 4 Sep 1855, age 54y 2m 3d. (OR = 12 Sep 1855).

Bartlett, Elisha, Vermont soldier of the Revolution, died 30 Sep 1855, age 100y 9m 13d. (OR = 24 Oct 1855).

Black, Robert, pioneer settler of Stark Co, emigrated from Ireland to Mifflintown, PA, then to Stark Co, 23 Jan 1855, age 81. (OR = 31 Jan 1855).

Bockius, Mrs, wife of Valentine Bockius, died at advanced age, 24 Jan 1855. (OR = 31 Jan 1855).

Bonfield, Thomas, Dr, Canton Tp, president of the Insurance Co; sickness lasting only a few days, 16 Mar 1855, age 63. (OR = 21 Mar 1855).

Bosserman, Samuel, died of injuries received at the Canton Depot on 2 Jul; body taken home to Paris Tp, died 4 Jul 1855, age 68. (OR = 11 Jul 1855).

Brenton. Mercy S, (Marriage Book lists Mary S Cassady mar Dr J L Brenton) died in Massillon of consumption on 2 Oct 1854. (OR = 19 Oct 1854).

Brownnewell, Eve, wife of George Brownnewell, Canton Tp, 6 Dec 1854, age 76. (OR = 20 Dec 1854).

Buchanan, Maria H, Canton, (alleged dtr of President James Buchanan, mother's maiden name was Hahn) died of dropsy 17 Dec 1855, age 30y 6m 20d. (OR = 19 Dec 1855).

Cake, George H, Perrysville, Ashland Co, formerly of Canton, died of typhoid fever 6 Sep 1855, age 57y 5m 27d. (OR = 19 Sep 1855).

Cappon, Mary, Strasburgh (later changed to Maximo) Stark Co, 30 Dec 1854, age 62, buried in Louisville. (OR = 17 Jan 1855).

Clinefelter, James, Lucas, Richland Co, formerly of Canton, left wife and 1 child, died of consumption 10 Mar 1856, age 28. (OR = 19 Mar 1856).

Crisman, Benjamin, Brown Tp, Carroll Co, born

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14 Jul 1772, mar 9 Jun 1796 Mary Elizabeth Yingling at Sinding Valley, Tyrone Tp, Huntingdon Co, PA; had 4 sons & 4 dtrs; moved to Stark Co 30 years ago and Carroll Co some years since; 17 Aug 1855, age 83y 1m 3d. (OR = 12 Sep 1855).

Crist, Christian, near Canton, died of typhoid fever 15 Sep 1855, age 70. (OR = 19 Sep 1855).

Crist, Susanna, Canton Tp, wife of the late Christian Crist, died of a lingering disease 20 Jan 1856, age 67y 7d. (OR = 23 Jan 1856).

Cummins, Elizabeth, Massillon, wife of Charles B Cummins, died of consumption 21 Jul 1855, age 38. (OR = 8 Aug 1855).

Dennies, Henry, Bethlehem Tp, died from injuries received when raising a bridge at Bolivar, leaving a family to mourn his loss, 4 Dec 1855, age 43. (OR = 19 Dec 1855).

Dillon, William, Esq, Marlboro Tp, 5 Dec 1855, age 63. (OR = 26 Dec 1855).

Dissler, Mrs, New Berlin, wife of Jacob Dissler, 19 Nov 1855, age 58. (OR = 21 Nov 1855).

Dively, John, butcher, Canton, died suddenly 15 Jun 1854, age 50. (OR = 21 Jun 1854).

Downing, Nancy, Sandy Tp, wife of James Downing, born 18 Oct. 1795 Brooks Co, VA and with her husband came to Ohio in 1816; died childless but was mother to several orphans, among them Rev Gorman now with the Baptist mission of NM; member of Presbyterian Church; 28 Apr 1855. (OR = 9 May 1855).

Earl, Sarah (first name from cemetery book) died at her dtr's home in Marietta, wife of the late Gilbertharp Earl of Stark Co, no date listed (9 Sep 1855 from cemetery book). (OR = 19 Sep 1855).

Eckert, George, Pike Tp, died a few days since (no date listed), age 60. (OR = 3 Jan 1855).

Eckinger, Peter H, near Mapleton, (not an obituary, just a resolution of his death) 20 Aug 1856. (OR 24 Sep 1856).

Ellison, Eva Zena, Marlboro, dtr of Dempsey & Mary Asthoun (Chain) Ellison, 4 Jul 1855, age 2y 5m 3d. (OR = 11 Jul 1855).

Estep, Harriet, wife of James Estep and dtr of the late John Shorb; leaves her husband and 2 children; died of tumor on the neck 23 Sep 1856, age 30. (OR = 24 Sep 1856).

Faber, George, Canton, came in 1836; manufacturer and inventor of water gauge for steam boiler; 16 Nov 1855, age 45. (OR = 21 Nov 1855).

Feighner, John, farmer in Canton Tp, 28 Nov 1855, age 63y 8m 3d. (OR = 12 Dec 1855).

Firestone, Amy Ann, Plain Tp, dtr of Henry Firestone, 21 Sep 1854, age 17. (OR = 27 Sep

1854).

Fockenroth, Elizabeth, Canton, wife of Peter Fockenroth and dtr of David Shriver 28 Dec 1854, age 29. (OR = 3 Jan 1855).

Frank, John, Esq, aged pioneer of Baughman Tp, Wayne Co, 30 Sep 1855. (OR = 3 Oct 1855).

Gaskill, Daniel, Marlborough, died of billious dysentery, no date listed (27 Sep 1854 in cemetery book). (OR = 19 Oct 1854).

Gearhart, Martha, Mrs, Canton, died of billious dysentery 5 Oct 1854, age 59. (OR = 19 Oct 1854).

Giltoma, George, Nimishillen Tp, 19 Mar 1855, age 68. (OR = 28 Mar 1855).

Gray, R K, Waynesburg, merchant, died at Steubenville, no date listed (11 Dec 1855 in cemetery book). (OR = 26 Dec 1855).

Gray, Sarah Ann, Paris, wife of Dr Milton Gray, died of inflammation of the lungs 28 Jul 1854, age 40. (OR = 23 Aug 1854).

Grubb, Jehu, Esq, ex-representative of Stark Co and long a justice of Plain Tp, 10 Dec 1854, age 80. (OR = 13 Dec 1854).

Haigh, Joseph, Canton, died suddenly 16 Dec 1854, age 66. (OR = 20 Dec 1854).

Hall, George, Canal Fulton, no date listed (5 Nov 1855, age 64y 1m 4d in cemetery book). (OR = 19 Dec 1855).

Hane, Reuben, died at American House, Canton 2 Dec 1854, age 21. (OR = 6 Dec 1854).

Harris, John, Jr, Esq, died at age 31 at the home of his father, John Harris, Esq of consumption, no date listed. (OR = 21 Mar 1855).

Harris, Louisa, Massillon, wife of late Amos B Harris, 11 Dec 1855, age 41. (OR = 19 Dec 1855).

Harry, Amos A, Plain Tp, son of James Harry, died of dysentery 29 Aug 1854, age 8y 6m 3d. (OR = 13 Sep 1854).

Hines, Jesse, Sr, Pike Tp, emigrated from York Co, PA, died of dropsy 7 Jan 1856, age 75. (OR = 9 Jan 1856).

Holm, John, Pike Tp, died of dropsy 27 Dec 1854, age 63. (OR = 3 Jan 1855).

Holtz, Susan, Miss, Plain Tp, dtr of John Holtz, died of typhus fever 17 Aug 1854, age 36y 5m 0d. (OR = 23 Aug 1854).

Hoover, Jonas, Nimishillen Tp, 5 Jun 1854, age 41y 6m 15d. (OR = 14 Jun 1854).

Hostetter, Joseph, Paris Tp, left wife and family, 2 Oct 1855, age 52. (OR = 31 Oct 1855).

Hull, Mary Ann, Canton, wife of the late Henry B Hull and dtr of P P Trump; left 4 orphaned children; carried a bucket of water into the house, fell down and died 8 Jan 1855, age 28. (OR = 10 Jan 1855). (Continued on page 56)

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Hurst, William, Washington Tp, 5 Mar 1856, age 48. (OR = 26 Mar 1856).

Kaufman, Solomon, Canton, son of S Kaufman, died at residence of Abraham Ream, no date listed (13 Jun 1854 in cemetery book). (OR = 21 Jun 1854).

Keel, John K, Massillon, died of hemorrhage of the lungs 25 Sep 1855, age 25. (OR = 3 Oct 1855).

Kimmell, Mrs, vicinity of Canton, wife of Timothy Kimmell, died at advanced age 23 Jan 1855. (OR = 31 Jan 1855).

Koontz, Elizabeth Mary, Canton, dtr of John & Mary Koontz, 26 Jul 1855, age 2y 11m 9d. (OR = 1 Aug 1855).

Lahm, Almira W, Canton, wife of Samuel Lahm, Esq, died while on a visit to Boston, MA 25 Sep 1854, age 42. (OR = 27 Sep 1854).

Lavinski, S L, Mr, worked at Ruhman & Co, died of typhoid fever 20 Sep 1854, age 30. (OR = 27 Sep 1854).

Lind, John, farmer in Plain Tp, died suddenly at advanced age, 6 Dec 1855. (OR = 12 Dec 1855).

Mason, Ann, Mrs, Warren, OH formerly of Canton, wife of Roswell M Mason, Esq, no date listed. (OR = 17 Oct 1855).

Mave, Lewis, Harrison Tp, Carroll Co, formerly of Waynesburg, died of consumption 8 Feb 1856, age 27. (OR = 5 Mar 1856).

McDowell, Alexander, Waynesburg, died of consumption 20 Mar 1856, age 50. (OR = 26 Mar 1856).

McLaughlin, James W, Esq, ex-commissioner and associate judge of Carroll Co, 27 Sep 1854, age 42. (OR = 19 Oct 1854).

Mealy, Stephen A, Rev, of Lutheran church and lately the successor in the Apothecary & Drug business of Mr Witting, 7 Sep 1855, age 56. (OR = 12 Sep 1855).

Mentzer, David, Canton, left wife & several children, died of typhoid fever 17 Aug 1855, age 43. (OR = 22 Aug 1855).

Mentzer, Louisiana, Miss, near Bethlehem, eldest dtr of David & Elizabeth Mentzer, died of consumption 3 Oct 1855, age 19y 8m 24d. (OR = 17 Oct 1855).

Miller, Mrs, Massillon, wife of Jacob Miller, died at an advanced age, no date listed. (OR = 21 Jun 1854).

Miller, Jacob, formerly of Paris and Washington Tps, moved to home of his son-in-law, Samuel Bowman in Hardin Co, died of cancer at age 60, no date listed. (OR = 9 Jan 1856).

Moser, John F, an inebriate was frozen to death

in a swamp near New Portage, Summit Co 11 Dec 1855. (OR = 26 Dec 1855).

Mottice, Peter, Esq, Sandy Tp, born in Morris Co, NJ in 1772; moved to Washington Co, PA, then to Jefferson Co, OH in 1802 and Stark Co in 1807. Married 17 Sep 1826 Mary Sibert; was one of first jurors in county, a justice of the peace, and commissioner, left 4 sons, 7 Jun 1855, age 83y 4m 21d. (OR = 27 Jun 1855).

Murray, Patrick, Ashland Co; soldier in the army to quell the Whiskey insurrection; resident of Pike Tp in 1812 and served under Harrison at the battle of Mackinaw; 23 Jul 1854, age 99. (OR = 16 Aug 1854).

Musch, Mrs, Canton, wife of Michael Musch, died of consumption 2 Aug 1855, age 60. (OR = 8 Aug 1855).

Newman, Adam, Osnaburg, son of Henry Newman, 11 Dec 1855, age 19. (OR = 19 Dec 1855).

Packer, Anna, wife of the late James Packer, died at the home of her son near Canal Fulton 13 Apr 1855, age 75y 9m 18d. (OR = 18 Apr 1855).

Page, Benjamin, Central America, died at residence of W F Evans, Esq of Canton from taking phosphorus, 30 Oct 1855, age 22. (OR = 7 Nov 1855).

Palmer, Jacob R, Akron, son of C Palmer of Canton, died of typhoid fever 11 Jan 1856, age 41. (OR = 23 Jan 1856).

Pecker, Justina, Louisville, wife of John Pecker and eldest dtr of Samuel Petree, 28 Feb 1855, age 28. (OR = 7 Mar 1855).

Pennock, Elizabeth, near Salem, formerly of Marlborough Tp, wife of the late Moses Pennock, 9 Dec 1854. (OR = 20 Dec 1854).

Petree, Witman, Louisville, son of John W & Mary Ann Petree, 3 Mar 1855, age 6 weeks. (OR = 7 Mar 1855).

Price, Thomas T, Sandy Tp, left wife and 2 dtrs, died of dysentery 29 Aug 1854, age 50. (OR = 7 Sep 1855).

Rinehart, Valentine, Sandy Tp, pioneer settler of Stark Co, 20 Mar 1856, age 83. (OR = 26 Mar 1856).

Robbins, John, Sr, near Canton, born in Gloucestershire, England; came to US in Nov 1848, 6 Jun 1855, (cemetery book listed 6 Jan 1855) (OR = 10 Jan 1855).

Robertson, James, Carroll Co near Waynesburg, pioneer settler of Sandy Tp, member Waynesburg Presbyterian Church, 14 Nov 1855, age 74. (OR = 21 Nov 1855).

Richard, John, Plain Tp, a deputy sheriff, 13

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Nov 1855. (OR = 21 Nov 1855).

Rowland, Elizabeth, near Canton, wife of the late Jacob Rowland, an early pioneer settler of Stark Co, 13 May 1855, age 70. (OR = 23 May 1855).

Ruthrauff, Mary, near Canton, wife of the late John Ruthrauff, 26 Nov 1854, age 67. (OR = 6 Dec 1854).

Schaefer, Philip, Osnaburg Tp, 1 Oct 1855, age 75y 6m. (OR = 3 Oct 1855).

Schrantz, Mary, DeKalb Co, IN, died 31 Aug 1855, age 25; Ripley Schrantz died 3 Sep 1855, age 6m; Zenas Schrantz died 11 Sep 1855, age 3y, wife and children of John Schrantz, formerly of Plain Tp, Stark Co, all died of dysentery. (OR = 19 Sep 1855).

Seikem, Jacob, Canton Tp, left wife and child, died of typhoid fever 12 Apr 1855, age 30. (OR = 25 Apr 1855).

Sell, Henry, Plain Tp, died at Robertsville 7 Jan 1855, age about 34 (cemetery book lists 31y 10m 19d). (OR = 10 Jan 1855).

Shorb, John, left wife and a large family of children after a long illness, 28 Feb 1856, age 64. (OR = 5 Mar 1856).

Shorb, Margaret R (Walter), Canton, wife of Israel J Shorb, 22 Sep 1854, age 21. (OR = 27 Sep 1854).

Smith, Ignatius, Plain Tp, 25 Dec 1855, age 60. (OR = 2 Jan 1856).

Spangler, Elizabeth, Mrs, Canton, member of Methodist Church, died 12 Mar 1856 at advanced age (cemetery book lists 60). (OR = 19 Mar 1856).

Steinmetz, Samuel, Jackson Tp, 15 Mar 1855, age 47y 11m 4d. (OR = 21 Mar 1855).

Teeters, Eleanor P, Alliance, dtr of Elisha Teeters, died of inflammatory rheumatism 1 Aug 1854, age 11. (OR = 16 Aug 1854).

Tracy, Joseph, lately hung himself at New Portage and a week later his son, Avery died of delirium tremens, no date given. (OR = 26 Dec 1855).

Trump, Sarah Essig, Nimishillen Tp, wife of Michael Trump, died of advanced age 27 Jan 1855, (first name from cemetery book). (OR = 31 Jan 1855).

Unkerfer, Sarah A, New Franklin, 8 Aug 1855, age 20y 4m 5d. (OR = 29 Aug 1855).

Vail, Lewis, Esq, Canton, died at home of his brother in Speedwell, Morris Co, NJ of consumption 27 Jan 1856, age 72. (OR = 20 Feb 1856).

Vesert, Benoit, Louisville, 15 Dec 1854, age 74. (OR = 17 Jan 1855).

Wagner, Nancy Y B, wife of Eli Wagner, died in Canton but buried in Massillon, 20 Jun 1854, (first name from cemetery book which lists death on 27 Jun 1854). (OR = 21 Jun 1854).

Wales, Nancy, Massillon, wife of the late Arvine Wales, died of dysentery 15 Sep 1854, age 63, (first name from marriage book). (OR = 27 Sep 1854).

Weigel, Levi, New Franklin, died of typhoid fever 19 May 1855, age 21. (OR = 6 Jun 1855).

Wise, Phoebe, vicinity of Canton, wife of Adam Wise, 22 Mar 1855, age 57. (OR = 28 Mar 1855).

Yant, Valentine, one of the pioneer settlers of Canton Tp, 11 Dec 1854, age 80. (OR = 13 Dec 1854).

Whitley County, IN

Continued from the May Tree Climber are biographies of Stark County residents who moved to Whitley Co, IN found in the book Counties of Whitley and Noble, Indiana, 1882.

Joseph Bush was born in Columbiana Co, OH 16 Jun 1828, and was one of 4 children born to George and Catherine (Miller) Bush, natives of Germany and PA respectively. They moved to Stark Co, OH in 1830 and there resided till their death. In 1853 Joseph moved to IN and lived in both DeKalb Co and Whitley Co. On 11 Mar 1852 he married (1) Barbara Auer who died in 1872 and married (2) Catherine Wolfert who has borne him 6 children: Amos, Sarah, Albert, Phoebe A, Wilson and Minerva J.

Sylvanus Koontz was born in Stark Co, 25 May 1844, the son of Baltzer and Susannah (Whistler) Koontz, natives of MD and PA respectively. When 9 he moved with his prents to Whitley Co, IN. He served in the Civil War in Co I, 54 INVI and Co G, 152 INVI. He attended Ohio Medical College and practiced in Forest where he lives. On 15 Mar 1874 he married (1) Marilly J Hales (1843-26 Apr 1876); on 28 Nov 1878 he married (2) Adelaid M Kilpatrick of Summit Co, OH, dtr of Hugh and Mary B (Gaylord) Kilpatrick. They had 1 child, Jessie. Baltzer Koontz, Sr was born in MD and married Catharine Harman. They had 7 boys and 2 girls. Baltzer Koontz, Jr was born in Franklin Co, MD 8 Nov 1793; married Catharine Whistler, dtr of Andrew and Catharine Whistler of Lancaster Co, PA. They had 10 boys and 4 girls.

Robert L Pence, born in Stark Co, OH on 2 Jun 1835, was one of 7 children of William and

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Nancy (Black) Pence, who were natives of PA and Ireland respectively. On 22 Feb 1855 he married (1) Mary A Ummel, of Columbiana Co, OH. They had 7 children, but only 2 lived, William E and Hiram M. On 20 Mar 1867 Robert married (2) Magdalen Biery, of Columbiana Co, OH by whom he had 6 children: Norman H, Cora E, Corwin, Denver N, Charles E, and Harvey E.

B F Putt, MD is the son of John W and Mary Putt. His father was born in Washington Co, MD 24 Mar 1819, the son of Benjamin and Barbara Putt. They moved to Stark Co, OH in 1826, and settled in Massillon. Benjamin was born in 1756 and was of Holland descent. He served in the Revolutionary War. He settled in Bucks Co, PA and married Barbara Lawmen; moved to Washington Co, MD and in 1826 to Stark Co, OH where he died in 1852. John W was the 4th son and married in OH 1 Jan 1841 Mary Wiest, who was born 1 Jan 1819 in Huntingdon Co, PA, dtr of Jacob and Catharine Wiest, who emigrated from Germany to Cumberland Co, PA about 1805 and moved in 1827 to Massillon, OH. In 1853 John moved to Allen Co, IN. He had 8 children: Sarah, Harvey A, Caroline, William, John, Benjamin F, Rosana and Charlie. Benjamin F attended Western College in Ft Wayne, IN. He lost 3 fingers from his left hand by the explosion of a gun and it was then he began the study of medicine. He entered a drug store at Nine Mile, Allen Co as druggist and practiced medicine until 1876, when the Medical College at Ft Wayne was organized. On 17 Apr 1878 he married Lillian E Barger, dtr of Elias and Mary Barger, of Delaware Co, IN. They have 1 son, Harold F born 23 Sep 1880.

Maerod Schimbeckler was born in Switzerland 15 Jan 1815, one of 7 children born to Frederick and Benedicta Schimbeckler. In 1849 he came to US and worked as a carpenter in Stark Co, OH where he married on 13 May 1849 Mary Auer, a native of Germany. In 1854 they moved to Well Co, IN. They had 13 children of whom 9 were living: Mary A Walters, Fred, Leh (sic), Clark, Susan Kiefer, Frank, Katie, Lizzie, Augustus and Emma. Mrs Schimbeckler died in Oct 1866 and Maerod married in 1870, Katherine Kaufman, a native of Germany. She died in 1873.

Henry Vogeley was born in Canton Schaffhausen, Switzerland 20 Mar 1836, one of 6 children born to Jacob and Anna (Wurtenberger)

Vogeley. At age 24 Henry came to this country, landing in New York in May 1860 and came directly to Stark Co, OH. He soon bought land and became a farmer. On 23 Jul 1863 he married Catharine Smith in Stark Co. In 1870 he visited the land of his birth and upon his return moved to Whitley Co, IN.

Henry Knight, Jr was born in Stark Co, OH 12 Mar 1831, son of Henry and Mary Knight. The mother died in Stark Co and the father came to IN in 1841. In 1851 Henry Jr married Nancy Witham, dtr of Elisha Witham of OH. Mrs Knight died in Mar 1874 leaving 9 children: Cornelius, Sarah J, Mary, Martha, James W, William Eliza, Clara and George.

James McKown was born near Trenton, NJ 25 Jun 1818, the son of Henry and Elizabeth McKown, natives of Ireland and NJ, who died in Stark Co, OH. James spent his boyhood in Columbiana and Stark Cos, OH. He bought land in Hancock Co, OH. On 20 Jun 1848 he married in Hancock Co Lydia Brenner, a native of Stark Co, OH and dtr of George Benner, a native of Germany. They had 11 children: George, Amanda, Mary A, Melissa, Huldah, Luke, Celeste, Oscar, Minerva, Charles and Jacob.

This concludes the listing of those residents of Stark County who moved to Whitley County, IN. Next month we will begin to list those who left Stark County for Noble County, IN taken from the same book

Query

WEIMER, WINNER, HANOLD, MCILVAINE, HAZEN, BRUSH, KERR: Desire info on the ancestry of Sarah A WEIMER/WINNER b 30 Dec 1809 in NJ; d 23 Apr 1886, Stark Co, bur Quaker Cem, Lexington Tp, m 4 Feb 1832, Stark Co to Isaac HANOLD/HANNOLD, son of John P HANOLD and Rachel MCILVAINE, b 23 Nov 1811, Gloucester Co NJ, d 17 Jan 1885, Stark Co, bur Quaker Cem. Children: Rebecca Winner HANOLD (1833) m Daniel Eber HAZEN; Hudson Lazarus HANOLD (1835) m Sarah E BRUSH; Garrison William HANOLD (1840) m Harriet S ?; Shadrack Gibbs HANOLD (1844) m Lydia KERR. What was Sarah's connection to the Other WEIMER and/or WINNER families in the county? Where in NJ was her birthplace? Ruth Hanold Crane, 206 Maple St, Northfield MN 55057.

Stark County Ohio Deaths

(Deaths taken from the Ohio Repository by Karl Harsh are listed below. The date of the newspaper is listed after OR. The years 1857 and 1858 are prior to the recording of deaths in Ohio by the Probate Court.)

Bachtle, Emanuel, Huntington Co, IN, formerly of Stark Co, son of Daniel Bechtle, died of pleurisy 4 Apr 1857, age 21. (OR = 15 Apr 1857).

Beard, Philip, constable of Jackson Tp for 19 years, 13 Mar 1857, age 54. (OR = 1 Apr 1857).

Beard, Samuel R, Jackson Tp, son of Philip Beard, 6 Mar 1857, age 16. (OR = 1 Apr 1857).

Caraher, Bernard, Rev, St Johns Catholic Church, Canton, 10 Apr 1857, age 53, remains taken to former residence for internment. (OR = 15 Apr 1857).

Coffee, Naomi, Mrs, Columbiana Co, wife of Joseph Coffee of Berlin Tp, died at Alliance, no date given, age 63. (OR = 15 Apr 1857).

Crawford, Jane, Mrs, Sandy Tp, wife of Francis Crawford, died of typhus fever 20 Oct 1858, age 62y5m20d. (OR = 27 Sep 1858).

Cunningham, Samuel, Canton, son of William Cunningham, 27 May 1857, age 50. (OR = 3 Jun 1857).

Delap, Catharine, Mrs, wife of the late John Delap of Adams Co, PA, died at the home of F D Nickle of Osnaburg, 8 Apr 1857, age 95y8m24d. (OR = 15 Apr 1857).

Fockenroth, Frederick, Canton, farmer, died 3 May 1857, age 63, buried in German Reformed Church cemetery. (OR = 6 May 1857).

Gosser, Widow, Canton, known as "Old Mammy" died 8 Apr 1857 at an advanced age. (OR = 8 Apr 1857).

Gotwals, Margaret Ann, Mrs, Canton, wife of Christian Gotwal and mother of a little dtr, 11 Sep 1858, age 29. (OR = 15 Sep 1858).

Haas, Luther M, Shasta Co, CA, brother of J G Haas of Canton, 24 Mar 1857. (OR = 13 May 1857).

Hall, Mary Belle Florence, West Massillon, only dtr of Henry E & Eleanor Hall, died of erysipelas 11 Sep 1858, age 3m17d. (OR = 22 Sep 1858).

Hartzell, Sarah, Mrs, Papertown, Cumberland Co, PA, died at the home of her son-in-law at Richville while visiting her children, died of congestive fever 15 Sep 1858, age 65y11m25d, buried in Methodist Cemetery at Bethlehem. (OR = 22 Sep 1858).

Hullihen, S P, Dr, Wheeling, VA, eminent dentist and surgeon, formerly resided in Canton, 29 Mar 1857. (OR = 1 Apr 1857 & 15 Apr 1857).

Jones, Caleb, Dr, Massillon, son of Catlit & Sarah Jones, 4 May 1857, age 44. (OR = 13 May

1857; first name from Blue & Heald).

Keith, James, Paris Tp, 6 Apr 1857, age 50. (OR = 29 Apr 1857)

Kountze, William, son of Christian Kountze of Osnaburg, died at Dakota, Nebraska Territory of dysentery 5 Sep 1858, age 22. (OR = 22 Sep 1858).

Lind, Abraham, Canton, lived in Canton 36 years, served as county treasurer, died of apoplexy at the train depot where he had gone to see a friend off 6 Jul 1857, age 70. An hour before, John Saxton had taken him aside and inquired about his health. He replied that he felt better than he had for several days. (OR = 8 Jul 1857).

Long, Susannah, Mrs, Canton Tp, wife of the late Col William Long, a pioneer settler, died of consumption 20 Sep 1858, age 71y8m20d. (OR = 13 Oct 1858).

Lovett, Thomas, Lagrange Co, IN, formerly of Stark Co, 20 Jul 1858, age 88y1m11d. (OR = 18 Aug 1858).

Lynch, Arnold, Canton, left wife and many children 20 Dec 1856, age 50. (OR = 24 Dec 1856).

McClunn, Martha, Mrs, New Franklin, wife of Nathan McClunn, 10 Sep 1858, age 71y18d. (OR = 22 Sep 1858).

Mong, Nicholas, Paris Tp, 19 Sep 1857, age 66. (OR = 23 Sep 1857).

Orlando, Wingard, Plain Tp, infant son of C W & J S Wingard, 14 Aug 1858, age 11m. (OR = 18 Aug 1858).

Pepple, Ephraim, Mansfield, formerly of Canton, 8 Apr 1857, age 40. (OR = 8 Apr 1857).

Poorman, Mary, Mrs, near Massillon, died of typhus fever no date given, 2 Aug 1858 per Blue & Heald, age 79y3m23d, buried at Standwood. Her only sustenance was water for 40 days. (OR = 22 Sep 1858).

Raifsnider, Henry, Perry Tp, a pioneer settler, died at advanced age, no date given. (OR = 15 Sep 1858).

Ream, David, Canton Tp, member of Evangelical Lutheran Church of Canton, 14 Aug 1858, age 44y9m22d. (OR = 18 Aug 1858).

Ream, son of John Ream of Harrisburg, 2 sons were hauling saw logs to their father's sawmill. About 9:00 AM they took 2 logs to the mill, rolled one off, but were not careful enough to block the other; it also rolled off and killed the younger boy 18 Oct 1858, age about 13y. (OR = 20 Oct 1858).

Ritter, Catharine, Mrs, Richville, born Cumberland Co, PA, dtr of Philip Slusser, widow of Daniel

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Ritter and mother of 10 children, 9 living, reported as dying of ulcer of the stomach in one paper and consumption in the other, 7 Sep 1858. (OR = 15 Sep 1858 & 22 Sep 1858).

Secrist, David, Webster, Kosciusco Co, IN, formerly of Stark Co, left wife & 3 children, died of typhoid fever 23 Mar 1857, age 21. (OR = 15 Apr 1857).

Shock, Lucas, pioneer settler of Canton Tp, 22 Dec 1856, age 80. (OR 24 Dec 1856).

Silvers, Elizabeth, Mrs, wife of William Silvers, baptized at Indian Run Baptist Church, left husband and 2 children, 15 May 1857, age 23. (OR = 3 Jun 1857).

Snider, John D, formerly host of the Franklin House, died at the American House, Canton of dropsy 25 Aug 1857, age 48. (OR = 9 Sep 1857).

Stump, Nicholas, Bethlehem Tp, aged pioneer and ex-county commissioner, no date of death given, 23 Mar 1857 per Blue & Heald, age 77y10m-11d. (OR = 29 Apr 1857).

Tinker, Caroline H, Mrs, dtr of Col William Hodge and wife of J M Tinker, 17 May 1857, age 20. (OR = 3 Jun 1857).

Walker, Catharine, Mrs, died at the residence of her son-in-law in Paris Tp of dropsy, age 83. (OR = 27 May 1857).

Webb, Alonzo, Massillon, son of Col Thomas S Webb, died of consumption, no date given, 23 Sep 1857 per Blue & Heald, age 21 in newspaper, 23y7m13d per Blue & Heald. (OR = 30 Sep 1857).

Wesener, Maurice, Mansfield, formerly of Canton, died of erysipelas 7 Apr 1857, age 19, buried in Canton. (OR = 6 May 1857).

Williams, George, born 4 Oct 1802 near Muncy, Lycoming Co, PA. At age 17 he came with parents and settled near Canton, united with Presbyterian Church and became a ruling elder, 27 Aug 1857. (OR = 2 Sep 1857).

Stark County Marriages Ohio Repository

(Marriages from the Ohio Repository have been copied by Karl Harsh and compared to the official records. Only those are selected which have either additional or different information from the Marriage Record, or are not recorded at all. C# revers to Vol and Page # of the Marriage Books; NIB = Not in Book; OR = date of Ohio Repository; MR = Marriage Record. The years are 1857 and 1858.

C202 Adleman, Jeremiah & Miss Mary Deel, both of Waynesburg, 5 Jul 1857. (OR = 29 Jul 1857; MR = Jeremiah Edleman & Mary Jane

Deal).

5-33 **Altman**, Henry, Brimfield, Portage Co, son of William Altman & Miss Elizabeth Goshard, Stark Co, dtr of George Goshard, 17 Oct 1858. (OR = 20 Oct 1858; MR = Elizabeth Gushard).

C190 Bortz, Samuel & Miss Rosanna Shultz, both of Osnaburg Tp, 4 Jun 1857. (OR = 10 Jun 1857; MR = Rosanna Shulty).

C191 Buck, William B, California & Miss Rebecca J Jacoby, Perry Tp, 28 Feb 1857. (OR = 10 Jun 1857; MR = Duck, William B).

5-21 **Budd**, John & Miss Sarah Ann Black, 27 Sep 1858. (OR = 29 Sep 1858; MR = Budd, Job).

C190 Burden, James & Miss Sarah Paste, both of Tuscarawas Tp, 31 Mar 1857. (OR = 1 Apr 1857; MR = Barden, James & Sarah Poste).

NIB Campbell, Peter, Massillon & Miss Jane Wilson, late of Scotland, 28 Apr 1857 by Rev J S Grimes. (OR = 13 May 1857).

NIB Carson, James, Stark Co & Miss Margaret Woods, Carroll Co, 7 May 1857 by Rev A Swaney. (OR = 20 May 1857).

C196 Clark, John B & Miss Susanna Gaster, 14 May 1857. (OR = 20 May 1857; MR = Susanna Easter).

C188 Dangler, Samuel J, & Miss Annette Reed, dtr of Walter A Reed, both of Massillon, 3 Mar 1857. (OR = 11 Mar 1857).

NIB Davis, Jonathan & Miss Margaret Jane Burden, both of Stark Co, 7 Mar 1857, by Rev John C Hugh. (OR = 25 Mar 1857).

NIB Dewalt, John, formerly of Canton & Miss Emma Christ, formerly of Lewisburg, Union Co, at Freeport, IL 14 Sep 1858 by Judge Purinton. (OR = 6 Oct 1858).

5-28 **Elson**, George W, New Pittsburg, Wayne Co & Miss Matilda M Shearer, Mapleton, dtr of Jonathan Shearer, 7 Oct 1858. (OR = 13 Oct 1858).

NIB Fair, Eliza & Miss Rachel Shunk, both of Milton, now Wilmot, 19 Aug 1858 by Rev John B Bash. (OR = 25 Aug 1858).

C207 Frease, Joseph, Esq, prosecuting Attorney of Stark Co & Miss Sarah H Belden, eldest dtr of G W Belden, both of Canton, 1 Sep 1875. (OR = 2 Sep 1857).

C208 Grant, John, New York City & Miss Gertrude S Day, Canton, only dtr of S D Day, Esq, 20 Aug 1857. (OR = 26 Aug 1857).

NIB Harmount, Simpson, Bolivar, former treasurer of Tuscarawas Co & Miss Isabella Noble, Arlington, dtr of Thomas Noble, Esq, 17 Aug 1858 by Rev Alexander Harmount. (OR = 25 Aug 1858).

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Hahn, Jacob, Canton, son of David Hahn, worked at the Aultman Co, left wife and small family, died of typhus fever 28 Oct 1858, age 25. (OR = 3 Nov 1858).

Harrison, David, was out west and realized that he was dying of consumption; he attempted to get back to Stark Co, but died at the Eagle House, Sullivan, Moultrie Co, IL and was buried 23 May 1859; death date not given. (OR = 26 May 1859).

Hatcher, Mary, Mrs, New Baltimore, mother of William Hatcher of Canton and wife of William Hatcher, died 29 Nov 1859, age 93. (OR = 6 Dec 1859, first name from Blue & Heald; husband from tombstone).

Hurxthal, Ferdinand D, Massillon; in 1805 he emigrated from Prussia; became merchant in Baltimore and a defender of that city in War of 1812; moved to Clearfield Co, PA and then to Massillon in 1832; celebrated 50 years of marriage 8 Mar 1858; died 1 Dec 1858, age 80. (OR = 29 Dec 1858).

Lichtenwalter, John, one of the first pioneers of Stark Co, died at the home of Michael Kraft, Osnaburg Tp, 17 May 1859, age 75y8m27d. (OR = 26 May 1859).

Lindsay, Mary Ellen, dtr of Mr & Mrs Lindsay, died of cholera, 4 Aug 1859, age 6m7d. (OR = 9 Aug 1859).

Martin, Mary Ann Smith, wife of Emanuel Martin, Perry Tp, died of cancerous infection 20 Jun 1859, age 32. (OR = 23 Jun 1859; first name from marriage record).

McCurdy, John, born in Washington Co, PA, came to Canton in 1819, left wife, 3 sons and 3 dtrs; died of heart disease 13 Aug 1859, age 63. (OR = 16 Aug 1859).

Meek, Perry, Massillon, died of consumption, no date listed, age 26. (OR = 19 Jul 1859; tombstone had date 18 Jul 1859).

Messmer, John, Canton, leaves wife, Sarah Whetmore, and small children, died of consumption 11 Oct 1859, age 36. (OR = 18 Oct 1859).

Nighman, Mary Eleanora, dtr of C Nighman, Canton, died of scarlatina 20 Aug 1859, age 6. (OR = 23 Aug 1859).

Packer, Mary, near Canal Fulton, dtr of Aaron & Catharine Packer, died of putrid sore throat 5 Dec 1859, age 2y3m. (OR = 20 Dec 1859).

Packer, Cevila, near Canal Fulton, dtr of Aaron & Catharine Packer, died of putrid sore throat 7 Dec 1859, age 5y. (OR = 20 Dec 1859).

Paulmore, Catharine, Mrs, Plain Tp, lived there 50 years; mother of Christian Paulmore, Canton; in

1806 moved from Rockbridge Co, VA to Jefferson Co, then to Stark Co in 1808; died 14 Dec 1858, age 92y2m. (OR = 22 Dec 1858).

Pennock, John, Marlborough, died after a lingering illness 11 Dec 1858, age 55. (OR = 22 Dec 1858).

Pennock, Sarah Jane, Miss, Marlboro, born 31 May 1831, died 25 Sep 1859, age 28y3m21d. (OR = 4 Oct 1859; age from Blue & Heald).

Ringer, Ann, Mrs, Green Tp, Summit Co, wife of John Ringer, formerly wife and widow of John Michael Saylor who located near Canton in 1819; mother of 12 children; member of Lutheran Church; died 24 Sep 1858, age 82y4m11d. (OR = 27 Oct 1858).

Sala, Jacob, Canton, died at home of his son, Dr E M Sala, West Point, Lee Co, IA, died 19 Jul 1859, age 88y2m. (OR = 19 Jul 1859); Blue & Heald, tombstone death date is 18 Jul 1859).

Schollenberger, John, Marlborough Tp, died 16 May 1859, age 60y8m. (OR = 26 May 1859).

Schrank, Mrs, an aged lady of Canton died 13 Aug 1859. (OR = 16 Aug 1859).

Sharp, James Flohr, son of Philip W & Malinda C Sharp, died 13 Sep 1859, age 10m7d. (OR = 27 Sep 1859).

Slanker, Maggie A, Miss, Canton, dtr of S & S M Slanker, died of consumption 7 Jul 1859, age 21. (OR = 14 Jul 1859).

Sommers, Mary, Mrs, Canton Tp, wife of Christian Sommers, died 14 Jul 1859 after 4 mo illness, age 53y3m27d. (OR = 2 Aug 1859).

Stinchcomb, David H, Shanesville, Tuscarawas Co, son of G W & C H Stinchcomb, died of inflammation of the spine, 26 Jun 1859, age 23y1m. (OR = 14 Jul 1859).

Stonehill, David, Nimishillen Tp, left wife and children, died 19 Dec 1858, age 60. (OR = 22 Dec 1858).

Stump, Margaret, Mrs, Perry Tp, wife of Frederick Stump, moved from Franklin Co, PA to Perry Tp in 1808, left husband and 11 children, no death date listed, age 73. (OR = 19 Jan 1859).

Tompson, Lavina, Canal Fulton, wife of Thomas Tompson, Esq, died of consumption 16 Jul 1859, age 31y4m. (OR = 16 Jul 1859).

Vesaria, Maria Louise, formerly of Canton, wife of Louis Vesaria, died at Sacramento, CA 7 Nov 1858. (OR = 15 Dec 1858).

Warstler, Christian, Plain Tp, born in York Co, PA, came to Stark Co in 1805, leaves his aged partner and children, 28 Dec 1858, age 88y2m26d. (OR = 12 Jan 1859).

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Weaver, Frances A, Mrs, dtr of the late George Hine of Massillon, born 13 Feb 1829, died suddenly in Toledo, 19 Jul 1859. (OR = 19 Jul 1859; Blue & Heald, death date from tombstone 18 Jul 1859).

Welker, Christiana, Mrs, wife of the late Michael Welker of Pike Tp, a pioneer settler of Stark Co; died at the home of her son Michael in Defiance, OH on 16 Sep 1859, age 74. (OR = 4 Oct 1859).

Whipple, John, vicinity of Canton, born 6 Mar 1790 in Plainfield, Windom Co, CT; came to Canton Sep 1812, married Miss Catharine Carroll on 10 Feb 1819; member of Masons, died 5 Jun 1859, age 69y3m. (OR = 16 Jun 1859).

Whipple, George, vicinity of Canton, oldest son of William Williams; died of typhoid fever 27 Dec 1858, age 18. (OR = 29 Dec 1858).

Williams, George, vicinity of Canton, oldest son of William Williams, died of typhoid fever 27 Dec 1858, age 18. (OR = 29 Dec 1858).

Wilson, D B, Massillon, died of consumption 3 Jan 1859, age 34y8m. (OR = 12 Jan 1859; age from Blue & Heald, also first name is David).

Wyandt, Henry, Sugar Creek Tp, native of Washington Co, MD, pioneer settler of Stark Co in 1818 on the farm on which he died 30 Dec 1859, age 73. (OR = 10 Jan 1860).

Zentz, Anna M, Mrs, Plain Tp, wife of Adam Zentz, died 27 Nov 1858, age 64. (OR = 22 Dec 1858).

Zollars, John, Canton Tp, died of typhus fever at the home of his son, Cyrus 25 May 1859. (OR = 2 Jun 1859).

Castle Garden

(Written by Robert Sminkey and presented at the Genealogy Conference on Lake Erie. It has appeared in a number of newsletters including Genealogy Bits & Bytes, Parma-Cuyahoga, and Medina County Story.)

The land on which Castle Clinton now stands was originally an island one hundred feet off the tip of Manhattan, New York City, New York. The United States build the fortress in 1808-1811 to prepare for war with England, but its guns have never been fired in anger. The fortress was named Castle Clinton in honor of DeWitt Clinton, city mayor and state governor after the War of 1812. In 1824 it was renamed Castle Garden and opened for public ceremonies, demonstrations and entertainment. Samuel F B Morse demonstrated his wireless telegraph here and P T Barnum's "Swedish Nightingale," Jenny Lind, made her American debut here in 1850.

On 2 Aug 1855, Castle Garden, under lease to the State of New York, was opened as an immigrant landing depot and the castle became in Immigration center. At that point, processing immigrants was still the city's responsibility. Only a short time before, Castle Garden had been joined to the mainland by fill and fenced off from the rest of the Battery (southern tip of Manhattan). For the first time the bewildered immigrants were protected from the unsavory characters who had roamed the open wharves at will to take advantage of gullible newcomers.

Here, generally, reliable information about boarding houses, travel routes and fares could be obtained. Needed medical attention and an honest currency exchange were provided as well as a chance for employment. Between 1855 and 1889, more than eight million immigrants--two out of every three persons immigrating to the United States in this period--passed through the Garden.

After 1882 as the number of immigrants gradually increased, more buildings were erected outside the Garden. Brick replaced the wooden fences. Then, on 18 Apr 1890, the last immigrants went through Castle Garden. With control shifted to the United States Superintendent of Immigration, the Barge Office became a temporary landing depot, pending opening of the newer, more commodious center on Ellis Island (located one mile from Castle Garden in Upper New York Bay near the Statue of Liberty near New Jersey) on 1 January 1892.

Castle Clinton was once again altered, this time to become the New York City Aquarium. When the Aquarium opened its doors on 10 Dec 1896, some 30,000 people poured in to see the specimens that came from the waters around New York. The Aquarium lasted until 1941 when the doors were closed for good.

In 1946 the federal government opened it to the public as a national landmark. Inside is a circular courtyard and a small museum dedicated to the history and many lives of the massive structure.

New Archives Branch

There is a new National Archives Branch in Pittsfield, MA. This is in Western Massachusetts near the New York border. It is called the Silvio O Conte National Archives Branch.

Stark County Ohio Deaths

Deaths taken from the Ohio Repository by Karl Harsh are listed below. The date of the newspaper is listed after OR. The years 1860 and 1861 are prior to the recording of deaths in Ohio by the Probate Court.

Ball, James Edward, Canton, son of John & Hannah Ball, 6 Sep 1860, age 6m. (OR = 11 Sep 1860).

Barr, John Conrad, son of Peter & Ada Barr, 12 Aug 1860, age 6w. (OR = 21 Aug 1860).

Bicehele, Oscar, Canton, only son of Joseph & Apolou Bicehele, 13 Aug 1860, age 8m 14d. (OR = 21 Aug 1860).

Blair, Elizabeth, Mrs, Cleveland, wife of John Blair, Esq, born in Stark Co, dtr of Abraham Holm, 31 Jan 1860, age 62. (OR = 7 Feb 1860).

Bowman, Rachel E, Mrs, Osnaburg Tp, wife of David Bowman and dtr of George Criswell, one year age her marriage was published, 1 Nov 1861, age 19y 1m 6d. (OR = 13 Nov 1861).

Brooks, Joseph J, Salem, died of lingering illness 26 Mar 1862, age 58y 10m 28d. (OR = 9 Apr 1862).

Brownberger, David, East Greenville, died of pleurisy 7 Dec 1860, age 33y 8m 29d. (OR = 26 Dec 1860).

Buckius, Mary, Mrs, wife of the late John Buckius, died in the home of her son-in-law, Lewis Heyl, Esq in Columbus 3 Oct 1861, age 79, buried in Canton. (OR = 16 Oct 1861).

Cannon, Bessie, Canton, only dtr of John A & Sarah E Cannon, died of dysentery 21 Aug 1860, age 2y 7d. (OR = 28 Aug 1860).

Case, Sarah, Sandy Tp, formerly of Jefferson Co, died at the home of Francis Crawford 29 Apr 1860, age 80. (OR = 29 May 1860).

Chappell, Carrie Helen, Marlboro, dtr of G E & Dalla A Chappell, died of diphtheria 31 Dec 1860, age 6y 3m 18d. (OR = 16 Jan 1861).

Chappell, Charles Wheaton, Marlboro, son of G E & Della A Chappell, died of diphtheria 19 Dec 1860, age 1y 6m 12d. (OR = 16 Jan 1861).

Chappell, Lillian Wicks, Marlboro, dtr of G E & Della A Chappell, died of diphtheria 18 Dec 1860, age 3y 3m 14d. (OR = 16 Jan 1861).

Clapper, Daniel, Lawrence Tp where he had lived 52 years, his wife was his only survivor, 11 Dec 1861, age 75. (OR = 1 Jan 1862).

Crassam, Alexander, Stock Tp, Harrison, 11 Jan 1862, age 103. (OR = 5 Feb 1862).

Crawford, Miss, Sandy Tp, passed away at the home of Francis Crawford, 13 May 1860 at advanced age. (OR = 15 May 1860).

Crow, S S, Dr, New Franklin, 18 Aug 1860, age

36y 1m 13d. (OR = 4 Sep 1860).

Culler, George, Mrs, thrown from a buggy at Rochester and killed 3 Jan 1861. (OR = 9 Jan 1861). Cemetery Book, Vol 2 lists Samuel Culler as husband of Mary Culler who died 3 Jan 1861.

Danner, Susan Ruff, Mrs, Canton, wife of Samuel Danner, 26 Jun 1860, age 33. (OR = 26 Jun 1860; first name from marriage book).

Daum, Mary, Jackson Tp, daughter of Lewis Daum, 31 Jan 1861, age 11y. (OR = 6 Feb 1861).

Denmore, Francis, Fox Tp, Carroll Co, 15 Jan 1862, age 104. (OR = 5 Feb 1862).

Deuble, George M, Canton, born in Germany, came to US in 1825 and Canton in 1835, 18 Aug 1860, age 61y 10m 19d. (OR = 21 Aug 1860).

Diercourt, Abigail, Mrs, Canton, wife of Clem Diercourt, died of diphtheria 11 Oct 1861, age 30. (OR = 16 Oct 1861).

Dunbar, Mary Catharine, Mrs, Canton, wife of George Dunbar, Sr, Esq, early pioneer of Canton, died 18 Dec 1860, age about 87. (OR = 19 Dec 1860, first name from Deed Record F366).

Dunbar, Mary E, Mrs, Canton, left husband and 4 children, died of dropsy 1 May 1860, age 36y 20d. (OR = 8 May 1860).

Earnshaw, Eliza, Mrs, Canton, wife of George Earnshaw, born in England, came to New York with parents & married in NY, left husband and 8 children, died 4 Jul 1860, age 52; was sitting in a chair discussing the recent death of her brother, became ill and in a few moments was gone. (OR = 10 Jul 1860).

Elliott, Lavina A, Mrs, Tuscarawas Tp, left husband and 4 children, died of bronchitis, no date listed, age 27y 7m 3d. (OR = 5 Dec 1860).

Ellison, John, Esq, Alliance, died of typhoid fever 29 Sep 1861, age 48. (OR = 16 Oct 1861).

Everhard, Martha, Mrs, wife of James Everhard and dtr of William C Wright, 21 Oct 1861, age 31, buried at West Lawn. (OR = 23 Oct 1861).

Foreman, Peers, Canton, 29 Nov 1861, age 59y 11m 18d. (OR = 11 Dec 1861).

Funk, Henry, Osnaburg Tp, came from Bedford Co, PA, pioneer settler of Stark Co, resided on his farm 50 years, 26 May 1860, 76y 9m 12d. Buried Rowland Cemetery. (OR = 19 Jun 1860).

Furnace, William, Canton Tp, 15 Dec 1860, age 11y. (OR = 26 Dec 1860).

Geiger, Lewis, Canton, son of Dr C J Geiger, died of dropsy of the brain 21 Jun 1860, age 4y 5m. (OR = 3 Jul 1860; Cemetery vol 6 states age 5y 4m, parents Conrad J Geiger & Lydia Adams).

Gibbs, Alice Amanda, Canton, dtr of Louis

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& Caroline Gibbs, died of diphtheria 8 Dec 1860, age 2y 6m 10d. (OR = 19 Dec 1860).

Glaser, Catharine Regina, Mrs, formerly of Canton, died at Cleveland in the home of her son-in-law Daniel Umstaetter 10 Jun 1860, age 71y 6m. (OR = 26 Jun 1860).

Green, Holland, New Lisbon, pioneer settler of Columbiana Co, 11 Oct 1861, age 80. (OR = 16 Oct 1861).

Grehle, Louisa, Mrs, Akron, wife of Wendel Grehle and dtr of Rev P Herbruck, 15 Aug 1860, age 19y 11m 3d. (OR = 21 Aug 1860).

Hamble, Hugh R, Mount Union, died of consumption 3 Dec 1860, age 38. (OR = 19 Dec 1860).

Hammond, Alonzo Allen, Canton, only son of David & Margaret Hammond, 26 Dec 1860. (OR = 9 Jan 1861).

Haney, Mr, 20 Oct 1861, buried at Massillon Cemetery on Sunday afternoon. (OR = 23 Oct 1861; Recorded in marriages: Mr J D Haney, Navarre, merchant, died Saturday 19 Oct 1861, age 35).

Harrison, Charles F, Corporal, 1st Kansas Regiment, formerly of Baltimore and son-in-law of Luther Ballard of Canton was killed in the Battle of Wilson's Creek near Springfield, MO, no date listed. (OR = 13 Nov 1861).

Harsh, Anne Steese, Massillon, dtr of George & Sarah E Harsh, 6 Sep 1860, age 1y 6d. (OR = 18 Sep 1860).

Heingaertner, Valentine, Canton, 2 Apr 1862, age 30y 2m 23d. (OR = 9 Apr 1862; acknowledgement in paper signed Widow, Mother, Sister, Brother).

Hildebrand, Elize, Jackson Tp, wife of John Hildebrand, left husband & 7 children, no date listed. (OR = 15 May 1860).

Hockensmith, Christian, Pike Tp, son of David & Margaret Hockensmith, died of scarlet fever 12 Jan 1862, age 6y 6d. (OR = 21 Jan 1862).

Housel, Daniel, Canton, son of Peter Housel, died of diphtheria 8 Feb 1861, age 8y 5m. (OR = 13 Feb 1861).

Ite, Louisa, Canton Tp, dtr of Moses Ite, 3 Jan 1861, age 6y 7m. (OR = 9 Jan 1861).

Karn, Aaron J, Rev, former pastor of English Evangelical Lutheran Church of Canton. He was born in Loudon Co, VA Aug 1820. His first pastorate was here in 1845. In 1848 he accepted a call to Savannah, GA. He married Mary Lucinda Hawk of Massillon 18 Dec 1849. He labored until last spring when his health broke. He started a tour to

France, Italy, Germany and Switzerland. He returned in Sept. He died in Chicago of consumption 19 Dec 1860, age 46. His remains brought back to Massillon and buried beside his wife on 20 Dec 1860. Survived by dtr, age 7y. (OR = 26 Dec 1860).

Klopfenstein, Joseph Frank, Canton, youngest son of Joseph & Frances Klopfenstein of Sacramento, CA, died of dysentery in Canton 27 Jul 1860. (OR = 31 Jul 1860).

Larwell, William, Esq, pioneer settler of Wooster and Wayne Co, 14 Feb 1861. (OR = 6 Mar 1861).

Little, Mary E, dtr of Rufus Little, 14 Apr 1862, age 5y. (OR = 16 Apr 1862).

Litzenberger, Elizabeth, Mrs, born in Germany, died in county infirmary, oldest person in Canton & Stark Co. Had the privilege of preparing many meals for George Washington on visits to Little York, PA. He was so pleased that he offered her a job as cook in his family and gave her 6 silver dollars. She declined. She struggled in poverty for the past 25 years. Her grandson, after living with her for 9 years, sent her to the infirmary. She died 1 Aug 1860, age 102y 10m 20d. (OR = 7 Aug 1860).

Lloyd, Olivia Isidore, dtr of Thomas Lloyd, 3 Jan 1861, age 4y. (OR = 9 Jan 1861).

Long, Jacob, school teacher, left wife and children, died after an illness of 8 years 19 Oct 1861, age 43. (OR = 23 Oct 1861).

Martin, Elle S, Canton, youngest dtr of H S Martin, 23 Nov 1860, age 6y. (OR = 28 Nov 1860).

McBride, Alice Malissa, Canton, dtr of L L & M C McBride, died of diphtheria 12 Aug 1860, age 1y 11m 12d. (OR = 21 Aug 1860).

McCully, William, Carroll County, surveyor elect, 10 Nov 1860. (OR = 28 Nov 1860).

Meffert, Justina, Mrs, Canton, wife of David Meffert, no date listed, age 60y 7m 7d. Buried on the old residence in Nimishillen Tp. (OR = 15 May 1860; Cemetery Book v 2, death date 12 May 1861).

Miller, John, Canton, 24 Nov 1860, age 45. (OR = 28 Nov 1860).

Nathnagle, Peter E, son of Prof H I Nathnagle of Columbus and grandson of Peter Kauffman of Canton, Co I, 13 Regiment OVI, no date listed. (OR = 29 Jan 1862).

Ohliger, Catharine, Mrs, Canton, wife of L Ohliger, left husband, 5 boys & 2 girls, died of typhoid 1 Sep 1860, age 36y 4m. (OR = 11 Sep 1860).

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Oldfield, Jonathan, 29 Dec 1860, age 56. (OR = 2 Jan 1861).

Patton, J S, infant son of John & Francenia Patton, 20 Dec 1860. (OR = 2 Jan 1861).

Pence, Sarah, Miss, Plain Tp, dtr of William Pence, confined at home for 3 years by disease, 18 Oct 1861, age 24. (OR = 30 Oct 1861).

Ruhman, Oscar, Canton, youngest son of M & R Ruhman, 3 Feb 1860, age 1y 8m. (OR = 7 Feb 1860).

Rutter, Andrew, Waynesburg, father of John S Rutter, formerly of Dauphin & Lancaster Co, PA, 18 Feb 1861, age 81. (OR = 20 Feb 1861).

Sassiline, Susan, Mrs, Canton, wife of Julius Sassiline, left a family of children, 1 Feb 1861, age 39y 8m 12d. (OR = 6 Feb 1861).

Sherrick, Rebecca, Canton, wife of David Sherrick, left husband and family of children, died after one days' illness 11 Feb 1861, age 42y 1m 8d. (OR = 13 Feb 1861).

Smith, Mary J, Mrs, Canton, wife of Edwin Smith, came little over a year ago as a bride, survived by husband and infant son, 11 Jan 1861, age 26. (OR = 16 Jan 1861).

Snyder, David B, Esq, Osnaburg, jumped from his buggy about 5 weeks ago and fractured his leg, 14 Sep 1860, age 42y 7m. (OR = 18 Sep 1860).

Squiers, Mary, Canton Tp, wife of John V Squiers and dtr of the late Major Long of Canton Tp, died of consumption 9 Jan 1862, age 54y 1m 23d. (OR = 15 Jan 1862).

Sturhof, Louis, son of Mrs Stuirhof, 11 Jul 1860. (OR = 17 Jul 1860).

Taylor, William, died at the home of his son in Canton Tp, 17 Aug 1860, age 73. (OR = 28 Aug 1860).

Wallcutt, Frances, Mrs, Perry Tp, wife of Silas Wallcutt and dtr of John & Frances Zollars. She left a husband and 8 children, 16 Jan 1862; age 40y 5m 28d. OR = 21 Jan 1862).

White, Polly, Mrs, Massillon, wife of Joseph White, passed away at the home of her son-in-law Henry E Hall, Youngstown, 4 Feb 1861, age 72y 4m 10d. (OR = 13 Feb 1861).

Whiting, John H, Canton, came from Litchfield Co, CT, brother of Dr L M Whiting & J Whiting, left wife in strange land, died of serous apoplexy 10 Jan 1861, age 48. (OR = 16 Jan 1861).

Wise, Amanda, died at the residence of her mother Cathrine Wise the widow of Aaron Wise, no date listed, age 13. (OR = 16 Apr 1862).

Wise, Catharine, Mrs, Canton, wife of Peter M Wise, died at Wise's Mills 8 Jul 1860, age 62y 3m

19d. (OR = 17 Jul & 21 Aug 1860).

Wise, Harriet, Mrs, Canton, wife of Adam Wise to whom she was married 29 Feb 1860, died 22 May 1860, age 50. (OR = 29 May 1860).

Wright, Ada Baker, dtr of William C Wright, died of diphtheria 21 Jan 1861, age 2y 17d. (OR = 23 Jan 1861).

Yohe, Douglas Wilson, born at Osnaburg Tp 26 Mar 1841; left home 26 Aug 1861 to sojourn in the west. He died at Wabash, IN of dysentery 28 Sep 1861, age 20. His parents were notified but did not make it to his bedside in time. (OR = 13 Nov 1861).

Youtz, Elizabeth, Mrs, Osnaburg, died at the home of her son, Joshua Youtz, Esq 18 Sep 1861, age 84y 3m 11d. (OR = 30 Oct 1861).

Queries

BLISS, MCDOWELL: Searching for parents of Jane (BLISS) MCDOWELL b ca1802 in OH or PA; mar ca1827 John A MCDOWELL in either Stark Co, OH or Washington Co, PA. John was b 9 Oct 1802 in Washington Co, PA, s/o Robert & Nancy (Irwin) MCDOWELL. Robert & Nancy MCDOWELL'S family including John migrated to Stark Co. Later John & Jane moved to Case Co, IN. Fred Strobel, 161 Dogwood Ln, Rt 3, Montpelier OH 43543.

SENF, RESLER, GALLENTINE, MISER: Seeking info on descendants of Catherine Maria SENFF, d/o Christian SENFF & Barbara RESLER, b 11 Jul 1803 Fayette Co, PA; 1st spouse may have been Daniel GALLENTINE in PA (ca1823-1942). Believe Catherine mar Adam MISER 1846. Moved to Wayne Co, OH. Did she have children? Where did they end up? Donna L Senff-Mata, 290 Palomar Ave, San Jacinto CA 92582-3134.

Baptisms in Virginia

Until 1786, all children born in Virginia, regardless of religious affiliation, were required to be baptised in the Episcopal Church, which was the "state church." Parish registers giving names, date of birth, and names of parents are in the Virginia State Library, Richmond, among other places. (Taken from Foothills Gen Society of Colorado, No 56 via Will-Grundies Counties IL Gen Society, Wilmington, IL.)

VDM

Have you ever seen VDM in a religious document such as a marriage record? It stands for Verbi Dei Minister which is Latin for Minister or Preacher of the word of God.

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Allen, Elizabeth, Mrs, wife of Alexander Allen, Esq; lived in Massillon 15 years, 30 Apr 1862, age 41. (OR = 7 May 1862).

Allis, Emma, Mrs, wife of William Allis of Canton, left husband and one child, remains taken to Elmira, NY, died of typhoid fever 21 Jan 1863, age 32. (OR = 28 Jan 1863).

Anderson, Alexander, son of James Anderson of Canton, died from wounds at the battle of Spring Hill, TN, volunteer from WI, 22 Mar 1863, interred in Canton. (OR = 8 Apr 1863).

Au, Jacob V, member of Capt Jay's Co, 76 Regt OVI, died in a hospital near Shiloh 12 Jun 1862. (OR = 16 Jul 1862).

Austin, Celecta Ann, Miss, adopted dtr of David & Mary Ann Lind, died of consumption in Canton 9 Apr 1863, age 25. (OR = 29 Apr 1863).

Austin, Theodora, Mrs, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs Knapp, at Massillon 16 Jun 1862, age 72. (OR = 18 Jun 1862).

Bachtel, Eliza, Mrs, wife of Andrew K Bachtel, near Bloomville, Seneca Co, OH. From 1810 to 1824 a resident of Stark Co; left husband, 3 sons & 2 dtrs, 27 Nov 1862, age 54y 11m 12d. (OR = 7 Jan 1863).

Bachtle, Elizabeth, Mrs, wife of David Bachtle, Pike Tp, died of typhoid fever Dec 1862, age 45. (3 Dec per Vol 2, p 326 Blue, Heald). (OR = 7 Jan 1863).

Bachtle, John, son of David Bachtle, Pike Tp, died of typhoid fever 2 Jan 1863, age 16. (1 Jan per Vol 2, p 326 Blue & Heald). (OR = 7 Jan 1863).

Bachtle, Mary Ellen, Miss, dtr of David Bachtle, died of typhoid fever, no date given, age 18 (Vol 2 p 326 Blue & Heald lists death on 19 Dec 1862). (OR = 7 Jan 1863).

Bair, Catharine, Mrs, Cairo, wife of Jacob H Bair and dtr of Abraham & Elizabeth Miller, mother of 11 children and 5 survive her, member of the German Reformed Church, 31 Mar 1863, age 42y 8m 12d. (OR = 8 Apr 1863).

Bechele, child of Leopold Bechele, Canton, died of scarlet fever 18 Mar 1863, age 3y. (OR = 25 Mar 1863).

Brownson, Sarah Melissa, (Called Melissa) dtr

of Charles & Sarah Brownson, died of scarlet fever 27 Mar 1863, age 8. (OR = 8 Apr 1863).

Buerer, Mary, dtr of Joseph Buerrer, 9 Nov 1862, age 12. (OR = 12 Nov 1862).

Clark, John J, The Town Council of Massillon read a resolution and adopted it on the death of John J Clark, a member of the Council. He died 14 Jan 1863. (OR = 21 Jan 1863).

Coates, A, Lexington Tp, pioneer settler of Stark Co, 6 Nov 1862, age 71y 27d. (OR = 28 Jan 1863).

Cox, Levi, attorney in Wooster, had lived in Canton, 31 Dec 1862, age 69. (OR = 14 Jan 1863).

Cross, John, brother of William Cross, left a wife and children, died of wounds in the battle of Murfreesboro, 19th Regt OVI, died in the hospital at Nashville, TN 31 Dec 1862, age 48. (OR = 8 Apr 1863).

Cross, Joseph, Bethlehem, leaves his wife and faithful companion for 56 years, 14 Nov 1862, age 81. Buried in the Massillon Cemetery. (OR = 26 Nov 1862).

Cross, William, died of dropsy in the hospital at Nashville, TN, member of 19th Regt OVI, survived by his wife and children, 5 Feb 1863, age 54. (OR = 8 Apr 1863).

Dane, Barbary, Mrs, Plain Tp, wife of John Dane, 22 Dec 1862, age 87. (OR = 31 Dec 1862).

Essner, Rebecca, Mrs, wife of Adam Essner, 1 mile north of Canton, left a husband and 2 children, died of typhus fever 10 Oct 1862, age 57. (OR = 12 Nov 1862).

Everhard, John, Judge, born in Plain Tp and was one of the early settlers of Massillon, was auditor of Tuscarawas Co and also state representative. Moved to Columbus and then Hamilton Co, OH, left a wife and family, died of apoplexy at Pendleton, Hamilton Co, 19 Apr 1862, age 68, buried at Massillon. (OR = 23 Apr 1862).

Flohr, Mary Josephine, near Canton, dtr of George & Margaret Flohr, died of croup 10 Nov 1862, age 6y 5m 2d. (OR = 12 Nov 1862).

Flora, Hannah, Mrs, Pike Tp, wife of George Flora, died of typhoid fever 31 Dec 1862, age 47. (OR = 7 Jan 1863).

Fogelgesang, Mrs, wife of Christian Fogelgesang, Canton, 24 Mar 1863. (OR = 25 Mar 1863).

Fogel, Frances, Mrs, wife of the late Lewis Fogle, Esq, born in Huntington, PA, moved to Canton in 1827, husband died in CA in 1852 and the
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care and raising of a large family fell upon her. United with the Presbyterian Church in 1854, 27 Dec 1862, age 52y 7m.. (OR = 31 Dec 1862).

Gaff, Hannah, Mrs, wife of John Gaff, Plain Tp, Mrs Gaff was born in Union Co, PA in 1797. She came with her father, the late Joseph Moore, to Stark Co in 1822. Died of typhoid fever 23 Jan 1863. (OR = 4 Feb 1863).

Gerber, John, son of William Gerber, Canton, died of consumption 28 Jul 1862, age 24. (OR = 6 Aug 1862).

Gotshall, Daniel, Capt, Joined the 3rd Ohio Cavalry Regt. After the battle of Shiloh he was taken sick with camp fever and diarrhea and sent home to Canton. He had been editor of the Stark Democrat, Auditor of Stark Co, Justice of the Peace, left a wife and children, 2 sons in the army. He died 18 Jun 1862. (OR = 18 Jun 1862). Note: Blue & Heald, p 555 states age as 58y 11m 26d and date of death as 17 Jun 1862)

Gribble, Christena, Mrs, wife of Henry Gribble, Navarre, 10 May 1862, age 35. (OR = 18 Jun 1862).

Grimes, John Edward, son of Edward & Elmira Grimes, Canton, died of scarlet fever 6 Dec 1862, age 10m 7d. (OR = 10 Dec 1862).

Hartman, Joseph, Elkhart, IN, formerly of Canton, leaving a wife and many children, died of apoplexy 17 Jul 1862, age 57. (OR = 20 Aug 1862).

Haynes, Jacob, Paris Tp, 10 Dec 1862, age 46. (OR = 17 Dec 1862).

Heckman, Jane, Mrs, wife of Joseph Heckman, Esq and dtr of Col Isaac Taylor, native of Westmoreland Co, PA, lived in Stark Co 40y and in Massillon 29 y, leaves 4 children, one in Co K, 104 Regt, Isaac T Heckman in Lima, OH and a son and dtr at home, 27 Dec 1862, age 53. (OR = 31 Dec 1862).

Heldenbrand, D W, Lt, Co I, formerly from Waynesburg, died in camp at Battle Creek, TN of typhoid fever, 21 Jul 1862. (OR = 6 Aug 1862).

Herbert, Franklin F, Canton, lately of Capt Wallace's Co, 4th Regt OVI, died of chronic diarrhea 20 Nov 1862, age 24. (OR = 26 Nov 1862).

Herbruck, (no first name), dtr of Rev Herbruck, Canton, 22 Mar 1863, age 3y. (OR = 25 Mar 1863).

Herrington, John, Augusta Tp, Carroll Co, OH, died "a few days since", age 103y 4m 18d. The Carroll Co Cemetery Book Vol 1, p71 states there is a Revolutionary War marker. (OR = 28 May 1862).

Hewitt, Milton, Co D, 78th Regt OVI, died of typhoid fever at St Louis, MO Hospital, buried with military honors at Waynesburg, no date listed, age 24y 5m. (OR = 14 May 1862). Note: Roster of Ohio Soldiers states he died 18 Apr 1862 and was interred in Jefferson Barracks Cemetery, St Louis, MO.

Hoiles, Katharen, Mrs, Mt Union, died at the home of her son-in-law 10 Apr 1862, age 71y 4m 14d.. (OR = 30 Apr 1862). Note: 1860 census shows Catherine Hoils, age 68, living with Margaret Walshe 33 and Rachel E Walshe at Mt Union, Washington Tp, Stark Co. She was born in MD.

Hurford, Mary, wife of the late Thomas Hurford, Canton, died at Omaha, NE, age 60. No date given. (OR = 30 Jul 1862).

Jarvis, Dwight, Gen, Massillon, born Osego Co, NY 27 May 1797, came to Canton 1822, retired from the profession of law in 1847, left his wife but no children, died after a short illness 28 Jan 1863. (OR = 4 Feb 1863).

Kaufman, Alfred, son of Peter Kaufman, 25 Apr 1862, age 27. (OR = 30 Apr 1862).

Kaufman, Mary, Mrs, Cleveland, wife of the late Alfred Kaufman of Canton, married about 2 years ago, died of consumption 7 Jul 1862. (OR = 16 Jul 1862).

Keplinger, Anne M, mother of Jacob Keplinger, Canton, born in Fredericktown, MD and moved to this county when Canton was still a wilderness. Member of the German Lutheran Church, 17 May 1862, age 87. (OR = 28 May 1862).

Kirkpatrick, R Leroy, son of Robert & Hattie Kirkpatrick, Canton, died of scarlet fever 5 Jan 1863, age 2y 9m 25d. (OR = 14 Jan 1863).

Klinefelter, Joseph D, Sandy Tp, J M Jay's Co, 76th Regt OVI, sent home on sick furlough, died of consumption at the home of Conrad Boyer, left his mother and a brother, 16 Jul 1862, age 20. (OR = 23 Jul 1862).

Kitzmilller, Leah, since the death of her husband Aug 1846 she has lived with her children, died at the St Cloud Hotel, Canton, 11 Dec 1862, age 79y 5m 16d. (OR = 17 Dec 1862).

Knox, Tobias, an old resident of Canton, English by birth, died 28 Mar 1863, age 81. (OR = 1 Apr 1863).

Kress, Catharine, Mrs, died 28 Apr 1862. (OR = 30 Apr 1862).

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Lahm, Marshall, eldest son of Samuel Lahm, Esq; was a member of Co F, 9th Regt OVI, 8 Oct 1862. (OR = 15 Oct 1862).

Lang, Casper, advanced age, 18 Aug 1862. (OR = 20 Aug 1862).

Lentz, Catharine, Mrs, dtr of the late James Harry; died at the home of Jacob Shriver of lung fever, no date given, age 53. (OR = 3 Dec 1862).

Maline, Mary Louisa, Miss, dtr of John & Catharin Maline, 25 Oct 1862, age 22y 10m. (OR = 29 Oct 1862).

McCall, Robert H, Dr, druggist in Canton for many years, 5 Oct 1862, age 51. (OR = 8 Oct 1862).

Melsheimer, Mary, wife of Rev H E Melsheimer, born in York Co, PA; laid to rest in the churchyard where her husband, son and grandchild lay, 16 Aug 1862, age 62y 11m 22d. (OR = 20 Aug 1862).

Metzker, David, son of John Metzker of Pike Tp, Co of Capt J M Jay, 76th Regt OVI, was removed from Helens, AR to St Louis, 22 Oct 1862, age 23. (OR = 5 Nov 1862).

Miller, William, son of William K Miller, postmaster of Canton, 11 Aug 1862, age 11y 10m. (OR = 27 Aug 1862).

Mills, Rebecca E, Mrs, Freeport, IL, wife of Morgan R Mills; was a native of Canton and a daughter of John Black, left her husband and one child, 24 Mar 1863, age 24y 6m 25d. (OR = 8 Apr 1863).

Minnick, Joseph, Canton, pioneer settler of Stark Co, left sister who kept house for him in infirm health, 26 Jul 1862, age 71. (OR = 30 Jul 1862).

Moyer, Caroline, Mrs, wife of Israel Moyer, died at the home of her father, Leonard Betz, Canton, of consumption, 15 Apr 1863, age 28. (OR = 6 May 1863).

Myers, Isaac, Dr, Passed away at Ft Wayne, IN, acted as surgeon of the 10th IN Regt for a 3 month tour, son of Godfrey Myers of Tuscarawas Tp, remains were to be brought to Massillon, 24 Aug 1862. (OR = 27 Aug 1862).

Newman, John, a pioneer settler, died at the home of his son, Henry, 26 Dec 1862, age 90. (OR = 31 Dec 1862).

Oberlin, Sarah, Mrs, wife of Jacob Oberlin, Plain

Tp, died of dropsy of the heart, 6 Apr 1863, age 27. (OR = 8 Apr 1863).

Packer, Leonard, son of Aaron Packer, Lawrence Tp, passed away in the hospital at Nashville, TN, member of 18th Regt, USI, 11 Oct 1862, age 22y 9m. (OR = 19 Nov 1862).

Pangburn, William, Esq, Massillon, 5 Apr 1863, age 72. (OR = 8 Apr 1863).

Patton, Francenia, Mrs, wife of John Patton and dtr of the late John Shorb, faithful member of the Lutheran Church, left a husband and 2 children, 26 Jan 1863, age 34y 6m 3d. (OR = 28 Jan 1863).

Pirrong David, died of a lingering illness 18 Aug 1862, age 51y 2m. (OR = 20 Aug 1862).

Poyser, _____, dtr of John Poyser, 22 Mar 1863, age 9. (OR = 25 Mar 1863).

Poyser, Joseph A, died 4 May 1862, age 3y. Per Blue & Heald, Joseph & brother Francis are buried in St Johns Cemetery, Canton. (OR = 7 May 1862).

Reed, Louis, died at the home of his father, Joseph Reed, Esq. Wounded at the battle of Pittsburg Landing, member of 41st Reg of Col B Hazen, 11 May 1862, age 22. (OR = 14 May 1862).

Ryder, Henry L, Pvt, Massillon, member Co E, 104th Regt OVI, died of typhoid and pneumonia at Richmond, KY, 4 Jan 1863, age 21. Buried in Massillon Cemetery. (OR = 14 Jan 1863).

Saylor, Edgar, Canton, only son of Daniel Saylor, Esq, 1 Jun 1862, age 74. (OR = 4 Jun 1862).

Schwarz, Charles, adopted son of Alexander Allen, Esq, Massillon, 2 Jan 1863, age 6. (OR = 7 Jan 1863).

Scott, Walter, Capt, native of Stark Co, Co H, 104th Regt OVI, died at Cincinnati of typhus fever, no date listed, age 23y 7m 15d. (OR = 6 May 1863).

Shepler, Mathias, Rochester, Bethlehem Tp, pioneer settler, ex-member of Congress and ex-county commissioner, 7 Apr 1863, age 73. (OR = 8 Apr 1863).

Shepley, James M, an Orderly Sargeant, his remains were brought from Galatin, TN and deposited at Massillon on 6 Apr 1863, no date listed. (OR = 15 Apr 1863)

Shoentberger, John, Plain Tp, pioneer of Stark Co, born in Cumberland Co, PA 18 Oct 1791, came with his parents to Stark Co in 1807, soldier in the War of 1812, member of the Lutheran Church, 2 Dec 1862, age 71. (OR = 10 Dec 1862).

Shutt, John, born in Washington Co, MD and came to Pike Tp 60 years ago, died at the home of
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George Holm, Esq 9 Nov 1862, age 90y 6m 18d. He was the oldest man in the county but not the oldest resident. (OR = 12 Nov 1862).

Sissler, Houghton, Akron banker, left wife and children, 30 Jun 1862, age 46. (OR = 9 Jul 1862).

Stidger, R R, St Louis, formerly of Canton, died of consumption 2 Dec 1862, age 39. (OR = 10 Dec 1862).

Stouffeer, Christian B, Nimishillen Tp, born in Lebanon Co, PA, came to Stark Co about 30 years ago, 26 Dec 1862, age 64y 7m 28d. (OR = 31 Dec 1862).

Stover, George A, son of Christian & Delila Stover of New Berlin, member of 64th Regt OVI, died in camp near Corinth, MI of typhoid fever 9 May 1862, age 16y 11m 14d. (OR = 2 Jul 1862).

Sweringen, G W, Navarre, 3 May 1863, age 56. (OR = 13 May 1863).

Trout, Catharine, Mrs, wife of the late Joseph Trout, Canton, 18 Nov 1862, age 76. (OR = 16 Nov 1862).

Tyler, Joseph, Canton, to improve his health he joined the 3rd Cavalry, six weeks ago he came home on a sick furlough, left wife and 1 child, 2 Aug 1862. Marriage Records state he married 21 Sep 1860 Miss Catharine Kimmer. (OR = 6 Aug 1862).

Walk, Mrs, 24 Apr 1862. (OR = 30 Apr 1862).

Wallace, James, Capt, first man in Stark Co to volunteer for the army, member Co F, 4th Regt OVI, died from wounds in the battle of Fredricksburg, VA 28 Dec 1862, age 25. (OR = 31 Dec 1862).

Wallace, James, Capt, born at Ravenna, OH 8 Aug 1838, lost parents at an early age he came to Canton to live with his uncle, John Harris, Esq. He was in the employ of his cousin, Capt William F Reynolds, US Topographic Corp to make surveys on the upper lakes. After being wounded his leg was amputated at Georgetown, DC on 26 Dec 1862. On 4 Jan 1863 he married Miss Henrietta Schneider, dtr of F A Schneider of Georgetown. Later that day he noticed blood on his bandage and died. 4 Jan 1863. His remains were brought to Canton and buried at Westlawn Cemetery. (OR = 14 Jan 1863).

Warstler, Henry, Plain Tp, 16 Jul 1862, age 67. (OR = 16 Jul 1862).

Weary, Henry, orderly sergeant, Co I, 64th Regt OVI, Hospital No 3, Louisville, KY. He died of camp fever 10 Oct 1862, age 23y 4m 3d. His remains were brought home and interred on 27 Oct 1862. (OR = 29 Oct 1862).

Weaver, Mary Elizabeth, dtr of Joseph Weaver, died of erysipelas 13 Jan 1863, age 3m 25d. (OR = 14 Jan 1863).

Webb, George N, Esq, ex sheriff of Stark Co, 12 Jul 1862, age 60. (OR = 16 Jul 1862).

Wilson, Laura Emma, Osnaburg Tp, dtr of John & Mary Wilson, 12 Jun 1862, age 11m 29d. (OR = 18 Jun 1862).

Youngblud, Frank, the young man who gave Mr Shaeffer aconite by mistake, instead of boneset. This act worked seriously upon his mind and he took the typhoid fever which caused his death 27 Mar 1863. (OR = 1 Apr 1863).

World Book of Wigs

By Clifford Wig, Editor

Halberts at 3687 Ira Road, Bath, OH 44210 are still trying to get you to purchase their books. I received a letter signed by Sharon Taylor asking me to pay \$5.00 now against a charge of \$29.50 + \$3.88 shipping + \$1.98 sales tax for a total of \$35.36. They say they have searched 170 million names all over the world (they list the countries). Less than 6 in every 10 million people share the name Wig. To me this calculates out at 102 people. The irony in this is that they did not search Norway where my ancestors came from and where I have met many people named Wig (not all related to me).

I believe one thing they say: "This is the only publication of its kind in the entire world." And thank goodness there is only one. I notice a disclaimer that they now include: "No direct genealogical connection to your family or to your ancestry is implied or intended." That gets them off the hook. But if there is no connection to my ancestry, why would I want the book?

Previous sales pitches by Beatrice Bahley, Elizabeth Ross and Sharon Taylor (not all by Halberts) have raked in the money from people expecting to get a product directly relating to their own families.

Here is what the Will-Grundy IL Genealogical Society says in their Newsletter under "Mail Warning: One of our members recently received one of those letters offering a 'remarkable new book' about his family name. We have been cautioned that publications of this sort are often not what they appear to be. If they come from Ohio, be especially wary." This is the reputation that Ohio has.

Stark County Deaths

Deaths taken from the Ohio Repository by Karl Harsh are listed below. The date of the newspaper is listed after OR. The years 1863 and 1864 are prior to the recording of deaths in Ohio by the Probate Court (1867). This is the beginning of an alphabetical listing for these years.

Ake, Lizzie, Mapleton, dtr of Samuel & Sallie Ake, died after an illness of 3 weeks 1 Sep 1863, age 15y6m20d. (OR = 9 Sep 1863).

Alexander, Willie Jay, son of L J Alexander, 1 Sep 1864, age 4m 5d. (OR = 14 Sep 1864).

Austin, Dorcas, Miss, a native of VT she emigrated with her parents to Ohio in Oct 1816 and settled at Kendal. She was a pioneer settler of Perry Tp. Her father was James Austin, a strict abolitionist. She died at the home of her brother Isaac Austin in Loudenville, Ashland Co, OH. 21 Jul 1863, age 74. (OR = 5 Aug 1863).

Beebout, J L, Dr, Paris, left a wife & several children, 7 Jan 1864, age 42. (OR = 20 Jan 1864).

Boastfield, George W, son of Thomas & Rebecca Boastfield, 22 Sep 1864, age 2y 22d. OR = 28 Sep 1864).

Bockius, Valentine, born at Fredricktown, MD 16 Nov 1770. His father was a soldier in the Revolutionary army. In 1792 he went to Europe where he spent 36 years. He was in the Danish, Prussian and French armies. He returned to America in 1828. He died at the home of his only son, John C Bockius, in Canton, 4 Sep 1863, age 93. (OR = 9 Sep 1863).

Bowers, Malinda, Plain Tp, dtr of Joseph & Mary Bowers, died of dysentery 5 Sep 1863, age 1y2m5d. (OR = 9 Sep 1863)

Bowers, Mary, Plain Tp, dtr of Joseph & Mary Bowers, died of dysentery 8 Sep 1863, age 3y6m 16d. (OR = 9 Sep 1863).

Brady, David, Plain Tp, 17 Feb 1864, age 82y3m 2d. (OR = 2 Mar 1864).

Brahm, Elizabeth, Mrs, Kendal, wife of Adam Brahm, 25 Jul 1863, age 45. (OR = 12 Aug 1863).

Bronson, William, Sandy Tp, 29 Aug 1863, age 67. (OR = 16 Sep 1863).

Brown, Alphrus, Pike Tp, born in Alstend NH in 1792. He moved with his parents to CT, then came to Ohio when he was 25. He settled in Stark Co and on 28 Jun 1817 married Elizabeth Baker. He served as County Auditor for 10 years. In 1844 he moved to Iowa Territory and was elected School Fund Commissioner and held that post until it was abolished. After the death of his wife and crippled with rheumatism he returned to Stark Co. He was a member of the Christian Church. He died at the home of his son-in-law, Jacob Myers 8 Aug 1864.

(OR = 24 Aug 1864).

Brown, Anna R, Massillon, dtr of James M Brown, Esq, died of diptheria 18 Oct 1864, age 8. (OR = 26 Oct 1864.)

Bucher, Eliza, Mrs, Canton, wife of William Bucher and dtr of James Jacoby of Perry Tp, leaves husband and several children, 28 Dec 1863, age 43y8m7d. (OR = 30 Dec 1863).

Buckius, Sarah A, Mrs, wife of Sylvenus Buckius, maiden name Adams, no date given, funeral took place in Massillon 7 Feb 1864. (OR = 10 Feb 1864).

Combs, Ann Eliza, dtr of Joseph & Henrietta Combs, 22 Oct 1864, age 19m. (OR = 2 Nov 1864).

Cossler, Daniel, Plain Tp, distiller, long time citizen of Plain Tp, 30 Sep 1864, age 70. (OR = 5 Oct 1864).

Coulter, Kezia, Mrs, Wooster, born in Chester Co, PA, moved to OH in early life and resided in Canton, lived the last 30 years in Wayne Co, wife of the late Samuel Coulter, 26 Nov 1863, age 88. (OR = 23 Dec 1863).

Cribbs, Charles Washington, son of M E Cribbs, 9 Sep 1864, age 1y6m17d. (OR = 14 Sep 1864).

Criminger, George, 31 Aug 1863, age 9m. (OR = 2 Sep 1863).

Cronell, Harriet A, Miss, Massillon, dtr of Moses & Harriet Cronell, 31 May 1863, age 17y1m. (OR = 10 Jun 1863).

Danziger, Clementine, Canton, dtr of Dr L Danziger, died of typhoid fever 30 Jul 1863, age 10y8m14d. (OR = 12 Aug 1863).

Dunn, James, formerly lived in Massillon, entered the service and returned home to die at Mt Vernon. Leaves a wife and one child, 30 Aug 1863, age 49. (OR = 16 Sep 1863).

Elliott, Andrew, Canton, born in Ireland coming to US in 1836. resided in Philadelphia until 6 years ago, then came to Canton, 3 Aug 1864, age about 58. (OR = 10 Aug 1864).

Erb, Charles Jacob, near Brookfield, son of David & Mary Erb, 20 Sep 1864, age 3y13d. (OR = 28 Sep 1864).

Essig, Harvey, Plain Tp, son of W H & Anne E Essig, 13 Jun 1863, age 8y8m15d. (OR = 1 Jul 1863).

Eva or Evans, Charles, Pike Tp, had 2 children buried on Monday 24 Aug 1863 and 1 child buried on Thursday 27 Aug 1863. (OR = 2 Sep 1863).

Fease, Barbara, Mrs, Massillon, wife of John Fease, 14 Oct 1864, age 20. (OR = 19 Oct 1864).

Firestone, Henry, Plain Tp, left wife and child-

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ren, 31 Aug 1863, age 55. (OR = 2 Sep 1863).

Flattery, Margaret, Mrs, Wooster, wife of Lucas Flattery, 9 Jan 1864, age 38. (OR = 27 Jan 1864).

Greares, John H, Mapleton, received a cut on his knee 2 months ago and died 5 Jul 1864, age 48. (OR = 13 Jul 1864).

Harbaugh, Margaret, wife of D Harbaugh of Coshocton and formerly Mrs Willett of Canton, 7 Sep 1863, age 47. (OR = 23 Sep 1863).

Harmount, Isabella, Mrs, Canal Dover, dtr of the late Thomas Noble, Esq 9 Dec 1863. (OR = 23 Dec 1863).

Harsh, John, Baughman Tp, Wayne Co, early settler of Lawrence Tp, Stark Co, eldest brother of George Harsh of Massillon, 1 Jul 1864, age 76. (OR = 6 Jul 1864).

Hawk, William, host of the St Cloud Hotel, left a wife and 1 child, died of a lingering illness 25 Jan 1864, age 28. (OR = 27 Jan 1864).

Heckerman, Osee S, Mapleton, wife of Emanuel Heckerman and dtr of Robert & Charity Willson, left her husband and dtr 10 days old, 3 Feb 1864, age 21y10d. (OR = 10 Feb 1864).

Henn, Elizabeth, Canton, wife of Nicholas Henn, died of typhoid fever 27 Jun 1863, age 20. (OR = 1 Jul 1863).

Hodge, William, Col, Bolivar, Tuscarawas Co, no date given. (OR = 20 Jan 1864).

Holm, Jeremiah J, 1st Sergt, Co G, 107th OVI, died of wounds near Gettysburg PA, no date given, age 24. (OR = 19 Aug 1863).

Hoover, Henry J, Berlin, Stark Co, 4 Sep 1864, age 39y1m1d. (OR = 14 Sep 1864).

Housel, Mary F, Mrs, Plain Tp, wife of Anthony Housel, Esq, member of the Presbyterian Church in Canton, 22 Aug 1864, age 59. (OR = 24 Aug 1864).

Hower, Jacob, New Berlin, lived in Plain Tp 52 years, left 6 children, 51 grandchildren and 102 great grandchildren, 16 Aug 1863, age 92. (OR = 2 Sep 1863).

Hunter, Bryce, bachelor, came to Northfield, Summit Co, OH in 1822. Lived with Dr P Wallace in Canton. Only surviving relatives were a sister and nieces and nephews in Philadelphia & Cincinnati, 27 Aug 1863, age 63. (OR = 2 Sep 1863).

Hurford, Charles E, near Canton, son of George S Hurford, 7 Mar 1864, age 2y1m14d. (OR = 9 Mar 1864).

Hurford, Henry H, son of George S Hurford, 5 Jun 1863, age 8y11m4d. (OR = 17 Jun 1863).

Huston, Mary, Mrs, Bethlehem Tp, wife of Henry Huston, no date given, age 45y4m7d. Blue

& Heald cemetery book lists death on 16 Jul 1863, buried in Massillon. (OR = 29 Jul 1863).

Ickes, Nancy, Mrs, near Alliance, wife of John O Ickes, died suddenly 27 Aug 1863, age 24y10m. (OR = 16 Sep 1863).

Jacobs, James, Wooster, one of the oldest residence, 30 Jun 1863. (OR = 8 Jul 1863).

Jacoby, David, Perry Tp, 15 Dec 1863, age 78. (OR = 23 Dec 1863).

Jarvis, Euretta, Mrs, wife of Gen Kent Jarvis, a native of Cooperstown, Otsego Co, NY, married to Jarvis in 1821 and moved to Massillon in 1844, died of pleurisy 8 Feb 1864, age 62. (OR = 17 Feb 1864).

Johnson, Joseph, member of Co B, 104th Regt OVI, one of first to enlist in Camp Coates' Company, died of typhoid fever at Mt Vernon, KY 6 Jun 1863, age 23. (OR = 7 Jun 1863).

Kachler, Charles, Massillon, member of 162 Regt ONG, son of E & S Kachler, 26 Aug 1864, age 19. (OR = 7 Sep 1864).

Karr, Elizabeth, Mrs, near Osnaburg, left husband and 6 children, 2 Mar 1864, age 51. (OR = 9 Mar 1864).

Keel, Joseph M, pioneer settler of Stark Co from Cumberland Co, PA, first settled in Pike Tp and then in Bethlehem Tp, father of Joseph Keel, died 24 Oct 1864, age 87, interred in Massillon Cemetery. (OR = 2 Nov 1864).

Keel, Reese Jones, son of Joseph Keel, Jr, Esq of Pike Tp, enlisted at Canton Feb 1862 Capt Leiter's Co, 61 OVI, died in service of diarrhea, no date given, buried 25 Feb 1864 at Massillon. (OR = 2 Mar 1864).

Kimball, Louisa, Mrs, Canton, dtr of Dr Andrew & Mary Rappee, wife of George Faber, an inventor who died in 1855 and had 2 sons & 1 dtr; married Volney R Kimball who died a year later, 1 dtr who was raised by her brothers & sister. Member of St John's Catholic Church, died of pneumonia 24 Dec 1863, age 44, buried in church cemetery but was removed to Westlawn. (OR = 30 Dec 1863).

Kinney, Matilda Phoebe, Canton Tp, dtr of Samuel & Ann Kinney, 12 Jan 1864, age 6y3m. (OR = 27 Jan 1864).

Kinney, Samuel, Canton Tp, died at home from a disease contracted in the army while in 115th Regt OVI 11 Jan 1864, age 40y7m. (OR = 27 Jan 1864).

Knob, Jacob, near Canton, died at advanced age 23 Dec 1873. (OR = 23 Dec 1863).

Krakau, Lucinda, Mrs, New Philadelphia formerly of Canton, died of consumption 4 Feb 1864, age 31y6m8d. (OR = 24 Feb 1864). To Be Continued

Out On A Limb (Cont)

William, Tishe, and Josiah Stansbury.

The "Pigeon Run" Stansburys were not the only Stansburys to have found Stark County. From the Repository's Through A Century -- in Repository files comes this, "100 years ago Reddy Stansbury was arraigned in Mayor's Court on a charge of being a suspicious person. He pleaded not guilty, then changed his plea to guilty after learning that his sentence would be suspended if he left town." Needless to say, spouse Betty enjoyed this notice and couldn't wait to share it with a few Stansbury researchers.

The writer's great-grandfather, Thomas Edwards, was a successful businessman in Barberton, Ohio. there Thomas operated his small hotel, the Edwards House, along with a livery stable. I find a paper trail of court actions filed against livery customers who, most likely, failed to pay their feed bill. Phyllis Taylor, a librarian who works in that community, has kindly sent me shards of Thomas's life with clippings from newspapers, etc. Always, I am happy to receive them. Then, one day, came a clipping reporting Thomas had been arrested. For what? It didn't say. I made a mental note to run down the lead. That was several years ago. Now, why haven't I pursued that lead?

As my column title suggests, as genealogists we might find ourselves: out on a limb.

Correction

The June Out On A Limb contained an incorrect WWW site address for Stark County Chapter OGS information. The correct address is:

<http://www.webcom.com/schori/stark.html>

New District Trustee

The Coshocton District, of which Canton is a part, is represented by a new District Trustee, David Tritt. He just happens to be a resident of Canton and a member of the Stark County Chapter. His wife, Judy Tritt is the Recording Secretary of the Chapter and one of two professional genealogists who belong to our chapter. We look forward to hearing reports from Dave at chapter meetings concerning the activities of the state organization. We appreciate his taking on this additional responsibility. He replaces Robert Strock of Dalton, OH, who was also a member of our chapter.

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Latimer, Robert C, Canton, 25 Aug 1864, Age 44. (OR = 31 Aug 1864).

Lichty, Hiram, near Berlin, son of B Lichty, member 162 Reg ONG, died of camp fever 23 Oct 1864, age 25. (OR = 26 Oct 1864).

Lisctor, Charlie Ellsworth, son of William & Mattie Lisctor, died of scarlet fever 24 Jun 1864, age 1y 14d. (OR = 13 Jul 1864).

Lohr, Eve, Mrs, wife of the late Martin Lohr, she and her husband settled in Canton in 1814, 14 Sep 1863, age 74. (OR = 16 Sep 1863).

McGurdy, Ann Jane, dtr of the late John McGurdy, she was brought from Iowa where she had lived for some years, 15 Aug 1864. (OR = 17 Aug 1864).

Merle, Albert, near Mt Union, died of typhoid fever 2 Aug 1863, age 21. (OR = 12 Aug 1863).

Miller, Elizabeth, Mrs, wife of Frank (Francis) Miller, formerly Mrs Wirebaugh, killed 21 Jul 1864 when thrown from a buggy, age 76. (OR = 27 Jul 1864, first name from marriage records).

Miller, John A, Stapleton Landing, Staten Island, NY, formerly of Canton and a brother of Joseph H Miller, drowned while fishing 13 Jul 1863. (OR = 22 Jul 1863).

Miller, Leah, Mrs, Perry Tp, wife of Joseph Miller, 14 Dec 1863, age 49. (OR = 23 Dec 1863).

Mohler, Jacob, Uniontown, Stark Co, pioneer settler of Plain & Lake Tps, died after a short illness 7 Jan 1864. (OR = 13 Jan 1864).

Morris, William, Sergt, native of Wales, died of diarrhea at Vicksburg, MS, died 25 Jul 1863, age 32, and buried near his late residence by a detachment of the Massillon Union Guards, Sergt V Morris commanding Co D, 32 Regt OVI. (OR = 12 Aug 1863).

Muncaster, John W, son of R A Muncaster of Canton, was a member of Co E, 13 Regt OVI. By the terms of his enlistment he should have been at home, roster states he died 15 Aug 1864, which does not make sense since OR = 13 Jul 1864.

Murray, Franklin, Canton, son of Margaret & Thomas Murray, 28 Jul 1864, age 1y. (OR = 10 Aug 1864).

Nelson, Barbara, Mrs, Plain Tp, wife of George Nelson, 1 Aug 1863, age 51. (OR = 5 Aug 1863).

Newman, John L, Canton Tp, left wife and

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child, member of 162 Regt ONG, died of disease in the service 6 Oct 1864. (OR = 19 Oct 1864).

Oberlin, Isaac, Plain Tp, son of Mr & Mrs John Oberlin, born in Lancaster, PA 20 Aug 1844, member of Co C 162 Regt ONG, died in Columbus 30 Jul 1864. (OR = 3 Aug 1864).

Oldfield, Nancy, Canton, dtr of William Oldfield, Esq, died of consumption 16 Aug 1864. (OR = 17 Aug 1864).

Pearson, Jane, Mrs, Pike Tp, wife of Thomas Pearson, left husband and 7 children, died of typhoid fever 15 Jan 1864, age 33y 25d. (OR = 27 Jan 1864).

Peightal, Rebecca, Mrs, born in Huntingdon, PA, member of Methodist Episcopal Church, died of apoplexy 2 Oct 1864, age 68, at the home of her brother, John Saxton. (OR = 5 Oct 1864).

Pence, Nancy, Mrs, Plain Tp, wife of William Pence, Sr, born 15 Oct 1801 in county Tyrone, Ireland, came with her parents to America at age 17, settled first in PA for 8 years, then to Stark Co, member of Presbyterian Church in Canton, 11 Dec 1863, age 63. (OR = 16 Dec 1863).

Porter, K, Col, had been resident of Wooster, head of the Ohio Stage Co, died at Iowa City, IA 27 May 1863, interred at Wooster. (OR = 8 Jul 1863).

Reed, Mortimor F, born near Canton 30 May 1816, son of Timothy Reed who was sheriff of Stark Co in 1815, moved to IL in 1842, resided in Little Rock, AR for 6 mos where he contracted dearshoe, returned home to Marshall, Clark Co, IL 4 days before he died of inflammation of the bowels 2 Jul 1864, left wife and 6 children. (OR = 10 Aug 1864).

Rice, Asa, Massillon, 23 Feb 1864, age 72. (OR = 2 Mar 1864).

Ricks, Hattie M, Mrs, Massillon, wife of William F Ricks and dtr of John E McLain, 30 Jul 1863, age 24. (OR = 5 Aug 1863).

Roberts, Charles H, born in Albany, NY, teacher of science and photography, left wife, 23 Jul 1864, age 26y 8m. (OR = 3 Aug 1864).

Robinson, Rebecca Jane, Mrs, Mt Union, wife of J W Robinson, 7 Jan 1864, age 30. (OR = 20 Jan 1864).

Roth, Emma, vicinity of Canton, dtr of John F & Catharine G Roth, died of diphtheria 18 Jan 1864, age 2y 11m 18d. (OR = 27 Jan 1864).

Rothrock, Emily Maria, Miss, 17 Oct 1864. (OR = 19 Oct 1864).

Schneider, Frederick Alexander, born 22 Oct 1789 in Harburg, Kingdom of Hanover, Germany,

youngest of 11 children, at 16 moved to Altons, Duchy of Holstein, an apprentice in a mercantile house until 1810. He took passage from Toeningen, Denmark for Philadelphia, settled in Chambersburg, PA, and opened a hardware store. In 1829 came to Canton and had a hardware store. On 23 Sep 1824 he mar Rebecca Faber, dtr of George Faber, Esq of Chambersburg. Member of Lutheran Church. Died 26 Feb 1864, age 74y 4m 4d. (OR = 2 Mar and 9 Mar 1864)

Schotts, J, Mrs, Canton, 2 Jan 1864, age 33. (OR = 13 Jan 1864).

Schrantz, Ephraim, Plain Tp, son of Samuel Schrantz, member of Capt Housel's Co, 162 Regt ONG, brought home sick 2 weeks prior to death on 20 Aug 1864, age 19. (OR = 24 Aug 1864).

Shearer, Kittie, Mapleton, dtr of George & Matilda Shearer, 27 Aug 1863, age 1y 2m 8d. (OR = 9 Sep 1863).

Shock, Emeline, Canton, dtr of Henry & Magdalena Shock, died of diphtheria 20 Jan 1864, age 14. (OR = 27 Jan 1864).

Shriver, David, Plain Tp, left wife & 2 children, died of consumption 17 Aug 1864, age 29. (OR = 17 Aug 1864).

Sladden, Hannah, Mrs, wife of Frank Sladden of Toledo, died at home of her parents, Mr & Mrs Miller of Massillon, 7 Aug 1864, age 24. (OR = 10 Aug 1864).

Smith, Jacob, Canton Tp, pioneer settler of Stark Co, died 3 Oct 1864 at advanced age. (OR = 5 Oct 1864).

Smith, John J, Plain Tp, left wife and family, 1 Oct 1864, age 59. (OR = 5 Oct 1864).

Snyder, Jacob, Canton, died at the home of George W Lawrence, Esq, 5 Sep 1863, age 65. (OR = 16 Sep 1863).

Snyder, Mary Magdalena, foster mother of Treasurer Lawrence, 27 Jul 1864, age 66y 1m 8d. (OR = 3 Aug 1864).

Sowers, Mary D, Mrs, Canton, wife of Eli Sowers, Esq and dtr of the late George Dunbar, Sr, Esq, born 20 Mar 1797 in Dauphin Co, PA, came with her parents in 1814 to Columbiana Co and in May 1816 to Canton. In Sep 1819 she married Mr Sowers and had 10 children, member of Presbyterian Church, 24 Dec 1863, age 66. (OR = 30 Dec 1863).

Stabler, Alvin Leon, Canton, son of Daniel W & Miriam Stabler, died of cholera 8 Aug 1863, age 1y 3m 5d. (OR = 12 Aug 1863).

Staub, Harriet, Mapleton, dtr of Jacob & Catharine Staub, died of typhoid fever 25 Feb

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1864, age 17y 2m 5d. (OR = 9 Mar 1864).

Staub, Lucinda Ellen, Mapleton, dtr of Jacob & Catharine Staub, died 28 Feb 1864, age 1y 4m 28d. (OR = 9 Mar 1864).

Steiner, Capt, Pike Tp, died of wounds received at Gettysburg, 107th OVI, 13 Aug 1863. (OR = 19 Aug 1863).

Stelling, Lizzie, Miss, Massillon, dtr of William Stelling, died at home of her brother, G F Stelling at New Philadelphia, 19 Aug 1863, age 21. (OR = 26 Aug 1863).

Stevenson, Florence R, Canton, dtr of G B & S P Stevenson, 15 Jul 1864, age 8m 16d. (OR = 20 Jul 1864).

Streubel, Godfrey, Bethlehem, died at his residence 5 Feb 1864, age 67y 2m 27d. (OR = 17 Feb 1864).

Tows, William R, Canton, formerly of New York, died of consumption 5 Jul 1864, age 50y 12d. (OR = 20 Jul 1864).

Unkefer, Samuel, Louisville, 15 Dec 1863, age 46. (OR = 6 Jan 1864).

Van Vorhees, Levi, Osnaburg Tp, son of Peter Van Vorhees, 4 Dec 1863, age 16. (OR = 16 Dec 1863).

Wagoner, George, Greentown, died after lingering illness on 27 Aug 1863, age 63, remains taken to Zion Church. (OR = 2 Sep 1863).

Wampler, Hannah Maria, Mrs, pioneer settler of Tuscarawas Tp, died at the home of her son 15 May 1863, age 70. (OR = 17 Jun 1863).

Weddell, Josie, Wooster, youngest son of Rev P M & S G Weddell, 15 Jan 1864, age 2y 1m 18d. (OR = 27 Jan 1864).

Weidler, Margaret, Mrs, wife of George Weidler, 11 Jan 1864, age 71y 6m 14d. (OR = 27 Jan 1864).

Wingert, Mary, Tuscarawas Tp, wife of John Wingert, 16 Feb 1864, age 65. (OR = 2 Mar 1864).

Winsper, Mathew, Canton, 1 Jan 1864, age 53. (OR = 13 Jan 1864).

Wirebaugh, Ada F, Mrs, Canton, dtr of James N Stevenson, married 13 Aug 1862 David Wirebaugh in a double wedding with George B Stevenson & Sarah P Pearson, died 20 Jan 1864, age 29y 5m 3d. (OR = 27 Jan 1864).

Wise, Joseph Stockton, son of Hiram R & R S Wise, died 10 Sep 1864, age 7y 2m 20d. (OR = 14 Sep 1864).

Wolf, Frank Lewis, Canton, son of Andrew & Mary C Wolf, 28 Jun 1863, age 2y 4m 8d. (OR = 1 Jul 1863).

Yant, Martha L, Mapleton, dtr of Sophia &

Daniel Yant, 6 Feb 1864, age 3y 4d. (OR = 10 Feb 1864).

Yant, Sarah, Mrs, Pike Tp, died after brief illness 5 Jul 1863, age 57y 3m 10d. (OR = 8 Jul 1863).

Young, Adam, Lawrence Tp, no date given, funeral held in Massillon 7 Feb 1864. (OR = 10 Feb 1864).

Hubers in Europe

Submitted by Chapter Member John H Coyne whose mother was Minnie Huber dtr of Philip Huber, born in Baden-Baden, Germany who came to America in 1873 and Elizabeth Lack, born in Switzerland and came to America in 1854. They were married in 1880.

Families bearing the name of Huber will generally be found to originate from those parts of German speaking countries where Hube or hufe was a unit to measure farm land, i.e. in southern Germany and in German parts of Switzerland. In Switzerland a hub, huob or huebe used to be a plot of land about 48 acres. In the middle ages a person possessing and working a hube or farm was called huber, i.e. farmer, and sometimes this characterization became the name of such farmer's family. This explains the relative frequency of the name Huber used by families with no interrelation whatsoever. In Switzerland records of Hubers date back more than 850 years. The name is still very common among Swiss and German.

Because of The Thirty Years' War (1618-1648) many Hubers were driven from their Swiss mountain homes and fled to Germany, France and other European countries. Of all classes of people, farmers were ones who suffered the worst consequences of these civil and religious disturbances of the 17th century.

The Hubers have always been men of high principle and were ready to give their lives in defense of what they considered right. A few of those who suffered martyrdom for the sake of religion or civil rights were:

- 1507 - Ulrich Huber - beheaded in Holland
- 1529 - Wolfgang Bandhuber, a minister of Passau
- 1542 - Hans Huber of Wasserburg, Bavaria - burned at the stake
- 1559 - Wolfgang Huber of Lutzenburg, Germany - perished by the sword.
- 1629 - Sarach Huber - tortured in Moravia

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