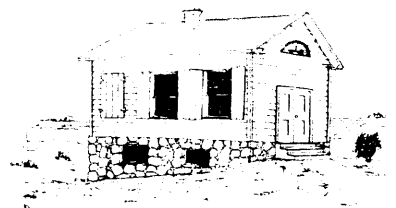


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President's Message:

Fall is just around the corner. Where did the summer go? Here in Richland County we had an exceptionally hot and dry summer. They have declared that the county is in a drought. All that good sweet corn will come from other parts of the state this year.

The hot weather has not brought all of our work to a halt. Missy Derrenberger and Sunda Peters have been copying records at Memorial Cemetery in Ontario. MAGIC, our Computer Group have been helping record and enter marriages for OGS and the Ohio marriage book they are working on, and others have been typing and proofreading Richland County marriages for our next marriage book. It is good to see so many people working together, gathering information together for researchers use.

In a time when so much genealogical information is available on the net we want to express to you how much we appreciate your help and support by your membership in the Society. The money from our dues is used to cover the costs of printing and publishing *The Pastfinder* and to provide speakers for the Society meetings. Our last increase in dues was 1996 and we have had several increases in postage since that time along with the ever increasing cost of printing. We are doing our best to keep our costs to a minimum and to serve you.

We are here to help you with your research in our county. We are here to protect the records that are in our courthouse and the other county storage areas. We are here to represent you when you can not be here to do it yourself. We know it is a difficult time for many, but one membership makes a difference.

Thank you for supporting us in all we do.

Nancy Hidingen, President

Upcoming Meetings

August 22 - Picnic at John Todd Park in Mansfield. We will eat at 6:15 p.m., the building will be open by 6:00. Bring a covered dish to share. Tableservice and beverages will be provided. This will be a time of chatting and visiting with one another. A very short meeting will be held after the meal. If you need directions call Natalie Williams - 419-756-1408.

September 26 - Eileen Levison our guest speaker has written two books on early Mansfield. She will be sharing with us from her latest book about Mansfield and Richland County prior to 1850. Meet at the OGS Library at 7 p.m.

October 24 - Alan Wigton, well known book dealer in Mansfield, will present a program about Johnny Appleseed and the Johnny Appleseed Heritage Center, outdoor theater. The meeting will be held at the OGS Library at 7 p.m.

November - No meeting this month

December 7 - Mark your calendar early so you will be sure to attend our Christmas party at John Todd Park, Saturday at 12:00 noon. Bring a covered dish to share. Table service and beverages will be provided. For those who wish to take part in the gift exchange, bring a gift of \$5.00 value. There will be games and fun for all.

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The Pastfinder is published for Society members four times a year, February, May, August and November.

The Society holds monthly meetings in January, February, March on the third Saturday afternoon from 1 to 4 p.m. April, May, June, August, September & October meetings are held the fourth Thursday of the month from 7 to 9 p.m. All meetings are held at OGS unless otherwise announced. The month of August is a picnic, location announced in advance. Guests are welcome to attend all our meetings.

Join Richland Co. First Families by proving your ancestor was in Richland Co. before 1840. A Certificate and Richland County Pin are awarded to those proving direct descent.

Membership Fees:

Single Membership: \$10.00

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Single Life Membership: \$250.00

Joint Life Membership: \$300.00

Our library collection is held at the Ohio Genealogical Society Library, 713 S. Main St. Mansfield, OH. OGS is closed Sunday and Monday and open Tuesday through Saturday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Suggestions and submissions for the newsletter are encouraged and can be sent to Nancy Hidinger, at our Society's address, or e-mailed to NHidinger@aol.com. Be sure to use *The Pastfinder* in the subject box. The editor reserves the right to edit or reject submissions for publishing.

To keep the integrity of the original papers, articles published in *The Pastfinder* will contain the original spellings. On occasion we may make note of spelling errors.Editor

Chapter Management Seminar...

Again this year, OGS is providing a Chapter Management Seminar that is hosted by the Mahoning and Trumbull County Chapters of OGS in Boardman, OH. This is an excellent opportunity to improve leadership skills taught by experienced leaders in the genealogical community. It is FREE for all OGS members AND for those who belong to Chapters of OGS. There are no reservations required, just come. It is being held on Saturday, 14 September 2002, at the St. Charles Catholic Church School on U.S. Route 224 & Westview, with registration beginning at 9:00 a.m. Please bring a dish to share for a pot luck lunch. All utensils and drinks will be provided. For additional details and program information, refer to the full page inside cover of the OGS Genealogy News July/August 2002 issue. It is a great time to network with other genealogists and share your organizational problems and concerns.

National Genealogical Society Regional Conference

The NGS Regional Conference will be held at the Columbus Marriott Northwest, 5605 Blazer Parkway, Dublin, Ohio, Saturday, 9 November 2002. Cyndi Howells, owner and "webmaser" of Cyndi's List of Genealogical Sites on the Internet, and Sheila Benedict, Certified Genealogical Record Specialist, and full time genealogical and historical researcher will be the speakers. Conference fees are \$40.00 for NGS & OGS Members. Nonmember fee is \$50.00. There is an additional charge of \$18.00 if you wish to attend the Saturday luncheon. Contact NGS, 4527 17th Street North, Arlington, VA - (703)-5215-0050 or (800)-473-0060, or e-mail: conference@ngsgenealogy.org for more information. The Ohio Genealogical Society is the local host for the Conference.

Front Page Picture: The first church home of St. John's Church was of log construction. erected on the corner of Mulberry and First Sts. in 1845 at an approximate cost of \$2,000. Members were from various denominational backgrounds that had been baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran (Germany), Reformed (Switzerland) and Evangelical (Prussia) traditions. By 1870 they had outgrown this building and a new one was erected on the same property after the log structure was moved. [Source: St. John's United Church of Christ 1845-1995 - Celebrating 150 years]

The Beginning Of A County

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A Board of Commissioners met at Mansfield on the **26th day of June 1813.**

Present Samuel McCluer and Melzar Tannehill.

The board proceeded to an examination of the duplicate of the taxable property of the Township of Green and finding them to be correct did audit the same. The amount whereof is \$20.40.

Ordered that the Commissioners meet again on Saturday the 10th day of July next and that the Board do adjourn until that time. Samuel McClure, Melzar Tannehill.

A Board of Commissioners met at Mansfield on Saturday the **10th day of July.** Present, Samuel McClure, Melzar Tannehill and Samuel Watson Esq.

The Commissioners proceeded to examine the block-house in Mansfield and do order the same to be prepared for the reception of the Court and the lower part of same be prepared for the reception of prisoners or a jail, and do further order that the said lot of carpenter work be sold to the lowest bidder on the 24th of July inst., which job is advertised accordingly.

Ordered that said work be done in the following manner to wit; Two floors of solid hewn timber of the thickness of at least six inches to the square and jointed in a workmanlike manner and an outside stairway with platform at the head, thereof with suitable size and a door to enter the upper story therefrom with suitable casings and hinges for the same and a glass window containing 12 lights and in like manner at the door and suitable seats for the Court and a latch for the upper door and lock and chain for the lower door and hinges for same; all of which work and preparations must be done in a workmanlike manner.

Ordered that the taxation on lots in the County of Richland be one half percent on the full value agreeable to the appraisement being made. The Board do order that a duplicate of the same be made out accordingly.

Treasure pay Thos. McClure one dollar and fifty cents for listing the town property of Mansfield for 1813.

Treasure pay Solomon Culver, one dollar and fifty cents for appraising the Mansfield lots for 1813.

The Board proceeded to appointment of a collector of County Tax for the Township of Madison when by mutual consent Levi Jones is appointed, who gave bond and security for his performances.

The Board do(es) appoint Levi Jones, lister of taxable lands in the County of Richland, who was immediately sworn in as the law directs.

Ordered that the Commissioners adjourn until the 24th inst. Melzar Tannehill, Samuel McClure

A Board of Commissioners met at Mansfield on Saturday the **24th of July 1813.** Present, Melzar Tannehill and Samuel Watson.

The Treasurer to pay Win Winship two dollars for removing the public property out of block-house at the request of the Commissioners.

The Commissioners having examined the duplicates of county taxation for the township of Madison do approve the same. Ordered that the Board do adjourn for a time unknown. Melzar Tannehill, Samuel Watson.

The Board of Commissioners met at Mansfield on the **4th day of August** in the year of our Lord 1813. Present, Samuel McClure and Samuel Watson, Esq.

They opened a sale for the selling of the work ordered by said Board to be done to the Block-house in Mansfield, in the manner and for the purpose named at a former session of said Board. When Luther Coe being the lowest bidder he became the purchaser for the consideration of \$46.00 and the said Board did further agree and contract with the said Luther Coe to make a sufficient hand rail for the stairway for which the contract and agree to pay him a further sum of \$2.00 and the said Luther Coe gave bond and security for the faithful performance of said work on or before the 1st day of September. Ordered that the Board adjourn. Samuel McCluer, Samuel Watson.

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MANSFIELD CEMETERY

2001 Burials

Osborne, Gerald Joe "Woody"	54	Mansfield	M	Dec 11	2001		15	317
Oswalt, Agnes R.	72	Mansfield	M	Sep 11	2001	w/o Ray	50	141
Owens, Anna I.	85	Mansfield	W	Feb 08	2001	w/o Stanley	57	170
Oyler, Frank C.	80	Mansfield	M	Feb 01	2001	h/o Avis	59	166
Parker, Isaac Melvin "Ike"	62	Mansfield	M	Mar 14	2001	h/o Kathy (Skartved)	60	47
Parker, Joe Willie, Sr.	74	Mansfield	M	Jul 29	2001	h/o Pearlene	4	55½
Parry, James	79	Pt Charlotte, FL	-	May 03	2001		60	153
Perdue, James Samuel	62	Mansfield	M	Aug 22	2001		58	54
Perrigan, Linda F. Taylor	58	Mansfield	M	Sep 09	2001	w/o James C.	15	142
Perry, Helen	62	Mansfield	M	Jun 20	1993	Breast Cancer	15	214
Perry, Ora "Joe"	85	Mansfield	M	Mar 07	2001	h/o Dorothy	59	120
Perry, Pauline D. Duncan	83	Bellville	W	Jan 26	2001	w/o Clyde	54	292
Perry, Robert	73	Mansfield	W	Jul 21	2001		15	214
Peters, Betty I.	73	Mansfield	W	Jan 05	2001	w/o Charles	60	144
Pfleiderer, Vicky J.	18	Mansfield	S	May 05	2001	Inf. from Traffic Accident	56	77
Preston, Kathryn Meade	90	Mansfield	W	Dec 28	2001	w/o James I.	56	138
Price, Bonnie S.	52	Mansfield	M	Dec 01	2001	w/o Major R.	15	366
Puckett, Evelyn Merrell	70	Mansfield	W	Jan 27	2001	h/o Herman COPD	15	260
Ramey, Amber Nicole	19	Medina	S	Sep 22	2001	Auto Accident	57	41
Ray, Earnest Paul, Sr.	82	Mansfield	M	Mar 02	2001	h/o Lucile (Terry)	60	141
Rebman, Dorothea Marguerite	83	Holiday, FL	W	Dec 12	2001		6	84-190
Reid, Jake Alden	1da	Richmond, VA	S	Sep 17	1998	fm Stafford Mem Pk	57	82
Reid, McKenzia Jamenson	1da	Richmond, VA	S	Sep 17	1998	Stafford VA	57	82
Rigsby, Flossie E. Wills	76	Mansfield	M	Oct 31	2001	w/o Ronald A.	15	340
Ringold, Ethel M.	70	Mansfield	W	Mar 29	2001	w/o Adam	4	20½
Ritchey, John Edmond, Jr.	SB	Mansfield	-	Jan 16	2001	s/o John Ritchey & Michelle	61	134
Rittenberry, Ross	36	Mansfield	W	Jul 30	2001	Suicide, gunshot	60	152
Rittenberry, Tambelina Hinklin	37	Mansfield	M	Jul 30	2001	Murdered, gunshot	60	145
Rittmaier, Mildred R.	83	Mansfield	W	Nov 16	2001		58	57
Robinson, Opal Mae	87	Mansfield	S	Jun 24	2001		49	125
Rollins, Minne Montgomery	85	Mansfield	W	May 25	2001	w/o Soan Respiratory	15	225
Rondy, Pauline W. Desterhaft	76	Mansfield	W	Sep 12	2001	w/o Earl T.	48	35
Roseberry, Ivin Dennis	52	Mansfield	S	Dec 07	2001		53	294
Rowalt, Norma B. Powers	68	Shelby	M	Apr 17	2001	w/o Charles	57-B	172
Rupp, Carl Raymond	86	Naples, FL	M	Apr 19	2001	h/o Jean	53	80
Ryder, Ella Mae	60	Mansfield	M	Mar 31	2001	w/o Bill J.	58	208
Saliheem, Ashhadu	[See Kent, Richard]							
Salzer, Ronald D.	54	Ft Wayne, IN	D	Jul 02	2001		15	335
Sanford, Mary B.	92	Reeds Sp, MO	-	Mar 17	2001		32	193
Saprano, Benedict B.	61	Mansfield	M	Mar 08	2001	h/o Karen (Winbigler)	56	7
Scherff, Cloyd L. "Shad"	76	Mansfield	M	Jul 03	2001	h/o Mary K. (Stevenson)	54	147
Schisler, Merle Burke	70	Kingman, AZ	M	Mar 20	2001		32	127
Schmidt, Werner D.	58	Mansfield	D	Apr 30	2001		60	153
Schwaner, Philip John	60	Wooster	W	Jun 08	2001	Cardiac Arrest	53	270
Scott, Fred W.	87	Mansfield	M	Aug 08	2001	h/o Kathryn B. (Rice)	56	20
Shears, Rebecca Anne	47	Mansfield	M	Oct 23	2001	w/o Ed	56	45
Shelton, Roger	77	Mansfield	S	Sep 04	2001		60	146
Shirley, Johnny Lee, Sr.	52	Mansfield	S	Sep 30	2001		60	146
Shocker, Ellen C.	92	Mansfield	W	Feb 06	2001	w/o Ned B.	4	34
Sillmon, Geoge W.	91	Mansfield	W	Mar 23	2001		52-B	68
Simmers, Myrtle A. Rush	85	Mansfield	W	May 30	2001	w/o Floyd	38	1½
Simpson, Ralph W.	73	Mansfield	W	Aug 20	2001	h/o Loretta (Harden)	57	86
Skaggs, Harold E.	70	Mansfield	D	Feb 28	2001		58	3
Skeese, Jerry Lee	49	Dayton	D	Jan 21	2001		49	186½
Smith, Elmer Estel	82	Mansfield	W	Apr 20	2001			766½
Smith, Lois Virginia Copper	87	Mansfield	W	Feb 18	2001	(1) H. Copper Sr (2) C. Smith	SP.10	934
Smith, Pauline G. Brown	68	Mansfield	D	Jan 29	2001		56	153
Smith, Rose H.	80	Mansfield	W	Feb 28	2001	w/o Glenn W.	49	156
Smith, William Otto	90	Gary, IN	-	Feb 22	2001		59	170
Sneed, Mary	70	Mansfield	D	Dec 15	2001		61	7

Spears, Edgar B.	78	Mansfield	M	Apr	03	2001	h/o Carmelee	15	307
Spicer, Jack L.	75	Sandusky	M	Apr	05	2001		56	19
Stevens, Larry V.	83	Mansfield	M	Apr	13	2001		54	159
Stofer, Thomas Richard	60	Cambrdg, MS	S	Apr	14	2001	Intracerebral Hemorrhage	44	25
Straub, Robert W.	86	Mansfield	S	Mar	18	2001		53	308
Tackett, John Wayne	44	Mansfield	D	Apr	17	2001	M/I	OS-11	92½
Taylor, Prince Ezra Donnell	4 mo	Mansfield	S	Jan	30	2001	s/o Ezell & Rosa (Bradley)	15	98
Them, Peter, Jr.	89	Mansfield	W	Aug	13	2001	Cong. Heart Failure	57	66
Thompson, John E.	55	Mt Vernon	-	Jul	20	2001		15	244
Todd, Alice M.	77	Mansfield	W	Oct	20	2001		38	23
Todd, Fannie Lee Davis	76	Mansfield	D	Mar	28	2001		14	423½
Troupe, Lincoln Gregory	38	Mansfield	D	Dec	19	2001		59	73
Tuber, Jerome G. "Jerry"	89	Mansfield	M	Jan	22	2001		N	8
Tucker, Daisy T. Schuff	84	Mansfield	M	Feb	02	2001	w/o J. Robert	54	173
VanRiper, Catherine	77	Mansfield	W	Sep	18	2001	w/o Warren	15	309
VanSant, Maxine R. "Mickie"	77	Finley	-	Aug	27	2001		SP10	117½
Waddell, Fleurete M.	77	Mt. Gilead	W	Sep	08	2001	Pneumonia	45	56
Wade, Paul R., Jr.	39	Mansfield	M	Dec	14	2001	h/o Diane Brown	15	280
Wagner, Constance L.	49	Mansfield	D	Feb	07	2001		15	210
Walter, Gisele "Gitta"	75	Mansfield	M	Jul	29	2001	w/o Hans	N	8
Walker, Jonah M.	SB	Mansfield	-	Apr	05	2001	Intrauterine Fetal Death	OS-8	453½
Walters, Richard Carl	69	Mansfield	M	Jun	18	2001	h/o Esther (Troupe)	39	124
Walton, Christopher	SB	Akron	-	Jan	08	2001		OS-4	1334
Weekley, Cecil B	93	Mansfield	M	May	19	2001		54	51
Weidemeyer, Martha Marie	81	Mansfield	W	Feb	03	2001	w/o Harold	53	31
Weil, E. Helen Frisch Stout	79	Mansfield	W	Aug	25	2001	w/o Robert, Card Arrest	OS-12	870
Weirick, Richard Charles	48	Columbus	M	Apr	16	2001	h/o Beverly L. (Walters)	15	251
Weiss, Katharina "Katie"	90	Mansfield	M	Dec	09	2001	w/o Adam	57	26
Wells, Esther Ella Anna Parge	83	Mansfield	W	May	21	2001	w/o Dale Rodocker Parge	41	96
Whatley, Marjorie Keyse	62	Mansfield	W	Feb	04	2001	w/o Russell Jr.	57-B	21
White, John B., Sr.	63	Mansfield	D	Sep	24	2001	Cardiac Arrest	SP.14	699
Widders, Mazie M.	94	Columbus	W	Feb	05	2001	w/o Richard C.	7	1156
Wiles, Dorothy Francisco	93	Mansfield	W	Feb	22	2001		K	1246
Williams, Evelyn Ruth Beal	82	Mansfield	M	Sep	17	2001	w/o Edwin A.	51	29
Williams, Jayden Christopher	SB	Mansfield	-	Dec	19	2001	[s/o Randy & Virginia]	BB	453½
Wilson, Mary C.	63	Bellville	W	Jan	07	2001	w/o Eurse O.	59	189
Windham, James H. Sr. "Pig"	55	Mansfield	M	Sep	06	2001	h/o Linda (Osborne)	15	232
Wingert, Dortha Olga	97	Shelby	W	Feb	06	2001	w/o Robert G.	M	25
Witchey, Ivan E.	77	Shelby	S	Aug	16	2001		38	73
Wolcott, Madeline Carroll	78	Hilliard	W	Dec	16	2001	w/o Guy W.	OS-12	768½
Wolf, Homer L.	94	Lexington	-	May	20	2001		21	2½
Wolf, J. Louis, Rev Dr.	91	Naples, FL	-	May	31	2001		45	117
Wolfgang, Cecelia	86	Mansfield	W	May	05	2001		49	227
Woodman, Mary Lucille	n/g	Plainewell, MI	W	May	20	2000		53	202
Woodruff, Dorothy Jane	81	Mansfield	W	Dec	12	2001	w/o John W.	58	240
Workman, Wilfred Woodrow	93	Mansfield	W	Feb	14	2001	h/o Ruth (Conn) M/I	45	52
Wright, Martha Faye	46	Mansfield	M	Mar	15	2001	w/o Clarence	15	334
Wyatt, Beulah Cochran	82	Mansfield	-	Jun	21	2001		58	234
Wynn, Arthur L.	88	Mansfield	W	Oct	31	2001	h/o Pauline	38	43
York, Ella Mae	88	Kalamazoo, MI	W	Jun	05	2001	w/o Earl O.	52	227
Young, Aaron Charles "AC"	51	Mansfield	S	Jun	30	2001		59	19
Young, Marie Eliz. Maglott	103	Mansfield	W	Jul	25	2001		53	293
Zehner, William E.	28	Mansfield	M	Mar	04	2001	h/o Jennifer (Geiger) Suicide	53	218
Zeiter, Cornelius "Neal"	64	Mansfield	M	Dec	12	2001	h/o Pat	34	10
Zeiter, Curtis O.	61	Ashland	-	Feb	02	2001		34	13
Zimmerman, Lena B. Steele	96	Mansfield	W	Apr	07	2001	w/o Glenn - 1986	54	7

End of 2001 Burials in Mansfield Cemetery

In our next issue we will print the 2001 burials for Mansfield Catholic Cemetery. See page 54 for additional notes.

Additional Notes for Mansfield Cemetery

Cowan, Demetria Emon	d/o Demetria Cowan & Tammy McNeil
Cox-Vernon, Mary Alice Mitchell	w/o (1) Rupert F. Cox, Jr (2) Harold Vernon
Gordon, Zyear Shydia Tu'rell Montgomery	d/o Ernest "Quinn" Gordon & Mozella L. Montgomery
Holder, Thomas Rashard III	s/o Thomas Holder Jr. & Sabrina Parker
Magers, Brock Dylan	s/o Tracy Magers & Tonya Mounts
Mallory, John	cremains buried in casket with brother Michael
Mathews, Tyrone Jr. II	s/o Tyrone Mathews Jr. & Angela Williams
Myers, Jansan Forrest	s/o Audie Myers & Tara Davis
Rebman, Dorothea Marguerite	w/o (1) Wm S. Schwartz (2) Clifford A. Rebman, buried on top of Clifford

Bar Docket Volume 3

In the Richland County Courthouse Common Pleas office there are many old books for researchers use. The office has set aside a small room, at the entrance of the storage room, with two tables for researchers use. Looking through one of the books we found the following adoption petitions. Since adoption records for the county are not available to the public we can not prove the adoption took place, but it may be a beginning for someone who is looking for the following people.

Petition for adoption filed September 8, 1891 to adopt John Floyd Johnson by Frank W. Culbertson and Lucy A. Culbertson. Record 1/292. [page 126].

Names of Parties in Action: In Re: Adoption of Bertha Pulmer by Elisha A. Leech & Margaret Leech filed December 8, 1885. [page 50].

State of Ohio vs Robert Sloan: Filed January 31, 1899. Catching rabbits with a ferret - William Bell, Martin Frank, Dennis O'Brien, Patrick Hogan. Defendants pled guilty, paid fine of \$5.00 + costs of \$3.75.

Aliens File Declaration of Intent

The following list of people filed applications of intent to become citizens of the United States. The names are from Law Book Volume 13 at the Mansfield Courthouse. A further search of Naturalization Records will show if they followed through with their desire to become a citizen. November Term 1839.

John Yule	Ireland	1839	pg 173	Nicholas Kuntz	France	1839	pg 230
John Suter	Switzerland	1839	pg 174	Simon Metsker	Baden	1839	pg 230
Alexander Morgan	Ireland	1839	pg 174	Peter Hoover	Bavaria	1839	pg 231
Charles Collins	England	1839	pg 178	Richard Weiser	France	1839	pg 231
Christian K. Kisser	Bavaria	1839	pg 181	William Lapsly	G. Britian	1839	pg 231
John Keller	Darmstadt	1839	pg 229	Philip Kettler	Werthemberg	1839	pg 232
John Hartman	Darmstadt	1839	pg 229	Christopher Miller	Baden	1839	pg 232
Adam Heitsman	Bavaria	1839	pg 230	William Winfield	England	1839	pg 233



The following came to the November 1839 court to prove where and when they had taken their first oath.

Charles Suter	Switzerland	1835 Somerset, PA	pg 177
Jacob Kroft	Prussia	1834 Somerset, PA	pg 179
Patrick Brenner	Ireland	1837 Richland Co, OH	pg 181
Jacob Haas	Wertenburg	1836 Richland Co, OH	pg 182
Charles Kuhn	Werthemburg	1834 Allegheny Co, PA	pg 228
Peter Meiser	Prussia	1834 Somerset Co, PA	pg 229
Christian Kuhn	Werthemburg	1834 Allegheny Co, PA	pg 233

1890 & 1891 Burials in Mt. Hope Cemetery **Compiled from the Record of Interments**

Name	Place of Birth	Date of Birth	Date of Death
Christian Beelman	Mechanicsburg, Pa	Dec 10, 1806	Feb 04, 1890 .. pg 6
Cornelius Farley	Ireland	Oct -, 1830	Mar 08, 1890 .. pg 6
Susan Ferrell	Ashland Co. Oh	May 14, 1820	Mar 08, 1890 .. pg 6
Amaziah Cleland	Washington Co. Pa	Oct 11, 1822	Apr 15, 1890 .. pg 6
Henry Marriott	Shiloh, Oh	Mar 18, 1854	May 03, 1890 .. pg 6
Joseph D. Page	Shiloh, Oh	Jun 14, 1887	Jun 13, 1890 .. pg 6
Sarah Backensto	Shiloh, Oh	Aug 14, 1827	Jul 04, 1890 .. pg 6
Roy Gilger Vaughn	Shiloh, Oh	Feb 07, 1890	Jul 28, 1890 .. pg 6
Isabel Pettit	Washington Co. Pa	Sep 07, 1808	Sep 11, 1890 .. pg 6
John Delancy	Shiloh, Oh	Oct 22, 1848	Aug 19, 1890 .. pg 6
G. Waddington	Lucas, Oh	Nov 14, 1864	Oct 04, 1890 .. pg 6
Zada Almeda Dickerson	Shiloh, Oh	Jun 04, 1878	Nov 13, 1890 .. pg 6
Infant of H.S. & Alice Maring	Shiloh, Oh	Dec 06, 1890	Dec 07, 1890 .. pg 6
A.H. Deming	Mondaga Co. NY	Jan - 1805	Dec 02, 1890 .. pg 6
William Gance	Prussia	Oct 23, 1862	Nov 15, 1890 .. pg 8
Abraham Vanwagner	Crawford Co. Oh	Feb 05, 1859	1891 .. pg 6
Jesse Mohn	Huron Co. Oh	Sep 15, 1890	Jan 14, 1891 .. pg 8
John Yockey	Franklin Co. Pa	Feb 14, 1812	Feb 16, 1891 .. pg 8
Gracie Del Holtz	Plymouth, Oh	Aug 11, 1879	Mar 23, 1891 .. pg 8
Mary Baldwin	Silver Spring, Pa	Jan 28, 1816	Apr 03, 1891 .. pg 8
Taylor M. Davis	Marion Co. OH	Dec 25, 1845	Apr 04, 1891 .. pg 8
Elizabeth Hewitt	Jefferson Co. WV	Sep 07, 1817	Apr 21, 1891 .. pg 8
Judson Marsh	Shiloh, Oh	Jun 06, 1887	May 19, 1891 .. pg 8
Belle Shaw	Orange, NY	Sep 13, 1840	Jun 28, 1891 .. pg 8
Mary A. Glasgow	Cumberland Co. Pa	Jan 23, 1827	Jul 29, 1891 .. pg 8
Male Groscoast	Shiloh, Oh	Aug 13, 1891	Aug 28, 1891 .. pg 8
Austin Opadyke	Shiloh	Jun 10, 1880	Oct 09, 1891 .. pg 8
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At the April 4, 1825th election held in Troy Township the following officers were elected and sworn in.

John Mitchel	Justice of the Peace
Samuel McCluer	Trustee
William Gass	Trustee
Joseph Cracraft	Trustee
William Gass	Supervisor
John Phelps	Supervisor
John Edwards	Supervisor
John Young	Supervisor
Andrew Hunter	Supervisor
William Winterstane	Supervisor

William Hunter	Township Treasurer
Samuel Watson	Listers & Appraisers
Samuel McCluer Jun.	of Property

The following named were unwilling to serve and neglected to be sworn in but as they had served the preceding year they were not liable to be fined.

Ezekiel Bog(g)s	Fence Viewer
David Paramour	Fence Viewer
James Chambers	Overseer of the Poor
David Paramour	Overseer of the Poor
David Paramour	Constable



The Weekly News, Mansfield, Ohio

Births and Deaths - 1905

Compiled by Sherry Norton

- 12-Jan-1905 5:5 ALBAN -Mrs. Grace ALBAN, aged 20, wife of W. C. ALBAN, of 91 South Main street, died of tuberculosis Thursday, Jan. 5. She was a daughter of Mrs. D. J. SACKMAN, formerly of Mansfield but now a resident of Akron. Besides her husband she leaves a mother, four brothers and two sisters: George SACKMAN, of Shelby; Bertha SACKMAN, of Mansfield, and William, Ross, Charles and Mary SACKMAN, of Akron. Funeral at 2 p.m. Saturday, conducted by the Rev. S. P. Long and Dr. D. J. Meese.
- 12-Jan-1905 5:5 KAYLOR - Jacob KAYLOR, aged 82 years, a resident of Lake township, Ashland county, died Wednesday. Mrs. Charlotte ETZWILER, of Ohio street, is a daughter of the deceased. Burial Friday at Mt. Zena, the Rev. Billings officiating.
- 12-Jan-1905 12:4 BULLOCK - Roy E. BULLOCK, a brakeman on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, residing at St. Louisville, was caught between two cars at Shelby at an early hour Tuesday morning and received injuries from which he died at the Emergency hospital in this city about two hours later. He was attended by a physician at Shelby and then brought to this city in the caboose of his train and removed to the Emergency hospital in Beelman's ambulance. He remained unconscious and although every effort was made to prolong his life he died about 6:30 o'clock. BULLOCK was 22 years of age, and single, his parents residing at St. Louisville where the remains were taken for interment. The fatal trip was the third that BULLOCK has made, he having been laid up for some time with typhoid fever. [edited]
- 19-Jan-1905 2:3-4 BLAIR -The venerable Mrs. Harriet BLAIR passed away to the mystic realms of the dead Saturday morning and in her long and severe ordeal of suffering when often her feeble flame of life seemed about to expire was illustrated the joy and sustaining power of the christian's hope. Funeral services were held at the house at 1:30 p.m., Jan. 16 and many were present at the last sad rites. The Rev. G. McQueen, pastor of the Presbyterian church, of which the deceased was a member, officiated. The deceased was aged over 73 years and her maiden name was Harriet HAMILTON. She was married here in March, 1866, to Peter L. BLAIR, being his second wife. Her husband died in July, 1866, and for many years previous to his death he kept the drug store here and James M. BLAIR, of Lexington, is his son by his first wife. [edited]
- 19-Jan-1905 2:4 LEITER - The funeral services of Samuel B. LEITER took place at his late residence Tuesday afternoon. The Rev. G. Murphy, of Mt. Zion, delivered the sermon. The Free Masons of Mansfield conducted the funeral rites of the order. A great number of persons were in attendance and there were relatives here from Cleveland, Lorain, Toledo and Mansfield.
- 19-Jan-1905 2:6 CASSEL - Job CASSEL and family attended the funeral of his mother, Mrs. John CASSEL, at Crestline, one day last week.
- 19-Jan-1905 5:1 GOOD - W. C. GOOD, a brakeman on the Toledo division of the Pennsylvania lines and residing at Bettsville, fell from the top of a moving train about 2:30 o'clock Wednesday morning and received injuries from which he died at about two and one-half hours later. The accident occurred near the Third street crossing. He was taken to the Emergency hospital and Dr. Loughridge, the company surgeon, was called. His right arm and his right leg were broken. Bruises covered his body and face, and it is thought that his spine was injured. He was in a constant delirium until he died about 5 o'clock. GOOD leaves a wife and family residing at Bettsville. [edited]
- 19-Jan-1905 5:3 FRONCE - Jacob FRONCE died Wednesday afternoon about 1 o'clock at his home on East Third street, aged 38 years. Mr. FRONCE leaves a wife but no children.

- 19-Jan-1905 5:3 HOUT - Peter HOUT, aged 84, died Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock at his home six miles east of the city in Mifflin township. Mr. HOUT was one of the oldest residents in the township, he was born and always lived on the farm where he died. It is said that he was the first white child born in Mifflin township. He was an infirmity director for two terms. He leaves five sons, William HOUT and D. W. HOUT, east of the city; George HOUT, Park avenue east; Cyrus HOUT, of Galion, and Elmer HOUT, living at home. One daughter, Mrs. CLUGSTON, of Barberton. Also one half brother, George HOUT, living east of the city. Funeral Thursday. Burial at the Windsor cemetery.
- 19-Jan-1905 5:3 GATES - Mrs. Catharine S. GATES, aged 48 years, died Tuesday morning at 7 o'clock at her home on Hedges street. The immediate cause of death was heart failure. Mrs. GATES leaves a husband, Sanford GATES, and one daughter, Miss Grace L. GATES. There are two brothers, Philip SCHMUNK, of this city, and George SCHMUNK, of Cleveland; and two sisters, Mrs. Peter BINEAU and Mrs. Philip ACKERMAN, both of this city.
- 19-Jan-1905 5:3 GATES - Frederick GATES, aged 22, died Wednesday night about 11 o'clock at the home of his mother, Mrs. John GATES, three miles east of the city. He leaves one brother and one sister, Reed and Miss Minnie, both living at home.
- 19-Jan-1905 5:3 FOX - Mrs. I. S. FOX, aged 87 years, died Thursday morning about 10 o'clock at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Wilbur HURSH, Glessner avenue. Mrs. FOX had been making her home among her children for some time and came to visit her granddaughter, Mrs. HURSH, the day before Christmas, but was taken ill the Monday after New Years and died from the infirmities of advanced years. She leaves four sons and three daughters: J. R. FOX, of Hollister, Cal.; John FOX, of Santa Barbara, Cal.; Andrew G. FOX, of Seattle, Wash. and Lee S. FOX, of Mohatta Desert, Cal.; and Mrs. E. G. EDGAR, of Hillsdale, Pa.; Mrs. J. S. MARTIN, of Newcastle, Pa., and Mrs. JOHNSON, of San Francisco, Cal.; a niece, Mrs. Henrietta HALE and other relatives. Short funeral services were held at the home Friday morning at 9 o'clock, the Rev. S. P. Long officiating. The body was shipped to Newcastle, Pa., for burial. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur HURSH, Mrs. J. S. MARTIN and Mrs. A. G. FOX accompanied the remains to Newcastle.
- 19-Jan-1905 5:3 HUNT - George HUNT, was found dead in bed about midnight Thursday night. He has been working as porter for Frank WERNER, who keeps a saloon at No. 21 East Fourth street and sleeping at the latter's home. At midnight last night he was discovered dead in his bed. Coroner GOODMAN, arrived at the house about 12:30 o'clock a.m., and after making an examination stated that the death was probably due to heart failure. The deceased was about 57 years of age. He was a single man and four brothers, John, Ephraim, Charles and James, survive him, none of the latter, however, being residents of Mansfield at this time. One of the brothers resides at Los Angeles (sic), Cal. The HUNT family which resided on South Main street for many years, consisted of the mother and a large family of sons, the majority of whom served in the war of the Rebellion. The father died many years ago and the mother about two years ago. The remains of George HUNT will be buried in the local cemetery in the family lot.
- 19-Jan-1905 5:3 BEARD - William BEARD, aged 45, died Sunday at 5 a.m. at the home of his sister, Mrs. Mary REYNOLDS, in Ashland. Interment Tuesday 2 p.m. at Ashland.
- 19-Jan-1905 5:3 TUCKER - Louis TUCKER, aged 16 years, son of John TUCKER, who resides a short distance north of Lucas, died suddenly Sunday night after a few days' illness with rheumatic fever. The deceased was also a grandson of Frank TUCKER and was at the time of his death, a pupil in the Lucas high school. Funeral from the Congregational church at Lucas Wednesday at 10 o'clock and burial in Mt. Zion cemetery.
- 19-Jan-1905 5:3 KING - Theodore KING, aged about 51 years, a well known and well-to-do farmer, died at his home three miles east of Lucas Sunday morning. The deceased was afflicted with cancer of the stomach and had been ill for some time. He leaves a wife and four sons, Byron, Earl, Roy and Parr. Funeral from Perrysville Presbyterian church Tuesday at 11 o'clock.

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William Kerr, Sharon Tp., [pg. 102], April 14, 1873 - February 17, 1874

First all just debts and funeral expenses shall be paid. Second, I give to my beloved wife, Elizabeth the farm on which we now reside in Sharon Tp., Richland Co., containing about eight acres during her natural lifetime. She shall receive one third of all my personal and chattel property, if she wishes it sold. Third, balance of personal estate, shall be divided equally between all my children or their heirs, share and share alike. Fourth, After the decease of my wife, all the remainder of my Estate (not consumed by her) both personal, property and real estate, shall be divided equally among all my children or their heirs Fifth, I appoint my friend Thos Sanders of Springfield Tp, executor of my last Will and Testament. Witnesses: Martin Smith, S.W. Wirtz.

Robert Moore, Mansfield, [pg.104], May 24, 1873 - February 24, 1874

I nominate my wife, M.D. Moore, Executrix, and give to my wife all I have, absolutely to be her own, be it my Estate or whatever it may be. Witnesses: R.C. Smith, Henry C. Hedges.

Jacob S. Landis, Richland Co., [pg. 105], March 9, 1874

First, my body is to be decently buried but not with pomp or pride. I bequeath to my widow the old homestead farm containing 165 acres more or less in Jackson Tp., with all the appurtenances, all our house furniture and all she needs in the house, one horse and buggy, one cow while she remains my widow. If she remaineth no more my Widow my administrator shall sell this farm and divide the money in equal shares to my legal heirs. I will that my Administrators shall sell the rest of my property, and the younger ones who has not received anything shall first be made equal with the older. I give Mary Ann, Leah, Amanda and John each (\$2,000) two thousand dollars (paid each since this rode(sic), Isaac & Margaret \$2000 are not equal) Catharina, and Susan shall first have the same amount as the oldest got namely two thousand dollars to each one, the balance shall be equally divided. It is my will that my two sons John and Isaac shall be my Administrators and each shall have (150) one hundred and fifty dollars out of my Estate. Witnesses: Isaac M. Landis, Kate Cline, formerly Kate Landis.

Michael Keith, Franklin Tp., Richland Co., [pg. 106], September 10, 1873 - March 6, 1874

I bequeath to my wife all money on hand by note or otherwise due. I also bequeath to my wife, Maria Keith all my real and personal property to hold during her natural life. My wife shall have the power to pay money to those heirs that have not as yet received any as she see they need it. On January 25, 1871, I paid my son Cyrus Keith, ten hundred and forty two dollars, paid Mary Boyce, my daughter six hundred and twenty two dollars, November 1, 1871, paid Margaret Light my daughter, five hundred dollars, March 3, 1873, each of these amounts to be considered a part of their share in my Estate, not to bear interest. This will does not give my wife power to sell the real estate but to have the whole control and use of same. I appoint my wife Maria Keith as the Executrix of my will. After the death of my wife, I desire that all my property both real and personal be divided among all my children, share and share alike. If any child be dead their heirs shall receive their share. Witnesses: Geo. Wells and Martin Fackter.

Sarah McClintick, Richland Co., [pg. 108], April 12, 1869 - March 12, 1874

Debts and funeral expenses to be paid. All property I possess at my decease is to be divided equally between my six daughters, Susanna Frankeberger, Sarah Haltery, Margaret Swisher, Mary C. Newlon, Caroline McCullough and Harriet Dillon, share and share alike. I appoint my daughter Margaret Swisher, Executrix of my Will. She is authorized to sell and dispose of any chattel property belonging to my said estate. Witnesses: Thomas Dickerson, James Cobean [James Cobean was deceased at time will was filed.]

Thomas Allinder, Weller Tp., Richland Co., [pg. 110], July 15, 1873 - March 20, 1874

I will that my funeral expenses and other debts be fully paid and that a suitable tombstone be erected at my grave. After the above expenses the balance of my personal property at interest and pay the same with the accrued interest equally to the children of Catharine P. Myers that may be born and living at my death or after when said children arrive at the age of maturity. My real estate is already disposed of by agreement. I appoint Samuel Robinson as the Executor of this my last will. Witnesses: Jacob Mathia, Jacob Mottayaw, Jr.

Elisabeth Post, Richland Co., [pg. 111], November 15, 1872 - March 24, 1874

First, I desire that my just debts, funeral expenses, tomb stone and enough to purchase a part of a lot in the

cemetery, on which I wish to be buried, be first paid out of any money I have in hand or due me on notes. The lot purchased in partnership with my Executor. Second, all other money left, together with all my other personal property, I give to Emma M. Finfrock for her sole use and benefit to be used to educate her or as my Executor sees fit. Third, I desire that my sister, Sarah Blecker, now living with me shall have the use of my share of the real estate, we now live in, or any I may own, free of rent as long as she lives, provided I should die first. After the death, the property to be sold and proceeds divided equally between Ira E. Finfrock, Charles H. Finfrock and Arthur Platt and I desire that Arthur Platt's share be invested and kept until he arrives at the age of twenty one, then paid to him, Ira E. and Charles H. Finfrock's shares to be used to educate them or as Executor may see fit. Fourth, I will and bequeath all my property both real and personal to M.V.B. Finfrock in trust for the above named persons. Witnesses: Esther Winter, Rena Hunt.

Michael Fischer, Richland Co., [pg. 113], May 20, 1873 - March 25, 1874

First, just debts be paid. Second, I bequeath all my real and personal estate to my beloved wife, Rebecca Fischer to be used by her during her natural life, or as long as she remains my widow. If she should again marry I give and bequeath her the one third part of all my real and personal estate to be used during her natural life. At the death of my said wife I direct that the residue and remainder of my estate shall be equally divided amongst all my children or their legal heirs. Third, I appoint my wife Rebecca Fischer guardian of my minor children, but in case she should again marry, her guardianship of said children shall cease and determine upon her intermarriage. Witnesses: Wm Reinhard, F.W. Wagner.

George Fleming, Jefferson Tp., Richland Co., [pg. 115], December 11, 1873

I authorize my wife Sarah to pay all debts. Second, I give to my wife Sarah all my personal property to sell or dispose of as she may see proper. Third, I give to my wife Sarah all my real estate and property situate in Jefferson Tp, during and for the term of her natural life. Fourth, At the death of my said wife the real estate aforesaid I give and to my children John, George W., Sarah Jane, Emily Ann, William, James Henderson, David and Margaret Elizabeth to be divided equally amongst them, except my son John to whom I give fifty dollars more than the others as a consideration in full for the aid and assistance he may give his mother in settling up my affairs. Witnesses: J.P. Henderson, James N. Robinson

Sarah Artz, Richland Co., [pg. 116], March 27, 1869 - March 28, 1874

First, I authorize all debts and charges to be paid. Second, I give to my grandsons John, Edmon and Israel Shutt, \$27.04, to be equally divided between them. I give to my daughter Lavina Kockenderfer \$27.04 provided she outlives her husband Joseph Hockenderfer, sum to remain in the Executors hands if my daughter shall die before her said husband, then said sum to fall to her brothers and sisters. I give to my daughters Catharine Doub, Caroline Snavelly, Lidia Royer, Sarah Rouch, the sum of \$27.04. To my son Israel B. Artz the sum of \$127.74. I give to my son Henry C. Artz the sum of \$92.74. The balance of my estate I divide equally among my children John, Edmon and Israel Shutt equal to one share with my own children. My grandson Jarome Artz made equal to one share. I request my clothing divided equally between my daughters, the books and dishes to be equally divided among my children, my bed clothing all that is not necessary for the beds be equally divided among my children. The balance of my property I direct to be sold a public sale. I appoint my friend Joseph C. Monn to act as Executor of my will. Witnesses: Simon Holtz, John W. Moore.

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Love Finds A Way.....After months and months of anxiety and weary waiting David Desh, North St. East Mansfield is sailing this week for his old home in Jugo Slavia to marry Katherine Leitenberger. Last April, David sent a prepaid ticket to Katherine. When she applied for a passport she was told the quota for Jugo Slavia was full. Katherine was dismayed and Peter disappointed but not disheartened. He was advised by Immigration authorities to go to Jugo Slavia, marry the maiden. By having secured his naturalization papers, Katherine would be the wife of an American citizen and allowed to enter even though the quote was full. Thus love found a way around the immigration laws. [Source: Mansfield newspaper, Nov 25, 1924]

Celebration of Memories....

Fred. Walter, Louis Vonhof and Ludwig Wolfarth, the survivors of nine young men who started on the trip to California 40 years ago Tuesday, gave an anniversary supper at the Grand Central to a party of friends mostly composed of other California gold-hunters. The feast was sumptuous and the evening was spent in a grand recollection of the events of the great excitement of that period. [Source: unnamed newspaper, Feb 19, 1890]

Perry P. Gass, formerly a resident of this county, now lives at Plattsmouth, Nebraska. [unnamed newspaper, July 25, 1864]

Richland County, Ohio Early Birth Records

If you write for a copy of one of these births be sure to mention they will be found in Volume Three. You may notice that there will be two entries for a few of the births, one with the name and one under unknown. We entered these as we found them. It is possible that when the child's name became known they were reentered or there is a possibility of a twin that did not live and was not named. Remember also that this list is incomplete. Many births were at home without a doctor and never recorded and many doctors did not make it to town to record births.

Henry, Arsula M.	Jan 10, 1857	Nicholas Henry & Margaret Yeats	Richland Co.
Hersh, John	Feb 11, 1857	Benjamin Hersh & Rosanna Hark	Washington Tp
Hershey, John A.	Mar 16, 1857	George A. Hershey & Leah Carper	Springfield Tp
Hissong, Thomas B.	Feb 08, 1857	David Hissong & [Marilla] Andrews	Worthington Tp
Hoff, Male	Mar 05, 1857	Henry Hoff & Nancy J. Kell	Jefferson Tp
Hogan, Male	Sep 17, 1857	Josiah Hogan & Ellen Burgen	Monroe Tp
Hollenbaugh, Henry A.	Feb 10, 1857	John Hollenbaugh & Mary Briner	Plymouth Tp
Howard, Female	Jan 27, 1857	Johnson Howard & B. Walker	Jefferson Tp
Hunter, Female	Jan 08, 1857	Benjamin Hunter & Sarah Jump	Bloomington Tp
Irwin, Female	Feb 04, 1857	Cornelius Irwin & Maria Irwin	Monroe Tp
Jackson, James B.	Feb 17, 1857	James Jackson & Mary Morris	Mansfield
Jamison, Female	Feb 08, 1857	Uriah Jamison & Sarah Hutchinson	Mansfield
Johnston, Female	Jan 01, 1857	Eli Johnston & ---- Reed	Washington Tp
Johnston, Alice M.	Jan 01, 1857	Eli Johnston & Margaret J. Reed	Washington Tp
Jones, John W.	Mar 20, 1857	Paul Jones & Mary Watson	Richland Co.
Jones, Susan M.	Jul 27, 1857	Jeremiah Jones & Elizabeth Barr	Richland Co.
Jones, John A.	Mar 20, 1857	Paul Jones & Mary Watson	Richland Co.
Kanaga, John I.	Jan 13, 1857	John Kanaga & Sarah Donough	Jefferson Tp
Kanbe,	Feb 17, 1857	Adolph Kanbe & Mary Mathias	Jefferson Tp
Kauffman, William	Feb 03, 1857	John Kauffman & Mary M. Richle	Troy Tp
Kelham, Joseph	Apr 06, 1857	E. Kelham & Sarah Downend	Plymouth Tp
Kelley, Annie	Mar --, 1857	John Kelley & Bridget Kelley	Mansfield
Kendall, James E.	Jan --, 1857	James Kendall & Mary Kendall	Springfield Tp
Kerr, Esther E.	Jan 28, 1857	Abraham Kerr & Mary Herring	Mansfield
King, Edwin	Jan 27, 1857	H.L. King & Catharine Bruck	Mansfield
Klotz, Male	Mar 19, 1857	John Klotz & Mary Zent	Perry Tp
Knox, Harriet	Jan 28, 1857	William Knox & Ann Knox	S.T. PO
Koerber, Unknown	Jan 25, 1857	Jacob Koerber & ---- Pettit	Cass Tp
Kronse, Henry	Mar --, 1857	John Krouse & E. Beck	Mansfield
Kuhn, Jacob	Mar 06, 1857	Jacob Kuhn & Mary Shafer	Plymouth Tp
Lamley, Sarah	Mar 17, 1857	Wm Lamley & Jane Filloon	Worthington Tp
Leppo, Albert	Feb 24, 1857	David Leppo & Eliza J. Pollock	Washington Tp
Loch, Unknown	Mar 15, 1857	D.R. Koch & [Martha] Bodine	Cass Tp
Logan, Male	Feb 03, 1857	Wm H. Logan & Barbara James	Springfield Tp
Lord, Female	Jan 21, 1857	E.D. Lord & Lucy Strong	Plymouth Tp
Lutz, Louisa	Feb 01, 1857	John J. Lutz & Elizabeth Schlesty	Washington Tp
McBride, Anna	Feb 19, 1857	Alex McBride & Catharine Plank	Cass Tp
McConkie, Marnada	Feb 02, 1857	Robert McConkie & Catharine Kyser	Worthington Tp
McCoy, Irwin	Sep 01, 1857	Eckels McCoy & Elizabeth Watson	Mansfield Tp
McCurdy, Ann E.	Jan 05, 1857	John McCurdy & ---- Goon	Worthington Tp
McGinty, Emma J.	Mar 15, 1857	James McGinty & Elizabeth Sallberry	Mansfield Tp
McGuire, Alice D.	Feb 04, 1857	Joseph McGuire & Elizabeth Hoover	Mansfield
McIlvain, Hiram A.	Apr 01, 1857	Hiram McIlvain & Charlotte ----	Ontario
McLaughlin, Ella	Feb --, 1857	Wm McLaughlin & Harriet Cairns	Mansfield
Maglott, Philip	Feb 22, 1857	Philip Maglott & Elizabeth Remy	Washington Tp
Malone, Female	Apr 09, 1857	Thomas Malone & Sarah Downend	Plymouth Tp
Maloney, Male	Jan 19, 1857	Wm Maloney & Sarah Riddle	Jefferson Tp
Markwood, William A.	Feb 02, 1857	Samuel Markwood & Mary M. Cockley	Troy Tp
Marquart, Adam	Feb 12, 1857	Adam Marquart & Elizabeth Schapp	Mansfield

Martin, Female	Jan 18, 1857	C. Martin & Isabell Runyan	Weller Tp
Martin, Melvin	Jan 06, 1857	none given	Weller Tp
Martin, Unknown	Jan 18, 1857	C. Martin & Isabell Runyan	Weller Tp
Massa, George	Jan 12, 1857	John Massa & Barbara Shafer	Mansfield
Miller Emaline	Feb 19, 1857	Wm Miller & Mary Deitwiler	Washington Tp
Myers, Male	Jan 16, 1857	Wm Myers & Amanda Snyder	Mansfield
Neal, Eleanor	Feb 21, 1857	Joseph Neal & Eleanor Shafer	Richland Co
Neff, Alice	Feb --, 1857	William Neff & Frances Funk	Mansfield
Nesbet, Lawson M.	Feb 27, 1857	James L. Nesbet & Margaret Fleck	Washington Tp
Nichols, Jennett	Feb 17, 1857	Jackson Nichols & Hester Bills	Independence, O
Oberlin, Male	Mar 06, 1857	Josiah Oberlin & ----	Butler Tp
Ollaman, Female	Jan 30, 1857	Josiah Ollaman & ----	Shelby
Patterson, A.E.	Feb 03, 1857	James Patterson & Jane A. Ross	Troy Tp
Parans, Allen	Jan 15, 1857	John Parans & Lydia Riblet	Perry Tp
Pinstug, Mary A.	Feb 08, 1857	Henry Pinstug & Christina Weidner	Mansfield
Pittinger, Mary	Jan 25, 1857	Peter Pittenger & Nancy Hageman	Butler Tp
Pitts, Female	none given	Wesley Pitts & ----	Springfield Tp
Post, Charles W.	Feb 21, 1857	John C. Post & Mary A. Carch	Mansfield
Price, Female	Mar 30, 1857	Arthur Price & ---- Swindle	Worthington
Prouty, Unknown	Jan 25, 1857	----- Prouty & ---- Scoby	Plymouth Tp
Ralston, Female	Feb 22, 1857	Robert Ralston & Elizabeth Maxton	Richland Co
Rankin, Harriet E.	Feb 05, 1857	David Rankin & Susan Reaves	Mansfield
Raymond, Charles	Feb 19, 1857	T.S. Raymond & P.V. Lightner	Plymouth Tp
Rechtel, Female	Jan 19, 1857	David Rechtel & ----	Plymouth Tp
Reed, Unknown	Jan 01, 1857	Eli Reed & ---- Reed	Washington Tp
Reed, Unknown	Feb 24, 1857	John Reed & ---- Reed	Monroe Tp
Reed, Emma	Feb 12, 1857	Joseph Reed & Nancy E. Crawford	Monroe Tp
Reynold, W.F.	Mar 13, 1857	Wm Reynold & Elizabeth Snyder	Plymouth Tp
Roberts, Male	Jan 01, 1857	Thomas Roberts & ----	Shelby
Robinson, Delilah	Feb 23, 1857	James S. Robinson & Sarah Crall	Butler Tp
Robinson, Sarah A.	Mar 07, 1857	Wm Lehman & Barbara Fackler	Richland Co
Ruckman, Thomas	Mar --, 1857	Thomas Ruckman & Nancy Carmichael	Cass Tp
Rutledge, Male	Feb 13, 1857	John Rutledge & Catharine Snyder	Richland Co
Saltsever, Belinda J.	Jan 02, 1857	Samuel Saltsever & Catharine Miller	Madison Tp
Scheickey, J.B.	Mar 30, 1857	John Scheickey & Catharine Schack	Mansfield
Schrack, William D.	Feb 24, 1857	John Schrack & Lucetta Reed	Monroe Tp
Schrack, Male	Feb 24, 1857	John Schrack & ---- Reed	Monroe Tp
Scott, Elijah W.	Jan 06, 1857	Wm Scott & Maria White	Washington Tp
Shafer, Aster	Feb 17, 1857	John M. Shafer & Sophronia Deivil	Washington Tp
Sharritt, Joseph L.	Feb 18, 1857	John Sharritt & Margaret L. Sharritt	Springfield Tp
Shaver, Ada A.	Feb 21, 1857	John Shaver & Jennett Dennis	Plymouth Tp
Shaver, Unknown	Feb 21, 1857	John Shaver & ----	None Given
Shoup, J.M.	Jan 24, 1857	Jacob Shoup & M.J. Price	Plymouth Tp
Sidall, William H.	Mar 26, 1857	William Sidall & Emma Keil	Mansfield
Sipe, Female	Jan 07, 1857	Levi Sipe & Caroline Markward	Perry Tp
Sipe, Merietta	Jan 05, 1857	William Sipe & Esther Sipe	Shelby
Sipe, Female	Jan 05, 1857	William Sipe & ----	Shelby
Sirpliss, Samantha	Feb 21, 1857	James Sirpliss & Martha Barnes	Washington Tp
Slocum, Female	Feb 05, 1857	E.P. Slocum & Catharine Frounfelter	Richland Co
Smith, Ellen L.	Jan 30, 1857	David Smith & Sarah Finkebinder	Richland Co
Snyder, Susannah	Mar 09, 1857	Joseph Snyder & Susannah Tinkey	Jefferson Tp
Solomon, Mary A.	Mar 09, 1857	Abraham Solomon & Mary Ricksecker	Springfield Tp
Spriggins, Male	Jan 04, 1857	John Spriggins & ----	Springfield Tp
Steel, John S.	Jan 11, 1857	John Steel & Mary S. Campbell	Perry Tp
Stetman, Male	Mar 02, 1857	Burton Stetman & E.W. Stetman	Independence, O
Stoner, Louisa	Dec 18, 1857	Jacob Stoner & Frances Crawford	Butler Tp
Stout, Female	Feb 04, 1857	Cornelius Stout & Maria Stout	Monroe Tp

Stryker, James B.	Feb 21, 1857	Christian Stryker & Amanda Kimel	Plymouth Tp
Swank, Samantha J.	Jan 15, 1857	Henry S. Swank & Drizella Baker	Jefferson Tp
Sweny, Male	Feb 27, 1857	Ira Sweny & Elizabeth Ayer	Richland Co
Swigart, Clara E.	Jan 22, 1857	Luther Swigart & Jane Balyeat	None Given
Swindle, Female	Mar 30, 1857	Arthur Swindle & Eliza Price	Springfield Tp
Teeters, Mary C.	Jan 25, 1857	Abraham Teeters & Mary Miller	Worthington Tp
Thompson, Female	Jan 18, 1857	James Thompson & Celia A. Hamilton	Washington Tp
Trimble, Mary M.	Feb 10, 1857	David Trimble & Hannah Campbell	Madison Tp
Truelover, Male	Feb 03, 1857	William Truelover & ----	Plymouth Tp
Trump, A.F.	Feb 08, 1857	Samuel Trump & M.A. Trump	Mansfield
Trubbs, Unknown	Mar 05, 1857	Henry Trubbs & ----	Auburn Tp. Crawford Co
Umbarger, Francis M.	Jan 26, 1857	L.C. Umbarger & Elizabeth Haflick *	Springfield Tp
Vonberger, Francis	Jan 22, 1857	Leonard Vonbarger & Elizabeth Haflick *	Springfield Tp
Veneman, Rufus	Mar 14, 1857	J.W. Veneman & Isabell Davis	Worthington Tp
Vaneman, Male	Mar 13, 1857	William Veneman & ----	Worthington Tp
Walters, David K.	Jan 29, 1857	Joseph Walters & Susan Keller	Weller Tp
White, Elizabeth	Jan 12, 1857	David White & Elizabeth Kisscart	Monroe Tp
Wigley, Ellen P.	Jan 23, 1857	William Wigley & Rachel Phillalum	Perry Tp
Weidner, George	Mar 04, 1857	William Weidner & Barbara Englehart	Mansfield
Walters, Henrietta	Feb 20, 1857	Joseph Walters & Sarah Hissong	Jefferson Tp
Warren, J.L.	Jan 08, 1857	Josiah Warren & Catharine Hissong	Worthington Tp
Wentz, Louisa	Feb 22, 1857	Jacob Wentz & Charlotte Knaus	Mansfield
Woodruff, R.W.	Feb 24, 1857	B.F. Woodruff & Mary J. Trump	Washington Tp
Wilder, Rossanah E.	Mar 22, 1857	Chauncy Wilder & Caroline Billing	Worthington Tp
Williams, Male	Mar 26, 1857	Benjamin Williams & Catharine Tyler	Springfield Tp
Williams, Unknown	Feb 25, 1857	John Williams & D. Williams	Worthington Tp
Weirick, Wilson	Feb 19, 1857	John Weirick & Mary Swank	Jefferson Tp
Yehrling, Mary	Apr 14, 1857	Henry Yehrling & Catharine Warner	Mansfield
Young, Jessie	Mar 04, 1857	Warner Young & Ethalinda Dukes	Mansfield
Zedaker, Daniel	Feb -, 1857	Daniel Zedaker & Druscilla Hacket	Richland Co
Zeigler, Elizabeth	Jan 01, 1857	Reuben Zeigler & Catharine Samsel	Butler Tp

* These two entries are written as recorded. We did find a marriage for L.C. Umbarger and Elizabeth Haflick but were unable to find one for Leonard Vonbarger and Elizabeth Haflick .

End of 1857 Births

Mansfield Herald Newspaper

Died Jun 17, 1879 near Rome of brain fever, Roy s/o Mr & Mrs Austin Ferrell, aged 2 yrs. 3 mo.

Died in Mansfield Aug 17, 1879 Harry Arthur infant s/o S.A. & Jennie M. Jennings, age 3 mo 3 da

Died Jan 29, 1879 in Plymouth of paralysis of lungs Willie s/o Mr & Mrs Henry Saviers, 3 yr 7 mo.

Died Jan 26, 1879 in Plymouth of diptheria, Susie d/o Mr & Mrs John Waite, 6 yrs.

Died Mar 6, 1879 in Plymouth of diptheria Edwin Leslie s/o Mr & Mrs Rev G.W. Miller 6 yr 16 das.

Died Mar 13, 1879 in Worthington Tp, Franklin T. s/o Wm Norris Sr. aged 11 mo 24 das.

On February 8, 1827 the Trustees of Troy Township meet for the purpose of laying out the township into School Districts. As directed they were laid out in the following districts.

No. 1 District included the households of....

John Mitchel	Samuel McWilliams	D. Hopkins
Mistress Bog(g)s	Peter Weyrick	John Fullwiler
George Weyrick	Eli Johnston	Henry Cramer
Abrahm Line	John Halderman	James R. Bog(g)s
Ezekiel Bog(g)s	William McWilliams	Jacob Haldeman
John Moore	John Stainer	William Moore
Jacob Morgan	John Ross	William Ross
Joseph Thompson	David Thompson	James Thompson
William Bar(r)	John Woods	John Barr

No 2 District included the households of....

Peter Weyrick, Junr.	William Shock	George Swallem
Jacob Singrey	Thomas Singrey	John Edwards
John Markey	James Loughland	Elijah Foster

No 3 District included the households of...

Ebenetus Goldsmith	Richard Goldsmith	Jesse Enlaws
Joseph Mitchel	Amos G. Webster	William Hunter
Robert Hunter	James Harris	Alexander Enos
Burrel Enos	Jacob Flack	John McEwen
Samuel Guthrie	William Guthrie	Isaac Slater
William Blair	George Carrothers	

No 4 District included the households of....

Jacob Wolff	Benjamin Post	Lewis Day
Amos Day	Thomas Brownlee	John Young
William Nelson	Charles McClung	Alexander McCollum
Aaron Young	Poultney Loughridge	Daniel Dye
Aaron Dille	Mr. Bell	

No 5 District included the households of...

Samuel Johnston	Aaron Alban	Henry Wilson
Cyrus Dille	Elisabeth Lindsley	Jonathan W. Harris
Joseph Day	Thomas Logan	Joseph Cracraft
Samuel Davis	William Gass	Julius W. Fox
John Sweney	James R. Gass	John Gass
Francis Mitchel	Andrew Hunter	Ichabod Clark
John Miller	John McClung	Samuel McCluer
David Paramour	James D. Chambers	Isaac Miller

No 6 District included the households of...

Amariah Watson	Sterlin Graves	Elisha Robins
Titus Watson	Samuel Watson	Thomas Baird
Adna Coleman	George E. Mitchel	Robert Cunningham
Zebulon Ayres	Mr. Brown	Phineas Ball
John Phelps	William Damsel	George Coleman
Noah Cook	William Mathews	Jacob Cook
Samuel Clealand	William Cook	George Culp
Benjamin Gatten	Jacob Heiley	Reuben Bog(g)s
Nathaniel Coleman	Christian Clink	Samuel Maricle
William Winterdam	William Huntsman	Christian Cramer

A Letter From The Past

The following letter is in the OGS Manuscript Room, MSS-36

How long has it been since you sat down, pen and paper in hand and wrote a letter to a family member, friend or loved one? This beautiful hand written letter was left as a reminder of times past, and is treasured memory for family. This letter does not contain any punctuation and words at the beginning of an apparent sentence are not capitalized. In typing the letter we have place extra spaces at the end of obvious thoughts to help make the reading easier. It still may be a little hard to read but we encourage you to take the time to do so.

Shelby, Richland County, Ohio, February 1st AD 1864....

Mrs. Elizabeth Harman Dear only and beloved Sister I wish to inform you that we are yet in the land of the living we still live in the town of Shelby our health is as good as can to be reasonably expected at this time and hope this imperfect and silent messenger may meet you and yours all in good health together we have not heard from you so long a time that it seems as were quite estranged and I scarcely know for why it is or ought to be but I have been careless and have neglected my duty I have wrote several letters and received no answers and I thought a long time and often I would write to you again I would like to hear form you once again I still had some hope that you might come out here and pay us a visit and see this part of the country and numerous friends and relations you can to come in a short time and within a few rods to our house on the railroad you would have to change cars at Mansfield eleven miles from here and take North on the Sandusky Mansfield and Newark Road there are two railroads running through Shelby the Mansfield Sandusky and Newark one and the Cleveland Columbus and Cincinatty Road Shelby is bout Midway between Cleveland and Columbus and considerable of business place Ann C. is married to Alanson Allen of the Mansfield foundery and Machineshop if you would call there you would meet with a hearty welcome Eve is living in Mansfield Andrew lives in Shelby keeping grocery store Abraham and Mary M. intermarried to William Keller they live in Fulton County Ohio Sarah A. and Alexander E. Hoffman live in Vanwert County Ohio Susan R. and B.F. Granen live in Knox County Ohio near Fredericktown 18 miles south of Mansfield and Christina is dead and Elizabeth and John Sherriff live on a part of the old farm between here and Mansfield near the Spring Mill in this county brother Andrews family live in the neighborhood I suppose you probably know that Aunt Polly is dead about a year ago Mary and William Owings live in Shelby and Abraham intends to move in town by April next Lewis Busheys oldest son (Taylor) was wounded and sick in the army and got home on Friday and Saturday the first and second of January we had extreme cold weather I think as cold if not the coldest that I can recollect of ever seeing it changed very suddenly on Thursday night and continued cold about ten days or two weeks then moderated on the 18 and 19 we had a severe snowstorm about 18 inches deep and considerably drifted making good slayroads for a few days then it changed to moderate or nearly warm and the snow is nearly gone we have fallen into bad or troublesome times and the good Lord only knows when where or how it is a going to end or change for the better I sometimes hope although against a wellgrounded hope I suppose it a chastisement for our wickedness and sins and it appears to me that instead of the people humbling themselves they are getting more vicious proud cruel wicked cruel and sinful so that I am afraid we are humbled enough to expect or look for peace and ----don the remainder of the friends and relations are in about their usual health as far as we know at this time I do not know that I have much more of particular importance to write as I do not know if you will receive it or not but we would like very much if we can not see you to at all events hear from you and know where you are and how you are we are getting old and may reasonably expect not to stay here a great while longer so we ought to try suit and prepare ourselves to every situation circumstance and trying moment and finally for a better and happier abode hereafter if it is not too much trouble we should like to hear from you at your earliest convenience no more at present but remain with due respects your loving brother and friend & c by by. My best respects to all inquiring friends if any and any information from any of them would be thankfully received Abraham Bushy - Anna Mary Bushey

Family Group Sheet for Stewart Family

Elizabeth Richardson, P.O. Box 662, Ward Cove, Alaska 99928 E-mail: erich@ktn.net

John Stewart

bn: abt 1787 PA
dd: . . . 21 Mar 1866 . . Mansfield, Ohio
marr: . . 5 Oct 1819 . . . Fairview, Ohio

Spouse: Margaret Thompson

bn: 17 Apr 1787 . . Adams Co, PA
dd: . . . 05 Jul 1883 . . . Mansfield, Ohio
Father: William Thompson (1741-1806)
Mother: Sarah Patterson (-1832)

Children:

1. **Sarah Stewart**
bn: . . 12 Mar 1811 . . Belmont Co. Ohio
dd: . . 29 Jul 1909 . . . Roscoe, Iowa
spouse: John B. Ramsey
2. **Susanna Stewart**
bn: . . 09 Jul 1812 . . . Belmont Co. Ohio
dd: . . 14 Sep 1885
spouse: John Farmer
3. **Samuel Stewart**
bn: . . 19 Oct 1813 . . . Belmont Co. Ohio
dd: . . 30 Aug 1863 . . . Virginia
spouse: Elizabeth Fletcher
4. **William Stewart**
bn: . . 16 May 1815 . . Belmont Co. Ohio
dd: . . aft 1896
spouse: Martha Isabel Law
5. **Harriet Stewart**
bn: . . 26 Mar 1817 . . . Ohio
dd: . . 25 Sep 1854 . . . Jefferson Co. Iowa
spouse: Adam Case
6. **Maria Stewart**
bn: . . 20 Jan 1819 . . . near Mansfield, Ohio
dd: . . 25 Aug 1835
7. **Robert Stewart**
bn: . . 01 Jan 1821 . . . Ohio
dd: . . bef 1896 Van Buren Co. Iowa
spouse: Christina Ihrig
8. **Margaretta Stewart**
bn: . . 27 Jul 1823
dd: . . 08 Sep 1847 . . . Iowa
spouse: Ephraim Newlan
9. **Julia Ann Stewart**
bn: . . 04 Mar 1826 . . . near Mansfield, Ohio
dd: . . 10 Mar 1841 . . . Mansfield, Ohio
10. **Miranda Stewart**
bn: . . 06 Oct 1829 . . . Ohio
dd: . . aft 1896
spouse: John B. Colwell

William Stewart

bn: 05 May 1789 . . . Washington Co. PA
dd: . . . 27 Feb 1876
marr: . . 11 Aug 1814 . . . Guernsey Co. Ohio

Spouse: Jane Thompson

bn: 08 Mar 1791 . . . Adams Co. PA
dd: . . . 24 Aug 1858
Father: William Thompson (1741-1806)
Mother: Sarah Patterson (- 1832)

Children:

1. **Sarah Ann Stewart**
bn: . . 28 Apr 1816 . . . Ohio
dd: . . 06 Dec 1868 . . . Richland Co. Ohio
2. **Nellie Stewart**
bn: 06 sep 1817 Ohio
3. **Polly Stewart**
bn: . . 04 Jul 1819 . . . Richland Co. Ohio
dd: . . 06 Feb 1884
spouse: Thomas Kinton
4. **Samuel Stewart**
bn: . . 3 Nov 1820 . . . Richland Co. Ohio
dd: . . Jan 1869
spouse: Catharine Bilz
5. **William T. Stewart**
bn: . . 03 Jun 1824 . . . Richland Co. Ohio
spouse: Margaret Tarrass
6. **Susanna Stewart**
bn: . . 29 Jul 1824 . . . Richland Co. Ohio
dd: . . 25 Feb 1837 . . . Richland Co. Ohio
7. **John Stewart**
bn: . . 11 Jul 1826 . . . Richland Co. Ohio
dd: . . 22 Sep 1849 . . . Richland Co. Ohio
8. **Isaac Stewart**
bn: . . 23 Jul 1828
dd: . . 04 Apr 1829
9. **Jane Stewart**
bn: . . 08 Oct 1830 . . . Richland Co. Ohio
dd: . . 27 Feb 1888
10. **Nancy Stewart**
bn: . . 29 Oct 1832 . . . Richland Co. Ohio
dd: . . 14 May 1875 . . . Richland Co. Ohio
11. **Margaret Stewart**
bn: . . 30 Oct 1834 . . . near Newville, Ohio

Sources: Thompson, Samuel F. The Thompson-Given Families, Oxford, OH 1898, 1850 Census, Vital Records, Henderson Co. Illinois, FHL film nos. 1377856, 1377857, and Marriage Bk. A, pg. 85
Verda family group sheets, Jefferson County Cemeteries by IGS

Queries

MITTENBUHLER BOWLEY McCLURE ANGLIN

I am interested in information on the family of Joseph **Mittenbuhler** who marr Emma Cynthia **Bowlby** in Plymouth, Richland Co, Sep 29, 1874. Emma bn in Huron Co, Nov 8, 1856, was the daug of Edward T. and Mary (**McClure**) **Bowlby**. She d. in Dixon, Illinois in 1927, which had been her home town probably since leaving Plymouth in 1878. I found the name Louise Anglin **Mittenbuhler** in an old family Bible, she was bn Oct 8 (no year) but the previous entry was 1900 and the location was Effingham Ill. I am curious about the **Mittenbuhler** and **Anglin** family connection. My wife is the widow of Charles R. Anglin, whose father was Ted **Anglin**, bn in 1902, one of 12 children of an Anglin family from W.Va. He d. in Akron, Oh in 1971. Any information would be appreciated. Charles Blake, 5063 - 54th Way N., St. Petersburg, FL 33709-3747, e-mail: cblake@tampabay.rr.com

CULP PRESTON

I am interested in obtaining information on the parents, grandparents and related family members of my Great Grandfather, Edward Clinton **Culp**. Edward was bn in Plymouth, Richland Co in Mar 1843. He parents were John **Culp** and ???. At about age 16 he moved to Norwalk, OH and entered the printing business at the Norwalk Reflector. In 1861 he joined the Ohio 25th Volunteer Infantry. He marr Lucy E. **Preston** bn 1866 was sheriff of Huron Co for two yrs beginning in 1868. I would appreciation any additional information on the Culp line related to John Culp. Tom Tremble, 18049 Old Coach Road, Poway, CA 92064, e-mail: tom_tremble@sbcglobal.net

PHILLIPS HEDRICK

I am trying to locate information on the Thomas **Phillips** family. Thomas marr Sarah **Hedrick** on Mar 3, 1825 in Richland Co., Ohio. I am trying to locate information on their third child Sara Ann **Phillips** who was bn Apr 22, 1829 in Richland. There were 12 children bn there, Temperance bn 29 Nov 1825, George Washington bn 19 Jul 1827; Mary bn 22 Jan 1831, Caroline bn 11 Oct 1833, Darius bn 13 Jan 1835, Elizabeth bn 10 Feb 1840, William H. bn 11 Jan 1842, Martha bn 5 Feb 1844, Lovina bn 12 Feb 1846, and Margaret Ann bn 28 Nov 1850. Sarah would be my ggggrandmother and if this is the correct person she would marry Jefferson **Rose** in Hardin Co. on 30 Jul 1846. Any help would be appreciated. Thank you. Karla Smith, 311 East 18th, Grand Island, NE 68801, e-mail: Karladaly5@hotmail.com

ZIMMER SHAFFER WALTERS

I am researching the **Zimmer, Shaffer, Walters** names which lived in the Mansfield, Ohio area in the late 1700s and early 1800s. In particular I am trying to locate more information on a Catherine **Walters** who married (c. 1805 Fairfield County, OH) a Frederick **Zimmer** (b. ~1779 d. Sept. 1831 Perry TWP, Richland County, OH). I would like to find vitals out for Catherine, including her parents, her birth, death, etc. dates. Frederick and Catherine **Zimmers** children included: Elizabeth (b. 1806 Perry Twp, Richland Co., OH; d. 1884 Montcalm Co., MI; m. 1825 John **Shaffer**), Samuel (m. Hannah or Anna, lived in Richland Co, OH in 1836), Catherine (m. Joseph **Henderson**, lived in Richland Co, OH in 1836), and Lydia (a minor in 1831 in Richland Co., OH). I am also very interested in any information on the Zimmers which has not already been "pseudo-historically and romantically" written up in the local county history books. I am currently researching contemporary and near contemporary sources relating to the Zimmer killings on September 10, 1812, e.g. military correspondence regarding removal of the Greentown Indians, and existing newspaper and court records from that time period, and would love to hear from anyone with information pertaining to these events and this time period. Thank you. Loyal Suntken, P. O. Box 670, Brighton, MI 48116-0670 email - questabc@htdconnect.com

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