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TABLE OF DISTANCES
FOR
HARDIN CO., OHIO.

	Ada.	Dunkirk.	Forest.	Grant.	Huntersville.	Kenton.	Mt. Victory.	North Washington.	Patterson.	Round Head.	Silver Creek.	Ridgway.	Yelverton.
Ada													
Dunkirk	9.1												
Forest	16.4	7.0											
Grant	14.8	7.5	7.0										
Huntersville	5.8	10.4	17.4	10.9									
Kenton	15.5	9.8	12.0	5.0	9.7								
Mt. Victory	24.5	19.3	21.0	14.0	18.7	9.0							
North Washington	6.8	2.6	9.6	9.6	7.8	11.8	20.8						
Patterson	15.9	6.5	1.7	5.3	16.3	10.3	19.3	9.2					
Round Head	16.0	24.0	26.7	19.7	15.7	14.7	19.2	17.0	25.0				
Silver Creek	19.0	16.5	18.7	11.7	13.2	6.7	11.5	19.8	17.0	10.5			
Ridgway	25.0	19.3	21.5	14.5	19.2	9.5	3.5	21.3	19.8	17.1	9.1		
Yelverton	18.6	19.3	21.5	14.5	12.8	9.5	11.2	18.1	19.8	8.0	2.6	9.3	

POPULATION
OF THE
HARDIN COUNTY,
OHIO,

By Townships and Towns.

	1878.*	1870.	1860.	1850.
Blanchard	2,385	1,250	680	252
Buck	1,275	1,259	794	456
Cessna	1,115	732	487	303
Dudley	1,405	1,008	797	529
Goshen	1,030	928	894	490
Hale	1,985	1,254	1,130	428
Jackson	2,200	1,412	913	530
Liberty	3,510	2,308	1,148	422
Lynn	920	457	261	.....
Marion	970	671	599	452
McDonald	1,490	900	757	582
Pleasant	1,775	4,002	2,985	2,116
Kenton	5,205	.....	.....	.....
Roundhead	1,020	759	778	645
Taylor Creek	1,165	891	531	531
Washington	1,435	883	706	391
Total	28,885	18,714	13,360	8,127

* From the vote of 1878—5777.

POPULATION
OF THE
STATE OF OHIO, BY COUNTIES.
CENSUS OF 1860 AND 1870.

Counties.	Pop. 1870.	Pop. 1860.	Counties.	Pop. 1870.	Pop. 1860.
Adams	20,750	20,309	Logan	23,028	20,996
Allen	23,623	18,185	Lorain	30,308	29,744
Ashland	21,933	22,951	Lucas	46,722	25,831
Ashtabula	32,517	31,814	Madison	15,633	13,015
Athens	23,768	21,364	Mahoning	31,001	25,894
Auglaize	20,041	17,187	Marion	16,184	15,490
Belmont	39,714	36,398	Medina	20,092	22,517
Brown	30,802	29,958	Meigs	31,465	26,534
Butler	39,912	35,840	Mercer	17,254	14,104
Carroll	14,491	15,738	Miami	32,740	29,959
Champaign	24,188	22,698	Monroe	25,779	25,741
Clark	32,070	25,300	Montgomery	64,006	52,230
Clermont	34,268	33,034	Morgan	20,363	22,119
Clinton	21,914	21,461	Morrow	18,583	20,445
Columbiana	38,299	38,836	Muskingum	44,886	44,416
Coshocton	23,600	25,032	Noble	19,949	20,751
Crawford	25,556	23,881	Ottawa	13,364	7,016
Cuyahoga	132,010	78,033	Paulding	8,544	4,945
Darke	32,278	26,009	Perry	18,453	19,678
Defiance	15,719	11,886	Pickaway	24,875	23,469
Delaware	25,175	23,902	Pike	15,447	13,643
Erie	28,188	24,474	Portage	24,584	24,208
Fairfield	31,138	30,538	Preble	21,809	21,820
Fayette	17,170	15,935	Putnam	17,081	12,808
Franklin	63,019	50,361	Richland	32,516	31,158
Fulton	17,789	14,043	Ross	37,097	35,071
Gallia	25,545	22,043	Sandusky	25,503	21,429
Geauga	14,190	15,817	Scioto	29,302	24,297
Greene	28,038	26,197	Seneca	30,827	30,868
Guernsey	23,838	24,474	Shelby	20,748	17,493
Hamilton	260,370	216,410	Stark	52,508	42,978
Hancock	23,847	22,886	Summit	34,674	27,344
Hardin	18,714	13,570	Trumbull	38,659	30,656
Harrison	18,682	19,110	Tuscarawas	33,840	32,463
Henry	14,028	8,901	Union	18,730	16,507
Highland	29,133	27,773	Van Wert	15,823	10,238
Hocking	17,925	17,057	Vinton	15,027	13,631
Holmes	18,177	20,589	Warren	26,689	26,902
Huron	28,532	29,616	Washington	40,609	36,268
Jackson	21,759	17,941	Wayne	35,116	32,483
Jefferson	29,188	26,115	Williams	20,991	16,633
Knox	26,333	27,735	Wood	24,596	17,886
Lake	15,935	15,576	Wyandot	18,553	15,596
Lawrence	31,360	23,249	Total	2,663,392	2,339,511
Licking	35,756	37,011			

APPROXIMATE POPULATION
OF THE
UNITED STATES.
CENSUS OF 1860 and 1870.

States.	1870.	1860.
Alabama	996,992	964,296
Arkansas	483,157	435,427
California	560,233	380,016
Connecticut	537,454	460,151
Delaware	125,015	112,218
Florida	187,752	140,439
Georgia	1,195,338	1,057,329
Illinois	2,538,408	1,711,753
Indiana	1,673,943	1,350,941
Iowa	1,191,727	674,948
Kansas	364,405	107,110
Kentucky	1,321,011	1,155,713
Louisiana	726,927	709,290
Maine	626,451	628,276
Maryland	780,806	687,034
Massachusetts	1,457,351	1,231,065
Michigan	1,187,135	749,112
Minnesota	433,564	172,022
Mississippi	834,934	791,396
Missouri	1,719,978	1,182,317
Nebraska	119,696	28,836
Nevada	42,491	6,857
New Hampshire	318,300	326,072
New Jersey	906,108	672,031
New York	4,374,703	3,880,735
North Carolina	1,071,135	992,667
Ohio	2,663,392	2,339,511
Oregon	90,933	52,464
Pennsylvania	3,519,601	2,906,370
Rhode Island	217,356	174,621
South Carolina	710,979	703,812
Tennessee	1,257,495	1,109,847
Texas	805,000	602,432
Vermont	330,552	315,116
Virginia	1,224,962	1,596,079
West Virginia	442,033	
Wisconsin	1,055,165	775,873
Total States	38,092,482	31,184,176
TERRITORIES, ETC.		
Arizona	9,658	
Colorado	39,864	34,197
Dakota	14,181	4,839
Dist. of Columbia	131,706	75,076
Idaho	14,998	
Montana	20,594	
New Mexico	91,864	93,541
Utah	86,786	40,295
Washington	23,925	11,578
Wyoming	9,118	
Total Territories	442,694	259,526
Total States	38,092,482	31,184,176
Total U. States	38,535,176	31,443,702

HISTORICAL SKETCH OF HARDIN CO., OHIO.

PART I.

THE territory now comprised within the limits of Ohio was formerly a part of that vast region claimed by France between the Alleghany and Rocky Mountains, first known by the general name of Louisiana. In 1670, Marquette, a zealous French missionary, accompanied by Monsieur Joliet, from Quebec, with five boatmen, set out on a mission from Mackinac to the unexplored regions lying south of that station. They passed down the lake to Green Bay, thence from Fox River crossed over to the Wisconsin, which they followed down to its junction with the Mississippi. They descended this mighty stream a thousand miles to its confluence with the Arkansas. On their return to Canada they did not fail to urge in strong terms the immediate occupation of the vast and fertile regions watered by the Mississippi and its branches. About 1725, the French erected forts on the Mississippi, on the Illinois, on the Maumee, and on the lakes; still, however, the communication with Canada was through Lake Michigan. Before 1750, a French post had been fortified at the mouth of the Wabash, and a communication was established through that river and the Maumee with Canada. About the same time, and for the purpose of checking the progress of the French, the Ohio Company was formed, and made some attempts to establish trading houses among the Indians. The French, however, established a chain of fortifications back of the English settlements, and thus, in a measure, had the entire control of the great Mississippi Valley.

The English government became alarmed at the encroachments of the French, and attempted to settle boundaries by negotiations. These availed nothing, and both parties were determined to settle their differences by the force of arms. The principal grounds whereon the English claimed dominion, beyond the Alleghanies, was that the Six Nations owned the Ohio Valley, and had placed it, with their other lands, under the protection of England. Some of the western lands were also claimed by the British as having been actually purchased at Lancaster, Pennsylvania, in 1744, at a treaty between the colonists and the Six Nations at that place. The claim of the English monarch to the late Northwestern Territory was ceded to the United States, signed at Paris, September 3d, 1788. The provisional articles which formed the basis of that treaty, more especially as related to the boundary, were signed at Paris, November 30th, 1782. During the pendency of the negotiation relative to these preliminary articles, Mr. Oswald, the British commissioner, proposed the river Ohio as the western boundary of the United States, and but for the indomitable perseverance of the Revolutionary patriot, John Adams, one of the American commissioners, who opposed the proposition, and insisted upon the Mississippi as the boundary, the probability is that the proposition of Mr. Oswald would have been acceded to by the United States Commissioners.

The States who owned western unappropriated lands, with a single exception, redeemed their respective pledges by ceding them to the United States. The State of Virginia, in March, 1784, ceded the right of soil and jurisdiction to the district of country embraced in her charter, situated to the northwest of the Ohio River. In September, 1786, the State of Connecticut also ceded her claim of soil and jurisdiction to the district of country within the limits of her charter, situated west of a line beginning at the completion of the forty-first point degree of north latitude, one hundred and twenty miles west of the western boundary of Pennsylvania, and from thence by a line drawn north parallel to and one hundred and twenty miles west of said line of Pennsylvania, and to continue north until it came to forty-two degrees and two minutes north latitude. The State of Connecticut, on the 30th of May, 1801, also ceded her jurisdictional claims to all that territory called the "Western Reserve of Connecticut." The States of New York and Massachusetts also ceded all their claims.

The above were not the only claims which had to be made prior to the commencement of settlements within the limits of Ohio. Numerous tribes of Indian savages, by virtue of prior possession, asserted their respective claims, which also had to be extinguished. A treaty for this purpose was accordingly made at Fort Stanwix, October 27th, 1784, with the sachems and warriors of the Mohawks, Onondagas, Senecas, Cayugas, Oneidas, and Tuscaroras, by the third article of which treaty the said Six Nations ceded to the United States all claims to the country west of a line extending along the west boundary of Pennsylvania, from the mouth of the Oyounayea to the Ohio River.

Washington County was formed July 27th, 1788, by proclamation of Governor St. Clair, being the first county formed within the limits of Ohio. Its original boundaries were as follows: Beginning on the bank of the Ohio River, where the western boundary line of Pennsylvania crosses it, and running with that line to Lake Erie; thence along the southern shore of said lake to the mouth of Cuyahoga River; thence up the said river to the portage between it and the Tuscarawas branch of the Muskingum; thence down that branch to the forks at the crossing place above Fort Laurens; thence with a line to be drawn westerly to the portage on that branch of the Big Miami, on which the fort stood that was taken by the French in 1752, until it meets the road from the lower Shawnese Town to Sandusky; thence south to the Scioto River, and thence with that river to the mouth, and thence up the Ohio River to the place of beginning.

Hamilton was the second county established in the Northwest Territory; it was formed January 2d, 1790, by proclamation of Governor St. Clair, and named from General Alexander Hamilton. Its original boundaries were thus defined: Beginning on the Ohio River at the confluence of the Little Miami, and down the said Ohio to the mouth of the Big Miami, and up said Miami to the standing stone forks or branch of said river, and thence with a line to be drawn due east to the Little Miami, and down said Little Miami River to the place of beginning.

Wayne County was established by proclamation of General St. Clair, August 15th, 1796, and was the third county formed in the Northwest Territory. Its original limits were very extensive, and were thus defined in the act creating it: Beginning at the mouth of Cuyahoga River upon Lake Erie, and with the said river to the portage between it and the Tuscarawas branch of the Muskingum; thence down the said branch to the forks at the crossing place above Fort Laurens; thence by a west line to the east boundary of Hamilton County, which is a due north line from the lower Shawnee Town upon the Scioto River; thence by a line west-northerly to the south part of portage between the Miamis of Ohio and the St. Mary's River; thence by a line also west-northerly to the southwestern part of the portage between the Wabash and Miamis of Lake Erie, where Fort Wayne now stands; thence by a line west-northerly to the south part of Lake Michigan; thence along the western shores of the same to the northwest part thereof, including lands upon the streams emptying into said lake; thence by a due north line to the territorial boundary in Lake Superior, and with the said boundary through Lakes Huron, St. Clair, and Erie to the mouth of Cuyahoga River, the place of beginning. These limits embrace what are now parts of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, and all of Michigan, and the towns of Ohio City, Chicago, St. Mary's, Mackinaw, etc. Since then States and counties have been organized out of this territory.

It will be observed in the Virginia Military Districts in Ohio, which comprise the lands between the Scioto and Little Miami Rivers, that when the State of Virginia, in 1783, ceded to the United States all her right of soil and jurisdiction to all the tract of country she then claimed northwest of the Ohio River, it was provided that the Virginia troops of the Continental establishment should be paid their legal bounties from these lands (and here it may not be amiss to define these land denominations). The United States Military Lands were so called from the fact that they were appropriated by an act of Congress, in 1796, to satisfy certain claims of the officers and soldiers of the Revolution. The patent to the soldiers or purchasers of these lands, as well as of all other Ohio lands, is derived from the general government. This district was not surveyed into ranges and townships, or any regular form, and hence the irregularity in the shape of the townships as established by the county commissioners for civil purposes; any individual holding a Virginia Military Land warrant might locate it wherever he desired within the district, and in such shape as he pleased, wherever the land had not been previously located.

In consequence of a want of regularity in the original surveys, the carelessness with which many locations were made, and the consequent interference and encroachments of some locations upon others, far more uncertainty and litigation has arisen relative to lines and titles in this district than in all the regularly surveyed districts. The lands in this district are not designated by sections or ranges, but are shown by original surveys and the numbers thereon, as will be observed by turning to the township maps which accompany this work.

PREHISTORIC RACES.

Evidence of the occupation of this region before the appearance of the red man and the white race, is to be found in almost every part of the county. In removing the gravel bluffs, which are quite numerous and deep, for the construction of roads and pikes, hundreds of human skeletons, many of giant form, with many curious relics, copper beads, stone axes, fleshers, spear-heads and arrow-points of flint, stone beads, pick-shaped instruments, including perforated tubes, and flat, neatly-polished plates of a greenish-gray species of slate, have been ploughed and dug up along the banks of the Scioto. Regularly constructed mounds are not numerous, and such as are found are small. There seems to be no regular intrenchments of a military character to be found. A few of the artificial mounds or burying sites have been examined. Mr. John S. B. Matson gives the following account of a *double mound*, opened under his direction, during the construction of the Bellefontaine and Indiana Railway through Hale township, Hardin County, in 1856. The mound was between the villages of Mt. Victory and Ridgeway. He says: "I commenced removing a gravel bank for the purpose of ballasting a part of the above-named railroad. I learned shortly after my arrival there that the bank was an ancient burial ground. This information caused me to examine the ground and note discoveries. Before I came on the ground there had been a track graded and laid. This track separated a short distance east of the mound, one track on the south, the other on the north. The men who graded the track had taken the loam off where the track ran, and cast it out from the mound. We removed the gravel from both sides, moving the track up to the bank, when it became difficult to load. The loading was done by men with shovels into gravel cars, and hauled out with an engine. The average amount removed was about two hundred and twenty cubic yards per day. About six weeks in the winter we had to suspend operations on account of freezing. The mound covered an area of one and a half acres, being covered with an orchard of apple trees then in bearing. Several large stumps and a few trees of the original fruit still remained on the mound. I was informed by citizens of the vicinity that there had been a remarkably heavy growth of timber on the mound. The stumps remaining were large. The mound was what I would call double; the larger and higher part to the east. About two-thirds of the mound was embraced in this part. The eastern part presented the appearance of a smaller hill having been pressed against the other, leaving a depression between them of three or four feet below the highest point of the smaller, and five or six feet below a corresponding point of the larger. Both parts had the appearance of having had surface work done to give them a beautiful oval shape. The loam I found deepest on the highest points, where it was generally of less depth. The interior was composed of a clean limestone gravel and sand, evidently formed by decomposition of the strata, and very plainly marked. In the eastern or smaller part of the mound was an excavation that had been made by citizens of the vicinity for sand for building purposes, in which excavation I learned a number of skeletons had been exhumed having beads and trinkets on, which were reported as being similar to those I afterwards found. I was unable to obtain any of them. A little south of the highest point of the eastern mound was an excavation made by the railroad company for the purpose of ascertaining the amount of gravel. No remains were found in it. Shortly after commencing to load gravel, indications of graves were visible in three places, on both sides of the eastern part, and nearly north of the centre of the larger or western part. At the last-named place two skeletons, side by side, were found in a horizontal position, the feet pointing east, which had been deposited there without their heads, (!) there being no evidence of skulls. With them I found a stone axe or celt of granite, two flint arrow-points, and an implement made of blue stone resembling slate, but much harder, the length of which I found to be 2¾ inches; also a large fresh-water clam filled with red paint in good preservation. The flint implements had the appearance of never having been used, being very sharp pointed.

The bones crumbled on exposure to the atmosphere. These graves were about four feet deep.

"The first skeletons taken out of the eastern part of the mound were in better preservation, especially those on the south side. Several skulls were sound, and the other bones of some were so well preserved that, by applying sole leather for ribs, they were wired together. With the first skeleton taken out of this part of the mound I found a thin piece of ivory with two small holes, evidently an ear ornament. Next was the skeleton of a little girl, who may have been eight or ten years old. The skull was in good preservation, and remains in my cabinet. She had a string of beads so made as to be larger in the centre of the neck in front, tapering almost to a point at the back of the neck; she also had a plate of copper on her neck. The lower maxillary and upper joints of the vertebra are yet green from its oxidation. The plate had two rows of dents a part of the way around. The dents look like an impression made on a board with the heel of a boot with tacks. The two last skeletons had been buried in a sitting posture. On the north side, nearly opposite the last-named skeletons, was a grave about four feet deep, in which the remains had been deposited and apparently burned. There were ashes and charcoal, with pieces of charred bones, one or two heads being entire.

"In the progress of the removal I found the eastern or small part of the mound to be literally filled with graves. The modes of burial had been various, the depth of remains varying from two to nine feet, while there was a difference of posture in nearly every skeleton. I found that not less than ten or twelve dogs had also been buried; the human and canine side by side.

"One group of nine graves I was so impressed with, I will endeavor to be particularly explicit. The first had two skeletons, that of a male and female, side by side, there not being more than four inches of sand between them. Both had evidently been buried in one grave. The female was buried on her knees, both hands spread over her face, which was downwards, and a string of conch shell beads around her neck. I found inside her ribs the remains of a fœtus. Her partner was buried horizontal, with face down; both hands had been placed with their palms on the face, their heads towards the east After tracing the bones with particular reference to their positions and to save those skeletons which were best preserved, I took down the disturbed strata with my hands; and at the head of the grave I found above the remains, and pointing down, the bones of the index finger, while at the foot of the grave, and at a corresponding height, the bones of a great toe, pointing in a similar manner. The balance of the group were buried some with face down, both hands over the face, others with one hand; some with face up, and both hands over the face; while another had one hand over the breast, the other over the face. All this group had their heads to the east. On one of this group I found a string of copper beads, of which the metal had never been smelted, but evidently had been flaked from the native metal, and rolled around a twisted string, evidence of which was still visible in the beads, which were rude. On the north side of the eastern portion, under an oak tree stump (one hundred and fifty years old by growth), were the remains of the largest human bones I had ever seen. The joints of the vertebra seemed as large as those of a horse! I think they did not indicate a taller form than some others; but the bones were heavier than any in the mound. I have its inferior maxillary broken, but glued together in my cabinet. The other bones were so decomposed that they were useless. I could not say as to the posture, as the stump brought down the grave, rendering it out of the question to note the position. Near the last-named skeleton, perhaps ten feet from it, we came across a grave that had been dug oblong almost six feet deep, three feet wide, and over seven feet long, which they had filled with human bones promiscuously, without regard to order, to the depth of four feet; on these, in regular order, were placed twenty-seven skulls, with the top of the skulls up. They were about two feet below the surface; the bones so much broken, and I regret to say I did not examine them so particularly as I should have done. One of the skulls had a small hole in it, and I learned afterwards that a piece of the femur was found, when they were dumped on the road, having a flint dart fast in the bone.

"There was an implement or ornament found having one part like the head of a bird's neck, and shoulders like a horse, cut back of the shoulders, and turned up like the back part of a saddle seat; the lower part being flat, with a hole drilled diagonally from the lower part of the neck to the base, with a corresponding hole in the back part. This implement was manufactured of a blue stone resembling slate, but extremely hard. It is probable they had had a battle, and after the flesh had decomposed they collected the bones and brought them to the mound for burial. I am sure from the positions of the bones, they had not been interred with the flesh on. I found in this part of the mound the remains of at least fifty children, under the age of eight years, some with two, others with four incisors; some with eight, and others with no teeth. On the neck of one infant having two incisors, there was a string of conch shell beads of the largest size, one hundred and forty in number; four of these beads were black, and were about three-fourths of an inch in diameter. The string would weigh one pound or more. Some of the graves had trinkets and beads made of clam shell; some had bones of the deer, sharp-pointed, others had pieces of deer horns; some had long-shaped beads around the wrists, I think of ivory. One had a conch shell plate, round, about five inches in diameter, with a hole in the centre, half an inch in diameter, with two holes near the edge, for suspension, with a string from the neck, like a breast-plate. Some had birds buried with them. One skeleton taken out of this part of the mound had the appearance of a very aged man; the point of the inferior maxillary was almost in two parts, while the trachea was bone all around. Quite a number showed indications of extreme age, seven or eight that I observed had bone tracheas.

"I now return to the western or larger portion of the mound. This part was removed as fast as the former. I soon discovered there were two rows of graves leading direct from the two first mentioned, containing the flint implements, paint, etc., towards the centre, each pair having been dug deeper as they approached the centre of the mound. Those with the stone axe, paint, and flint implements were four feet deep, the depth of each pair increasing about a foot in regular gradation till the last pair, which was as near the centre and highest point of the mound as I could calculate, the pair being eighteen feet. The pair next to those with the axe, paint, and flint implements were in a sitting posture, as were all in these two files, except the first two. On the head of one of the second pair was a conch shell plate, resembling in shape the sole of a moccasin, nine inches in length and three and a half inches greatest breadth. This plate has three holes in it towards the wider end, and it was placed on the top of the head, with the larger end back. Two other skeletons of these two files had similar plates, differing only in size, the smaller being about half the size of the larger. Several implements of stone were found, all differing in shape. They were of stone resembling slate, but much harder. One of them is three inches long by one and a half broad, in form of a shield, with two holes through it flatwise.

"Farmers picked up some implements in a field adjoining the mound. One given me by Judge Baldwin, is a flat stone of slate, with a transverse hole, that I suppose belonged to the same race. As we approached the centre of the mound, the graves getting deeper, the bones were much better preserved. Several bodies in decomposition had formed a cement that would have preserved them an almost incalculable length of time. In fact, when first taken out of the cement they had the appearance of bones just dissected, being nearly one-third heavier than those without cement. The four last deepest skeletons all had beads on, some of them quite small, the smallest not as large as a pea. Some were made of clam shells, but mostly of conch or sea shells. Those of clam were so decomposed that they fell to pieces. Three of these skeletons had beads only around the neck, the fourth, being the last one taken out, and the file leader, of the two deepest, had, I should think, nearly thirty yards of beads (?), having four wraps around the neck crossed over the breast and back, passing down between his legs; strings down his legs to the feet; also strings along his arms and around his wrists. This remains presented the appearance of being decorated all over. He had no other ornaments or implements that I could find. Near the south side of the western part of the mound, near one of the forest trees, I found the remains of a human being that seemed to be detached from all the rest. I thought, perhaps, he was an Indian of some of the late tribes, who had been buried, probably, on some hunting expedition. There was a piece of deer horn with him that had the appearance of having been the handle of a butcher knife. I could not detect any evidence of rust, however. On the highest part of the mound, and about twelve or fifteen feet from the two deepest graves was evidence of fire. The loam had been burned till it had a brick color. I have seen it look very much so where a large log head had been burned, and would have thought such was the cause had it not been that it was below the surface about three feet. The whole number of skeletons exhumed by me was *three hundred and eight.* I could not ascertain how many had been taken out by diggers of sand.

"The citizens of the vicinity informed me that there was a very heavy forest on the mound at the time of clearing it. They also stated that the Indians who were there with the first settlers knew nothing of the race who interred their dead there. I have very little doubt they belonged to the age of stone. There was no evidence that they ever had any communication with the age of iron or bronze. They must have had some commercial arrangements for getting conch shells and copper. The copper has the appearance of the Lake Superior copper, and the conch shells must have come from the Atlantic, Pacific, or Gulf of Mexico. There was no evidence of pottery that I could discover. I have visited as many as twenty mounds in the Mississippi Valley, on nearly every one of which were broken pottery, literally covering the mounds. About three-fourths of a mile from where I now reside, on a farm owned by a Mr. Stump, is a very beautiful little mound about thirty feet across and six feet high. Some years ago Dr. Craig, of Ontario, Richland County, made an examination in which he discovered charcoal, ashes, and a flint knife five inches long. It is my impression that no signs of human bones were discovered by him. There has been a large number of stone axes, or celts of all sizes, between two and seven inches in length found on the surface, some of them finely made, mostly of granite. Various other implements have from time to time been picked up, and I have made a practice of preserving the flint implements on my farm and vicinity, until I have two hundred specimens of various shapes and sizes."

Mr. Matson is entitled to the thanks of all Ohio archæologists for the thorough manner in which he examined and described the contents of the mound above mentioned. We are of the opinion that its construction was comparatively modern. The Little Turtle, at the treaty of Greenville in 1795, said: "The English and French were first seen by our forefathers at Detroit, and afterward at the Miami village (now Ft. Wayne), that glorious gate, which your younger brothers had the happiness to own, and through which all the words of our chiefs have to pass, from north to south and from east to west."*

The precise period of the arrival of the Miami nation at Detroit, and the occupation of most of Indiana and western Ohio, is not known. The Miamis, like all the northwestern tribes, evidently reached their country by travelling down the lake shores from the far northwest, and were among the earliest of the Indian tribes to claim the forests of Michigan and Indiana. They were followed by the Hurons or Wyandots, who were expelled from their homes on the shore of Lake Huron as early as 1655. They, too, must have been of the great migration that formerly came down the lakes from Green Bay. Soon after the expulsion of the Hurons, the Iroquois warred upon the Miamis and their allies, the Illinois, and claimed, untruthfully, that they had conquered all the Ohio country from them. Several very severe battles were fought between the Iroquois warriors and the Miamis, on the western margin of Ohio. The Iroquois were compelled to abandon the attempt to conquer the western nations. These contests took place nearly three hundred years ago, when the warlike weapons of the tribes were very rude and primitive in their character. Having migrated down the lake shores, they must have had commercial intercourse with the lake nations, and have adopted their system of wearing copper, shell, and stone beads. It is not unlikely that the plates of conch shells were brought from the shores of the Pacific Ocean. The collection and burial of the bones of deceased Indians, by members of their tribe, was very common. The Delawares and Hurons or Wyandots often went great distances to disinter, remove, and reinter them in new locations, where a funeral feast was held, and the bones placed in a pit. We have examined such, neatly placed between flat stones surrounded by a wall of boulders, making a sort of stone coffin. Two hundred and fifty years would be a sufficient length of time to account for all the changes found in and about Mr. Watson's mound; and the Miamis were most likely the people who occupied it as a burial ground.

In constructing the pike from Kenton to the village of Roundhead, near the banks of the Scioto, large numbers of human bones were exhumed. At some places so numerous and well preserved were the bones, that an old citizen remarked, "That after the gravel had been dumped on the road, it was regarded as shameful that they should be left to be crushed and ground to pieces by the passing wagons, and had them raked into piles, and carefully reburied." The gravel pits are very numerous all along the region of the Scioto and Blanchard Rivers, and appear to have been utilized by the prehistoric races for burial sites.

CAPTIVITIES.

The first incident relating to this region occurred as early as 1778, and related to the captivity of the celebrated Indian scout and border warrior Simon Kenton. It is stated by Colonel John McDonald, in his work on the border wars between Kentucky and the Ohio Indians, that, in September, 1778, Simon Kenton, Alexander Montgomery, and George Clark, set off from Boon's Station, Kentucky, for the avowed purpose of obtaining horses, by capture, from the Ohio Indians. They crossed the river, and proceeded cautiously to Chillicothe, now in Ross County. They arrived safely, and in the night fell in with a drove of horses feeding on the rich prairie, not a great way from the Indian town. They brought along halters and salt, and easily captured seven head, and dashed off for the Ohio River, which they struck near the mouth of Eagle Creek in what is now Brown County. The waves ran so high that the horses could not be induced to take water. Here they remained one day, till the wind subsided. They again returned, but their horses had been so alarmed at the waves the previous day, they could not be induced to enter the river. In the mean time, the Indians, missing their horses, took the trail in pursuit of the fugitive captors. They finally selected three

* Tradition says the Miami Confederacy claimed dominion over all the territory bounded east by the Scioto River, west by the Fox River, and south by the Ohio River, and north by the lakes. This would embrace part of the Ohio, all of Indiana, part of Illinois, and the southern part of Michigan. The Little Turtle at the treaty with Wayne at Greenville in 1795, said: "His father first kindled the fire at Detroit, and stretched his line from there to the head waters of Scioto; thence down to the Ohio; thence down that river to the mouth of the Wabash, and thence to Chicago, on the southwest end of Lake Michigan, and his forefathers had enjoyed that undisturbed from time immemorial. The prints of his ancestors' houses were everywhere to be seen in that region." The date of their arrival at the present site of Detroit is not known; but at the treaty of 1795, the Miamis were a numerous people, and gave name to a great confederacy. They lived in fixed villages and were of a higher civilization than the nomadic tribes further west and east.

of the best of the horses, and made for the Falls of the Ohio, now Louisville, and turned the rest loose; just then they heard the shrill whoop of the approaching Shawnees. Kenton was captured, Montgomery fled on foot and was shot and scalped, Clark fled and swam the Ohio, and arrived at Logan's Station safely. The Indians recaptured all their horses, and returned with them and their prisoner to Chillicothe, where he was compelled to run the gauntlet, and was severely punished, after which he was conducted to the council house and condemned to be burnt as "one hoss tief." This sentence was greeted by the savages with loud shouts of applause. The next question to be settled was the time and place of execution. Many of the chiefs and warriors were vehement for instant execution, while many others appeared to wish to make his death a solemn national sacrifice. After a long debate, it was resolved that the place of execution should be Wapatomika, near what is now Zanesfield, Logan County. The next morning they started for Wapatomika, and on the route passed through the Indian towns of Pickawag and Machachcck. While at the latter town, he was carefully guarded, and made an attempt to escape. He outran all foot pursuers, but accidentally met some Indians on horseback. They gave pursuit, overtook him, and drove him back to town. There was a general rejoicing at his recapture. He was instantly pinioned, and handed over to the tender mercies of the young Indians, who dragged him into the creek, tumbled him into the water, and rolled him in the mud, till he was nearly suffocated with mud and water! Shortly after this his tormentors moved on to Wapatomika. Here the Indians, young and old, male and female, crowded around him. Among those present was the celebrated Simon Girty, who was his bosom companion in the campaign of Lord Dunmore, in 1774. As it was the custom of the Indians to black all prisoners condemned to die, Girty did not recognize Kenton in his black disguise. Girty came forward, and asked Kenton where he lived. He answered in Kentucky. Girty then desired to know the number and rank of military officers in Kentucky. Kenton named a large number. At length Girty asked the prisoner's name. He answered Simon Butler. Girty looked at him a moment, and recognized his youthful companion in Dunmore's war. He was so deeply affected by the unfortunate condition of Kenton, that he threw his arms around him, embraced and wept aloud over him—calling him his dear and esteemed friend. "Well," said he to Kenton, "you are condemned to die, but I will do all I can to save your life." Girty immediately convened a council, and made a long and powerful speech to the Indians to save the life of the prisoner. As he proceeded, he became animated and eloquent, and Kenton could plainly discover the grim visages of the Shawnee warriors relent. At the conclusion of his speech, the Indians rose with one simultaneous grunt of approbation, and the sentence was reversed, and Kenton placed under the care and protection of his old companion Girty. The British, at that time, had a trading post at Wapatomika, and Girty took Kenton with him to the store, and dressed him from head to foot as well as he could wish; he was also provided with a horse and saddle. He was now free, and roamed about through the forests, from Indian town to town, in company with Girty, who had so nobly defended him and begged his life.

A short time after his release a war party of Shawnees was defeated near Wheeling, Virginia, and returned sullen and full of revenge, and determined to kill any white man who might come within their power. Kenton furnished them the desired opportunity. He and Girty were at Solomon's Town, a short distance from Wapatomika. A runner was sent for Girty to return and bring Kenton. The runner met them on the way, and shook hands with Girty, but refused the hand of Kenton. Girty said to Kenton, they have sent for us to attend a grand council at Wapatomika. They hastened to the town, and found the council-house crowded. When Girty entered the house the Indians rose up and shook hands with him; when Kenton entered the Indians refused his hand with a scowl of contempt. This alarmed him, and their refusing his hand betokened some impending evil. The members of the council were all seated as usual, when the defeated war chief rose up and made a most vehement speech, often looking with revengeful eyes in the direction of Kenton. As soon as he ceased speaking, Girty next arose and addressed the council. "He stated that he had lived many years with the Indians, that he had often risked his life for them, that they all knew he had never spared the life of one of the hated Americans, and had never asked for a division of the spoils, that he alone sought for the destruction of their enemies, and now requested them to spare the life of this young man, on his account. This young man, he said, was his early friend, for whom he felt the tenderness of a father for a son; and he hoped, after the many evidences he had given of his attachment to the Indian cause, they would not hesitate to grant his request. If they would indulge him in granting this request to spare the life of this young man, he would pledge himself never to ask them again to spare the life of a hated American."

This is the report of Col. John McDonald, in his sketches, and may be a fair statement, though open to some doubt. The effect of the speech upon the council was unfavorable, for it was decided by a large majority that he should suffer death. After the decision, Girty went to Kenton, embraced him tenderly, and said he very sincerely sympathized with him in his unfortunate situation, but that he had used all his efforts to save his life, but it was now decreed that he must die—that he could do no more for him. This was in the midst of the American Revolution, in 1778. The British at this time had an agency at Upper Sandusky (old town), where their western Indian allies were paid their annuities, and as time might effect more than a speech, Girty, as a last resort, persuaded the Indians to convey their prisoner to Sandusky, as there they would meet vast numbers of Indians to receive their presents, that the assembled tribes could there witness the solemn scene of the death of the prisoner. The council accepted the proposition, and Kenton was placed under the care of five Indians, who forthwith set off for Upper Sandusky. On the trail leading from Wapatomika to Upper Sandusky they had to pass through a small village on the banks of the Scioto River, where resided the celebrated Mingo chief, Logan, and his band. The exact point where this village was located is believed to have been not a great ways from what is now known as "Grassy Point" in Hardin County, on the great trail leading to Upper Sandusky. The party who had the prisoner in charge staid at the wigwam of Logan all night. During the evening Logan, who could speak English, entered into conversation with Kenton, sympathizing with his unfortunate condition, though making him no special promises of aid in the matter. The next morning he told Kenton he would detain the party that day, that he had sent two of his young men off the night before to Upper Sandusky to speak a good word for him.

In the course of the following evening his young men returned, and early the next morning the guard set off with Kenton for Upper Sandusky. When the guard started, Logan shook hands with Kenton, but gave no intimation of what he might expect on his arrival. They followed the trail which was not a great ways from where Marseilles, Wyandot County, is now located, and from thence northeast across the plains to Upper Sandusky (old town). Before their arrival they met the Wyandots, young and old, who had come out to see the prisoner and welcome the warriors, where in a grove of timber Kenton was compelled to run the gauntlet. Forty-nine years after this occurrence, while on a visit to the Wyandot reservation, Kenton pointed out to a friend the identical grove where this race took place. His friend, expressing astonishment to test the strength of his recollection, they passed into the grove and found the very race-path still existing in which he had ran. It was near a road leading from Upper Sandusky to Bellefontaine.

The late James Galloway, of Xenia, who accompanied him, expressed surprise that Kenton should have remembered it so long. Kenton replied, "Ah, I had a good many reasons laid on my back to recollect it." A grand council was immediately called to determine the fate of Kenton. This was the fourth time a council had been convened to dispose of his life. The humane and great chief Logan had intervened in his behalf, in a quiet manner, and enlisted a French trader by the name of Peter Druyer, who was a captain in the British service, and who also acted as principal interpreter in settling Indian affairs. He was very influential among the Indians, and to him Logan had sent his young men to intercede for the life of Kenton. As soon as the council was organized, Capt. Druyer requested permission to address the council. It was granted. "He stated it was well known that it was the wish and interest of the English that not an American should be left alive, that the Americans were the cause of the present bloody and distressing war, that neither peace nor safety could be expected so long as these intruders were permitted to live upon the earth." The Indians grunted assent to these statements.

He continued: "That the war to be carried on successfully, required cunning as well as bravery; that the intelligence which might be extorted from a prisoner would be of more advantage in conducting the future operations of the war than would be the life of twenty prisoners. That he had no doubt but the commanding officer at Detroit could procure information from the prisoner now before them that would be of incalculable advantage to them in the progress of the present war. Under these circumstances, he hoped they would defer the death of the prisoner till he was taken to Detroit and examined by the commanding general, after which he could be brought back, and if thought advisable, upon further consideration, he might be put to death in the manner they thought proper."

Whatever may, in the future, be the estimate placed upon the character of Simon Girty, we hesitate not in commending the treatment he bestowed upon Simon Kenton, as well as to admire his sagacity and shrewdness in sending him to Upper Sandusky, where he could have a fair hearing by the Wyandots. The great heart of Logan, the friend of the white man, was also moved over the sad condition of Kenton, and like a true friend and hero he too thought of Peter Druyer, the shrewd Frenchman and wily diplomat. Capt. Druyer further states: "As they had had already a great deal of trouble and fatigue with the prisoner without being revenged upon him; though they had got back all the horses the prisoner had stolen from them, and killed one of his comrades, to insure something for their fatigue and trouble he himself would give $100 in rum and tobacco, or any other articles they would choose, if they would let him take the prisoner to Detroit to be examined by the British general." The Indians without hesitation agreed to Capt. Druyer's proposition, and he paid down the ransom. As soon as arrangements were concluded, Capt. Druyer and a principal chief set off with the prisoner for Lower Sandusky.

From this place, they proceeded by water to Detroit, where they arrived in a few days. Here the prisoner was handed over to the commanding officer, and lodged in the fort as a prisoner of war. He was now out of danger from the Indians, and was treated with the usual attention of prisoners of war, in civilized communities. The British commander gave the Indians some additional remuneration for the life of the prisoner, and they returned satisfied to join their countrymen at Wapatomika. Kenton remained at Detroit until the June following, when he, with other prisoners, escaped, and after enduring great privations, rejoined his friends in Kentucky. About the year 1802 he settled in Urbanna, Ohio, where he remained some years, and was elected brigadier-general of militia. He served in the war of 1812, under General Harrison, and was in several battles. About the year 1820, he moved to the head of Mad River. In 1836, he died in Logan County, near where he ran the gauntlet in 1778. He was a brave man, a sincere Christian, and an upright citizen, and died much lamented.

ESCAPE OF DR. JOHN KNIGHT.

The next incident that serves to illustrate the territorial history of Hardin County, is the captivity and escape of Dr. John Knight, of the Crawford expedition of 1782. The history and object of the disastrous expedition of Colonel William Crawford, have been recently so fully given the public by C. M. Butterfield, of Bucyrus, Ohio, in his very able and interesting work on "Crawford's Campaign against Sandusky in 1782," that we deem it unnecessary to discuss the history of that expedition farther that the capture of Dr. John Knight, and his wonderful escape and return to Pittsburg. It will be remembered that the night of the final flight of Crawford's army, the colonel and Dr. Knight became separated from the army and travelled in a northerly direction to avoid the Indians, and then turning east, crossed the Sandusky River, and continued their flight, overtaking a part of the fleeing soldiers with whom he and Dr. Knight travelled until near what is now Leesville, Crawford County, where they fell into an Indian ambuscade, and were compelled to surrender. They were finally conducted to Upper Sandusky, Oldtown, where they were detained a short time, painted a black color, and then conducted across the plains to the Big Tymochtee, where Crawford was burned at the stake. The particulars of that frightful tragedy are fully detailed by Dr. Knight in his narrative, long since given to the public. After the execution, Knight was conducted to the Delaware town, bound and detained until the next morning, when he was given in charge of an Indian whose name was Tutelu, a rough-looking fellow, and again painted black. They started for the Shawnee towns, which the Indian said were somewhat less than forty miles away. Tutelu was on horseback, and drove Knight before him. The latter pretended he was ignorant of the death he was to die—though Simon Girty had told him he was to die—affected as cheerful a countenance as possible, and asked the savage if they were not to live together as brothers in one house when they should get to the town. Tutelu seemed well pleased, and said "yes." He then asked Knight if he could make a wigwam. Knight told him he could. He then seemed more friendly. The route taken by Tutelu and Knight was the Indian trace leading from the Delawaretown to Wapatomika, and ran some six or eight miles west of what is now Upper Sandusky. Its direction was southwest from Pipetown on the Big Tymochtee. They travelled, as near as Knight could judge, the first day about twenty-five miles. The doctor was then informed by Tutelu that they would reach Wapatomika the next day a little before noon. Tutelu again tied Dr. Kight, and both laid down to rest. Knight often attempted to untie himself during the night, but the Indian was very watchful and scarcely closed his eyes, so that he did not succeed in loosening the tugs with which he was bound. At daybreak Tutelu got up and untied the doctor. They had built a fire near which they slept. Tutelu, as soon as he had untied the doctor, began to mend up the fire, and as the gnats were troublesome, the doctor asked him if he should make a smoke behind him. He said "yes." The doctor took the end of a dogwood fork which had been burnt down to about eighteen inches in length. It was the longest stick he could find, yet too small for the purpose he had in view. He then took up another small stick, and taking a coal of fire between them, went behind the Indian, when turning suddenly about, he struck the Indian on the head with all his force. This so stunned him that he fell forward with both his hands in the fire. He soon recovered and springing to his feet ran off howling into the forest. Knight seized his gun, and with much trepidation, followed trying to shoot the Indian, but using too much violence in pulling back the cock of the gun, broke the mainspring. The Indian continued his flight, the doctor vainly endeavoring to fire his gun. He finally returned to the fire from the pursuit of Tutelu, and made preparations for his homeward flight through the wilderness. He took the blanket of the Delaware, a pair of new moccasins, his "hoppes," powder horn, bullet bag, together with the Indian's gun, and started on his journey in a direction a little north of east.

At about half an hour before sunset he came to the Plains, when he laid down in a thicket until dark. He had travelled some direction into what is now Marion County. He continued in this direction until he passed over what is now Rich-

land, Ashland, and the south part of Wayne, and Tuscarawas Counties, and so on, being a little north of east until he struck the mouth of Beaver on the evening of the twentieth day after his escape.

There are one or two incoherences in the story of the escape. It is curious that Dr. Knight failed to avail himself of the Indian's horse to aid his flight, for the animal was evidently abandoned by Tutelu. The want of skill in handling the Indian's gun may have arisen from the inexperience of Knight as a hunter and marksman, and the great excitement of the moment. The old Shawnee and Delaware trail in Hardin County, along which Tutelu and Dr. Knight travelled, is so clearly defined that it is not difficult to fix the precise locality where the doctor made his escape. The place where Dr. Knight belabored Tutelu with his dogwood club was near the north bank of the Scioto River, in Dudley township, in what is now Hardin County. The old Shawnee crossing was at a ford or shallow near where Judge Wheeler now (1878) resides, a little north of the centre of the township.

THE SHAWNEES.

The next noticeable event in the history of this territory is the settlement of the Shawnees on Hog River in 1786. This stream is sometimes called the "Ottowa River." It received the former name from this circumstance: Alexander McKee, a British agent, resided at the Mac-a-chac towns on Max River, and during the invasion of that region by General Logan, of Kentucky, in 1786, was obliged to flee with his effects. He had his swine driven to the borders of this stream in what is now Auglaize County, and the Indians afterwards finding them eating most on the banks of this river, named it "Koxhko," hog, and "Sepe," river, which, in their language, signified the hog stream or river. About this time the settlement of Wapakonetta was commenced by the Shawnees, and the forests of Auglaize, Allen, Hardin, and Logan Counties became their favorite hunting grounds, and continued so until after the invasions of Harmar, St. Clair, and Wayne.

At the treaty of Greenville, in 1795, the various tribes engaged in repelling invasion by General Wayne, entered into a treaty, and ceded to the United States a vast territory, covering most of the present States of Ohio, Michigan, Illinois, and Indiana. The line known as "the Greenville treaty line," passed some distance south of Hardin County, leaving all that region still in the possession of the Shawnees and Wyandots.

When the earliest settlers entered Hardin County, it was densely covered by timber, while vast numbers of deer and other game roamed through the forests. From the undulating surface of the country, the red hunters of the Wyandots, Ottawas, and Shawnees made it a favorite resort during the hunting season. The McKees, and other fur traders, had many stations for the purchase of peltry, and gave names to several of the smaller streams throughout the county. In those days, great number of wolves thronged the forests, making night hideous by their discordant serenades.

THE WAR OF 1812.

After the recognition of American independence, in 1783, by Great Britain, she refused to execute the treaty in good faith, by refusing to surrender and evacuate the western posts, which she forcibly retained in violation of an express agreement from 1785 to 1796; in the mean time using every effort to corrupt and inflame the Indians, and bring on a bloody and relentless war with the savages. These intrigues had such an effect upon the red men of the Northwest, backed by the governor-general of Canada, Lord Dorchester, that Indian hostilities immediately began, and to protect the American people against these savage hordes, instigated and led by English officers, the campaigns of Harmar, St. Clair, and Wayne passed through western Ohio and Indiana from 1790 to 1794. The impressment of naturalized American citizens into the English service, and a renewal, through the McKees, the Elliotts, and the Girtys, of an attempt to corrupt and again inflame the Indian tribes within the boundaries to acts of hostility and war, led the United States to declare war against Great Britain on the 18th of June, 1812. The governor of Ohio was asked for his proportion of soldiers to defend our borders, Governor Meigs responded with alacrity, and by the 11th of June, 1812, Col. Duncan McArthur, with a regiment of soldiers, was detached from Urbanna to open a road in advance of General Hull as far as the Scioto River. Having passed Mannery's blockhouse and Solomon's Town (in what is now Logan County), a small Shawnee Indian village near the boundary line, the detachment commenced its labors through an extensive region of excellent level land. Having gained the river, they commenced building two blockhouses on the south side of the Scioto, each twenty by twenty-four feet, connected by a strong stockade covering an area of near half an acre. This post was called Fort McArthur, and is up the Scioto nearly three miles southwest of the present city of Kenton. The site is exceedingly dreary, and must have been fatal to a great many soldiers in consequence of the great "Scioto Marsh," a short distance northwest of it. Not a vestige of the fort remains at this time (1878); but it is stated that remnants of the corduroy road, made by Gen. McArthur, can yet be traced through the boggy forest.

On the evening of the 19th of June, 1812, General Hull arrived with the residue of his army, and encamped on the north side of the river, and on the 21st Colonel Finley's regiment was detached for the purpose of cutting the road to Blanchard's fork of the Auglaize. On the next morning moved forward, with the exception of part of Capt. Dill's company, which was left at Fort McArthur, for the double purpose of protecting the sick (?) and defending the fort in case of attack. The following was the formation of the army as announced in a general order: The 4th U. S. regiment on the right, Col. McArthur on the left; Col. Finley on the left of the 4th, and Col. Cass on the right of Col. McArthur; the cavalry on the right of the whole. In marching, the riflemen of the respective regiments formed the flank guards, and on the days the army marched they were excluded from other duty. From Fort McArthur to the rapids of the Miami is one hundred and fifty miles; the route of the army was through a thick and almost trackless forest; through a country where numerous creeks and rivers have their origin. The soil of the land was rich and moist. As there were a great many baggage wagons attached to the army, it became necessary to open a road the whole distance. The weather was rainy, and men and horses had to travel middle-deep in mud; frequently the van had to halt for the rear, which was as often detained in its march in relieving wagons and horses from the mire. Twelve miles from the Scioto the army encamped on a swampy piece of ground, where the mud was ankle deep in the tents. Here a blockhouse was erected, and appropriately named "Fort Necessity." At this place, the general received dispatches from Mr. Atwater, the acting governor of the territory of Michigan. Here, in consequence of the muddy condition of the roads, the general detailed every man capable of making a pack saddle, and ordered the baggage conveyed on horses, instead of on wagons; and afterwards rescinded his own order, showing him unfit to command. The blockhouse here named must have been near the present town of Dunkirk, in Blanchard township, the road north running through Cessna and Blanchard townships; and south of Fort McArthur, through Lynn and Taylor Creek. For many years the old McArthur road was the principal highway to Detroit for the conveyance of droves of cattle, and for emigrants to the Northwest. The army marched from Fort McArthur to Fort Findley, which stands on a handsome eminence on the west side of the Blanchard Fork.

In September, 1813, Governor Shelby, of Kentucky, passed up the McArthur trail from Urbanna at the head of four thousand mounted volunteers, and continued along the army road until he reached what is now the south part of Hardin County, when he diverged to the right, and crossed the Scioto at the old Shawnee Ford, near the Judge Wheeler farm, and continued through the forest in what is now Dudley and Goshen townships, into what is now Marseilles township in Wyandot County to Upper Sandusky, and thence to the mouth of the Portage River where it empties into the Sandusky Bay, where his horses were provided with a luxuriant natural pasture of nearly two hundred thousand acres. Here his horses were left during the absence of the army in Canada.

INDIAN TERRITORY.

At the treaty of Greenville, in 1795, the southern boundary of the Indian territory was fixed, leaving the largest part of northern Ohio in the possession of the northwestern tribes, the Wyandots, Shawnees, Senecas, Ottawas, etc. At a treaty at the Maumee Rapids, in 1817, held by Lewis Cass and Duncan McArthur, commissioners on the part of the United States, there was granted each of the Ohio tribes certain reservations, which have since been purchased by the United States, and the various tribes have removed west of the Mississippi. In 1820, this territory was divided into counties, by an act passed by the Ohio Legislature. It provided: That all that part of the lands lately ceded by the Indians to the United States, shall be, and the same is hereby erected into fourteen separate and distinct counties, to be bounded and named as follows, viz.: First to include townships one, two, and three south, in the first, second, third, and fourth ranges, and to be known by the name of *Van Wert;* second, to include all of said ranges south of said townships, to the northern boundaries of the counties heretofore organized, and to be known by the name of *Mercer;* third, to include townships one and two south, and one and two north, in the fifth, sixth, seventh, and eighth ranges, and to be known by the name of *Putnam;* fourth, to include all of the last-named ranges, south of the said second townships, to the northern boundaries of the organized counties, and to be known by the name of *Allen;* fifth, to include townships one and two north, in the ninth, tenth, eleventh, and twelfth ranges, and to be known by the name of *Hancock;* sixth, to include all the last-mentioned ranges, south of said second township, and running south with the range lines to the northern boundaries of the organized counties, and to be known by the name of *Hardin.*

The remaining counties named in the act were Crawford, Marion, Seneca, Sandusky, Wood, Henry, Paulding, and Williams. Section 2d provided that the county of Hardin "shall be attached to the county of Logan."

TOPOGRAPHY AND GEOLOGY.

SITUATION AND AREA.

Hardin County, like Marion, is situated on the watershed between Lake Erie and the Ohio River. It lies directly west from Marion, bounded south by Union and Logan, west by Auglaize and Allen, and north by Hancock. It has an area of a little more than twelve towns.

NATURAL DRAINAGE.

In this county are some of the sources both of the Sandusky and the Maumee, which flow northward to Lake Erie, and of the Scioto and Great Miami, which empty into the Ohio. The Scioto, the chief river of the county, first flows north, entering the Scioto Marsh, where its channel is said to become lost in lateral expansion as in a lake. It leaves this marsh in an easterly direction, and, receiving tributaries only from the south, it may be said to drain only the southern half of the county. In a similar manner streams flow northward into Hog Creek Marsh, in the northern part of the county, and are thence turned westerly along the channel of Hog Creek, which drains that marsh, and finally reach the Maumee River. The Blanchard, which rises within a mile of the Scioto at Kenton, also has a general northerly course. In the township of Goshen there are several small streams, which find their way into the Tymochtee Creek, in a northeasterly direction. The North Branch of the Great Miami drains southward a small, narrow valley in the southwestern corner of the county. With this exception the general slope of the whole county is toward the north. Two natural divides, or ridges, cross the county. The most southerly is that which prevents the northward drainage of the Scioto Marsh, deflecting the Scioto River easterly across the county, instead of permitting it to follow the natural slope. Were it not for this ridge it would probably contribute its waters to the valley of the Blanchard, or through the Hog Creek Marsh into the Hog Creek Valley. The second divide in the same way prevents the northward drainage of the Hog Creek Marsh. Streams rise immediately on the northern slope of this ridge in Hancock County, and pursue their course uninterruptedly to the Blanchard, in a due northern direction. The northern line of the county runs about on the summit of this ridge. It is a low, gentle swell in the surface, hardly observable in passing over the country. The more southerly divide may be more properly termed a ridge. These divides have been traced westward through Allen and Mercer Counties, and they are regarded as glacial moraines.

SURFACE FEATURES.

The surface features of Hardin County are dependent on the condition in which the original Drift was left by the glacier. The southern part of the county, especially in the townships of Buck, Roundhead, and Taylor Creek, is occupied with a rolling surface. The northern portions of McDonald and Lynn townships are flat, with a clay soil. The southeastern part of the county may be denominated flat, or gently undulating. Along the north side of the Scioto and the Scioto Marsh, crossing the entire county, there is a tract of more elevated land, sometimes broken by long undulations, and not infrequently rolling or hilly. This strip has a width of from one to three miles. North of it the surface becomes nearly or quite flat, with only isolated and unimportant exceptions. Three extensive marshes are embraced within Hardin County. Their aggregate area is about forty thousand acres. Some efforts have been made to render them cultivatable by artificial drainage, and with a good degree of success. Formerly water covered them the greater part of the year, but now in summertime a team can be driven across them in various directions with entire safety. It is evident that the valley of the Scioto is the proper, if not the only, channel through which to drain the Scioto Marsh. By lowering its outlet, and constructing a system of tributary ditches, the whole area could be given a dry and arable soil. Another low valley spreads northward in Cessna township, which might be utilized for the same purpose; yet its outlet is so near the outlet by way of the Scioto that not much would be gained. There are some indications that formerly a portion of the surplus water of the marsh found escape through this valley into Hog Creek Marsh. The Cranberry Marsh is drained westward into the Blanchard. The Hog Creek Marsh is drained northward into Eagle Creek, and westward by deepening Hog Creek channel, its natural outlet.

The frequent occurrence of such marshes on the broad watershed between the Ohio River and Lake Erie, or near the sources of the streams which flow in opposite directions from its summit, is a feature in the general physiography of northwestern Ohio which deserves special mention. There seems no doubt that they were once shallow lakes. The occurrence of shell-marl below the peaty surface, and of sandy deposits about their margins, indicates not only that there was a time when they were receiving the annual freshet washings of calcareous matter from the adjacent Drift surface, but were also agitated by the wind into little waves which broke upon a sandy beach. Other similar undrained places in the old Drift surface, situated further down the slopes of the great watershed, were sooner filled by the greater accumulation of allu-

vium, or were drained by the more rapid excavation of their outlets by the increased volumes of the streams. There is reason to believe that the extensive prairies of Marion and Wyandot Counties are analogous to the marshes of Hardin County, but were sooner brought into an arable state through the action of the Sandusky and the Tymochtee Creek.

GEOLOGICAL STRUCTURE.

The old Drift surface has been so little disturbed that the underlying rock is very rarely exposed. Hence the details of the geological structure are unknown. The boundaries of the formations are drawn in accordance with such outcrops as actually occur, but governed, in the absence of positive knowledge, by the indications of the surface features.

The Niagara limestone is known to underlie portions of Blanchard, Jackson, Pleasant, and Goshen townships, and is also believed to occur in Roundhead township, west of the Scioto River. Thus Hardin County not only occupies the watershed between Lake Erie and the Ohio River, but also holds the separating ground between that belt of Niagara area which stretches northward to Lake Erie, and that larger area of the same great formation which extends south to the Ohio River and west into Indiana. What influence this formation may have exerted in locating the divide between the two great valleys can only be conjectured. Considering, however, its thickness—stated by Prof. Orton to be two hundred and seventy-five feet—and its great persistency in withstanding the forces of degradation, it certainly could not have been small.

In Goshen township it is exposed in the bed of Pawpaw Creek, S. E. ¼ section 36, and on section 5, north, where it has been a little worked for quicklime.

In Jackson township it has been slightly opened near the Cranberry Marsh, N. E. ¼ section 30.

Near Patterson it is seen in the following section: No. 1. Dark drab, slightly porous, with spots of blue and purple; no fossils visible; beds three to four inches; exposed, 8 in. No. 2. Surface exposure of somewhat vesicular, even-bedded, and crystalline Niagara, of a buff color. The stone is used here for rough walls and for lime.

Section 11. In the Blanchard, and in a little ravine running east through the section; rapid dip N. E.

About half a mile west of Forest, almost within the limits of the corporation, the Niagara is exposed along a little ravine.

The Niagara is also said to appear in S. W. ¼ section 24, and S. W. ¼ section 14, in the same township.

The *Waterlime* underlies the greater portion of Hardin County. Wherever it appears it is in thin beds, which are sometimes blue, and at others drab, always separated by conspicuous bituminous films. It furnishes a building stone of ordinary quality by making selection of the thickest beds, and is considerably burned into quicklime.

Two and a half miles southeast of Kenton Mr. Erhardt Blum met the Waterlime in sinking a well at the depth of twelve feet. In the same vicinity a number of other wells terminated in the same way, without a supply of water.

About two miles southwest of Kenton the Waterlime is in outcrop near the railroad. It is a fine-grained, blue-drab stone, in beds of three to four inches, lying nearly horizontal. Two and a half miles east of Kenton, the Waterlime appears in the Scioto in beds of two to four inches. It has been somewhat used for lime. There are surface indications of the near approach of the Waterlime to the surface, two miles east of Kenton, along a stream known as Allen's Run.

In Buck township, five miles south of Kenton, the Waterlime appears in thin, slaty beds, and has been burned into lime.

At Dunkirk there are several quarries in the Waterlime. (Mr. Hugh Miller's is situated a quarter of a mile east of the village; Mr. Charles N. Hill's is a mile south. At the former it lies in blue-drab, slaty beds, which are torn up by picks and crowbars, and used for road-making; exposed eight feet; dip east and west. In the latter the stone is of the same quality, but is less exposed.) The quarry of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne, and Chicago Railroad Company, near the village, shows about six feet of the same or similar beds.

North of Ada the Waterlime, in thin beds, is exposed along Hog Creek, It was also encountered in ditching for the outlet of the marsh.

In Pleasant township the Waterlime may be seen in the Blanchard, at the "Camp Ground," and in its tributaries in sections 6 and 8; also in S. W. ¼ section 6.

In Blanchard township it is found in section 31.

Thin blue beds of the Waterlime are exposed on the S. E. ¼ section 12, in Jackson township. The Niagara probably occupies the base of this section as exposed, but could not be certainly ascertained.

The Lower Corniferous.—In the southern portion of the county, including portions of Taylor Creek and Hale townships, the area of the Corniferous limestone is so marked on the evidence of surface characters. These characters consist in a more rolling and gravelly surface, with occasional northern bowlders, and seem to extend northward from Logan County, where this formation has introduced, as in Sandusky and Seneca Counties, already noted, a marked change in the general topography.

The Drift.—The mass of the Drift in Hardin County is an unstratified glacial deposit. It is divided into the two usual colors: the *brown*, which forms the soil where it has not been covered with alluvial or paludine accumulations, and has a thickness of ten or twelve feet; and the *blue*, which has an unknown thickness, but in some cases is known to exceed fifty feet. South of the "dividing ridge," which divides the county into nearly equal parts, the Drift contains much more assorted gravel and sand than it does north of the same ridge. Knolls and ridges, known as "hog's-backs" and "devil's-backs," are met with in Taylor Creek and Buck townships. The township of Roundhead and the southern part of McDonald afford abundance of gravel, which may be taken from many of the numerous knolls with which the county is diversified. The immediate surface of these knolls, as well as of the whole county, consists of the brown hard-pan, the stratified parts rarely rising to the top of the deposit. Yet the stratified parts of the Drift are nearer the surface south of the Scioto than they are on the north of that river. Wells at Kenton, on the south side of the river, pass through sixteen to twenty-four feet of hard-pan clay, finding water in gravel and sand. At the same place, on the north side of the Scioto, they are dug from thirty-five to sixty feet, entirely in hard-pan, sometimes without finding a supply of water.

Near Fort McArther the remains of a mastodon have been obtained from the surface of the Drift. They were considerably scattered from the place of original deposit, and but part of the skeleton could be obtained.

MATERIAL RESOURCES.

Hardin County is poorly supplied with building stone, even for the rougher kinds of walls and foundations. Considerable stone, of the best quality, is brought from the Lower Corniferous quarries at Marblehead, near Sandusky, and from those at Bellefontaine. Considerable is also brought into the northern portion of the county from the blue Waterlime quarries at Lima. The Waterlime quarries at Belle Center, in Logan County, supply the Kenton market with quicklime, as well as furnishing stone for a great many foundations. In the northern part of Marion township bowlders have been gathered from the surface, and from channels worn in the Drift by streams, and used for foundations and walls. There are favorable opportunities for the development of the Niagara in the vicinity of Forest, and in the valley of the Blanchard, in Jackson township, which certainly cannot remain long unimproved. The Niagara limestone, owing to the thinness of the beds of the Waterlime, will prove the more valuable formation, both for building stone and for quicklime. It can also be more cheaply burned than the Waterlime. The latter, however, excels for flagging.

Clay, sand, and gravel from the Drift deposits, in the absence of convenient stone, have been more frequently resorted to for building material than in neighboring counties. Establishments for the manufacture of brick are common throughout the county. A number of farmers sometimes combine for the purchase of the machinery necessary to manufacture enough for themselves, and for sale, to make up for all outlays.

Near Roundhead village is a large deposit of bog ore, which is disturbed by the plow in the cultivation of the fields.

TREES AND SHRUBS.

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Amelanchier canadenses ..... Service berry.
Acer saccharinum ..... Sugar maple.
" nigrum ..... Black sugar maple.
" dasycarpium ..... Silver maple.
" rubrum ..... Red maple.
" spicatum ..... Mountain maple.
Æsculus glabra ..... Rough buckeye.
" flava ..... Smooth buckeye.
Asimina triloba ..... Am. papaw.
Berberis vulgaris ..... Berberry.
" atropurpureus ..... Purple berberry.
" canadensis ..... Red berberry.
Benzoin odoriferum ..... Spice bush.
Betula alba ..... White birch.
" populifolia ..... Poplar birch.
" " pendula ..... Weeping birch.
" papyracea ..... Canoe birch.
" lenta ..... Sweet birch.
Carpinus americana ..... Water beech.
Carya tomentosa ..... Black hickory.
" alba ..... Shell-bark hickory.
" " macrocarpa ..... Large-bark hickory.
" microcarpa ..... Small-fruited hickory.
" sulcata ..... Thick shell-bark hickory.
" amara ..... Bitter-nut hickory.
Celtus occidentalis ..... Hackberry.
Cersis canadensis ..... Red bud.
Cerasus virginica ..... Choke cherry.
" serotina ..... Wild black cherry.
Cephalanthus occidentalis ..... Button bush.
Cornus alternifolia ..... Green dogwood.
" florida ..... Large white dogwood.
" paniculata ..... White-berried dogwood.
" stolonifera ..... Red-twigged dogwood.
Corylus americana ..... Hazel-nut.
" rostrata ..... Beaked hazel-nut.
Cratægus coccinea ..... Scarlet thorn.
" pyrafolia ..... Pear-leaved thorn.
" crus-galli ..... Cockspur thorn.
Cratægus downingii ..... New bar thorn.
" tomentosa ..... Black thorn.
Diospyrus virginica ..... Persimmon.
Dirca palustris ..... Leather wood.
Euonymus atropurpureus ..... Waahoo.
" obovatus ..... Trailing waahoo.
Fagus ferruginea ..... Am. beech.
Fraxinus americana ..... White ash.
" quadrangulata ..... Blue ash.
" sambucifolia ..... Black ash.
" pubescens ..... Red ash.
Gleditschia triacanthos ..... Honey locust.
" inermis ..... Thornless honey locust.
" brachycarpos ..... Small-pod honey locust.
Gymnocladus canadensis ..... Coffee tree.
Hamamelis virginica ..... Witch hazel.
Hypericum prolificum ..... St. John's wort.
Juglans nigrum ..... Black Walnut.
Magnolia cacuminati ..... Cucumber tree.
" cinerea ..... Butternut.
Morus rubra ..... Red mulberry.
Negundo acceroides ..... Box elder.
Ostrya virginica ..... Iron wood.
Platanus occidentalis ..... Buttonwood.
Prinos verticillata ..... Winterberry.
Prunus americana ..... Wild plum.
" padus ..... Bird cherry.
Pyrus americana ..... Mountain ash.
" coronaria ..... Western crab-apple.
Ptelea trifoliata ..... Hop tree.
Philadelphus grandiflora ..... Syringa.
" inodrus ..... Mock-orange.
Populus tremuloides ..... Am. aspen.
" grandidentata ..... Large aspen.
" moniilifera ..... Cottonwood.
" angulata ..... Angled cottonwood.
Quercus alba ..... White oak.
" castanea ..... Chestnut oak.
" discolor ..... Swamp oak.
" palustris ..... Spanish pin oak.
" rubra ..... Am. red oak.
" hybrida ..... Hybrid oak.
" macrocarpa ..... Burr oak.
" " mucosa ..... Mossy burr oak.
" oliveformis ..... Olive burr oak.
" fisherii ..... New burr oak.
" hamptonii ..... New burr oak.
" McClareni ..... New olive oak.
Rosa setigera ..... Prairie rose.
" carolina ..... Swamp rose.
" lucida ..... Dwarf wild rose.
" blanda ..... Early wild rose.
Ribes cynosbata ..... Wild gooseberry.
" rotundifolium ..... Smooth gooseberry.
" floridum ..... Wild currant.
Rhamnus lanceolata ..... Am. buckthorn.
" catharticus ..... Hedge buckthorn.
Rhus glabra ..... Am. sumach.
Salix humilis ..... Bush willow.
" nigra ..... Black willow.
" fragilis ..... Brittle willow.
Sambucus canadense ..... Com. elder.
" pubescens ..... Red elder.
Spiræa salicifolia ..... Meadow-sweet.
Staphyllea trifoliata ..... Bladder-nut.
Symphoricarpus racemosa ..... Snowberry.
" vulgaris ..... Indian currant.
Tilia americana ..... Am. Basswood.
Ulmus americana ..... White elm.
" fulva ..... Slippery elm.
" racemosa ..... Rock elm.
Viburnam lentigo ..... Black haw.
" prunifolium ..... Var. black haw.
" pubescens ..... Dwarf haw.
" acerifolium ..... Maple-leaved haw.
Zanthoxylon americana ..... Prickly ash.

CLIMBING SHRUBS.

Celastrus scandens ..... Bitter-sweet.
Clematis virginica ..... Virgin's bower.
Rosa setigera ..... Prairie rose.
Rhus toxicodendron ..... Poison ivy.
Ampelopsis quinquefolia ..... Am. ivy.
Smilax rotundifolia ..... Green brier.
" hispida ..... Prickly green brier.
Vitis riparia ..... Sweet-scented grape.
Menispermum canadense ..... Moon seed.
Tecoma radicans ..... Trumpet creeper.

NATIVE HERBACEOUS PLANTS.

Actea alba ..... White cohosh.
Actomeris squarrosa ..... Actomeris.
Anemone pennsylvanica ..... Anemone.
" virginiana ..... Tall anemone.
Aplectrum hyemale ..... Putty root.
Apocynum androsmæfolia ..... Dog bane.
Aquilegia canadensis ..... Colombine.
Aralia quinquefolia ..... Genseng.
" racemosa ..... Spikenard.
Arum triphyllum ..... Indian turnip.
" dracontium ..... Indian turnip.
Asclepias cornuta ..... Com. milkweed.
" incarnata ..... Swamp milkweed.
" purpurescens ..... Purple milkweed.
Brunella vulgaris ..... Self-heal.
Blephilia cilliata ..... Blephilia.
Cassia marilandica ..... Am. senna.
Caulophyllum thalictriodes ..... Blue cohosh.
Chelone glabra ..... Snake's head.

Claytonia virginica ..... Spring beauty.
Collinsonia canadense ..... Rich weed.
Collinsia verna ..... Fringed collinsia.
Cuscuta glomerata ..... Dodder.
Cypripedium pubescens ..... Lady-slipper.
Dentaria diphylla ..... Tooth-wort.
" laciniata ..... Pepper root.
Desmanthus brachylobus ..... Darlingtonia.
Desmodium canadensis ..... Trefoil.
Dicentra cucularia ..... Dutchman's breeches.
Eupatorium purpureum ..... Purple boneset.
" perfoliatum ..... Com. boneset.
" ageratoides ..... White snakeroot.
Erythronium americanum ..... Adder tourer.
" albidum ..... White adder tourer.
Hepatica triloba ..... Liverwort.
Gentiana quinquefolia ..... Gentian.
" saphonaria ..... Soapwort gentian.
Heracleum lanatum. ..... Cow parsnip.
Hydrastis canadensis ..... Golden seal.
Hydrophyllum virginicum ..... Water leaf.
" appendiculatum ..... Water leaf.
Hypericum corymbosum ..... St. John's wort.
Impatiens pallada ..... Touch-me-not.
" fulva ..... Yellow touch-me-not.
Lamium maculatum ..... Dead nettle.
Lactuca elongata ..... Wild lettuce.
Lilium superbum ..... Turk's-cap lily.
Lobelia inflata ..... Indian tobacco.
" syphilitica ..... Great lobelia.
" cardinalis ..... Cardinal flower.
Isopyrum biternatum ..... Isopyrum.
Mitella diphylla ..... Mitrewort.
Monard punctata ..... Horsemint.
Monotropa uniflora ..... Corpse plant.
Nabalus frasori ..... Gall of the earth.
Nuphar advena ..... Spatterdock.
Orchus spectabilus ..... Showy orchus.
" platanthera ..... Fringed orchus.
Osmorrhiza longistylus ..... Sweet sicily.
Pedicularis lanceolata ..... Lousewort.
Phacelia frimbriata ..... Fringed phacelia.
Phlox paniculata ..... Phlox.
" verna ..... Early phlox.
" reptans ..... Trailing phlox.
Physalis pubescens ..... Ground-apple.
Phytolacca decandra. ..... Poke root.
Podophyllum pellatum ..... May-apple.
Polygonum sagittatum ..... Tear thumb.
" dumetorium ..... Climbing buckwheat.
Pontederia cordata ..... Pickerel weed.
Laportea canadensis ..... Wood-nettle.
Ranunculus purchii ..... Water crowfoot.
Rudbeckia hirta ..... Cone flower.
Sagittaria variabilis ..... Arrow-head.
Sanguinaria canadensis ..... Bloodroot.
Saphonaria officinalis ..... Bouncing Bet.
" virginica ..... Bluebells.
Seymeria macrophylla ..... Mullein foxglove.
Scutellaria lateriifolia ..... Scullcap.
Sisyrinchium anceps ..... Blue-eyed grass,
Smilacina racemosa ..... False spikenard.
Solidago virgata ..... Golden rod.
" cæsia ..... Golden rod.
" shortii ..... Golden rod.
" lanceolata ..... Golden rod.
Saxifraga pensylvanica ..... Swamp saxifrage.
Silene virginica ..... Indian pink.
Synandria grandiflora ..... Synandria
Stachys palustrus ..... Hedge nettle.
Teucrium canadense ..... Wood sage.
Thalictrum anemonoides ..... Rue anemone.
" cornutum ..... Meadow rue.
Trillium grandiflorum ..... Beth-root.
Trifolium stolomferum ..... Buffalo clover.
Triosteum perfoliatum ..... Horse gentian.
" angustifolium ..... Yellow horse gentian.
Uvularia sessilifolia ..... Bellwort.
Ulmaria lobata ..... Queen of the prairie.
Vernonia novehoracensis ..... Iron weed.
Verbascum blattaria ..... Moth mullien.
" thapsus ..... Com. mullien.
Viola cuculata ..... Com. blue violet.
" canadensis ..... White and blue violet.
" pubescens ..... Yellow violet.
" lanceolata ..... White violet.

FERNS.

Polypodium dryopteris .....
" hexagonopterum .....
Adiantum pedatum ..... Maiden-hair.
Cystopteris fragilis ..... Bladder fern.
Aspidium spinulosum .....
" clintonianum .....
" acrostichoides .....
Onoclea sensibilis ..... Sensitive fern.
Osmunda regalis ..... Flowering fern.
" cinnamomea ..... Cinnamon fern.
Botrychium virginicum ..... Moonwort fern.

TOPOGRAPHICAL.

The county of Hardin, in most of the townships, has an undulating surface, and is capable of being thoroughly drained in every township. The soil is rich and productive in all the staples peculiar to the climate of Ohio. Its original forests were very heavy in timber. It possessed all the varieties of timber peculiar to other western counties. Early pioneers have observed that the deep woods of Hardin were singularly destitute of small shrubs and underbrush. They seem to suppose that the aborigines of the Maumee Valley were in the habit of burning the leaves, and thus destroying the brushwood of Hardin County annually for perhaps more than a century to facilitate the capturing of game. Some of the older settlers say that they could see a long ways beneath the trees.

STREAMS.

The principal rivers in the county are the Scioto and Blanchard, and flow in opposite directions. The Scioto rises in Auglaize County and enters Hardin from the southwest, and flows directly through the great marsh—in fact, it is asserted that it forms the marsh. It flows northeast, and then rather southeast by the city of Kenton, and so on into Marion County, and thence southeast through Franklin County. The banks of this stream have been a favorite resort for the Miamis, Shawnees, and Wyandots for nearly two hundred years. Logan resided, possibly, in Dudley township, when poor Kenton was carried to Sandusky by the Shawnees. Jonathan Alder says the Shawnees had a peculiar way of naming this river, which no white man can more than imitate. It had the sound of "*See-o-loo.*"

The Blanchard rises in Pleasant township, Hardin County, and flows north-northwest through Hancock County. The Shawnee name of this stream was Sho-po-qua-te-sepe, or the Tailor's River, or, more properly, the Tailor's Creek. It seems that Blanchard, from whom the stream was named, was a tailor, or one that sewed garments. He was a native of France, and a man of intelligence; but no part of his history can be obtained. He doubtless fled his country for some political offence against her laws, intermarried with a Shawnee woman, and after living upon the banks of the stream thirty years, died in 1802 at or near the site of Fort Findlay. When the Shawnees emigrated to the west in 1833, seven children were living, one of whom was a chief. These occurrences are recorded by the late Col. John Johnston, of Piqua.

Hog Creek, heading in a marsh in Liberty and Washington townships, though a small creek, is rather noted. It runs west through Allen County. The legend is, that in 1786, when Alexander McKee, the British Indian agent, who resided at the Machachack town on Mad River, was compelled to flee from the incursion of the Kentuckians under General Logan, that he had his swine driven on to the borders of this stream for safety; the Indians followed, and were greatly surprised in finding hogs rooting on the banks of this stream. The hogs, upon seeing Indians, gave their peculiar grunt, when the Indians exclaimed "Koshko-sepe," or, in other words, this is "hog creek." The north branch of the Miami heads in McDonald township, and flows south into Logan County.

MISCELLANEOUS.

A GUNBARREL.

A very ancient and peculiar gunbarrel was found in Lynn township, some time since, on lands of L. T. Hunt and General James S. Robison, four miles above old Fort McArthur, on the south side of the Scioto River, and about ten rods from the bank between it and a former spring, where for many years was a hunter's camp about east of the Scioto marsh, and just on the west side of a new road, opened out in 1877-8, at Hunt's Ferry. It was found in March, 1877. It was partially under an old stump around which a tree a foot or more in diameter had grown. Mr. Hunt resides in Kenton, and has the barrel in his possession at the present time. It is three feet and four inches long, is eight-square, heavy at the breech, smaller in the middle, and heavy toward the muzzle; large bore one-half and one-sixteenth inch, nine-sixteenths of an inch, with deep rifles. It is evident it has been lost for a long time, as there is not a vestige of the lock or stock left, having completely rusted or rotted away. It is perhaps an old "fire-lock" obtained from French traders when on the Maumee or Blanchard, over one hundred years ago, as that style of gun is no longer in use.

OLD MEDAL.

M. E. McVitty, of Kenton, has in his possession a Spanish medal dug from a gravel pit in Wyandot County. It is a circular plate of copper two inches in diameter and one-sixteenth of an inch in thickness. It has on one side a raised wreath or olive branch, with a knot or scarf; and stamped above it, in raised words, in Spanish, "Secund Epoca;" and, on the other side, two globes—raised impression—suspended by three rings interlocked, about one-half an inch in diameter. The globes are one-quarter of an inch apart, and three-quarters or an inch in diameter, and from the edge of each a small chain hangs down. Around the edge of the medal, on the same side, are the words "De-Satu-un-Orbe-De-el-Otra." At the top, of above the globes, are stamped, in raised letters, the words "Con-La-Triple-Carantia," and one star. There are a few words effaced. There appears to be "Europe and Africa." The medal was dug up near Marseilles, in Wyandot County. It was originally lost on an old trail and became buried about two feet deep, and was dug up in excavating for a road some fifteen years ago. How it came into Wyandot is the query. It is of pure copper, rolled into a plate, and has been artistically stamped and finished. By turning back and reading the history of the expedition of "De Soto," the great discoverer of the Mississippi, it will be seen that this is probably one of the medals given to his followers, which was found upon the body of one of his dead soldiers in Florida, Georgia, or Arkansas, and brought to the far north and lost. It will be remembered that the celebrated chief Black Hoof, who died in 1830 at Wapakoneta, aged 110 years, was born in Florida and bathed in her rivers or upon her seashore. The medal was probably brought north by a Shawnee as being very beautiful and valuable. The medal is doubtless over three hundred years old, and is a rare relic.

GREAT TREES.

Mr. James Coble thus describes Hardin's great walnut: It stood twenty-two miles east of Kenton in the centre of the Marion pike. Its roots, large spurs, extended from the body twenty feet each way, the body growing well to the ground. It died in 1832, and was cut in 1837. Its diameter is not known; but its body measured seventy-two feet to the forks, and large rail cuts were made from each fork. Large stiles had to be cut in the body in order to notch it for the saw. The tree was without a blemish. Daniel Cable pronounced it the best tree he had ever seen. In 1855 the remains of the stump and roots were taken out and estimated to contain two cords. Walnut was abundant in the immediate vicinity of this tree. A short distance away, on section 12, Mr. Johnson, an old Indian scout, reports that a walnut was cut in 1789 which measured four and a half feet in diameter. It was cut for bees by a white man. The stump of this tree is still standing, now ninety years! It is reported that a white man was killed near it by an Indian. This was probably the first tree cut in Hardin County.

SHEEP.

The culture of sheep has attracted considerable attention. The experiments with fine Merinos on the sheep farms of W. J. Emmons, of Goshen township, and D. W. Benton, of Buck township, and others, have fully attested the adaptation of this section to sheep breeding. Although yet in its infancy, this industry is destined at an early period to assume leading proportions. The number of sheep in the county in 1878 was 34,873, valued at $57,171.

HORSES AND MULES.

Farm horses are the chief demand of the home market. The county finds a market, however, for draught and general purpose horses, and these are receiving increased attention. The number of horses in the county for the year 1878 was 8076, valued at $276,436. The number of mules was 291, with a value of $10,300.

CATTLE.

Cattle feeding and breeding is attaining considerable prominence. Several stock farms are devoted to the breeding of fine bloods, while feeding to some extent is carried on throughout the county. In 1878 the cattle numbered 15,101, valued at $177,711.

HOGS.

The feeding of hogs constitutes an important factor of farm industry. The large yields of corn specially recommend this pursuit. One packing establishment annually slaughter about 10,000 hogs. The foreign markets draw for large numbers yearly. In 1878 the hogs of the county aggregated 31,492, with a valuation of $45,351.

SURVEYS.

In the early surveys of this county the land south of the Scioto comprised a part of what is known as the Virginia Military district, which district comprises all the land in Ohio between the Scioto and Miama Rivers from their source to where they enter the Ohio River. All this land was given by Congress to the State of Virginia for services rendered by her soldiers in the Revolutionary war.

The lands north of the Scioto in this county were surveyed by act of Congress and patented to settlers and purchasers, except sections sixteen in each township, which were given to the State with the provision that the proceeds of their sale should be forever a fund for the support of schools. There were also several sections of our Congress lands given by Congress to the State of Ohio for canal purposes.

COUNTY ORGANIZATION.

Previous to the organization of the county it formed a part of Logan County, and previous to the organization of Logan County, of Champaign County. The county was named after Col. John Hardin, an officer of distinction in the early settlement of the West.

Col. Hardin was born in Fauquier County, Virginia, in 1753. From his early life he was a woodsman and a hunter, and was in various engagements with the Indians.

In the Revolutionary war he was a lieutenant in Morgan's Rifle corps, and was renowned for his intrepidity and bravery. In this war, alone and unaided, he once captured three British

soldiers, and a Mohawk Indian. On his way to the American camp the Indian drew his rifle on Col. Hardin, thinking he, Hardin, did not see him, he, Hardin, having his face turned at the time, but Hardin caught the glint of the Indian's rifle, and shot him without taking aim, the Indian's bullet passing through Hardin's hair. The Indian died, but Hardin brought the soldiers in triumph to the camp. In 1786 Col. Hardin settled in Washington County, Kentucky. In 1792 he was sent by General Washington on a mission of peace to the Indians. He was on his way to the town of the Shawnees, and had reached a point in Selby County, this State, within a few miles of his destination, when he camped out for the night. Some Indians of the Shawnee tribe had overtaken him before night fall, and proposed camping with him, and in the morning accompanying him to the residence of their chiefs. In the night they basely murdered him for his horse and equipments, which were attractive and valuable.

Geographically, Hardin County lays along the edge of the two great watersheds of North America, namely, that of the Mississippi valley, and that of the great northern lakes. The southern part of the county being in the Mississippi Valley, and the northern part in the Lake Erie Basin.

The residence of General J. S. Robinson, in Kenton, is situated on the dividing ridge. I have read somewhere a beautiful description of the devious travels of the rain drops which fall upon the topmost Alps which divide the great basin of the Mediterranean from the watershed of the great Northern ocean. So might we speak of the rain drops that fall upon this residence at Kenton. Those which fall upon the one side flow down into the Tymochtee, thence into the Sandusky river, past meadow land and forest glade till they become part of the blue waters of Lake Erie, and then dash in majestic grandeur over the mighty falls of Niagara up through the beautiful Lake Ontario, down the rapid St. Lawrence, past the Thousand Isles, till at last those same rain drops form part of those dense and impenetrable fogs off the coast of New Foundland, that have brought death and disaster to many a stately ocean steamer. The rain drops which fall upon the other side flow down into the Scioto River, and passing along its beautiful valley through the richest portion of the State, strike the Ohio River and thence down that stream, past furnace and factory, city and town, they become a part of the mighty Mississippi, Father of Waters, following its turbid stream to the gulf, and at last forming a part of the glowing sun-lit waves that forever murmur along the shores of the flowery isles of the Caribbean Sea.

The surface of Hardin County is mostly level, there being but little rolling land, and that along the southern townships. It is a heavy timbered county with clayey soil, and geologically belongs to the limestone formation of the upper Silurian period, know as the waterlime formation, except that a portion of the townships of Jackson, Goshen, and Dudley along their eastern half belong to the limestone of the Niagara group.

The county has no natural curiosities, except the long ridge of gravel running through Buck and Taylor Creek townships, known as the "Devil's Back Bone," and the two great swamps known as the Scotio and Hog Creek marshes. Large deposits of gravel are found south of the Scotio in this county and but few north of it.

Hardin County was organized in 1833, in pursuance of an act of the Ohio Legislature, passed January 8, 1833. It is composed of fifteen townships, as follows: Blanchard, Buck, Cessna, Dudley, Goshen, Hale, Jackson, Liberty, Lynn, Marion, McDonald, Pleasant, Roundhead, Taylor Creek, and Washington. These fifteen townships are composed of some 295,000 acres of land, and form an area of near 476 square miles.

PART II.

TOWNSHIP ORGANIZATION.

ROUNDHEAD TOWNSHIP.

It was organized in 1832, and named after a Wyandot chief, whose Indian name was Stiahta, or Roundhead. He had a village upon the present site of Roundhead as late as 1800, where Major Galloway visited him, and found that he had planted a number of apple trees, and had a good many swine. Three or four immense apple trees now stand near the site pointed out as the location of Roundhead's cabin or wigwam. He was a Wyandot, of fine form and presence, and lived at Roundhead for many years. He had a brother named John Battise, who was a person of enormous strength. He joined the British in the war of 1812, and was killed at Fort Meigs. Roundhead, the Wyandot chief, also joined the Michigan Wyandots, who served under Col. Proctor, of the British Army, and, at the River Raisin, captured General Winchester, of the American Army, seizing the general with his own hands. It was a cold morning in January, 1813, and the chief, in the cruel manner of the Indians, obliged the general to divest himself of his great coat, and all his uniform. With nothing but his shirt to protect him from the cold, Roundhead conducted him to a fire, but not until he had got on the general's cocked hat, uniform, coat, vest, etc. It was in this condition that Colonel Proctor found him; and it was not without much persuasion that the stern warrior relinquished his important captive; and it was with still more reluctance that he gave up the uniform, in which he had so short a time to strut and show himself to his countrymen. Roundhead was also present with General Brock and Tecumseh, when they took possession of Detroit on the 15th August, 1812. When about to cross the river to lay siege to Detroit, General Brock presented Tecumseh with a red sash. This chief had too much good sense to wear it, well knowing it would create jealousy among the chiefs, who considered themselves equal with him; he, therefore, presented it to Roundhead, as has been mentioned in the life of Tecumseh. At the close of the war of 1812, it is believed that Roundhead separated from the Brownstown Wyandots, and returned to his own village on the Scioto, where he died. We are informed, by Mr. Carter, that some years after he came to the village, the Wyandot friends and relations of the old chief came annually to visit his grave, and perform their accustomed funeral ceremonies. We are also of opinion that some fur trader resided at the village during the residence of the old chief and his Wyandot band.

Upon the organization of Roundhead township, Daniel Campbell was its first justice of the peace. The township, when first organized, included what is now Roundhead, McDonald, Taylor Creek, and Lynn. Alex. Given, Esq., now of McDonald township, is the oldest resident and settler of Roundhead township as originally organized. He came there in 1830, married a daughter of Daniel Campbell in 1831, and was compelled to go to Logan County for his license.

Mr. Jonathan Carter, now well advanced in years, states that he came into Roundhead township in 1829, from Bellefontaine, Logan County. Upon his arrival, he found the McDonalds, John and Peter McArthur, and Daniel Campbell, in what is now McDonald township. They had preceded him five or six years. Samuel Tidd, a blacksmith, about that time built a shop two miles north of Roundhead on Elder Creek. He came about the time the McArthurs erected their cabins in 1823. At the election for justice of the peace in 1832, there were about eleven votes cast. Matthew Mahan was elected constable. The pioneers of this date were Richard Rutlidge, Joseph and Jesse Bowdle, Matthew Mahan, John Mahan, William Moore, Sen., James Scott, Charles Stevenson, who settled on Taylor Creek, James S. Moore, Henry Bowdle, David Bowdle, James Bowdle, Andrew Ritchey, Henry Stamats, Samuel Tidd, Geo. Lalock, a blacksmith, Alexander Given, John T. Scott, Mr. Breece, Watson Spencer, Charles Tidd, Alexander Templeton, John Kimberlin, John Collins, John F. Henkle, Reuben Henkle, Uriah McKennan, James Hill, and a few others not remembered.

The village of Roundhead was laid out by Jonathan Carter in 1832. He built the first cabin in 1829, a round log house, where for many years the preachers of the M. E. Church held occasional services. The first cabin erected after the town was laid out was by Jacob Thompson. A Mr. Livingston put up the third house, which was a log tavern. John Moore put up a frame house and kept a tavern about the same time. Alexander Templeton put up a neat log building, and brought on a stock of goods in 1835, which was the first store. The region was quite sickly, and the town grew slowly. The people had to go to Bellefontaine for medical aid. Dr. Smith was the first doctor who located in Roundhead; and he soon left. The first saw mill was put up by Jacob Kimberlin on the Scioto. At this time, the people were compelled to go to West Liberty and Cherokee, in Logan County, to purchase grain and obtain grinding, which was twenty-three miles away. Hominy blocks were used in nearly all the cabins for preparing corn. The first horse mill, a rude affair, was by John Mahan. The belt was of hickory bark (?), and the hoop of bent timber, about thirty feet across. The horse pulled the wheel around to crush the grain. The stones or burrs were of nigger-heads. This mill was built in 1834.

These pioneers carried the institutions of their fathers with them, and the earliest effort was made "to teach the young idea how to shoot." The first public school was taught in a cabin, with greased paper for windows, in 1837, near the Pfiffer spring, by Peter McArthur. There was no school funds at this day, and he was paid by subscription. Cabin raising and log rolling demanded the attention of the pioneers on every side. It was often the case, that the pioneer, with his lunch prepared at home, traversed the forest five or six miles to assist a new-comer to put up a rude cabin or roll logs. A large portion of the axe-men could carry up a corner, while others could saw cuts for clapboards, or use a frow. By evening a palace in the wilderness would appear, that made joyful the wife and children of the hardy pioneer, who had left the comforts of the older settlements for a home serenaded by the wolves of Hardin County.

Mr. Carter passed through all these scenes, and it will be appreciated by the reader, no doubt, to more fully trace his history.

Jonathan Carter was born near where Rochester, New York, now is, in the year 1800. His father and some neighbors, having heard glowing accounts of the Mad River country, determined, in 1806, to emigrate to it. They made their way through the wilderness to Buffalo, where the family took passage on a small sail vessel for Maumee Bay, while quite a large quantity of stock was driven through the then unbroken wilderness, along the shore of the lake to the same destination. After a long and perilous voyage, the vessel entered the Maumee Bay, and passed up the river to the rapids, where they took open boats and went up the Maumee and Auglaize Rivers as far as they could, and then by land to the neighborhood of Bellefontaine. After remaining there some time, Mr. Carter thought the Maumee country would suit him better, and he removed back, and settled and opened a farm on the west bank of that river, about four miles above the rapids, where he remained until the war of 1812 made it unsafe to stay longer, when he returned to the Mad River with his family, except two sons, who enlisted and served during that war. Jonathan, though he tried hard to enlist, was rejected, because of his youth.

Mr. Carter, however, remained on his farm until after Hull's surrender, and the country was overrun by the British and Indians, who carried off all movable property, and burned all the buildings in his neighborhood. Their only chance to avoid starvation was to dig what potatoes they could each carry, which, with a few chickens, was all the food the enemy spared them, and make their way south, by "Hull's trail," to the settlements in Logan County, there being no settlement or house nearer. Several families, including, of course, women and children, escaped in this way. After the war was over, Mr. Carter returned to Maumee, rebuilt his buildings, and made another start in the world. But the cruel Indians would not allow him to live in peace. A son and son-in-law were waylaid by a party of them, and the son-in-law killed at the first fire; but not until the son had dispatched three of the "red skins" was he hewn down, as he literally was, by their tomahawks. After this the settlers went to Fort Meigs for safety, where they remained some time, when Mr. Carter and family, and some others, determined to get away. Their only safe course being to take an open boat, and drop down the river and bay under cover of the night, and make their way to Cleveland, and then back, as best they could, to the neighborhood of Bellefontaine, where, soon after, Mr. Carter was killed by a "weight pole" rolling off the roof of his cabin house, thus ending his eventful life After peace was fully restored, the settlers along Maumee and Detroit Rivers returned to their homes. A large trade in stock was carried on between southern Ohio and that country. Mr. Jonathan Carter went with eighteen droves of stock when there was no house between the neighborhood of Bellefontaine and Maumee. He can tell many thrilling stories about his adventures before and after his settlement in Roundhead. He has always been noted for his honesty and fair dealing, and is in possession of a large and valuable farm, on which he lives. He was one of the party that located the county seat at Kenton, and says that Mrs. McCloud, wife of Judge McCloud, who then lived at Fort McArthur, and with whom the party lodged when locating the county seat, gave it the name.

He was elected the first treasurer of Hardin County, and states that the amount of taxes then collected annually ranged from $500 to $1500. When he made his first settlement with the State auditor, he carried the roll of money in his coat pocket wrapped in a piece of paper. On one occasion he fell in company with a stranger, and while riding along his roll of money fell by the way. The stranger called his attention to it, and upon examination it turned out to be the treasure of Hardin County! Those were the days of the honest pioneers. Mr. Carter is now in feeble health. May Hardin County always possess officers of like integrity and honor.

Daniel Campbell, another citizen of Roundhead township, was elected the first recorder of the new county. He, too, made a popular and competent officer.

It is generally conceded that Daniel Campbell and Peter McArthur, with their respective families, were the first permanent white settlers in the county. In the spring of 1818 they located on land near Roundhead. They built a cabin and cleared off a small patch of ground, which they planted in corn, and then returned to Ross County, intending to move their families out in the fall, but owing to the unsettled condition of the county, they did not return until the spring of 1822. At that time Bellefontaine was the nearest settlement. It is said that Campbell and McArthur's fire having gone out McArthur had to foot it to Bellefontaine for a fresh supply, and on his return he met an old Indian squaw who laughed at his misfortune, and showed him how to light a fire with a flint and punk.

The first election was held at the cabin of Jonathan Carter, and the total vote was 63. Roundhead was the only township organized, though the territory south of the Scioto River cast a number of votes.

The village of Roundhead has had a moderate growth, owing to the fact that there are no railroads or public improvements in its vicinity. It has at this time some three stores, three hotels, two blacksmith shops, one wagon shop, one grocery, one drug store, one steam saw mill, one M. E. church, one good school house, and two physicians, Drs. John C. Banning and John Neville, the former of whom possesses a very interesting archæological collection, and a human skull of extraordinary size, dug from the earth near Roundhead, evidently the cranium of a French or English trader, who lived and died among the Indians before the settlement of Hardin County.

David Groves was born in Frederick County, Virginia, June 1, 1798. After completing an apprenticeship as cabinet maker, he married Miss Sarah Sheets, of Martinsburg, Virginia, June 1, 1823. Two years later he settled in Roundhead township, Hardin County, Ohio, where he still resides.

MCDONALD TOWNSHIP

Was organized in 1836, and was named after William McDonald, an old resident of that township. Alexander Given states that prior to the erection of this township its territory was under the civil jurisdiction of Roundhead, which, until 1833, reported to Logan County. Daniel Campbell was the first justice of the peace for Roundhead township and the territory of McDonald. The first case docketed by him in 1834, was Canby and Robb *vs.* Jacob Thompson. Action for debt. Summons issued Nov. 24, 1834. Matthew Mahan, constable. The township of Roundhead was divided in 1836, and McDonald was erected at the same time.

The first settlers of the new township were Daniel McDonald and family from Ross County in 1822; Isaac Halt and family in 1829; Jacob Fultze, John Fultze and families from Ross, in 1834; William Given and family from Ross, in 1829; David Poe and family in 1831; Charles Tidd and family in 1831; Samuel Tidd and family in 1822.

Daniel Campbell served as justice of the peace three years, and was succeeded by Richard S. Anderson. During his time Roundhead was divided and McDonald erected.

The first schools were carried on by subscription, there being no funds raised by taxation for that purpose. Peter McArthur taught the first school.

At that time the people had but little preaching. Preaching was occasionally held at the cabin of Donald McArthur, by Rev. James B. Finley, M. E., and Thomas Sims. The pioneers were considerably scattered, and the congregations were small.

The first physicians were James Crew, from Zanesfield, and William Jones from West Liberty, Logan County. The people avoided such expenses as far as possible. The old ladies generally attended to the treatment of sick children and got along very well. There was an old gentleman by the name of Uriah Hanshaw at Roundhead who extracted teeth with the ancient "pullicans," and done the bleeding for those who desired "blood-letting." At a later period Dr. John H. Henry of Roundhead did the most of the practice through this region.

The first grinding done in this region was done by the horse mill of Charles Stevenson, in Lynn township in 1832. The next mill was John Mahan's horse mill in Roundhead in 1833. The principal part of the milling was done at Moot's mill on Mad River 28 miles away

The Shawnee Indians from Logan and Allen Counties often visited and hunted in this part of Hardin County as late as 1832. They were at that time harmless and quite friendly. In 1833 they disappeared from their hunting grounds on the Scioto for their new reservation west of the Mississippi.

William Given was born in Maryland, and came to Ross County about the year 1797, and removed to Hardin in 1829. Alexander Given was born in Ross County in 1811, and came to Hardin in 1830, walking the entire distance by paths through the forest. Mr. Given married Isabella S. Gunn, daughter of John Gunn who came from Montreal, Canada, to Malden, and from there to Wapakometa, as a trader among the Shawnees in 1804, and from thence to McKee's Creek, in what is now Logan County, in 1808. He kept a tavern in the war of 1812, and rendered aid to the United States in the commissary department, for which, after his decease, Mrs. Gunn, his widow, received a warrant for 160 acres of land. He died in 1842. He was born in Sutherlandshire, Scotland, in 1770, and came to Canada in 1800, with the English army, in which he served seven years. The Shawnees were often at his hotel in 1812. As a trader he had a large acquaintance with the Indians. Mrs. Gunn died in Bellefontaine. Alexander Given has served eighteen years as justice of the peace, and twenty years as treasurer of McDonald township.

John R. Gunn came to Hardin County in 1844. He was surveyor several times. His brothers Walter and Robert were also good surveyors, and have surveyed much of the lands of Hardin.

Mr. Given states that Allen F. McArthur was the first child born in Hardin County.

Samuel Stevenson was noted as a hunter. It is stated that he could kill more deer than any other man in the county. In his day the county was covered by a dense forest in which deer were very numerous. Wild hogs and wolves were also plenty, and quite ferocious. Black bear were to be found in some parts of the county. Turkeys were exceedingly plentiful, and great numbers were killed in the fall of the year. A. A. Piper often joined Mr. Stevenson in his hunting excursions for deer and turkey. The deer have now almost entirely disappeared, though wild turkeys are to be found in considerable numbers.

McDonald is an excellent township of land, and has been much improved by its gravel pike. The land is a rich loam mixed with sand and gravel. When the drainage has been fully completed, the yield for cereals will be much greater, and the malarial fevers that have so long prevailed annually, will disappear or be greatly alleviated.

LYNN TOWNSHIP

Was so named from the large number of lynn trees which grew on its borders, and was organized about 1856. It was formed from Taylor Creek, Buck, and McDonald townships.

Mr. A. A. Piper states that the earliest settlers in this township were: Daniel S. Vermillion, William Koons, Henry Albert, William Stewart, John Canaan, Nathaniel Norman, John R. Gunn, William Wilkin, John C. Rainsburg, Clement Rice, Amos Piper, and his sons Joseph and Andrew, in 1848. Others came at a later period. When the township was organized it had about sixty voters.

Daniel S. Vermillion was born in Monroe County, Virginia, October 7, 1807, and settled in this county in 1834, in what was then Taylor Creek township, but now Lynn, on the farm where he now resides, and remembers some of the early settlers—John M. Caldwell, Clement Rice, John Cokeman.

Nathaniel Norman settled in this township 1847; moved from Western Virginia.

William Koons was born in Lawrence County, Ohio, 1809, and settled in this county in 1835.

Samuel Stevenson was born in Kentucky, and settled in this county at an early day.

The first justice of the peace was Nathaniel Norman, who was re-elected about six terms and died in 1872. A. A. Piper was elected to succeed Mr. Norman, and served part of a term and resigned, and was succeeded by Mr. A. M. Rice. The first constable was Michael Borst.

The first school house was erected on John Canaan's land before the township was organized. The third one was built on lands of Daniel S. Vermillion. The first teacher, Miss Jeffers.

The first saw mill on lands of James Young, which was burnt. The second one, in 1873, on lands of Esquire Gary.

The first preaching was in cabins, and only occasional. There is no church in the township.

Patrick Travis is the only blacksmith in the township, and does a good deal of repairing for the farmers.

The Grangers have a hall and about one hundred members, and conduct a provision store on the Granger principle.

The old Hull trail passes nearly through the centre of the township, from south to north, and is well marked. The old corduroy bridges are yet to be seen. It was cut sixty-six years ago, or in 1812. The old Hull trace passes over lands of A. A. Piper, Miss E. G. Gunn, William Stewart, William Koons, and others, leading to old Fort McArthur, in the northwest corner of Buck township.

Although one of the newest townships in the county, Lynn has advanced rapidly in improvement, and some fine farms are cleared and brought into cultivation. The soil is excellent, and when fully drained, will be very productive.

The timber is very fine and its vicinity to Kenton and the railroad will, in the future, enable its owners to dispose of it at remunerative prices. Walnut, oak, and ash timber already command a fair price, and thousands of cords of wood are consumed annually at the county seat.

There are no villages in Lynn township, owing to its vicinity to Kenton, where its citizens go to do their trading.

BUCK TOWNSHIP

was called after Harvey Buckminster, who now resides at Kenton. When he entered the county in 1828, there had only been eighty acres of land entered between the Judge Wheeler farm in Dudley township, and old Fort McArthur, on the Scioto. The new township was organized in 1845. Mr. B. states that the earliest settlers were: Joel Thomas, Conrad Collins, James Scott, Harvey Buckminster, Robert and Isaac Draper, from Coshocton, William H. Cole, from Fairfield, John Ganear, and William Paxton. These pioneers came between 1828 and 1836. When he arrived at "Grassy Point," which is now in Hale, the Shawnees and Wyandots were quite numerous, and he was often visited by the red hunters, at his primitive hotel. He became intimately acquainted with the Walkers, Garrets, and other leading Wyandots. He acted as agent for the "Hollister Fur Company," for thirteen winters, and purchased large quantities of peltry from the Shawnees, paying out each winter as high as $5,000. The late Judge Noah McCullock, a part Shawnee, who then resided with the Logan County Shawnees, made the *first white visit* to the backwoods hotel of Mr. B. at "Grassy Point." The Judge held Mr. B. in high estimation, and thus speaks of him in the *Bellefontaine Press:* Mr. Buckminster was born in Vermont, in the year 1800, and was placed in the hands of a citizen of that State at the tender age of about thirteen months, his father and mother both being dead. This Vermonter removed to New Hampshire soon thereafter, carrying little Harvey with him, and after remaining there some years, removed to the State of Pennsylvania, where he remained until Mr. Buckminster had grown up to manhood—meantime being employed at farm work and deprived of an education, even to the simplest rudiments. From Pennsylvania, Mr. Buckminster came to the State of Ohio, in 1828, when he was twenty-seven years of age, stopping first on the Sandusky Plains in Crawford County.

Soon after his arrival in Ohio he was married to Miss Abigail Brown, in that vicinity, who seemed to be in every particular suited to his condition and tastes, through a long and eventful life. He borrowed the money to procure his marriage license and pay for his marriage (in all about $3), and mauled fence rails at twenty-five cents per hundred, to reimburse the expenses of his marriage. No expense was incurred on either side for wardrobes or wedding paraphernalia. This condition of things, as compared with that of the present day, should afford a useful source of reflection for young people in similar circumstances.

During the summer after Mr. Buckminster was married, he engaged with a neighbor to mow his meadow of about five acres, and walked five miles in the morning and back in the evening, receiving six pounds of pickled pork for each day's service. Pork was then worth about four cents per pound.

About this time Mr. Buckminster commenced driving stage for Colonel Aaron L. Hunt, on the Cincinnati and Sandusky stage line (an organization not very pleasant to the recollection of many good citizens of the Miami and Sandusky villages). In this employment Mr. Buckminster continued for about six years. The first time the writer saw and became acquainted with Mr. Buckminster and his excellent and amiable wife, was in the year 1828, sitting at their breakfast table in the unfinished court room in Bellefontaine (now the Union House, kept by Capt. Miller). The breakfast table above alluded to, consisted of a common sized chest, and each occupied an end of the chest, with a plate of meat and a piece of bread between them, seeming to be as cheerful and happy as guests at the table of the most sumptuously provided restaurants.

After the lapse a few years Mr. B. bought a tract of land on the road leading from Bellefontaine to Sandusky City, in Hardin County, at a place called Grassy Point, which he cleared and cultivated. He opened a house of entertainment for travellers on that road, and in the winter and spring of each year, for thirteen successive years, bought furs for the "Northwest Fur Company," in the northwestern counties of Ohio and in Michigan, thus doing a successful and profitable business until he accumulated a handsome competency.

It was not unfrequent when driving the stages through the deep muddy roads of the dense forests between Bellefontaine and Upper Sandusky, in the night season, when so dark one could not see the wheel horses, that Col. Hunt would be compelled to carry a lantern in his hand and a rail or pole on his shoulder, in front of the team, in order to pry out the stage coach from the deep mud holes or stumps in the road. Mr. Buckminster was always regarded as among the most competent and faithful drivers on the whole length of the road from Springfield to Sandusky. He relates a circumstance which occurred under his observation at Sandusky, during one of his trips there.

An Indian was tried and convicted of the murder of another Indian, and sentenced by the chiefs and council of the Wyandots to be shot according to their laws. The culprit, on the appointed day of his execution, was pinioned and blindfolded, and made to kneel in the rear of his coffin, when five rifles were placed in the hands of five young men of the tribe, four only of the rifles being loaded with ball. At the word of command the rifles were discharged simultaneously, and the four balls entered the breast of the unfortunate young man within a space not larger than a man's hand. The wife of the doomed man was in the crowd, a short distance from the scene of her husband's execution. When her child was born (of which she was *enceinte* at the time), there were four distinct red marks of bullet holes, and the appearance of blood trickling down from them on the breast of the child.

A circumstance occurring at Sandusky may serve to show the estimation in which Buck was held by all classes of men, and especially among the Indians, as a peaceable and quiet man. Upon one occasion Col. Hunt called Buck to the south end of the line to train some horses for service on the road, and sent another man to the north. When he arrived at Sandusky the Indians collected around the stage, expecting to meet Buck as usual. The surly driver being annoyed by their presence, began to thrash around with the long lash of his whip, scattering them in every direction, to their great chagrin and indignation. They soon collected together, held a consultation and concluded to summarily punish their new and turbulent acquaintance, but the new-comer being advised of the premises, procured assistance, and by another way made a hasty retreat to the next station in the rear, twenty miles distant, where he awaited the return of the stage the next day to carry him away from the society of rude and uncivilized men. Buck was soon returned to his usual run, and on arriving at his destination was greeted with shouts of joy and exultation by his Wyandot friends.

Mr. Buckminster some years after sold his fine farm at Grassy Point for a handsome sum of money, and removed to the village of Kenton, Hardin County. After remaining there for some years his amiable and beloved "Abby," as he familiarly called her, was taken from his society to the "home of the blest."

After having been a few years a widower, Mr. Buckminster married a lady residing in West Liberty, Ohio, with whom he enjoys the society of an infant child a year or two old. In his green old age he has a competency of this world's comforts, with the kind regards of his neighbors and fellow-citizens.

In January, 1813, Blackhoof, a celebrated Shawnee chief from Wapakoneta, visited Fort McArthur while under the

command of Gen. Tupper, and while there, about 10 o'clock one night, when sitting by the fire in company with the general and several other officers, some one fired a pistol through a hole in the wall of the hut and shot Blackhoof in the face; the ball entered the cheek, glanced against the bone, and finally lodged in his neck; he fell, and for some time was supposed to be dead, but revived, and afterwards recovered from this severe wound. The most prompt and diligent inquiry as to the author of this cruel and dastardly act, failed to lead to his detection. The motives for this intended murder were never known.

While the fort was commanded by Capt. Robert McClelland in the war of 1812, it is stated that his courage was roused to rashness. One of his men had gone a short distance from the walls for the purpose of peeling bark. While he was engaged at a tree he was shot twice through the body, by a couple of Indians in ambush, whose rifles went off so near together that the reports were barely distinguishable. He uttered one piercing scream of agony, and ran with almost superhuman speed, but fell before he reached the fort. In an instant alarm was spread through the garrison, as no doubt was entertained but that this was the commencement of a general attack, which had been long expected. Instead of shutting the gates to keep out danger, McClelland seized his rifle, and calling on some of his men to follow, of which but few obeyed, he hastened to the place of ambush and made diligent search for the enemy, who, by an instant and rapid retreat, had effected their escape; nor did he return until he had scoured the woods all around in the vicinity of the fort. This incident is given upon the statement of Thomas C. Wright.

Several troops died at the fort during the war, and sixteen graves of gallant soldiers are plainly seen on lands owned by Mr. Shingle, on the opposite side of the river from the garrison. Here the brave fellows, who hesitated not to traverse the far "north woods" to meet the enemy and defend the homes of Ohio pioneers, found rest from the hardships of the camp and the toils of military life, and, we trust, rest for their souls in a better land. Their graves remain unmarked, and their names, we fear, "are forever lost."

A family by the name of Hale,* consisting of mother, three sons, and a daughter, located at the fort as early as 1817. The mother sickened and died a short time after settling. The family did not remain long after the death of the mother. About the time that Roundhead became a village, the late Judge William McCloud located in Fort McArthur with his family. He came from Logan County, and was noted as a pioneer hunter. He and Simon Kenton were strong friends, and spent a good deal of time in ranging the forests in company. McCloud is believed to have remained at the fort until after the erection of Hardin County. So far as remembered, this is the history of the famous fort in the forests of Hardin on the banks of the Scioto.

There are no villages in Buck township. It is a fine township of land, and is being rapidly drained and brought under a high state of culture. It bids fair to be one of the best farming townships in Hardin County, and possesses many excellent residences, showing prosperity and wealth among the owners of its soil.

JOHN ESPY, ESQ.

Mr. John Espy was born in Beaver County, Pa., March 2, 1811. From Beaver County he removed to Taylor Creek township, Hardin County, Ohio, Sept. 1, 1833. Here he lived upon a farm until the autumn of 1840, when he removed to Kenton, and engaged in the manufacture and sale of wooden pumps until the year 1844, when he erected a distillery on the present site of the Parkison mills. During the ensuing year the grinding for the distillery was done by the old Ross horse-mill, which was operated, as its name implies, by a horse tread-wheel. The insufficiency of this mill for the growing demands of the day was soon recognized by Mr. Espy, and in 1846 he erected the present Parkison flour-mill in connection with the distillery. The erection of this mill marked a new era in the milling operations of the community, for this was the first steam flour-mill erected within the county. Mr. Espy continued the operation of this mill about eight years, when he sold it, and built a saw-mill on the south side of town. With this enterprise he was connected about twelve years. In 1865 the Marseilles flouring-mill was purchased, but at the expiration of the first year Mr. Espy returned to Kenton, and at once erected the present Espy mill, which went into operation March 30, 1867. To this enterprise he devoted his attention until 1872, when he withdrew from all connection with milling operations. From this date up to within about a month of his death, his whole time and attention were devoted to the improvement of the home farm on the south side of town. During the last month of his life he had purchased the old woollen-mills property, and planned the erection of another large flour-mill which should supply the growing demands of the old mills, whose increased patronage had outrun its capacity. The death of Mr. Espy, Nov. 28, 1878, brought this undertaking to a close for the present. Such were the leading events in the business affairs of Mr. Espy that he justly earned the title of the pioneer miller of the county. Beginning with empty hands, by persistent application to business he was enabled to achieve some of the greatest milling operations of the county and period. In his capacity as a pioneer, he contributed to the development of the public interests of the community, always an advocate of all measures of advancement, and a champion of every project of improvement. Although deeply interested in public affairs, he would never allow his name to be used in connection with any office beyond those of his own township, always giving as a reason for his aversion to office—the urgent demands of his private affairs.

Thus, while a partisan of strong convictions, and deeply devoted to the interests of the Democratic party, he would never sacrifice his personal interests "by attending to the business of others" His party received his sympathy and influence; his private affairs his energy and time.

In business he was a man of strict integrity, rigid in exaction of all obligations, and unswerving in his plans. Possessed of a high sense of justice, and an indomitable will, no question of expediency could allure him aside from what he considered the line of duty

In private life he was kind, forbearing, and affable. With a plan unwavering, an energy untiring, and a will unflinching, he rose to affluence; but this success not only failed to produce pride or coldness, but rather served to enlarge his sphere of usefulness, as generosity and liberality were prominent traits of his character. Although having reached the advanced age of sixty-eight, his death came suddenly and unexpectedly, and was deeply deplored by the whole community, for the public recognized in his demise an almost irreparable loss.

* Alfred Hale settled in Fort McArthur in 1817, and Jonas Hale was the first child born in the county, in 1819. Mary Hale died at the fort, and was buried in a walnut canoe made by the Indians. Mr. Hale lived in the old blockhouse inside the fort.

TAYLOR CREEK TOWNSHIP.

This township was organized in 1835. It originally embraced what are now the townships of Hale, Buck, and Lynn. It was named in honor of General James Taylor, of Kentucky. It is regarded as one of the most productive townships in the county. The surface is undulating, and the soil a rich gravel loam, and well adapted to grain or grass. The principal produce is wheat and corn. The gravel mounds are numerous all along Taylor Creek, and very convenient for building roads. The township has three gravel pikes extending from north to south. The gravel, being a sort of limestone, makes very desirable roads, and is obtained at a moderate expense.

The Sandusky, Cincinnati, and Cleveland Railroad passes through this township. There are two small villages in Taylor Creek township, Yelverton and Silver Creek.

YELVERTON is situated in Taylor Creek township, on the line of the C. S & C. Railroad, and was laid out by Harris and Gloss in 1858, and named in honor of John Yelverton, of New York, and at that time a government stockholder in the railroad passing through the town. Phillip H. Hisey opened the first store May 9, 1858, and was the first postmaster; and Mr. Hisey is still the principal merchant there, doing a good business. R. K. Lane was the first blacksmith.

There are now three stores, one warehouse, a steam saw mill, a boot and shoe shop, a wagon and a blacksmith shop.

SILVER CREEK STATION, on the C. S. & C. R. R., six miles southwest of Kenton, was first plotted in the year 1867 by Frederick Hanyer. There was at that time one store, owned by Robt. Ewing, and a saw mill, owned by Benj. Scott, Robt. Ewing being station agent and postmaster. The station was formerly called Hudsonville.

There are now two stores, one warehouse and steam saw mill, owned by Samuel Wenner, and a post-office, which bears the name of the town, "Silver Creek."

The principal stream of water is Brush Run, which heads on the land of Samuel Stewart and flows north into Buck township. Silver Creek also heads in this township, and flows in a northern direction into Buck, and was formerly called "Six-Mile Run."

The earliest settlers in Taylor Creek were: Thomas Collins, Charles W. and Samuel Stevenson, James and John Collins, William, Silus, and Bazel Baley, Henry D. Thorp, who was the first sheriff of Hardin County, Homer P. Stevenson, Andrew Porter, John Sloan, Thomas Sloan, Jacob Sieg, Charles Scott, Jacob M. Sponsler, and Samuel Stewart. The foregoing settlers were generally accompanied by their respective families.

The first justice of the peace was Charles C. Scott, and the first school was taught by Jacob Sieg in District No. 1, in the winter of 1845–46. There are two churches in the township; one, M. E. Church, near Silver Creek, and St. Paul M. E. Church, on the Taylor Creek gravel road.

The first preaching in Taylor Creek was at John Collins's cabin, in August, 1834, by Rev. Kinear; his text, "Come thou and thy house into the Ark." Then there was a class formed of twelve, and James Andrews was chosen leader.

PERSONAL REMINISCENCES.

Homer Stevenson was born in 1816 in Green County, Pa., and moved to Hardin County in 1835, and located in Taylor Creek township. He married Mary Hullinger in 1840. He had nine children, six of whom are living at this time. He located in the woods, and was elected justice of the peace in 1852, and now holds the office under his eighth commission. He was here at the organization of the township, and has voted at every election since that time, excepting once. His neighbors were Silas Bailey, Samuel Hatfield, Andrew Porter, and Charles Scott.

Andrew Porter was born in Kentucky in the year 1800. He married Rebecca Dunlap in 1830. He came to Taylor Creek township in 1833. He located on the farm now owned by his son James. The farm was then in its primitive forest condition. It was densely timbered. There was not even a road cut leading to it. He lived on this farm until his decease in 1867, leaving his wife and six children at his decease. Mr. Porter was an excellent man, and commanded a good influence in his township.

Thomas Sloan was born in Monnahan County, Ireland, in 1820, and came to America with his father's family, John Sloan, in 1833. He landed in Philadelphia, Pa., and came by the way of Beaver County, where he was employed, and thence to Logan County, Ohio, where he stayed with his father a short time, and then purchased a piece of land in Taylor Creek township, Hardin County, in 1848, from Mr. Dawson, General Taylor's agent. The township was very sparsely settled at the time. He encountered many hardships in the forest. He was unaccustomed to the use of the axe, and found it extremely toilsome to cut away the forest. He returned to Ireland in 1852, and married Eliza Sloan. She accompanied him to the wilds of Hardin County, Ohio, where he erected a cabin on his farm and commenced life in earnest. He has had a family of eleven children, six boys and five girls, all of whom survive at this time. His farm consisted of 123 acres, to which he has added from time to time a farm, until he now owns about 700 acres. Upon this farm he has erected a very fine home-residence, in which he resides. Mr. Sloan is regarded as an excellent citizen, and one of the leading farmers of the township. His success is to be attributed to his industry, tact, and good judgment, and is only another proof of success by close application to business.

Jacob Sieg was born in 1784, in Pennsylvania, and purchased land in Hardin County in 1833. He cleared a part of his farm and removed to it in 1839. He improved his farm, which is in Taylor Creek township, and built one of the finest brick houses in his locality in 1846, and resides in it at this time. Mrs. Seig died in 1852, leaving four children. In 1859 he married Margaret Evans, by whom he has had eight children, all living at this time, 1878. Mr. Seig has been one of the reliable pioneers of the township, and has the respect and confidence of all his neighbors. He was elected justice of the peace in 1841, and has been trustee a number of times. In 1856 he was appointed township treasurer, this being the year that Lynn township was formed. He has been elected township treasurer twenty-one times, and still retains the office! Mr. Seig is now well advanced in years, and has passed through pretty much all the scenes of pioneer life.

Jacob M. Sponselor was born in Cumberland County, Pa., July 31, 1815. Married Margaret Slonaker December 6, 1838. Moved to Hardin County May, 1845. Bought a lease on a farm in Buck township, lived on it one year, then bought 100 acres in Taylor Creek township where he now resides, and afterwards 110 acres from General Taylor's agent. Then 154 acres in Lynn township; then 50 acres in Buck, and so on adding farm to farm till he had in all about 1000 acres. Mr. Sponselor had only about $400 when he first landed in the county to commence the world. A year or two afterward he received from his father's estate some $300. With this small sum he has made the property he has acquired by hard labor from the soil on which he lives. Mr. and Mrs. Sponselor have had nine children, eight still living, six boys and two girls. Mr. Sponselor has held official position in both county and township, has held the office of township trustee for twenty-one years, and now holds that position. He is one of the energetic and enterprising business men of the county; and while he is one of the heavy taxpayers of the county, he is in favor of all public improvements that are for the benefit of the county at large.

Charles W. and Samuel Stevenson came to Taylor Creek township in the spring of 1827, they being the first white settlers in that part of the county. After building a cabin, Charles went back to Green County where he was formerly residing for his family, consisting of his wife and three children. David Stevenson, the present county treasurer, being one of the children of Charles Stevenson, is believed to have been the first white child born in Hardin County. Samuel, the other brother, was at that time unmarried; but went back to Green County shortly after and brought on a wife and become a permanent settler in Taylor Creek township.

Samuel Stewart was born in Clark County, Ohio, 1823. Was the son of John T. Stewart, who had eight sons and one daughter, all living at this date, November, 1878. Mr. Stewart has given his attention to the raising of stock of different kinds, but makes a specialty of sheep, being one of the largest wool growers in the county. His residence is situated in survey No. 9993, near the Logan County line, on the Taylor County Pike. On his farm is a spring, the head waters of Taylor Creek. Mr. Stewart has been commissioner of the county and it was during his term of office that the gravel and stone pikes throughout the county were first built, and it is to the enterprise and energy of just such men as Mr. Stewart that Hardin

County owes its unprecedented growth in population and rapid improvement.

Elizabeth Baker was born in Virginia in 1800, and came to Hardin County in what is now Taylor Creek township in 1827. She married Thomas Collins in 1831, and is still living on the old homestead of that time. Thomas Collins, her husband, was the first settler in that part of the township. The three Collins brothers, and the three Bailey brothers, first settled here in the wilderness. There were at that time plenty of wolves, turkey, and deer. There were no mills nearer than Bellefontaine, where they got their grinding done. The first mill near Kenton was owned by a man by the name of Howser, and was east of Kenton. For a number of years we had no sawed lumber, there not being a saw mill in the township for several years. Thomas Collins died in 1867, leaving seven children and a wife, all residing on the home farm.

William Bailey was born in Virginia in 1786, and married Mary Alcott in 1817, and moved to Hardin County in 1831, to what is now Taylor Creek township, where he died in 1853, leaving a wife and eleven children. Mr. Silas Bailey makes the above statement.

Elizabeth Hollinger was born in Champaign County, Ohio, in 1816. She came to Hardin County in 1832, and married James Collins in 1833, by whom she had twelve children, six boys and six girls, two of whom, one boy and one girl are dead. When she first came into the township her neighbors were the Baileys, John Collins, Charles and Samuel Stevenson, Henry D. Thorp, the only settlers in what is now Taylor Creek township. Churches and schools at that time were not known. Mrs. Collins says the Indians at that time frequently stayed all night at their cabin, and very frequently stopped for something to eat. Mr. Collins, her husband, died in 1861.

HALE TOWNSHIP.

Hale township was organized in 1835, and named in honor of John P. Hale, of New Hampshire. It is a fine agricultural region, the soil being a rich loam mixed with clay, on the uplands, with gravel banks. There are a number of large unimproved tracts of land in the township which have kept back improvement. The timber originally was very tall and large, requiring much labor to remove it and prepare farms. The great amount of gravel heaped up by nature, serves for the construction of roads, and owing to the fact that it is largely of limestone, makes very durable highways.

The principal streams are Panther Creek and Wolf Run, which flow in a northeast direction into Buck and Dudley townships.

There are two gravel pikes passing through the township, joining gravel roads or pikes, which run to Kenton, the county seat.

The Columbus, Cleveland and Indianapolis Railroad passes across the south part of the township, upon which is located the villages of Mt. Victory and Ridgway, making a good market for surplus products of every kind.

The early settlers were: James Andrews, Lewis Andrews, Cyrus Dille, Samuel Dille, Levi D. Thorp, John Andrews and family, Isaac Jennings, William Hicks, Cornelius Jennings, Jonathan Williams, and Thomas Dunson, and at a later period, Barnett Richardson, Peter Marsh, Thomas McCall, S. Leper, Uriah Baldwin, Daniel Baldwin, Abner Snoddy, Christian Capp, and others, mostly arriving as early as 1830.

The first school-house was a log cabin, and taught in 1839, commencing December 1, by Enos Baldwin.

Blair Dille was the first child born in the township, in the spring of 1832. He was a son of Cyrus Dille.

The first marriage was Francis Latimore to Miss Arminta Richardson, by John Marks, Esq.

James Andrews, from Washington County, Pennsylvania, gives the following reminiscences of the early settlement of Hale township: He was born August 8, 1805, and married Mary Hathaway October 25, 1827, and October 17, 1829, removed to Hardin County, and erected a cabin on his present farm. He found Levi D. Thorp located in the forests of what is now Hale township. The same year, his brother John Andrews and wife and three children arrived. They were followed by Isaac Jennings, wife, and child, William Hicks, Cornelius Jennings, wife, and three children. January 18, 1830, Mr. Andrews was requested to go through the forest to Bellefontaine for Dr. Benj. Brown, for Mrs. Jennings, a sister-in-law, who was very ill. She died, and was the first death in the township. On the 4th of February, her oldest child died. Isaac Jennings, the husband, died on the 4th of March of the same year, and on the 27th of March, his brother Cornelius Jennings died! Better pioneer neighbors never lived. They resided in what is now Taylor Creek Township, a distance of near six miles away, and never came empty handed in their visits. They always brought something good to eat. John Wolf made the first coffins. The next emigrants were Lewis Andrews and Cyrus Dille, who came in 1830. He met Samuel Dille at a log rolling in 1831. Cyrus Dille came from Richland County, and cleared about one and a half acres of ground where Mt. Victory now stands, and in the fall of the same year settled on it. Lewis Andrews came about the same time, and settled where William Rule now resides.

The next spring (1831), James Andrews, Samuel Dille, and Lewis Andrews were attending a log rolling for Cyrus Dille, at the conclusion of which Cyrus Dille, who was sitting on a log, suddenly arose, and proposed that as they had all witnessed the evil effects of intemperance, that if those present would pledge themselves not to attend any more log rollings or raisings where whiskey was used, he would do so. They all sprang to their feet in approval. This was the first temperance society formed in Hale township, if not in Hardin County, and, what is most remarkable is, all the parties have sacredly kept their pledge ever since!

The first sermon was preached in this part of the county by Thomas V. Green, a local preacher in the M. E. Church, February, 1832, from the following text: Mark, 16 c. 15 v., "Go preach the Gospel to every nation." The first hymn, "Jesus the name high over all." The second hymn, "How beauteous are their feet." At this meeting a class was organized of the following persons: James Andrews, Mary Andrews his wife, Lewis Andrews, and Mary his wife, four persons in all; and the first circuit preacher, Rev. Thomas Sims. This was then a part of Bellefontaine Circuit. The first family Bible and hymn-book were bought by James Andrews, the Bible costing $4.00, half a month's work. The first preaching was held at the residence of James Andrews, and continued there for ten years successively. At this time there are three churches organized in the township, two at Mt. Victory, and one at Ridgeway.

At the election of 1832, James Andrews, Lewis Andrews, Cyrus and Samuel Dille, and Levi D. Thorp went to Logan County, a distance of ten miles, and all voted for Henry Clay. The next spring, an election was held in Taylor Creek township, which then embraced what is now Hale, Buck, Lynn, and Taylor Creek, at Grassy Point, in the house of Levi D. Thorp, Samuel Dille, Cyrus Dille, Jonathan Williams, Joseph Collins acted as officers. Charles Scott was elected first justice of the peace.

The first tax receipt of James Andrews on one hundred acres of land and chattels was $1.23 in 1833. The receipt was signed by Peter C. McCarthur as deputy. He was elected a justice of the peace in 1836, and commissioned by Governor Robert Lucas.

James Andrews was treasurer of Hale in 1847, and has held other township offices. His family consists of six children, part of whom are deceased. Mr. Andrews has been twice married and remains on his own homestead.

The Shawnees and Wyandots were quite numerous when Mr. Andrews first arrived, and often called at his cabin. He states that he has eaten and slept with them, and found them better friends than many white people. The first prayer meeting he ever attended in Ohio was between Little Sandusky and Upper Sandusky, near where Aunt Sally Armstrong lived. The meeting was all Indians, who were very earnest. While in Wyandot County, Mr. Andrews stopped at the hut of the noted Wyandot Indian Dr. Gray Eyes. He often visited them near Upper Sandusky, and they frequently came to his cabin in return.

Moses Kennedy was born in Adams County, Pennsylvania, in 1822, came to Wyandot County, Ohio, in 1838, and married Nancy Kendrick in 1842. Moved to Hale township in 1844, and settled on the place he now resides. His farm was then in the woods, and the next day after his arrival he commenced to cut logs for a cabin. In about one week his cabin was completed, and he commenced to prepare timber for a saw-mill, which he erected on Panther Creek, which passed through his lands. This mill was constructed, and ran by water for about twenty years, sawing all the lumber needed in the community. He had a pair of buhrs attached, which also ground all the meal needed in the neighborhood. Mr. Kennedy is a millwright by trade, and built his own mill, as well as many others in the township. The family of Mr. Kennedy is quite large, originally of eleven children, nine of whom are still living. He has lived to see Hale township much improved, and enjoys the confidence of his neighbors; this is particularly demonstrated in the fact that he was nominated for county commissioner and elected, though at the time unable to canvass for the office in consequence of sickness.

W. H. Baldwin came with his father's family, Daniel Baldwin, to Hardin County in 1836. He was born in Champaign County, Ohio, in 1827, and first located in Hale township, on the farm now owned by Charles Allen. He married Margaret Smith in 1847, and purchased the farm he now owns in 1851, at Grassy Point. It obtained this name from the fact that it was an old Indian camping ground near some spring, they having cleared some land at that point, which subsequently became covered by blue grass. This is, perhaps, the camping ground of the celebrated Logan and his mingoes, where Simon Kenton found them during his captivity, as well as the trail-crossing of the Shawnees. There was also here, when the pioneers first commenced to settle, a country tavern, a kind of stopping place for coaches, known as the tavern at "Grassy Point." Mr. Baldwin has had a family of nine children, seven of whom survive. He has his farm under a good state of cultivation, and has a fine private residence. Although young when he came to Hardin County, he has seen great changes in her forests, and splendid farms spring into existence by the industry and perseverance of his neighbors. He was elected commissioner of the county in 1872, and his official services meet the cordial approbation of his numerous friends.

MOUNT VICTORY.

Mount Victory was laid out by the heirs of Cyrus Dille in 1851. It received its name from the circumstance that Samuel McCulloch, who founded Ridgway, desired to purchase the land at administrator's sale in Kenton, but failed to do so. Mr. Ezra Dille, being one of the heirs, succeeded in overbidding McCulloch, and buying the land at the administrator's sale. This was regarded a great victory. Mr. McCulloch desiring to make a calf pasture of the site. It was, therefore, called Mount Victory. It contains a population of about three hundred inhabitants. It has four stores, three provision stores, one stove and tin store, one saw-mill, one handle factory, three shoe shops, two hotels, one saloon, one livery stable, and three physicians: Drs. C. W. Morrow, D. H. Levan, and A. J. Crane. It also has three blacksmith shops, one wagon shop, one carriage painter, one M. E. church, one U. B. church, one large school-house, three teachers and one hundred and fifty scholars, one harness shop, one cooper shop, and one brickyard. Population, three hundred and fifty.

RIDGWAY.

Ridgway is pleasantly situated in Hall township, on the C. C. C. & I. Railroad. The town was laid out by Samuel McCulloch, August 7, 1851, and named in honor of the Ridgway Co., from whom Mr. McCulloch purchased the land. The plot was defined by R. D. Millar, county surveyor. Gorham Bunker built the first house, Benj. Ginn the first store, and Robt. Stevenson opened the first hotel and blacksmith shop in 1852.

Dr. D. C. Wooley was the pioneer physician, and Michael Printz held the earliest appointment as postmaster. The public school was organized and a house built in 1853, but this has been superseded by a Union School, containing two departments. The M. E. Church was erected in 1854, and is still the only house of worship in the village. At this writing there are two resident physicians. The business is represented by three stores of general merchandise, one hardware, one stove and tin, one drug and one grocery store, one hotel, one flouring mill, three blacksmith and two carriage shops, one harness, and boot and shoe shop. The population is about 375. The village is located in a fertile district, and is abundantly supplied with good water.

DUDLEY TOWNSHIP.

This township was organized about 1834. The first election was held in the fall of 1834. The candidates for governor of Ohio, at that time, were Lucas and McArthur. The trustees at that election were Joshua Cope, Asa Davis, and —— Jones. The clerk was Rolin Madison, assisted by M. W. Van Fleet. There were twenty votes in all, ten for Lucas and ten for McArthur. There were only sixty-three votes polled in the county at that election. The principal vote was at Roundhead, there being about 210 inhabitants in the county at that time. The first justice of the peace in Dudley was John G. Marks.

The ancient Shawnee trail passed over this township; and it is a current tradition that Dr. Knight, of the Crawford expedition in 1782, made his escape from his Delaware guard while on his way to the Shawnee towns on Mad River, on the north bank of the Scioto River, near what is now known as the Judge Wheeler residence. The Shawnees had many camping sites in this region, "Grassy Point" being one of the most noted.

The earliest settlers were Joshua Cope, Moses Dudley—after whom the township was named—Miles W. Van Fleet, Portius Wheeler, John G. Marks, Asa Davis, Elias Lownes, Hanson Raby, John Henry, Anson Clement, David Clement, David Ward, Mrs. Sophia Banning and family, from Knox County, and others. Jacob Dick and Anthony Banning came into the township as early as 1830, locating homes. Mr. Banning soon after died, when Mrs. Banning came on from Mt. Vernon, Ohio, and located with her family on the lands selected by Mr. Banning, in the woods; had them cleared, and supported her family until they were able to protect themselves. In 1833, Harvey Chapman and family came into the township and located for a short time in the cabin of Solomon Goss, until he could erect one of his own.

At that time mills were very few, most of the settlers being compelled to go through the deep woods, by paths, to Logan County to obtain grinding. Harvey Chapman, Jr., a silversmith of Kenton, informs me that in his boyhood days (1834) he carried a sack of flour (50 lbs.) through the woods to a small mill located near the present site of Marseilles, in Wyandot County, owned by a Mr. Failes, eight miles away. He found the task very fatiguing, but succeeded in doing it. He states that Gen. Shelby followed the Shawnee trail with his army, in 1812, on his way to Fort Farree, at Upper Sandusky, and crossed the Scioto near where Judge Wheeler now lives. He says John Lattimore, a soldier in that expedition, who settled in Dudley township, so told him, having recognized the precise place of crossing the river as late as 1840.

The first church was near the residence of Judge Wheeler, and built of hewed logs. It was owned by the Methodists.

The first physician was Dr. Morton, in 1838, who settled in

Marion County, in Big Island township. He often practised in Dudley.

The first school-house put up in Dudley township was on lands of Mr. Dudley, and the first teacher Benjamin Boynton.

PERSONAL REMINISCENCES.

Joshua Cope, Sr., was born in Virginia in 1781, and moved to Ross County, Ohio, in 1813, where he remained a few months, and then moved to Madison County, where he remained five years, and then removed to Big Island township, Marion County, in 1819, being the only white settler in the township. Here he lived about nine years, and removed to Dudley township, Hardin County, on the farm now owned by Joseph Ward. His family consisted of his wife and six children. Mr. Cope died in 1851.

Joshua Cope, Jr., a son, from whom we obtain the foregoing statement, came with his father to Hardin County, and is now the oldest settler in Dudley township, having resided there forty-six years. The settlers when he came were Mr. Dick, William Salmon, Asa Davis, Moses Dudley, George Elzy, and one or two others. He thinks the first election was held in 1834, when John G. Marks was elected justice of the peace. Joshua Cope, Jr., was one of the earliest commissioners of Hardin County. There is not one person living who was in the township when he first came into it.

Joshua Cope, Jr., married Elizabeth Hopkins in 1836. Mr. and Mrs. Cope have never had a family. This may be deemed unfortunate; but their care and affections have been bestowed on others, for they have perhaps raised, or partly raised, more children than any family in the township. They have so far adopted and raised fourteen children, and given them all the attention and kindness of natural parents.

The first preaching in the township that he remembers was by Elder David Dudley, and the first school taught by Benjamin Boynton.

When he first came into the township there was but one road cut through the forest, the one leading from Bellefontaine to Upper Sandusky, which was opened by the soldiers in the war of 1812. He assisted in opening the first road leading from Kenton to Marion, which is now gravelled. He usually attended mill in or near Marseilles, Wyandot County, and the milling was generally on horseback. When a boy, he often drove an ox-team to mill with a few bushels of corn or wheat, to Liberty, in Logan County, through the woods, which took about two days to go and return, and sometimes longer, frequently having to camp in the woods all night. As soon as the pioneers got their lands cleared they began to raise wheat, and had to haul it about eighty miles, to find a market, over corduroy bridges and rough roads. The market was at the Lake, and required about one week to make the trip. Here they purchased their sole-leather, groceries, and the like. To get carding done, they went to Bucyrus. The few plain goods needed were purchased at Kenton and elsewhere. These are some of the early hardships and privations of the pioneer.

The making of pikes has done much for the township, and the one upon which the land of Mr. Cope is situated is one of the finest in the county. His farm is under a high state of culture, and produces abundantly wheat, corn, and grass, with but little toil at cultivation.

When Mr. Cope first settled in Marion County, the Indians often brought sugar and cranberries to exchange for something to eat. William Walker, the half breed chief from Upper Sandusky, often stopped with Mr. Cope when he came through Dudley. The Wyandots frequently camped in the township, when the Copes went to see them in camp. Mr. Cope remembers the removal of the Wyandots to their reservation in the west in 1843. Among the chiefs with whom he became acquainted he recollects William Walker, Holy Cross, Between-the-logs, Lump-on-the-head, Grey Eyes, and Peacock.

Mr. Cope is a gentleman of intelligence, industry, and integrity, and commands the esteem of all his neighbors. He has a fine home, and takes much pleasure in the life of a farmer. His charities are many, and his affection for the fatherless and motherless orphan seems unlimited.

Miles Van Fleet was born in Ontario County, New York, in 1805. He married Elvira C. Knapp in 1832, and in June of the same year started to Ohio to enter land upon which to commence the battle of life. At that time he had a brother residing in Big Island township, Marion County, whom he called to see. Upon horseback they visited the forests of Hardin. In doing so they passed down to the home of William La Rue, on the banks of the Scioto, and after eating dinner with him he suggested that he visit what is now Dudley township, Hardin County, and put some corn cake in their saddle bags, as well as corn to feed their horses, when he and his brother started up the banks of the Scioto, and arrived about dark upon the land designated by Mr. La Rue. They dismounted, built a fire in a hollow tree, and prepared to stay all night. While making a fire, the brother took his gun and scoured the forest for wild meat, and soon killed a deer upon which they dined. They then lay down upon their sheep-skin saddle covers, and reposed until morning. After eating roast venison and corn cake for breakfast, they again commenced to prospect. After looking around for some time at different locations, he concluded to locate where he still lives, on section nine in Dudley township. He then returned with his brother to Big Island township, in Marion County. The next evening Mr. La Rue having learned that another party intended to enter the land Mr. Van Fleet had selected, came on horseback on Saturday to the place he was stopping to so inform him. He stated that unless he secured the land before 9 o'clock Monday morning he would lose it. Mr. Van Fleet started for the land office at Tiffin Sunday morning quite early, and arriving there after a long ride through the forest, at an early hour Monday morning, roused the agent out of his bed and secured the land (an occurrence frequently taking place among the pioneers). He then returned to New York, and brought on his wife to Marion County where he stayed one year, and secured provisions enough to last until he could clear land and raise grain of his own. He moved upon his homestead in the spring of 1834.

The first election was held in Dudley township in the fall of that year, Mr. Van Fleet having the honor of putting in the first ballot in the box, he casting it for Mr. Lucas for Governor. The trustees at that election were Joshua Cope, Asa Davis, and —— Jones. The clerks were Rollin Madison and Miles W. Van Fleet. There were twenty votes cast, ten for Lucas and ten for McArthur, and sixty-three in the county. At that time there were two hundred and ten inhabitants in the county; now it has a greater population than any of the surrounding counties. This speaks well for the quality of her lands and the spirit of improvement.

Mr. Van Fleet has been three times married, and is the father of eighteen children, twelve of whom are dead. He is now seventy-three years of age, and still hale and hearty. He cast his first vote for Andrew Jackson for President, and still votes an unscratched ticket. He knew Stephen A. Douglas when a young man, for whom he had a warm attachment; and while he was reading law at Canandaigua, N. Y., he and Douglas were on a committee to raise a hickory pole, at the time Andrew Jackson ran for President. He is proud of his political record and is very frank and decided in his opinions. He is prosperous as a farmer, and retains much influence among his neighbors.

Nathan Smith was born in Muskingum County in 1818, and came to Dudley township, Hardin County, Ohio, in 1843. He married Mary K. McLain the same year. He purchased the land, upon which he now resides, in 1843, and located upon it in 1845. He has raised a family of six children, three boys and three girls, all living. Mr. Smith's farm contains 431 acres of fine tillable land on the banks of the Scioto River. A few years since he built a fine brick house, one of the best in the township, and is finely situated in a pleasant home. There are but few of his original neighbors left. Ephraim McLain, the father of Mrs. Smith, came into the township in the spring of 1842.

CESSNA TOWNSHIP.

This township was organized in 1834, and was named after Charles Cessna, who located in it before the erection of the county. In 1835, William Cessna, father of J. D. Cessna, from whom we obtain the following statement, came into the township from Holmes County, Ohio. The pioneers were Charles Cessna, William McCloud, Sr., Robert McCloud, William McCloud, Jr., Thomas McGoldrick, Thomas Leedom, John Leedom, Jacob Rhine, George Rhine, and Thomas Wilson, who settled as early as 1834, and Thomas H. Wilson, J. D. Wilson, James Cessna, Peter Fogleson, James Coffee, Robert Coffee, William Hartoon, Samuel Calhoun, Levi Matthews, Barnhart Matthews, Isaac Gray, Thomas Hitchcock, and Daniel Trump, who came in about 1834–5–6.

Cessna township was a candidate for the county seat, but owing to the great liberality of the people of Pleasant township, it was located at the town of Kenton.

The first school house was located on lands of William Cessna, and the first teacher was Joseph Wilson.

The first church, M. E., was built on lands of Joseph Wilson, and was of hewed logs. The first preacher remembered was Enos Holmes. This was in 1836. About this time, Rev. Mr. Shaw was a sort of missionary to the township, and held a protracted meeting. A class was organized, previously, composed of four persons: Thomas Hitchcock and wife, and Mrs. Shadley and Mrs. Hamilton. During the progress of a revival, Levi Matthews, who was an Irishman, became very much concerned about the conversion of his wife; and in class-meeting stated that at last his desires had been answered, for his wife became converted on her way home from church, for which he was very happy. He had no doubt of her conversion, "for she made so much noise that the very owls of the forest were frightened."

Mr. James Nelson subscribed five dollars to pay the preacher and had nothing he could sell to obtain the money, over which he felt badly. He studied the matter from time to time, and feared he could not pay the subscription by the time the preacher called again. "He arose very early one morning, and found a large black bear seated on the potato hole, got his gun and killed it, and sold it to Mr. Hitchcock for five dollars, the sum just being the amount of his subscription!"

The first water-mill was one and a half miles east of Kenton. A horse-mill called "Fords," in Marion township, was the first home-mill. Previous to their erection the pioneers were compelled to go to Liberty, and to near Bellefontaine, in Logan County. For a few years hominy-blocks were freely used by the pioneers of Cessna. A few had hand-mills in 1838.

Dr. U. P. Leighton, of Kenton, was the principal physician of this township.

At that time there was less pride than at this period. The men raised and prepared flax, and the ladies spun and wove it into linen for pants and shirts; and when combined with wool it made excellent wearing material. Nearly every lady could spin and weave, and by their industry prepared most of the clothing for the family. It was not uncommon at that period to see ladies at church, at private parties, or at large assemblies, clothed in homemade dresses or in calico. They thus willingly aided their husbands by an honorable economy. The women of that period also picked brush and aided their husbands in harvesting grain.

William Cessna died in 1858, aged eighty-two years. He was a Pennsylvanian by birth. His wife died in 1861, aged seventy-one years.

Mr. J. D. Cessna states that when he first came into Hardin County, game was very abundant, and what was most peculiar, the underbrush and shrubs were so far destroyed by fire that game could be seen a great distance in the forest.

MARION TOWNSHIP.

This township was organized in 1856. The impression is, that the township was named after General Francis Marion, in memory of his services in the American Revolution.

Mr. John S. Shadley states that the pioneers were: Sampson Shadley, from Virginia in 1834, Jesse Garwood, John McClure, Samuel Kirkland, Isaac McElhany, Patrick Connor, Thomas Irvine, James Thompson, Marshall Carman, Alexander Lantz, John Dunlap, John F. Sudor, Joseph Powell, James Powell, Robert Preston, Sen., James Miller, Josiah Smith, a blacksmith, James Nelson, Asa Cooner, Mr. Wooley, Samuel Hagerman, the Walkers, Joshua Ford, Gabrial Hubble, J. W. Demster, Albert Demster, and Asaph Shadley, who came from Virginia, in 1837, with his family. About the same time came John S. Israel, N. Williams, Jr., William A., Daniel V., and David S. Shadley.

At this time the country abounded in almost unbroken forests, game was very abundant, and easily captured. The great swamp was the resort of wolves, bear, and deer in great numbers. Settlers soon began to arrive, and cabins sprang up in every locality.

The first school-house was erected in what is now district No. 2, on lands of Mr. Shadley in section 11, and taught by Jesse Garwood in 1838.

Preaching at that time was in the cabins of the pioneers, and, owing to the sparseness of the settlers, there were but few hearers. Preaching was listened to with respect by all.

The first physician resided in Huntzville. His name was Dr. Chesney. Drs. Blackburn and Perdue did a fair practice in Marion township.

The first mill, commonly known as a horse-mill, was built by Joshua Ford in 1839.

A saw-mill was built about the same time at Huntsville, propelled by steam. Sometime in 1840 a carding machine was erected in the same village.

The great Scioto marsh is in Marion, Cessna, Roundhead, and McDonald townships, and contains about seventeen thousand acres of land. It is being rapidly drained, and around its margins a great deal of excellent land has been reclaimed. The waters of the Scioto, which pass through it, undoubtedly feed and keep it up, though the marsh is gradually becoming firmer and dryer, and in many places will bear the weight of cattle. Hundreds of cattle are annually fed upon the grass of the marsh by being herded on its prairie surface. It is supposed to have been originally a lake, and when the settlers first arrived was covered by water annually. It was formerly a great resort for game—such as bear, deer, wolves, and raccoon. If the scheme of dredging the head of the Scioto should be adopted—making a great ditch through the swamp—the marsh will soon dry up, and become valuable land. So far as redeemed, the lands of the marsh are unusually productive.

PERSONAL REMINISCENCES.

John S. Shadley came with his father from Warren County, Virginia, in 1837. He owns a fine farm in section 11, and is a model farmer. He has gone largely into the fruit business, and has invested a large amount of money in choice fruits and grapes. In his manners and social qualities he fully represents the old Virginian gentleman. In the line of agriculture and horticulture he possesses a valuable homestead. He takes a good deal of interest in the progress of schools and education, and in this respect also is a useful and liberal citizen.

Josiah Smith was born in Lincolnshire, England, July 26, 1826, and emigrated to this county in 1855, and settled in the town of Huntersville, where he has worked at his trade ever since, having learned the trade of a blacksmith in the old country. His pleasant face will long be remembered by his customers, who always find him at the anvil with a kind word for all. He married Elizabeth Gould of the same county in England, in 1852. They have raised three sons and one daughter.

HUNTERSVILLE.

Huntersville is situated in the northern part of Marion township; and was laid out by Thomas Hitchcock in 1839. It was named in honor of Jabez Hunter. At one time it had a number of dry good stores. When the railroad passed through the county east and west the village began to decline, and has gradually lost its prosperity, until nothing remains but the M. E. church and the blacksmith shop of Josiah Smith.

James Miller was born in Centre County, Pennsylvania, in 1808, and settled in Marion township in the spring of 1839. He is a farrier, and a man of influence in his neighborhood and township.

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP.

This township was organized in 1841. The township was settled slowly at first.

The pioneers, in 1834, Mr. John Tressel states, were: Mr. Chandler, John Lattimer, John Shuster, Samuel Wingate, Amariah Thorn, Noah Thorn, Hugh McElroy, Richard Johnston, Robert Hyndman, Issam G. Kindle, Robert Kindle, and Jacob Sleichter. These all came between 1824 and 1840, from Allen, Richland, Tuscarawas, Medina, Columbiana, Muskingum, and Perry Counties, Ohio.

The first school house was in the northeast corner of the township, and the second and third on the north line. The first teacher was James Carter, then John Waters, paid by subscription. The school-houses were log cabins.

Preaching at that time was invariably in the cabins of the pioneers. The first church was built by the Lutherans, and called the Hardin Church. It was in the northwest part of the township, and occupied by the German Reformed also.

The first physician at Ada was Dr. Albert Wiley.

The first grist-mill was by George Hacket, and built in 1840. In 1843 John Tressel put up a water-mill where he now lives on Hog Creek, which did a good business.

John Lattimer was elected justice of the peace in 1841, and re-elected four or five terms. There were about twelve votes cast at the first election.

John Tressel was born in Tuscarawas County, Ohio, October 24, 1810, of German parentage. He came into Liberty township in June, 1842. He married Eliza Tappin in Tuscarawas County in 1833. She died in Liberty township in 1858. Mr. Tressel subsequently married Mrs. Mary Wells. In 1845 he had the misfortune to have his residence and its contents consumed by fire. He states that not a vestige of clothing or furniture was saved from the devouring element. He saved his wife by carrying her to the neighbors. She was very sick and frail at the time. He carried on milling about fifteen years, when the project of draining Hog River Marsh, which was owned by Eastern speculators, compelled him to cease using the mill, by letting out his dam to facilitate their draining operations. After the loss of his mill, he turned his attention to farming and burning lime. The whole base of his farm is formed of corniferous limestone, and when burned makes excellent building or plastering lime. It is as white as chalk when burned, and forms good cement or surface dressing for worn out lands. Mr. Tressel has served twelve years as justice of the peace, and been trustee and school director in Liberty township.

Robert Hyndman came into the township in the fall of 1838, from Allegheny County, Pennsylvania. Philip Hoon, of Ada, and Mr. Hyndman were born in the same county, Antrim, Ireland, in 1804, and came to America in 1834 together. He married Martha Kirtland in 1841, and put up a small round log cabin on the S. ½ of section 20, N. E. quarter, in Liberty township, Hardin County, Ohio, upon which land he has resided ever since, having subsequently put up a good residence and barn, and cleared a fine farm. He gives his whole attention to farming. Being a man of intelligence and unquestioned integrity, his fellow-citizens have put him into active service as a township officer. He has filled the office of township treasurer for twelve years successively. When he first came into Liberty township the Wyandots were in the habit of hunting there One morning in the fall of the year he heard the sharp crack of a rifle near his barn in the edge of a clearing, and upon making search found a Wyandot skinning a deer he had just shot, and he gave him his breakfast. He always got along with the Wyandots in the most friendly manner, for they often visited his cabin and ate with him. He remarked one peculiarity in the Indians, they always seemed to be hungry and great eaters when they could gratify their appetite. Mr. Hyndman was accustomed to attend pretty much all the cabin raisings and log rollings in the settlement for many years, and in this manner passed through all the difficulties and hardships of pioneer life, for all were glad to see new neighbors come and improve the township. It was the custom to have plenty of whiskey at such gatherings, and it was pretty freely used. Whiskey seems to have been one of the favorite beverages among the sons of Erin, yet Mr. Hyndman claims to have always been a strict temperance man, having refrained from the use of stimulants upon all occasions. It is this quality that has given him prestige with his neighbors, and in the township. His family consists of seven children, two boys and five girls.

ADA.

The town was founded immediately after the completion of the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne, and Chicago Railroad in 1852, the principal owner being S. M. Johnson, now of Lima, Allen County. The village was known as Johnson's Station for several years. In 1861 the town was incorporated and the name changed to "Ada." For several years there was but little business done at the station, the principal product being hoop poles and lumber, there being a fine steam saw-mill carried on by Johnson & Co. In those days the main inhabitants of the station were the hands employed at the mill. The Chicago Railroad began to bring prosperity in 1860. Vast amounts of lumber were shipped every year to the Eastern markets, giving employment to many hands, and making a demand for provisions and dry goods. The town or station contained only seventy-five lots in the plat, all on the north side of the railroad, which runs east and west. The first dry goods store was started by John E. Mitchel about 1856. The citizens of Ada have been very zealous in establishing and keeping up good schools. The Union school is a large building of fine appearance, and is estimated to have cost the town about $12,000. The Northwestern Ohio Normal School building, brick, two stories high, with a Mansard roof, was erected in 1870, at a cost of about $15,000, by funds largely donated by the citizens of the township of Liberty and Ada. The school was founded by Prof. H. S. Lehr, and is rapidly acquiring, under his management, a wide reputation as an educational institution. It averages annually about 250 students in attendance.

The town of Ada also contains five churches, one Methodist, one Presbyterian, one Baptist, one Disciple, and one Catholic.

The business department of the town consists of about five dry goods stores, four millinery stores, seven grocery and provision stores, three bakeries, three drug stores, one book store, two jewelry stores, three hotels, two flouring mills, one scroll mill, three steam saw mills, two steam elevators, two banks, five physicians, one boot and shoe store, two tanneries, two clothing stores, two furniture stores, two tin stores, one stove store, one carriage shop, and four meat markets.

The town has also an organized fire department, and a hook and ladder company.

The *Ada Record*, a neutral paper, was established in 1872, by B. L. Thompson, and in 1877 J. E. Fisher became business editor, the name of the paper being changed to "*The Commercial*." In September, 1878 he retired. In November, 1877, the *Literary Casket* was established by Millar and Rutledge. Rutledge sold his interest to B. L. Thompson in September, 1878, and the new firm became Millar and Thompson, who purchased the *Commercial* from Mr. Fisher, consolidating the *Casket* and *Commercial* under the name of the "*Ada Record*."

Northwestern Ohio Normal School.—This prosperous institution is located at Ada, Liberty township, Hardin County, Ohio. It was incorporated in 1871 as the Ada Normal Academy. Its existence came not spontaneously, nor was it founded by any spasmodic effort on the part of any one, or of the community at large. It owes its existence to an easy natural growth; the result of premeditation, method, earnest work and unflagging energy.

In the spring of 1866, H. S. Lehr, the present principal of the institution, came to the village of Ada, then called Johnstown, and made the following proposition to the school board. That he be paid $60 per month for the first year's work, and allowed the use of the school building for select schools when not in use for public school purposes, and that should he prove successful in procuring foreign students, the citizens of the town and vicinity should assist him in erecting buildings suitable for a Normal School.

In a short time the limits of the old frame school-house were outgrown, and a commodious brick building was erected, wages were increased commensurate with the prosperity of the school, and the school kept on increasing, when, after teaching four years, in the fall of 1870, the foreign students amounted to 120, and the new school-house was found too small. The propitious time for asking the citizens for the promised help seemed to have arrived.

A meeting of the citizens was called and the following proposition was made for their consideration: That H. S. Lehr would furnish $3500 toward the erection of a Normal School building, if they would furnish $4000, and donate three acres of ground, suitable for the location of the building. They accepted the proposition, but instead of $4000 they raised about $6000. They now requested him to swell his part of the contract, but not being able to comply, he associated with himself two partners, J. G. Park and B. F. Niesz. The building was at once commenced, and in the fall of 1871, was sufficiently far advanced in construction to admit of dedication, and the school was formally opened August 11, 1871.

First Faculty.—H. S. Lehr, A.M., President; B. F. Niesz, B.S., Vice-President; J. G. Park, Secretary; Theodore Presser.

The enrollment of the first term was 147, but the second or winter term was much smaller. The first year the high school scholars of the Union School attended the Normal School, which increased the enrollment and helped the finances.

The school did not grow much the second year, for various reasons; 1st. The building and the furnishing of the house involved the faculty to a considerable extent, and therefore they were not able to advertise. 2d. Some of the citizens failed to pay their subscriptions according to agreement, which gave the contractors an excuse for not completing the building according to contract. The roof being deficient, afforded an opportunity for litigation between the faculty and the board of trustees, who represented the citizens' capital in the building.

At the end of the second year, a settlement was made between the faculty and trustees, and the building was fully repaired and completed by the faculty. Ever since, the growth has been constant, and the ratio of increase has been 10 to 40 per cent. on each preceding corresponding term. About this time another partner, Lewis Rutledge, was added to the firm. He purchased the half interest of H. S. Lehr. In the spring of 1875 B. F. Niesz sold his interest to J. J. Wood.

In the fall of 1875 the Normal School, known as the Northwestern Normal School, located at Fostoria, Ohio, under the supervision of J. Fraise Richard, was consolidated with this school, and both schools are now known by the name of Northwestern Ohio Normal School, and under the auspices of H. S. Lehr.

April 15, 1879, the Faculty of Instructors consisted of the following persons: H. S. Lehr, A.M., President and Treasurer; J. G. Park, A.M., Secretary; F. Maglott, A.B., Librarian; N. J. Ewing, B.S.; Eva Sissor, A.B.; W. D. Woodward; E. Eugene Davis; Hattie Rowley; F. C. Fryett.

PERSONAL REMINISCENCES.

William Clappin was born in Yorkshire, England, in 1793, and married Sarah Powell in 1823. In the year 1826, he, his wife, and two children came to America. They landed at Quebec, Canada, and immediately started for Ohio. He first stopped at Upper Sandusky, with an uncle by the name of Robert Preston; but soon moved to Big Island township, Marion County, and remained there four years, and returned to Upper Sandusky, and stayed there seven years, and then removed to Liberty township, Hardin County, where he finally located. He is now about 86 years old. For the last eight years he has lived in Ada, having rented his farm. Mr. Clappin has raised a family of nine children, eight of whom are still living. When he lived in Upper Sandusky he was surrounded by Indians, there being but few white people in that region. When he settled in the southeast part of Liberty township, he often passed months without seeing a white person, except his own family.

John J. Garlinger was born in Bedford County, Pennsylvania, in 1824, and came to Columbiana County, Ohio, in 1841 He married Mary Hardman in 1847, and purchased the tract of land on which he now resides. He moved with his wife to Liberty township, Hardin County, Ohio, in 1848. When they left Columbiana they put their few household goods into a one-horse wagon that he borrowed, and started. He was nine days on his journey, and landed safely on the 8th of June, 1848, with only fifty cents to commence the life of a pioneer. He was soon after prostrated with fever and ague, and remained sick several months. In the meantime Mrs. Garlinger took in sewing and knitting, and such other work as she could do for her neighbors, to provide food for herself and sick husband. Their first bedstead was made of hickory poles, cut in the woods, placed in the walls, with bass-wood cords, and rough clapboards for a table and cupboard or dresser. These were hard times; but Mrs. Garlinger says, that when she and her husband were well she never was more happy than when living in the first cabin. Their neighbors were the McElroys, Thorns, and Hackets. Mr. Garlinger now has 240 acres of well-improved land, with good buildings, and all made by the industry of his own hands and the prudent management of his excellent wife and family. He has had eleven children, eight girls and two boys, and one dead. The first school was taught in district No. 1, in a part of Hugh McElroy's dwelling-house, by John Cooney.

John Shuster was born in Washington County, Pa., in 1800, and in his fourteenth year removed to Tuscarawas County, Ohio, and married Miss Elizabeth Winget in 1821, and removed to Liberty township, Hardin County, November, 1839, and located upon his present farm. He has had twelve children, nine of whom are living: Samuel, Sarah, Mary, Martha, Daniel, John, Henry, Joshua, and Elihu. The wife of Mr. Shuster died Feb. 4, 1869. Mr. Shuster entered his land in 1834, and is the only person of that date living in that part of the township. John Candler entered the second piece. Mr. Shuster's house, with its contents, was burned in 1841. The fire occurred in the night, and the family had barely time to escape from the consuming building in their night clothes. All they were able to save was one or two feather beds. When he settled on his farm in the woods, in a cabin, the prospect was indeed dreary. He set to work to clear up his land, aided by his family. He had only $37 left to provide food and clothing for his family. Daniel went to work, in Logan County, to get provisions for the family to live on until he had raised a crop. So hard pressed were they, that he worked at the rate of $8 per month, when men now want three or four times as much.

John Hoon was born in Somerset County, Pa., in 1808, and when about eight years of age moved to Columbiana County, Ohio, and lived there until 1837, when he with his father's family, consisting of father, mother, and five brothers, and four sisters, removed to Hardin County, and entered forty acres of

land in Liberty township, upon which he now resides. He paid the government fifty dollars, all the money he had, for the land. He then hired to work for his neighbors at fifty cents per day, clearing and chopping, and in a few years settled on his land, and cleared it, raised and sold grain at forty cents a bushel, and purchased more land, and now in his old days has one of the finest homes in the township. Among his first neighbors were Robert Hyndman, Richard Johnson, Eli Pugh, John and Elijah Wilson. Where the Kenton and Ada Pike now is, there was no road at all for several years. He had to go to West Liberty, Logan County, to get grinding done. Finally, a man by the name of Jacob Sapp moved into the settlement, and brought along a small pair of buhrs. He, then, with his axe, drawing-knife, and augur, built a small horse-mill, which cracked the first corn in this region. The first blacksmith was Thomas Ryan. It was the custom when the pioneers needed work to go to the woods and gather dry bark to make a fire for the smith to heat the iron. When they desired a screw or a bolt they went to Kenton for it. Such were the hardships of the early settlers of Liberty. Mr. Hoon states that when the people lived in cabins, they were much more accommodating and kind as neighbors, and in many respects happy and contented. He states that about the time he came to enter his lands he was accompanied by others, and when night overtook them on their return they stopped with one Jacob Ryan to get supper and lodging till morning, and when about leaving inquired for their bills. Mr. Ryan said, "a fipin a bit" (six and a quarter cents). Some words passed about the extravagance of the bill, and the trouble of making change. Mr. Ryan inquired from whence they came. They replied from Kenton. He said, in his profane backwoods way, "by G—, I don't charge my neighbors anything. Everybody within ten miles are my neighbors."

Nathan Ahlefield was born in December, 1833, in Richland County, Ohio. He came to Ada, Hardin County, in 1855, as a clerk in the store of Dr. Seiger, in which capacity he served for about two years, when he and W. L. Reese bought the goods of Seiger. In about one year he sold his interest in the store to Mr. Reese, and then in company with Samuel Arbuthnot bought a new stock of goods. They were in company about one year and a half. In the year 1863, Peter Ahlefield, a brother, came to Ada, and went in company in trade, which continued until 1872. Then Peter Ahlefield, Nathan Ahlefield, William and Edward Curry, organized the Citizens' Bank. In 1876 the Currys sold their stock in the bank to the Ahlefields, who have entire control of the business. The Ahlefields have taken the lead in all the business interests of the town, and perhaps have done as much as any others in all the enterprises of the town or community, while they have been engaged in the mercantile and banking business. In the mean time, they have dealt largely in real estate. Perhaps Nathan has owned in fee simple as much land as any man in Hardin County. He has been, and now is, one of the largest land owners in the township and county.

The railroad at Ada, where a steam elevator has been erected, brings much business to the town. The town is situated very near the centre of Liberty township, making it a convenient mart for shipping and selling all surplus produce, horses, cattle, etc. The population of the town is now estimated at about 1600.

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP.

This township was organized in 1834. The Hog Creek Marsh is situated in this township. It contains about seven thousand acres of land. About its margins a large number of acres of land have been redeemed by drainage. Formerly water covered the marsh the greater part of the year; but some years since the channel of Hog Creek was cut deeper, which carried off a large part of the water. The bed of the creek was a limestone of great hardness, though stratified in plates or flakes, making excellent building material, and when burned fine lime.

The lands of this and the adjoining township is regarded as among the best in the State for agricultural purposes. The Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad passes through this township from east to west.

The earliest settlers were John P. Eulin in 1832, John Fry in 1832, George Lynch in 1833, John McBride, Henry Thorn, Andrew Kridler, Sidney Beard, Jacob Blider, Wilmot Munson, H. P. Darst, Moses Riley, J. Loper, Barnard Wagoner, John Guel, Hermon Obenour, Frederick Markley, Jacob Schrole, Adam Orth, Jacob Crow, Jacob Grinner, Morgan Gardner, William Kraft, William Schrader, and Andrew Kridler.

The first justice of the peace was George Adams, and the first constable Richard Hamilton. The trustees were Benjamin Eulin, George Lynch, and John Fry. The first clerk was Richard Hamilton.

The first general election was held at the cabin of Richard Hamilton in 1835.

The first school taught in the township was by Wilmot Munson in 1838.

The first Sabbath-school was held at the cabin of Moses Riley, Benjamin Eulin being superintendent.

Benjamin Eulin built the first horse-mill in 1838, which was a great resort for the pioneers for many miles. It made very excellent flour, and is believed to have been one of the earliest flour-mills in the county.

PERSONAL REMINISCENCES.

Adam Orth was born in Hessia, Germany, and emigrated to America and settled in Washington township, Hardin County, where he died in 1872, at his son's house, H. Orth. Mr. H. Orth began life on a forty-acre farm. He commenced by clearing land for others by the job. In this manner he accumulated means to purchase his lands, and meet his payments promptly. When he married he was very poor, and lived very economically. By industry and careful investments he became a thriving farmer, and now owns a valuable homestead.

David Obenour was born in Stark County, Ohio, in 1826, and moved to Washington township, Hardin County, with his parents in 1837. They located on section 33. He was married in 1848 to Hannah Claphan, and now resides on the farm entered by his father, and follows farming as a business, and it has proved a financial success. When they first came, the farm was a heavy forest, there being no work done. At that time the county was very wild, and abounded in all sorts of game peculiar to this region, such as bear, deer, turkeys, raccoon, wolves, and the like. There was, therefore, plenty of wild meat. He remembers one great hunter in the neighborhood, John Hoover, who shot in one day seven deer. Bee trees were exceedingly abundant. On one occasion Mr. Obenour helped take a bee tree in which he found a washtub full of pure honey! He then hived the bees in a salt barrel, and the next year they had filled that with honey! Obenour was born in Washington County, Pa., in 1800, and moved to Hardin County, Ohio, in 1837, and was among the earliest settlers in the township, and died in 1852. He was the father of twenty children, being married twice.

John L. Kahler was born in 1778 in Wurtemberg, Germany, and came to America in 1834 by the way of New York City, and entered forty acres of land in Washington township, and moved his family to it in 1836. He has followed farming ever since. By industry and prudent management he has added many more acres to his homestead, and supported his family.

John G. Kahler was born in 1821, and came to America with his father's family, and settled in Hardin County in 1836.

D. Owen came into Washington township at an early day, and endured many hardships, having to attend mill at Frederick Obenour's, who had a horse-mill, by putting a bag of wheat or corn on a horse and riding nine miles through the woods by paths. He frequently failed to obtain his grist, and had to return home without it to feed and do chores. Mr. Owen has lived to clear his farm, and see the population of the township greatly increased, and is now surrounded by many of the comforts of life.

VILLAGES.

North Washington is situated near the railroad which passes over the township. It was laid out sometime after the Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad was completed, and is a shipping point for surplus products. The village is small.

BLANCHARD TOWNSHIP.

Blanchard township was organized in 1835. It was originally very heavily timbered and abounded in great numbers of deer, turkey, and occasionally a bear. It required much labor to remove the forests and prepare lands for cultivation.

The earliest settlers were: John McBride, D. H. Edgar, Mahlon McBride, Allen McBride, Hugh McIlravy, Robert McMillen, William Wilcox, William and Henry Thorms, John Gum, and Renatus Gum.

The earliest settlers had to travel through the forest by paths to Logan County to obtain grinding or purchase meal and flour, which made a round trip of about fifty miles. Many were compelled to use hominy-blocks to pound their corn, sifting out the finest to make meal and bread. It is stated in the great distress of the pioneers, John McBride visited the Wyandot Indians of Upper Sandusky and purchased a hand-mill about twenty inches in diameter, with two stones or buhrs, which ground very well by being turned by a lever or sweep, and was regarded as a great acquisition by the settlement. By handwork it ground about two bushels of corn per day! The first horse-mill was about fifteen miles away in Allen County. It was owned by William Ford and did good work. It ground for this neighborhood about twelve years. Afterwards, Benjamin Eulin built a draft-mill on Hog Creek, three miles away, in Washington township.

The first schools were taught in round log cabins by Miss Irene Gum and Miss Elvira Lillibridge on lands of W. W. Johnson about 1844.

Preaching was held in cabins for a long time. Meeting was often held in the cabin of John Gum in what is now Washington township, by Rev. Hunt, the first preaching in Blanchard being at the cabin of Robert Wiles, by M. E. preachers. The first frame church built in Blanchard was in 1859, by the Methodists.

DUNKIRK.

The town of Dunkirk was laid out in the spring of 1852, and at first had a small grocery store opened by Mr. Renatus Gum. He kept only the necessary groceries, such as tea, coffee, sugar, tobacco, and whiskey. To these he soon added dry goods. He also opened the first hotel, the "Green House," which did a good business. The first store was opened by William Porterfield. The first family that came to town was George Kinsey, and the second, John Watters, Anderson Watters being the first child born in the village in 1858. The first squire elected in the town was William Brant, and the first doctor was a man by the name of Steyer. The first school was taught by Moses Louthan. The first church was built in 1860, by the United Brethren.

The railroad was completed in 1854. At the time the town was laid out the surrounding inhabitants were Renatus Gum, D. H. Edgar, H. D. Miller, John Watters, A. Lynch, D. L. Marquis, W. W. Johnson, and Solomon Keiper, some of whom resided within what is now Dunkirk. In 1857 the town began to make great improvement. Thomas Mahon & Co. opened a large dry goods store. This was followed by Bowers & Bosserman, who opened a hardware store in 1867, in a brick building. In 1868 the Mahon Brothers opened a manufactory for agricultural implements, which has done a thriving business and been greatly enlarged.

The business part of the town consists of five provision stores, three dry good stores, two drug stores, two hardware stores, one bank, one newspaper, two hotels, four doctors, two lawyers, four carriage shops, four blacksmith shops, one agricultural shop, one stave and heading shop, two livery stables, two planing-mills, one grist-mill, three saw-mills, three churches, two furniture stores, one tile factory, one union school, and two warehouses.

In 1869 the union school buildings were erected and a fine school started, the scholars throughout the village being all graded in the same building. Dunkirk should feel proud of her growth, her schools, and general prosperity.

Large quantities of limestone are quarried at Dunkirk, and shipped annually to be burned into lime, and to make ballasting for the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad.

In 1875 Mr. S. B. Davis established the *Standard*, which has flourished and prospered by the patronage of the business men of Dunkirk. It is neutral in politics and ably conducted, as a local paper, and meets the wants of the people.

PERSONAL REMINISCENCES.

Renatus Gum was born in the State of Delaware, September 18, 1817, and came to Ohio, Knox County, with his father's family and settled near Danville. In 1838 he accompanied John Gum, his father, and family, to Washington township, Hardin County, where he settled north of Hog Creek Marsh. After their flour gave out he had to go to West Liberty, Logan County, to get corn ground, making a journey of about two days, by paths through the forest. Mr. Gum built the first cabin of hewed logs, about 1851, in Dunkirk, south of the railroad track. He says Dunkirk was laid out by Hugh D. Miller, in 1851. When he came into Washington township there were yet beaver, otter, deer, bear, turkey, porcupine, hedgehogs, and wolves in abundance, and made night noisy by their serenades. The best hunters of those days were Levi W. Bodley, W. D. Miller, and D. H. Edgar, who ranged the forest for game. The warmest friendship existed in the township among pioneers. All had to go plainly clad. Woolsey linsey and linen were the general clothing. Butternut colored pantaloons for the men, while homemade dresses for the ladies were seen in all gatherings. The ladies spun and wove nearly all articles of wearing apparel. Dr. A. K. McCaskey was the principal physician. The precise date of coming into Blanchard township is not remembered. Mr. Gum resides in Dunkirk and has a comfortable home.

D. H. Edgar came into what is now Blanchard township, in 1830, when a young man. The township was organized about four years after he came. All south of the Scioto being of the Virginia military survey was known as "Roundhead township," when he first came. All north of the Scioto being regular surveys, in sections, half and quarter sections, constituted but one township. The first spring election was in 1835. There were then but seven voters in Blanchard township. Mr. Edgar was elected justice of the peace, and since then has been re-elected seven terms. He has served two years as mayor of Dunkirk. He remembers among the pioneers the names of E. Hueston, Levi Bodley, William McElravy, John Fry, George Mowry, and James Parker. Mr. Edgar taught a school in Blanchard as early as the winter of 1830. His pupils were of three families, and paid by subscription. The first preaching he heard in the township, was in a cabin by Rev. Thompson of the Sandusky mission. Meeting was held in the cabin of Joseph Bates. There were but four members, Joseph Bates and wife, K. Hamblin and wife, and afterwards the wife of Mr. Edgar. The first frame church was built by the Methodists in 1868. Mr. Edgar now resides in the south part of Dunkirk. He is now seventy-eight years old, having been born in Beaver County, Pa., September 8, 1800. He is of English descent. His father, Joseph Edgar, came to Holmes County, Ohio, in 1814, where he died. He is now a farmer and resides with his son, having lost his wife in 1866. Very few pioneers have exercised more influence than he, as will be seen from his long service as justice of the peace, making in all a quarter of a century! He yet possesses a good deal of bodily vigor and a clear and unclouded mind.

In an article published in the Dunkirk *Standard*, Mr. Edgar very fully describes the manners and customs of the early

settlers of Hardin. We think the article too good to be lost, and therefore believe the people of Blanchard township will be pleased to have it embodied in the Atlas. It is as follows:—

"Our manners, as first settlers of Hardin County, were like our dress. Our dress, after wearing out what we had brought with us to this country, consisted of a very coarse quality of material. I soon found that it was much easier for a civilized man to become wild, than for a wild man to become civilized. The early introduction of religion and commerce was beneficial to our county. At a very early period the Rev. Thomas Thompson, of the Sandusky mission, a Methodist, was on the track of the pioneer. Scarcely had the pioneer his cabin covered before he would have two or three, if not more, in a little class, and would preach to the few with as much energy as do the ministry of this day to large congregations and with their liberal salaries. Had it not been for those noble men, our country to this day, as to a great extent, would have been semi-barbaric. How many thousands of our most ignorant and licentious people have been instructed and reclaimed from the error of their ways and been restored to society! Even the most worthless have been made valuable citizens and have become useful in all the situations of life. The early introduction of dress has changed the aspect of our country as much as anything else, and has given a new current to public feelings and individual pursuits.

"The hunter and soldier, when he had changed his hunting garb for that of the civilized man, soon lost sight of his former occupation and assumed a character and a new line of life. The soldier, when he receives his discharge and lays aside his regimentals, soon loses the feelings of a soldier, and even forgets in some degree his manual exercise.

"Had not commerce permitted the means of changing the manners of dress of our people and the furniture for their houses; had the hunting shirt, the moccasin, and leggings continued to be the dress of our men; had the three-legged stool, the noggin, the trencher, and the wooden bowl continued to be the furniture of houses, our progress toward science and civilization would have been much less than now.

"The inquiries will be made where were the mills to grind the grain? where were the tanneries to tan our leather? A substitute for grinding was the grater and the hominy block, and hand-mills were in use in most of our houses. The first was made of a large block of wood about three feet long, with an excavation burned in at one end, wide on the top and narrow on the bottom, so that the action of the pestle at the bottom threw the corn up to the side toward the top, from where it continually fell down in the centre; in consequence of this movement the entire mass of the grain was equally subjected to the strokes of the pestle. In the fall of the year, while the Indian corn was soft, the block and pestle did very well for making meal for Johnny-cake and mush, but was rather slow when the corn became hard. The sweep was something used to lessen the toil of pounding grain into meal. This consisted of a pole of some elastic wood, thirty feet long or more, the butt end being placed under a log of a house or a stump, the pole being suspended by two forks being placed about one-third of the length from the butt end so as to elevate the small end about fifteen feet from the ground; to this was attached, by a large mortise, a piece of about four inches in diameter and eight or ten feet long. The lower end of this was shaped so as to answer for a pestle, a hole was bored through this pestle so that two could work at it at the same time. This simple machine very much lessened the labor and expedited the work. The hand-mill was better than the grater or mortar and pestle. It was made of two circular stones, the lower was called the bed stone, and the upper the runner. These were placed in a hoop with a hole to discharge the meal. A staff was let into a hole in the upper surface of the runner near the outer edge, and the upper end through a hole in a board fastened to a joist above, so that two persons could be employed in turning the mill at the same time. The grain was put in the runner by hand. When we ground buckwheat we had to use a sieve of a different quality from that used at the present time. It was made of deer skin, in the state of parchment stretched over a hoop, and punched with a hot iron on the backspring of some old jack knife. We then made all our moccasins of this article. This was the manner we obtained our bread for some years while trying to improve Hardin County.

"Hunting was quite an important part to secure meat to feed our families during the winter season. The fall and early part of the winter was the season for hunting deer, and all of the winter and part of the spring for hunting bears and smaller animals, the skins of which were valuable for furs. As soon as the leaves were pretty well down, and the weather became rainy, accompanied by high winds, we began to feel that we were hunters, and became uneasy at home after it was daylight. I have ofttimes gotten up at three o'clock in the morning and went out into a clear spot to examine the direction of the wind. If it was so still that we could not ascertain its direction, our custom was then to put our finger into our mouth and hold it there some time, and then hold it up in the open air. The side of the finger that would get cold first would be the direction. We would start for our hunt, after getting our rifles, which were suspended to a joist by a couple of buck-horns or little forks. Our hunting dogs, understanding the intention of their masters, would wag their tails, and by every blandishment in their power express their readiness to accompany their masters to the woods. Hunting is not a mere ramble in pursuit of game where there is nothing to kill. The hunter, before he would start out in the morning, was informed by the state of the weather in what direction he should hunt, or in what situation he might meet with his game, whether in swamps or in the low lands, or on more elevated ground. It was requisite for the hunter to know the cardinal points: he had only to observe the bark and moss on the north side of an aged tree to ascertain north or south. After hunting a while over the same ground, one becomes very well acquainted with nearly all the gangs of deer within the range so as to know each flock when seeing them. Ofttimes some old buck by means of his superior sagacity and watchfulness, saved his little gang from the hunter's skill by giving timely notice of the enemy's approach. The cunningness of the hunter and that of the old buck were staked against each other, and it frequently happened that the old buck was left the free uninjured tenant of the forest; but if his rival succeeded in bringing him down, the history was followed by no small amount of boasting on the part of the conqueror."

The old army trail of 1812 passed over this township. "Fort Necessity" was near the northwest line of the township, in Hancock County, and was a "blockhouse" or stopping point for the soldiers.

JACKSON TOWNSHIP.

Jackson township was organized in 1836. At the first election there were about seven voters present. The township at first settled slowly, owing to milk sickness and chills. This condition alarmed emigrants and prevented settlement. As soon as the heavy forest began to disappear, the milk sickness passed away, and health began to improve. About 1840, the township began to improve quite rapidly. About this time the first school-house appeared on Blanchard Creek, and the first teacher was Hugh Johnson. At this time preaching was generally in the cabins of the pioneers. The first preachers were Rev. Robert Bell and Rev. Thomas Thompson, a missionary from Upper Sandusky. In the south part of the township the pioneers attended a mill at Cherokee, Logan County. In 1856 a steam grist-mill was built in the township, which was a great relief to all.

The pioneers were W. C. Dewitt, Henry Zimmerman, Thomas Hueston, William Hueston, John McVitty, John Rapp, and Reuben Hamlin. These were all in as early as 1837.

FOREST.

In 1854, Forest was laid out by Gormley and Dixon. It has two hotels, one elevator, two dry goods stores, three churches—one Methodist Episcopal, one Presbyterian, and one Protestant—one planing mill, one union school, one blacksmith shop, one saloon, two tanneries, one steam saw-mill, one cooper shop, two shoe shops, one wagon shop, and is a growing town. The Pittsburg, Ft. Wayne, and Chicago, and the Cleveland, Sandusky, and Cincinnati Railroad passes through the town. It is quite a mart for shipping produce, the principal products being grain and fruit.

It has one newspaper, *The Forest News*, neutral in politics, and published weekly. It was started by J. K. Lowrie.

The town has four physicians, Jos. Stansell, Thomas Gammel, John McClurg, and Joseph Lillibridge.

Jackson and Blanchard townships are fractional in quantity. Part of Jackson was transferred to Wyandot County in 1845.

PATTERSON.

This village is located in the southern part of Jackson township, on the pike, and was a rival for the Pittsburg, Ft. Wayne, and Chicago Railroad. It was laid out, in 1845, by Geo. H. Patterson. It has one hotel, one dry goods store, one provision store, one drug store, one mill, one tannery, and two churches, one post-office, and many fine residences.

PERSONAL REMINISCENCES.

William C. Dewitt was born in Ulster County, New York, April 11, 1807, and came to Richland County, Ohio, with his parents in 1817, removing to Jackson township, Hardin County, in 1835. At that period the population of the township was very meagre, amounting, perhaps, to about one dozen of persons. Mr. Dewitt married in Seneca County. He was quite a hunter in his younger years. He states that the first fall he was in Jackson township he killed 63 deer. At that time there were but few bears, plenty of turkeys, and many wolves. He shot ten wolves, and claimed the premium. At that time the Wyandots hunted a good deal in Hardin County. They passed his cabin, but were friends and harmless. He sometimes visited them in Upper Sandusky, and was always kindly treated. He has had nine children, six boys and three girls. Three sons are deceased.

Edward Warner came from Seneca County in 1835, and settled about one mile from where Forest now is. He was born in New Haven County, Connecticut, May 14, 1817, and came to Seneca County, Ohio, when he was 27 years of age. He married and settled in Goshen township, Hardin County. When he came, he found that Joseph Barns and Mr. Hewey had preceded him to that township. He was present when Jackson township was organized. It cast ten or twelve votes. The first squire was Joseph Barns. Thomas Ketch was the second justice of the peace. The first preaching was in cabins, and the first preacher in his neighborhood was Thomas Clark, and occasionally Enos Holmes. Mr. Warner has gone entirely blind from amaurosis, and is unable to travel except as he is guided. This circumstance adds much gloom to his declining years.

John McVitty was born in Franklin County, Pennsylvania, April 25, 1808. He is of Scotch-Irish descent. He moved to Jackson township, Hardin County, in 1837, having entered a farm in section 14, of 160 acres, and moved in 1835. When he came, he found Thomas and William Hueston, Jas. Packer, Peter Johnson, William Higgins, and a few others. The first school was on Thomas Hueston's farm, and taught by John McVitty. The first preachers were Rev. Messrs. Shaw, Zingle, and Thompson. The Christians have a church on section 15.

Mrs. McVitty died in 1862. His family consists of twelve children, seven deceased and five living. He is a good farmer and keeps his homestead in fine condition. He has seen many changes in the township since his arrival. At first the pioneers had to be content with a bitter struggle to subdue the wildness of the forest, and those who survived the struggle, have pleasant homes in their declining years.

Robert S. Wilson, a native of Medina County, Ohio, came to Hardin County, in 1830, a poor boy, seeking a home and employment. After various adventures he finally engaged to work for Samuel Courtland, in what is now Marion township. Mr. Courtland had recently moved into the township from Licking County and had a little money to pay for clearing up his land, and Mr. Wilson, then a boy, was very glad to obtain employment. He set to work in a clearing. Pretty soon Thomas Irwin, Isaac McElhary, John McClure, relatives of Courtland, arrived from Licking County, and needed cabins to move into. Mr. Wilson was accustomed to preparing the logs for such edifices, but the new comers were inexperienced sons of Erin, and neither knew how to chop, saw, or make rails. They cleared a spot for a cabin, and Wilson went into the forest to chop small logs to be constructed into the new house, and instructed one of his Irish friends how to convey them by the agency of oxen to the place designated for the new cabin, and was surprised on returning to find the logs neatly piled in the centre of the clearing, where the cabin was to be built. In preparing the clapboards and puncheons they were cut in proper lengths with a large cross-cut saw, and in this he found the new pioneers equally awkward. They bore on the saw so as to greatly fatigue him, and the only retaliation he could return was to bear down also while they pulled the saw, and in this way he compelled them to drag it through the log until they began to complain of the work. In this manner he aided in collecting logs, cutting puncheons, and splitting clapboards until the three cabins were completed, when the three happy Irishmen were fairly in backwoods palaces. At that time there were but few settlers in the township and great privations had to be endured. There had been very little of the forest removed and but very little grain had been raised. Mr. Wilson relates that the people visited Logan County to obtain corn for meal, and the mills of that region to have it prepared. It generally took two days to make the trip on horseback by narrow Indian paths. On one occasion, while in the employ of Courtland, in the fall of the year, Mr. Wilson visited one of the mills of Logan County with a well-trained saddle-horse, and obtained about two and a half bushels of corn meal, and had returned to within about five miles of home, and while riding lazily along saw a woodchuck scamper along the path a short distance ahead. Boy-like he jumped to the ground, leaving his horse and meal, and gave pursuit. He soon compelled it to seek safety in a hollow beech tree, and in order to enjoy the chirping whistle he took a stick and punched the animal in a lively manner. On looking around for old "Dobbin" he discovered to his amazement that the sack of meal had been deposited on the ground and his faithful saddle-horse was enjoying a healthy roll. Here was a predicament. He was in the midst of a dense forest, five miles from any cabin, and the sun only about an hour above the western horizon. He was too small to lift the bag into its proper place on the horse and could get no one to help him. The thought started the perspiration. He revolved the whole matter in his mind for a few minutes. About fifty yards away he saw a fallen hickory tree, the top of which was elevated to the level of his horse; if he could get the sack on it he could place it (the sack) on the back of old "Dobbin." But he could not carry it. After some reflection he hitched his horse and then undertook to drag the sack to the fallen tree. He failed. He then up-ended it and pushed it forward each time until he finally reached the fallen tree, and then by a tremendous effort pushed the bag across the lowest part of the log in the hope of rolling or pulling it to the highest point, where he hoped to be able to push it on the back of the horse, but he could not pull it along the log owing to the roughness of the bark. His next point was to roll it over and over until he reached the top, which he succeeded in doing. He then brought his faithful old horse as near the log as possible and talked very pretty to him, promising all sorts of gentle treatment in the future if he would stand quiet and gentle until the sack could again be placed on his back. The old horse stood very kindly while he shoved and lifted, until, to his great joy,

it was again replaced, just before dark, and with a heart bounding with joy he hastened to the cabin of Courtland with his precious treasure, resolving never again to abandon his horse and meal and go in pursuit of a woodchuck.

About that time the pioneers depended largely on the result of the chase for meat. Bears, wolves, raccoons, turkeys, and other game abounded plentifully in Hardin County. Coon around the Scioto and Hog Creek marshes could be found by thousands. Mr. Wilson says that while in the employ of Courtland one fall, he sold enough coon skins, at twenty-five cents a pair, to purchase a barrel of flour at $6.50, which was quite a treat in those days. In this manner he worked and saved his wages until he reached manhood, when he had enough to purchase forty acres of land in what is now Jackson township, and then married. When he built his first cabin his wife, with her knitting, sat on a log near by while he cleared a spot for it. He thinks that in all, while a hired hand, he had cut away over one hundred acres. He added to his first forty acres by industry and economy, until his farm now contains a hundred and sixty acres, with good improvements. When he came into Jackson township, he found the following pioneers: Thomas and William Hueston, Jacob Huffine, John Ropp, James Packer, John Hewey, Jos. Barnes, and John McVitty. He thinks John Hewey was elected the first temporary justice of the peace, being the only eligible man at the time, and was succeeded by Joseph Barnes, who held the office one term.

He now resides in Forest, of which he is mayor.

GOSHEN TOWNSHIP.

Goshen township was organized in 1834. From the richness of the soil and the great quantity of honey produced by wild bees, this township received the name of "Goshen," after an ancient country in Egypt by that name. The soil is very productive and yields abundant crops of wheat, corn, oats, and hay. The township was settled as early as 1830, and is now noted for its fine farms, and valuable houses and barns.

The early settlers were: Samuel Kelly and wife, Jacob Yanger, Jonathan Mason, Hugh Pugh, William and Morris Baker, Samuel McCuen, Alexander Pool, Solomon Adams, John and Ethan Terris, S. and J. Hastings, Henry Cole, George Butcher, Jonas Butcher, Adam Pfeiffer, George Pfeiffer, Samuel Strawser, S. and A. Hartle, and John Millar, father of R. D. Millar, who came into the township in 1836.

The first justice of the peace is believed to have been Jacob Yauger, in 1835.

The first school was in a little round log cabin, on section 20, and taught by Sloan McCowan in the winter of 1836–37.

The first church organized in Goshen was in that part of the township transferred to Marseilles, in 1840. The first church in the present bounds of Goshen was Asbury M. E., in 1856. The second was the United Brethren at Mason's Corners, in 1872. The third was McKendrick M. E., in 1859. The fourth was the German Reformed, on section 32. The fifth was the Lutheran, on section 31.

There were no physicians in this township. No doctors were needed for years, except Dr. Leighton, occasionally to give a little medicine, or extract a tooth.

There is no water-power in the township, and hence no saw-mills or grist-mills. The improvements in Goshen have been largely confined to public highways, the farm, and common schools. There are no villages in Goshen township.

PERSONAL REMINISCENCES.

R. D. Millar was born in Muskingum County, Ohio, Sept. 26, 1819, and came to Hardin and settled with his father's family on section 30 and 31, in Goshen township in 1836. His father, John Millar, now deceased. His brothers and sisters were: Thomas B., James R., John D., Jane, and Agnes. Mr. Millar resides on the homestead, 160 acres, which is under a good state of cultivation. His residence presents a handsome appearance and is surrounded by excellent improvements. Mr. Millar has often been elected to minor township offices, such as clerk, assessor, trustee, &c. In 1851 he was elected surveyor, and held the office until 1857. From 1861 to 1867 he was county auditor. From 1868 to 1869 he was county engineer for the construction of pikes and gravel roads. In 1876–7 he was again appointed and served as engineer. At the present time he is engaged in farming. He has but one child, Miss Ida Millar.

John Adam Pfeiffer was born in Prussia, August 14, 1808, and came to Springfield, Ohio, in 1837, and thence to Kenton, and Goshen township about 1840, and settled where he now resides. Here he lost his wife in 1859, and since that time has resided with his sons, George and Peter. His brother John came to Kenton two years before his arrival, and his brother George came to Springfield and stayed seven years, and married Mary Shearer, and then moved to Goshen township where he now resides. The brothers all live in the same neighborhood and join farms. Peter and George cut the road through near where their houses now stand some time before Peter built his residence and fine barn. Peter married Sabille Wolf, daughter of Jacob Wolf, of Pleasant township. They are now blessed with interesting twin-girls. George Pfeiffer, Sr., came from Hessia, in 1836, and settled in Goshen in 1846. He married Mary Strauser, and has six children. They are excellent farmers.

George M. Cummins was the first settler in the northeast part of Goshen township. He was born in Warren County, New Jersey, Nov. 5, 1789, and came to Hardin County, Ohio, Feb. 1835. He died January 14, 1866, on the farm now owned by his son, Jacob S. Cummins, who was born in Warren County, New Jersey, Oct. 1825, and removed with his parents to Hardin County.

The next settler was Jeremiah Sims, born in Mifflin County, Pa., May 14, 1791, and is still living on the old farm with his son John, born in Mifflin County, Pa., Sept. 10, 1821, and came with his parents to Hardin County.

Jacob Yauger was born in Pennsylvania, January 18, 1799, and moved to Hardin County, Ohio, in 1836. He died April 20, 1868. The farm is now owned by his son William Yauger who moved with his parents to this county.

The elections in Goshen township were held at the residence of William Yauger from 1841 to April, 1878, when the trustees bought a quarter of an acre of land off of the N. W. corner of Mr. Yauger's farm for the use of the township where elections are now held.

Mr. J. B. Pumphrey was born in Fayette County, O., in 1838, and accompanied his father's family to their new home in Wyandot County in 1852, where he continued his residence until his father's death in 1859. In 1860 he married Miss Adella Cook and continued his residence in Wyandot until 1862. His military career was long, and partook of many hardships. Aside from patriotism his home influences had specially prepared him for the sufferings of military life. His father had accompanied General Harrison in his campaigns, and in after years the narration of his experience as a scout was eagerly relished by his son James. Fired by a zeal for the old flag, and these recollections of his father, he enlisted in Aug. 1862 as a private in company A, 123 O. V. I. This regiment under General Milroy, at once joined the army of the Potomac. At the organization of his regiment Mr. P. was appointed orderly sergeant, which rank he retained about eight months when he was promoted second lieutenant. Prior to June, 1863, the regiment engaged in a number of skirmishes, but the battle of Winchester was its first general engagement. Here the 123d was stationed at General Early's point of attack, which was made on Saturday. The fort defended itself until Monday, when it was evacuated, and the Union forces attempted to reach Harper's Ferry, but were intercepted, and the 123d, with several other regiments, were made prisoners.

After eleven months' confinement in Libby Prison they were transferred to Danville, Va., from which they were soon taken to Macon, Georgia, when after three months they were again removed to Charleston, S. C. Here Mr. P. was one of the 600 prisoners placed under the fire of the Union guns while the city was being shelled. From here they were taken to Columbia, S. C. While en route from Macon to Charleston the prisoners planned the capture of the train, but the failure of one man to give the proper signal, caused the failure of the plot. After several weeks at Columbia, while the parolemen were one afternoon securing prison wood, Mr. P. took leave without parole, succeeded in passing the guards, and on passing the lines was met by four comrades. They started northward and by travelling at night, succeeded in eluding the confederates until the eighth day, when they were discovered by a woman who informed the authorities. By the use of hounds they were recaptured and returned to their old prison. About two weeks later Mr. P., in company with Lieut. Blair, succeeded in making his escape. After wandering about 42 days they reached Knoxville, Tenn., and were sent to Washington. Here Mr. P. obtained leave of absence and went home. Three weeks afterward he was instructed to report at Tod barracks. While here he was commissioned first lieutenant, but never mustered as such, as he was retained on detached duty and not permitted to rejoin his regiment. He was mustered out of service in June, 1865, and returned to his home in Wyandot County. In 1868 he moved to Dudley township, Hardin County, Ohio, but three years afterwards removed to Goshen township where he still resides. In 1876 he was elected county commissioner, which position he still retains.

PLEASANT TOWNSHIP.

This township was organized in 1833. The earliest settlers are believed to have been William Furney, George Houser, Jacob Houser, Lemuel Wilmoth, and Charles W. Stevenson. As soon as the township was formed, a zealous contest for the location of the seat of justice sprang up.

The records of the county having been destroyed by fire some years since, we labor under many difficulties in attempting to give the history of the county.

By a joint resolution of both branches of the legislature of Ohio, adopted on the 16th day of April, 1833, Ira Page, Abner Snoddy, and Edward Morgan were appointed a committee to locate the seat of justice of Hardin County, State of Ohio.

On the first day of June following the appointment they reported that they had selected a site, locating it on the north bank of the Scioto River, on land belonging to George Houser, Jacob Houser, and Lemuel Wilmoth, on part of sections 33 and 34, in Pleasant township.

The conditions were, that the foregoing parties had agreed to donate about forty acres of land for the benefit of the county, making deeds of conveyance for the same; and at the September term of the Court of Common Pleas in 1833, the report was ordered to be adopted, and made part of the records.

The lands thus donated were divided into lots by Charles W. Stevenson, who was appointed director, and sold for the benefit of the county at public auction on the 15th and 16th of October, 1833.

The county seat being established, the next difficulty was to fix the name. The committee having agreed on its location, there was much discussion on what the town should be called. In the mean time, the committee and William McCloud, who had been to view the site of the town, had arrived at Fort McArthur, where he resided, to get dinner. Mrs. McCloud had a good dinner of wild meat, for William McCloud was a noted hunter, and all the parties were very hungry. The committee suspended the discussion in order to discuss the admirable refreshments of the lady who presided at old Fort McArthur. The parties were soon in the best of humor, and being unable to agree among themselves on the appropriate name for the new county seat, agreed to leave the decision to Mrs. McCloud, when in response as to her choice of names without hesitancy she declared in favor of "Kenton," in honor of the friend of her husband, the great border warrior and unquestioned patriot. The committee declared her choice excellent, and the new county seat was called "KENTON."

Simon Kenton was born in Fauquier County, Va., April 3, 1755. He died in Logan County, Ohio, in 1836, and his remains were buried near Zanesfield, in that county. He settled in Kentucky in 1771, and became the companion of Daniel Boone. In his encounters with the Indians he displayed remarkable courage, sagacity, and endurance. He fought with the Kentucky troops at the battle of the Thames.

There is a tradition that Mrs. William Furney took up the first root or grub with a mattock that was taken from the site of where Kenton is now located. It is certain that the first house was built in Kenton, in 1833, by Major William Furney. It was built on the lot immediately south of the Reese House. The family moved in on the 4th day of July, 1833, and feasted on roast venison and baked Johnny-cake.

When the lots of Kenton were laid out, a fine public square upon which to erect the court-house was reserved. This now makes a fine promenade, and adds much to the beauty of the city.

The first court was held at the house of the Hon. William McCloud, March 8, 1833. The court was held by Associate-Judges William McCloud, Joseph Bowdle, and Thomas Hueston. The judges were commissioned for seven years from the 28th of January, 1833. After the organization of the court, Alexander Thompson was appointed Clerk *pro tem.* of the Court of Common Pleas. He gave bond in the sum of $10,000, with Daniel Campbell and Peter C. McArthur as security. The court adjourned to meet May 24, 1833.

The first election for county officers was held on the 1st day of April, 1833. At that election the following candidates were voted for:—

County Assessor.—Isaac Darball 10 votes; Peter McArthur 46 votes.

County Treasurer.—James Hays 8; Robert McCloud 19; Jonathan Carter 19; Jessee L. Bowdle 12.

County Recorder.—Steven Thompson 22; Daniel Campbell 38.

County Auditor.—Charles W. Stevenson 43.

Coroner.—Henry Staymates 43.

Sheriff.—Michael Fickel 7; Henry D. Sharp 30; John Ward 8; John Haskins 14.

County Commissioners.—John McArthur 52; Joseph Bates 8; John Berry 1; Charles L. Scott 48; Cyrus Dille 25.

County Surveyor.—John Terry 4; Ethan Terry 1.

Total vote 63.

It seems that Roundhead was the only township organized. It will be seen that for the office of county treasurer there was no choice by the people. In drawing cuts the choice fell upon Mr. Carter, and he was duly installed as county treasurer. Mr. Carter is still living in Roundhead township, highly esteemed and respected by his friends and neighbors.

The first grand jury was convened September 10, 1833, as follows:—

Joseph Collins, Charles W. Stevenson, Cyrus Dille, George W. Houser, Jacob H. Houser, John Johnson, Jr., James Hays, Jonathan Cessna, George Elsy, Eli Strong, Samuel Stephenson, Samuel Hatfield, John Radcliff, John Johnson, and Solomon Johnson, fifteen in all. They retired to consult under the charge of Cyrus Dille, foreman. Their session was held under some trees on the banks of the Scioto River. They returned seven indictments for selling liquor, and were discharged.

The first bill in chancery was filed by Walter Dunn *v.* Mary Ann Thompson. William Furney and Portius Wheeler were granted license to keep tavern.

Alexander Thomson was appointed Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for Hardin County for seven years.

The first session of the Supreme Court was held at Kenton, August 8, 1834, by John C. Wright and Reuben Wood. No business was transacted, except to appoint A. Thomson "Clerk of the Supreme Court of Hardin County." The first case on the docket at the June term, 1836, was the famous case of Sally Winder and John H. Winder *v.* Lym Sterling.

The first deed on record, Vol. "A," page "1," was executed by Jonathan Carter and Nancy Carter to John Ryan, conveying lot 27, in the town of Roundhead. Deed dated July 1, 1832. Daniel Campbell, recorder.

The first marriage license was issued April 3, 1833, to Charles Bouyon and Lucretia Lyles.

The first grist-mill was built by John H. Houser, in 1832, 1½ mile below Kenton, on the Scioto River, on the site of the old Gary mill. It was built of round logs and contained one run of buhrs.

At the first election held in Hardin County, in 1833, there was sixty-three votes polled. At the October election, in 1876, there was 5150 votes polled in the county.

The total taxable valuation of the property of the county, in 1836, was $200,648.00. The amount of tax collected was $2,113.41. The duplicate of 1836 is the oldest in existence. The destruction of the books and papers in the Auditor's office, by the burning of the old court-house, in March, 1853, has proved a serious inconvenience to our citizens, and has deprived the "historian" of a great deal of valuable information. In 1830, the population of Hardin County was 210; in 1840, it was 4598; in 1850, 5257; in 1860, 13,570; in 1870, 18,714. From the vote in 1878 it is certainly safe to estimate the population of Hardin County in 1880 at 29,000 or 30,000.

Court.—The first court ever held in Hardin County was at old Fort McArthur, as has been before stated. The late Judge N. Z. McColloch, of Bellefontaine, thus describes that court, and the peculiar structure of the blockhouse:—

"It may not be uninteresting to many of the citizens to give some account of the first court ever held in Hardin County. It was appointed to be held at the residence of Judge McCloud, in the 'blockhouse' above alluded to, which was constructed of round logs cut from the forest, say fifteen or eighteen inches in diameter. The lower story of the building was about twenty feet square to the height of about eight feet, when the upper story projected on all sides six or eight inches to enable the inmates to defend themselves against the approaches of Indians from the outside. In addition to this there were port-holes through the log wall, above and below, at distances to enable soldiers to defend themselves against an approaching enemy. The whole structure being covered with clap-boards and heavy-weight poles to hold them to their place. There was one doorway originally cut through the building, which was closed by heavy puncheons, four inches thick, hung on wooden hinges and fastened on the inside with heavy wooden cross-bars. This *edifice* answered the purposes of Judge McCloud and family for a parlor, sitting-room, dining-room, bed-room, and kitchen.

The Judge improvised a *court-room* by placing forked saplings in the ground at convenient distances, say twelve or fourteen feet from the side of the blockhouse, from which smooth poles were placed against the side of the house, sloping from the house and covered with clap-boards. The cabin was then cleaned away and the ground swept, some chairs and a table provided for the judges and clerk, and some benches made from split saplings, with augur holes for legs, for the grand jury, outsiders, etc. With these appointments the court was opened in due form, Judge J. Swan presiding, with William McCloud, Judges Bowdle and Thomas Huston, associate judges; Alexander Thomson, clerk pro tem.; Anthony Cosad appointed prosecuting attorney, and William Furney, sheriff, as I now remember. The grand jury being called, fifteen good and lawful men of the vicinity answered to their names, who, being sworn and charged by the court, retired to a thick wood near by to consult. The attorneys present at that court, as I now recollect, were Messrs. M. B. Corwin, Jonathan E. Chaplin, Daniel S. Bell, of Urbanna, William Bagby, Anthony Cosad, and Hiram McCartney, of Bellefontaine, Count Coffinbury, of Mansfield, and L. Rawson, of Findlay. The grand jury, after a short session, returned into court, presenting sworn true bills against sundry worthy citizens charged with appropriating certain wild shoats running at large in the unbroken forests of Hardin County. The parties indicted being arraigned, plead not guilty, whereupon, on motion of their attorneys, the indictments for certain defects and informalities were quashed. This, the first term of the Court of Common Pleas of Hardin County, continued but about one day.

"At the next term of the court, held something like a year after this one, a trial jury was required, for the trial of some case, and the judge had some difficulty in procuring a jury, the county being sparsely settled, and it being summer time the farmers were very busy. The jail, at that time, was a log cabin near Fort McArthur. Judge Swan adjourned court over one day, and ordered the sheriff to impanel the jury, which for the reasons above was no easy task. On the morning of the second day the judge opened court, and asked the sheriff if the panel of jurors was full. The sheriff is said to have replied, 'Not quite full yet, I have eleven men in the jail, and my dogs and deputies are after the twelfth man.'"

The Court-House.—The first court-house was a brick building erected on the east side of the square in 1834. It burned down March 4, 1853. April 4, 1853, the people voted as to whether the new court-house should be built on the public square, and it was carried by a vote of 978 to 69. The building of the new court-house was awarded a short time after by the commissioners to a firm from Upper Sandusky at the contract price of $17,450, and the court-house was finished some time in September, 1854.

The County Infirmary.—In 1858 a vote of the people was taken as to whether an infirmary should be built; the proposition was largely defeated. The present infirmary was not built until 1870. The present infirmary farm and out buildings cost about $80,000, is situated in this township, and has about 200 acres of land with buildings. The site is an excellent one, and commands a fine view for a long distance. Here the unfortunate poor of Hardin County find a comfortable home, and protection against want.

Common Schools.—The first school-houses built in the county previous to 1840, and even after, were log cabins, with stick chimneys, mud fireplaces, split logs for seats, greased paper for windows, where the rudiments of a common school education were taught by teachers who served for ten dollars a month. Now there are over one hundred school-houses with all the modern appliances, and spend from $80,000 to $100,000 a year for school purposes alone, and there is located at Ada one of the finest normal schools in the State.

Destructive Wolves.—In the early settlement of Hardin County wolves were a terrible scourge to the farmer, and accordingly a bounty of $2.50 was paid for the scalps of wolves under six months old, and of $4.25 for scalps of wolves over six months old. The applicant for the bounty was compelled to make affidavit that he had killed the wolf whose scalp he produced in the confines of the county, and that he had not spared the life of any she wolf to increase the breed. Hardin County paid bounties for the scalps of about 500 wolves.

Public Improvements.—Within the last few years the county has made very rapid advancement. By the end of the present year it will have over *two hundred miles* of free turnpikes completed, at a cost, including interest on bonds, of not far from $800,000, or an average cost of $3000 per mile. The outstanding indebtedness on the 31st day of December, 1876, on account of the construction of these pikes, will not vary much from $180,000. The county buildings are all built and paid for.

Gravel Roads.—The gravel roads branch from Kenton into every township in the county, and since their construction immigration has greatly increased and the value of real estate fully doubled.

Railroads.—Hardin County is well supplied with railroads. On the 25th day of March, 1837, the State of Ohio passed a law loaning the credit of the State to the Mad River and Lake Erie Railroad Company to the extent of $270,000. With this amount as a basis, the incorporators commenced the construction of the Mad River and Lake Erie Railroad from Dayton to Sandusky City—since changed to the Cleveland, Sandusky and Cincinnati Railroad. On the 16th of March, 1839, an act was passed authorizing the commissioners of Hardin County to subscribe $30,000 to the capital stock of said company. The subscription was made and the road located through Kenton. It experienced many financial embarrassments, but finally completed the road from Sandusky city to Kenton on the 4th day of July, 1846. A grand demonstration was held at Kenton on that day in honor of the event.

The Bellefontaine and Indianapolis Railroad Company was incorporated February 25, 1848. It has since been consolidated with the Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati and Indianapolis Railroad. It runs through the southern portion of the county for a distance of twelve miles. It was built in 1852. Hale township subscribed $15,000 to the capital stock of the company.

On the 20th day of March, 1850, the Ohio and Indiana Railroad Company was incorporated. The road was built in 1853–4, passing through the townships of Jackson, Blanchard, Washington, and Liberty. In 1856 it was consolidated with the Pittsburg, Ft. Wayne, and Chicago Railroad Company.

A road has been projected from Marion, Ohio, to Chicago, Illinois, passing through Kenton. It is believed that the road will be built at an early day.

Newspapers.—John Schrenk established the first newspaper in 1840 in Kenton, called the *Independent*. It was Whig in politics. The funds to purchase the material was provided by Dr. U. P. Leighton, Richard Holmes, A. Ballentine and John Lawrence. The *Independent* was succeeded by the *Whig*, established by F. W. Murry. The *Whig* was succeeded by the Kenton *Republican*, which was established by James S. Robinson, January 10, 1847. The present proprietor is A. W. Miller. Mr. Miller formerly published the Tiffin *Tribune* and purchased a half interest in the Kenton *Republican*, June 1, 1869, and the entire interest June 1, 1870, from L. T. Hunt, its former owner.

Mr. M. H. Nicholas established the Kenton *Democrat* in 1840. The Kenton *Democrat* was succeeded by the Kenton *Herald*, and was finally changed to the *Hardin County Democrat* in 1866, by Charles Zahm, who sold his interest to Daniel Flanagan soon after. Its present proprietor is David S. Fisher.

The Ada *Record* was published originally by B. L. Thompson, who sold to its present editor, for which see Liberty township.

The Dunkirk *Standard* is published at Dunkirk by S. B. Davis, for which see sketch of that town.

The Forest *News* is published by J. J. Wilkin, for which see sketch of the village of Forest.

The newspapers of Hardin County are well conducted. The latter three are neutral in politics. Parties are very equally divided in Hardin County. Hence the contest is annually very close. All partisans are very watchful, and sometimes very bitter in their opposition. It is rare that the candidates of one party are all successful. This seems to suggest the nomination of the best men by both parties.

Hardin County in the War.—Under the first call of President Lincoln for seventy-five thousand volunteers, Hardin county responded by presenting two full companies, which was assigned to the 4th O. V. I. Captain George Weaver, an old veteran of the Mexican War, was captain of company D, G. A. Stewart 1st lieutenant, Daniel Timmons 2d lieutenant. James S. Robinson was captain of company G, Peter Grubb 1st lieutenant and Wm. Surgeson 2d lieutenant. James Cantwell who was first elected captain, was appointed lieutenant-colonel of the regiment.

In August, 1861, captain C. H. Gatch, assisted by 1st lieutenant W. W. Nixon and 2d lieutenant David McConnell, recruited a full company for the service, which was assigned to the 33d Ohio regiment. The regiment joined the army of the Cumberland. It participated in the campaigns of that army, and finally accompanied Sherman in his march to the sea.

In July and August of 1861, Captain Luther Furney, assisted by Lieutenant Asa Carter, recruited a company for the 34th O. V. I. The regiment was assigned to duty with Gen. J. D. Cox, on the Gauley, West Virginia. It formed a part of Gen. Hayes's Brigade. The regiment performed much hard service in West Virginia and in the Shenandoah Valley. Capt. Furney was promoted to the lieutenant-colonelcy of the regiment.

Captain Daniel Ammernon, Lieutenant Nelson G. Franklin, and Captain Comfort H. Stanley and Lieutenant A. K. Rarey, assisted by Lieutenant-colonel A. S. Ramsey, recruited two full companies for the 45th Ohio regiment in August, 1862. The regiment was assigned to duty in Kentucky, and afterwards in August, 1863, joined General Burnside's command. The regiment was in the famous campaign against Knoxville, Tennessee. In May, 1863, the regiment was transferred to the 2d brigade, 2d division, 23d army corps, thus enabling it to participate in the campaign against Atlanta. In June following the regiment was transferred to the 2d brigade, 1st division, 4th army corps. It concluded its service in the battles of Franklin and Nashville.

In the winter of 1862 a company was recruited by Lieutenant D. Snodgrass and Lieutenant P. W. Stumm, which was assigned to the 74th Ohio regiment. Lieutenant Snodgrass was appointed captain of the company. The regiment was ordered to Nashville, Tennessee, and was assigned to the 14th corps. It was in the campaign against Atlanta, and accompanied Sherman in the campaign to Richmond and Washington *via* Savannah.

The 82d O. V. I. regiment was recruited in November and December, 1861, and rendezvoused at Camp Simon Kenton, Kenton, Ohio. It was organized by Colonel James Cantwell, Lieutenant Colonel B. R. Durfee and Major James S. Robinson, all officers of the 4th Ohio regiment, with Dr. A. W. Munson as assistant-surgeon. Four full companies were recruited from Hardin County and a portion of Captain Maines's company was recruited from Roundhead, Taylor Creek and McDonald townships.

Captain David Thomson, 1st lieutenant S. L. Hoge, and 2d lieutenant James B. McConnell recruited the first company for the regiment, which was assigned as company "A." Captain Thomson was appointed major April 9th, 1862, lieutenant-colonel August 29, 1862. After Colonel Robinson was wounded at the battle of Gettysburg, the command of the regiment devolved upon Lieutenant-colonel Thomson. He continued in command until a few weeks before the close of the war, when he was disabled by a wound at Avreysboro, N. C., March 16, 1864. He was brevetted a brigadier-general for gallant and meritorious service to rank from the 13th of March, 1865.

L. S. Powell was appointed captain of company "B", which company he recruited, assisted by 1st lieutenant David J. Mentzer and 2d lieutenant W. J. Dickson. The latter officer was killed at Resacca, May 14, 1864, while acting as major of the regiment.

Company "C" was recruited by Captain P. C. Boslow; 1st lieutenant John Campbell, and 2d lieutenant Morgan Simonson. The company was principally recruited in the vicinity of Patterson and Forest. It was assigned as the color company of the regiment, and most nobly did it defend its standard.

Company "G" was commanded by Captain James Ewing; 1st lieutenant William Porterfield, 2d lieutenant Preston Faught. The company was principally recruited in the vicinity of Kenton and in Blanchard and Liberty townships. After the organization of the regiment it was assigned to West Va. It served in the Fremont campaign against Jackson, joining the army of the Potomac at the second Bull Run, where Col. James Cantwell was killed at the head of his regiment on the 29th of August, 1862. Upon the death of Col. Cantwell, Lieut.-col. James S. Robinson was appointed colonel of the regiment. On the 1st of May, 1864, he was assigned to the command of the 3d brigade, 1st division, 2d army corps. He was brevetted a brigadier-general Dec. 12, 1864, and appointed a brigadier-general Jan. 12, 1865, and brevetted a major-general March 13, 1865. He was mustered out of the service at the close of the war, Aug. 31, 1865. He was severely wounded at the battle of Gettysburg, July 1, 1863. The regiment continued to serve in the army of the Potomac until after the

battle of Gettysburg, when it accompanied the 11th and 12th corps to the West, where it was assigned to the army of the Cumberland. It remained in that army until the close of the war. It passed through the Atlanta campaign, and accompanied Sherman's excursion through the Carolinas, finally participating in the grand review at Washington. The regiment saw much hard service. It was particularly unfortunate in the loss of officers. It had sixteen officers killed or mortally wounded on the field. From the date of its organization until its final muster out, it numbered over 2300 names on its rolls.

The 118th regiment was organized at Lima, Ohio, in Aug. 1862. Captain Solomon Kraner and 1st lieutenant Thomas Axtell, and 2d lieutenant A. A. Bishop recruited a company from the vicinity of Roundhead. Lieut. Sidney Moore recruited thirty men for the regiment from Liberty township, which were assigned to company "H." Dr. W. H. Philips, of Kenton was appointed surgeon of the regiment. The regiment first served in Kentucky, and afterwards participated in the Knoxville campaign, where it saw much hard service and suffered many deprivations. It was assigned to the 23d army corps and afterwards participated in the Atlanta campaign and in the battles at Franklin and Nashville. It was transferred by rail and water to Goldsboro, North Carolina.

The county furnished a company for the 2d Ohio heavy artillery, commanded by Captain L. S. Powell. Also several companies in the 135th Ohio National Guard, Lieut.-col. C. H. Gatch. One company commanded by W. W. Nixon, J. L. Stevenson 1st lieutenant, 2d lieutenant John E. Ward. The company from Hale township was commanded by Captain Geo. D. Williams; 1st lieutenant Ira Williams, 2d lieutenant Jos. D. Matthews.

Very many soldiers enlisted in other regiments, both infantry, cavalry, and artillery. The county was prompt in responding to every call for troops. We have no means of knowing how many soldiers were in the service from Hardin County, but from the best evidence at our command, we estimate the number at 1500. In this volume will be found the Roll of Honor giving names and service of the volunteers from Hardin County.

War of the Rebellion.—Space forbids that we enter into a history of the soldiers of Hardin County. Their records belong to the nation as distinctly as the principles for which they fought belong to man. Participating in all the sufferings and triumphs of the national army, their record is a record of the war. The results of their devotion is therefore, first, national, and ultimately universal, for they fought as men for man, the rights for which they contended being the rights of the human race. They depend not upon local annals for the abiding history of their achievements, but find it traced in living characters upon the hearts of a liberty-loving nation. In this national capacity they secured for themselves the grateful benedictions of that posterity for which they preserved a land of liberty, unity, and peace. Within this volume we recognize the enrolment of the soldiers of the county as a debt of gratitude, and submit it to the public with a full assurance that a grateful posterity will cherish with pride and patriotic devotion their County's Roll of Honor.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

With the exception of Hon. M. H. Nichols, who was elected one session to Congress, no citizen of Hardin County has ever been elected from the county to any State, Congressional, or Judicial position, though several who have been raised in the county have emigrated further West and attained high positions in the State and nation.

Senators.—C. H. Gatch and Solomon Kraner, 1860–61.

Representatives elected to office from Hardin County.—David Snodgrass, Oct. 1851; P. A. Taylor, Oct. 1853; Elias G. Spellman, Oct. 1855; C. R. Mott, Oct. 1857; James M. White, Oct. 1859; Jonathan Sieg, Oct. 1861; Jonathan Sieg, Oct. 1863; Solomon Kraner, Oct. 1865; Thos. Rough, Oct. 1867; Wm. T. Cessna, Oct. 1869; Benj. Waddle, Oct. 1871; A. W. Munson, Oct. 1873; John Haley, Oct. '75; John Haley, Oct. '77.

Constitutional Convention.—W. H. Phillips.

Under the Constitution of 1802, Wm. McCloud, Joseph Bowdle, and Thomas Hueston were associate judges, and commissioned for seven years, from January 28, 1833. Alex. Thomson was appointed clerk of the Court of Common Pleas.

There were several changes in the office of associate, Joseph Cessna, Henry Walker, Portius Wheeler, C. W. Shaw, David Goodin, and Jonathan Cessna, serving prior to 1852, the first election under the new Constitution. The office of associate, under the new Constitution, having been abandoned, was succeeded by the office of probate judge. The following are the successive judges since 1852:—

PROBATES.

James Bain,	1852–1855.	Benjamin Eglin, 1870–1873.
Hugh Letson,	1855–1858.	Solomon Kraner, 1873–1876.
Samuel Watt,	1858–1867.	John R. Selders, 1876–1879.
Anthony Banning,	1867–1870.	

AUDITORS.

Charles Stevenson,	1833–1841.	Robt. D. Millar, 1861–1865.
A. S. Balentine,	1843–1845.	Wm. Edgar, 1867.
Samuel Mentzer,	1847.	Nathan Ahlefeld, 1869.
Gilbert Seaman,	1849–1855.	R. F. McConnell, 1871.
James Bain,	1857.	G. H. Zugschwert, 1874–1876.
Samuel Smith,	1859.	Jasper N. Welch, 1878.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

John McArthur, Charles Scott, Cyrus Dille,	elected 1833.	Samuel Wood,	1860–1863.
R. E. Anderson,		Thomas Rough,	1861–1864.
Peter Johnson,		Peter Marsh,	1862–1865.
Joshua Cope,		Samuel Wood,	1863–1866.
Jonathan Matthews,		Alonzo Bogardus, app't	1864–1864.
John McVitty,		Samuel Wood,	1863–1866.
Ethan Terry,		Alonzo Bogardus, (app).	1864–1864.
Peter Johnson,		A. F. Stanley,	1864–1867.
Jonathan Sieg,		Samuel Wood,	1865–1868.
John Rice,		Thomas Rough, res'd	1866–1869.
David Kirkpatrick,	1850–1853.	David Snodgrass,	1867–1870.
Thomas Hueston,	1851–1854.	B. R. Brunson,	1868–1871.
Thomas Rough,	1852–1855.	George W. Fritz,	1869–1872.
John F. Hinkle,	1853–1856	Samuel Stewart,	1870–1873.
Samuel Wood,	1854–1857.	Thomas Hueston, dec'd,	1871–1874.
Thomas Rough,	1855–1858.	Wm. A. Edwards, app't,	1872.
Samuel McCullock,	1856–1859.	Wm. H. Baldwin,	1872–1874.
Samuel Wood,	1857–1860.	John Shanks,	1872–1875.
Ephraim A. McClain,	1858–1861.	Jas. R. Dunlap,	1873–1876.
Peter Marsh,	1859–1862.	John McElree,	1874–1877.
Samuel Woods,	1860–1863.	H. H. Wilson,	1875–1878.
Thomas Rough,	1861–1864.	Jas. R. Dunlap,	1876–1879.
Peter Marsh,	1862–1865.	J. B. Pumphrey,	1877–1880.
		Moses Kennedy,	1878–1881.

COUNTY CLERKS.

A. Thomson, pro tem.	1833.	G. A. Stewart,	Oct. 1860.
" app'd	1834.	W. D. Dean,	" 1863.
John Stevens,	April, 1839.	"	" 1866.
"	May, 1840.	J. M. Pearce,	" 1869.
E. G. Spelman,	March, 1847.	W. H. Fleming,	" 1872.
"	Oct. 1851.	"	" 1875.
W. Wilcox,	" 1854.	Jos. Timmons,	" 1878.
"	" 1857.		

TREASURERS.

Jonathan Carter, 1 term	1833.	D. Barron, removed,	1857.
Robert McCloud,	1835–1837.	H. G. Harris, app'd,	1859.
Obadiah Taylor,	1839–1841.	Anthony Banning,	1861–1863.
George B. Goodin,	1843–1845.	R. L. Chase,	1865–1867.
Dr. U. P. Leighton,	1845–1847.	H. M. Shingle,	1869–1871.
Andrew Dodds,	1849–1851.	C. Wilkin,	1873–1875.
Dr. U. P. Leighton,	1853–1855.	D. P. Stevenson,	1877–1879.
William Ballentine,	1855–1857.		

COUNTY RECORDERS.

Daniel Campbell, elected	1833.	Conrad W. Shaw, app'd	Dec. 1849.
Daniel Barron,	Oct. 1839.	Daniel Barron, elected	Oct. 1850.
John O. Fox,	" 1845.	Robert F. McConnell,	" 1856.
resigned Sept., 1846.		David Stanford,	" 1862.
Samuel Smith, app'd	Sept. 1846.	Robert F. McConnell,	1865.
Gilbert Seaman, elec'd	Oct. 1846.	Charles Collier,	1868.
Samuel Ballentine, " did not take the office.	1849.	Geo. W. Armstrong,	1874.

SHERIFFS.

Henry D. Thorp,	April, 1833.	Day Pugh,	Oct. 1855.
Jacob Snoddy,	Oct. 1833.	Wm. Pool,	" 1857.
John Ryan,	" 1835.	J. E. Nelson,	" 1859.
"	" 1837.	J. E. Stevenson,	" 1861.
Obad. Taylor,	" 1839.	"	" 1863.
David Kinnear,	" 1841.	A. K. Rarey,	" 1865.
R. F. Holmes,	" 1843.	"	" 1867.
"	" 1845.	N. S. Weaver,	" 1869.
Jacob Holmes,	" 1847.	"	" 1871.
"	" 1849.	I. Bolenbaugh,	" 1873.
"	" 1851.	"	" 1875.
Day Pugh,	" 1853.	Geo. W. Darst,	" 1877.

SURVEYORS.

John Kimberlin,	three years.	John R. Gunn,	three years.
J. H. Ross,	six "	Frederick Childs,	" "
David Ross,	three "	Wesley Strong,	" "
W. D. Gunn,	" "	John R. Gunn,	" "
R. D. Millar,	six "	William H. Brown,	" "
Joseph Weldon,	three "		

PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS.

William Bayles,	1833–1837.	John Stillings,	1857–1859,
Hiram McCartney,	1836–1837.	John N. Abston,	1859–1861.
John Lawrence,	1837–1840.	Lester T. Hunt,	1861–1865.
Andrew Dodds,	1840–1847.	James Bain,	1865–1867.
William L. Walker,	1847–1851.	Artemas B. Johnson,	1867–1871.
Lyman C. Hurd,	1851–1853.	James Watt,	1871–1875.
Sewell Coulson,	1853–1855.	Frank C. Dougherty,	1875–1877.
C. H. Gatch,	1855–1857.	Sutton E. Young,	1877–1879.

KENTON.

The city of Kenton is situated on the north bank of the Scioto River, in Pleasant township. It was laid out in 1833. Its location is an excellent one, and can be seen on being approached from any direction a distance of four to six miles. It has excellent, pure, good water, and the country and scenery about it are attractive. All the principal streets and roads are graded and gravelled Being surrounded by a fine agricultural region, it commands a large trade in grain, cattle, and pork, as well as lumber, staves, etc. A great quantity of walnut, lynn, ash, and oak finds its way to the eastern market from this place. The city has some first-class stores, and the merchants are energetic business men, controlling the trade for miles, and it is improving as rapidly as any city in northwestern Ohio. It has some beautiful business blocks and residences in different parts of the city.

MANUFACTURING AND COMMERCIAL INTERESTS.

Lumber.

Michigan Lumber Yard.—This enterprise was established June 1, 1874, by Jno. Callam, present proprietor. In May, 1875, its plan was extended by the addition of a planing mill. This mill is connected with a heavy lumber establishment at Saginaw, Mich., from which all lumber is received. During the first four years of operation, lumber, exclusive of shingles, was handled to the following amounts: 1st year, 1,500,000 feet; 2d year, 2,100,000 feet; 3d year, 2,600,000 feet; 4th year, 3,000,200 feet. In connection with lumber of all classes, coal and lime are handled to large amounts.

Kenton Manufacturing and Machine Co.—These works were established in 1870 by G. R. Moore, D. Thomson, H. N. Wheeler, Alonzo and Augustus Bogardus. Its operations include the handling of rough and dressed lumber, lath and shingles, and the manufacture of sash, doors, blinds, staves, and heading. The present firm consists of the following members: G. R. Moore, President; Alonzo Bogardus, Secretary; J. S. Robinson, M. Thompson, B. Williams & Co.

Scroll Works.—The scroll works of Jacob Forbing went into operation in 1859. The manufactures consist chiefly of chair-stuff, gun-stocks, and felloes. A specialty is made of black walnut turnings for furniture. In this line about one-half million feet of walnut lumber is annually consumed. The works employ from ten to fifteen men.

Kenton Stave Factory.—Established in 1870. Wm. Campbell, proprietor, manufacturer and dealer in tight and flour-barrel staves, hoops, heading, and cooperage of all classes.

C. A. Walker & Co., wholesale dealers in lumber, flooring, doors, sash, mouldings, shingles, etc.; manufacturers of piece lumber in black walnut, ash, oak, etc. Cutting chair lumber and plow beams to pattern, a specialty.

Steam Flour-Mills.

The flouring mills of Thos. Espy and Wm. Ochs were established March 1, 1871, by the present proprietors and John Espy, deceased. The demands upon this mill have so far exceeded its capacity, that Thomas Espy has purchased the old woollen-mill property, on which another flour-mill of superior capacity is now building.

Snow Cloud Mills.—Established in 1846 by John Espy. U. P. Parkison, proprietor, manufacturer of the "Snow Cloud" brand of flour, and dealer in grain, corn meal, and feed.

Iron and Brass.

Kenton Foundry and Machine Works.—Bloom, Born & Co., proprietors. Established in 1847 by E. Bloom. Present firm organized June 25, 1877. Manufacturers of sawing machines, presses of all kinds, and brass and iron castings.

Foundry and Machine Repair Works.—Founded 1874. Repairing of all kinds of machinery. Pfeiffer, Bales & Co., proprietors.

Champion Iron Fence Co.—Incorporated Feb. 13, 1878. The paid up capital stock amounts to $100,000. This company was awarded the only medal received by any fence company at the Centennial Exhibition. Col. Edwd. A. Parrott, President, Dayton, O.; Henry Price, Secretary, Kenton, O.; Jas. Young, Treasurer, Kenton, O.; Edwd. Crawford, Pittsburg, Pa.; W. H. Young, Kenton, O.

Gas Works.

Kenton Gas Works.—Organized 1871 by Peter Marr; afterward transferred to the Bank of Exchange, and again to the present managers. Present firm: Jas. M. White, President and Treasurer; A. Letson, Vice-President; Geo. H. Harris, Secretary.

Banks.

Kenton Savings Bank.—Incorporated Sept. 23, 1875, under Act of General Assembly of Feb. 26, 1873. Commenced business Jan. 4, 1876. Capital stock, $50,000. Paid up stock, $25,000. The bank is controlled by a board of eight trustees, viz., Wm. M. Chesney, L. Merriman, C. Wilkin, T. H. Wilson, Valentine Eccarius, D. Goodin, S. Kraner, and B. Fink. Officers: W. M. Chesney, President; J. S. Robinson, Vice-President; S. Kraner, Cashier; W. A. Norton, Assist. Cashier.

Hardin Savings Bank.—Incorporated March 5, 1875, under Act of General Assembly passed Feb 26, 1873. First officers: Jos. Paulucci, President; Jno. Pfeiffer, Vice-President; Thos. Espy, Treasurer and Cashier; H. W. Gramlich, Secretary. Present officers: Jos. Paulucci, President; Jas. Young, Vice-President; H. W. Gramlich, Treasurer and Cashier; Thos. Espy, Secretary. Capital stock, $50,000.

Farmers and Mechanics' Bank.—General banking and exchange. Organized 1877 by present officers: J. C. Stevens, President; R. L. Miller, Cashier.

Hotels.

The first "Tavern" was opened in 1833 by Wm. Furney, and was a log building located on what is now the Reese property. Though rude and small, this house answered the demands of that period. The accommodations of hotels of to-day were unknown, and epicures would have found in the fare, con-

sisting of corn bread, potatoes, and wild meat, but little to gratify their refined tastes. The hardy pioneer, knowing little and caring less about the luxuries of to-day, found in these substantials a satisfaction for all the cravings of his appetite. His rough out-door existence created demands for rough but solid food, and this the "Tavern" of the day furnished in abundance. Since those days many hotels have appeared, some to exist for a day, others to claim a longer lease of life, but all after various vicissitudes to yield to the demands of later times. At this writing the hotels, consisting of the Reese House, Dugan House, American House, and Franklin House are all of a high order. The Reese House, under the management of the Jones Bros., is centrally located, being convenient to the railroad and business portion of the city, and enjoys a leading reputation throughout northwestern Ohio.

Pork Packing.

The Kenton Packing House was established in 1874 by Alonzo Teeters and Asher Letson. After the death of Mr. Teeters, Mr. Letson assumed entire ownership. From six to ten thousand hogs are slaughtered annually.

CHURCHES.

First Presbyterian Church of Kenton.

This church was organized November 14, 1836, by Rev. Jos. Stevenson of Bellefontaine. The organization was effected with a membership of seven, viz., E. Strong, Elizabeth Strong, R. Hineline, Susan Hineline, Mary Anderson, James Scott, and Mary Scott.

E. Strong and R. Hineline were chosen ruling elders. The organization was called "The First Presbyterian Church of Hardin County, Ohio," which title was retained until September, 1838, when it was changed to the "First Presbyterian Church of Kenton." The first stated minister was Rev. J. B. Clark, who supplied the congregation from 1838 till 1842, when he was succeeded by Rev. John Ustic, who continued the pastorate until April, 1848. During the first seven years of its history the old court-house was occupied as a place of worship; afterward services were conducted in the frame school-house, which occupied the site of the present high school building. In 1844 a church building was erected, the original subscription list showing the names of forty persons who subscribed $330, only $36 of which was to be paid in money, the remainder to be paid in work, lumber, nails, glass, etc. This building was occupied till 1866, when it was sold to the German Reformed Congregation, by which it was removed to its present site.

Rev. J. S. Marquise was called to the pastorate in 1849, in which capacity he continued until 1854. His first settled successor was Rev. Wm. Dalzell, who took charge of the church in 1857, followed in 1860 by Rev J. R. Kost. In December, 1862, Rev. L. C. Chenney was called to the pulpit, but after eighteen months his ministry was closed by death. Of this man it was written by one who knew him well: "Those who were most intimately associated with him can bear witness to the pure unselfish character of his life, and honor his memory for his outspoken fearless advocacy of the right at a time when the brave began to fear the power of man, and the pious to almost doubt the power of God." The year 1864 was a memorable and trying one to this congregation, as well as to many others. The civil war was at its height, the church without a pastor, and most of its male members in the field under the call of their country. The church only retained three active male members who could be relied upon for church work. In December of this year Rev. H. R. Peairs began his ministry, which closed in 1870. In May, 1866, work was commenced on the present church edifice, which was formally dedicated to divine service Feb. 24, 1867. Rev. J. G. Hall was installed pastor of the church May 13, 1872, and resigned four years later, and was succeeded by the present pastor.

The present membership is 230, with the following officers:—

Pastor.—Rev. H. M. Robertson, D.D.

Elders.—Alonzo Bogardus, J. C. Miller, R. L. Chase, and W. D. Dean.

Trustees.—H. C. Koller, B. F. Brunson, S. Kraner, L. J. Demarest, and A. J. Briner.

United Presbyterian.

The United Presbyterian congregation of Kenton was organized in the autumn of 1859 by the union of the "Associate" and "Associate Reformed" congregation of Kenton. The writer is unable to obtain any records of these churches prior to the union. For the subject matter of this sketch we are indebted to the personal recollections of members of both churches. The "Associate" congregation was organized in 1841 by Rev. Samuel Wilson, D.D., of Xenia, Ohio. Messrs. Isaiah McConnell and Culberson Elder, were elected and ordained ruling elders. Fourteen members composed the organization at this time. The "Associate Reformed" congregation was organized by Rev. James Gamble, of Bellefontaine, in 1840, under the direction of the A. R. Presbytery of Springfield. Messrs. Alexander Ballentine, Wm. McGaven, John Rice, and John Caldwell were the ruling elders prior to the union. All the elders and members of the "Associate Reform" branch, and all of the "Associate" branch, with the exception of one member, entered cheerfully into the union and composed the United Presbyterian Church of Kenton. Messrs. Samuel McGaughey, Thomas Rough, George Gray, R. D. Millar, James Bain, and David Snodgrass were ordained ruling elders. The new congregation consisted of twenty-six families, in which were fifty-five communicants. On the first of November, 1859, the present pastor being duly called took charge of the congregation, and on the 21st of the following month was installed pastor of the charge.

A Sabbath-school and prayer-meeting have been sustained regularly since 1859. Brotherly kindness has ever prevailed among the members, and the congregation rejoices in harmony and love. The financial condition of the church is highly gratifying, as it owns a desirable city lot, a pleasant house of worship, and is free from debt. The present membership is 103, of whom but two, viz., R. D. Millar and Mr. Eglin, are survivors of the original union. Rev. Benjamin Waddle has been pastor during a period of almost twenty years.

Methodist Episcopal Church of Kenton.

This church was organized in 1832 by Rev. Thomas Thompson, who was then a missionary to the Wyandotte Indians at Upper Sandusky. The organization was effected at the residence of Geo. H. Houser, the class consisting of the following named seven members: Geo. H. Houser and wife, Lemuel Wilmuth and wife, and Mrs. Furney, the latter being the only survivor of the class. The place of worship was changed to a log school-house, again to a small church building, and finally to the present church edifice. Present pastor Rev. J. A. Furguson.

Reformed Church of the U. S. in Kenton, Ohio.

This congregation was organized July 6, 1860, by Rev. Dr. M. Keiffer, of Tiffin, Ohio, with a membership of thirty-five, consisting in part of the following named male members:—Benedict Knepper, J. U. Strahm, Duro Kellerhals, Rudolph Schoover, W. J. Althauser, J. Schritner, and B. Helbling. On the 15th of the same month a congregation was organized in Goshen township, with a membership of fifty-three, by Rev. J. G. Kuhl, of Marion, Ohio. These then formed the Kenton charge, and were first served by Rev. Wm. Renter. August 16, 1868, the congregation in Cessna township called "Zion," with a membership of thirty-two, and on the same day "St. Peter's" congregation in Forest, with a membership of fifteen, were organized by Rev. Chas. Schoaf. At the present writing the Kenton congregation numbers two hundred and fifty members, and is served by Rev. John Heberle.

German Evangelical Lutheran Church of Kenton.

During the year 1838, Rev. Tuhrmann, of Springfield, visited Kenton occasionally and held German Lutheran services in the old court-house. In 1840 a congregation was organized and Rev. Tanke, of Bremen, called to the pulpit. The principal members consisted of John Pfeiffer, Wm. Schrader, John Kaiser, Ulrich Gerlach, Conrad Breitenbach, Benedict Fink, and Nicolaus Loeffert. In 1844 steps were taken towards the erection of a house of worship, and a building was soon completed and occupied. From that period to the present the church has been served by various ministers. In 1876 the present minister, Rev. C. F. Diehl, was called to the pulpit. Under his pastorate the church building has been so improved that on January 13, 1878, it was re-dedicated to the service of the Triune God, by Rev. J. Weber, president of the District Synod of Ohio, assisted by Rev. C. Moench, of Cleveland, and the pastor loci, Rev. C. F. Diehl. It then assumed the name of "The Evangelical Lutheran St. John's Church of Kenton."

Church of Christ.

About the year 1855, elders John Reed, Calvin Smith, Jackson Dowling, Wm. Dowling, J. Hartsell, and others visited Kenton vicinity, holding services in school-houses, barns, and private dwellings, resulting in the conversion of several persons. Soon after, under the auspices of the "Ohio Christian Missionary Society," a church was organized, and the house of worship now occupied was built. From 1857 to 1863, elders Green, Jesse Roberts, and J. C. Winter ministered to the congregation. From 1863 to 1871 there was no regular pastor, and the church finally disorganized. Yet there were the Williamsons, Smiths, Roberts, Bridges, Drums, and others who remained steadfast in the faith and continued to hold the church property, which continued to be known as "The Disciple Church" on Main St. About January 1, 1871, elders Jesse Roberts and Wm. Dowling were called by the few remaining members to hold a meeting which resulted in a revival of religion, the conversion of many, the reorganization of the church, and the calling of the present pastor. A permanent organization was effected April 22, 1871, by the election of Rev. Wm. Dowling, pastor. L. W. Bridge and B. Williamson, associate elders; and N. Williamson, H. H. Smith, and H. Price, deacons. At this organization the church numbered about thirty members; the present membership numbers 190. The present pastor, Rev. W. Dowling, has filled the pulpit during the past eight and a half years.

St. Paul's Episcopal Church of Kenton.

As early as 1845 services were held in the court-house by Bishop McIlvaine, under the auspices of the Episcopal Diocese. Rev. Charles Stout in 1851, Rev. Cummings in 1860, officiated at Kenton. Subsequently occasional services were conducted by Rev. Messrs. Cummings, Davis, Talford, Howard, and Britton. Assistant Bishop Bedell first visited Kenton in 1852 and continued his visitations during the next few years. On January 7, 1876, Rev. Nicholas, of Bellefontaine, held service at the residence of Elias Benton, and a church guild was formed and temporary officers elected as follows: D. Calhoun, President; Miss Rachael Spellman, Secretary; Mrs. George Cary, Treasurer. January 13, 1876, a constitution was adopted, and at a meeting of the guild the following April officers were chosen as follows: A. W. Miller, President; D. W. Benton, Vice-President; D. Calhoun, Secretary; Thomas Cantwell, Treasurer; and Elias Benton, D. W. Benton, J. S. Robinson, Trustees. The name of "St. Paul's Episcopal Church" was adopted, and Rev. Nicholas secured to conduct weekly service. In Sept. 1876, Rev. Geo. Bosley was sent to the church. A lot on north Detroit Street was purchased April 19, 1877, for $1000, which has been paid in full. In June of the same year a Sunday-school was organized, which under the regular ministration of the pastor, Rev. Bosley, has continued to grow and prosper. After the Bishop's visitation in October, 1878, A. W. Miller and H. M. Shingle were appointed wardens, and the organization changed to that of a mission.

Catholic Church.

Roman Catholic settlers were found in Hardin County at a comparatively early period. On the arrival of John McGuigin and Michael Toner in Goshen township in 1834, they found Messrs. Peter Woods, Henry Norback, John McCormick, and Ira Garrets, already old settlers. The same year Bernard Mathews settled in Pleasant township. Some years later Patrick Dealy settled in Goshen township. Of these early settlers only two survive, viz., B. Mathews and P. Haley, the father of Hon. John Haley, of the Ohio General Assembly. The first priest known to visit the county was Father Irenpont. Afterwards Fathers McNamee, Shehan, Maygher, and Howard visited the vicinity until about 1862, when the superior of the priests of the Society of the Precious Blood, at Minster, Auglaize County, undertook to send priests at regular intervals to Kenton. These were sent in turn: Fathers Patrick Henneberry, known as a zealous missionary as far west as California and Oregon; Mathias Kreusch, a very saintly man, now deceased. Alphonse Laux; Joseph Dwenger, at present Bishop at Fort Wayne; Henry Drees, now superior of the Theological Seminary at Carthagena, Ohio; and Christian French. In June, 1866, Rev. H. R. Young, a man of superior talent and piety, who died near Washington, D. C. in 1876, arrived as the first settled pastor of Kenton and vicinity. This pastorate lasted three years. During the early history, service was held in the different private dwellings, especially at Mr. Mathews, Mr. McGuigins, and Mr. Toners, and later in Kenton, in the houses of Mrs. Cunningham and Mr. Gwins. After the erection of the brick block on S. E. corner of the public square, the large hall now occupied by the *Democrat*, was permanently rented and fitted for worship. In 1864 Father Henneberry began building the present brick church on corner of North and Cherry Streets and on the 10th of July Archbishop Purcell, of Cincinnati, laid the corner stone. The dedication took place December 9, 1866, during the pastorate of Father Young, the same Archbishop officiating. Father Young also built the parsonage west of the church, but his successor, Rev. A. M. Quatman, was its first occupant. In June, 1870, Rev. N. V. Fas arrived and was much loved and greatly admired for his musical talent. December 28, 1871, Rev. A. S. Siebenfoeicher, present pastor, better known as Father Anthony, took charge of the Kenton congregation and missions of the county. In 1872 a school building was erected and the first Catholic school in the county opened the same year.

A large cemetery was also purchased at a cost of $1000 and was blessed by the pastor July 28. January 4, 1874, the present flourishing Father Mathew Catholic Total Abstinence Society was organized. The same year the Sisters of Charity first located in Kenton and have since taught the parochial school, music, and crochet, and visited the sick. During this year the beautiful church at Ada was built, and Rev. Jos. M. Quatman sent to assist Father Anthony. This church was dedicated Dec. 8, 1874. In 1875 an addition was built to the school-house to accommodate the increasing attendance. Oct. 20, 1876, Rev. A. D. Dexter was appointed assistant of Father Anthony, which position he still retains. The number of Catholic families in the county at present are as follows: In and about Kenton, 130; in vicinity of Ada, 30; at Forest, 12; at Dunkirk, 8; Ridgway, 3; Mt. Victory, 2; making a total of 185. The church at Kenton is free from debt. The following named gentlemen constitute the church committee. Denis Kelly, J. Forbing, John McGuigin, John Burkhardt, Thomas Dwyre, and Paul Watts.

Universalist.

The First Universalist Church of Kenton was organized April 9, 1876, with a membership of twenty-eight, under the pastorate of B. F. Eaton. The following officers were elected:

Trustees, Jno. Espy, E. G. Lambert, and P. S. Howe; Deacons, Joseph Whiteley and Hosea Johnson; Clerk, J. H. Linton; Treasurer, Thos. Espy. During the first year of the organization services were held in the court-house. From here the place of worship was changed to the chapel, on second floor of building near the corner of Main and Columbus Sts., where services are held weekly, and Sabbath-school conducted every Sabbath morning. The church has a membership of forty-eight at this writing. The following are the standing officers: Pastor, Rev. F. S. Rice; Trustees, P. S. Howe, Jos. Whiteley, and J. H. Linton; Deacons, H. Johnson and Jos. Whiteley; Clerk, C. Whiteley.

Baptist.

The Baptists have a congregation and house of worship in Kenton, but up to the last moment of compilation the writer has failed to secure any reliable information pertaining to the church history.

African M. E.

The African M. E. Church of Kenton was organized 1870 wi h a membership of six, under the pastorate of John Wesley Stewart. The following officers were elected trustees: James Mitchell, Henry Russel, and Thos. Johnson. In 1872 they built a small church, which they occupied the same year, and have services and Sabbath-school every Sabbath. The membership at this writing numbers forty-five. J. W. Stewart, Pastor.

EDUCATION.

Recognizing the importance of education, Kenton has ever sought the advancement of her schools, until they have attained the highest standard of excellence. The beginning was similar to other early settlements. Within the log building among slab desks the teacher often found force of more practical utility than culture. It was the physical, as decidedly as the present is the intellectual period. Notwithstanding the rudeness of that period, its efforts resulted in the laying of the corner stone of the higher culture of to-day. The new period was formally ushered in by the organization of the Union School in 1858, and the occupation of the school building in 1859. The board of education then consisted of J. S. Robinson, Wm. Schroder, Geo. Fry, and S. Smith. At the election of 1861, D. Thomson and B. R. Brunson were added to the board; and the body organized April 5, 1861, with J. S. Robinson, President; D. Thomson, Treasurer; and Samuel Smith, Secretary. The following list comprises the different members of the school board, with the date of election, from the organization in 1861 to the present:—

April, 1862.	Alonzo Bogardus, Hugh Letson.
" 1863.	A. S. Ramsey, Chas. Kaughman.
" 1864.	C. H. Gatch, B. R. Brunson.
" 1865.	J. G. Williams, J. H. Gary.
" 1866.	J. H. Gary, Hugh Letson.
" 1867.	B. R. Brunson, Alonzo Bogardus.
" 1868.	J. H. Gary, A. M. Davis.
" 1869.	David Thomson, Benedict Fink.
" 1870.	G. J. Saltzman, J. W. Binckley.
" 1871.	B. Williamson, H. N. Wheeler.
" 1872.	David Thomson, B. Fink.
" 1873.	A. B. Johnson, Jno. Stillings.
" 1874.	J. W. Binckley, Henry Price.
" 1875.	B. Fink, L. M. Strong.
" 1876.	Jno. Stillings, A. B. Johnson.
" 1877.	J. W Binckley, Henry Price.
" 1878.	L. M. Strong, B. Fink.
" 1879.	Jno. Stillings, A. B. Johnson.

In 1877 a commodious and substantial school building was erected at a cost of $10,000. Both buildings are now occupied, employing sixteen instructors in fifteen departments. The number of pupils in attendance aggregates eight hundred and forty. The enumeration shows 1725 between six and twenty-one years of age.

PHYSICIANS.

The physicians of Kenton have ever numbered in their ranks men of ability and note. The first class consisting of Drs. U. P. Leighton, W. W. Durbin, and Samuel Watt, all now deceased, settled in Kenton about 1840. Drs. J. A. Rogers, and A. W. Munson came to the city in 1844. At this writing the city has fourteen physicians, twelve of whom belong to the regular, and two to the homœopathic school. These are all of good standing in their respective schools; are generally recognized as physicians of high attainments and enjoy the confidence of the community.

KENTON BAR.

Among the professional classes of Kenton stand the attorneys, of whom the city may be proud. Without pausing to personate, it is sufficient to say that, on account of their abilities as counsellors and barristers they have attained high rank as "Guardians of the Law," while their identification with the growth and material interests of the community has proven them energetic, progressive, and influential citizens.

CITY OFFICERS.

The following list comprises the different Mayors and Recorders, with the date of election, beginning with the year 1855.

MAYOR.	RECORDER.	DATE OF ELECTION.
G. A. Stewart,		1855
Paul Brown,	H. H. Smith,	April 7, 1856
A. S. Ramsey,	Paul Barron,	" 6, 1857
Benj. Eglin,	J. M. Brunson,	" 5, 1858
L. H. Hunt,	M. M. Stimmel,	" 4, 1859
A. S. Ramsey,	W. F. Damon,	" 2, 1860
A. S. Ramsey,	F. S. Letson,	" 1, 1861
A. S. Ramsey,	Resigned,	Nov. 23, 1861
David Stanford,	Appointed,	" " "
David Stanford,	F. S. Letson,	April 7, 1862
Charles Kaughman,	A. M. Burke,	" 6, 1863
A. S Ramsey,	Ellet Stalter,	" 4, 1864
Wm. E. Cessna,	E. Stalter,	" 3, 1865
Wm. E. Cessna,	E. Stalter,	" 2, 1866
A. S. Ramsey,	A. B. Johnson,	April 1, 1867
D. K. Foreman,	A. B. Johnson,	" 6, 1868
F. S. Letson,	E. Stalter,	" 5, 1869
A. W. James,	B. Stalter,	" 4, 1870
N. L. Walker,	E. Stalter,	" 1, 1872
A. B. Johnson,	J. W. Binckley,	" 6, 1874
D. S. Fisher,	Eugene Rogers,	" 3, 1876
D. S. Fisher,	Resigned,	Dec. 18, 1877
J. W. Binckley,	Appointed,	" " "
J. W. Binckley.	J. H. Lawton.	April 9, 1878

OFFICERS FOR 1878.

J. W. Binckley	Mayor.
J. H. Lawton	Clerk.
A. M. Davis	Treasurer.

COUNCILMEN.

N. S. Weaver,	D. White,
J. V. B. Mains,	S. Lieurance,
S. Magley,	John Callam.

The population of the city in 1840 was 300, while at this time (1879) it approaches 5000. Kenton is advantageously situated, being surrounded by rich agricultural lands, on the dividing ridge which separates the waters flowing to the Ohio from those which find an outlet in the lakes. Good water is abundant. The C. S. & C. Railroad passes through the town connecting at Bellefontaine on the south and Forest on the north, with other east and west lines.

The following list exhibits the number of votes cast at State election, October 8, 1878, by townships and wards, with the population of each based on these returns.

TOWNSHIP OR WARD.	Ballots cast Oct. 8, 1878.	Population 1879.
1st Ward, Kenton	276	1380
2d " "	266	1330
3d " "	250	1250
4th " "	249	1245
Total	1041	5205
Blanchard	477	2385
Buck	255	1275
Cessna	223	1115
Dudley	281	1405
Goshen	206	1030
Hale	397	1985
Jackson	440	2200
Liberty	702	3510
Lynn	184	920
Marion	194	970
McDonald	298	1490
Pleasant	355	1775
Roundhead	204	1020
Taylor Creek	233	1165
Washington	287	1435
Total	5777	28,885

Value of taxable property as shown by the tax duplicates for 1878.

Land, acres 300,660: Value	$5,134,230 00
In cities, towns, and villages	$1,365,680 00
Chattels	$2,741,930 00
Total value	$9,241,840 00
Personal value	$1,494,134 00
Grand total	$10,735,974 00
State tax for the year, $2\frac{3}{10}$ mills	$26,801 33
For all other than State purposes	$164,039 62
Total amount for all purposes	$190,840 95

PERSONAL REMINISCENCES.

Usher Parsons Leighton was born in the town of Elliot, State of Maine, on March 16, 1810. He came to Ohio in 1831, stopped at Mecutchensville, and read medicine with Dr. Sampson, and 1833-34 he attended medical lectures at Bowdoin College, at Brunswick, Maine, and in the spring of 1835 he received a diploma from Brown University, Providence, Rhode Island. In March, 1836, he came to Kenton and commenced the practice of medicine. Hardin County was then comparatively a dense forest, without roads, churches, or school-houses. Dr. Leighton applied himself closely to his profession, became successful in the practice of medicine, and soon won his way to the hearts and confidence of all the early settlers. He seemed at once to identify himself with the early pioneers of this county. In their bereavements and afflictions they shared his closest attention and kindest sympathy, and he shared with them the toils, privations, and hardships of a new and sickly county. His acquaintance was universal; he was familiar with each household; he had so won the affections and confidence of the people that he seemed like a member of each family. Three times he was elected treasurer of the county, and discharged the duties with integrity and honor. On the 19th of January, 1840, he was married to Miss Ellen Houser, daughter of Jacob H. Houser, then one of the prominent citizens of this county. For more than 38 years they shared together the toils and trials, bitters and sweets, lights and shades incident to human life. They had a prominent place in the respect of the people and were respected by all. They raised one son and two daughters, who have a strong hold on the affections and sympathy of the people. The doctor and his excellent wife lived together to see Kenton start a little village among the trees and swamps of the forest, and grow to be a beautiful little city of neatness and taste. Dr. Leighton was a man of good social qualities, warm in his friendship, strong in his attachment, tender in heart, and of a noble, generous spirit. He had no enemies, but many friends. Death came suddenly. The doctor came home in the evening, and he and his wife sat down to supper as usual; little did they think it was their last meal together, but in a few minutes after supper the angel of death came, and she who was the mother of his children and once his young and beautiful bride and the pride of his heart, was left to tread the path of life alone. Peace to his memory and Heaven's blessing on her that remains.

Since going to press we learned of the death of Rev. Benjamin Waddle, D.D., which occurred May 16, 1879. He was born near Wheeling, W. Va., June 2, 1802. In 1823, he entered Wheeling Academy, and after completing a classical education, he studied theology under Rev. Joseph Key, D.D., of Allegheny City. He was licensed to preach the gospel by the Second A. R. Presbytery of Ohio, April 29, 1828, and was ordained and installed pastor of the united charges of Zanesville, Jonathan's Creek, Rush Creek, and Thornville, May 6, 1829. On the 21st of October of same year he was united in marriage with Miss Martha A. Gleen, of Allegheny City. On the first Sabbath of May, 1836, he took charge of the united congregations of Crooked Creek, Salt Creek, and Lebanon; but after a short period his whole time was given to Crooked Creek, now the U. P. Church of New Concord, Ohio, with which he was connected, in all, about 23 years. He was one of the founders and organizers of Muskingum College, in which he served as President and Professor of Languages and Sciences during several years. He took charge of Kenton congregation Nov. 1, 1859, with which he was connected till the time of his death. During the years 1871 and 1872 he represented Hardin County in the State Legislature, but would not accept a second term. His life was of that kindly character which had endeared him to all with whom he came in contact, as he was generally known and highly revered by all. His death is deeply felt throughout the community and the church, for each person realizes in his departure the loss of a true friend.

Christina Furney was married to William Furney in 1855, William Furney drew the town plan of Kenton and sent it to Columbus for record. Their cabin was the first one built on the town plat, and Mr. Furney and his youngest son took out the first grubs from the town plat of Kenton. They moved into their cabin the 4th day of July, 1833. They boarded the men who surveyed the town plat. Mr. Furney died May 20, 1854.

Charles W. Stevenson was the first auditor of Hardin County, and held the office eleven years and died May 17, 1854.

Gotfried Hoppie and wife Caroline. We regard these old people, residing in north part of Pleasant township, as of remarkable age and health. Mr. Hoppie was born on the Rhine, in Germany, in 1782, being now 96 years old, and Mrs. Caroline Hoppie also born in Germany in 1792, making her 86 years of age. Mr. Hoppie has been married twice, his first wife dying young. He served under Blucher with Wellington. He was with the Saxon troops in 1816, and came to America with his wife in 1834, and landed at Baltimore, Md. He stopped two years in Perry County, and three in Fairfield County, Ohio, and came to Hardin in 1839. Kenton was then a mere village. His neighbors at that time were Jonas Butcher and Mr. Shitzer. It is stated by both these old people that temperate eating and much plain food have long conduced to their fine health. Their sons are, Daniel and Robert, with whom

the old people live, and August and Carl Hoppie, who live in Indiana and Germany.

Daniel Kellogg came to Hardin County with his father May 22, 1835, and settled in the woods one mile north of Kenton, and assisted his father to cut away the brush for the road leading to Kenton, where the gravel pike now is. He states that in his early pioneer experience he often got lost in going to Kenton, although but about one mile distant. On one occasion he came very near being out all night. He went to Kenton one Sabbath evening to get some medicine for his father who was ill, and on his return missed his way and wandered around until about one o'clock at night, when he chanced to hear the cow-bell which guided him home. The forests were quite dense at that time, and failing in his knowledge as a woodsman, he was easily bewildered. Daniel entered 160 acres in Jackson township, where he now resides. His land is situated on the pike leading from Kenton to Forest. Mr. Kellogg married Miss Caroline Eaten, of Blanchard township. He is a farmer 62 years of age. He states that the first schoolhouse in his neighborhood was erected on his father's farm as early as 1836, and one of the first teachers was Rachel Kellogg, and subsequently one Holmes. The seats were of split logs or slabs, and the windows were covered by greased paper. David Kellogg, his father, originally came from Massachusetts, and died near Kenton.

A. H. Allen, among the early pioneers of Hardin County, was not the least conspicuous. He was born in Hardin Co., Virginia, in 1803, and came to Ohio with his widowed mother when seven years of age. In 1831 he was married in Pickaway County to Miss Rebecca Mackey, and two years later settled on the banks of the Scioto two miles east of Kenton. In 1852 he removed to an adjoining farm where he lived till his death, which occurred December 24, 1873. With truth it might be said, in him was found "the noblest work of God, an honest man." His wife still lives, at the age of sixty-eight years, December 7, 1878.

Nicholas Rarey was born in Franklin County, Ohio, March 2, 1824. He resided in Franklin County until 1851, when he removed to his present home in Pleasant township, Hardin County. His present occupation is like that of the ancient sage of Rome, that of the cultivation of the soil, an employment honorable and healthful in all ages. Mr. Rarey is a relative of the Rarey who obtained much reputation for his skill in taming horses, and finally mastered, tamed, and owned the noted "Cruiser" of English blood.

Samuel Wagner was born in Berks County, Pennsylvania, November 8, 1800, and removed to Hazardstown, Washington County, Maryland, in 1824, and engaged in the milling business. From thence he removed to Hardin County, Ohio, in the spring of 1833, and located on the farm where he now resides 1½ miles east of Kenton, on what is now the Marion Pike. He was married December 25, 1834, to Mary A. Hassman, who also came to Hardin County with her parents in 1833, and settled within about two miles of Kenton. Mr. Wagner was elected justice of the peace in 1834, was land appraiser one year, and owns about 1100 acres of land in Pleasant, Buck, Dudley, and Lynn townships. He found when he came, John and Jacob Houser, William and Lemuel Wilmuth. Housers and Wilmuths were then the only persons in Kenton. Josiah Raby came in about the same time and settled on the river; also Abel Allen, Isaiah Trump, Sampson Shatley, and John J. Marks. Mr. Wagner helped to raise the first cabin in Kenton. William Furney had a little place of entertainment just south of the Reese house. William Cary had the first little store. Obediah Taylor the next. The first school-house outside of county seat on the farm now owned by James Vance in 1833, near where the proposed railroad crosses the pike. William Williams was the first teacher. Mr. Wagner is of German descent. John Wagner, father of Samuel, was in the Revolutionary war in the battle of Yorktown, in which Lord Cornwallis was taken prisoner.

Bernard Matthews was born in the county of Dublin, Ireland, April 15, 1801, and emigrated to the United States in 1834, with his wife and two children, and arrived in Kenton about the first of August of the same year, and located in Pleasant township, where he remained two years, and sold out and entered land in Cessna township, where he now resides. He has raised a family of ten children, seven boys and three girls. Mr. Matthews is among the earliest of the pioneers of Hardin County.

David Thompson came from Halifax County, Virginia, to Marion County, Ohio, with his wife and family of eight children, five boys and three girls, in 1830, and entered 280 acres of land in Goshen township, and moved upon it in 1833. He was the first settler in the northeast corner of the township. Three sons live on the old farm, James, David, and John. Jacob lives in Jackson township. Benjamin Wydner came soon after and settled 2½ miles distant. The nearest mill was eighteen or twenty miles away, at West Liberty. There were no buildings at the time between his place and Kenton, and no road except a mere trail through the forest. Mr. Thompson lived to see his children grow up and all married and settled around him. He died aged about 73 years.

William Church Ingman was born in what is now Jeromeville, Ashland County, Ohio, July 11, 1829, came to Hardin County with his father, Edmund Ingman, when a lad sixteen years of age, and settled on the west line of Goshen township. He married Miss H. Jane Barrett in the same township, Nov. 11, 1852. He settled on the farm where he now resides in August, 1861. He enlisted in the army September, 1861, and served three years. His father, Edmund Ingman, was born in Maryland, December 17, 1782, was an early settler in this State, having come in about the year 1800, and died while Probate Judge of Ashland County about 1863.

Rev. J. C. Caster was born in Richland County, Ohio, in 1831, and came to Hardin County in 1834, married Miss Elizabeth Holmes in 1856. Entered the M. E. University when young, and continued a popular preacher until his death, Oct. 20, 1877.

Mr. John Johnston came from Marion County, Ohio, to what is now Pleasant township, Hardin County, about 1828. He here entered 80 acres of land near where he now resides. In coming into the county he travelled by ox team, and had the road to open from the old Sandusky Road to Fort McArthur. Mr. J. served in the campaigns of General Harrison, and has now attained his eighty-fourth year.

Judge Hugh Letson was born in Hope, Warren Co., N. J., in 1810, married Miss Rebecca W. Hoys in 1835, and two years later moved to Kenton, Ohio. Mr. L. served as J. P. twelve years, and one term as Probate Judge. He was a man of influence, possessed a high sense of honor, and secured the confidence of the community, which he retained up to the time of his death, which occurred Feb. 1, 1878.

CHARLES BRUMM, NOTARY PUBLIC.

Mr. Chas. Brumm was born in Coventry township, Summit County, O., July 19, 1843, and is the youngest member of a family of six children, three sisters and three brothers, of whom our subject and two sisters only survive. He is the son of John Peter Brumm, who was born Feb. 8, 1808, and Maria Margaret Brumm, who was born Nov. 16, 1803. His parents were both natives of Land. Grafschaft. Hessen. Hum Berg Meckenbach bei Kirn an der Noh Königreich Neü Prussen, Europa, and were united in the holy bonds of matrimony in Europe, April 17, 1827. In 1841 they emigrated to America, in a sailing vessel, the voyage to New York consuming forty-nine days. From New York they came to near Akron, Summit Co., O, where they resided four years. Here our subject was born, and when about two years of age his parents moved to Seneca Co., O., in the vicinity of Rome and Risden, now known as Fostoria, where they still reside in fair health, fair circumstances, and complete happiness, in which condition Charlie hopes they may be spared together many years. In 1857 Charlie started in the mercantile business, on a salary, in Fostoria, where he continued two years, and then returned to the farm and remained at home until 1860, when he went to Sandusky City, and was employed by S. Porter in Norman Hall Block as shipping clerk in the wholesale grocery and liquor department. He remained in this capacity until August 9, 1862, when the Rebellion was at its height. It was then that the spark of patriotism in his bosom kindled into a blaze, and he enrolled with Company "G," 123d Regiment, O. V. I., Oct. 16, 1862. His regiment left his native State for the sunny South under command of Genl. R. H. Milroy. After weary marches, drills, and picketings in Western Virginia and Maryland, work was undertaken on the fortifications and breastworks in and about Winchester, Va. In June, 1863, he participated in the battle of Winchester. The city, after considerable storming, was evacuated by the Union forces; but the 123d regiment, in common with several other regiments, was intercepted in its retreat by the rebel forces under Genl. Early, and made prisoners of war. Mr. B. was conveyed to Belle Isle Prison, transferred to Libby Prison, but after twenty-nine days' imprisonment was paroled, and reported in due time to his regiment. From this time forward he participated in all the vicissitudes of his regiment, until the battle of New Market, Va., May 15, 1864, where he was severely wounded in the shoulder by a musket ball, while fighting under Genl. Seigel. After the engagement he was transferred to the hospital at Cumberland, Md., where he was finally discharged on account of wounds received in battle, March 20, 1865. After discharge he at once returned to Seneca County, O., and engaged in farming; but in October of following year he entered the service of his former employer, S. Porter, with whom he continued about a year, when he erected a store on Water Street, Sandusky, and embarked in the "flour, feed, and produce" trade on his own responsibility, and at the same time carried an interest in the fishing business under the firm name of Good, Sons & Co. He remained in this business until 1870, when he moved to Kenton, and purchased the Scioto River Tannery, which he operated during the ensuing three years. In this enterprise, from a small business he built up an annual trade of about $15,000. In 1873 he embarked in the real estate and collection business, in which he is still engaged. In this connection his operations have assumed great proportions, and at this writing he has several farms, a large amount of unimproved lands, and many vacant lots and houses and lots for sale or exchange.

Mr. B. has at different times resided in Tiffin and Patterson temporarily, as he has business interests at these and many other points. He is now erecting a fine residence in the suburbs of Kenton, an engraving of which will be found in another part of this volume, and known as "Brumm's Blumen Berg. His family consists of Mrs. Brumm, née Mrs. Anna Eliza Diddlebaugh, whom he married in 1870, and three children, two being dead, viz., Maggie Lizzie, deceased April 7, 1872, and Willie Charlie, deceased May 19, 1878.

Mr. John Kaiser came to this country in 1834. After three years' residence in Cincinnati he removed to Kenton, April 1, 1837. Here he followed the hatting business fourteen years, after which he commenced farming about a half mile west of the Public Square. He still resides upon this farm, and although advanced in years is yet active and energetic.

Mr. John Pfeiffer came from Germany to Pennsylvania in 1831, and resided in Beaver County during the ensuing three years. In 1834 he came to Pleasant township, Hardin County, Ohio, and purchased a small tract of land. The next year he went to Springfield, Ohio, and engaged at shoemaking until 1838, when he went to Germany and brought his family to Hardin County, Ohio. He is still a respectable citizen of Kenton.

Rev. Thomas H. Wilson was born in Carroll County, Ohio, March 29, 1817, and came with his parents to Hardin County in 1835. The county was then little more than an unbroken wilderness, without roads, mills, churches, or schools. Provisions could not be procured nearer than Mad River and the Miami Valley. With an outfit furnished by his father, Mr. Wilson at once commenced teaming between those points and the settlement in this county. Thus for five years he was engaged in procuring breadstuffs for the pioneers, driving through woods, and often under the necessity of camping by the way, and sleeping in his wagon. The hardships incident to such life paled away before the self-reliance, energy, and perseverance of our subject, who realized that provisions must be obtained at a distance until forests could be transformed into tillable fields. He had not the advantages of an early education, but a keen knowledge of human nature, and a broad experience of pioneer life, largely compensated for limited education. At a camp meeting, held near Fort McArthur in 1839, he was converted and joined the M. E. Church, and, in 1841, entered the ministry. He at once proved a successful itinerant preacher, and rose to distinction, serving as presiding elder eleven years, being twice a delegate to the general conference, and filling other important appointments during a period of twenty-five years. Being an easy, fluent speaker and natural orator, he has been called to dedicate a greater number of churches than any man in the State of Ohio during the same time. At this writing he resides in Kenton, and retains mastery of the faculties to which his successful life is attributable.

Mr. John Zimmerman was born in Ross County, Ohio, Jan. 19, 1800. In 1837, he removed to McDonald township, Hardin County, where he resided until his death, which occurred Oct. 23, 1864. Nov. 3, 1825, he married Miss Rebecca Plyley of Ross County. Mrs. Zimmerman died Oct. 3, 1878, at the age of seventy-two.

Mr. Peter Borders was born in Green County, Ohio, Nov. 12, 1805, where he remained until 1845, when he removed to McDonald township, and settled on the farm where he still resides.

Mr. Gardner Hatch was born in Quebec County, Maine, in 1808, and came to Hardin County in 1830. He first settled in Dudley township, but removed to Hale township in 1854. Mr. Hatch married Miss Harriet Dudley Nov. 24, 1830, being among the first persons married in the county.

John Shanks was born in Richland County, Ohio, in 1821, and settled with his father, Thos. Shanks, in Goshen township, Hardin County, Ohio, in 1832. He was married to Miss Jane Mustard in 1846, and moved to Liberty township in 1849, where he still resides. He has one of the best improved farms in the township; he served one term as County Commissioner, and has always been interested in all public improvements in township or county.

We desire to return thanks to all who have assisted us in the preparation of the foregoing history. Many of the sketches may appear crude, but we preferred using the exact language of the contributors. We would acknowledge special obligations to General James S. Robinson, Hon. A. B. Johnson, Harvey Buckminister, Dr. A. W. Munson, Rev. T. H. Wilson, L. T. Hunt, David S. Fisher, Editor *Democrat*, A. W. Miller, Editor *Republican*, and Judge Banning, of Kenton, D. H. Edger of Dunkirk, Jonathan Carter of Roundhead, and others, for valuable information, and Dr. G. W. Hill of Ashland, for assistance in the compilation of the same.

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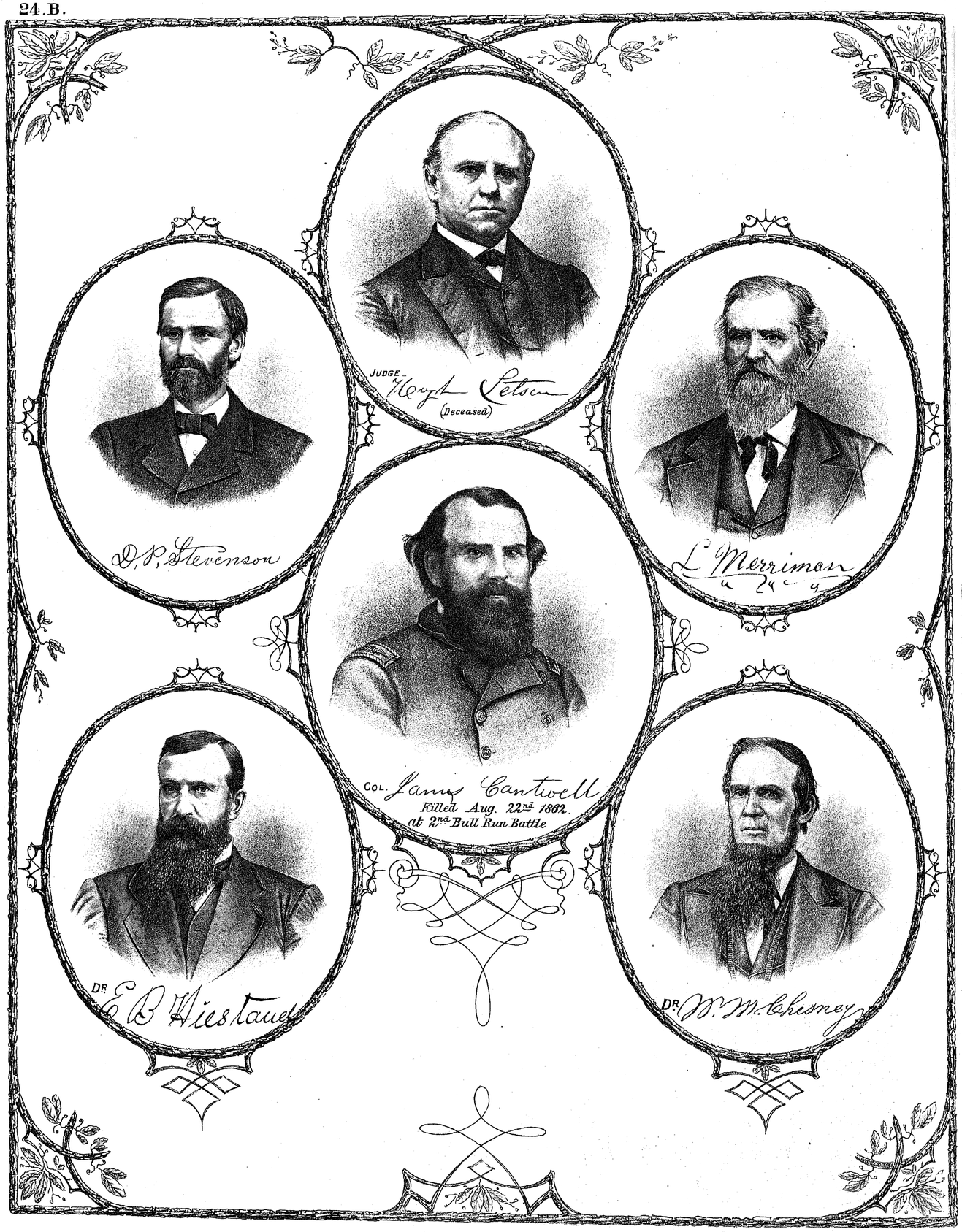
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COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.

NAME.	Rank.	Co.	Regiment.	Date Enlistm'nt	Date of Death or Discharge
Robinson, James S.	Brev. Maj.-Gen.			April 17, '61	Mustered out of service Aug. 30, '65.
Thomson, David	Brev. Brig.-Gen.			April, '61	" "
Cantwell, James	Colonel		82d O. V. I.	April 17, '61	Killed Aug. 29, '62, at 2d Bull Run.
Park, Horace	"		43d "	Feb. 7, '62	July, '65.
Emmerson, Geo. W.	Lieut.-Colonel		54th U. S. Inf.	May, '63	Aug. 26, '66.
Furney, Luther	"		34th O. V. I.		Feb. 26, '65.
Gatch, Conduce H.	"		135th O. N. G.	May 10, '64	Sept. 1, '64.
Jennings, J. F.	"		45th O. V. I.	Aug. 19, '62	June 15, '65.
Moses, B. Walker	"		U. S. Army	Aug. 4, '61	Retired.
Ramsey, Alex S.	"		45th O. V. I.	"	Resigned Nov. 16, '62.
Strong, Luther M.	"		49th "	Aug. 18, '61	March 12, '65.
Weaver, George	Major		4th "	Nov. '61	Resigned Nov. 6, '62.
Hoge, Solomon L.	Brevet Major		U. S. Army		
Woodward, M. S.	Quartermaster		5th Division Miss. Fleet Ft. Hindman	June 15, '64	June, '65.
Munson, Aug's W.	Surgeon		188th O. V. I.	March 6, '65	Sept. 28, '65.
Phillips, W. H	"		118th "	Dec. 23, '62	Resigned May 7, '64.
Stimmel, M. M	"		135th O. N. G.	May 10, '64	Sept. 1, '64.
Munson, Aug's A.	Asst. Surgeon		82d O. V. I.	Dec. 26, '61	Resigned April 4, '63.
Watt, Wm.	"		48th "	April 16, '63	June, '65.
Schmidt, C. H.	"		168th "	March, '65	July, '65.
Snodgrass, Jesse	"		8th Tenn. V. I.	Aug. 10, '63	"
Young, Joshua B.	"		15th O. V. I.	Sept. '63	Dec. '65.
Kost, Jacob V.	Chaplain		45th "	Oct. 9, '62	Resigned May 25, '63.
Amerman, Daniel	Captain		" "	July 9, '62	Resigned Nov. 27, '62.
Boslow, Peter C.	"	C	82d "	Nov. 28, '61	Resigned May 6, '62.
Brown, Geo.	"	K	11th Mich. V. I.	Feb. '62	Oct. '64, promoted.
Brayton, Rufus M.	"	B	120th O. V. I.	Aug. '63	Resigned Jan 14, '63.
Bowsher, Jesse	"	F	55th "	Oct. 10, '61	July 19, '65.
Ballentine, Wm.	"		82d "	Nov. '61	Killed in action.
Campbell, John	"	C	" "	Nov. 16, '61	Dec. 9, '64.
Crow, E. B.	"	I	45th "	Nov. 31, '61	Resigned Jan. 28, '65.
Criswell, J. E.	"		82d "		April 4, '65.
Cutting, Alanson P.	"	K	" "	Nov. 16, '61	"
Dickson, Wm. J.	"	A	" "	Nov. '61	Killed at Resaca.
Dunson, E. A.	"	H	135th O. N. G.	May 9, '64	Sept. 1, '64.
Eglin, Adam R.	"	H	45th O. V. I.	July, '62	June, '65.
Ewing, James	"	G	82d "	Nov. '61	Resigned May 18, '62.
Grubb, Peter	"		4th "	Jan. 9, '62	Mustered out '62.
Henkle, Seth V.	"	A	183d "	Aug. 17, '64	July 27, '65.
Herrick, Cyrus	"	C	82d "	Nov. '61	July 25, '65.
Huston, C. C.	"	C	41st "	Sept. '61	July, '65.
Hoge, S. L.	"	G	82d "	Nov. '61	
Kraner, Solomon	"	B	118th "	July, '62	Aug. '64.
Louthan, J. W.	"	I	17th Ind. V. Inf.	April, '61	Sept. '65. [July 21, '64.
Lewis, Daniel	"	C	21st "	Sept. '61	Killed at Atlanta, Ga.,
Marsh, Milton	"	G	82d "	Nov. '61	Nov. 29, '61.
Mentzer, David J.	"	B	" "	"	Resigned Nov. 6, '62.
McConnell, Jas. B.	"	A	" "	"	July 25, '65.
Melhorn, Michael	"	I	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Manning, John W.	"	D	20th O. V. I.	Sept. '61	July 18, '65.
Moore, Sidney F.	"	H	118th "	Aug. 20, '62	June, '65.
Mains, Charles	"	E	82d "	Nov. '61	Resigned July 23, '62.
Nixon, W. W.	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May 8, '64	Sept. 1, '64.
Norton, Charles	"	E	4th Ark. V. Inf.	July 1, '63	March 29, '65.
Powell, Lemon S.	"	B	82d "	Nov. '61	July 30, '62.
Patterson, John C.	"	D	1st O. M.	July 4, '63	Sept. '64.
Pierce, Wilber F.	"	K	8th O. V. I.	April 22, '61	July, '64, mustered out.
Rarey, Alfred K.	"	I	45th "	July 28, '62	June, '65. [Nov. '63.
Stanley, Comfort E.	"	I	" "	Aug. 19, '62	D'd w'd rec'd Phila., Pa.,
Siferd, Wm.	"	A	13th U. S. Inf.	Nov. '61	Aug. '65.
Smith, Ham.	"	K	1st U. S. Eng.	Oct. 13, '61	Oct. '65.
Snodgrass, David	"	H	74th O. V. I.	Feb. 20, '62	Resigned April 26, '64.
Timmons, Daniel R.	"	E	4th "	Nov. '61	Aug. '64.
Tyson, Luther B.	"	H	168th "	May 3, '64	Oct. 11, '64.
Wiley, Robert C.	"		82d "	Nov. 11, '61	Nov. 11, '64.
Warnicks, Robt.	Captain		12th U. S. Inf.	May 11, '12	May 11, '17.
Williams, Ira	"	I	135th O. N. G.	May 8, '64	Sept. 1, '64.
Barlow, Andrew J.	1st Lieut.	B	101st Ind. V. I.	Aug. '62	D'd Chattanoogs, Tenn., Sept. 17, '64.
Ballard, John H.	Adjutant	E	82d O. V. I.	Nov. '61	Resigned July 19, '64.
Baldwin, David C.	1st Lieut.		135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. 1, '64.
Breese, John	"	G	156th "	May 15, '64	"
Carlin, John T.	"	F	82d O. V. I.	Nov. '61	Resigned Jan. 20, '63.
Carroll, Nelson M.	"	B	" "	"	Killed in action.
Cantwell, James	"		3d "		July, '47, Mexican war.
Cessna, Wm. T.	1st L. & Adj	A	82d "	Nov. '61	Resigned May 13, '63.
Clark, J. L.	1st Lieut.	C	132d O. N. G.	May 14, '64	Sept. 1, '64.
Davis, Jeff. P.	"	I	82d O. V. I.	Nov. '61	July, '65.
Davis, A. H.	"	K	66th Ill. V. I.	Sept. '64	"
Dille, Isaac N.	"		135th O. N. G.	May 8, '64	Sept. 1, '64.
Dille, Abraham	"		Squirrel Hunters		
Faught, Preston	"	G	82d O. V. I.	Nov. '61	Resigned Oct. 30, '62.
Fry, George B.	"	A	" "	"	June, '65.
Gary, Asa H.	"	B	" "	"	Killed at Peach Tree Creek, Ga., July 20, '64.
Goodin, Alfred	"	B	" "	"	March 12, '65.
Howe, G. D.	"	I	66th Ill. V. I.	Sept. '64	July, '65.
Kanel, John	"	K	65th O. V. I.	April 14, '61	Nov. 23, '65.
Lacy, James O.	"	B	82d "	Nov. '61	June 18, '65.
Lester, Wm. W.	"	C	21st Mo. V. I.	July 14, '68	Died at Pittsburg Landing, March 28, '62.
McKane, Robert L.	"		45th O. V. I.	Oct.	Resigned May 22, '65.
Murdick, Warren P.	"	C	82d "	Nov. 20, '61	D'd Chattanooga, Tenn., June 30, '64.
McWilliams, James	1st L. & Adj		95th "	March 26, '63	Nov. 20, '63.
Porterfield, Wm.	1st Lieut.	E	82d "	Nov. '61	Resigned May 16, '62.
Phillips, Nathan B.	"	G	" "	"	July, '65.
Piper, A. A.	"	C	Mervill's Horse Mo.	Aug. '61	Feb. 15, '63.
Pumphrey, Jas. B.	"	A	123d O. V. I.	Sept. 24, '62	June 12, '65. Prisoner in Charleston, Libby, and at Danville, Ga.
Serguson, Wm.	"	E	82d "	Nov. '61	Died Chattanooga, Ga.,
Stevenson, Jas. L	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. 1, '64. [Jan. '64.
Snow, Jasper S.	Adjutant	C	82d O. V. I.	Nov. '61	July, '65.
Stumm, P. W.	1st Lieut.		74th "	Jan. 15, '62	"
Smith, Henry W.	"	C	18th U. S. Inf.	Oct. '61	Oct. '64.
Reilly, Benj. S.	"	C	82d "	Nov. '61	June, '64.
Walker, Jos. A.	"		45th O. V. I.	Aug. '62	June 15, '65.
Wheeler, Amos.	"	G	82d "	Nov. '61	June, '65.
Woods, David	"	H	4th Wis. V. I.	Sept. '64	"
Welch, Jasper N.	"	G	15th O. V. I.	Sept. 11, '61	July, '65.
Whigham, Andrew	"	A	82d "	Feb. 8, '64	"
Baldwin, W. H.	2d Lieut.	H	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Bushong, Thos. H.	"		82d O. V. I.	Nov. '61	
Bain, Wm. F.	"	A	16th Ill. V. I.	May 9, '61	July 8, '65.
Eaton, James	"	I	130th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Kimber, Ezra S.	"		45th O. V. I.		Resigned April 8, '64.
Linton, J. H.	"		183d "	Jan. 24, '65	Resigned May 18, '65.
Lue, Conrad	"		82d "	Nov. '61	Resigned Aug. 5, '63.
Myers, C. S.	"		45th "	Aug. '62	Feb. 12, '64.
Mathews, J. D.	"		135th O. N. G.	May 8, '64	Sept. 1, '64.
McFadden, Wm. W.	"	H	192d "	March 10, '65	Sept. 2, '65.
Parrott, Jacob	"	K	33d O. V. I.	Sept. '61	Dec. '64.
Park, N. R.	"	H	66th Ill. V. I.	Oct. 11, '61	Sept. '64.
Rummel, W. L.	"	I	192d O. V. I.	Feb. 22, '65	Sept. '65.
Strawbridge, Sam'l.		I	133d O. N. G.	May 8, '64	Sept. 1, '64.
Simonson, Morgan		C	82d O. V. I.	Nov. 24, '61	Resigned July 17, '62.
Timmons, Joseph	2d Lieut.	D	2d Hancock Vet. Cor	Nov. '61	March 6.
Timmons, Daniel		D	4th O. V. I.	April 19, '61	
Ward, John E.	2d Lieut.	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Wheeler, Horace N.	"		" "	"	"
Woods, Henry H.	"	H	115th O. V. I.	Aug. '62	Aug. 11, '64.
Williams, W. Ray	"	I	82d "	Dec. '62	Feb. '65.

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS AND PRIVATES.

NAME.	Rank.	Co.	Regiment.	Date Enlistm't	Date of Death or Discharge
Atwood, H. W	Private	B	87th O. V. Inf		
Althauser, W. J	Sergeant	G	135th O. N. G	May 2, '64	Sept. 6, '64.
Almy, Chas. T	"	I	45th O. V. I	Aug. 8, '62	May 12, '65.
Ashby, John	"	A	82d "		
Albert, Martin	"	G	4th "	June, '61	Wd. at Chancellorsville, and disc'd June, '64.
Archer, Nicholas	"	H	179th "	Sept. 16, '64	June 24, '65.
Allen, E. H	Corporal	G	135th O. N. G	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Atkinson, J. A	Private	D	81st O. V. I	Aug. 28, '61	"
Atkinson, J. A	"	B	4th "	April 19, '61	Aug. '61.
Argo, Emanuel	"	F	31st "	June 6, '61	July, '65.
Agin, S. B	"	H	66th Ill. V. W. S. S	Oct. 7, '61	"
Ansley, James R	"	H	135th O. N. G	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Alexander, Jos. B	"	F	176th O. V. I	Sept. '64	June, '65.
Andrews, Samuel	Corporal	G, I	4th and 135th O. V. I.	May '61 & '64.	July, '61. Sept. '64.
Allyn, Abram W	Private		36th O. V. I	July, '61 & '63.	Sept. '62, and June, '65.
Allyn, Homer T	"	B	174th "	Sept. '64	Sept. '65, wounded at Kingston, N. C.
Allen, Chas. W	"	H		March, '64	Sept. '64.
Ansley, G. W	Corporal	H	135th O. N. G	May, '64	"
Allyn, N. H	Private	A	11th Ill. V. I	'62	'64.
Alexander, F. J	"	A	82d O. V. I	Nov. '61	
Alpers, Christopher	"	B	" "	"	
Ash, Thos	"	C	" "	"	
Aths, John	"	G	" "	"	
Arahood, John	"	E	" "	"	
Adams, Wm	"	E	" "	"	
Axtell, John	"	E	" "	"	
Amon, Fred	"	B	" "	"	
Adams, Robert	"	D	34th "		June, '65.
Andrews, Peter	"	A	82d O. V. I		Wd. at Gettysburg.
Anselman, Chas	"	B	136th O. N. G	May 2, '64	Sept. '64.
Bolenbaugh, Isaac	"	G	4th O. V. I	April 7, '62	Jan. '65.
Bolenbaugh, Isaac	"	G	135th O. N. G	May 2, '64	Sept. 6, '64.
Benckley, J. W	Q. M. Sergt.		114th O. V. I	'62	'63.
Born, S. H	Private	G	135th O. N. G	May 2, '64	Sept. 6, '64.
Bingham, Charles	"	E	13th Mich. V. I	Sept. 22, '61	Jan. 17, '65.
Bogardus, Alonzo	"	I	135th O. N. G	May 2, '64	Sept. 6, '64.
Born, Emanuel	Corporal	B	82d O. V. I	Nov. 11, '61	July, '65.
Bushong, S. L	Private	I	49th "	Aug. 23, '61	Aug. 23, '64.
Baxter, Edmund L	"	G	187th "	Feb. '65	Jan. '66.
Berlien, Peter Z	"	K	180th "	Aug. '64	July, '65.
Briggs, Robert P	"		99th Ind. V. I	'62	"
Briggs, Amos D	Corporal	D	4th O. V. I	June 4, '61	June 21, '65.
Briggs, Matthew	Private	D	" "	"	Jan. '64.
Briggs, J. M	"	C	82d "	Nov. 16, '61	June, '65.
Barlett, J. N	"	I	192d "	March 4, '65	Sept. 2, '65.
Balis, Cyrus	"	D	42d "	Sept. 17, '61	Sept. 30, '64.
Burdett, John	Corporal	D	4th "	April 18, '61	June, '64.
Beeler, John J	Private	F	23d "	July, '61	'64.
Barrett, J. F	"	A	82d "	Oct. 29, '61	Dec. 31, '63.
Barrett, George L	"	G			
Baker, Thos. S	"	G	183d "	Oct. 3, '64	July 17, '65. [ville, N. C.
Baker, E. O	"	G	" "	"	D. May 4, '65, at Smith-
Brown, Thos. B	"	D	43d "	Dec. 21, '61	July 17, '65.
Bailey, James	"	B	179th "	Sept. 19, '63	June 17, '64.
Baker, Abraham	Sergeant	B	82d "	Sept. 6, '61	July, '65.
Baker, James	Private	B	" "	Nov. 20, '61	July 24, '65.
Baker, John	"				Drowned in the Miss. R.
Baker, Emanuel	"	B	14th "	April, '61	Dec. '62.
Bruce, W. S	"	B	6th Va. Cav	"	April, '65.
Bowman, B. F	"	K	16th O. V. I	Nov. '61	'63.
Byrne, Lawrence	"	A	39th New Jersey V.	June, '64	June, '65.
Byrne, A. J	"	C	9th "	Oct. '63	Feb. 28, '64.
Bippus, John	"	A	107th O. V. I	Aug. 7, '62	June 10, '65.
Burns, S. P	"	G	95th "	Aug. 6, '62	June 13, '65.
Bowman, J. W	"	A	47th "	Oct '64	Dec. '65.
Bailey, John C	"	D	4th and 74th O. V. I.	June 4, '61	Wd. at Fredericsburg, Va., Dec. 13, '62, and April 22, '63. [27, '63.
Bailey, Silas	"	A	11th O. V. I	June, '63	D. at Ft. Laramie, Dec.
Brobeck, Israel	"	K	178th "	May 24, '64	July, '65.
Barr, Jacob	"	A	19th "	Oct. '64	June 9, '65.
Bailey, Silas	"	B	179th "	Sept. 19, '64	June 23, '65.
Baum, George	Corporal	G	82d "	Dec. '61	July, '65.
Baily, John C	Private	A	74th "	Oct. 9, '61	
Basil, Adam	"	D	136th O. N. G	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Beltz, Daniel	"	D	66th O. V. I	Sept. '61	June, '65.
Black, J. H	"	C	62d "	Oct. 8, '61	May 25, '65.
Baker, F. B	"	E	25th "	Aug. 15, '62	June 14, '65.
Boyd, J. M	"	H	135th O. N. G	May, '64	K. at Maryland Heights, July 4, '64.
Baldwin, J. W	Sergeant	A	82d O. V. I	Nov. 1, '61	July, '65.
Burton, Edward	Private	E	5th U. S. C. I	June 24, '63	May 18, '65.
Bowman, Peter	"	B	128th O. V. I	July, '63	Aug. '65.
Bushong, Thos. H	Sergeant	C	82d "	Nov. 9, '61	April 14, '65.
Burchfield, Thomas	Private	B	118th "	Aug. '62	July 8, '65.
Beck, Hiram	"	C	126th "	May, '64	June, '65.
Bowdle, Jos. A	"	E	82d "	Jan. '61	Sept. '64.
Bowdle, R. W	"	H	47th "	Sept. 29, '64	May, '65.
Bowdle W. B	Sergeant	B	118th "	Aug. 8, '62	April, '65.
Baily, S. S	Private	G	9th O. V. Cav	July, '63	Aug. '65.
Bonham, T. C	Corporal	B	43d O. V. I	Oct. 4, '61	July, '65.
Black, Edward	Private	A	183d "	Sept. 30, '64	"
Bowers, N. H	"	A	82d "	Nov. '61	Feb. '63.
Beck, Frederick	"	B	13th V. R. C	June 4, '61	June, '64.
Black, Samuel	"	G	4th O. V. I	Sept. '61	Died at Camp Chase.
Black, George	"	A	82d "	Nov. '61	'63.
Bridenstine, M. L.	"	I	3d O. Cav	Sept. 17, '61	Aug. 16, '65.
Bridenstine, Joshua	"		55th O. V. I	Jan. '63	Killed June 15.
Black, R. F	"	C	62d "	Oct. 8, '61	Dec. 7, '65.
Bowers, R. T	"	C	49th "	March, '64	Dec. '64.
Ballard, Fred	"	F	176th "	Sept. '64	June, '65.
Bowers, D	"	I	1st Mich. Cav	'63	Sept. '65.
Bartsche, Jacob	"	G	135th O. N. G	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Bates, Solomon	"	F	176th O. V. I	Sept. 2, '64	June, '65.
Bradford, Wm. S	"	F	" "	"	"
Beams, James W	Corporal	A	126th "	May 26, '64	"
Beams, Wesley	Private	C	12th "	Sept. 17, '63	Killed Oct. 3, '64.
Brown, W. T	Sergeant	B, A	183d O. N. G	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Bish, Wm	Private	K	180th O. V. I	'64	July, '65.
Born, Frederick	"	B	82d "	June, '63	Killed at Fort Sumner.
Black, T. J	"	C	62d "	Oct. '61	July, '65.
Black, Wm. R	"	C	" "	"	"
Black, Avery	"	C	" "	March, '63	Died July 21, '63.
Black, Henry	"	C	" "	Oct. '62	July, '65.
Bratton, Henry	"		85th Ind. V. I	Feb. 22, '64	"
Barker, W. H	"		4th O. V. I	April, '61	"
Borden, A. C	"	G	73d "	Sept. '61	"
Bradley, Jeremiah	"	I	45th "	Dec. '63	Nov. '65.
Bradley, Wm. D	"	B	82d "	"	Dec. '64.
Bradley, James L.	"	B	82d "	March, '64	July, '65.
Bacon, Wm. B	"	C	113th "	July, '62	"
Brelsford, Geo. W	Corporal	E	133d O. N. G	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Bostwick, Peter	Private	H	74th O. V. I	Jan. 15, '62	Died.
Bodell, S. J	"	K	33d "	Sept. 19, '61	July, '65.
Bodge, J. M	"	H	66th Ill. W. S. S	Feb. 26, '63	"
Bybee, W	"	D	175th O. V. I	Aug. 9, '64	June, '65.
Burnham, S. L	1st Serg't	A	82d "	Nov. '61	
Blue, Reuben R	Private	A	" "		
Black, Geo. W	"	A	" "		
Black, Calvin	"	B	" "		
Bryan, George	"	B	" "		
Bryan, Isaac M	"	B	" "		
Burris, John	"	B	" "		
Butcher, Edward	"	B	" "		
Brockerman, Hiram	"	B	" "		
Benson, Francis	"	B	" "		
Beeler, Michael, Sr.	"	G	" "	Nov. '61	Killed at 2d Bull Run.
Beeler, David	"	G	" "	"	"
Beeler, Saul	"		34th "		Killed at Beverly.
Beeler, Jacob	"		23d "	July, '61	July, '65.
Beeler, Michael, Jr.			82d "	Nov. '61	Died at Alexandria, Va.
Brown, John A	Private	I	45th "	Aug. 10, '62	'65.
Bushong, Lewis	"	I	" "	Aug. 8, '62	D'd March 22, '63, Lexington, Ky.
Brookhart, Wm	"	I	" "	Aug. 19, '62	Died June 11, '64, Andersonville, Ga.
Bowers, M	"	I	" "	Aug. 5, '62	Died at Camp Lew Wallace, Sept. '62.
Bradley, Jeremiah	Corporal	I	" "	Nov. 20, '63	June, '65.
Becox, Leonard	Private	D	34th "	June, '61	"
Bodley, Matthew	"	C	82d "	Nov. 8, '61	
Baker, L. P	"	C	" "	Nov. 18, '61	
Boon, John	"	C	" "	Nov. '61	
Baughman, Joseph	"	C	" "	"	
Baker, Dowling	"	C	" "	"	
Berry, R. A	"	E	" "	"	
Borland, Hiram	Corporal	C	" "	"	
Baum, Jefferson	"	G	" "		
Bain, Wm	"	G	" "		
Banks, Wm	Private	G	" "		
Batson, J. W	"	G	" "		
Brigham, Horace	"	G	" "		
Boone, Daniel	"	G	" "		
Berkholder, M. G	"	G	" "		
Burgess, Joseph E.	"	E	" "		
Bain, Finely	"	G	4th O. V. I		
Born, S	"	E	198th "	March, '65	May, '65.
Brisley, Albert	"	D	110th "	May, '64	June, '65.
Brumm, Charles	"	G	123d "	Aug. 9, '62	March 20, '65, wounded.
Binckley, J. W	Sergeant	A	114th "	Sept. 21, '64	June, '65. [Nov. 17, '63.
Born, Jacob	Corporal	B	24th "	April, '61	Died at Louisville, Ky.,
Brown, Amos H	Private	C	59th "	Sept. 15, '61	Jan. '65. Prisoner in [Andersonville 8 mos.
Burris, Wm	"		82d "		
Basore, David F	"	K	126th "	Aug. '62	July, '65.
Bogardus, Gus	"	G	135th O. N. G	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Barnett, Lew	"	G	" "	"	"
Batchey, John	"	G	" "	"	" [Tenn.
Brown, Scott	"	I	45th O. V. I	Aug. '62	Misssing at Knoxville,
Barlow, Thomas J.	"	G	12th Ind. V. I	April 21, '61	May 15, '62.
Bird, John	"	E	121st O. V. I	Aug. '63	Jan. '64.
Balliett, Stephen A.	Sergeant	L	10th O. V. Cav	Oct. '62	June, '65.
Brant, Wm	Private	C	82d O. V. I	Nov. 2, '61	

NAME.	Rank.	Co.	Regiment.	Date Enlistm'nt	Date of Death or Discharge
Breck, Franklin	Private	C	82d O. V. I.	Nov. 2, '61	
Breckenridge, G. A.	"	C	" "	"	
Borland, Daniel L.	"	C	" "	"	
Blough, F. H.	"	C	" "	"	
Baker, Morris	"	C	" "	"	
Bradford, Geo. S.	"	C	" "	"	
Brown, Amos H.	"	C	59th "	Jan. 1, '62	
Clark, Wm. S.	Sergeant	I	45th "	Sept. '61	[Andersonville Prison.
Collier, Charles	Private	G	4th "	June 10, '62	June, '65. 8 months in
Cox, Myron R.	"	E	34th "	April, '61	Aug. '65.
Cook, Harlow E.	"	I	192d "	June 15, '61	Jan. 10, '63.
Cellar, Thos. J.	"	E	145th O. N. G.	Feb. 22, '65	Sept. 1, '65.
Carson, C. M.	"	C	82d O. V. I.	May 2, '64	Aug. 23, '64.
Caverly, S. A.	"	C	" "	Jan. 6, '64	Aug. '65.
Coats, Robert	"	B	" "	Jan. '64	"
Clark, John H.	"		144th O. N. G.	Nov. 22, '61	Dec. 21, '63.
Cameron, Wm.	"	H	26th O. V. I.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
				April, '61	Died Oct. 22, from w'ds received at the battle of Chickamauga.
Cameron, Elza	"	I	45th "	June, '62	
Carter, George B.	"	I	" "	April 16, '62	Oct. 16, '62.
Close, John	"		74th "	March, '62	May, '65.
Charlton, Thos.	"	I	45th "	June 10, '62	Aug. '65.
Clemmons, Wm. M.	"	C	1st O. Heavy Art'y	May 24, '63	Aug. 5, '65.
Castor, Jacob B.	Corporal	I	64th O. V. I.	'61	Died at Lexington, Ky.
Connor, Henry C.	Private	B	45th Mounted Inf.	Aug. '62	June, '65, wounded.
Connor, E. J.	"	A	180th O. V. I.	Sept. '64	July, '65.
Cuppler, William	"	B	76th "	'65.	July, '66.
Christ, David		B	66th "	Sept. '61	July, '64.
Crabill, J. M.	Private	I	48th Ind. V. I.	Dec. '61	July, '65.
Cessna, Geo.	Corporal	C	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Cessna, Jack	Private	C	" "	"	"
Cable, J. A.	"	H	34th O. V. I.	June 31, '61	July 21, '65.
Chesney, J. B.	"	D	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Chesney, J. B.	"		61st O. V. I.	Sept. '64	May, '65.
Case, David	1st Serg't	I	175th "	Oct. '64	June 25, '65.
Callahan, J. N. B.	Private	C	82d "	Nov. '61	Dec. 23, '63.
Cutting, John A.	"	G	179th "		
Cutting, James R.	"	G	4th "	April 20, '61	April, '65.
Cutting, A. G.			Bradan Sh'p Sh'trs.		
Cutting, Linus	The Independent Co. of Capt. James			Biggar of Ind.	Serv. 2 yrs. in War 1812.
Cunningham, J. E.	Sergeant	I	45th O. V. I.	Aug. 20, '62	Feb. '65.
Cutting, A. P.	"	A	82d "	Nov. 16, '61	Promoted to captain.
Clark, J. L.	Sergt. Eng.		66th "	Sept. 20, '61	Oct. '62.
Chamberlain, C.	Private	B	176th "	Aug. '64	May, '65.
Crawford, J. W.	"	F	50th "	July, '62	June, '63.
Curl, A. R.	"	H	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Canaan, Charles	"	B	118th O. V. I.	Sept. '62	July 11, '65.
Chamberlain, J.	"	B	176th "	Sept. '63	June, '65.
Campbell, John	Corporal	I	96th "	Aug. 1, '62	April, '64.
Collins, Benj.	Private	I	180th "	Sept. '64	July 3, '65.
Carson, Wm. S.	Sergeant	I	" "	Sept. 20, '64	July, '65.
Cabel, James A.	Private	D	34th "	July 4, '61	July 8, '65.
Collins, James	"	I	180th "	Sept. 18, '64	May 24, '65.
Carson, A. P.	"		99th "	Nov. '61	Sept. '65.
Carson, J. J.	"	G	4th "	"	"
Carson, Thomas	"	G	" "	"	"
Cox, J. E.	"	D	180th "	Sept. 24, '64	July 24, '65.
Cary, George	Corporal	A	" "	Sept. '64	July, '65.
Charles, Milton S.	"	D	102d "	July 7, '62	'65.
Collins, Samuel	Private	I	180th "	Sept. 19, '64	June 12, '65.
Collins, Daniel	"	I	" "	"	July, '65.
Cottrell, Lewis C.	"	E	94th "	Aug. 24, '62	Dec. 17, '64.
Canaan, Samuel	"	E	34th "	Feb. 14, '64	May 15, '65.
Crumrine, John	"	K	44th "	Oct. 14, '61	July 30, '65.
Cook, Nelson W.	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Cummins, David	"	A	133d O. V. I.	May 2, '64	Aug. '65.
Clark, E. S.	Corporal	H	66th "	Oct. 12, '61	July 12, '65.
Carman, Alex	Private	I	51st "	Jan. 22, '63	Oct. 4, '65.
Calvin, L. T.	"	K	33d "	Nov. 17, '61	July 19, '65.
Cross, A.	"	E	13th "	July, '61	July, '64.
Chapin, E. A.	Sergeant	M	3d O. V. Cav.	Jan. 4, '64	July, '65.
Cameron, Joseph	"	H	176th O. V. I.	Oct. '64	June 20, '65.
Cameron, Elza	Private	I	45th U. S. Inf.	July 10, '62	
Callahan, Wm.	"	I	175th O. V. I.	Sept. 19, '64	May 11, '65.
Conrad, G. W.	"	C	62d "	Feb. '64	July, '64.
Curran, Matthew	"	F	176th "	Sept. '64	June, '65.
Crum, L. C.	"	E	192d "	March 22, '64	Aug. '64.
Curtis, E. R.	"	E	81st "		
Clapham, Robt.	"	D	131st O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Carter, J. M.	"	I	174th O. V. I.	Sept. '64	July, '65.
Collins, James	"	G	34th "	Feb. 22, '64	July 31, '65.
Collins, Wm.	Sergeant	D	45th "	June 8, '62	June 12, '65.
Christopher, W. H.	Corporal	G	54th "	Feb. '63	W'nded at Atlanta, Ga. Discharged April, '65.
Carman, Samuel	Sergeant	K	33d "	'61	Died Aug. 31, '62, at Cincinnati, O.
Carman, Harrison	Private	I	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Clark, L. H.	"	G, A	129th & 180th O. V. I.	Sept. '61 & '64	June, '62, and July, '65.
Conner, J. P.	"	B	45th O. V. I.	Aug. '62	May, '65, sick.
Conner, Wm.	Sergeant	B	" "	"	June, '65. [14, '64.
Conner, Jacob	Private	E	13th "	June 11, '61	W. at Chicamauga June
Conner, Samuel	Corporal	B	82d "	Sept. '61	K. at Gettysburg, Pa.
Conner, Daniel	Private	K	33d "	May, '62	Died at Camp Dennison,
Cessna, J. D.	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64. [May 9, '64.
Copp, F.	Private	H	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Callahan, E.	Col. Sergt.	I	45th O. V. I.	Aug. 14, '62	June, '65.
Corwin, Alex,	Private		42d "	Sept. '61	June, '64.
Corwin, James	"		" "	'62	June, '63.
Curl, Wm.			16th "		Died.
Crabill, J. H.	Private	I	48th Ind. V. I.	Dec. '61	July, '65.
Calbertson, J. W.	"	B	88th O. V. I.	July 10, '62	"
Cole, W. T.	"	K	178th "	Sept. '64	"
Collins, O. E.	"	C	1st Ky. I.	April, '61	July, '61.
Collins, O. E.	"	G	114th O. V. I.	Jan. '64	July, '65.
Carder, J. H.	"	K	133d O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Collins, O. E.	"	K	33d O. V I.	Sept. 19, '61	July, '65.
Collins, J. B.	"	G	36th "	July 25, '61	June, '65.
Craig, John W.	Corporal	D	34th "	"	Died at Point Pleasant, Va., Nov. 7, '62.
Clappan, Robert	Private		135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Clappan, George	"		" "	"	"
Clark, Jacob	"	I	82d O. V. I.	Nov. 5, '61	July, '65.
Close, John	"	H	74th "	Jan. 15, '62	Jan. 15, '65.
Colckgloser, Zurah	Sergeant	F	176th "	Sept. '64	June 20, '65.
Calvin, S. R.	Corporal	B	82d "	Dec. '61	July, '65.
Campbell, Daniel	Private	G	13th U. S. A.		Died Jan. 11, '63.
Childs, R. C	Private	I	" "	Aug. 5, '62	'65.
Collins, Elijah	"	I	" "	July 4, '62	June, '65.
Calhoun, Joseph	"	I	" "		Killed in battle near Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 10, '64.
Cummings, Jacob	"	I	" "	Feb. 17, '64	D. Chattanooga, Tenn., May, '64.
Cummins, J.	"	I	45th "	Feb. 17, '64	Died Nashville, Tenn., Oct. '64.
Colwell, Wm. B.	"	D	34th "		June, '65.
Carnahan, Daniel	Corporal	D	" "	July, '61	
Campion, James C.	Private	D	" "	June, '64	June, '65.
Creswell, J. F.	Sergeant	A	82d "	Nov. '61	
Cessna, Wm. T.	"	A	" "	"	
Carlin, John T.	"	A	" "	"	
Caussan, Geo. W.	Corporal	A	" "	"	
Claypool, Wm. D.	Private	A	" "	"	March, '65.
Cole, Peter D.	"	A	" "	"	
Cole, W. S.	"	A	" "	"	
Cole, Benj. S.	"	A	" "	"	
Cooper, Wm.	"	A	" "	"	
Cummins, John	"	A	" "	"	
Cannaan Levi	"	A	" "	"	
Crabill, Geo.	"	B	" "	"	
Crabill, Sigmon	"	B	" "	"	
Cook, John P.	"	B	" "	"	
Carroll, Nelson M.	"	B	" "	"	Nov. '63.
Cheeseman, Samuel	"	B	" "	"	
Camper, John H.	"	E	2d N. Y. Cav.	Aug. 3, '61	Sept. 19, '64.
Crum, L. C.	"	E	192d O. V. I.	Feb. '64	Aug. '65.
Couples, Robert	"	C	82d "	Nov. '61	
Carven, A. C.	"	C	" "	"	
Campbell, Geo.	"	C	" "	"	
Collins, Samuel	Sergeant	G	" "	"	
Cullin, Thos.	Private	G	" "	"	
Cooper, Samuel	"	G	" "	"	
Crumpacker, Z.	"	G	" "	"	
Church, Oliver P.	"	G	" "	"	
Cooper, John L.	"	E	" "	"	
Canfield, Amos	"	E	" "	"	
Coover, Wm.	"	E	" "	"	
Carroll, Elliott	"	E	" "	"	
Cahill, D. S.	"	E	" "	"	
Cooper, Wm. H.	"	E	" "	"	
Callahan, J. N. B.	"	C	" "	"	
Cranston, Edwin	"	D	58th "	Oct. 17, '61	Sept. 16, '62.
Culley, J. G.	"	F	145th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Curl, Chas. H.	"		5th Ind. V. Artillery	Sept. 20, '61	Sept. 27, '64.
Collins, I. M.	"	A	82d O. V. I.	Feb. '64	July, '65.
Camper, J. H.	"	I	2d N. Y. Cav.	Aug. 3, '61	Sept. '64.
Charlton, Alex			Foraging Dep't	March, '64	"
Conner, W. H.	Sergeant	B	45th O. V. I.	Aug. 5, '62	June 19, '65.
Cessna, Zack	Private	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Cessna, John	"	G	" "	"	"
Clara, Geo.	"	G	" "	"	"
Clara, Robert	"	G	" "	"	"
Cawit, Francis	"	C	82d "	Nov. '61	
Cropin, John	Corporal	C	" "	"	
Demarest, Lucas J.	Private	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Dean, Arthur	"	G	" "	"	"
Dulin, Lorenzo	Corporal	K	20th "	May, '61	Aug. '61.
Dulin, Lorenzo	Private	H	28th Penn. V. I.	Feb. '65	Aug. '65.
Darst, Geo. W.	"	A	82d O. V. I.		
Dean, John B.	Sergeant	C	" " re-enlist	Nov. 25, '61	July 24, '65.
Devore, Robert	Private	D	4th "	Oct. 4, '61	Jan. 17, '63.
Devore, Joseph B.	"	H	191st "	Feb. '65	Aug. '65.
Drum, Chas. B.	"	A	123d "	Aug. 22, '62	July 7, '65.
Dirst, John W.	Q. M. Sergt.		17th U. S. A. C.	June, '63	Dec. '64. [3, '64.
Davis, Asa O.	Private	G	4th O. V. I.	April, '61	K. at Gettysburg, July
Druesdell, George	"	C	82d "	Sept. '61	Aug. '65.
Doll, S. C.	Corporal	K	33d "	Sept. '62	April, '65.
Delp, Alfred	Private	B	82d "		[N. Y.
De Witt, Wm. H.	"	C	" "	Nov. 30, '61	Died at Fort Schuyler,

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De Witt, Calvin C.	Sergeant	C	82d O. V. I.	Nov. 30, '61	July 24, '65.
Dodd, Joseph O.	Private	K	33d "	Oct. 16, '61	July 20, '65.
Dunson, Lewis	"	F	13th "	Aug. 20, '61	Feb. 25, '63.
Dille Cyrus	"	K	121st "	Sept. 11, '62	March, '64.
Dulin, L.	"	H	113th "	April, '61	June, '65.
Dulin, G.	"	H	" "	July, '61	July, '65.
Dulin, Freeman	"	H	" "	Dec. 12, '62	K. at Kenesaw Mountain, June 27, '64.
Duff, Abram	"	H	128th "	'64	June, '65.
Dickson, W. H.	"	H	179th "	Sept. 17, '64	"
Devore, Jacob	"	D	4th "	'61	Died '62.
Devore, George	"	D	" "	'61	K'd at the battle of the Wilderness, Va., May, '64.
Dirry, John	"	G	57th "	Nov. 1, '61	Nov. 25, '64.
Dirry, Enoch	"		45th "	Aug. 1, '62	Died March, '65.
Dearth, Noah	"	B	82d "	Nov. 19, '61	Jan. 18, '63.
Dearth, C. M.	"	K	33d "	Sept. 19, '61	Died at Andersonville Prison Dec. 5, '64.
Dearth, John V.	"	D	34th "	Dec. 22, '63	July 27, '65.
Dearth, Noah	Corporal		54th "	March, '64	W'd at Atlanta, Ga., and died Oct. 30, '64.
Dickins, Edward	Private	I	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Davis, W. H.	"	I	192d O. V. I.	March 6, '65	Aug. '65.
Deerwester, John	"	E	13th "	June 8, '61	July 26, '64.
Dilldine William	"		180th "	Oct. 6, '64	
Daniels, Jacob	"	G	4th "	June 8, '61	May 3, '62.
Davinport, John	"	C	145th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Dennis, Joseph	Sergeant	F	176th O. V. I.	Sept. 5, '64	June 20, '65.
Daly, Jacob	Private	F	" "	"	"
Decker, Joseph	"	D	82d "	Nov. '61	July, '65.
Downing, Wm.	"	E	" "	"	"
Decker, J. G.	"	A	" "	Nov. 22, '61	"
Dennis, J. W.	"	H	96th "	Aug. '62	Jan. '63.
Davis, James	"	B	45th "	"	Dec. '62.
Dempster, R. A.	"	K	33d "	"	June, '65.
Dempster, Jacob	"	B	45th "	Jan. 4, '64	" [in service.
Dunlap, Joseph A.	Sergeant		13th "	'62	Died of wounds rec'd
Davis, Samuel	Private	C	" "	June, '61	'62.
Davis, James M.	"	C	" "	"	W'd and disch'd '64.
Davis, Thomas F.	"		180th "	'63	June, '65.
Davis, Isaac	"		" "	'63	"
Dunson, Joseph	"		4th "	April, '61	Died in fall of '62.
Dille, J. M.	"	H	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Davis, Eli	"	B	122d O. V. I.	June 17, '64	July, '65.
Davis, S. B.	Sergeant	D	9th Ill. V. I.	June, '61	Dec. '65.
Downing, Hugh	Private	F	176th O. V. I.	Sept. 2, '64	June, '65.
Darst, John R.	"	A	82d "	Nov. 20, '61	Aug. '65.
Damon, Randolph	Sergeant	B	45th "	Aug. 19, '62	D. Andersonville Prison.
Dougherty, Joseph.	Private	H	74th "	Jan. 15, '62	July, '65.
Dodge, Reuben	"	K	55th "	Dec. 1, '61	"
Dougherty, George.	Sergeant	A	82d "	Nov. '61	"
De Groot, J. C.	Private		22d "	April, '62	July, '62.
Davis, Samuel	"	E	13th "	June 11, '61	July, '64.
Derniger, Jacob	"	C	82d "	Sept. '61	'62.
Diefenderfer, J.	"	I	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Detwiller, Samuel	Corporal	I	" "	"	"
Devers, Wm. A.	Private	D	34th O. V. I.	July, '61	July, '64.
Donley, David	"	D	" "	"	"
Dewitt, Calvin C.	1st Serg't	C	82d "	Nov. '61	
Dougherty, Jacks'n	Private	A	" "	"	
Dickson, John	"	A	" "	"	
Dougherty, Geo.	Corporal	B	" "	"	
Delamater, J. W.	Private	B	" "	"	
Drusdell, Geo	Corporal	C	" "	"	
Dove, Wm.	Private	C	" "	"	
Dixon,	"	G	" "	"	
Davis, Chas. M.	"	G	" "	"	
Duffy, Franklin	"	E	" "	"	
Doster, W. W.	"	I, H	73d & 128th O. V. I.	May, '61	Sept. '65.
Dean, Geo. W.	"	A	82d O. V. I.	Sept. 17, '64	June, '65.
De Catur, Henry	Q. M. Serg.	C	" "	Dec. 16, '61	March 30, '65.
Darby, J. M.	Private	K	95th "	Aug. 9, '62	Feb. '64. [2, '63.
Davis, Asa O.	"	G	4th "	April, '61	Kd. at Gettysburg, July
Dow, C.	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Decker, Sylvester	"	I	45th O. V. I.	Feb. '64	
Dunson, Levi	"	H	128th "	Dec. 17, '63	July 17, '65.
Decus, James T	"	C	82d "	Nov. 16, '61	
Dougherty, Caleb	"	C	" "	Nov. 27, '61	
Dye, Joseph	"	C	" "	"	
Deringer, Jacob	"	C	" "	"	
Ellis, William M.	"	A	" "	"	
Ellis, John H.	"	A	23d "	Aug. 12, '62	May 13, '65.
Exline Adam	"	I	161st "	"	
Emmons, Wm. J.	Sergeant	A	82d "	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Evans, Thomas	Private	B	176th "	Oct. 29, '61	Dec. 29, '64.
Elsasser, Louis	"	B	82d "	Sept. '64	June, '65.
Everhart, Jacob	"		11th O. Battery	Dec. '63	Aug. 3, '65.
Eckenrhood	"		7th O. V. Battery	Sept. 17, '61	Jan. 17, '63.
Enos, R. S.	"	E	82d O. V. I.	Jan. '63	May, '64.
Ewing, James M.	"	D	15th "	Feb. 10, '64	July, '65.
Emerson, Geo. W.	Corporal	K	33d Mo. V. I.	Sept. 12, '61	Sept. 19, '64.
Emerson, Wesley	Private	K	33d O. V. I.	Aug. 18, '62	Ap. captain May, '63.
Ellis J. S	"	K	133d & 30th O. V. I.	Sept. '61	Oct. '62.
Ellis, D. W.	Private	E	30th O. V I.	Aug. '61	'62
				"	Died March 6, in Va.

NAME.	Rank.	Co.	Regiment.	Date Enlistm'nt	Date of Death or Discharge
Ewing, Robert	Private	G	18th Mo. V. I.	Dec. 28, '61	July, '65.
Edgar, D. W.	"	G	4th O. V. I.	March, '64	"
Eaton, James	"		7th Ind. O. Battery	Dec. 7, '61	July, '63.
Elliott, A. K.	"	I	82d O. V. I.	Dec. '62	Feb. '65.
Edney, C.	Corporal	F	41st "	Oct. '61	Jan. 6, '65, wounded.
Edney, Andrew	Private	F	" "	'61	K'd at Mission Ridge, Nov. 25, '62. [River.
Edney, Henry	"	F	" "	'61	June, '65, wd. at Stone
Eshelman, Abram	"	I	45th "	Nov. 30, '63	D'd Oct. '64, Knoxville, Tenn. [Ky.
Evans, James	"	I	" "		D'd Oct. '64, Lexington,
Emmons, Wm. J.	Corporal	A	82d "	Nov. '61	
Emmons, Lewis	Private	A	" "	"	
Elliott, F. J.	"	A	" "	"	
Elder, R. W.	"	C	" "	"	
Edger, S. B	"	G	" "	"	
Espy, Isaac N.	"	E	" "	"	
Elsworth, John P.	"	E	" "	"	
Ebensing, Chas.	"	I	175th "	Sept. '64	July, '65.
Ewing, James	"	I	45th "	Jan. 29, '64	
Farmer, Charles	Sergeant	B	82d "	Nov. 30, '61	Nov. 30, '64.
Fogle, Hiram	Private	G	78th "	Dec. 14, '61	July 11, '65.
Fisher, George	Sergeant	B	64th "	Oct. '61	Jan. '66.
Farnum, Chester	Corporal	F	32d "	March, '64	May 27, '65.
Fults, Jacob	Private	A	183d "	Aug. '64	Aug. '65.
Fisher, Ray	"	A	82d "	'61	June, '62. [Ga.
Fisher, Edwin B.	"	B	45th "	Aug. '62	K'd at Lost Mountain,
Fry, David H.	"	A	82d "	Oct. '61	Feb. '63.
Foster, F. D.	"	D	51st Ind. V. I.	Oct. '63	Feb. '65.
Ferguson, E. W.	"	E	78th O. V. I.	Oct. 8, '64	July, '65.
Ford, C. R.	"	A	183d "	Aug. 17, '64	Killed Nov. '64.
Ford, W. A.			188th "	March, '65	July, '65.
Fulton, E. A.	Private	A	13th "	June, '61	July, '62.
Fent, P. M.	"	C	90th "	Aug. 18, '62	June, '65.
Ford, Levi	"	A	180th "	Aug. 2, '64	July, '65.
Fleming, Wm. H.	"	F	176th "	Aug. '64	June, '65.
Foster, Francis D.	"	D	51st Ind. V. I.	Aug. 11, '62	"
Fulz, John H.	"	A	82d O. V. I.	Nov. '61	July, '65.
Fitz, E.	"	A	151st "	May, '63	June, '65.
Fleck, W. H. H.	"	D	88th "	March 14, '63	July, '65.
Frost, A.	"	D	189th "	Feb. '65	"
Fry, C. L.	"	C	82d "	Nov. 9, '61	April 4, '65.
Fry, John	"	K	178th "	Sept. 20, '64	July, '65.
French, G. B.	"	A	21st "	Aug. '61	March 15, '63.
Ferriter, Patrick	"	F	176th "	Sept. '64	June, '64.
Files, Jacob	"	E	82d "	Dec. 9, '61	Aug. '65.
Fouracker, Wm.	"	E	176th "	Sept. 1, '64	June, '65.
Fisher, S.	"	I	45th "	July 1, '62	Prisoner and discharg'd.
Fuls, Simon F.	"	A	82d "	Nov. '61	
Fry, D. H.	"	A	" "	"	
Fry, Geo.	"	A	" "	"	
Farmer, Chas.	Sergeant	B	" "	"	
Flinn, John W.	Private	B	" "	"	
Ford, Wm.	"	B	" "	"	
Fry, John W.	"	B	" "	"	
Files, Jacob	"	E	" "	"	
Fultz, Samuel	"	E	" "	"	
Forbing, Jacob	Sergeant	E	30th Ind. V. I.	Sept. '61	Sept. '64.
Faulkner, N.	Corporal	H	66th O. V. I.	Aug. '61	Promoted.
Fillmore Conrad	Private	G	123d "	Aug. 2, '62	May 13, '65
Fitzpatrick, George	"	I	45th "	Jan. '64	[Tenn.
Fuss, Joshua B.	"	I	" "	Aug. '62	Missing at Knoxville,
Farnum, Wm. H.	"	F	13th "	June 4, '61	Dec. 4, '65.
Gerlach, John	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Geisel, Peter	Sergeant	G	24th O. V. I.	April 17, '61	June 20, '64.
Grifmaller, Rudol's.	Private	G	191st "	Feb. 21, '65	Aug. '65.
Gilmore, Geo. W.	Corporal	D	15th "	Feb.	July, '65. [Oct. '62.
Gumm, John	Sergeant		45th "	Aug. 16, '62	Died at Lexington, Ky.,
Guttermuth, Godf'y	Private	K	33d "	Sept. '61	July, '65.
Gage, M. W.	Musician	G	93d Ind. V. I.	Aug. 28, '62	Aug. 10, '65.
Griffin, Justus S.	Private	C	17th Ill. Cav.	Oct. 3, '64	Oct. 4, '65.
Gardner, Elias	"	E	198th O. V. I.	April 12, '65	May, '65.
Garberson, H. S.	"	D	4th "	April, '61	
Gunn, Elcanna	"	I	45th "	Sept. '64	Aug. '65.
Goodin, David E.	"	B	" "	Aug. 12, '62	June, '65.
Garrett, W. L.	"	G	33d "	Sept. 12, '61	July, '65.
Garderner, Freeman	Musician	A	18th Pa. V. Cav.	April, '62	"
Gilbert, C. W.	Private	I	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Oct. '64.
Garwood, Isaac	"	D	87th O. V. I.	June 8, '62	Oct. 3, '62.
Garwood, Isaac	Sergeant	A	180th "	Aug. '64	July 1, '65.
Graham, J.	Private	F	7th "	Sept. 2, '61	Sept. 26, '64.
Gibson, Andrew J.	"	E	16th "	April 23, '61	Aug. 18, '61.
Gibson, Andrew J.	"	K	31st "	Feb. 18, '64	July 20, '65.
Gallagher, Chas.	"	H	45th "	Sept. 25, '61	Nov. 21, '64.
Garwood, J.	"	K A	33d & 135th O. V. I.	Sept. '61, May '64.	June, '62. Sept. '64.
Gordon, J. O.	"	K	180th O. V. I.		Died at Atlanta, Ga.
Gordon, D.					
Gould, R.		A	192d O. V. I.	Feb. '65	Sept. '65.
Glenn, John A.	Private	B	45th "	Aug. '62	Died in Hospital.
Garrett, C. C.	Sergeant	G	33d "	Aug. '61	July, '65.
Gilbert, E. W.	Private	K	" "	Sept. '61	Oct. '64.
Gilbert, M. V.	"	D	54th "	Oct. 21, '61	Nov. 9, '64.
George, W. J.	"	K	36th "	March, '63	Aug. '65.
George, J. P.		K			
Gilbert, R. P.	Private	D	54th "	Oct. 21, '61	July, '65.

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Garrett, Geo. H.	Private	E	50th O. V. I.	April, '62	K'd at Big Shanty, Ga.,
Garrett, Chas. C.	Sergeant	G	33d "	April, '61	July, '65. [July 3, '64.
Garrett, Wm. L.	Private	G	" "	"	"
Gilbert, J. M.	Corporal	D	34th "	July, '61	July, '64. ['61.
Gilbert, Dexter D.	Private	B	20th "	April, '61	D'd at Zanesville, June,
Griner, D.	"	G	4th "	June 5, '61	June, '64.
Gilbert, Harlow	"	B	118th "		
Golden, E.	"	D	46th "	Feb. 17, '62	April, '65.
Gilmore, Reason	"	M	4th O. V. Cav.	June, '61	'64.
Gregg, J. W.	Sergeant	H	26th O. V. I.	July, '61	Oct. 25, '62.
Graeter, H. A.	Private	B	1st U. S. Engineers.	April 18, '61	Sept. '65.
Gormley, L. A.	"	F	9th O. V. Cav.	May, '64	June, '65.
Gardner, John H.	"	F	176th O. V. I.	Sept. 3, '64	"
Greenfield, R. G.	"	D	102d "	Aug. '61	April, '65.
Good, Geo. E.	"	G	114th "	'62	June, '65.
Gowder, Jacob	"	F	80th "	Nov. 8, '61	Oct. 1, '62.
Griner, I.	"	I	175th "	Dec. 19, '64	Jan. 5, '65.
Grimes, W. H.	"	H	82d "	June, '62	'62.
Grimes, W. H.	"		7th Sharp Shooters.	'63	June, '65.
Guider, W. H.	"	A	2d & 82d O. V. I.	Nov. '61, and Sept. '64	Jan. '63. Aug. '65.
Gordon, Wilson V.	"	G	1st O. V. I.	Aug. '61	Died at Andersonville Prison, Aug. 4, '64.
Gilmore, R.	"	G	4th "	'61	Died July 31, '78.
Gould, Robert	"	A	129th Pa. V. I.		Died Jan. 1, '69.
Gale, O. G	"	A	110th O. V. I.	Aug. '62	May 17, '65. [ton, Ky.
Grafton, Luke	"	I	45th "	Nov. 22, '62	Died Nov. '63, Lexing-
Guider, W. H.	"	A	82d "	Nov. '61	
Gordon, Edmund	"	A	" "	"	
Griffin, Benj.	"	A	" "	"	
Goodin, Alfred	"	A	" "	"	
Gary, Asa H.	"	B	" "	"	
Gillen, A.	"	B	" "	"	
Gray, Isaac L.	"	B	" "	"	
Garwood, John F.	"	E	" "	"	
Grubbs, Perry	"	E	" "	"	
Garber, E.	"	E	" "	"	
Grafton, Wm. H.	"	C	" "	"	
Gillard, John	"	C	" "	"	
Graner, John	"	C	" "	"	
Gastinger, F. C.	Corporal	F	32d O. V. I.	Feb. 22, '64	July, '65.
Garber, James	Private	I	45th "	Aug. 7, '62	
Gravell, R. K.	Sergeant	I	192d "	Feb. '64	Sept. '65.
Gipe, Levi E.	Private	I	21st Pa. Cav.	Aug. '64	Jan. '65.
Green, Wm. H.	Ord. Serg't	I	57th O. V. I.	Sept. 19, '61	Oct. 9, '65.
Gelona, Valentine	Private	C	82d "	Dec. 3, '61	
Hart, Philip J.	"		V Battery	April, '61	July, '61.
Hales, James S.	"	B	57th O. V. I.	Sept. 1, '62	July, '63.
Hanna, Alex	"	K	180th "	Aug. 14, '64	July 13, '65.
Harner, A. G.	"	C	94th "	July 28, '62	June 5, '65.
Harris, Calvin C.	"	C	82d "	July 20, '61	July 27, '65.
Hoon, Allen Scott					
Higgins, James M.	"	I	192d "	Feb. '65	Sept. '65.
Hanks, Isaac H.	"	L	10th O. V. Cav.	Oct. 20, '62	July 25, '65.
Herrick, Cyrus	"	D	4th O. V. I.	April, '61	Sept. '61.
Hunter, H. J.	"	A	123d "	Aug. 11, '62	April 3, '65.
Hunter, Wm. R.	"	M	3d O. V. Cav.	Feb. 18, '64	Aug. 4, '65.
Hueston, James E.	"	I	49th O. V. I.	Sept. '61	Sept. 10, '64.
Hueston, James E.	Sergeant	K	180th "	Sept. '64	July 12, '65, w'd at Stone River, from the effect of which he died.
Hamilton, Geo.	Private	B	136th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Hall, John	"	K	128th O. V. I.	Oct. '62	June, '65.
Harman, John T.	Corporal	E	12th "	Sept. '61	March, '63.
Harman, Wm. H.	Private	B	76th "	Oct. 9, '61	Feb. 26, '63.
Harman, Wm. H.	Corporal	D	113th "	Feb. 1, '64	July, '65. [Chickamauga.
Holland, Richard					
Helverson, Moses C	Private	K	33d "	Sept. '61	Killed Sept. 22, '63, at
Helverson, M. M.	"	G	4th "	Oct. '63	Died after his discharge from disease.
Harman, James B.	"	G	15th U. S. C. T.	Oct. '64	Oct. 2, '65.
Hall, Calvin	"	C	176th O. V. I.		
Hyde, R. B.	"	B	32d "	Aug. 9, '61	Aug. 20, '64.
Hankinson, W. H.			14th Kenw'd U. S. N.	April, '63	
Hamilton, Geo. W.	Private	G	21st Ill. V. I.	June 10, '61	May 31, '63.
Holmes, Wesley	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Harding, George	"				
Harshe, J. R.	"	A	151st O. V. I.	May 2, '64	Aug. 28, '64.
Hyndman, John	"	G	34th "		
Hardwick, Wm. R.	"	G	82d "	Feb. 24, '64	June, '65.
Hagerman, Silas C.	"	K	33d "	Sept. '63	"
Harriman, Joshua	Corporal	F	31st "	Aug. 17, '61	July, '65, wounded at Atlanta, Ga., Aug.
Herman, Phillip	Private	H	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64. [24, '64.
Hill, Nicholas	"	H	" "	"	"
Holt, Benj.	"	A	82d O. V. I.	Nov. '61	Aug. 9, '62.
Holt, Benj.	Sergeant	A	183d "	Sept. 5, '64	July, '65.
Hinds, William	Private	A	136th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Hathaway, Nich'las	"	K	135th "	"	"
Hill, Thomas	"	G	20th Ill. V. I.	Oct. 21, '61	Dec. 11, '64.
Hubbell, G. R.	"	L	1st Colorado Cav.	Oct. 2, '61	Dec. '64.
Huff, G. W.	"	F	54th O. V. I.	Oct. 28, '61	Aug. 11, '62.
Hurlbert, C. W.	"	B	82d "	Feb. 10, '64	July, '65.
Holt, B.	Sergeant	A	183d "	Sept. 5, '64	"
Harrod, S.	Private	F	32d "	March 7, '64	"

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Hatfield, E.	Corporal	A	82d O. V. I.	Dec. '61	July, '65.
Hites, B. M.	Private	A	183d "	Sept. 6, '64	"
Hindman, John	"	G	82d "	Dec. '61	"
Henkle, I. N.	"	B	118th "	Aug. 6, '62	May, '65.
Humphrey, S.	Corporal	H	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Howard, S.	Private	G	82d O. V. I.	Nov. '62	Killed at 2d Bull Run.
Hill, Chas. H.	Wagon M'r	D	8th "	Oct. '61	'63.
Hill, Oscar	Private		19th Wis. V. I.	'62	K'd at Stone River, '63.
Hall, G. H.	"	H	192d O. V. I.	Feb. '65	Aug. '65.
Howe, M. F.	"	A	18th U. S. A.		
Holverstott, J. L.	"	B	118th O. V. I.	Sept. 12, '62	June 7, '65.
Hullinger, J. A.	Sergeant	B	82d "	Sept. 2, '61	Aug. 9, '65.
Hommel, John S.	Private	D	34th "	July 28, '61	July, '65.
Howe, John	1st Serg't	B	82d "	Oct. '61	Aug. 7, '62.
Hutchinson, J. M.	Private	E	66th Ill. V. I.	Aug. 22, '62	June 29, '65.
Hustin, Hugh	"	A	33d O. V. I.		
Hostler, E. V.	Corporal	L	1st O. H. Art.	June 12, '63	Aug. '65.
Holden, Isaac	Private	D	15th O. V. I.	Sept. 11, '61	Dec. '65.
Holmes, R. F.	Musician	G	82d "	Dec. 4, '61	Dec. '64
Huntley, Wm.	Private	F	176th "	Sept. 5, '64	D'd at Nashville, Tenn. March 26, '65.
Hughes, R. M.	"	H	118th "	'62	'65.
Helms, Daniel	"	D	180th "	Sept. 26, '64	June 8, '65.
Holden, Albert I.	"	E	125th "	Oct. '62	D'd at Nashville, Tenn., from w'ds June 21, '64.
Hatfield, Henry	"	A	82d "	Nov. 20, '61	Killed.
Hatfield, E.	"	A	" "	"	Died.
Hedges, O. N.	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Hodge, Isaac	"	K	159th "	"	"
Hueston, Wm. H.	"	L	1st O. V. H. Art.	Nov. 26, '63	July, '65.
Hufford, W. F.	"	G	114th O. V. I.	Aug. '62	Aug. '65.
Harris, A. C.	Corporal	E	1st O. V. H. Art.	Aug. 18, '62	June, '65.
Heffelfinger, James.	"	E	88th Ind. V. I.	Sept. '63	May, '65.
Hall, William	Private		22d Bat. O. Lt. Art.	Feb. 22, '64	July, '65.
Harrott, E.	"	B	45th O. V. I.		Died at Annapolis, Md
Hyndman, John	"	G	34th "	March, '64	Aug. '65.
Hubbell, R. G.	"	I	131st O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Hinebaugh, S.	"	D, G	4th & 82d O. V. I.	June 6, '61	July, '65.
Higgins, W. H.	"	K	175th O. V. I.	Sept. '64	"
Haldeman, J. B.	Q. M. Serg.	H	66th Ill. W. S. S.	Sept. 28, '61	"
Hinebaugh, D. R.	Private	F	176th O. V. I.	Sept. 2, '64	June, '65.
Housman, John	"	F	" "	"	"
Harvey, E.	"	F	" "	"	"
Howe, G. D.	"	F	2d "	Sept. 5, '64	"
Hoffman, John	"		1st O. V. Sh'p Sh't'rs.	April 16, '61	Aug. 16, '61.
Hatcher, N. O.	"	E	121st O. V. I.	'63	June, '65.
Haines, Lemuel	"	K	" "	Aug. '62	"
Hughes, W. R.	"	I	192d "	Sept. 12, '62	June, '64.
Hatch, James	Corporal	K	33d "	March, '65	Sept. '65. [Dec. 2, '63.
Homan, Ira	Private	K	96th "	Oct. '61	Died in Memphis, Tenn.,
Hague, John H.	"	D	28th "	Aug. 6, '62	July, '65. ['64.
Homan, W. N.	"	A	76th "	Oct. 6, '63	Died in S. C., Aug. 30,
Hunter, John	"	L	1st "	May, '62	Sept. '62.
Hyland, Dennis	"	I	45th "	Feb. 27, '64	July, '65.
Holden, John	"	E	110th "	Oct. '63	Nov. 2, '65.
Hodge, A. V.	"	G	160th "	March, '63	Aug. '65.
Hagerman, S. C.	"	K	33d "	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Hughes, Henry	Corporal	K	" "	June, '64	July, '65. ['64.
Hughes, Perry	Private	K	" "	'61	Died at Libby Prison,
Hughes, S.	"	K	" "	'61	June, '65.
Hagerman, Day. O.	Corporal		4th "	'62	"
Hubbell, H. B.	Private	B	45th "	June 3, '61	Oct. 3, '63.
Hitchcock, M. K.	"	E	82d "	Jan. 28, '63	Oct. '65.
Hainey, J.	"	H	135th O. N. G.	'62	'65, wounded.
Hitchcock, Isaac	"		O. V. I.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Hunt, Thos.	"	E	42d "	In war of '12	Buried in Cessna Tp.
Holmes, H. L.	1st Serg't	I	45th "	July 9, '62	Died Feb. 6, '70.
Holland, John A.	Corporal	I	" "	July 12, '62	Feb. '65.
Hamlin, Dyer S.	"	I	" "	Aug. 8, '62	April, '64. [Oct. '62.
Highland, Dennis	Private	I	" "	Nov. 20, '63	D'd at Lexington, Ky.,
Hueston, James E.	"	I	49th "		June, '65.
Herbert, John	"	H	26th "	July, '61	D'd at home June 8, '63.
Hoon, A. S.	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Hunt, James	"	A	183d O. V. I.	Sept. 21, '64	June, '65.
Harbison, John H.	Corporal	K	33d "	Sept. '61	D'd at Elizabeth Town, March 19, '64.
Harbison, James H.	Private	G	79th "	Nov. '64	D'd at Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 12, '65.
Holmes, Jacob E.	"	K	82d "		Died at St. Louis, Mo.
Harbison, Wm.			In the Mexican War.		
Hufnagle	Private	G	4th O. V. I.	June, '61	June 24, '64.
Henkle, Seth V.	Sergeant	A	82d "	Nov. '61	
Howe, C. S.	Private	A	" "	"	"
Holton, Joseph P.	"	A	" "	"	"
Hibbets, John B.	"	A	" "	"	"
Hemphill, C. S.	"	A	" "	"	"
Howe, John	1st Serg't	B	" "	"	"
Hursey, B. T.	Private	B	" "	"	"
Hawk, Jacob W.	"	B	" "	"	"
Hanifan, Simon	"	B	" "	"	"
Hendershot, E.	"	E	" "	"	"
Horner, John H.	"	E	" "	"	"
Hiatt, Wm. V.	"	E	" "	"	"
Hisel, Benj.	"	E	" "	"	"
Hattery, Lewis	"	E	" "	"	"

NAME.	Rank.	Co.	Regiment.	Date Enlistm'nt	Date of Death or Discharge
Herbert, George	Private	C	82d O. V. I.	Nov. '61	
Houdenshield, John	"	C	" "	"	
Horn, G. W.	Sergeant	G	" "	"	
Hindman, John	Private	G	" "	"	
Holmes, R. F.	"	G	" "	"	
Hatcher, N.	"	G	" "	"	
Hodge, Henry L.	"	G	" "	"	
Hitchcock, M. R.	"	G	" "	"	
Hubbard, R. B.	"	G	" "	"	
Humphreys, Ed. C.	Sergeant	A	134th O. N. G.	May 2, '64	Oct. '64.
Hannold, James	Private	C	68th O. V. I.	Sept. '61	Aug. '65.
Herford	"	B	118th "	June, '62	June, '65.
Harley, Erwin M.	"	G	25th "	April 21, '61	April 16, '63.
Ingman, Wm. C.	1st Serg't	K	33d "	Sept. 23, '61	Oct. 11, '64.
Irion, John A.	Private	H	179th "	Aug. 7, '62	July 10, '65.
Idle, Jacob	"	A	13th "	May, '61	July, '61.
Isham, Martin					
Isenbarger, John	Private	A	133d O. N. G.	May 4, '64	Sept. '64. [Sept. 9, '63.
Irvin, John A.	Sergeant	K	33d O. V. I.	Oct. 14, '61	K'd at Chattanooga, Ga.,
Irvin, Wm. S.	1st Serg't	B	88th "	Aug. 19, '62	July, '65.
Jacobs, Stephen	Private	H	2	'62	'65. [Nov. 11, '62.
Jackson, Edward	"	I	45th O. V. I.	Aug. 12, '62	Died at Lexington, Ky.,
Jones, James	"	G	183d "	Oct. 3, '64	July 1, '65.
Jones, Richard	"	C	140th Pa. V. I.	Aug. 5, '62	June, '65.
Johnson, Allen S.	Ord. Sergt.	I	45th O. Mt. Inf.	June 20, '62	D. Andersonville Pris'n.
Jones, Chas. P.	Private	F	176th O. V. I.	Sept. 5, '64	June, '65.
Johnson, John C.	"	A	82d "	Feb. '64	July 11, '65. [Nov. '64.
Johnson, A. Simon	Sergeant	I	45th "	June 10, '62	D'd Andersonville, Ga.,
Jackson, Hartwell	Private	F	4th U. S. C. T.	Sept. '64	Sept. '65.
Johnson, Jacob R.	"	G	4th O. V. I.	April, '61	
Johnson, Samuel	"	D	180th "	Oct. '64	July 5, '65.
Jeffers, Geo. W.	"	G	4th "	April 19, '61	Jan. 15, '63.
Jeffers, C. A.	"	B	176th "	Aug. '64	April, '65.
Jarvet, Samuel	"	C	82d "	Nov. 30, '61	
Johnson, Andrew	"		54th "		
Johnson, John S.	"		118th "		
Johnson, Austin T.	Corporal	D	34th "		
Jones, John E.	Private	D	64th "	Nov. 7, '61	Sept. 20, '62.
Johnson, J. R.	"	C	162d "	May 2, '64	Sept. '64.
Jackson, John	Corporal	B	45th "	Aug. 19, '62	June, '65.
Johnson, M.	Private		31st "	July, '61	'64.
Jones, C. H.	"	C	18th "	Sept. 7, '64	May, '65.
Johnson, Milton	Corporal	F	176th "	Sept. '64	June, '65.
Jenkins, L.	Private	E	86th "	May, '61	Sept. '61.
Jones, J. V.	Corporal	C	82d "	Nov. 3, '61	Aug. '65.
Jenkins, John	"	B	72d "	Nov. '61	July, '65.
Johnson, Hueston	Private	C	82d "	"	
Jones, P.	"	H	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Jones, A. B.	"	G	34th O. V. I.	Feb. '64	Taken prisoner and exchanged, and died at Annapolis, Md.
Jones, C. T.	Sergeant	H	66th Ill. W. S. S.	Oct. 7, '61	July, '65.
Jackson, I.	Private	C	12th O. V. I.	Aug. '64	June, '65.
Jones, G. W.	Corporal	I	175th "	Sept. '64	July, '65.
Jackson, Heaton	Private	K	180th "	"	"
Jenkins, John	Sergeant	C	9th H. Art.	Sept. '63	Sept. '65.
Johnson, James B.	Private	B	86th O. V. I.	June, '63	June, '65.
Johnson, Geo. W.	"	H	179th "	Sept. '64	May, '65.
Jacobs, S.	"	H	132d O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
James, James M.	"	A	121st O. V. I.	April, '65	Sept. '65.
Jagger, Wilson	Sergeant		4th O. V. Lt. Art.	'61	'64. [June 8, '64.
Jackson, Oliver	Private	I	45th O. V. I.	Nov. 26, '63	D. at Nashville, Tenn.,
Jones, Hiram	"	A	82d "	Nov. '61	
Jones, John A.	"	A	" "	"	
Jones, James	"	B	" "	"	
Jones, Thos.	"	B	" "	"	
Jones, Edward	"	B	" "	"	
Joy, Amos	"	G	" "	"	
Jones, John W.	"	G	" "	"	
Johnson, Horace	"	C	" "	Dec. 5	
Jones, James	"	G	" "	Nov	
Justice, Martin	"	E	" "	"	
Jones, Wm. H.	"	E	" "	"	
Johnson, John	"		In the war of 1812	"	Under Gen. Harrison.
Johnson, James K.	"	K	33d O. V. I.	Oct. '62	Kd. at Chattanooga, Ga.
Janes, Fred.	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64. [Sept. 20, '63.
Jenkins, Conard	"	I	45th O. V. I.		
King, Leander	Corporal	B	82d "	Nov. '61	
Kellogg, Hiram C.	Private	K	188th N. Y. V. I.		
King, Wm.	"	C	132d O. V. I.	May 2, '64	Sept. 20, '64.
Knicely, John	"	A	82d "	Nov. 10, '61	Jan. '65.
Kress, Alonzo J.	Ch'f Bugler		35th Ill. V. I.	May 12, '61	Oct. 24, '64.
Kremblebine, J. F.	Private	B	82d O. V. I.	Dec. 3, '63	Aug. '65.
Kennedy, Aaron	"	A	123d "	April 12, '62	April. 1, '63.
Kennedy, Aaron	1st Serg't	G	144th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. 4, '64.
Kinnear, F. D.	Private	K	33d O. V. I.	Aug. 29, '62	June 29, '63.
Kennedy, Sylvester	"	E	82d "	Aug. 3, '65.	
Kindle, Joshua	"	I	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Oct. 15, '64.
Kindle, Wm.	"	G	57th O. V. I.	Nov. 10, '61	Died July, '63.
King, John B.	Ord. Serg't	B	64th "	Oct. 21, '61	Dec. 11, '64.
King, John B.	Sergeant	H	4th "	April 18, '61	Aug. 18, '61.
Keenan, Wm.	Private		17th U. S. I.	July, '12	1815.
Killy, Andrew S.	Corporal	F	21st O. V. I.	Nov. 8, '62	July, '65.
Klingler, Geo. M.	Private	B	118th "	Sept. 7, '62	"
Kerr, Alex.	Corporal	E	82d "	Nov. 12, '61	Aug. 8, '65.
Keuser, Jacob	Sergeant	B	25th O. V. I.	'64	'65.
Kennard, A. G.	Private	E	159th "	'63	'63.
Keith, Silas M.	"	E	63d "	May 2, '64	Sept. '64.
Keith, James H.	Ord. Serg't		" "		Died.
Kindle, James L.	Private	I	27th "	Feb. 2, '63	July, '65.
Kelley, A. J.	"	F	21st "		
Krabill, S.	"	B	82d "	Dec. '61	Sept. '62.
Kemper, John	"	H	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Keefer, Wm.	"	F	176th O. V. I.	Sept. 1, '64	May, '65.
Keefer, Whitney	"	G	82d "	Jan. '62	Died Stafford C. H., '6
Keller, A.	Sergeant	D	25th "	Oct. '64	Jan. 1, '65.
Keller, John	Private	A	96th "	Aug. 9, '62	July, '65.
Krisher, J.	"		6th O. V. Battery	Sept. '64	May, '65.
Keiper, Solomon	"	B	179th O. V. I.	April, '64	June, '65.
Kontz, Wm.	"	F	176th "	Sept. '64	June 20, '65.
Kummer, John W.	"	B	82d "	Nov. '61	Kd. Battle Bull Run, '62.
Koplin, Aaron	Sergeant	F	23d "	June, '61	July, '64, wd South Mt. and Antietam.
Kraft, Chas.	Private	E	82d "	Nov. 4, '61	July, '65.
Keible, R. H.	"	A	" "	March, '65	Died April, '65.
King, L.	Com. Serg't	D	" "	Nov. '61	
Kyler, J.	Private	D	34th "	June, '61	
Kiblie, A. D.	"	G	82d "	Nov. '61	
Kirkpatrick, James	"	G	" "	"	
Kirkpatrick, Elijah	"	G	" "	"	
Kellog, Robert	"	G	" "	"	
Kelley, Benj.	"	A	" "	"	
Kumly, Jacob	"	B	" "	"	
Kennedy, George	"	H	" "	"	
Koller, H. C.	"	H	101st "	Aug. '62	June, '65.
Kaiser, John	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Kerns, Wm.	"	I	45th O. V. I.	Aug. 5, '62	
Kyle, W. H. H.	"	I	" "	July 12, '62	
Kelley, Wm.	"	I	" "	Oct. '63	
Lewis, Orlando E.			4th "	April, '61	
Lewis, Alvin			" "	"	Kd. Bat. of Wilderness.
Longbaugh, Joseph		G	144th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Longbaugh	Sergeant	H	192d O. V. I.	Feb. 14, '65	Sept. '65.
Laws, Jacob	Private	C	34th "	Feb. '63	July, '65.
Lambert, Aaron	Corporal	B	82d "	Dec. '61	Dd. July 3, '63, at Winchester, Va.
Lewis, Robt. F.	Private		33d "	Sept. '62	Feb. '63.
Lewis, Geo. W.	Sergeant	K	" "	April 16, '61	April 21, '65.
Latimore, Horace	Private	H	46th "	Nov. '61	Aug. 3, '65.
Leedom, Geo.			34th "	March 1, '64	Died March 15, '64.
Lilly, Joseph	Private	B	82d "	Nov. 11, '61	Jan. 2, '65.
Lease, Wm. H. N.		A	183d "	Sept. 17, '64	July 6, '65.
Law, R. K.	Private	B	118th "	July 1, '62	July 15, '65.
Lease, Joseph M.	"	D	66th "	Oct. 8, '61	Sept. 26, '62.
Lyle, Robert	"	H	161st "	May, '64	Sept. '65.
Lawrence, David A.	Sergeant	B	18th "	Aug. 12, '66	Nov. 8, '65.
Long, Jacob	Private	D	34th "	May, '61	'65.
Long, John	"		8th "	'61	'61.
Long, Tobias	"			Sept. '64	July, '65.
Lappin, John U.	"	G	34th O. V. I.	Feb. 29, '64	July 27, '65.
Lambert, Aaron	"		82d "	Dec. '61	Died.
Loudenslager, Geo.	"		135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Liles, McFadden	"	G	4th O. V. I.	April 19, '61	Aug. 18, '61.
Liles, Lemuel S.	"	D	87th "	May 30, '62	Oct. 3, '62.
Liles, Jeremiah	"	A	82d "	Oct. 3, '61	Aug. 9, '62.
Latimore, John S.	"	B	" "	Jan. 1, '64	Sept. 28, '64.
Latimore, John		B		Nov. 21, '61	Dec. 31, '63.
Lash, Geo.	Private	B	32d O. V. I.	Feb. 8, '63	June, '65.
Lawrence, J. A.	"	G	88th "	Aug. 5, '63	July, '65.
Liggitt, A. C.	"	C	132d O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Leighton, Geo.	"	B	135th "	"	"
Leedom, Henry	"		" "	"	"
Lloyd, Wm.	Corporal	A	118th O. V. I.	Aug. 11, '62	June, '65.
Lehr, H. S.	Private	K	86th "	May, '62	Oct. '62.
Lehr, H. S.	Hosp. Stew.		176th "	Aug. '64	June, '65.
Leinard, Jacob	Corporal	I	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64. [Va.
Linderman, John F.	Wag. Mas.	F	37th O. V. I.	Sept. 9, '61	D'd Prison, Richmond,
Lane, Robert K.	Private	B	118th "	July 22, '62	July, '65.
Longabaugh, E. C.	"	D	81st "	April, '61	Oct. '64.
Longfellow, P.	"	G	82d "	Nov. '61	July, '65.
Lonthan, John			7	Oct. '62	Sept. '65. Kd by cars at home, Mar. '72.
Lonthan, Joseph		C	82d O. V. I.	Nov. 12, '61	Taken pris'r, Goldsboro,
Latham, W. W.	Musician	F	21st "	Sept. 26, '61	Aug. '65. ['64.
Lehr, A.	Private	B	179th "	Sept. '64	June, '65.
Longabaugh, Geo.	"	F	176th "	Sept. 2, '64	"
Losey, Amos J.	"	F	" "	Sept. '64	"
Lydick, Samuel					
Lesley, J. C.	"	H	66th Ill. W. S. S.	Oct. 7, '61	July 7, '65.
Lantz, George	"	B	118th O. V. I.	'62	June, '65.
Lantz, William	"	D	45th "	June, '62	Died in Andersonville
Lantz, M.	"	C	13th "	July, '61	July, '64. [prison.
Lawrence, John	"	F	31st "	Aug. 2, '62	July, '65.
Lininger, W. S.	"	I	45th "	March 6, '63	
Lawrence, Joseph	Sergeant	F	31st "	Aug. 2, '61	July, '65.
Lake, Thomas	Private	C	13th "	June, '61	June, '64, w'd at Shiloh and Murfreesboro.
Lake, James	Sergeant	C	68th "	Nov. 6, '61	July, '65.
Limes, M.	Private	H	4th and 128th O. V. I.	April, '61	"
Limes, John	"	I	180th O. V. I.	Aug. 25, '64	"

NAME.	Rank.	Co.	Regiment.	Date Enlistm'nt	Date of Death or Discharge
Limes, H.	Private	....	10th O. V. I.		
Louthan, J. F.	"	G	82d "	Nov. '61	Died May 3, '69.
Lukins, Jesse		....	16th O. V. Bat.		Died Dec. 22, '62.
Layton, W. C.	Private	E	82d O. V. I.	Nov. '61	
Lambert, Adam	"	I	45th "	July 11, '62	June, '65.
Lambert, Jesse	"	I	" "	"	"
Looker, Moab	"	I	" "	Aug. 4, '62	"
Lininger, Hiram	"	D	4th "	May, '61	Died Nov. '61.
Lewis, A. K.	Ord. Serg't	....	" "	June, '61	Kd. May 18, '64, at Wil-
Linton, J. H.	1st Serg't	A	198th "	Sept. '64	Promoted. [derness, Va.
Lee, Nicholas	Private	B	82d "		
Lightner, John	"	B	" "	Nov. '61	'62.
Ludwig, J. B.	"	C	" "	"	
Liles, Daniel	"	C	" "	"	
Lowe, John	"	G	" "	"	
Lowe, James	"	G	" "	"	
Lynch, Patrick	"	G	" "	"	
Locker, William	"	G	" "	"	
Leatham, William	"	G	" "	"	
Large, Lawrence	Corporal	A	13th U. S. Inf.	Aug. 24, '61	Feb. 5, '64.
Lane, Peter W.	Private	H	179th O. V. I.	Sept. 16, '64	June 17, '65.
Lane, Isaac W.	"	I	45th "	March, '63	
McDowell, Philip L.	Corporal	H	94th "	Aug. 7, '62	Feb. 7, '63.
McDowell, Philip	Sergeant	B	154th "	May, '64	Sept. '64.
McCloskey, B. W.	Private	A	49th "	Aug. 23, '61	Aug. 23, '64.
Marshall, James W.	Drummer	E	23d Heavy Artil'ry.	'61	Oct. '65.
Moore, Perry R.	Private	C	6th U. S. Cav.	Oct. 20, '61	March 16, '63.
Moore, Perry R.	"	C	20th O. V. I.	Sept. '64	June 9, '65.
McMullen, Wm. F.	"	K	76th "	Dec. 2, '61	July 15, '65.
Morey, Delano J.	"	B	82d "	Dec. 29, '61	Aug. '65.
Miller, Austin W.	Ord. Serg't	H	101st "	Aug. 10, '62	June 20, '65.
Miller, John C.	Private	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Myers, Alfred T.	Corporal	C	82d O. V I.		
Morison, Robert	Private	....	U. S. I.	Oct. 26, '61	Jan. 2, '65.
Melhorn, Michael	"	C	3d O. V. I.	June 8, '46	June, '47.
McConnell, A.	"	H	179th "	Sept. '64	June, '65.
Marmon, Walter G.	1st Serg't	....	4th Heavy Artillery.	Sept. '62	July, '65.
Moy, Benedick	Private	B	82d O. V. I.	Dec. 7, '61	May 24, '62.
McFarland, Ellis	"	I	45th "	June 28, '63	Died at Annapolis, Md.,
McKittrick, I. W.	Corporal	E	182d "	Nov. 3, '64	June 8, '65. [April 2, '64.
Mahan, E. H.	Sergeant	B	118th "	Aug. '62	July, '65.
Myers, Andy		....	4th "		Died.
McClaid, Elias	Sergeant	B	82d "	Oct. '61	March 4, '63.
Morey, Sylvanus P.	"	B	" "	April 20, '61.	Nov. 16, '64, lost arm at Peach Tree Creek, At-
Mitchell, R. H.	Private	I	144th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64. [lanta, Ga.
Morison, Robert	"	A	82d O. V. I.	Oct. 26, '61	Jan. 9, '65.
Morrison, John A.	"	A	" "	Feb. 12, '64	July, '65.
Matthews, W. D. F.	"	D	110th "	May 26, '64	June 26, '65.
Miller, Andy	Corporal	H	179th "	Sept. 16, '64	Jan. '65.
Marshall, James C.	"	B	86th "	June 3, '62	Feb. '64.
Marshall, James C.	Sergeant	C	174th "	Aug. 11, '64	June 28, '65.
Morison, James	Private	H	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
McCrary, Daniel	"	I	132d "	"	"
Miller, Andrew	"	I	62d O. V. I.	Feb. 10, '62	June 23, '65.
McElroy, Hugh G.	"	H	66th "	Feb. 18, '64	July 7, '65.
Morrow, W. H.	"	G	4th "	April 18, '61	Sept. 1, '63.
Miller, J. S.	"	....	7th O. Ind. Co. Sh'p Shooters	Oct. 5, '64	May 20, '65.
Mustard, James	"	I	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Matthews, George	"	B	15th O. V. I.		
McGinnis, Moses	"	A	180th "	Sept. 5, '64	April, '65.
McGinnis, Geo. L.	"	I	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
McElroy, J. J.	Sergeant	H	16th Ill. Sh'p Sh't'rs	Nov. 16, '61	July, '65.
Marsh, Lewis J.	Private	E	151st O. V. I.	May 2, '64	Sept. 25, '64.
Mumea, John T.	"	K	4th "	June 3, '61	June 4, '65.
McWilliams, James	Corporal	C	95th "	Aug. 11, '62	March 26, '63.
McDonald, S. C.	Private	C	12th O. V. Cav.	Sept. '63	May, '65.
Marvin, Thomas	"	I	45th O. V. I.	Feb. 7, '64	Oct. '65.
Munsell, W. M.	"	H	128th "	Jan. '64	July, '65.
Miller, Robert	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
McFadden, W. W.	"	K	12th Ind. V. I.	June 20, '62	June, '65.
Musser, S.	"	K	82d O. V. I.	Jan. 3, '61	Kd. Aug. 31, '62, Second
Martin, Wm.	"	D	4th "	Aug. 6, '61	Oct. 22, '63. [Bull Run.
McCann, Sylvester		D	" "	April, '61	Kd. Petersburg, Va., '65.
McCann, Madison		I	45th "	July 23, '62	D. Belle Is. Prison, '63.
McCann, David	Private	D	4th "	'64	D. at home from injuries
McCann, S.	"	F	176th "	Sept. 1, '64	June 20, '65. [received.
Maynard, Henry	"	G	25th "	Sept. 7, '64	Nov. '65.
Moore, Albert	"	H	17th Ill. V. I.	May, '61	June, 11, '64.
McDonald, T. J.	"	H	105th O. V. I.	Aug. 9, '62	June, 7, '65.
Marlow, W. T.	"	H	12th "	Jan. '62	July, '65.
Morten, A. F.	"	A	82d "	Oct. '61	"
McGinnis, S. W.	"	A	183d "	Sept. '64	"
McIntire, E. D.	Sergeant	E	82d "	Nov. 12, '61	Died Middletown, Va., July 1, '62.
Mahan, John B.	Private	L	2d O. V. H. Art.	June 23, '63	Sept. '65.
Meneal, John W.	Private	E	82d O. V. I.	Nov. 20, '61	July 3, '64.
Martin, W. A.	"	C	142d "	Jan. '65	Dec. '65.
March, S.	"	I	42d "	Sept. 5, '61	Dec. 25, '65.
Murphery, Alex.		A	183d "	Sept. 5, '64	July, '65.
Messick, S. W.	Corporal	B	118th "	'62	June, '65.
Moore, S.	Private	E, I	99th & 50th O. V. I.	Aug. '62	July, '65.
McCoy, John	"	H	91st O. V. I.	March, '64	"

NAME.	Rank.	Co.	Regiment.	Date Enlistm'nt	Date of Death or Discharge
Matthews, M.	Private	I	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Matthews, W. R.	Corporal	L	" "	"	"
Maynard, Brice	Private	F	176th O. V. I.	Sept. '64	July, '65.
McFadden	"	G	197th "	March, '65	Aug. '65.
Marmon, J. F.	Sergeant	H	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Marmon, C.	Private	H	" "	"	"
McClintock, J. H.	"	F	82d O. V. I.	Oct. '64	July, '65.
McGinnis, G. A.	"	H	136th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64. [July 8, '64.
Minchell, Richard	"	C	45th O. V. I.	Aug. 11, '62	D. Andersonville Prison,
McCullough, Philip	"	D	13th "	Aug. 2, '62	July, '65.
Morrow, John A.	"	G	13th O. V. Cav.	March, '64	"
McDonald, George.	"	C	156th O. V. I.	Oct. 18, '64	Oct. 18, '65.
McDonald, Jasper	Corporal	F	13th "	June, '61	D. Jan. 22, '63, w'ds rec. Murfreesboro, Tenn.
McDonald, Alex.	Private	D	34th "	Aug. 16, '61	Died at home soon after discharge, Aug. '65.
Mahon, Lewis	"	C	82d "	Feb. '64	K. May 25, '64, at Dallas,
Miller, Perry	"	K	128th "	Jan. '63	May, '64. [Ga.
Miller, Merritt	Corporal	I	54th "	Oct. 16, '61	Aug. '65.
McGugin	Private	K	13th Iowa V. I.	Sept. '64	April, '65.
Miller, I. V.	"	F	176th O. V. I.	Sept. 3, '64	June, '65.
Marquis, D. L.	"	F	" "	"	"
Miller, James D.	"	F	" "	"	"
Miller, John C.	"	K	113th "	Dec. '63	"
McCloud, N S.	"	H	10th Va. V. I.	June 12, '63	Aug. '65.
Miller, William	"	I	45th O. V. I.	June, '63	Taken prisoner at Crab Orch'd, Ky., murd. by M. Maguires, Mch. '76.
Miller, Leander	"	I	13th "	June, '61	K. June 22, '64, Altona
Miller, Albert	"	I	23d "	Dec. 20, '63	June, '65. [Pass, Ga.
Morgan, W. F.	"	H	144th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Major, H. A.	"	B	82d O. V. I.	Oct. '61	Dec. '64.
Miller, S. D.	"	K	4th Ky. V. I.	Aug. '63	March, '66.
McBride, C.	"	I	175th O. V. I.	Aug. 20, '64	July 14, '65. ['63.
Miller, Dalis P.	"	E	82d "	'62	K. at Gettysburg, July,
McAdams, A. O.	"	B	45th "	June, '62	June, '65.
McElhaney, John		A	180th "	Oct. '64	Aug. '65.
Moore, John Q.		B	45th "	Aug. '62	Discharged sick.
Miller, Charles	Private	B	" "	Aug. '62	June 19, '65.
McKean, Robert L.	Ord. Serg't	B	" "	"	Promoted.
McGregor, Geo. M.	Sergeant	F	66th "	Dec. 7, '61	May, '65.
Mustard, W. H.	Private	K	33d "	Sept. 19, '61	July, '65.
McElroy, Hamilton	"	E	197th "	March, '64	Oct. '64.
Mitchell, Charles	"	K	133d O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64. [Springs, Va.
Marsh, Benjamin	"	C	82d O. V. I.	Nov. '61	Dec. 28, '62, w'd Sulphur
McClure, John	"	D	18th N. S. I.	Aug. '61	'63.
Maynard, E.	"	....	82d O. V. I.	Nov. '61	Died April 15, '62.
McGinnis, John	"	A	" "	"	Died May 5, '64.
Maria, James	"	A	" "	"	
Morrison, Richard	Sergeant	B	" "	"	
Morey, William P.	Private	B	" "	"	[Bull Run.
Murphy, James	"	B	" "	"	Killed Aug. 29, '62, 2d
McKnight, William	"	B	" "	"	
McGary, Geo. W.	Sergeant	C	" "	"	
McGary, John W.	Corporal	C	" "	"	
Murdock, W. P.	Private	C	" "	"	
Morrow, John M.	"	C	" "	"	
Mahin, John B.	"	E	" "	"	
McNeal, John W.	"	E	" "	"	
McKinley, James	"	E	" "	"	
McGee, Michael	"	G	" "	"	
McGee, L. V.	"	G	" "	"	
Maxwell, William	"	G	" "	"	
Marsh, Benjamin	"	G	" "	"	
Marquis, Robt.	"	G	" "	"	
McGinnis, Wm.	"	G	" "	Nov. '61	
McClain, Edward	"	G	" "		
Mufford, Wm. H.	Sergeant	D	15th "	Sept. 10, '61	Sept. 16' 64.
Miller, John C.	Private	....	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64. [28, '65.
Miller, Peter	"	....	179th O. V. I.		D. Nashville, Tenn., Jan.
Musgrove, Z. A.	"	H	45th "	Aug. '62	June, '65.
Mahon, Anthony		....	Dispatch Bearer	"	Sept. '69.
McDowell, P. L.	Sergeant	B	154th O. V. I.	"	Sept. '64.
Mahon, H. M.	Private	C	32d "	Nov. '64	June, '65.
McConnell, Wm. F.	"	....	82d "		
Maple, T. N.	"	....	2d "	April, '61	Aug. '61.
Maple, T. N.		....	16th Ind. Battery	Aug. '61	June, '65.
McFarland, Ham'n.	Private	I	45th O. V. I.		
Moore, Charles N.	"	I	" "		
Morison, Geo. H.	"	I	" "	Aug. 14, '62	
Mitchell, S. G.	"	I	" "	June, '62	
Maine, J. V. B.	Sergeant	E	64th "	Oct. 5, '61	June 12, '65.
Maxwell, John	Private	C	82d "	Nov. '61	
Mahon, Wm. P.	"	F	55th "	Sept. 20, '61	March 18, '63.
Noel, Sylvester D.	"	F	21st U. S. Inf.	July 3, '66	July 3, '69.
Naus, Wm., Jr.	"	I	192d O. V. I.	Feb. 9, '65	Sept. 1, '65.
Naus, John P.	"	H	118th "	Aug. 20, '62	Sept. 6, '65.
Naus, Wm. H.	"	I	192d "	Feb. 9, '65	Sept. 1, '65.
Nelson, James E.	Com. Serg't	....	82d "	Nov. 17, '61	Dec. 17, '64.
Norton, Charles	1st Serg't	B	1st Balt. Cav. M.M.B.	Jan. 20, '63	Jan. 25, '64, by reason of promotion as Captain.
Norton, Charles	Private	I	44th O. V. I.	Aug. 20, '61	Jan. 20, '63.
Norman, Henry W.	"	B	179th "	Sept. 22, '64	June 20, '65.
Norman, Wm.	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Nash, Samuel	"	C	126th O. V. I.	June, '64	Killed.

NAME.	Rank.	Co.	Regiment.	Date Enlistm'nt	Date of Death or Discharge
Nickison, Charles .	Private ..	H	176th O. V. I.....	June, '64....	Aug. '65.
Norman, H. C.....	"	I	45th "	Sept. 7, '64 ..	Nov. '65.
Neely, Wm.....	"	A	180th "	Oct. '64.....	July, '65.
Newland, Matthew.	"	K	13th "	July, '61	Died Nov. 28, '62.
Newland, Edw'd K.	"	B	118th "	July 24, '62..	Oct. '63.
Norris, John T....	"	C	13th "	'61 .	Died at Evansville, Ind.
Norris, Nathaniel..	"	C	180th "	'63 .	June, '65.
Newland, Jerry S..	"	E	82d "	Nov. '61	Wounded and dis'd, '64.
Newland, Andrew .	"	E	" "	Nov. '62	'63.
Neeley, John.....	"	C	57th "	Dec. '61.....	Feb. '63.
Nicholas, L.....	"	A	192d "	Feb. '65.....	Sept. '65.
Nagle, John	"	I	9th Ind. V. I.....	April 17, '61.	July, '61.
Nagle, Henry H...	"	G	4th O. V. I.....	.....	Died March 20, '62.
Nagle, Charles	.....	....	.....	.....	Died Oct. 23, '65.
Norman, Wm.....	Private ..	I	45th O. V. I.....	Aug. 9, '62 ..	April 14, '65.
Norris, Isaac.....	"	C	82d "	Nov. 20, '61..	
Newland, Wm.....	Corporal ..	E	" "	Nov. '61	'64.
Oglesbee, Isaiah...	"	H	135th O. N. G.....	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Oglesbee, George ..	Private .	....	45th O. V I.	Jan. 4, '64...	June, '65.
Outland, S.....	"	K	121st "		
Orahood, Amos ...	"	I	49th "	April, '63....	Dec. 31, '65.
Orr, John R.....	"	B	61st "	June, '62....	Killed, Gettysburg, Pa.
Obenour, E.	"	K	33d "	April, '61....	July, '65. ['62.
Obenour, Levi	"	....	.....	'62 .	D. Nashville, Tenn. July,
Obenour, Fred'rick.	"	....	7th O. Sharp Shoot..	Sept. '64	July '65.
Orth, J. A.....	"	....	" ..	Oct. 6, '64...	June, '65.
Obenour, Jacob ..	"	D	8th U. S. Inf.....	Oct. '62.....	
Ormsby, M. S.....	"	A	11th Pa. Cav.....	March, '65 ..	Aug. '65.
Ormsby, M. S.....	"	E	82d O. V. I.....	Nov. '61	
O'Connell, Martin .	"	F	110th "	Aug. 18, '62 .	July 1, '65.
Protzman, Silas ..	"	B	82d "	Jan. '62.....	July 24, '65.
Price, Martin	Teamster .	B	" "	Nov. '61	
Price, Henry.....	Corporal ..	I	49th "	Oct. 3, '62...	June, '62.
Peckinpaugh, J. W.	Private ..	K	148th Ind. Vol. Inf.	March, '65 ..	Sept. '65.
Peckinpaugh, J. W.	"	....	6th Indt. O. Bat....	Sept. 23, '64.	June 12, '65.
Pool, John J.....	"	F	13th O. V. I.	June 5, '61 ..	June, '64.
Price, Robert E. ..	"	I	45th Mounted Inf...	June 10, '62 .	
Pearson, John H...	"	D	4th O. V. I.....	April, '61 ...	Aug. '65.
Pierson, Thos	"	A	81st "	Feb. 17, '64..	May 5, '65.
Park, Geo. A.....	"	F	101st "	July 2, '62 ..	July 25, '65.
Park, R. H.	Sergeant ..	....	.....	.....	['62.
Pittington, Wm. ..	"	I	45th "	Aug. 15, '62 .	D. Lexington, Ky., Nov.
Pittington, Jackson	Private ..	B	82d "	Nov. '61.....	
Peaver, Harvey ..	"	G	25th "	Oct. 2, '64 ...	Oct. 14, '65.
Peaver, Geo.....	"	....	14th Light Artillery	Sept. 10, '61 .	July, '65.
Phillips, Wm. H...	"	....	16th O. Battery....	Sept. 1, '61 ..	
Perry, H. C.....	"	....	1st O. Indt. Battery	Jan. 19, '64..	June 2, '65.
Palmer, John H. ..	"	K	7th N. H. V. I.	Oct. 29, '63..	June 29, '65.
Potter, Harrison ..	"	F	13th & 121st O. V. I.	June 20, '61 .	'66.
Pyers, O.	"	D	85th O. V. I.....	Sept. 5, '64..	July, '65.
Porter, J. F.....	"	A	183d "	Oct. '61.....	"
Porter, Freeman ..	Corporal ..	B	10th Ind. V. I., 183d O. V. I.....	April 23, '61.	July 17, '64.
Penrose, Louis	"	B	18th O. V. I.	Oct. '64.....	Sept. 12, '65.
Porter, Green	"	....	198th "	March 28, '65.	May 15, '65.
Price, Elias P.....	"	I	135th O. N. G.....	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Palen, James O. ..	"	E	176th O. V. I.....	Aug. 4, '64 ..	May 30, '65.
Potter, Wm. A....	"	A	82d "	Nov. '61	
Price, O.....	"	K	33d "	Oct. '61.....	July, '65.
Poe, R. A.....	"	D	20th "	Dec. 21, '62..	July 7, '65.
Park, Horton	"	A	88th "	Aug. 28, '62 .	Sept. 24, '65.
Porter, William ..	"	B	45th "	Aug. 5, '62 ..	June, '65.
Patterson, Samuel .	"	A	180th "	Sept. '64	July, '65.
Preston, Robert ..	"	I	135th O. N. G.....	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Pool, Wm. B.....	"	F	176th O. V. I.....	Sept. '64	June, '64.
Potter, S. S	"	G	82d "	Nov. '61	'62.
Pagne, Samuel	"	H	3d Pa. V.....	'63 .	June, '65.
Patterson, Andrew.	"	B	88th O. V. I.....	Aug. '62	July, '65. [lanta, Ga.
Phippin, Lot.....	"	K	33d "	Feb. '64.....	K. March 14, '64, at At-
Pinkerton, John ..	"	F	31st "	Aug. 2, '61 ..	July, '65.
Pennock, S. E.....	"	....	16th O. V. Bat.	Aug. '61	"
Pennock, L.	"	K	121st O. V. I.....	Sept. '62	June 18, '65.
Picel, J.....	"	....	55th "	'61 .	"
Picel, T.....	"	I	45th "	July 10, '62..	April 17, '65.
Pickle, Tobias	.....	I	" "	June, '62....	June, '65.
Price, Geo.....	Private ..	K	128th "	Sept. '64	July, '65.
Piper, J. M.	"	B	179th "	Sept. 19, '64.	June 16, '65.
Poling, N.....	"	G	114th "	Aug. 18, '62 .	Aug. '65.
Pore, J. H.....	"	K	21st "	Sept. '62	Oct. '63.
Pender, J. W.....	"	H	9th Pa. Cav.	Feb. 22, '62..	June, '65.
Pealer, Wm.	"	F	176th O. V. I.....	Sept. 5, '64 ..	"
Pugh, James A. ..	"	A	12th O. V. Cav.....	Sept. '63	Nov. '65.
Philips, E.....	"	F	176th O. V. I.....	Sept. '64	June, '65.
Philips, D. W.....	"	F	" "	"	
Packer, Samuel ..	"	F	" "	"	
Peoples, John	"	K	33d "	Feb. '64.....	Feb. '65.
Patch, O.	"	I	45th "	July 30, '62 .	D. July 22, '64, at Ander- sonville, Ga.
Printz, Alonzo	"	I	" "	Aug. 7, '62 ..	June, '65.
Pickle, Robert	"	D	34th "	July, '61	
Packer, J. T.....	"	D	" "	"	
Price, Henry.....	Corporal ..	B	82d "	Nov. '61	Oct. '62.
Paver, Thos.....	Private ..	I	45th "	Feb. 17, '64..	June, '65.
Potter, Wm.....	"	A	82d "	Nov. '61	

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Price, Thompson ..	Private ..	G	82d O. V. I.....	Nov. '61	
Patch, Sherman ..	"	A	" "	"	
Packer, James	"	C	" "	"	
Poorman, Michael .	"	C	" "	"	
Pope, Thos. J	"	E	" "	"	
Petticord, John ..	"	E	" "	"	
Predmore, Daniel..	"	E	" "	"	
Porterfield, Robert.	Corporal ..	G	" "	"	
Pague, Alfred	Private ..	D	130th Pa. V.	Aug. 4, '62 ..	July 25, '65.
Predmore, B.....	"	G	135th O. N. G.....	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Parlett, Phillip....	"	C	82d O. V. I.....	Nov. '61	
Quinby, Joseph ..	"	H	12th O. V. Cav.....	'62 .	Feb. '65.
Russell, Travis S..	"	E	60th O. V. I.	Feb. '64.....	Aug. '65.
Rummel, Wm. L...	"	F	21st "	April 17, '61 .	Aug. 7, '61.
Reed, Mathias H ..	Corporal ..	B	45th "	July 10, '62..	June 19, '65.
Robinson, James H.	Private ..	A	82d "	Oct. 13, '61..	July, '65.
Robinson, Henry ..	"	A	" "		
Ridgely, David....	"	I	45th "	Aug. 11, '62 .	D. Bell Is., Va., July, '64.
Roby, H. M.....	"	G	135th O. N. G.....	May, '64	Sept. '64. [Dec. '64.
Rice, Asher	.....	....	.....	.....	K. at Cumberland Gap,
Russell, Clinton ..	.....	....	82d O. V. I.	Nov. '61	
Rice, Robert.....	Private ..	B	176th "	Aug. '64	May, '65.
Roby, Isaac	"	I	45th "	May, '62	June, '64.
Robinson, S. W. ..	"	D	40th "	July 28, '62 .	July 14, '65.
Robinson, D. N. ..	"	D	" "		
Rose, S. A.....	"	A	18th & 2d Bat. U.S.A.	Sept. 9, '61 ..	Sept. 9, '64.
Richey, Andrew J.	"	H	47th O. V. I.....	Sept. '64	July, '65.
Rarey, Nicholas ..	"	G	135th O. N. G.....	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Robinson, James ..	Corporal ..	G	1st O. V. I.....	Aug. '61	Died May, '63.
Reed, John	Private		2d Iowa V. I.....	"	June, '64.
Ransbottom, Thos.	.....	....	Enlisted in the war	of 1812, and is	now in his 98th year.
Ransbottom, Henry	Private ..	A	133d O. N. G.....	May, '64	Died July 24, '64.
Ransbottom, G. W.	"	G	82d O. V. I.....	Oct. 16, '61..	Oct. 20, '62.
Rice, John.....	Sergeant ..	G	4th "	June 3, '61...	June, '65. Taken pris. battle of Wilderness; tak. to Andersonville; remained to Mar. '65.
Runser, R. W.....	Private ..	B	45th "	Feb. '63.....	Oct. 4, '65.
Ridgway, Joseph ..	"	C	113th "	Oct. 24, '62..	July, '65.
Richison, Leonidas.	"	H	26th "	Feb. 19, '64 .	Nov. 23, '65.
Reed, Joseph	"	A	183d "	Aug. 17, '64 .	Died Feb. 10, '64.
Richey, C. H.....	"	B	118th "	Aug. 6, '62 ..	June, '65.
Ripley, A.....	Sergeant ..	B	" "	Aug. 2, '62 ..	"
Rutledge, H. M. ..	Private ..	E	82d "	Oct. '61.....	Oct. '64.
Rutledge, Lewis ..	"	E	" "	"	July, '62. Taken pris'r.
Reed, Samuel	"	B	45th "	Aug. '62	Died in Libby Prison.
Rex, Wm.....	"	B	" "	Aug. 5, '62 ..	June, 17, '63.
Rayl, A. I.....	Corporal ..	I	135th O. N. G.....	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Rice, John.....	Private		96th O. V. I.	'62 .	Died '64.
Reed, S. A.	"	B	82d "	Nov. '61	Feb. '63.
Reed, W. A.....	"	I	155th "	'64 .	'64.
Reed, Wm. M.....	"	H	136th O. N. G.....	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Roby, Nelson	"	D	176th O. V. I.....	Aug. '64	June, '65.
Rodenberger, H. W.	Sergeant ..	G	46th "	Jan. 1, '62...	"
Rogers, P.....	Teamster .	G	34th & 36th O. V. I.	April, '63 ...	"
Ranalder, C.....	Sergeant ..	B	82d O. V. I.....	Nov. '61	"
Reese, W. L.....	Ord. Serg't	I	131st O. N. G.....	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Reese, Jacob.....	Private ..	D	184th O. V. I.....	Sept. '64	July, '65. [Nov. 20, '63.
Rockhill, Alfred ..	"	A	118th "	Aug. '62	Died Knoxville, Tenn.,
Rowles, Geo.....	"	G	183d "	Oct. 15, '64..	May, '65.
Richeson, B. C....	"	D	156th O. N. G.....	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Rutledge, Richard.	"	I	11th O. V. Cav.....	March 15, '64.	March '66.
Ruhlen, Wm.....	"	K	1st "	Oct. '61.....	Oct. '64. ['62.
Redman, Robert ..	"	F	58th O. V. I.	Dec. 9, '61 ..	Died at home, Oct. 29,
Reedy, Robert	"	B	31st "	Feb. 22, '64..	June, '65.
Rice, J. G.....	"	K	33d "	Jan. '63.....	July, '65.
Reams, P. W.	"	D	34th "	Dec. 23, '63..	June, '65.
Rusher, Philip	"	I	19th "	Oct. '62.....	Dec. '65.
Richeson, L.....	"	H	26th "	Feb. 19, '64..	Oct. '65.
Rush, J. P.....	"	A	12th O. V. Cav.....	Oct. '63.....	Nov. 22, '65.
Rush, Samuel	Corporal ..	F	176th O. V. I.....	Oct. '64.....	June, '65.
Robinson, D. N. ..	Private ..	D	40th "	Aug. '62	July, '65.
Reed, Albert.....	"	F	176th "	Sept. '61	June 20, '65.
Reese, John E.....	"	F	" "	Sept. 5, '64 ..	"
Rumbarger, Leand'r	"	F	55th "	Oct. '64.....	July, '65.
Ranier, Samuel ..	"	F	176th "	Sept. 5, '64 ..	June 20, '65.
Ramer, John.....	"	F	" "	"	"
Richardson, J. W..	"	A	82d "	Feb. '64.....	July, '65.
Richardson, W....	"	H	135th O. N. G.....	May, '64	Sept. '64. ['62.
Richardson, B. J...	"	E	121st O. V. I.....	Aug. '62	Died near Columbia, Ky.,
Richardson, J.	"	H	135th O. N. G.....	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Rule, Wm.....	"	H	87th & 135th O. N. G.	June, '62....	"
Riley, E. W.....	Corporal ..	F	147th O. N. G.....	May, '64	"
Rutledge, Nathan .	Private ..	B	26th O. V. I.....	'64 .	June, '65.
Rutledge, T. J.....	"	A	82d "	Nov. '61	'62.
Roach, Isaac N. ..	Corporal ..	I	45th "	July 25, '62 .	K in bat. at Knoxville, Tenn., Nov. '63.
Richards, Ira C. ..	Private ..	I	" "	Aug. 9, '62 ..	June, '65.
Ridgway, B. R....	"	D	34th "	July, '61	
Rutledge, Thos. J..	"	E	82d "	Nov. '61	
Russell, Wm. N. ..	"	E	" "	"	
Reese, Jesse D.....	"	E	" "	"	
Russell, Clinton ..	"	B	" "	"	
Rogers, D. W.....	"	B	" "	"	
Roth, Jacob	"	B	" "	"	

NAME.	Rank.	Co.	Regiment.	Date Enlistm'nt	Date of Death or Discharge
Reid, S. A.	Private	B	82d O. V. I.	Nov. '61	
Roby, Henry H.	"	A	" "	"	
Robinson, Isaac	"	A	" "	"	
Russell, Wm.	"	A	" "	"	
Richards, Nathan	"	A	" "	"	
Ritemire, Harrison.	"	A	" "	"	
Robinson, James H.	"	A	" "	"	
Roach, W. W.	"	C	18th "	Feb. '65	Oct. '65.
Resch, John		G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Rapp, Chas.	Private	C	145th O. V. I.	Sept. '63	June, '65.
Rose, Henry	"	C	82d "	Nov. '61	
Rop, E. L.	"	C	" "	"	
Ropp, Jackson	"	C	" "	"	
Robinson, Winefield	"	C	" "	March, '62	
Reeves, W. H	"				
Schmidt, C. H.	2d Corporal	D	87th "	June 11, '62	Oct. 3, '62.
Snodgrass, Jesse	Private	H	74th "	Feb. 21, '62	April 12, '63.
Stevenson, Wm. W.	Sergeant	G	66th Ill. Sh'p Sh't'rs	Oct. '61	Sept. 14, '64.
Stevenson, Preston	Private	G	66th " "	"	Died Pittsburg Landing, [April 28, '62.
Simmons, James W.	"	K	33d O. V. I.	"	
Sulliger, W. R. H.	"	F	55th "	Feb. 2, '64	Feb. 22, '65.
Sherwood, Zebediah	Sergeant	F	13th "	April, '61	June, '64.
Stanford, Isaac N.	Private	A	2d Bat. & 18th U. S. Regulars	Sept. 16, '61	Sept. 16, '64.
Smith, A. R.	"	G	66th O. V. I.	Oct. 28, '61	July, '65.
Shoemaker, Levi	"		101st "		
Stout, John	"	D	4th "	Sept. '61	June, '65.
Stout, Chas. H	"	I	45th O. Mounted Inf	"	"
Stout, Granville	"	I	"	June 10, '62	"
Stanley, C. E	Ord. Serg't	D	4th O. V. I.	June 3, '61	Promoted.
Scott, John S.	Sergeant	B	82d "	Dec. 21, '61	July, '65.
Scott, Samuel	"	B	118th "	Aug. 11, '62	June, '65.
Scott, Aaron	Private	D	34th "	'61	'65.
Scott, Joseph	Sergeant	D	" "	'61	'65.
Stout, Thos. J.	Private	D	6th West. Va. Inf.	Sept. '61	Oct. 21, '64.
Smith, John L.	"	B	128th O. V. I.	Feb. 10, '62	Feb. 28, '65.
Smith, Thos. J.	Corporal		138th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Steiner, F. R.	Private	G	135th "	"	"
Stockton, Chas. A.	Corporal	D	4th O. V. I.	April 17, '61	June 13, '64.
Smith, Chas. F.	Private	I	175th "	Sept. '64	July, '65.
Shafer, I. F.	Orderly	F	15th "	March, '61	June, '61.
Stanley, Geo. W.	Private	D	4th "	June 3, '61	D. Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. [16, '62.
Snow, B. W.	"	D	" "	April, '61	
Snow, Pimbrook Z.	"	D	" "	"	
Smith, Isaac	"	I	43d "	Dec. '61	July, '65.
Sutermeister, Jacob	"	L	2d Heavy Artillery.	June 6, '63	Aug. 12, '65.
Stevenson, Samuel					Died at Annapolis, Md.
Stevenson, Robert					Died in Libby Prison.
Stevenson, John B.			34th O. V. I.	Dec. '64	March, '65.
Stevenson, Chas. A.	Private	H	179th "	Sept. 5, '64	June, '65.
Schindewolf, Wm.	"	G	4th "	April, '61	June 25, '65.
Stewart, Calvin L.	"	K	33d "	Sept. '61	D. Andersonville prison, July 5, '64.
Stewart, J. B.	"	I	180th "	Sept. '64	July 24, '65.
Stewart, Wm. F.			135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64. [27, '63.
Stevenson, E.			45th O. V. I.	Aug. 7, '63	D. Covington, Ky., Aug.
Summers, Perry	Private	A	82d "		Died in Ga.
Summers, David	"		118th "		Died in Tenn.
Scott, Mark	"	D	4th "	April, '61	Died at Camp Bee, Md.
Sagebiel, Herman	"	B	115th Ill. V. I.	Feb. '62	June 15, '63.
Scott, W. J.	"	B	176th O. V. I.	Aug. 27, '64	June 13, '65.
Stanton, Isaac	"	B	18th U. S. Inf.	Sept. '61	Dec. '64.
Schrider, G. H.	"	B	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Strimpel, Benj.		F	17th O. V. I.	Sept. '61	
Smith, James	Private	B	176th "	Aug. 3, '64	June 13, '65.
Smith, Samuel A.			In the war 1812, and	was with Gen.	Hull at Fort McArthur [Hardin Co., O.
Smalley, Geo. W.	Corporal		180th O. V. I.	Oct. 6, '64	
Shark, Jesse	Private	B	4th "	May 24, '64	July, '65.
Smith, Samuel M.	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Smith, Samuel S.	"	A	82d O. V. I.	Oct. 11, '61	Aug. '65.
Smith, E. E.	Corporal	I	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Scranton, Warner	"	G	" "	"	"
Stumm, Calvin E.	"	E	197th O. V. I.	March 21, '65.	May 11, '65.
Shanks, John	Sergeant	I	135th O. N. G.	May 2, '64	Sept. 2, '64.
Strock, Calwell P.	Private	G	82d O. V. I.	Feb. 15, '64	July 24, '65.
Souder, J. T.	"	K	197th "	April 7, '65	Aug. 1, '65.
Simiff, Thomas	"	G	90th "	Aug 2, '62	Feb. '65.
Scott, P. S.	"	B	118th "	Sept. '62	Kd. May 14, '64, in Ga.
Sponsler, Geo. M.	"		16th O. V. Battery	Sept. 4, '61	D. Jefferson City, Dec.
Sponsler, O. J.	"	L	11th O. V. Cav.	'62	July, '65. [12, '61.
Sponsler, Winf'd M.	"	I	180th O. V. I.	Sept. 20, '64	June, '65.
Shockey, Samuel	"	B	45th "	July 12, '62	June 12, '65.
Stevenson, Lewis M	Corporal	B	82d & 34th O. V. I.	Nov. 21, '61	July, '65.
Stevenson, Bart. E.	Private	D	34th O. V. I.	July 31, '61	Killed Sept. 19, '64.
Savage, Reuben G.	"		10th & 13th O. V. Bat.	Jan. 10, '62	Jan. 14, '63.
Savage, Reuben G.	Sergeant	K	O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Sloan, John	Private	G	9th O. V. Cav.	Sept. '64	Sept. '65.
Spelman, William		H	45th O. V. I.	July, '62	June, '65.
Smith, Orson			One of the vol. that	went to pr'tect	Plattsburg in 1815.
Shannon, Geo. S.	Private	I	45th O. V. I.	Jan. '64	D. Chattanooga, Tenn., May 20, '64.
Shannon, Thomas	"	I	" "	Aug. 6, '62	D. Andersonville, Ga., April 28, '64.
Shannon, Enos	"	D	4th "	June 9, '61	June 30, '64.
Spaulding, N. R.	"	I	118th N. Y. V. I.	Dec. 23, '63	May 18, '65.
Shuee, E. F.	Sergeant	G	4th O. V. I.	April, '61	June, '64.
Smith, Henry W.	Private	F	1st "	May, '61	July, '61.
Sweet, Wm.	"	F	176th "	Sept. '64	June 20, '65.
Stevens, Benedick	Corporal	D	15th "	Jan. 17, '64	Nov. 25, '65.
Sutherland, Alex.	Private	A	183d "	Sept. 16, '64	March 24, '65. Tak. pris.
Shull, Robert	"	D	105th Penn. V. I.	Aug. 12, '62	May, '65. [Nov. 30, '64.
Slaybaugh, G. H.	"	A	197th O. V. I.	Feb. '65	"
Stimmel, G. T.	"	A	183d "	Aug. 17, '64	Sept. '65.
Spar, N.	"	K	14th Light Artillery	Dec. 10, '61	Aug. '65.
Scott, J. N.	"	F	153d Ind. V. I.	Feb. 2, '65	Sept. 20, '65.
Spencer, T. J.	Corporal	E	82d O. V. I.	Nov. 1, '61	June, '65.
Spar, H.	"	D	66th "	Oct. '61	July, '65.
Spurlock, Milton	Private	C	90th "	Aug. 6, '62	June, '65.
Stuck, Wm.	"		64th "	Oct. 28, '61	Aug. 11, '62.
Stewart, William	"	D	66th "	Oct. 14, '61	July 25, '62.
Stewart, James	"	D	" "	"	July 19, '65.
Simpson, Wm.	"	I	134th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. 15, '64.
Seakins, Samuel	"	F	176th O. V. I.	Sept. 5, '64	June 20, '65.
Seigley, John	"	H	66th "	June, '63	July 7, '65.
Smith, Milton	"	D	15th "	May, '63	July, '65.
Sweet, William	Corporal		55th Mass. V. I.	Sept. '62	June, '65.
Shane, John C.	Private		160th O. V. I.	May, '64	Died in prison, '65.
Sanner, Thomas R.	Ord. Serg't	B	6th Va.	Aug. 12, '61	June 18, '62.
Staadt, J. W.	Private	F	133d O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64. [Tenn.
Selleck, Jerome	Serg. Maj.	B	48th O. V. I.	Sept. '61	D. Aug. 31, '62, Memphis,
Sheppard, T. J.	Private	I	78th "	Sept. 29, '64	June, '65.
Sterling, A.	"	L	2d O. V. Art.	June, '63	"
Steiman, Peter	"		178th O. V. I.	Sept. '64	"
Surgson, Jacob E.	"	B	176th "	"	"
Strahan, John	"	B	82d "	Dec. '61	Aug. '64.
Sherman, Jacob	"	C	4th "	April 18, '61	June 4, 64.
Shadley, Wash'gton	"	A	180th "	Aug. '64	July, '65.
Sherman, F.	Corporal	I	45th "	Nov. '63	Oct. '65.
Smith, John L.	Private	K	151st O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64. [Ga.
Shertzer, Simon	Corporal	F	31st O. V. I.	Aug. 2, '61	July, 28, '65. W. Atlanta,
Strickland, Allyn	Private	F	" "	"	"
Simmons, John	"	C	45th "	Aug. '62	June, '65.
Snell, E. R.	"	D	192d "	March, '64	Sept. '65.
Sebring, E. L.	Corporal	E	46th "	Sept. 27, '61	Sept. 30, '64.
Shertzer, Silas	Private	H	4th "	April 22, '61	June 4, '64.
Swank, N. F.	Corporal	F	31st "	Aug. '61	Aug. '65.
Swank, Martin	Private		18th U. S. A.	Dec. '61	K. Stone River, Jan. '62.
Seedle, M.	"	A	54th O. V. I.	Sept. 8, '61	Aug. 15, '65.
Seedle, J.	"	A	" "	"	Died at Memphis, Tenn.,
Summers, W. H.	"	K	183d "	Oct. 18, '64	July, '65. [June, '63.
Summers, F. W.	"	K	49th "	'63	Sept. '64.
Stewart, Samuel	"	F	13th "	Aug. '62	Aug. '65.
Slemmons, John P.	"	H	126th "	Sept. '62	June, '65.
Sagaser, John	"	B	45th "	Aug. 19, '62	D. Andersonville prison.
Snodgrass, David	Corporal	D	4th "	April 24, '61	Promoted.
Snodgrass, Alf'd P.	Private	G	1st O. V. Battery	March 4, '62	Oct. 15, '64.
Stanclift, E. C.	Ord. Serg't	G	50th O. V. I.	Aug. 11, '62	June, '65.
Smick, J. H.	Private	C	2d O. V. Cav.	Jan. '65	Sept. '65.
Shuster, E. K.	"	G	82d O. V. I.		
Sales, P. K.	"	F	34th "	July 25, '61	Sept. 23, '64.
Summerville, James	Corporal	G	54th "	Sept. '63	July, '65.
Steiner, John	Private	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Steiner, Fred	"	G	" "	"	"
Shertzer, Golds'th	"	C	45th O. V. I.	Oct. '62	July, '65.
Selders, John R.	"		23d "	Aug. '61	"
Shertzer, Isaac F.	"	F	57th "		
Smith, Jacob	"	A	82d "	Nov. '61	Died '62.
Sheets, Jacob H.	"	I	45th "	July 28, '62	June, '65.
Strickland, Josiah	"	I	" "	Aug. 8, '62	" [Sept. '64.
Sexton, Eli	"	I	" "	Dec. 3, '63	D. Chattanooga, Tenn.,
Smith, R. W.	"	I	" "	Nov. 28, '63	Died at Lexington, Ky., April 14, '64.
Steel, Wilson	"	I	" "	July 15, '62	K. Oct. 20, '63, Philadelphia, Tenn.
Scott, A. R.	Hosp. Stew.		34th "	Aug. '61	'65.
Schuyler, Wilson	Private	D	" "	"	'65.
Shaw, James M.	"	D	" "	"	
Schwart	"	D	" "	"	
Starbuck, Joseph	"	D	" "	"	D. Flat Top Mountain,
Stillings, George	Corporal	A	82d "	Nov. '61	[June 21, '62.
Smith, D. C.	"	A	" "	"	
Sanford, Addison	Private	A	" "	"	
Sharp, Wm.	"	A	" "	"	
Smith, Jacob	"	A	" "	"	
Sanford, E. L.	Corporal	B	" "	"	
Stoddard, John	Private	B	" "	"	
Stanford, J. A.	"	B	" "	"	
Shaffer, Nicholas	"	B	" "	"	
Stark, John B.	"	B	" "	"	
Streets, Thos.	"	B	" "	"	
Sryock, B. F.	"	B	" "	"	
Snyder, A. D.	Corporal	C	" "	"	
Snider Wm.	Musician	C	" "	"	
Snider, Joseph C.	Private	C	" "	"	
Sterling, James	"	C	" "	"	
Shultz, Wm.	"	C	" "	"	
Shurp, W. L.	"	C	" "	"	
Shanks, Wm. B.	"	C	" "	"	
Soule, Isaac N.	"	C	" "	"	
Sibert, Nathaniel E.	"	C	" "	"	

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Shannan, Jacob	Private	C	82d O. V. I.	Nov. '61	
Sierer, D. C.	Sergeant	G	" "	"	
Sierer, J. K.	Corporal	G	" "	"	
Smith, George	Private	G	" "	"	
Stem, S. A.	"	G	" "	"	
Snakenberger, Jos.	"	G	" "	"	
Stem, Chas.	"	G	" "	"	
Spencer, Alex.	"	E	" "	"	
Spencer, Thos. J.	"	E	" "	"	
Stimmel, Daniel	"	E	" "	"	
Stratton, M. F.	"	E	" "	"	
Stokes, Wm.	"	E	" "	"	
Stratton, Wm.	"	E	" "	"	
Sessler, Wm. H.	"	E	" "	"	
Soey, Edwin	Corporal	E	" "	"	
Strawbridge, Saml.	Sergeant	E	" "	"	
Scott, Wm.	"	E	" "	"	
Serguson, Wm.	"	E	" "	"	
Snedeker, J. H.	Private	H	16th O. V. Battery	Aug. '62	March, '62.
Snedeker, Albert H.	"		" "	Aug. '61	D. on Str. D. A. January,
Snedeker, W.	"		5th "	Feb. '64	June, '65. [Oct. 8, '62.
Shingle, H. M.	Ord. Serg't	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Schendewolf, Theo.	Private	G	" "	"	"
Sohn, Urich	"	D	58th O. V. I.	Oct. 17, '61	Sept. 16, '62.
Strong, W. A.	"	G	49th "	Jan. '64	July, '65.
Sormus, A. Albert.	"	L	4th N. Y. Cav.		
Seamen, John C.	"	G	82d O. V. I.	Feb. 9, '64	July 26, '65.
Stimmel, Geo. F.	"	A	183d "	Sept. '64	July, '65.
Steverson, Robt.	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Spar, Nelson	"		14th O. V. Bat.	Dec. 16, '61	Aug. '65.
Sommers, Perry	"	A	82d O. V. I.		D. w'ds rec'd at Atlanta, Ga., July 20, '64.
Sommers, David	"	B	118th "		D. w'ds rec. at battle of Mossy Creek, Tenn.
Shingle, Cyrus	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Snoddy, Joseph O.	"	I	45th O. V. I.		
Smith, John R.	"	I	" "		
Smith, Lewis	"	I	" "	Jan. '64	
Sexton, Eli	"	I	" "		
Seaders, Wm.	"	H	76th "	Oct. '61	July, '65.
Studebaker, F. J.	"	C	82d "	Nov. '61	
Salzmann, Geo. J.	"	B	5th Pa. V. I.	April, '61	July, '61.
Salzmann, Geo. J.	Musician		68th O. V. I.	Nov. '61	Nov. '62.
Stradley, A. S.	Private	A	133d O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Timmons, Joseph	1st Serg't	I	9th Pa. Cav.	Oct. 14, '61	Dec. 24, '64.
Thompson, John	Private	A	123d O. V. I.	Sept. 15, '62	July 7, '65.
Thompson, David	"	A	" "	Aug. 15, '62	Jan. 31, '65.
Terry, David D.	Ord. Serg't	A	" "	Aug. 5, '62	Killed July 18, '64.
Terry, Luke A.	Private	K	180th "	Sept. 17, '64	July, '65.
Tarlton, Mathew	"	B	82d "	Nov. 17, '61	Dec. 17, '64.
Timmons, D. R.	"	D	4th "	April 17, '61	June 6, '63.
Thrailkill, Cyrus W	"	G	82d "	Dec. 31, '61	July, '65.
Thompson, Robert.	2d Sergeant	D	25th "	Oct. 7, '64	July 5, '65.
Thompson, Robert.	Private	E	4th "	March 4, '48	July 19, '48.
Tovley, Charles W.	"	C	18th "	March 29, '65	Oct. 9, '65.
Turner, Reuben W.	"	G	82d "	Feb. 17, '64	July 24, '65.
Turner, Samuel	"	G	" "	Dec. 3, 61	"
Thompson, Jos. R.	"		54th "	March 14, '64	K. Atlanta, July 22, '64.
Tidd, Uriah	"	B	118th "	Aug. 15, '62	June 24, '65.
Tidd, S. P.	"	A	183d "	Sept. 5, '64	Sept. '65.
Tidd, A. G.	"	A	" "	"	June, '65.
Tidd, Nathaniel N.	"	G	13th U. S. A.	Dec. '61	Dec. '64.
Tuttle, Albert	"	E	82d O. V. I.	"	July, '65.
Tressel, S. L.	"	D	34th "	Dec. '63	Aug. '65.
Tyler, Wm. H.	"	F	21st "	Sept. '61	Oct. 7, '64.
Tressel, Geo. C.	"	D	34th "	Dec. '63	Aug. '65.
Thompson, Bent L.	"	H	118th "	Aug. '62	June, '65.
Tennis, S.	"	F	101st Pa. V. I.	Nov. '61	March 25, '63.
Titsworth, R. L.	Corporal	C	15th U. S. I.	Sept. '61	Feb. 4, '64.
Taylor, J. W.	Private	A	96th O. V. I.	Aug. '62	July, '65.
Thomas, P.	"	F	176th "	Sept. 5, '64	June 20, '65.
Taylor, G. W.	"	I	161st O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Taylor, Samuel	"	A	20th O. V. I.	Aug. 20, '61	April 20, '65. [in '65.
Turner, Sterling B.	"	B	45th "	June, '62	D. Andersonville prison,
Tussing, H.	"	E H.	8th & 26th O. V. I.	July, '61	July, '64.
Teets, Albert	"	E	82d O. V. I.	Sept. '62	July, '65.
Thomas J. H.	"	E	127th "	July 7, '63	March 13, '64.
Tingle, Harvey	Corporal	I	45th "	Aug. 6, '62	June, '65.
Taylor, L. D.	Private	C	82d "	Nov. '61	
Taylor, Thos. L.	"	C	" "	"	
Thompson, Geo. W.	"	C	" "	"	
Thrailkill, Isaac	"	E	" "	"	
Tallman, B. B.	"	E	" "	"	
Thrift, Leroy		E	" "	"	
Thomas, Peter A.	"	A	183d "	Aug. 17, '64	Sept. '65.
Uline, B.	Corporal	D	34th "	July 4, '61	Died, '62.
Urich, Wm.	Private	C	6th O. V. Cav.	Nov. 15, '61	June 10, '65.
Underwood, Elihu	Sergeant	I	5th Va. Cav.	April 17, '61.	Aug. 18, '65. Wounded Slaughter Mount., Va.
Vansky, Zac.	"	B	82d O. V. I.	Nov. 20, '61	July, '65.
Vansyckels, A.	Private	A	" "	Oct. 18, '61	"
Varvel, J. M.	"	B	45th "	June, '62	June, '65.
Vickers, E. J.	"	D	34th "	July, '61	July, '65.
Vickers, Edmon	"	D	" "	"	"
Van Riper, F. A.	"	D	22d New Jersey V.	Sept. 2, '62	June 25, '63.

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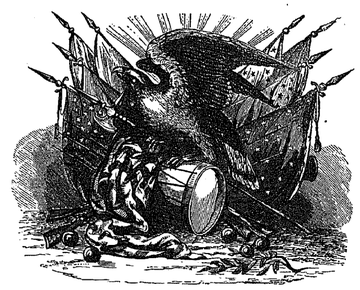
Waddle, B. N.	Sergeant	H	126th O. V. I.	Sept. 5, '62	D. Annapolis, Md., Jan.
Wenner, Samuel	Private	H	101st "	Feb. 5, '63	July, '65. [10, '65
Watters, Socrates	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Wilson, Isaac E.	"	D	4th O. V. I.	June 6, '61	
Wilson, Isaac E.	Corporal		98th "		
Williams, Isaiah	Private	C	32d "	Feb. '63	Aug. '65.
Williams, John	"	C	" "	Nov. '61	July, '65.
Williams, Thos. S.	"	F	82d Pa. Vet. Inf.	April, '61	Sept. '64.
Webb, Bowman	Corporal	C	144th O. N. G.	May 2, '64	"
Webb, Adam R.	Private				
White, Benj.	"	K	64th O. V. I.	Dec. 10, '61	Dec. 3, '65.
Wilson, Alvy	"	H	118th "	Aug. 22, '62	June 24, '65.
Wetherill, J. Wesley	"	E	121st "	Sept. '62	D. Chattanooga, Tenn.
Wetherill, Edwin H	"	E	" "	"	'63. [Dec. 17, '63
Wetherill, Thos. P.	"	H	179th "	Sept. 12, '64	June 2, '65.
Wolf, John	"	B	82d "	Nov. '62	Nov. '63.
Wiley, Samuel B.	"	A	" "	Nov	Capt'd Gettysburg, Pa.
Wiley, Wm. G.	Ord. Serg't.	A	" "	Nov. '61	[July 1, '63. D. At
Williams, Edward	Musician	E	198th "		[dersonville, Ga.
Willmuth, Well'ton	Private	L	2d O. Heavy Art'y		
Warner, E. C.	Teamster		49th O. V. I.	July, '61	Dec. '65.
Warner, Calvin E.	Private			June, '64	June, '65.
Warner, Joseph V.	"			June, '63	July, '65.
Williams, Thos. J.	"	I	180th O. V. I.	Sept. 5, '64	D. Feb. 21, '65, H'w'k Hosp., Washington.
Weiser, John W.	Corporal	B	45th "	Aug. 12, '62	June 19, '65.
White, Dorr	"	E	88th "	May 31, '62	Sept. 26, '63.
White, Dorr	"	B	82d "	Feb. 3, '64	July 24, '65.
Wenner, John W.	Private	D	4th "	April 18, '61	June 21, '64.
Wise, Daniel R.	"	C	8th Pa. Cav.	Sept. '61	Dec. '61.
Wyburn, Joseph			74th O. V. I.	Feb. '62	
Wyburn, Geo. M.			" "	"	[ington, D. C.
West, John R.	Private	H	118th "	Aug. 20, '62	D. Jan. 18, '65, at Wash
West, James	"		36th "	'61	
Wilson, Isaac H.	"	H	45th O. Mt. Inf.	Aug. 9, '62	June 18, '64.
Wheatley, W. B.	"	C	174th O. V. I.	April, '63	June 20, '64.
Whitley, Clay	Corporal		152d O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Wilcox, Wm.	Private	B	136th O. N. G.	"	"
Wroten, Amos	"	B	45th "	Aug. '62	June, '65.
Wilson, David	"	I	" "	Aug. 12, '62	D. in prison, Richmond,
Wilson, Isaac	"	I	" "		[Va., Jan. 5, '64
Whitley, Clark	"	I	44th "	Aug. 13, '62	Aug. '65.
Williams, W. D.	"	C	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Williams, M. L.	"	I	180th O. V. I.	Aug. 25, '64	June 20, '65.
Wagner, Thomas E.	"	G	1st O. V. Lt. Art'y	Jan. 4, '63	Sept. '65.
Wingate, Adam	"	G	82d O. V. I.	Dec. '61	K. at 2d bat. Bull Run
Wells, Lewis H.	"	F	1st O. V. Cav.	Oct. 26, '61	Oct. 26, '64.
Woods, John	"	G	4th O. V. I.	June 3, '61	Dec. 28, '62.
Wykoff, Josephus	"	K	91st "	Aug. 15, '62	July 3, '65.
Woods, F. B.	"	I	87th "	June 3, '62	Nov. 3, '62.
Williams, F. S.	"	L	1st O. V. H. Art.	'63	July, '65.
Woods, John	2d Serg't.	L	2d O. Heavy Art.	June 3, '63	"
Woods, James	Sergeant			'63	
Wilson, John S.	Private	K	128th O. V I.	Aug. 23, '64	July, '65.
Woods, F. B.	"	L	2d O. V. H. Art.	June 13, '62	Aug. 23, '65.
Wable, Jacob	"	G	82d O. V. I.	Dec. '61	July, '63.
Wilson, J. R.	"	H	144th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Wiles, W. R.	Sergeant	C	104th N. Y. V. I.	Oct. '61	Nov. '64.
Williams, N.	Private	A	27th Mich. V. I.	Feb. '62	
Watters, John	"	F	176th O. V. I.	Sept. '64	June, '65.
Welch, Phillip	"	H	66th Ill. West. Sh'p Shooters	Oct. 8, '61	July 24, '65.
Welker, Edward	Corporal	F	176th O. V. I.	Sept. 14, '64	Died in Nashville, Tenn.
Wart, Jacob	Private	F	" "	Sept. 2, '64	June 20, '65. [Jan. 5, '65
White, John H.	"	K, A	20th & 142d O. V. I.	April, '61, and March, '64.	Aug. '61 and Sept. 2, '64.
Westervelt, Wm.	Sergeant	A	133d O. N. G.	May, '64	Dec. 15, '64.
Westervelt, Wm.	Private	A	5th Bat. Cav.	Sept. 4, '63	March 4, '64.
Woods, W. H.	Corporal	G	87th O. V. I.	May, '62	Tak. pris. Harper's Fer.
Woods, W. H.	Sergeant	A	133d O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64. [Sept. '62
Wooley, Stephen	Private	A	180th O. V. I.	Aug. '61	June, '65.
Wooley, James	"	A	" "	"	D. at Washington, D. C.
Wetherill, W. P.	"	A	" "	Aug. 3, '64	July, '65.
Wetherill, J. G.	Sergeant	C	40th "	Sept. 6, '61	Wounded, Nov. 12, '64.
Wetherill, Alex.	Corporal	B	118th "	Aug. '62	July, '65.
Wetherill, Thos. F.	Private	B	" "	"	"
Wilson, John	"	H	38th N. Y. V. I.	May, '61	July, '63.
Ward, John H.	"	C	26th O. V. I.	April, '62	Sept. '65.
Wilson, S. C.	"	I	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Wade, I. F.	"	F	31st O. V. I.	Aug. 2, '61	July 28, '65.
Williams, Anderson	"	D	15th V. R. C.	Dec. '63	Nov. 11, '65.
Williams, Jesse	"	K	121st O. V. I.	Aug. '62	Dec. '65.
Williams, John	"	I	180th "	Aug. 20, '64	Aug. '65.
Wolley, Wm. P.	"	H	133d O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Wilson, Martin	"	E	122d Pa. V. I.	Aug. 6, '62	May 15, '63.
Williams, J.	"	F	188th O. V. I.	Dec. 18, '64	July, '65.
Williams, Abner	"	A	82d "	March 19, '64	"
Willett, S. L.		G	95th "	Aug. 6, '62	Aug. '65.
Webb, I.		C	17th "	Aug. '61	Oct. '64.
Wilson, William D.	Private		128th "	Dec. 22, '63	June 2, '64.
Whitehill, P. P.	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Wilcox, Baily	Corporal	B	45th O. V. I.	Aug. 19, '62	June, '65.
Wagner, Sylv'r H.	"	G	11th Mich. Cav.	Sept. 28, '63	Sept. 22, '65.
Wilson, Wm.	Private	B	118th O. V. I.	Aug. '62	July, '65.
Wallick, Edward	"	D	36th "	Feb. 3, '64	May, '65.

NAME.	Rank.	Co.	Regiment.	Date Enlistm'nt	Date of Death or Discharge
Wood, D. J.	Private	H	21st O. V. I.	'62	
Wagner, W. H. H.	Corporal	L	1st O. V. H'vy Art'ry	June 6, 63	Aug. '65.
Wider, Fred.	Private	....	15th U. S. A.	'61	'64.
Wies, Samuel	"	....	4th O. V. I.	April, '61	May, '64.
Wolgamot, H. G.	"	B	177th "	Sept. 8, '64	Aug. 1, '65.
Wider, Joseph	"	G	34th "	Feb. '64	July, '65.
Watt, Samuel	Sergeant	K	33d "	Sept. '61	June, '65.
Wilson, I. E.	Private	G	4th "	April, '61	June, '64.
Welch, Philip	"	B	66th Ill. W. S. S.	Oct. 12, '61	July, '65.
Wider, Frederick	"	C	15th O. V. I.	Sept. 2, '61	Sept. '64.
Winder, E.	"	H	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	"
Wooley, John	"	D	45th O. V. I.	Oct. '62	D. Libby prison, Apl. '64.
Westhoven, J. D.	"	F	46th "	'61	'63.
Warnicks, Jackson.	"	....	.... O. V. I.	Sept. 4, '64	
Weid, Frederick	"	C	36th "	"	
Warner, Curtis	"	I	45th "	July 25, '62	July, '65.
Woods, W. W.	"	D	34th "	July, '61	"
Weller, John B.	"	D	" "	Aug. 30, '61	Sept. '64.
Winslow, Philip	"	G	82d "	Nov. '61	
Wingate, Adam	"	G	" "	"	
Wable, Jacob	"	G	" "	"	
Wilson, Chas. E.	"	G	" "	"	
Walker, John	Corporal	A	" "	"	
Wheeler, Amos.	"	A	" "	"	
Wallace, James.	Private	A	" "	"	
Welch, Henry A.	"	A	" "	"	
Williams, Wm.	"	A	" "	"	
Williams, Joseph	"	A	" "	"	
Woodard, John H.	"	B	" "	"	
Wolf, John	"	B	" "	"	
Waggant, Wm.	"	B	" "	"	
Wiley, R. C.	Sergeant	C	" "	"	
Wolford, J.	Private	C	" "	"	
Wolford, Hampton.	"	C	" "	"	
Whaley, Henry.	"	C	" "	"	
Williams, Harrison	"	E	" "	"	
Wilcox, Daniel	"	E	" "	"	
Wolf, Wm. R.					18 months in Anderson-
Williams, Amos	Private	E	82d O. V. I.	Nov. '61	[ville Prison.
Williams, E.	"	E	198th "	March, '65	May, '65.
Wilson, J. H.	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64. [Gettysburg.
Wilson, Geo. W	"	G	4th O. V. I.	June, 3' 61	June, '64, w'd rec'd at
White, Isaac	"	G	40th "	Oct. 19, '61	D. Brownslow, Ky., Ap'l
Weise, Samuel	"	G	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64. [16, '62.
Williams, Anderson	"	I	45th O. V. I.		
White, James	"	I	" "	Aug. '62	
Westbrook, Levi	"	I	" "		
Wallingford, B. F.	"	E	" "		
Wilson, Geo.	"	....	8th O. V. Cav.	Feb. 29, '64	D. Beverly, Va., Nov. 27,
Waxler, John	"	C	82d O. V. I.	Nov. 13, '61	['64.
Wineland, Jack'n E	"	C	" "	"	
Willard, Simon	"	C	" "	"	
Wineland, Wash'n	"	C	" "	Jan. 1, '62	
Wolford, Hampson.	"	C	" "	Jan. 6, '62	
Wolford, Isaiah	"	C	" "	"	
Wood, James J.	"	D	34th "	Dec. 10, '63	Dec. '64.
Yarnell, Alex.	"	F	13th "	June 9, '61	Died March 19, '62.
Yarnell, Jonas.	"	G	82d "	Dec. 3, '61	W'd and d. May 12, '62.
Yarnell, Aaron	"	I	135th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Youngs, Henry V.	"	G	11th Ind. V. I.		
Yeazell, James	"	G	82d O. V. I.	Sept. '61	June 28, '65.
Young, William	"	E	136th O. N. G.	May, '64	Sept. '64.
Young, Elias	"	F	31st O. V. I.	Aug. 2, '62	July, '65.
Young, John	"	K	178th "	Sept. '64	May, '65. [Wilderness.
Young, Albert	"	E	19th "	Feb. 24, '64	Feb. 6, '65, wounded bat.
Yauger, Amos	"	C	82d "	Nov. '61	
Yauger, Henry	"	C	" "	"	
Young, James	"	I	45th "		
Zugschwert, A.	"	I	Rifleman	Feb. '47	Sept. '48, Mexican War.
Zimmerman, E. D.	"	E	82d O. V. I.	Nov. '61	
Ziegler, S. A	"	....	....	....	D. Chattanooga, Tenn.
Zigler, Lewis	"	B	57th O. V. I.	Nov. 15, '64	D. Pittsburg Landing,
Zehner, Wm.	"	E	198th "	March, 64	June, '65. [April 6, '64.
Zahner, Josiah	"	I	1st In. Co. S. Shoot.	'61	"



SKETCH OF MR. HAMPTON'S LIFE AND SETTLEMENT IN HARDIN COUNTY.

FURNISHED AT OUR REQUEST BY HIMSELF.

I was born in the village of Bridgetown, now the city of Rahway, Union Co., N. J., in the year 1814.

My father Joseph was one of three brothers who left England for the greater liberties of the New World. He settled in N. J.; one brother in Nova Scotia; and the other in South Carolina. The last-named brother was called by the others the fighting Hampton. His name was Wade. My mother died when I was seven years old, and I can remember that she was a woman much respected, and of more than ordinary talent for designing ornaments, fancy work, buildings, etc. She was also extremely fond of plants, and her collection of floral novelties was the wonder of her neighbors.

My father kept a drug store. He had about 30 acres of choice land one mile from town. From seed from his orchard have sprung some of the finest and most valuable fruits of Hardin County, several of which have been described in Downing's Fruit Trees of America, and Elliott's Western Fruit Book, as originating in Hardin County.

I have always remembered the dying words of my mother; she called me to her bedside and said, "William, for my sake always be a good boy; may God bless you!" How often I thought of this when surrounded by the many temptations of the wicked city of New York, years afterward! Had it not been for that mother's love and death-bed advice, I might have fallen as many others have fallen. My father did all that he could to educate me, and my leisure hours were mostly spent in drawing, painting, perspective, and natural history.

I always loved to be among trees, and shrubs, and animals, and to make drawings of them. I could not brook the selfishness of my school companions, and but seldom took part in their plays.

At the age of eighteen years, I began to think of an occupation for my future life. I concluded to try New York, and if possible to learn the art of engraving and design. My uncle who lived there volunteered to assist me.

At that time engraving was a kind of mystery or monopoly, and heavy charges were mode for instruction in the art.

In most establishment 500 to 2000 dollars were charged for instruction for the term of three years; this was not very encouraging, as I had no money to support me during that long period. Knocking at the door of the New England Bank Note Co., in the Merchants Exchange on Wall St., the New York members of which were V. Balch, S. Stiles, and J. H. Colton, my uncle and I were politely received by Mr. Stiles. Pointing us a seat in his splendid room, he inquired if there was any thing that he could do for us. While my uncle was stating the object of our visit, I could see that Mr. Stiles was scanning me from head to foot, and could not help thinking that he regarded me as a verdant applicant for an artist's career. He asked me if I had any drawings with me; I gave him a few, which he looked over, and then consulted with his partners. He then informed me that they would receive me for the sum of 500 dollars; he thought it would be best for me to make a trial for two weeks. He tendered me the use of a desk and of a complete outfit of tools free of charge, after which time he would make a permanent bargain.

I duly reported to the office, when a drawing book designed by the Caracchi, was placed before me. This was a better book than any I had ever seen, and I took great pleasure in copying the fine drawings. He then gave me studies of the Apollo Belvidere and Venus de Medicis.

After the lapse of a week my ability in drawing was recognized, and Mr. Stiles permitted me to try engraving. The copper-plate being prepared he instructed me how to lay on the acid-proof coating and to transfer the drawing to the plate. The subject was an English hunting scene—a man and dog, with two pheasants in the fore-ground. I copied this picture almost line for line. The etching having been completed, the wax border was put around the plate and the acid was poured on; Mr. Stiles instructed me how to clean off the plate and have an impression taken at the printing press.

With much anxiety I watched the process, and when the paper was lifted from the plate I was agreeably surprised to see quite a good representation of the original.

The next study was the picture of an old oak tree upon which were seven or eight squirrels playing. This was closely copied, and a good impression was obtained. Mr. Stiles told me that only a little more finish was required to make the picture salable.

My work was pronounced so good, that instead of charging me any fee for instruction I was offered a salary of $160 for the first year, $300 for the second year, and $500 for the third.

This offer was accepted. I was permitted to work but seven hours of labor per day, while the other hands worked ten and twelve hours. I soon became the designer for the firm for all outdoor views, and was allowed the money paid for taking them. No account was made of my absences, often for several days at a time. The three years passed quickly and pleasantly. I then engaged with them for three years more for $4000. At the expiration of this period a circumstance occurred that changed the aspect of things. One winter evening I purchased an album; wishing to inspect it, I went to the office, struck a light, and began to look over its pages. I was soon aroused by a bright light shining on the deep casing of my window. Looking out, I saw fire breaking through the roof of the store opposite to my window, and I was without doubt the first person that saw the Great Fire that destroyed in a few hours over thirty acres of the business part of the city. I then went to the closet where we kept the valuable plates, took out thirty or forty plates and several large piles of printed bank notes which I put upon a table ready for removal. My brother-in-law E. Mathews and Mr. Colton one of the firm, having come in, we secured a handcart, which I broke from its fastenings, and put in the plates, notes, and a part of a machine. We had hardly started away before the great cupola of our noble building fell in, and all was a smoking mass of ruins. I had been in the building only a minute before, and the escape seemed providential. Three times that night we moved our plates to get them out of reach of the fire.

This night will ever be remembered. People who had been rich found themselves poor in a few hours, and New York experienced the hardest times in its history.

The Fine Arts suffered more than any other business. Every thing that was superfluous was dispensed with, and this was the cause of my emigrating to the Far West in 1836. At that time Ohio was looked upon as a border State, the valley of the Scioto was the El Dorado of the Far West. There I intended to make my home, but it was with many regrets that I left my kind friends at the East. The Bank Note Company offered to take me in as an equal partner, and that without supplying any capital on my part

We left New York in a canal boat, which was towed up the Hudson River by a small steamboat, and after two days and nights we reached Albany. There we took another boat for Buffalo. The captain allowed us every opportunity to hunt along the way. Whenever the boat stopped we would hurry on a head; and when the horn was heard we would promptly repair to the boat.

After several days and nights we reached Buffalo, then a small place where city lots were staked for sale. In forty-eight hours more we reached Sandusky City. There we were delayed two days, as there was no conveyance further. At last we found a man with a poor team of horses and a common farm wagon, who would take our party to Tiffin for forty dollars. We reached Tiffin, and we left our luggage in the warehouse, Sandusky. We were yet a good way from Hardin County, and as we had not money enough to buy a team and wagon, we would have to hire some one to haul us there.

After looking about several days we found a farmer who had a large Pennsylvania wagon and two large yoke of cattle. We piled our goods in the big wagon, and got on top ourselves, glad to get any kind of conveyance. Two nights we stopped in Indian cabins, and the third night we put up with P. Wheeler in Dudley Township, on the Scioto River. Here we learned that our land was yet five miles away, with nothing but a trail leading to it. Our efforts to reach it proved a tedious trip.

When darkness came on, by means of flint and steel, we lighted a torch made from hickory bark, which enabled us to reach Mrs. Banning's cabin. With much joy we saw the light from her cabin window, knowing that we were once more among civilized beings. Mrs. Banning gave us a welcome. With her large family and our party of six the house was well filled.

Early next morning we started for our place one mile westward. We did not reach it until quite late, having to cut the road all the way. Near it was a deserted cabin, 7 by 14 feet, in the form of a tailor's goose; the sharp end was uncovered, and had been used as the fireplace; the clapboard roof was so low that a tall man could not stand upright. But we were glad to get even so poor a shelter as this. This ended our journey, which occupied over a month, a journey that can now be made in twenty-five hours.

Our first work was to cut away the timber to get a building spot. Then we cut logs 24 and 30 feet long, but could find no team to haul them; but Cyrus Dille, with one of the largest and most powerful yoke of cattle I ever saw, did this service for us.

The next thing was to raise this heavy building. So I asked all of the settlers for many miles around, and out of thirty-three invited thirty came. They made a jolly time of it. Soon the old woods resounded to the ring of many axes. By the middle of the afternoon the building was up.

It now became necessary to secure supplies for winter. From neighbor Dille I secured fifty bushels of potatoes, which he hauled to us at one load with his big cattle right through the woods, riding down the saplings and scaling the logs. To finish our house, we secured the services of Thomas Addy, a singular specimen of the western pioneer. His failing was his love for the fire water. But he was kind-hearted, and was always ready to lend us a helping hand. Often he would present us with a deer, hog, or turkey, for he was a famous hunter. He tanned the buckskins for his own trousers and hunting-shirts, and his wife made them for him. The resting-place of these very pioneers is now about to be covered with heavy buildings.

Our cabin required a deal of work to finish it; and on the first day of January, 1837, we made a rousing fire in our seven-foot fireplace, and moved in. The spring was backward, and we got three or four acres ready for the spring crop; but the tough green roots formed such a mass that the plough could not enter the soil, but by going twice in a place, we could make a mark that could be seen. These furrows were planted with a hoe, and the corn was hoed twice; in the autumn we husked out a large pile of the finest corn I ever saw. Most of the stocks had two good ears, and many of them had three; we had an abundance for the year. We had also a fine crop of potatoes. Vegetables of all kinds were plenty. The gun and the trap supplied us with meat. One day we caught eleven fine turkeys in our pen or trap.

We were now really comfortable. In those days a few coon skins would pay the tax on 100 acres of land. Now it will take a good horse, or six or eight fine hogs, to do it. Our wood and pasture cost us nothing, and we were not bothered with a pilfering set of drones who live on their industrious neighbors. The pioneers were all honest, the latch-string was always out, and our chicken-coops were never molested, except by the owls and "varmints;" our bee-hives were also safe, for the pioneer could find plenty of honey in the woods. The greatest inconvenience the early settler had to contend with was "milling." The few water-mills we had could not grind wheat; and the streams were often dry. I remember that we carried one grist nearly 200 miles before we got it ground. To guard against a like occurrence, I sent to my father for one dozen large cast-iron hand mills; with these we could get up a meal from corn or wheat by a few moments' grinding.

Coming from the city to the woods, we expected to be lonesome, but we were not. Almost every day some one was at our house. We had frequent calls from Isaac Zanes, the Indian chief and hunter, for we had settled upon his hunting-grounds. He was quite friendly. Leaving his home at Zanesfield in the morning, he would ride out here, and kill a couple of deer, dress them, sling them over his horse's back, and start for home the same day.

After planting a large orchard of the best of fruits, I commenced a plantation of ornamental trees in my yard, which contained one acre of ground. This was in 1858; now many of the trees are fifty feet high, and nearly two feet in diameter. There are many fine specimens of Norway Spruce, Balsam of Fir, Scotch and Austrian Pine, and White Pine. Among the rarer Evergreens, are the Oriental Spruce, English Silver Fir, Siberian Fir, Hudson Bay Fir, English Juniper, Weeping Juniper, Sacred Juniper of India, Parson's Arbor Vitæ, Verveaine's Arbor Vitæ, Nepaul Arbor Vitæ, Dwarf Arbor Vitæ, Heath Leaved Arbor Vitæ, English, Canadian, and Golden Yew, Japan Pine, Chinese Pine, Lambert's Pine, Heavy Wooded Pine of Oregon, Japan Retinospora, etc.

The following beautiful evergreens I plant out in summer, and protect under glass in winter: Cedar of Lebanon, Upright Yew, Japan Yew, Fortune's Chinese Yew, Abyssinian Yew, Cryptomeria or Japan Cedar, Torreya or California Nutmeg Tree.

Among the hardy deciduous trees; most of which are of large size, will be found European Larch, European and American White Birch, European Ash and Maple, Norway and Sycamore Maple, Purple-leaved Maple, English Oak, English Linden, English Hawthorn, Scotch Elm, Black or Sweet Birch, English Bird Cherry, Smooth Honey Locust, Virginia or Yellow-wood of Tennessee, Bohemian Olive, Deciduous Cypress, Umbrella and Cucumber Magnolia, and American Persimmons, several of which are in bearing.

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T. E. Strong, "
Stillings & Allen, "
J. H. Smick, "
David Thomson, "
M. B. Walker, "
Wm. L. Walker, "
S. E. Young, "
A. Zugschwert, Jr. "

Books and Stationery.

L. W. Barr, dealer in all kinds of books, and head-quarters for wall paper, and school-books, slates, stationery, pencils, etc. etc. Fine gift books, beautiful chromos and steel engravings, picture mouldings, brackets and wall pockets. All the popular periodicals constantly supplied. Call and examine.

L. J. Demarest, dealer in books and stationery, blank books, toys, and novels; also all the leading magazines and papers. Picture frames, chromos, and notions.

Barber and Hair Dresser.

Wm. Steffen, first-class barber and hair dresser.

Banks.

Kenton Savings Bank. General banking and exchange. Capital stock $50,000. S. Kraner, cash.; W. A. Norton, ass't cash.

Hardin Savings Bank. General banking business. Capital stock $50,000. H. W. Gramlich, cash.; Thos. Espy, sec'y.

Boot and Shoe Dealers.

H. W. Atwood & Co. One-price boot and shoe store. The best goods for the money. We cannot be undersold.

J. C. Miller & Son, dealers in boots, shoes, gaiters, and slippers, at prices to suit the times. Attention given to custom work. Repairing neatly and promptly executed.

S. Walters, dealer in all kinds of boots, shoes, gaiters, and slippers.

D. P. Zearing, dealer in boots and shoes. A large assortment always on hand, at the lowest prices. East side of public square.

Carpenters and Builders.

Wm. S. Clark, carpenter and joiner.
John Burkart, mason and contractor.
Lewis Owens, contractor and builder.
D. P. Stevenson, carpenter and builder.
J. Chas. Smith, carpenter.

Clothing Merchants.

Louis Elbinger, the People's Clothier, keeps the largest and best assortment of men and boys' furnishing goods, hats, and caps; also a full assortment of dry goods, fancy dress goods, trimmings, etc. Prices as low as the lowest.

Gottlieb Danz, first-class merchant tailoring establishment. Gentlemen's furnishing and piece goods of all classes and qualities. I guarantee a neat fit.

H. K. Ford, merchant tailor and dealer in ready-made clothing, hats and caps, gents' furnishing goods, etc. etc.

H. & F. S. Letson, dealers in gents' furnishing goods and ready-made clothing, hats, caps, etc.

Alfred T. Myers, tailor. Custom work done to order.

John Kaiser, Jr., foreman in the Buffalo Clothing House, where a fine stock of clothing may be found. S. J. Friedlander, proprietor.

Druggists.

J. N. McCoy, dealers in drugs, medicines, paints, oils, cigars and tobacco, wines and liquors for medicinal purposes. Prescriptions receive prompt and careful attention.

J. A. Rogers, dealer in drugs, medicines, paints, oils, toilet articles, choice brands of cigars and tobacco.

W. W. Snodgrass, dealer in drugs and medicines, pure liquors and wines, oils, paints, fine toilet soaps, brushes, and perfumery.

M. B. Steiner, dealer in drugs and medicines, paints, oils, toilet articles, choice brands of tobacco and cigars. Physicians prescriptions carefully compounded.

L. B. Tyson, dealers in drugs, medicines, paints, oils, toilet and fancy articles, pure wines and liquors of the finest quality for medicinal purposes; also a full stock of cigars and tobaccos.

Dry Goods.

W. A. Filler & Co., dealers in dry goods. A full assortment constantly on hand. Give them a call.

H. J. Koller, dealer in foreign and domestic dry goods, ladies' fancy dress goods, and trimmings.

Wm. Moore & Son, dealers in dry goods.

L. Merriman & Son, dealers in dry goods, carpets, hats, caps, boots, and shoes. We invite every buyer to examine our goods and prices.

H. & F. S. Letson, dealers in dry goods, notions, and clothing. Give us a call.

Foundries.

John Pfeiffer, proprietor. Foundry and machine shop. Farm implements repaired.

Bloom, Born & Newcomb, proprietors of Kenton Foundry. Farm implements repaired on short notice.

Furniture.

W. F. Damon, manufacturer and dealer in all kinds of furniture, carpets, etc. Also undertaker.

Theo. Schindewolf, manufacturer and dealer in furniture, parlor, drawing-room, and chamber sets, marble-top tables, dressing-cases, washstands, and easy chairs. Plain and cheap furniture of every description. I cannot be undersold.

Groceries and Provisions.

A. M. Davis, dealer in choice family groceries, dried and canned fruits; also fine brands of cigars and tobacco.

Henry Dickson, wholesale and retail dealer in groceries, foreign and domestic wines and liquors, at the lowest wholesale and retail prices, keeps all goods usually kept in a first-class wholesale and retail grocery, provision, and liquor store. The highest market price paid for country produce.

Weston & Bros., dealers in country produce, choice family groceries, fine brands of cigars and tobacco, and all kinds of dry and canned fruits. The highest market price paid for country produce.

Peter Geisel, dealer in groceries and provisions.

John Pfeiffer, dealer in groceries and choice brands of family flour, fresh butter, choice cream cheese, foreign and domestic fruits, canned fruits and vegetables. The largest stock and finest brands of tobacco and cigars.

Geo. Merriman, groceries, glassware, lamps, and crockery. Great variety at low prices. Agent for International tobacco.

Fred Fogle, dealer in groceries and provisions at the lowest market price.

Wm. Moore & Son, grocery and provision store.

J. P. Conner, South Kenton, dealer in groceries, canned fruits, butter, and eggs. Choice brands of tobacco and cigars.

J. A. Steiner, the best and cheapest cash retail dealer in groceries, teas, queensware, glassware, wooden ware, etc., in Kenton. Our motto is "Quick sales and small profits."

A. J. Briner, dealer in choice family groceries, canned fruits, teas, sugars, spices, etc. etc.

E. G. Campbell, dealer in choice family groceries and country produce.

Hardware and Agricultural Implements.

Cantwell & Co., general dealers in hardware; agents for the champion reaper and mower, Hoosier wheat drills and cultivators, all the different styles of ploughs. We have in fact everything a farmer wants in our line, and all first-class. Call and see before buying elsewhere.

F. A. Fry, dealer in farming implements, reapers and mowers, ploughs, etc.

A. B. Gerlach, agent for the Huber farm threshing engine and separator reaper and mower, Foust's hay ladders, Croll's wind pump, Cultivator's hay rakes, and all kinds of farm machinery; all machinery warranted to give satisfaction. Give him a call.

Kenton Foundry and Machine Shop; all kinds of repairing of farm implements, etc. Bloom, Born, & Newcomb Bros.

Harness Makers.

John Gerlach & Bros., manufacturers of, and dealers in, harness, saddles, collars, riding bridles, whips, etc. Repairing promptly done.

Joseph Ichler, manufacturer and dealer in harness, collars, whips, saddles, riding bridles, and everything in their line. Repairing done on short notice.

Hotel.

Jones Bros., proprietors Reese House; the only first-class house in the city. Terms reasonable.
R. Jones. C. Jones.

Insurance

The Old Ashland Mutual Fire Insurance Co., of Ashland, Ohio, has protected her many thousand customers by paying promptly their losses. No company in Ohio has been more honorable in its dealings with its members. Assets over $550,000. They continue to issue policies on stores, merchants' stocks, household furniture, residences, etc. etc., on the most favorable terms, either on the mutual or cash plan. R. L. Chase, agent.

Jewellers.

H. Chapman, dealer in clocks, watches, and jewelry. Repairing promptly and neatly done; all work warranted.

B. Garrettson, dealer in gold and silver watches, clocks, and jewelry. All work warranted.

Justices of the Peace.

T. W. Carson, justice of the peace.
A. Zugschwert, justice of the peace for Pleasant township.

Livery, Sale, and Feed Stables.

James Vance, livery and feed stable; first-class rigs for commercial men. Also bus to any part of the city. Give me a call. Stable and office opposite Reese House.

F. F. Van Horn, livery, sale, and feed; good horses and rigs. Terms reasonable. Office opposite Reese House.

Lumber Dealers.

John Callam, proprietor Michigan lumber yard; wholesale and retail dealer in every variety of pine, ash, and lynn lumber, shingles, lath, doors, etc.; soft and hard coal, salt, lime, hair, etc. etc.

C. A. Walker & Co. will pay the highest market price for walnut, ash, and lynn logs. A notice of timber or lumber for sale will receive prompt attention. "See us before selling."

Young & Bro., manufacturers and dealers in hard wood lumber; oak, walnut, ash, and lynn lumber bought and sold.

Mills and Millers.

William Ochs & Co., the Kenton flouring-mills manufacture the best family flour; custom and exchange work done promptly; all kinds of mill feed for sale.

N. P. Parkison, Kenton Snow-cloud Mills; custom work a specialty. Give us a call.

Marble Works.

D. White & Bros., dealers in American and foreign marble, also Scotch granite. A large stock of finished work always on hand; all work warranted and satisfaction guaranteed. We will not be undersold. Shop 104 East Columbus Street.

Newspapers.

Hardin County Democrat, a Democratic newspaper published every Thursday at Kenton, O. Terms $2 per annum, $1 for six months, "in advance." D. S. Fisher editor and proprietor. Every description of job printing neatly and promptly executed.

The *Kenton Republican*, official paper of the county. A. W. Miller editor and proprietor. Published every Thursday in Chesney Block, Columbus Street, Kenton, Ohio. Steam power and three fast presses. Circulation 1000, and rapidly increasing. Terms of subscription, $2 per annum.

Ministers.

Rev. Wm. S. Paul, presiding elder, M. E. church.
" Chas. I. Diel, pastor, German Evangelical Lutheran church.
" J. A. Ferguson, pastor, M. E. church.
" John Heberle, pastor, German Reformed church.
" H. M. Robertson, D.D., pastor, Presbyterian church.
" A. S. Siebenfoercher, pastor, Catholic church.
" Benj. Waddle, pastor, U. P. church.
" Thos. H. Wilson, pastor, M. E. church.

Manufacturers.

Wm. Campbell, manufacturer and dealer in tight and slack staves. Cash paid for block timber, and the highest price paid for staves.

W. M. Clemmons, manufacturer of drain-tile of all styles and sizes. Prices reasonable.

Jacob Forbing, manufacturer and dealer in chair stuff, gun stocks, and felloes. Also turning done to order.

C. S. Gravell, manufacturer of carriages, buggies, heavy and light road wagons, etc. Platform spring wagons a specialty.

E. C. Humphrey, manufacturer of wooden pumps, and dealer in all kinds of iron pumps, wrought iron, lead, wood, and sewer pipes, steam, gas, and water fittings, etc. etc.

Henry Kaiser, manufacturer of fine carriages, buggies, and spring wagons of all styles. All work warranted.

Lewis Owens, manufacturer of brick.

Chas. Rapp, wagon maker. Heavy road wagons a specialty.

John Roeder, heavy wagon smith and general repair shop.

D. L. Newcomb, manufacturer of "Newcomb's Improved Well Augur," for drilling in earth or rock. Improved method of tubing wells by firmly fastening and cementing together will make good wells with pure and wholesome water. Wells drilled on short notice.

Officials.

Hon. John L. Porter, judge of the Court of Common Pleas.
" John Haley, representative.
John R. Selders, probate judge.
Jasper N. Welch, auditor.
D. P. Stevenson, treasurer.
Joseph Timmons, clerk.
G. W. Darst, sheriff.
S. E. Young, prosecuting attorney.
G. W. Armstrong, county recorder.
G. Sutermeister, coroner.
W. H. Brown, surveyor.
James R. Dunlap, J. B. Pumphrey, Moses Kennedy, } county commissioners.
John Pfeiffer, Conrad Kahler, David Obenour, } Infirmary directors.
J. W. Binckley, K. E. Shuster, James Watt, } school examiners.

Physicians and Surgeons.

F. O. Clemmer, homœopathic physician.
L. G. Glenn, physician and surgeon.
E. B. Hiestand, " "
A. W. Munson, " "
Silas Protzman, " "
W. H. Philips, " "
J. A. Rogers, " "
Jesse Snodgrass, " "
C. H. Schmidt, " "

Restaurant and Bakery.

John Bloom, restaurant. Lunch at any time. Also wines, liquors, and cigars.
John & Charles Kirchner, restaurant and bakery. Warm meals and lunch at all hours, with prices to suit the times.
Adam Ritzler, first-class restaurant. Warm meals at all hours. Ice cream and oysters in season. Choice brands of cigars and tobacco.

Real Estate.

Charles Brumm, notary public, real estate, and general collecting agent. Buys, sells, and exchanges, on own account and on commission, all kinds of real estate and personal property. Correspondence solicited. Best of reference on application.
Hoge & Bateson, real estate agents and abstractors of titles.
James S. Robinson, real estate agent.
G. S. Williams, real estate broker.

Tannery.

B. F. Ellis, tanner and currier. Cash or leather given in exchange for hides. Tanning done on shares.

Miscellaneous.

John N. Born, machinist.
Charles Baily, plasterer, plain and ornamental done to order.
H. C. Bolmer, clerk.
J. D. Crowley, retired merchant.
Dwight Calhoun, gardener and florist; early plants and fruits for sale.
E. P. Dean, principal of public school.
John B. Dick, teacher of instrumental and vocal music, and teacher of a select school.
Hugh M. Dugan, deputy recorder.
T. C. Ferguson, teacher in public school.
F. C. Gastinger, foreman Kenton Scroll Works.
J. Gordon, sawyer.
Wm. Jackson, civil engineer.
A. J. Kress, plasterer, plain and ornamental.
J. H. Lawton, clerk in hardware store.
John Lightner, teamster.
T. N. Maple, general dray business. Goods delivered to any part of the city.
A. Norton, general insurance agent.
Joseph Paulucci, president Hardin Savings Bank.
John Pfeiffer, Sr., farmer.
John Pfeiffer, Jr., foundry and machine shop.
H. Sagebiel, postmaster.
John S. Scott, carpenter, builder, and contractor.
F. A. Van Riper, band and scroll sawyer at Forbings.
Isaac E. Wilson, night watch at court-house.
James M. White, president Kenton gas works.
B. Williamson, farmer, stock dealer, and shipper.

ADA BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Attorneys-at-Law.

B. A. Holland, attorney-at-law.
K. E. Shuster, "
P. W. Stumm, "

Banks.

Citizen Bank. A general banking and exchange business, collections made and promptly remitted. P. Ahlefeld, *Cashier*.
Exchange Bank. Exchange and general banking business; interest paid on time deposits; collections made in any part of the county. W. S. Reece, *Cashier*.

Boots and Shoes.

G. M. McGregor, boot and shoemaker.
George Seib, dealer in custom-made boots and shoes; repairing a specialty; all work warranted.

Barber and Hair Dresser.

Wm. H. Tyler, fashionable barber and hair dresser.

Butchers.

Dobbins & Powell, dealers in salt and fresh meat. Prices to suit the times.

Bakeries and Restaurants.

S. S. Elberson, bakery, confectionery, and restaurant. Warm meals at all hours. Bread, cakes, and pies always on hand.
James B. Watt, bakery and confectionery. Bread, pies, and cakes always on hand. Warm meals at all hours.

Clothing Merchants.

Frank Elberson, dealer in fine clothing, woollen and staple goods, hats, caps, trunks, and satchels. Men and boys' clothing made to order. Everything usually found in a first-class clothing store at bottom prices.
Henry Schindewolf, "Head-quarters" for clothing, hats, caps, and gents' furnishing goods. Merchant tailoring a specialty at the Star Clothing House.

Carriage Works.

Conner Bros., carriage and wagon works. All styles light and heavy work kept constantly on hand. Repairing done on short notice. All work warranted.
Geo. Lachance, general blacksmithing. Horse shoeing a specialty. Diseased feet treated with care.

Dry Goods.

D. G. Belknap, dealer in staple and fancy dry goods, and notions. A general assortment of boots and shoes.
Ed. H. Wilson, dealer in dry goods, hats, caps, boots, shoes, groceries, and queensware. Everything first-class.

Druggist.

H. McCamman, dealer in drugs, patent medicines, wines and liquors for medicinal purposes, cigars and tobacco, books, and stationery, at "The People's Drug and Book Store."

Furniture.

P. Rusher, manufacturer and dealer in all kinds of furniture. Undertaking a specialty. A large assortment of coffins and caskets always on hand. Hearse furnished on short notice.

Groceries and Provisions.

E. E. Bauman, wholesale and retail grocer. Teas, sugars, canned goods, choice brands of flour, glassware, queensware, candies, cigars, tobacco, and dealers in country produce.
W. R. Nye, dealer in groceries and provisions. Cash paid for country produce.
N. Poling, general dealer in all kinds of provisions, groceries, and Yankee notions. Cash paid for country produce.
J. F. Rice, dealer in groceries, provisions, stone and queensware, at wholesale and retail, at bottom prices. Highest cash price paid for country produce. Choice brands of cigars and tobacco.
T. J. Rutledge, dealer in groceries, provisions, and country produce. If you want choice groceries give us a call.

Hotels.

Geo. P. Connor, Commercial Hotel, near Depot. Good accommodations. Give us a call.
H. S. Shannon, proprietor of the Exchange Hotel. Good accommodations. Livery and feed stable convenient, Frank Foster, owner.
John B. Gill, proprietor of the St. Cloud Hotel, opposite Warehouse. Terms reasonable.

Jeweller.

D. A. Watt, dealer in gold and silver watches, clocks and fine jewelry, gold and silver spectacles, and musical instruments. Repairing promptly and neatly done.

Justice of the Peace.

A. B. Charles, justice of the peace and mayor.

Livery, Sale, and Feed Stables.

T. F. George, livery and feed stable, and good rigs. Terms reasonable.
M. C. Stewart, livery, sale, and feed stable, near Depot. First-class rigs for commercial men. Give us a call.

Liquor Dealer.

Henry Selden, dealer and jobber in fine brands of whiskeys, wines, gin, and imported brandies. Choice cigars kept constantly on hand.

Manufacturers.

The "Davidson Traction Engine," for farm and road purposes, such as ploughing and hauling heavy loads, for threshing machines, pony saw-mills, etc. It is light, simple of construction, and durable. Manufactured by Davidson & Rutledge. N. M. Davidson, patentee. James E. Lowry, general agent.
James E. Lowry, manufacturer of the "Zimmerman Fruit Dryer and Baker." It excels all others. No farmer should be without one.

Newspaper.

The Ada *Record*. Published every Thursday. Terms $1.50 a year. A good local paper. E. L. Millar and B. L. Thompson, editors and proprietors.

Physician and Surgeon.

J. S. Fisher, homœopathic physician and surgeon.

Photographers.

Gilbert & Howe, photographic artists. Photographs of all sizes and the latest styles made from life or old pictures. Old pictures copied and enlarged.

Painters.

Linderman & Bros., house, sign, and ornamental painters.

Real Estate Dealers.

N. Ahlefeld, real estate broker.
Geo. W. Rutledge, insurance and real estate agent. Real estate bought, sold, or exchanged.

Teachers.

C. Baily, professor in Public School.
W. F. Hufford, superintendent of Union School.
H. S. Lehr, professor of Ada Normal School.

Tannery.

A. C. Harris, tanner and currier.
A. Shaw, dealer in fine blooded horses, and tanner. Cash paid for hides.

Miscellaneous.

C. Baker, farmer and stock raiser.
L. J. Berry, jobber and teamster.
R. B. Brockett, contractor.
David Cummins, laborer.
A. J. Crookshank, contractor, carpenter, and builder.
Wm. Clappin, retired farmer.
R. Dittrick, contractor for pikes, buildings, bridges, etc.
J. Davenport, farmer.
Samuel Davis, bookkeeper and salesman.
John Griffin, foreman of section on P. F. W. & C. R. R.
Isaac Hodge, miller and superintendent of Ada mills.
J. J. McElroy, retired farmer.
Michael Melhorn, farmer.
R. J. Plummer, telegraph operator.
Wm. R. Routson, practical butcher.
A. Ream, retired merchant.
Rosel Scott, proprietor of flax mill. Good price paid for flax straw.
A. W. Stewart, dealer in stock.
W. J. Stewart.
R. W. Turner, contractor.
Edmund Vickers, contractor for ditching.
L. H. Wells, stock dealer.
Wm. Whetsler, city marshall.
T. J. Wise, farmer.

DUNKIRK BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Attorneys-at-Law.

G. Z. Cruzen, attorney-at-law.
L. A. Gormley, attorney-at-law and notary public.
John Watters, mayor.

Boots and Shoes.

J. M. Hutchinson, manufacturer of, and general dealer in, boots and shoes. Custom work repairing neatly and cheaply done.
W. P. Gilpin, manufacturer boots and shoes. Custom work a specialty.

Druggist.

Peter Bowman, dealer in drugs, medicines, oils, paints, notions, etc.

Hotels.

Kinsley & Sons, proprietors of Willis House, near depot. Good accommodations at reasonable rates.
Abraham Yazel, proprietor of Wordin House. Centrally located; terms reasonable.

Hardware.

S. T. Bosserman, dealer in hardware, stoves, tinware, etc.
E. Schrader, manufacturer of carriages, buggies, wagons, and general repair shop.

Livery, Sale, and Feed Stable.

Adam Bame, proprietor livery and feed stable. First-class rigs at reasonable rates. "Give us a call."
John Fry, livery, feed, and sale stable. Special rates to commercial men.
Thos. Chamberlain, dealer in all kinds of early and late vegetables.

Millers.

W. M. Close & Bro., millers. Custom work a specialty.
C. M. Jones.
Close & Jones, prop'rs of grain elevator. Dealer in all kinds of grain.

Publisher.

S. B. Davis, editor and publisher of the *Dunkirk Standard*, published each week on Thursday. Special attention given to job printing.

Miscellaneous.

M. E. Barber, farmer.
Mathew Curran.
Patrick Ferster.
D. H. Edger, retired farmer.
R. Gum, farmer.
H. A. Graeter, carpenter and builder.
A. K. Mecaskey, justice of the peace and notary public.
I. W. Martin, physician and surgeon.
J. A. Orth, farmer, and has a fine assortment of business lots for sale in the village of Dunkirk, O.
W. H. Wise, M.D., Dunkirk, O.
J. Spearman, farmer and machinist.
Perry Miller, bridge builder and carpenter.
John Watters, mayor, notary public, and general insurance agent.
Chas. Tiersch, retired farmer.
S. D. Miller.

FOREST BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Attorneys and Justices of the Peace.

S. Fasig, justice of the peace.
Russell Price, attorney-at-law and notary public.
I. F. Shafer, " "
C. A. Stockton, notary public and real estate agent.

Boot and Shoe Dealers.

H. A. McCoskeys, dealer in boots and shoes and harness.
J. F. Mabbey & Son, dealer in boots, shoes, and gaiters; merchant tailoring, gents' furnishing goods, notions, etc.
Jacob Naus, boot and shoe maker.

Contractors and Builders.

J. W. Young, contractor and builder.
Zimmerman & Woodard, contractors and builders. Estimates of work made on short notice. John C. Woodard, Simon P. Zimmerman.

Groceries and Provision Stores.

John McClurg, dealer in choice family groceries, provisions, flour, and country produce.
J. F. Nye, dealer in groceries, provisions, country produce, furs, and wool.

Hotels.

F. S. Johnson, proprietor of Forest City House. First-class accommodations; terms reasonable. Give us a call.
D. O. Young, proprietor of Scott House, at Depot. Everything first-class.

Livery, Sale, and Feed Stables.

Zimmerman & Berlien, proprietor of livery, feed, and sale stable. First-class rigs at reasonable rates. Special rates to travelling men.
J. L. Shields, livery, sale, and feed stable. First-class rigs for commercial men. Terms reasonable.

Meat Market.

Myron R. Cox. A good assortment of fresh and salt meat at all times.

Merchants.

T. Fitch, dealer in all kinds of lumber and shingles.
J. F. Nye, dealer in all kinds of furs and wool, groceries, and provisions.
Josiah Smith, retired merchant.
Stockton & Cook, dealers in dry goods and groceries. C. A. Stockton, E. H. Cook.
T. S. Williams, dealer in all kinds of hardware.
R. S. Wilson & Son, dealers in all kinds of improved agricultural implements, such as reapers and mowers, threshing machines, clover hullers, grain drills, etc.

Ministers.

Rev. Jesse Carr, pastor, M. E. church.
" T. J. Cellar, pastor, Presbyterian church.
" A. A. Monson, pastor, First M. P. church.

Manufacturers.

A. Howe, manufacturer and dealer in first quality of furniture. Repairing neatly and promptly done. Undertaking a specialty.
R. P. Moore, manufacturer of good road wagons. Blacksmith and repair shop. All work warranted.
J. W. Marshall, proprietor of steam brick and tile works. Tile of all sizes, and well burnt. Terms to suit the times.
R. H. Park, blacksmith. All kinds of blacksmithing and repairing done on short notice.

Restaurants.

Wm. L. Rummel, proprietor of restaurant and boarding-house. Meals at all hours. Terms reasonable.
E. T. Sipes, first-class restaurant under the Scott House.
J. S. Snow, lunch room and proprietor of the City Bakery.

Miscellaneous.

Alfred Burland, car inspector, P. F. & C. R. R.
E. A. Cook, manager, A. & P. Telegraph Office, in C. S. & C. R. R. Depot.
W. H. Hull, plasterer.
H. S. Horn, editor.
Forest Review, H. S. Horn editor and proprietor. An independent weekly, published at Forest every Thursday, at $2.50 per annum.
John McClurg, physician.
W. F. McMullen, farmer teamster.
Aaron Young, teamster.

PATTERSON BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Hotels.

James M. Funk, proprietor of the Morris House.

Merchants.

Dyer & Worley, general dealer in drugs, medicines, groceries, canned fruits, candies, cigars, and tobacco.
W. H. Seymore, dealer in country produce, and railroad agent.
Jos. Timmons, dealer in dry goods, groceries, and country produce. Also dealer and shipper of staves, lumber, and shingles, and all kinds of grain.

Mills and Millers.

J. F. Funk, proprietor of steam saw-mill, and dealer in lumber.
J. M. Purky, miller, manufacturer, and dealer in flour, wheat, chop, etc. Highest price paid for all kinds of grain. Terms cash.

Miscellaneous.

Miss Minnie L. Stanley, teacher of grammar class in Kenton High School.
Truman Brashares, dealer in real estate and lumber.
J. W. Ripley, contractor and builder.

MOUNT VICTORY BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Hotels.

L. T. Calvin, proprietor of Union House, with good livery and feed stable.

Miscellaneous.

P. S. Howe, dealer in dry goods, groceries, and country produce.
M. S. Elder, dealer in merchandise and farming implements. "Oliver child" a specialty.
B. D. Owens, dealer in hats, caps, boots, shoes, dry goods, groceries, country produce, and all kinds of lumber. Express and railroad agent.
A. J. Crane, homœopathic physician and surgeon.
D. H. Levan, physician and surgeon.
F. L. Denman, teacher.
G. D. Howe, justice of the peace. All business promptly attended to that is left in his charge.

RIDGWAY BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

E. B. Crow, physician and surgeon.
J. Sieg, justice of the peace and farmer.
H. L. Pash, manufacturer and dealer in all kinds of tinware.
E. H. Hibbits, manufacturer and dealer in custom made boots and shoes.
J. W. Douglas, carpenter and builder.
B. E. Le Rue, pike contractor and builder.
John Limes, dealer in groceries and provisions, and all kinds of country produce. Give me a call.
M. S. Ormsby, blacksmith and practical horse shoer.
E. Callahan, restaurant and saloon.
John A. Ewing, dealer in all kinds of provisions and groceries. Meals at all hours. A good saloon in connection.

YELVERTON BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

P. H. Hisey, dealer in dry goods, groceries, and country produce. Also cash paid for grain.
R. K. Lane, manufacturer of road wagons, and general blacksmith and repair shop. All work warranted.
Jeffers, Geo. W., dealer in all kinds of sawed lumber, and lumber sawed to order.
F. R. Potter, laborer.
Henry Rowalt, sawyer.

SILVER CREEK BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Samuel Wenner, proprietor of steam saw-mill, and dealer in all kinds of lumber.
James McWilliams, carriage and wagon shop. Also blacksmithing of all kinds neatly done. All work warranted.
Chamberlain & Robinson, proprietors of the Silver Creek Tile Works. Manufacturers of different size drain tile. Prices to suit the times. Give us a call.

NORTH WASHINGTON BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

S. M. Andrews, railroad agent.
G. W. Burnworth, dealer in all kinds of lumber.
C. A. Guider, manufacturer of carriages and good road wagons. Repairing promptly executed.
Joseph Sager, physician and surgeon.
J. H. Willeke, proprietor of steam saw mill. Custom work sawed to order, and shipper of all kinds of lumber. Also Township clerk.

ROUNDHEAD BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Hotels.

J. Hankin & Son, proprietors of the Hankin House, and general dealers in country produce.
W. H. Moore, proprietor of the American House, also manufacturer of road and spring wagons, and general blacksmithing of all kinds.
J. McGahan, restaurant and hotel. Good accommodations and terms reasonable.

Merchants.

Will M. Neville, merchant and farmer.
J. W. Lyle, merchant.

Physicians.

S. M. Adams, M.D., eclectic physician and surgeon.
J. C. Banning, " "
J. S. Neville, " "

Miscellaneous.

George Breece, proprietor of saw-mill and dealer in all kinds of lumber.
Wm. Downing, auctioneer. Prompt attention paid to all business entrusted to his care.
J. W. Stacey, engineer.
G. W. Wilcox, general blacksmithing. Horse shoeing a specialty. All work warranted.
T. N. Vaughn, miller and stone dresser.
Eliza Vaughn.

BLANCHARD TOWNSHIP.

		SECTION.	P. O. ADDRESS.
Barber, Albert,	farmer and engineer,	18	Dunkirk.
Brubaker, Samuel,	"		"
Chamberlain, Thos.,	dealer in all kinds of early and late vegetables,	15	"
Cook, Simon,	farmer,	32	"
Fleming, S. W.,	"	31	"
Gillen, John W.,	plasterer,	19	"
Hinebaugh, Shaw,	farmer,	8	"
Harrigle, David,	"	18	"
Hommel, John S.,	"		Ada.
Hullinger, J. A.,	"	20	Dunkirk.
Hinebaugh, Wm. S.,	"	8	"
Jones, J. M.,	"	31	"
Kile, A. J.,	"	29	"
Lehr, A.,	"	18	"
Loutham, J. W.,	"	28	"
Longfellow, Parker,	"	19	"
Pisel, Thos.,	"	3	Forest.
Reed, Albert,	"	6	Dunkirk.
Sullivan, Daniel O.,	"	20	"
Spearman, J.,	" and machinist	30	"
Trump, E.,	"	30	"
Wagner, Adam,	" and stock raiser,		"
Wable, Jacob,	" "	17	"
Wilson, J. R.,	" "	4	"
Wykoff, John C.,	" "	5	"
Wykoff, Josephus,	" "	4	"
Williams, S.,	" "	1	"
Ziegler, Michael,	carpenter,	31	"

BUCK TOWNSHIP.

	SURVEY.	P. O. ADDRESS.
Allen, John S., dealer and breeder of thoroughbred cattle, and farmer,	10031	Kenton.
Allen, E. H., farmer,	10031	"
Archer, Nicholas, "	10019	"
Bloom, B., "	10048	"
Baker, Emanuel, "	10048	"
Baker, George "	10048	"
Boll, Clemens, "	10246	"
Benton, D. W. "	10438	"
Baker, James. "		"
Crawford, J. W.,		
Clark, J. L., good gravel and gutter-stone for sale, and farmer,	10246	"
Cutting, A. P., proprieter steam threshing machine, and farmer,	10246	"
Cook, Nathaniel, farmer,	10246	"
Calhone, D., gardener and florist,	10438	"
Dunson, Lewis, justice of the peace and farmer,	10019	"
Dodds, Joseph O., farmer,	10048	"
Espy, John, "	12191	"
Evans, John E., "	10029	"
Elsasser, Louis, "	10104	"
Evans, T. P., "	10246	"
Everhart, Jacob, "	10016	"
Everhart, Christian, "	10016	"
Evans, David, "	10029	"
Evans, D. C. "	10246	"
Frame, Geo. P., "	10103	"
Faust, John, "		"
Hyde, R. B., "	10061	"
Highland, G., "		"
Harman, James B., "	10019	"
Johnson, Henry G., "	10016	"
Kennedy, Samuel, carpenter and builder,		"
Kettle, LeRoy E., pile contractor and shipper,		"
Laughrin, Michael, farmer,	10663	"
Moy, Benj., retired farmer,		"
Morey, S. P., "		"
McClaid, Elias, "	10030	"
Mentzer, Samuel, retired farmer,	10171	"
Myers, Henry, farmer,	10048	"
Poling, Solomon, "	10048	"
Patch, Wm., "	10048	"
Pfeiffer, John "		"
Phillips, Wm. H. H., "		"
Robinson, Joseph H., "	10104	"
Richards, John P., "	10061	"
Rarey, Alfred K., "	10665	"
Snodgrass, David "	10048	"
Stanton, Isaac "		"
Stanford, David "	10103	"
Scott, W. J., "		"
Schwartz, Frank, "	10061	"
Strimpel, Benj., "		"
Steiner, B., "	10438	"
Schindewolf, Phillip, "	12191	"
Sterling, Adam, carpenter and builder,		"
Thrailkill, Nancy J., farmer,		"
Winters, James, "	10061	"
Whiteley Bros., dealers and breeders in Poland and China hogs, and farmers,	10663	"
Zimmerman, Tabitha E., farmer,	10171	"

CESSNA TOWNSHIP.

	SECTION.	P. O. ADDRESS.
Brown, W. H., surveyor and farmer,	23	Kenton.
Bowman, Wm., farmer,	23	"
Black, Franklin, "	22	"
Born, Barbara, "	25	"
Branley & Miller, carpenters and builders,	14	"
Cole, W. T., "	23	"
Calvin, S. R., "	9	"
Cobo, Johnson, "		Ada.
Colliflower, J. D., "	17	Kenton.
Detwiller, Samuel, "	10	"
Eccarius, Valentine, justice of the peace and farmer,	14	"
Edney, Chas., carpenter and farmer,	16	"
Gould, Mary, owner of Aultman & Taylor's Steam Thresher,	8	"
Geiger, Joseph, farmer,	8	"
Hucy, J. N., dealer in all kinds of lumber, and owner of portable saw mill	3	"
Heller, W. H., farmer,	16	"
Hoffer, Peter, "	15	"
Higginbothoms, John, farmer,	9	"
Holsberger, G., "	2	"
Huffman, A., carpenter and builder,		N. Washington.
Jenkins, John N., farmer,	17	Kenton.
Laudenschlaeger, F., carpenter and builder,		N. Washington.
Mathews, L. & E., farmers,	5	Kenton.
Markley, J. F., "	15	"
Nichols, Lewis, "	15	"
Orth, John, "	10	"
Pool, Wm. B., "		"
Rennalder, Jacob, "		"
Rennalder, John, "		"
Rennalder, C. "	9	"
Roby, Nelson, "	17	"
Ries, Margaret, "	4	"
Roberts, George D., "	13	"
Sterling, Adam, carpenter and builder,	25	"
Sherman, Ferdinand, farmer,	9	"
Strahm, Jacob, "	3	"

	SECTION.	P. O. ADDRESS.
Strahm, J. U., farmer,	26	Kenton.
Wetherill, John R., farmer,	26	"
Weider, Harry, "	16	"
Wetherill, J. G., stock dealer and farmer,	7	Ada.
Wilson, O. P., farmer,	6	"
Wilson, John, farmer, dealer and breeder in Poland and China hogs,	9	"

DUDLEY TOWNSHIP.

	SURVEY OR SECTION.	P. O. ADDRESS.
Baughman, David, farmer and stock raiser,	10964	La Rue, Marion [Co.
Brown, Niomi, " "	10032	Kenton.
Cook, Nelson W. " "	12032	La Rue, Marion [Co.
Cope, Joshua J., " "	10	Kenton.
Daniels, Jacob, " "	10021	"
Elsasser, John, " "	10021	"
Hampton, W. C., florist and pomologist,	11079	Mt. Victory.
Hinds, Wm., farmer and stock raiser,	10964	La Rue, Marion [Co.
Krimblebine, W. H., farmer and stock raiser	10021	Kenton.
Krabell, Abraham, farmer and stock raiser,	4	"
King, John B., " "	11	La Rue, Marion [Co.
Kelly, J. S., " "	10	Kenton.
McCrary, Alex., " "	12033	"
Morison, Susannah, " "	10687	"
Marshall, J. C., " "	10172	"
Matthews, Wm. D. F., justice of the peace and farmer,	11079	Mt. Victory.
Maulik, John, farmer and stock raiser,	10021	Kenton.
Morison, Robert, " "	7	"
Morison, John A., " "	7	"
Outland, S. L., " "	5	"
Price, Elias P., " "	10854	La Rue, Marion [Co.
Ridgway, Joseph, " "	10022	Kenton.
Roeder, Michael, " "	5	"
Riley, H. W., " "	6	"
Scranton, Geo. P., " "	10854	La Rue.
Smith, Sterling, " "	10022	Kenton.
Smaley, Mrs. N. L., dress-maker,	2	La Rue.
Smith, E. E., farmer and stock raiser,	12032	Kenton.
Sheeneman, John, farmer and proprietor of cider-mill. Also owner and builder of Morris & Slauser's patent improvement in frame build'gs for Hardin Co.	5	Kenton.
Thompson, Robt., farmer and teacher,	5783	Mt. Victory.
Wheeler, Frank, farmer and stock raiser,	9	Kenton.
Wood, Emily, " "	13	La Rue.
Walters, R. M., " "		Kenton.

GOSHEN TOWNSHIP.

	SECTION.	P. O. ADDRESS.
Armstrong, Thos., [75 years old last June]		Kenton.
Barrett, J. F., farmer,	23	Marseilles.
Baker, James M., farmer,	7	Kenton.
Burnside, J. R., "	16	"
Cameron, Elza, "	7	Grant.
Emmons, W. J., breeder of Spanish Merino sheep and farmer,	27	Kenton.
Fogle, Hiram, farmer,	5	Patterson.
Haley, John, "	26	Kenton.
Heilman, John C., proprietor of steam saw mill and farmer,	33	"
Hunter, H. J., farmer,	23	Marseilles.
Hunter, W. R., "	23	"
Ingman, Wm C., farmer,	27	"
James, Holas, farmer,	16	Kenton.
Kanzig, Jacob, "	33	"
Kinsley, John, manufacturer of the old fashioned wooden pumps, and farmer,	27	Marseilles.
King, Wm., farmer,	21	Kenton.
Latham, R. S., justice of the peace and farmer,	17	"
Latham, H. B., farmer,	16	"
Laub, Leobold, "	32	"
Millar, R. D., surveyor and farmer,	30	"
Millar, James R., farmer and breeder of fine stock of all kinds,	30	"
Pfeiffer, John, grocer and farmer,	5	"
Pfeiffer, Peter, farmer,	32	"
Pfeiffer, George, "	29	"
Pumphrey, J. H., farmer,	24	"
Roberts, John, "	29	"
Ryder, Clark, "	14	Marseilles.
Seiler, John, "	33	Kenton.
Thompson, David, "	15	"
Thompson, Frank, "	21	"
Wetherill, Henry I., "	20	"
Winebrenner, Geo., "	6	"
Wolf, J. B., "	32	"
Wolf, Frederick, "	33	"
Yauger, Wm., "	22	"

HALE TOWNSHIP.

	P. O. ADDRESS.
[illegible], J. R., dealer and breeder in Poland and China hogs, fine poultry, and dealer in all kinds of stock.	Ridgway.
[illegible], Geo. W., farmer,	"
[illegible], Elias, "	Mt. Victory.
[illegible], Abraham, "	"
[illegible], Eli, "	"
[illegible], Mary E., "	"
Frazer, M. L., "	La Rue, Marion [Co.
[illegible], P. M., "	Mt. Victory.
[illegible], Z. M., "	"
Hatch, G., "	Ridgway.

	P. O. ADDRESS.
McCall, Thomas, farmer,	La Rue.
Marsh, Milton, "	La Rue.
Minshall, E., "	Mt. Victory.
Pugsley, J. J., attorney-at-law,	Hillsboro', Highland Co.
Pennock Lemuel, farmer,	Mt. Victory.
Rumer, J. A., breeder in Poland and China hogs. Also dealer in all kinds of hardwood lumber,	Ridgway.
Richardson, W., breeder of Poland and China hogs,	"
Robinson, John, " "	"
Smith, J. W., " "	Mt. Victory.
Stouffer, A. J., " "	"
Simpson, Wm., " "	"
Schertzer, Silas, farmer,	Mt. Victory.
Schneider, Frank, farmer and prop'r of saw mill,	"
Wren, Samuel, " "	"
Williams, Geo. W., farmer,	Ridgway.
Winder, Elihu, "	Mt. Victory.
Williams, Wm., "	"
Young, S. D., "	La Rue, Marion [Co.

JACKSON TOWNSHIP.

	SECTION.	P. O. ADDRESS.
Bushong, S. L., farmer.		
Briggs, Robert, "	2	Forest.
Barlett, John H., "	8	"
Barlett, John N., "	8	"
Binegar, John F., "	8	Patterson.
Bollinger, S. A., fine limestone for sale	30	"
Detwiler, Henry, " "	32	"
Durenberger, Arnold, contractor and builder,	32	"
Fasig, S., farmer.		Forest.
Grafmiller A., farmer,	29	Patterson.
Harman, I. B., farmer,	6	Forest.
Hafer, John, carpenter and farmer,	23	Patterson.
Hune, Frederick, farmer,	31	"
Jones, E. W., carpenter and farmer,	30	"
Kellogg, Daniel, farmer,	25	"
Lipold, A. N., carpenter, builder, and farmer,	36	Grant.
Lafferty, John, farmer,	5	Forest.
McVitty, John, "	14	Patterson.
Nauss, Jacob, boot and shoe maker and farmer,	1	Forest.
Reed, A. R., farmer,	20	Patterson.
Trissler, J. R., farmer,	1	Forest.
Thompson, Jacob, farmer,	31	Patterson.
Weber, Sam. C., attorney-at-law and farmer,	29	"
Webb, Bowman, farmer,	30	"
Webb, Sam. L., first-class lime for sale for building purposes,	29	"

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

	SECTION.	P. O. ADDRESS.
Ansley, William, farmer and stock raiser,	34	Ada.
Ash, John, " "	20	"
Adam, Gottlieb, " "	30	"
Baker, C., " "	15	"
Beagle, Eli, " "	4	"
Black, John A., laborer "		
Charles M. S., " "	3	"
Carey, John B., " "	23	"
Carey, T. J., " "	24	"
Carey, Thomas, " "	23	"
Cox, J. E., " "	26	"
Cline, Phillip, " "	8	"
Carman, Alex., " "	32	"
Clark, D. H., " "	29	"
Dewitt, D. A., " "		
Dickens, Edward, " "	20	"
Dearth, John V., " "	16	"
Davis, W. H., "		
Davenport, J., farmer and stock raiser,		
Ewing, J. M., farmer, stock raiser, and thresher, carpenter and joiner,	20	"
Enos, R. S., farmer and stock raiser,	22	"
Ferguson, Elijah, " "	6	"
Fristone, James M., " "	15	"
Guyton, William, " "	32	"
Grant, William, "	18	"
Grant, R., "		P. O. Lafayette, Allen Co.
Garwood, Isaac, dealer in fruit and ornamental trees; growing of small fruits and berries a specialty,	27	Ada.
George, W. H., farmer and stock raiser,	13	"
Garlinger, John J., " "	2	"
Holmes, William, " and dealer in lime,	7	"
Harshe, J. R., " and stock raiser,	7	"
Harding, John " "	4	"
Hammer, C., " "	9	"
Hardwick, W. R., " and jobber in staves,	9	"
Hyndman, Robert, " and stock raiser,	20	"
High, N., manufacturer and shipper of all kinds of hard wood lumber,	28	"
Hoon, John, farmer and stock raiser,	28	"
Isham, L. M., " "	27	"
Klingler, Amos, " and towns'p trustee,	19	"
Klingler, R. C., " and stock raiser,	28	"
Klingler, G. M., " "	29	"
Kindle, Joshua, " "	7	"
Kelly, Ira N., " and teacher,	15	"
Lowry, James E., farmer and maunf'r of Zimmerman's fruit dryer and baker,	16	"
Latimer, John, farmer, and stock raiser,	15	"
Nicholls, M. W., " "		
Rockey, James P., " "	17	"
Runser, R. W., " "	35	"
Shanks, J. H., " "	26	"
Shuster, Henry, " "	7	"
Shuster, John, farmer and stock raiser,	8	Ada.
Sanderson, A., " "	5	"
Strock, C. P., " "	9	"
Shuster, Jr., John, " "	19	"
Shuster, Daniel, " "	17	"
Shanks, R. S., " and teacher	36	"
Tyler, Wm. N., farmer and stock raiser,	45	"
Thompson, Elizabeth & Banner, farmer and stock raiser,	27	"
Thompson, David, farmer and dealer in stock; specialty in blooded hogs,	33	"
Tressel, John, farmer and dealer in stone and lime,	8	"
Woodruff, Brooks, farmer and stock raiser,	10	"
Yarnel, John, " "	9	"

LYNN TOWNSHIP.

	SURVEY.	P. O. ADDRESS.
Albert, Henry, farmer,	9935	Kenton.
Brelsford, R. W., "	3451	"
Douglas, J. B., farmer and miller,		"
Dittus, Gottleib, farmer,	9301	"
Gunn, Emily,	13326	"
Helverson, Robert, farmer,	9935	"
Holland, Richard, "	12093	Silver Creek.
Koons, Wm., "	10037	"
Koons, Henry, "	10037	"
Lawrence, W. H., carriage painter & farm'r,	12246	Yelverton.
Norman, H. W., farmer,	12093	Silver Creek.
Piper, A. A., "	9935	Kenton.
Piper, J. M., "	9301	"
Penn, H. L., "		[Brown] Georgetown.
Rice, A. M., "	12093	Silver Creek.
Ruhlen, Wm., "	10664	Kenton.
Schindewolf, Wm., "	10664	"
Stewart, L. A., "	10037	Silver Creek.
Stewart, J. B., "	10037	Kenton.
Siegel, Richard, farmer and justice of peace,	3451	"
Vermillion, D. S., farmer,	12093	Silver Creek.
Wyburn, Joseph, "	10037	Kenton.
Wolgamot, H. G., "	9301	"

MARION TOWNSHIP.

	SECTION.	P. O. ADDRESS.
Crawford, J. W., farmer,	4	Ada.
Conner, E. J., "	7	Maysville.
Cooney, Squire. "	12	"
Dempster, J. W., "	18	"
Dempster, Jacob, "	18	"
Dunlap, J. R., "	32	West Newton.
Garwood, J., "	9	"
Hitchcock, W. B., carpenter and builder,	12	Huntersville.
Lantz, A., farmer,	31	West Newton.
Matthews, Joseph D., farmer,	1	Huntersville.
Miller, James, wagon maker,	12	"
McGuffey, Cyrus, farmer,	13	"
Patterson, W. D., farmer and stock raiser,	19	West Newton.
Powell, James, " "	4	Ada.
Rowold, F., proprietor of steam mill; ash lumber for sale at all times.		Round Head.
Rex, Wm., farmer,	31	W. Newton, A.
Slemmons, Samuel, justice of the peace and farmer,	3	"
Shadley, J. S., proprietor of vineyard and nursery. All kinds of fruit for sale in their season. One of the largest orchards in the county, and the choicest fruits,	10	Ada.
Spar, Wm., dealer and stock raiser,	8	"
Smith, Josiah, blacksmithing of all kinds neatly done, and all work warranted,		Huntersville.
Turner, J. L., farmer,	31	W. Newton, A.

McDONALD TOWNSHIP.

	SURVEY.	P. O. ADDRESS.
Borders, Peter, farmer,	10010	Round Head.
Borders, Geo. C., "	10010	"
Clark, C. E., farmer and pike contractor,	10036	Kenton.
Colvin, Wm., brickmaker and dealer in all kinds of fine furs,	12181	[Logan Co. Belle Center.
Carter, Arthur J., farmer and stock raiser,	14159	"
Dukeman, D., farmer,		Yelverton.
Doughitt, Daniel, farmer,	10011	"
Given, Alex., "	10221	Round Head.
Hall, James H., "		Kenton.
Hill, Caleb, "		Belle Center.
Hoyt, Rev. Urias, local elder in the M. E. Church and farmer,	9998	Yelverton.
Hoon, Albert, laborer,		Belle Center.
Jeffers, C. W., farmer,		"
Jones, J. E., "		
Kees, Geo. W., "	10310	Round Head.
Liggett, A. C., farmer and stock raiser,	9998	Belle Center.
Miller, John, " "	12235	Round Head.
Marten, Alfred T., " "		"
Newland, George, farmer,		Kenton.
Ritchey, C. C., "		Belle Center.
Smith, Samuel, "		"
Stevens, James, "		Kenton.
Shull, Robert, "		Round Head.
Shaffer, Geo., "		"
Tuttle, Albert, "		"
Vansky, Z., "		"
Vansky, Jacob, "		"
Williams, Jonathan, "	10521	Kenton.
Wallace, Sandusky, "		Chillicothe, Ro.
Ward, John W., "	10010	Round Head.
Zimmerman, B. L., farmer and stock raiser,	12279	Belle Center.
Zimmerman, T. J., " "	12279	"

PLEASANT TOWNSHIP.

	SECTION.	P. O. ADDRESS.
Baker, Chester J., farmer,	13	Kenton.
Banks, Peter, "	15	Grant.
Berger, William G., "	28	Kenton.
Breidenbach, Peter, farmer, and agent for patent force pumps,	11	Grant.
Castor, E. H., farmer,	24	Kenton.
Castor, Wm., P., " and tp. trustee,	23	"
Comer, L., "	13	"
Close, Wm., "	17	"
Carothers, S. H., "	16	"
Davis, O. W., "	3	"
Dixon, Wm. H., " and stock raiser,	2	"
Doll, M. E., manufacturer and dealer in lime, delivered to any part of the county,	6	"
Fisher, George, farmer,	19	"
Griffin, J. S., dealer and grower of small fruit, strawberries, raspberries, grapes, etc.; also a variety of flowers,	12	Grant.
Grappy, N. Jr., farmer,	18	Kenton.
Heil, George, steam threshing machine and clover huller; orders left will be promptly attended to.		
Jones, Chas. P., farmer,	8	"
Johnson, W. B, "		"
Kahler, C., " and stock raiser,	21	"
Kremblebine, J. F., " "	35	"
Krabill, S., " and milkman,	34	"
Lipold, Albert, " and stock raiser,	1	Grant.
Linke, F. A., " "	10	Kenton.
Linke, Theo., " "	10	"
McMahon, M., retired farmer,	3	"
McMillen, G. W., farmer, and prop'r steam saw-mill, and dealer in all kinds of lumber,	25	"
Mentzer, D. J., farmer,	27	"
Miller, John, farmer and thresher; has run a threshing machine for 30 years,		"
Newcomb, J. W., farmer,	28	"
Newcomb, C. H., pump and well drilling,	28	"
Orahood, Wm. W., farmer and stock raiser,	1	"
Osbun, N., " "		"
Osbun, Elmer, " "	35	"
Rager, E. W., proprietor steam saw-mill,	11	Grant.
Rarey, Nicholas, farmer and stock raiser,	12	Kenton.
Rarey, Benj., " "	31	"
Roby, H. M., " and builder,		"
Saylor, John, " and stock raiser,	20	"
Shectala, J. A., retired merchant and farmer,		"
Spitzer, Wm., farmer,	13	"
Smith, Mrs. E. M., "		"
Smith, H. N., "	1	"
Steiner, Frederick, "	21	"
Utz, Samuel "	14	"
Wagner, Samuel, "		"
Wagner, Jacob S., "	34	"
Wagner, D. H., "	27	"
Winebrenner, George, "	12	"
Williams, A. C. "	7	"

ROUNDHEAD TOWNSHIP.

	SECTION.	P. O. ADDRESS.
Breece, Wm., stock dealer and farmer,		Roundhead.
Baughman, David, farmer,		"
Bowdle, Wm. B., farmer,		"
Bowdle, H. S. & Son, farmer,	18	"
Breece, George,	33	"
Bowdle, Wm. J., farmer,	19	"
Burchfield, T., "	8	"
Bowdle, Charles W., farmer,	18	"
Carter, Jonathan, "	29	"
Claypool, S. L., stock dealer and farmer,		"
Calvert, Harry J., stock raiser and farmer	9	"
Darby, J. M., farmer,		"
Dempster, Alex., stock raiser and farmer,	5	"
Dunlap, M. S., farmer,	8	"
Ford, Charles G., stock raiser and farmer,	9	Roundhead.
Ford, John H., " "	9	"
Ford, J. C. & Son. farmers,		"
Ford, Jacob, justice of the peace,	8	"
Ford, Webster, farmer,	6	W. Newton, Allen Co.
Ford, James C., "	29	Roundhead.
Johnson, J. R., stock dealer and farmer,	7	W. Newton, Allen Co.
Henkle, S. V., "	15	Roundhead.
Henkle, R. L., " "	20	"
Henkle, I. N., farmer,	18	"
Hurlburt, C. W.,		"
Hill, J. R., farmer,	8	"
Hill, Ham, "	20	"
Henkle, John F., farmer,	17	"
Lowrie, Wm. & Son, farmers, grain and stock raisers,		"
Lawrence, J. D., farmer,		"
McComsey, Davison C., farmer and stock raiser,	5	"
Marsh, E. C., farmer,		"
Moore, C. A., farmer and stock raiser,		"
May, John,	33	"
Martin, Wm. A., farmer,	18	"
McNeal, J. W., "	16	"
Mahan, H. M., teacher in public school,	8	"
Mahan, Mathew, farmer,	20	"
Mahan, J. W.,		"
Nolan, E. J., farmer,		"
Ohler, Wm., "	29	"
Ripley, A., "	8	"
Rutledge, Rachel "	8	W. Newton, Allen Co.
Rutledge, H. H., "	29	Roundhead.
Rutledge, S. M., "	20	"
Sexton, Nancy,		"
Steverson, Mary E., "		"
Stevens, J. H. "		"
Spencer, J. C., "		"
Spurlock, C. E., "	10659	"
Spencer, Thomas J.,	6	"
Steveson, J. W., farmer, breeder of fine short horned cattle, Poland and China hogs,	17	"
Young, Henry, farmer,	17	"
Vansyckels, A. W., farmer,	32	"
Wilcox, George W., blacksmithing; horse-shoeing a specialty,		"
Ward, Joseph, farmer and stock raiser,		"
Walters, H. W., " "		"

TAYLOR CREEK TOWNSHIP.

	SURVEY.	P. O. ADDRESS.
Bailey, John C., farmer, grain, and stock raiser,	10015	Rushsylvania.
Bailey, Silas, farmer, grain, & stock raiser,	10015	Kenton.
Bower, Joseph H., farmer, grain, and stock raiser,	9993	[Co. Big Spring, Logan
Carr, T. W., retired farmer,	12167	Kenton.
Carr, Wm., farmer, grain, and stock raiser,	10000	Yelverton.
Chamberlain, J. M., farmer, grain, and stock raiser,	13079	[Logan Co. Belle Center,
Cross, Joseph & Peter, farmers, grain, and stock raisers,	12167	Silver Creek.
Collins, Benj., farmer, grain, & stock raiser,	10015	Kenton.
Collins, Jas., " "	10001	"
Collins, J. L., " "	10500	"
Collins, Harriet, " "	10500	"
Canaan, Marg'y, " "	10015	"
Crumrine, John, " "	10026	Silver Creek.
Deerwester, John, " "	9994	Ridgway.
Ewing, James, " "	10026	Silver Creek.
Eveland, Wm., retired stock raiser.	13079	Yelverton.
Fisher, J. M., farmer, grain and stock raiser	9994	Ridgway.
Fry, Ebenezer, " "	9992	Rushsylvania.
Fry, Wm. & Son, " "	10000	Yelverton. [Co.
Gardner, Jas. W., " "	9993	Big Spring, Logan
Gillfillen, Joseph T., farmer, grain, and stock raiser,	9999	Belle Center.
Gibson, A. J., farmer, grain and stock raiser,	10500	Kenton.
Greene, Rev. D. W., farmer, grain, and stock raiser,		Rushsylvania.
Hatcher, L. J., farmer, grain and stock raiser,	10500	Kenton.
Hanna, Wm., " "		Silver Creek.
Harriman, Josh., " "	9994	Ridgway.
Hisey, I. A., " "	10013	Yelverton.
Hogsett, J. H., " "	10027	Silver Creek.
Lash, Geo. W., " "	9992	Rushsylvania.
Laughridge, Dan. " "	10000	Yelverton.
Lease, George, " "	10012	"
Liles, Geo. N., dealer in fine wool Merino sheep and farmer,		"
Lowe, John, dealer in fine wool sheep,	10014	Silver Creek.
Lyle, Robert, township clerk and farmer,	13079	Yelverton.
Moy, Edward, farmer, grain and stock raiser,	10001	Kenton.
Musselman, W. H., farmer, grain and stock raiser,	10500	Ridgway.
Oglebee, Geo. A., sawyer,	10000	"
Patterson, J. C., farmer,	9992	Rushsylvania.
Palmer, J. H., farmer and teamster,		Yelverton.
Piper, C. W., threshing done in season and farmer,	10000	"
Porter, J. T., farmer,	10000	"
Porter, Freeman, threshing promptly done,		"
Porter, G., farmer,	10013	Silver Creek.
Pyers, O., "	10001	Kenton.
Roberts, L. H., farmer,	10500	"
Robinson, Mrs. Sarah Ann, farmer,	10012	Yelverton.
Savage, R. G., farmer,	9999	"
Sloan, James, "	12051	"
Sloan, John, "	9999	"
Sloan, D. L., "	10013	"
Sloan, Thos., "	9999	"
Sieg, P. K., township treasurer and farmer,	10001	"
Sponsler, Jacob, retired farmer,	10001	Kenton.
Stewart, Samuel & Son, farmers and stock dealers,	9993	[Logan Co. Big Spring,
Stevenson, H. P., justice of the peace and farmer,	10000	Silver Creek.
Stively, John, stave contractor and farmer,	9999	Yelverton. [Co.
Vassar, I. G., farmer,	9993	Big Spring, Logan
Varnel, R. D.,	10015	Kenton.
Vassar, Jacob, "	9994	Ridgway. [Co.
Warnicks, Mrs. Lydia, farmer,	9992	Big Spring, Logan
Welch, Daniel, farmer,	10012	Yelverton.

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP.

	SECTION.	P. O. ADDRESS.
Barber, M. E., farmer,	13	Dunkirk.
Brayton, R. M., justice of the peace,	27	N. Washington.
Ballard, John, farmer,	26	Dunkirk.
Casper, John M., farmer,	26	"
Clark, Jacob, sawyer,	7	Ada.
Dirmeyer, Andrew, farmer, and dealer in all kinds of hardwood lumber, also owner of steam thresher,	22	N. Washington.
Deppeller, John, farmer,	22	"
Darst, Geo. W., "		"
Garling, D., carpenter, builder, and farmer,	2	"
Gring, David, farmer,	3	Dunkirk.
High, Jacob, "	19	Ada.
Houser, Winfield, farmer,	7	"
Holden, Rev. A. W., minister and farmer,	2	Dunkirk.
Kinnear, Isaac, farmer,	14	"
Keller, John, "	25	"
Neff, Geo., Sr., "	14	N. Washington.
Neff, Peter, carpenter and farmer,	2	Dunkirk.
Orth, George, farmer,	28	N. Washington.
Rambo, J. C., "	7	Ada.
Smith, Adam, "	5	"
Summerville, Mrs. E., farmer,	5	"
Steinman, C., farmer,	2	Dunkirk.
Wilson, H. H. "	31	Kenton.
Westervelt, Wm., farmer,	14	Dunkirk.
Young, P. W., "	8	N. Washington.
Zehner, Michael, "	2	Dunkirk.

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The first number issued contained the following address:—

TO THE PEOPLE OF HARDIN COUNTY.

PATRONS OF THE REPUBLICAN: I have come among you almost an entire stranger, for the purpose of taking charge of and to conduct a newspaper, and, to some extent, a political one; and making my first appearance before you in this capacity, I am frank to confess that I do so laboring under a good degree of embarrassment, from the fact that newspapers have heretofore been published in this place that have wholly failed to give that satisfaction to the great majority of the people, so essentially necessary for its prosperity and usefulness. The causes, fellow-citizens, that have led to these results it is not, perhaps, proper or necessary for me at this time to mention.

But what shall be the character of the *Republican*, what kind of matter shall grace its columns, are matters of which it is proper I should now say something, and which you have a right, reasonably to expect and require, as a future guaranty for fulfilment on my part. We wish it to be distinctly understood that the *Republican* in principles will be Whig; but so far as we, through its columns, shall endeavor to advance the Whig cause, the constant aim shall be to pursue a dignified and manly course of conduct towards our opponents—believing that vituperative and abusive language to those we oppose is discarding one of the first and favorite principles of the great Whig party.

Again, so long as the paper is under its present control, instead of its columns being graced by personal attacks upon private individuals for the purpose of gratifying personal feeling and malignity, we shall steadily labor to prevent. We shall give you the legislative proceedings of our own beloved Buckeye State, and in the counsels of the national government, as they are always read and sought after by every man who feels and takes a lively interest in the welfare, prosperity, and advancement of his country, and her religious and political institutions. We promise you, also, fellow-patrons, that the county of Hardin shall not be forgotten, but that our columns will occasionally be devoted to giving such statements of statistical matter and facts as to the vast resources of the county as must engage the attention of those abroad. We have a county abounding with rich and fertile lands that will compare with any land in the West. Of these we shall speak, and through our columns endeavor to arrest the attention of the sturdy and enterprising emigrant, point to him the advantages of our lands, its soil, markets, etc., and induce him to come among us, to enter upon wild lands, and with his axe and strong arm make that which was once the hunting ground of the Indian the peaceful home of civilization, glad with its social sympathies of man. These we design to be some of the features of the *Republican*, together with such literary and miscellaneous subjects as give additional and varied interest to the general reader.

And now let me call upon each and every citizen of the county, through the medium of this my formal introduction, to a better, and I hope a more pleasant acquaintance, to come forward and take our paper, and don't forget to pay us down if you have the funds on hand, it being only $1.50 in advance, for you all know that printers have use for twice as much money as they ever get for their daily support. We say come and pay in advance if you can, and about this we are not joking, as such matters are generally understood to be nothing but playful ebullitions of a fanciful imagination; we are serious in this call. The expenses of keeping up an office of this kind, in paying rent, paying hands, paying for paper, ink, and sundry other things, make, I assure you, a heavy charge in our bill of expenses. Come up, then, and give us your aid and support, and whatever ability and industry we may have shall be put forth upon the *Republican*, to make it well worthy, we hope, of your generous patronage—cherishing the fond hope that we may long sustain the friendly relation of printer and patron—that this relation may by no act of mine be severed—but that I may ever continue a faithful printer and driver of the quill. You, as generous and warm-hearted patrons, accept my humble wishes for yourselves, the country, and those political measures and principles that keep healthful and advance the interests and general welfare of our whole country.

J. S. ROBINSON.

KENTON, January 20, 1847.

Mr. Robinson continued to publish the paper uninterruptedly until May 20th, 1853, when it was sold for a brief period to R. Coulter, but was repurchased January 20, 1854, in the mean time Mr. Robinson acting as associate editor, and never really severing his connection with the paper. In November, 1854, Mr. Robinson connected with himself as associate editor, Mr. G. A. Stewart, which position he occupied not quite two years. In September, 1856, the Goodin building, southwest corner of the square, in which the office was established, was destroyed by fire, and the material with which the paper was printed, together with press and furniture, were almost entirely destroyed. The loss, however, did not delay the issue of the paper, and an office was immediately secured in the Kinnear building, west side of the public square, where it reappeared the following week in an entirely new dress, and enlarged to twenty-four columns. The paper continued to increase and prosper under its management until the war of the rebellion broke out in 1861, when the editor, imbued with the patriotic spirit of the time, entered the volunteer service in the 4th Ohio regiment, leaving the publication of his paper in the hands of his foreman, Mr. Stilla Powell. In 1862 Jas. S. Robinson returned from the field and enlisted the 82d regiment, and in the mean time A. R. Scott was entrusted with the publication of the *Republican*, and during that year L. T. Hunt, Esq., became associate editor. On the 16th of September, 1864, the paper was sold to L. T. Hunt, and Gen. Robinson retired after a proprietorship of nearly eighteen years. In taking leave of the *Republican*, Gen. Robinson bid farewell to its readers as follows:—

TO THE PUBLIC.

WE have sold the office of the *Hardin County Republican*, including good-will and material, and surrender possession of the same to-day.

For nearly eighteen years we have been identified with the paper, having issued the first number of the same on the 20th day of January, 1847. Though not editorially connected with the paper since 1861 we have continued as proprietor.

We certainly do not part company with the paper and its old friends without many regrets. Impaired health, absence from home, and a desire to close up, as far as possible, a business of many years' standing, has prompted us to this step.

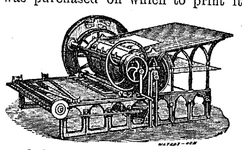
The control of the paper will remain in the hands of Mr. Hunt, who has so satisfactorily managed the editorial and business of the office for the last six months.

We have recommended to our successors the necessity of advancing the rates of subscription to $2.00 per year. We should have advanced the subscription price if we had continued as proprietor of the paper. The high price of paper and labor is a sufficient reason for pursuing this course. We also recommend to the friends of the paper the necessity of advance payments, and a more liberal support.

All contracts for subscription and advertising will be completed as though no change had taken place.

J. S. ROBINSON.

In July, 1866, the *Republican* was placed in an entire new dress, and a marked departure in the country newspaper business was made in discarding the use of all black-faced type and cuts in advertisements. In January of 1868 the paper was enlarged to a thirty-two-column sheet, and a Campbell power press was purchased on which to print it. This was



the first press of the kind purchased in this section of the State. In January, 1869, a half-interest was sold to A. W. Miller, then late of the *Tiffin Tribune*, who, on assuming his post of duty, addressed the readers of the *Republican* as follows:—

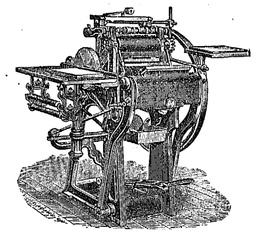
SALUTATORY.

IN entering upon the labors connected with the press it becomes my duty, at least by custom, to say a word in this connection. In coming among the good people of Hardin County, I do so with no little embarrassment. Where older and more experienced minds have directed the political tastes of the people for so long, I shall not seek to rush foremost into the arena, but content myself with being among those who follow after. The *Republican* has long been conducted with credit and ability, and is a journal of which the Republican party of Hardin County may well be proud. In bringing my humble efforts to its support, I am not unmindful of the responsibility incurred, and hope that our readers will bear with me while I endeavor faithfully to serve them, and should I occasionally stray aside from the most direct course, while battling with the enemies of truth and humanity, I trust that the cause for which I fight may smooth down the rough places that may be found in the manner of my warfare. It shall be my constant endeavor at all times to further the interests of the party and the people, and to promote the principles of Republicanism and good government, believing that "the greatest good to the greatest number" can only be attained in the most economical and democratic administration of our national and local governments.

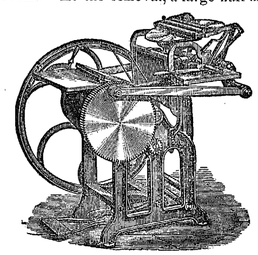
Hoping that our relations with the readers of the *Republican* may be pleasant and lasting, I beg leave to subscribe myself,

Very respectfully,
A. W. MILLER.

On the expiration of the volume for 1869 I purchased Mr. L. T. Hunt's interest, and enlarged the paper to thirty-six columns. Considerable new machinery was added to the office, including a fine new nonpareil jobber of the latest pattern



During the subsequent years the use of heavy faces and large type and cuts was again brought into service, but the typographical appearance of the paper was closely kept in view and the interests of the *Republican* steadily advanced. On the first of April, 1878, the office was removed from the building it had so long occupied to the west rooms of Chesney's building, on Columbus Street, where three floors—basement, ground-floor, and second story—are at present occupied respectively as press-room, counting-room and sales-room, and composing-rooms. At the removal, a large half-medium Gor-



don jobber was purchased, together with a Eureka four-horse power engine—the first to drive a printing press in the city—



and shafting and pulleys and elevators completed the outfit for the new location, the whole arrangement making one of the most complete country offices in this portion of the State. The *Republican* is now in its 33d volume, and during the whole time has been under the control of the three proprietors—Gen. Robinson, L. T. Hunt, Esq., and A. W. Miller. In 1878, for the first time, the project of issuing weekly supplements during the winter months was instituted, and has added greatly to the amount of reading matter furnished, and to the general value of the paper. During the past year the subscription list of the *Republican* has largely increased, and neither time nor means is being spared to make it a useful and welcome visitor to all. Wishing its present and prospective patrons all long and prosperous lives, we beg leave to confide to them, and to the good people of Hardin County, these few items of press history for future reference.

Very respectfully,
A. W. MILLER.

KENTON, OHIO, May 26, 1879.

MAP OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

BY H.F. WALLING.

1879

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BRITISH COLUMBIA

ASSINIBOIA

SASKATCHAWAN

SWAMPY

RAINY LAKE

MOOSE

ABBITIBBE

CANADA

NEW BRUNSWICK

NOVA SCOTIA

WASHINGTON TERRITORY

OREGON

IDAHO

MONTANA

DAKOTA

MINNESOTA

WISCONSIN

MICHIGAN

NEW YORK

VERMONT

NEW HAMPSHIRE

MAINE

WYOMING

NEBRASKA

IOWA

ILLINOIS

INDIANA

OHIO

PENNSYLVANIA

NEVADA

UTAH

COLORADO

KANSAS

MISSOURI

KENTUCKY

WEST VIRGINIA

VIRGINIA

TENNESSEE

NORTH CAROLINA

SOUTH CAROLINA

GEORGIA

ALABAMA

MISSISSIPPI

LOUISIANA

FLORIDA

NEW MEXICO TERRY

ARIZONA

MEXICO

LOWER CALIFORNIA

TEXAS

MEXICO

GULF OF MEXICO

ATLANTIC OCEAN

PACIFIC OCEAN

Blackfeet Indians

Prairie Portage

Manitoba No.

Lake of the Woods

Lake Superior

Lake Michigan

Lake Huron

Lake Ontario

Lake Erie

Lake Winnipeg

Lake Manitoba

Lake Pepin

Lake Winnebago

Lake Pontchartrain

Lake Champlain

Lake Okeechobee

Lake Maracaibo

Lake Mayran

Lake Parras

Lake Chapala

Lake Tequisquiapan

Lake Chalco

Lake Tezcuco

Lake Xochimilco

Lake Guzman

Lake Santa Maria

Lake Tres Palacios

Lake Jesus Maria

Lake Pabellon

Lake Encinillas

Lake Patos

Lake Tulare

Lake Buena Vista

Lake Kissimmee

Lake Tohopekaliga

Lake Istokpoga

Lake Hatchineha

Lake Jackson

Lake Miccosukee

Lake Iamonia

Lake Seminole

Lake Okefenokee

Lake Drummond

Lake Mattamuskeet

Lake Waccamaw

Lake Moultrie

Lake Marion

Lake Pontchartrain

Lake Borgne

Lake Maurepas

Lake Ponchartrain

Lake Sabine

Lake Calcasieu

Lake Charles

Lake Arthur

Lake Verret

Lake Chicot

Lake Providence

Lake Bistineau

Lake Bruin

Lake Concordia

Lake Washington

Lake Mary

Lake Dora

Lake Eustis

Lake Griffin

Lake Harris

Lake Apopka

Lake Monroe

Lake Jesup

Lake Winnemissett

Lake Munson

Lake Lafayette

Lake Iamonia

Lake Miccosukee

Lake Okefenokee

Lake Drummond

Lake Mattamuskeet

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Lake Lafayette

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NEW RAIL ROAD MAP OF THE STATE OF OHIO

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1879.

EXPLANATION.

Rail Roads - Completed.
Rail Roads - Proposed.
Canals.
County Towns. WEST UNION
R.R. Stations. Hanover
Towns not R.R. Stas. Aberdeen
Rail Road Names. IRON R.R.

SCALE OF MILES

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OUTLINE MAP OF HARDIN CO. OHIO.

Range 11 East

Range 12 East

Range 12 East

Township 3 South

Township 4 South

Township 5 South

Township 6 South

LIBERTY TP

WASHINGTON TP

BLANCHARD TP

JACKSON TP

CESSNA TP

MARION TP

PLEASANT TP

LYNN TP

ROUNDHEAD TP

TAYLOR CREEK TP

BIG CK TP

DUDLEY TP

LIBERTY TP

Ada

Dunkirk

N. Washington

Forest

Patterson

Blocktown

Maysville

Huntersville

Grant Station

KENTON

Roundhead

Yellowbud

Silverton

Grassy Point

Ridgway

Belle Center

Mt Victory

Marseilles

Hopewell

Salem Ch.

Scioto Marsh

Outlet of Marsh

Fort Wayne R.R.

Pittsburgh R.R.

Chicago R.R.

Cleveland C. C. & St. L. R.R.

Pan Handle R.R.

Toledo & Ohio Central R.R.

Wild Cat R.R.

Scioto River

Blanchard River

Little Blanchard River

Tymochtee Creek

Sandusky River

Silver Tree Creek

Taylor Creek

Belle Center Creek

Kenton Pike

Round-Head & Kenton Pike

Marseilles & Kenton Pike

Kenton & Millar Pike

Millar Grange Pike

Larue Pike

Belle Center & Northwood Pike

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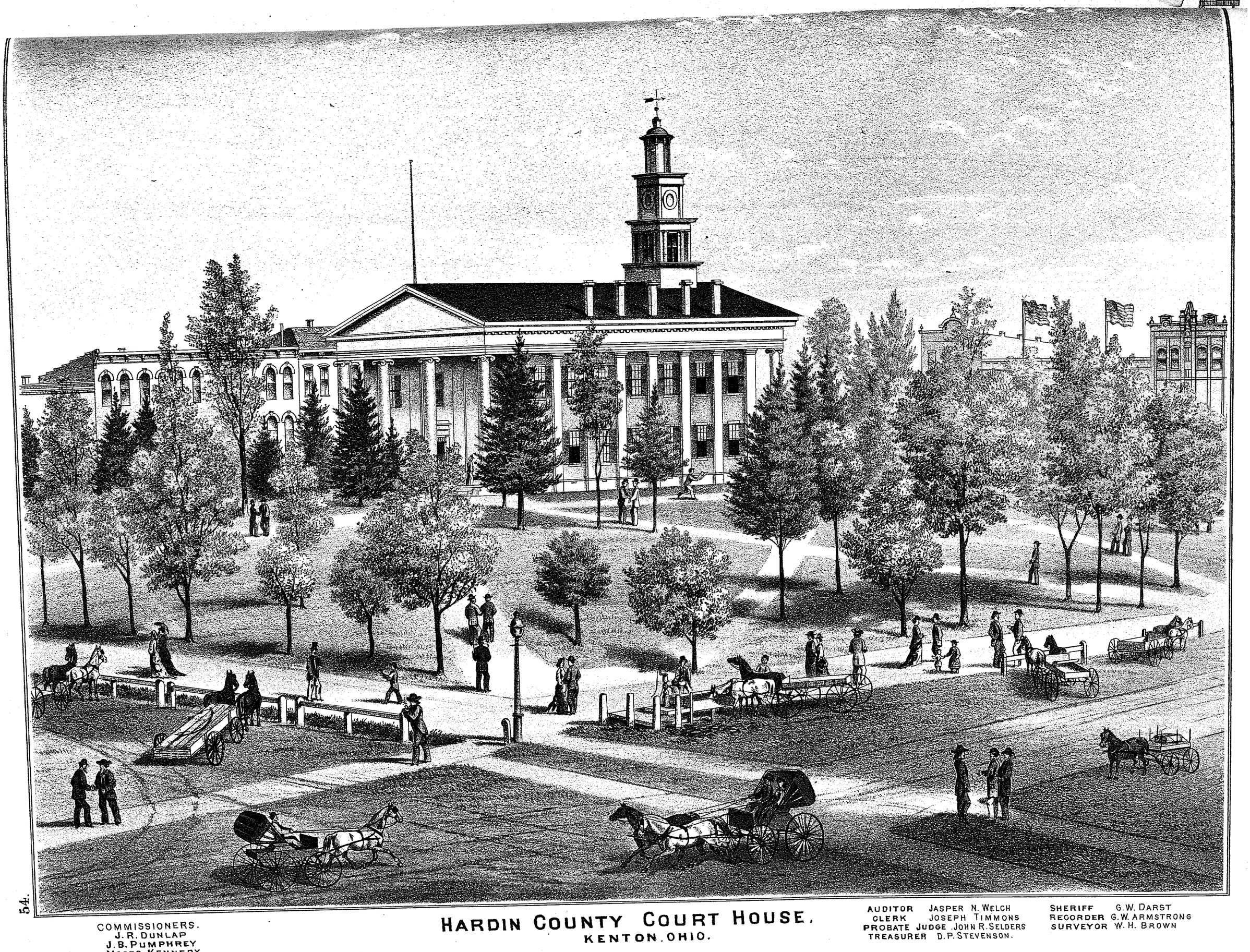
Union Co

Marion Co



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HARDIN COUNTY COURT HOUSE.

KENTON, OHIO.

COMMISSIONERS.
J. R. DUNLAP
J. B. PUMPHREY
MOSES KENNEDY

AUDITOR JASPER N. WELCH
CLERK JOSEPH TIMMONS
PROBATE JUDGE JOHN R. SELDERS
TREASURER D. P. STEVENSON.

SHERIFF G. W. DARST
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9. Davis & Gilhouse
10. Geo Leighton
11. Peter Corken
12. Jacob Bushe Sr.
13. Kirchner & Bros.
14. Geo Clara
15. H. M. Shingle
16. Waters & Campbell
17. Chas. Linke
18. F. Ruegler
19. M. Hiel
20. Joseph Paulucci
21. Henry Dickson
22. H. M. Shingle
23. Hardin Savings Bank
24. Thomas Espy
25. Fred Fogle
26. John Bloom
27. D. Reife
28. Paulucci & Crowley
29. C. C. Biddle
30. A. Dean
31. A. B. Johnson
32. U. Oerlach
33. D. P. Zearing
34. J. Forbing
35. H. Loefferts
36. Henry Price
37. C. Collier
38. Collier & Price
39. J. C. Stevens
40. J. Crowley
41. John Pfeiffer
42. White & Brown
43. Henry Nagle
44. Wm. Moore
45. Owens Bros. & Littleton
46. W. F. Damon
47. Dr. A. W. Munson
48. Jacob Haas
49. L. M. Strong
50. Wm. Dougherty
51. John Fink
52. Fred. Johns
53. D. Shofe
54. J. Linta
55. Dr. A. W. Munson
56. F. C. Dougherty
57. G. S. Williams
58. L. Merriman
59. A. Ritzler
60. B. Eglin
61. C. Harris
62. W. T. Cessna
63. P. J. Hart
64. Dr. A. W. Munson
65. Mrs. M. Cady
66. Lewis Merriman
67. Dr. J. Snodgrass
68. Dr. W. M. Chesney
69. Harvey Chapman
70. Enoch Merriman
71. Williams Heirs
72. Kenton Savings Bank
73. J. A. Shectala
74. Benj. Fink
75. G. R. Moore Sr.
76. Jacob Forbing
77. Dr. Wm. M. Chesney
78. H. & F. S. Letson
79. Chesney, Letson & Brunson

Patterson 2.48 a.
H. A. Furlong
4.97 a.
4.97 a.
4.76 a.
Fink Heirs 20 a.
2.44 a.
A. Trager
D. Goodin
LINCOLN
TRAGER'S ADD.
Wm. S. Pugh 2.44 a.
J. N. McCoy 4.95 a.
4.96 a.
D. Goodin 4.85 a.
J. C. Miller 2.44 a.
CARY'S WESTERN ADD.
3P. WARD
Jacob Kohler
Spring 2½ a.
Mrs. Kreger 2.47 a.
WM C
2.47 a.
J. Kohler 2.58 a.
Y. 62 a.
Y. 62 a.
1.15
1.15
7.15
7.15
7.15
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7.15
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2.75
L. Merriman
31
Mary Goodin
CARY
OAK
GROVE
WEST
ST.
CENTER
VINE
NORTH
CARROLL
COLUMBIA
FRANKLIN
H. G. Johnson
Thos. Espy
D. P. Zearing
W. T. Cessna
Mrs. R. A. Barr
Mrs. L. J. Demarest
Mrs. M. L. Williams
3.36 a.
Joseph Wolf
Mrs. Mary Goodin
43 a.
JOHN GOODINS ADD
LIMA PIKE
Henry Smith
Curtis Wilkin
John Kaiser Sr.
Catherine Griner
WM. WICKOFF OUTLOTS
Mrs. Clara Gruver
Peter Johnson
11a.
L. M. Strong ADD.
JAMES EWING'S ADD.
James Ewing
J. Kirchner
John Pfeiffer
Steve Mill
Brickyard
R. R. Co.
Kenton Mfg. Co.
E. Snow ADDS.
MOORES ADD.
WILLIAMS ADD.
IDA
Mrs. M. L. Williams
B. Hoffer
L. Merriman
Wm. Moore
John Evans
M. L. John Evans
Wm. Moore
Mary R. A. Lightner
M. E. Stewart
F. Stoner
E. K. Chavanne
G. W. Chavanne
Mrs. Espy
Thos. Espy
Kohler
Preston
Boseman
Patterson
Siegbert
Jones
Wolf
Looker
Mitchell
Smith
Rapp ADD.
Beem
Albanese
Partner
Newton
Dickson
Brinkhart
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Wood
Smith

NORTH PART OF KENTON

Scale 300 Feet to the Inch

D. P. Stevenson 5¼ a.

L. King 5¼ a.

Mrs. C. M. Lewis

Mrs. Mc. Cance 5 a.

J. Swartz 5.63 a.

D. P. Stevenson 20 a.

Richard Shortle 4.5 a.

4.84 a.

4.6 a.

J. A. Atkinson 5 a.

SUB. ADD. 5 a.

Samuel Mc. Kean 5.01 a.

R. D. Millar 5 a.

John Radner 5 a.

Geo R. Moore 5 a. 5 a.

Wm. Thomson's 6.7 a.

Dr. W. M. Chesney

CONRAD KAHLER ADD.

CHESNEY

ELIZA

JENNINGS

SUMMIT

Eliza Jennings

Wallace

W. S. Wallace

W. S. Wallace ADD.

JENNINGS ST.

ST.

Gen. J. S. Robinson

D. C. ROSS ADD.

JOHN PEPPERS ADD.

W. H. MILLAR'S ADD. to Jacob Decker

LEWIS OWENS ADD.

GEO SALZMANN'S ADD.

JOHN & ULRICH BLOOMS ADD

HENRY HISEL ADD.

J. H. HOUSER'S EASTERN ADD.

U. Gerlach J. H. HOUSER'S EASTERN ADD.

HENRY LEOFFERT'S ADD.

H. Leofferts 5 a.

2D WARD

Wm. Kaiser 5a.

H. Leofferts 43.4 a.

2⅛ a.

Brick Yard

Saml. Mc. Kean 9 a.

Geo Resch 3 a.

J. Cook 4 a.

C. Cook 9 a.

Mrs. M. Leofferts 4 a.

Samuel Gilmore 28.5 a.

MARSEILLES PIKE

BROADWAY

CHAS. BRUMM'S ADD.

GEO RESH'S ADD.

A. W. JENKINS ADD.

SAMUEL MENTZER ADD.

GARY'S ADD.

J. HOUSER'S ADD.

J. & W. Pool

Wm. Thomsons Add.

John Peabody

ORIGINAL PLAT OF KENTON

COURT HOUSE

R. R.

C. H. & D.

Geo R. Moore

Geo. Merriman

H. Kaiser

Geo

Mrs. Mc. Cance

Jos. Finny Brown

Swartz

Wallace

J. W. Brown

J. D. Littleton

P. Reid

F. Ward

O. E. Rhodes

Brumm

Stevenson

Gen. J. S. Robinson

Gen'l. D. Thomson

Geo R. Moore

Geo Salzmann

Brick Yard

Saml. Mc. Kean

Geo Resch

J. Cook

C. Cook

Mrs. M. Leofferts

Wm. Thomsons Add.

J. & W. Pool

John Peabody

MARSEILLES PIKE

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CHAS. BRUMM'S ADD.

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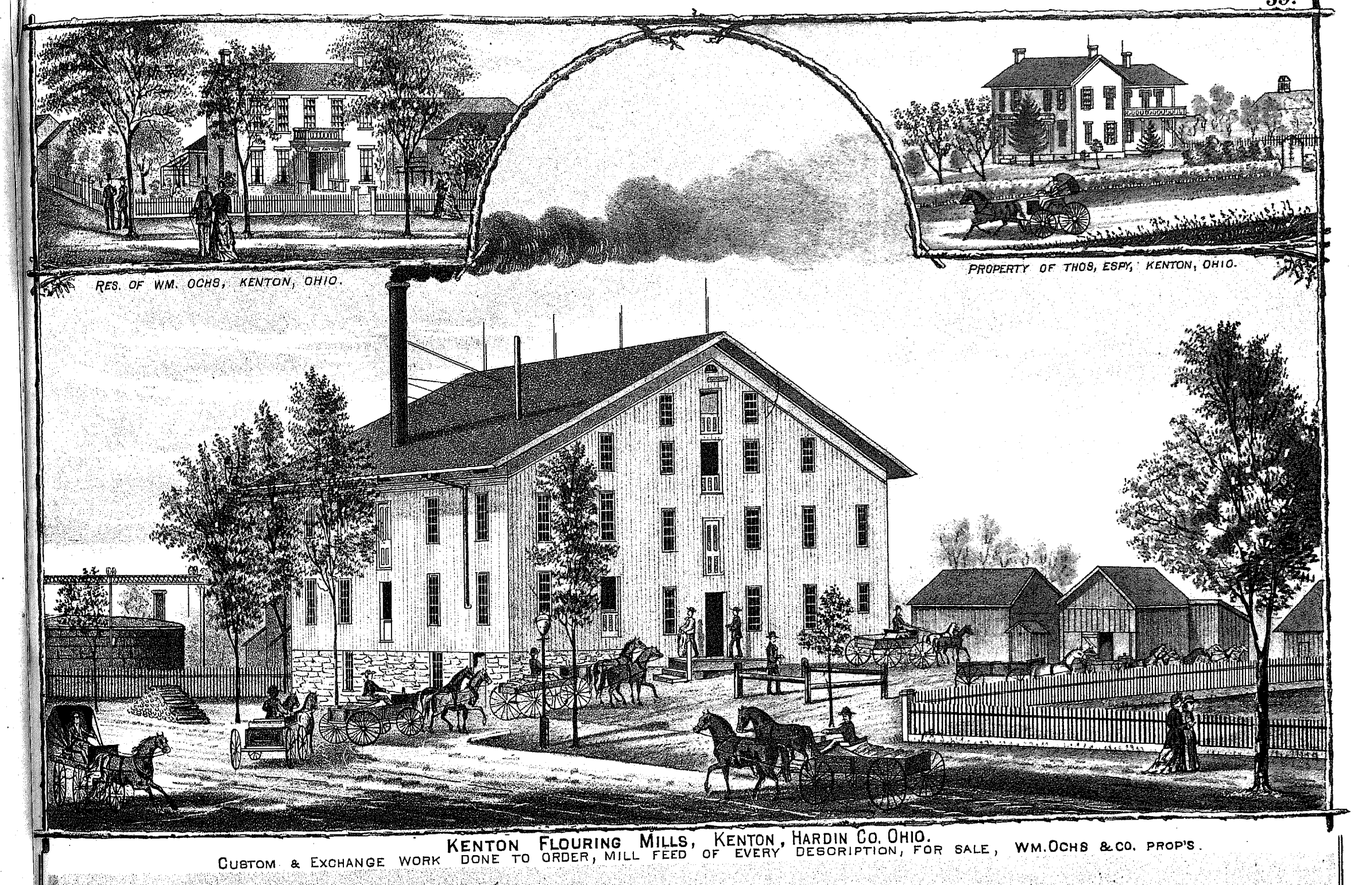
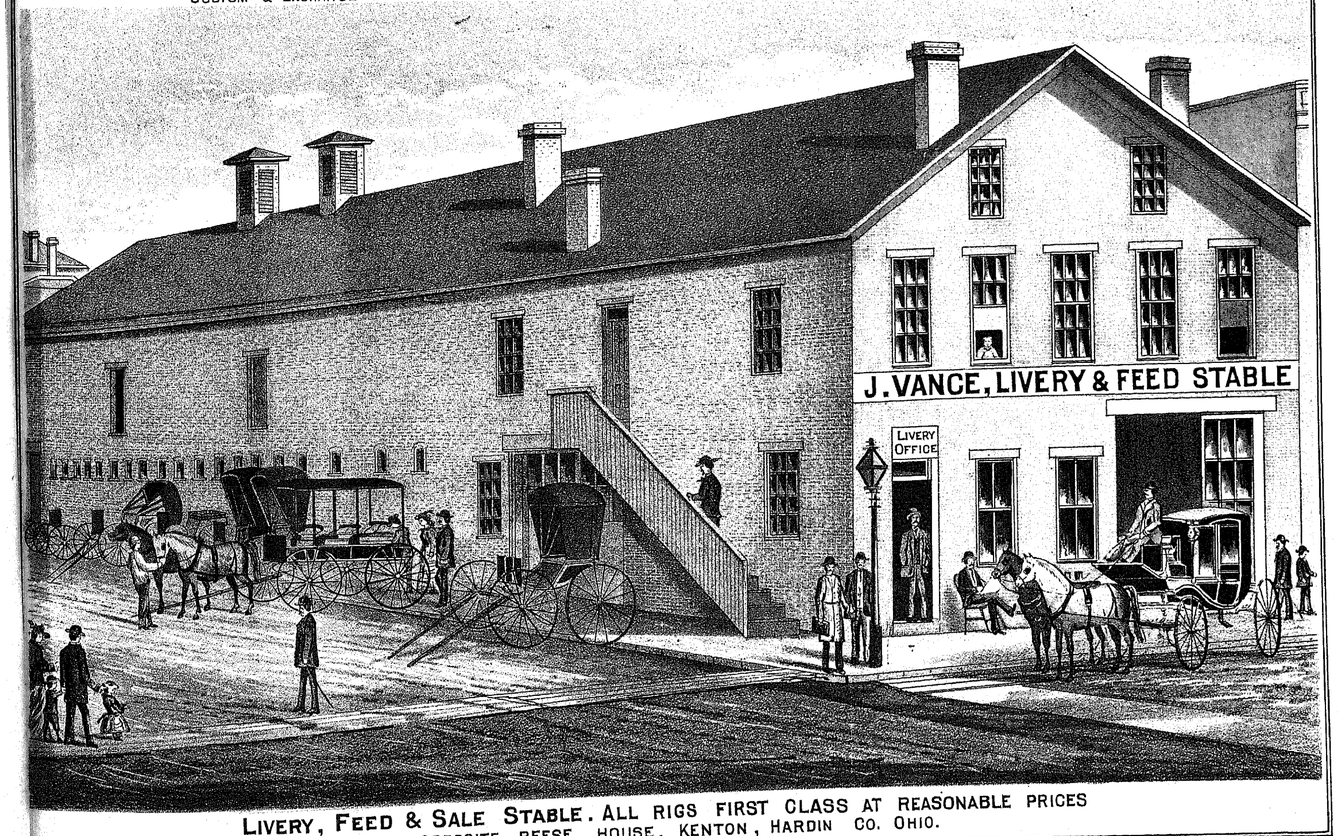
ORIGINAL PLAT OF KENTON

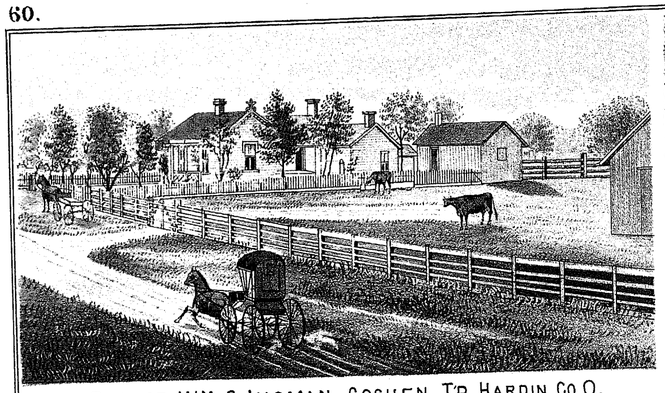
COURT HOUSE



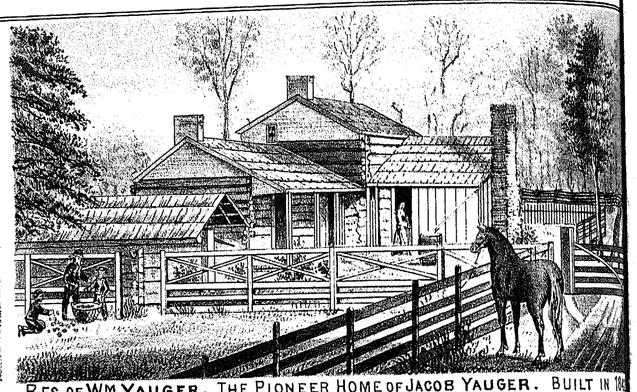
KENTON FLOURING MILLS, KENTON, HARDIN CO. OHIO.
CUSTOM & EXCHANGE WORK DONE TO ORDER, MILL FEED OF EVERY DESCRIPTION, FOR SALE, WM. OCHS & CO. PROP'S.



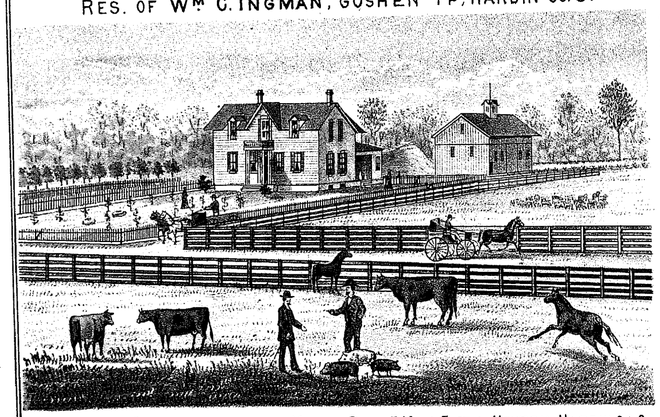
LIVERY, FEED & SALE STABLE. ALL RIGS FIRST CLASS AT REASONABLE PRICES
OPPOSITE REESE HOUSE, KENTON, HARDIN CO. OHIO.



RES. OF Wm C. INGMAN, GOSHEN T'P, HARDIN CO. O.



RES. OF Wm YAUGER, THE PIONEER HOME OF JACOB YAUGER. BUILT IN 18[illegible]
GOSHEN T'P. HARDIN CO. OHIO.



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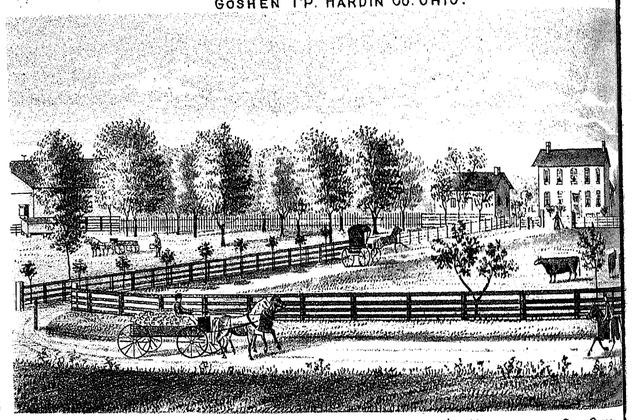

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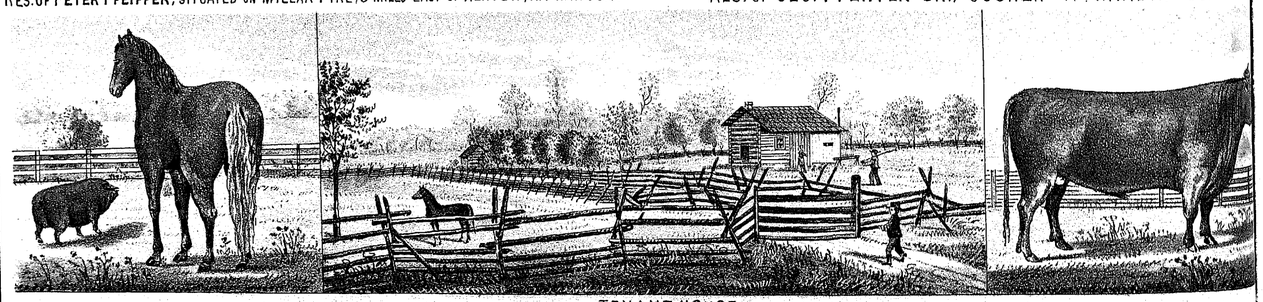
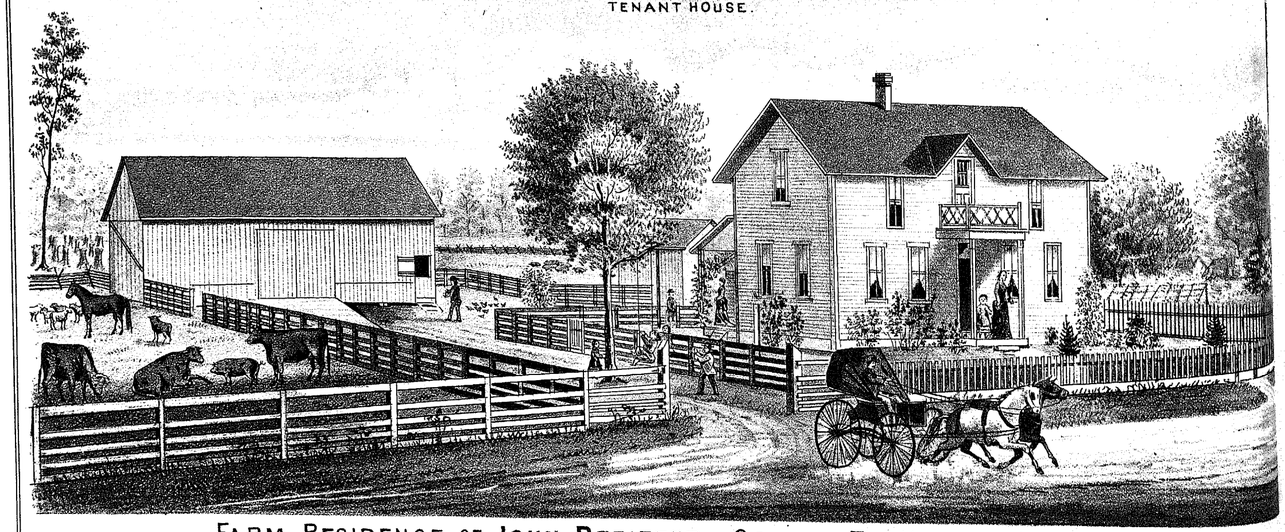


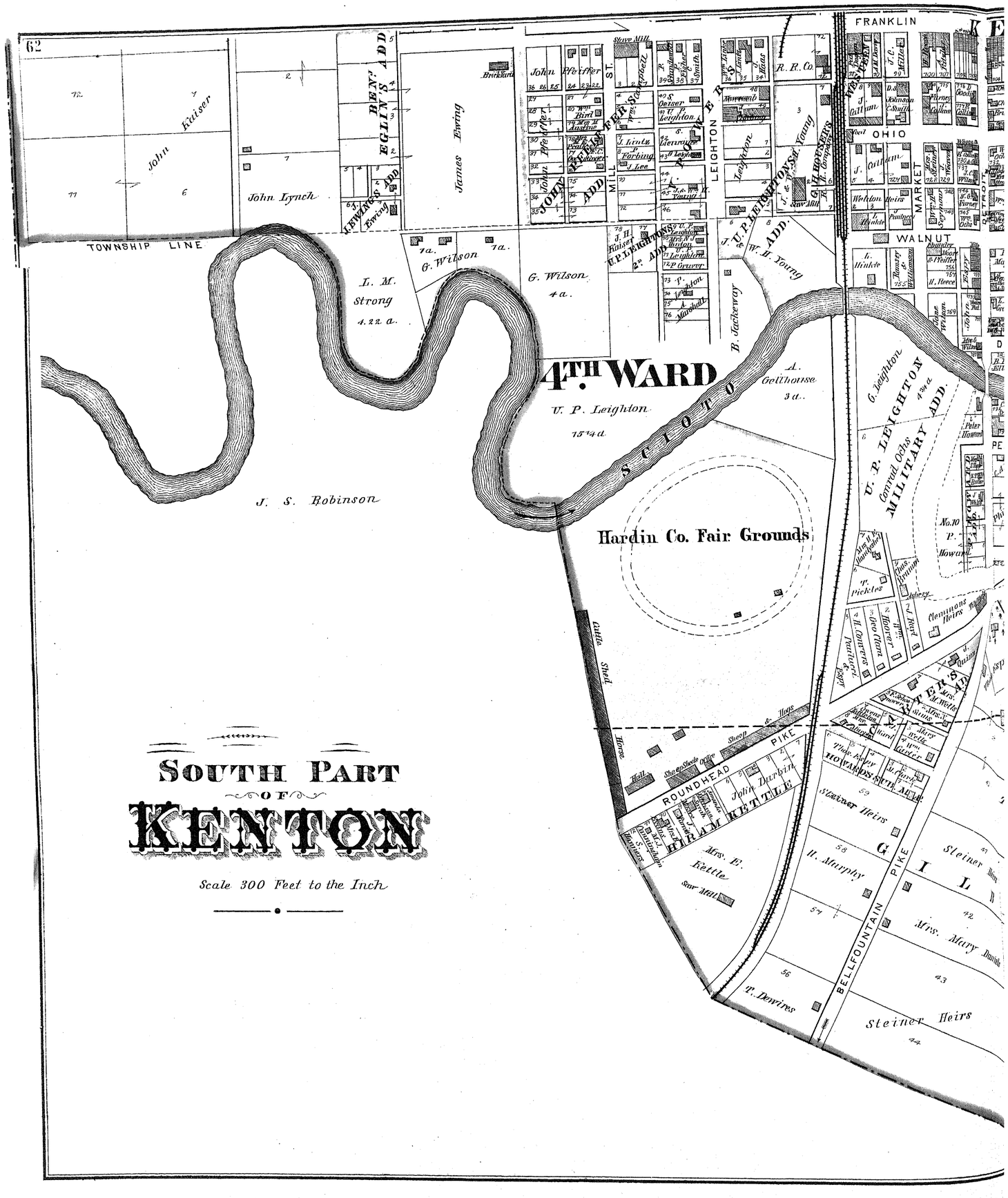
TENANT HOUSE.



FARM RESIDENCE OF **JOHN PFEIFFER**, GOSHEN T'P, HARDIN CO. OHIO.

SOUTH PART OF KENTON

Scale 300 Feet to the Inch



1ST WARD

W. King

MARION PIKE

CHICAGO & ATLANTIC RAILWAY

Henry Dickson

60½ a.

J. C. Stevens

R. L. Miller

J. & W. Pool

A. B. Johnson

Old Cemetery

Johnson & Weaver

16 a.

Thos. Espy

14.55a.

J. C. Stevens

Mrs. Allison

J. Brahurst

P. Castor

J. H. HOUSER'S ADD.

J. V. Miller

J. Fogle

J. H. HOUSER'S SUBDIVISION

FRED. FOGLE ADD.

EASTERLY ADD.

ADD. Burkhart

THOMSON

ADD. GRAPH

MAP

Rosa Burrer

Ann J. Miller

Mord. Baughman

C. Brians

P. Orpen

Paul Castor

Thos. Espy

M. Shingle

H. ADD

Williams

John Ault Jr.

1.87 a.

John Ault Sr.

2.01 a.

John Resch

2.02 a.

Wm. Ochs

1.96 a.

John Pfeiffer

1.96 a.

E. S. 76

2.73 a.

2.05 a.

2.19 a.

Rodgers & Wiite

Solomon Franer

ASHER LET SON'S ADD.

L. T. Hunt

J. N. Kettle

L. Owens

A. Ferguson

Asher Packing House

Ice House

Alex. Wiley

M. B. Walker

A. Letson

Reese Heirs

D. White

A. Schmeider

Mrs. E. J. Converse

Mrs. E. White

Thos.

Espy

Daniels

Mary

Wm. Ochs

Phillips

Max

May

Weston Shop

Frank Mills

Dr. Ochs

Ochs Bro's

Bank

Post Office

Engine House

Wagon Shop

Paul Castor

Wm. Sonnefeld

Jno. Schneider

M. Ries

T. F. Miller

L. Zugschwert

L. Springer

H. Shark

Thos. Parkinson

Thos. Bisby

B. F. Bliss

L. A. Grady

Mrs. F. Mueller

Edmund Deb

W. Hutchison

Pond

Bridge

DECATUR ST.

PERRY ST.

ESPY ST.

LYNN ST.

KETTLE ST.

ASHER ST.

RAILROAD ST.

MAIN ST.

WAYNE ST.

HIGH ST.

CHERRY ST.

DETROIT ST.

BARRON ST.

STEVENS ST.

DIXON ST.

HENRY ST.

SCIOTA ST.

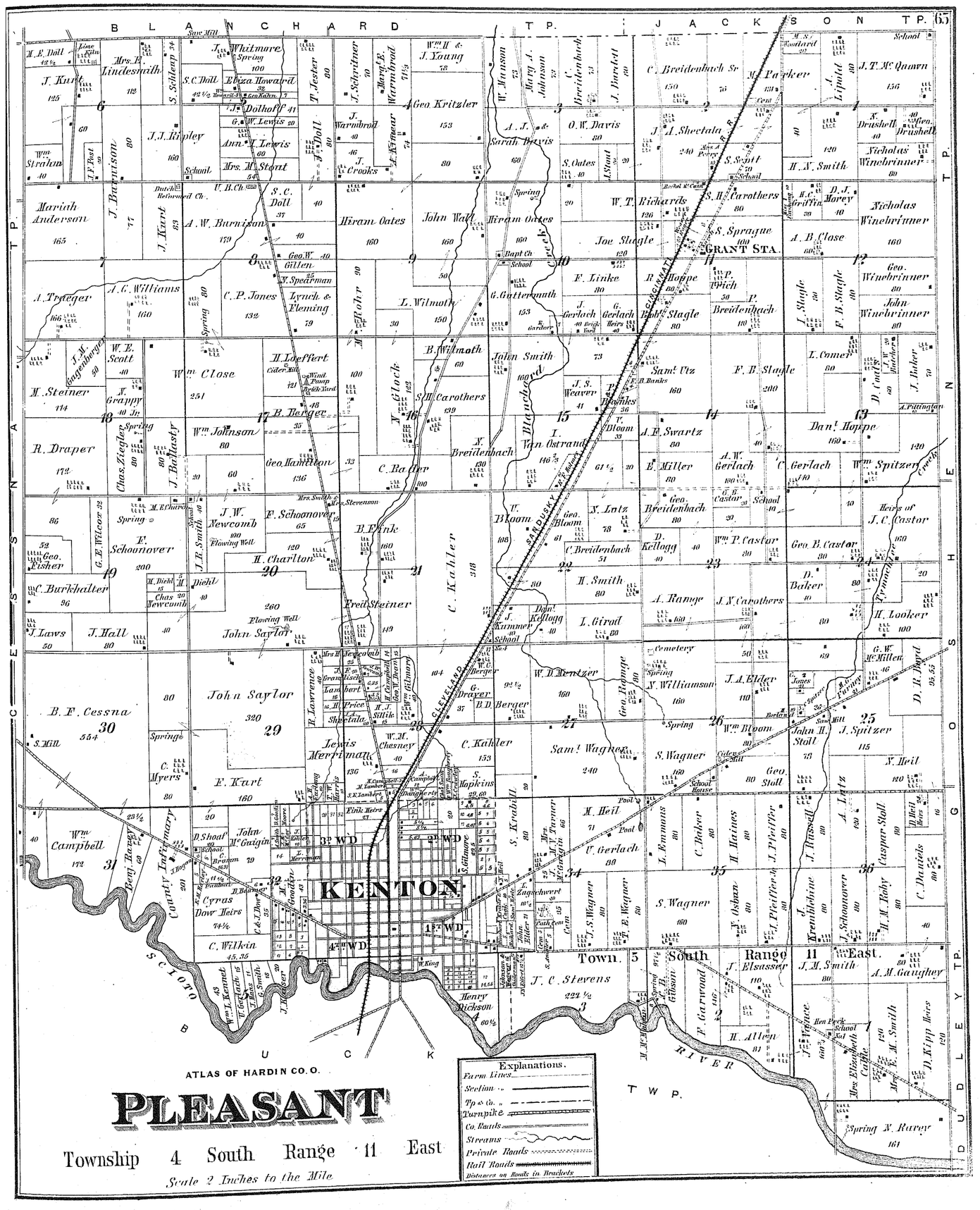
SOUTH MAIN ST.

SOUTH WAYNE ST.

MARYSVILLE PIKE

RIVER

DEER & SULLIVAN

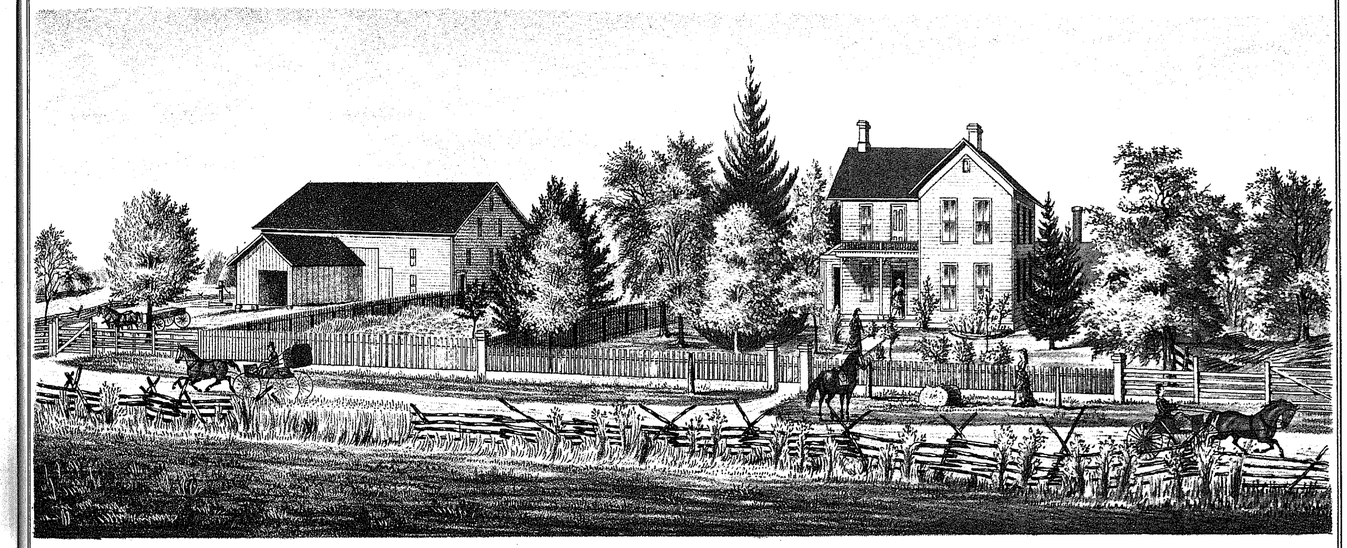


ATLAS OF HARDIN CO. O.

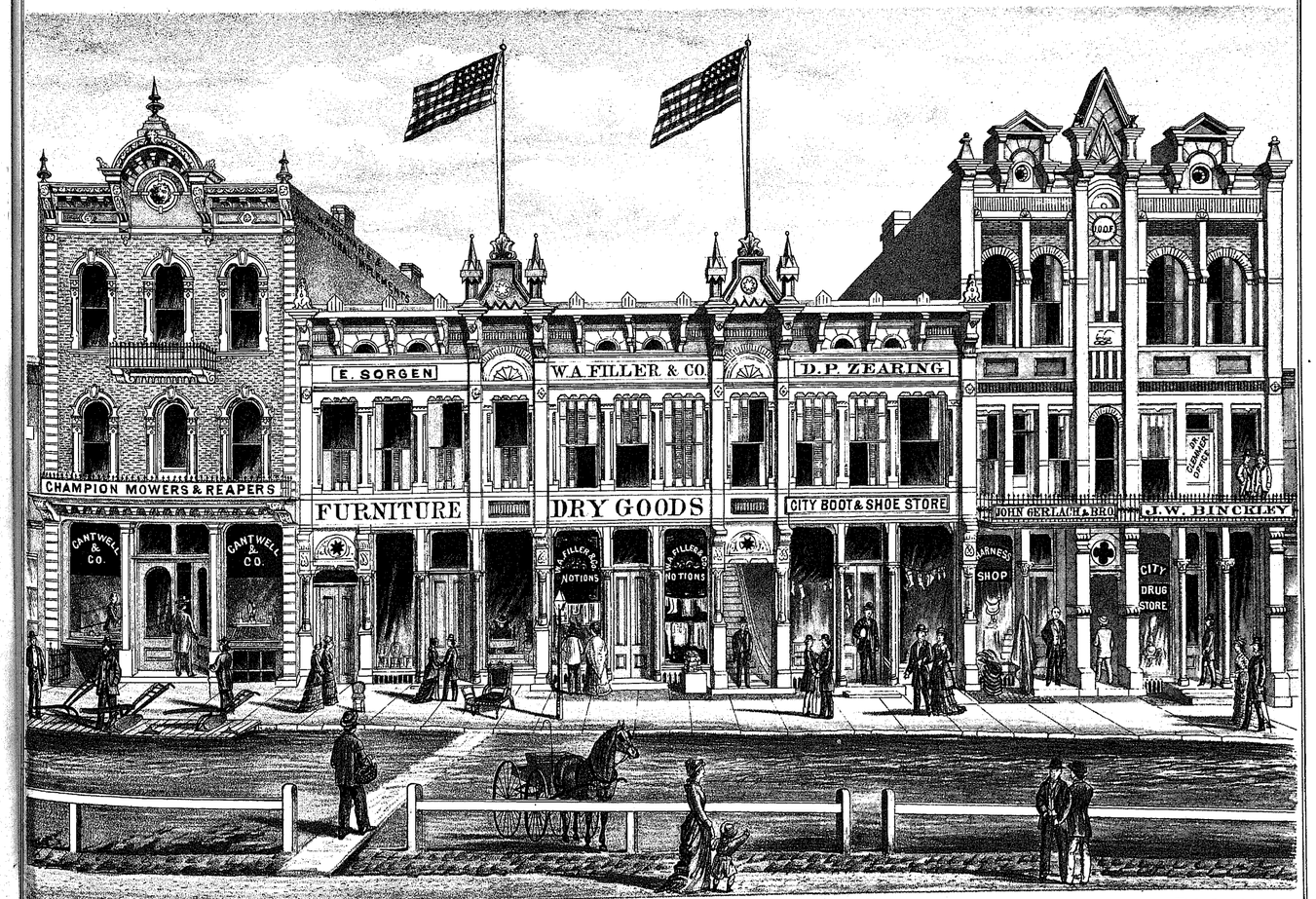
PLEASANT

Township 4 South Range 11 East

Scale 2 Inches to the Mile



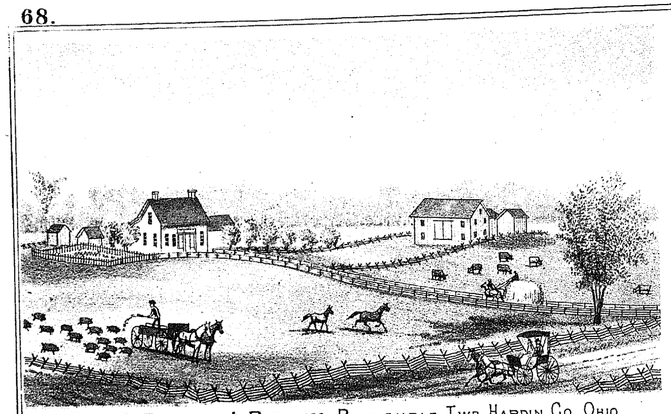
HOME OF REV. J.C. CASTOR'S HEIRS & RES. OF MRS. E.H. CASTOR, PLEASANT TP, HARDIN CO. OHIO.



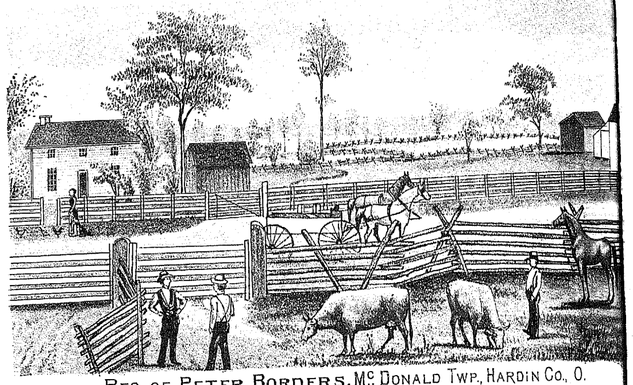
PRICE BLOCK.
ERECTED IN 1875 BY HENRY PRICE.
BUILT EXCLUSIVELY FOR HARDWARE TRADE.

CITY BLOCK, KENTON, O.
BUILT BY
HENRY LOEFFERT, JACOB FORBING & D.P. ZEARING
IN 1878 FROM PHILADELPHIA PA. PRESSED BRICK, FIRST USED IN THE COUNTY.

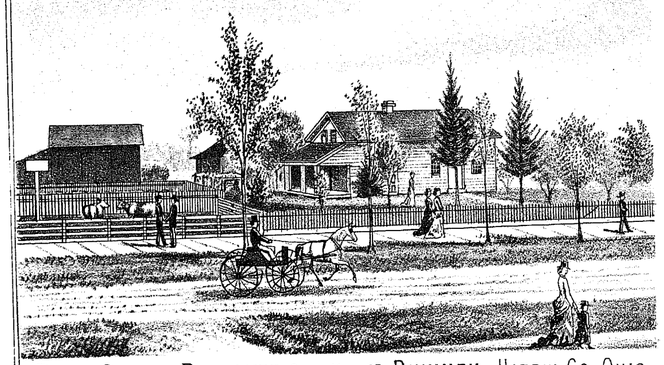
ODD FELLOWS BLOCK.
OWNED & BUILT BY A.B. JOHNSON & ULRICH GERLACH
ERECTED IN 1878.



RES. & FARM OF A. RIPLEY, ROUNDHEAD TWP., HARDIN CO., OHIO.



RES. OF PETER BORDERS, Mc DONALD TWP., HARDIN CO., O.
(ONE MILE FROM ROUNDHEAD ON BELLECENTER PIKE.)



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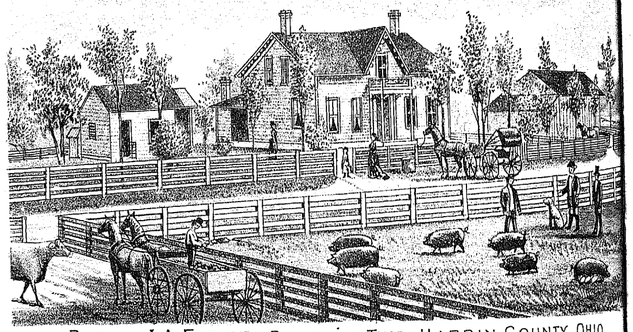
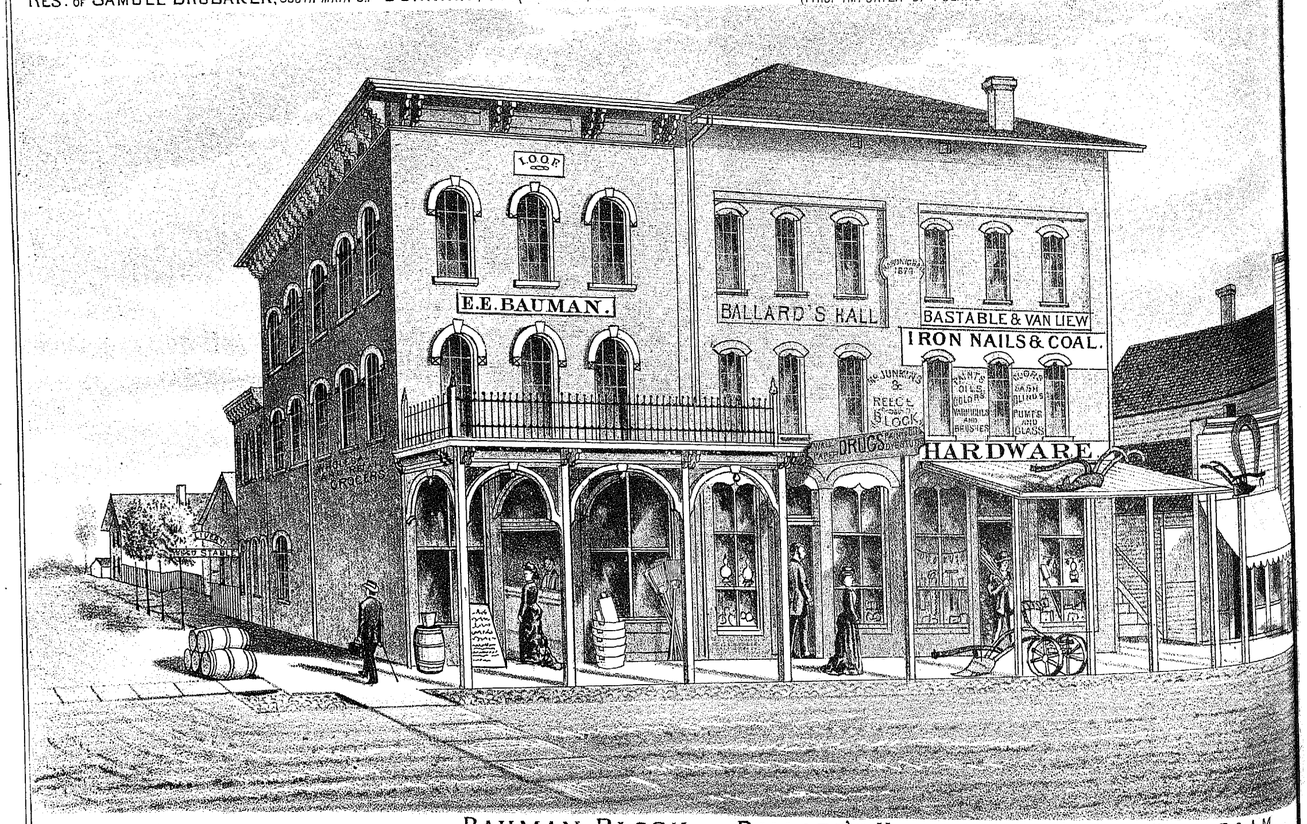


RES. OF J. A. ELDER, PLEASANT TWP., HARDIN COUNTY, OHIO.
(FIRST IMPORTER OF POLAND CHINA HOGS IN THE COUNTY.)



BAUMAN BLOCK, BALLARD'S HALL,
ADA, HARDIN CO., OHIO.

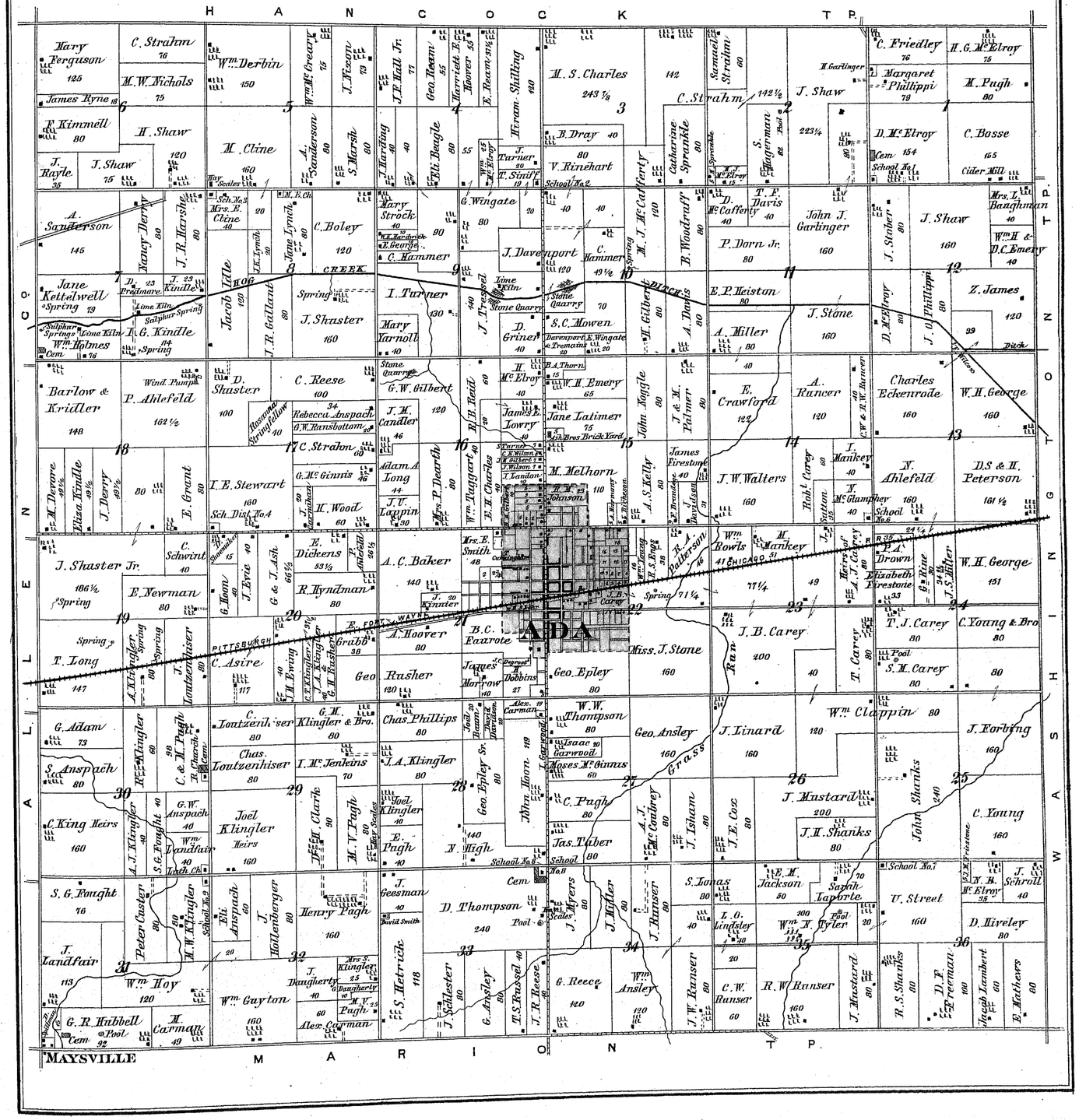
ADA LODGE No. 344, F. & A.M.
ADA CHAPTER No. 138, R.A.M.

ATLAS OF HARDIN CO. O.

LIBERTY

Scale 2 inches to the Mile

Township 3 South Range 9 East


HANCOCK TP.
ALLEN CO.
WASHINGTON TP.
MARION TP.
MAYSVILLE
ADA
PITTSBURGH, FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO R.R.
Mary Ferguson 125
C. Straton 76
M.W. Nichols 75
James Ryne 18
F. Kimmell 80
H. Shaw 120
J. Rayle 35
J. Shaw 75
Wm. Derbin 150
M. Cline 160
A. Sanderson 80
S. Marsh 80
J.F. Hall Jr. 77
Geo. Ream 55
Harriett F. Hoover 55
E. Ream's 31½
Heram Shilling 140
J. Harding 40
Eli Beagle 80
J. Turner 20
T. Siniff 19
M. S. Charles 243⅞
B. Dray 40
V. Rinehart 80
School No. 2
C. Strahm 142
Catherine Sprankle 80
Samuel Strahm 60
S. Hagerman 82
J. Shaw 223¼
H. Gartinger
C. Friedley 76
H.G. McElroy 75
Margaret Phillippi 79
M. Pugh 80
D. McElroy 154
C. Bosse 165
Cider Mill
A. Sanderson 145
Nancy Derr 80
J.R. Harshe 80
Jane Kettalwell 19
Spring
Sulphur Springs
Lime Kiln
Wm. Holmes
Cem.
D. Predmare 23
J. Kindle 23
G. Kindle 84
Jacob Idle 120
J.R. Gallant 80
Jane Lynch 80
J.K. Lynch 20
Sch. No. 3
Mrs. E. Cline 40
C. Boley 120
CREEK
Spring
J. Shaster 160
Mary Strock 40
E. George
C. Hammer 90
G. Wingate 80
J. Davenport 120
C. Hammer 49½
Stone Quarry
S.C. Mowen
Davenport & E. Wingate & Tremains 20
I. Turner 130
Mary Yarnell 40
J. Trussel 140
Lime Kiln
D. Griner 40
M. J. McCafferty 120
B. Woodruff 80
A. Davis 80
D. McCaffery 40
T. F. Davis 40
P. Dorn Jr. 80
John J. Garlinger 160
E. P. Heiston 80
A. Miller 80
J. Stone 160
J. Stober 80
J. Shaw 160
Mrs. L. Baughman 40
Wm. H. & D.C. Emery 40
D. McElroy 80
J. O. Phillippi 80
Z. James 120
39
Pitch
Barlow & Kridler 148
Wind Pump
P. Ahlefeld 162½
D. Shuster 100
C. Reese 100
Rosanne Springfellow 40
Rebecca Anspach 34
G.W. Ransbottom 40
Stone Quarry
G.W. Gilbert
J.M. Candler 46
120
H. McElroy 40
James E. Lowry 40
B.A. Thorn 15
W.H. Emery 65
Jane Latimer 75
Ash Bros Brick Yard
John Koggle 80
J. & M. Palmer 80
E. Crawford 122
A. Rancer 120
C.W. & R.W. Rancer
Charles Eckenrode 160
W.H. George 160
C. Strahm 60
G. McGinnis 46
Adam A. Long 44
J.U. Lappin 30
Wm. P. Dearth 80
Wm. Taggart 40
E.H. Charles 40
M. Melhorn 110
R.M. Johnson 23
A.S. Kelly 80
James Firestone 40
J.W. Walters 160
Robt Carey 60
Station
J. Mankey 40
Mc Glumphey 40
N. Ahlefeld 160
School No. 6
D.S & H. Peterson 161½
D. M. Derore 49½
Eliza Kindle 49½
J. Derry 49½
80
E. Grant 80
I.E. Stewart 160
Sch. Dist. No. 4
H. Wood 60
E. Dickens 53½
R. Hyndman 80
Ambush 26½
A.C. Baker 140
J. Kinder 20
Mrs. E. Smith 48
T. Cunningham
Spring
J. Shuster Jr. 186½
Spring
E. Newman 80
C. Schwint 40
Sch. No. 5
G. Hoon 40
J. Eyre 40
G & J. Ash 66½
Spring
T. Long 147
Spring
A. Klingler 60
Spring
J. Loutzenhiser 80
C. Asire 117
J.M. Ewing 40
G. Klingler & J.A. Klingler 40
G.W. Fraser & Co. 40
E. Grubb 38
Geo. Rusher 120
J. Hoover 80
B.C. Faurote 80
James Morrow 140
Dabbins 27
Geo. Epley 80
Miss. J. Stone 160
W.W. Thompson 80
Isaac 20
Garwood
Moses McGinnis 60
Geo. Ansley 160
J. Linard 160
Wm. Clappin 80
120
J. Earling 160
Wm. Bowls 41
Mankey 51
77¼
49
J.B. Carey 200
40
T. Carey 80
T.J. Carey 80
C. Young & Bro 80
S.M. Carey 80
Pool
Elizabeth Firestone 33
W.H. George 151
G. Adam 73
S. Anspach 80
C. King Heirs 160
A.J. Klingler 40
S.G. Fought 40
C. & M. Pugh
R. Church
Cem.
G.W. Anspach 40
Wm. Vandfair 40
Lodge
Chas. Loutzenhiser 80
I. Mc Jenkins 70
Joel Klingler Heirs 160
Joel Clark 90
M.V. Pugh 80
Mrs. Scales
G.M. Klingler & Bro. 80
Chas. Phillips 80
Jail
Board
Presbyterian
Alex. Carman
J.A. Klingler 80
Joel Klingler 40
E. Pugh 40
N. High 140
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S.G. Fought 76
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D. Thompson 240
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David Smith
J. Myers 80
J. Miller 80
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S. Jones 80
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G.R. Hubbell
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Cem
M. Carman 49
Spring
Sycamore
Spring
Lime Kiln
Sulphur Spring
Spring
Spring

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John Nogle 5a
N. Ahlefeld 5a.
H. Claybaugh
R M Johnson 23a.
E. Charles 40a
Harlow M. Gilbert 70a.
D. J. McElroy
H. Gilbert 3
2 Mrs Laura Ream
L. Daly 2a.
Chas. Landon
H.S. Shanon
Wm L. Burton
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FRANKLIN ST.
AHLEFELD ST.
A.W. Umbaugh
R. Arbutgot
S. Daly
E. Rueglers
G.W. Ickes
W. M. Whetsler
ADD.
J. Nelson
Sieb
Wm Trump
C. Hummer
J.P.P. Crouse
Ruegler
Dr S.H. Sturgeon
Wm Young
J.S. Hummer
D.A. Shuster
McElroy
Luth Ch.
C. Metheny
H. Zuesberger
P. Shrul
T. McElroy
J. Poland
F.H. Adam
C.F. Ries
K. Baker
D. Hively 4a
M. Melburn
A. Harmony 5a.
Richeson & Burton Tile Works 5a
L. Richeson
Mrs Elizabeth Smith
C. Perry 1a.
C. W. Gilbert 1½
John Oberlin 1a
Leggler Barlow & Co.
J. Grubb
Dr S.H. Sturgeon
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W.L. Reece ARBUTNOT ADD.
Mrs C. Heis
G. Bolzer
Strock
Mrs M. Strock
Tressel
Chandler
Stroud
P. Ahlefeld
High School
Mrs S. Rockhill
Rowland
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Irwin
J. T. Cunningham 7a
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E.E. Bauman
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E. Vickers
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Ridenour
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G. O. ST.
F.C. Castinger 4a.
J.R. Rowles 7a.
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J. Anspach
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Baptist Ch.
M. Jenkins
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Spear
EDWARD STWARD ADD
S. Curry
L. F. Stumm 72
STUMM ADD.
J. Wiggins
Stumm
G. O. Olmstead
P. Breen 2a
K.E. Shuster 3½a
Lepart Assoc.
Geo. Wilson
E. B. HIESTAND ADD.
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21 H.D. Ream
22 J. Dobbins
23 Reece & Black
24 J. Ream & Son
25 Mrs S. Elberson
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28 E.E. Bauman
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32 D. Haden
33 H. Wilson
34 H. Schindewolf
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Scale 2 inches to the Mile

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RIVER

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McDONALD

TAYLOR CREEK

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Mc Cay Run

JAS TAYLOR & THOS. DIX No 10053 - 716 2/3 — Daniel Gregg 545

G. S. 50 Williams

J. Bunn 100

A. Heisel 95

W. H. H. Wagner 115

CHAS. PORTERFIELD No 10054 750 A

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V. Bivarious 56

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J. Miller 48 — G. F. Gardner 50 — 389

C. WALLACE No 13433 — J. Gardner 47 — H. McCormick 47 — J. W. Flynn 60

R. Knotts 35 — J. Maxwell 25 — S. H. SAUNDERS No 13878-148 A. — Wm. M. Thomas Jed.

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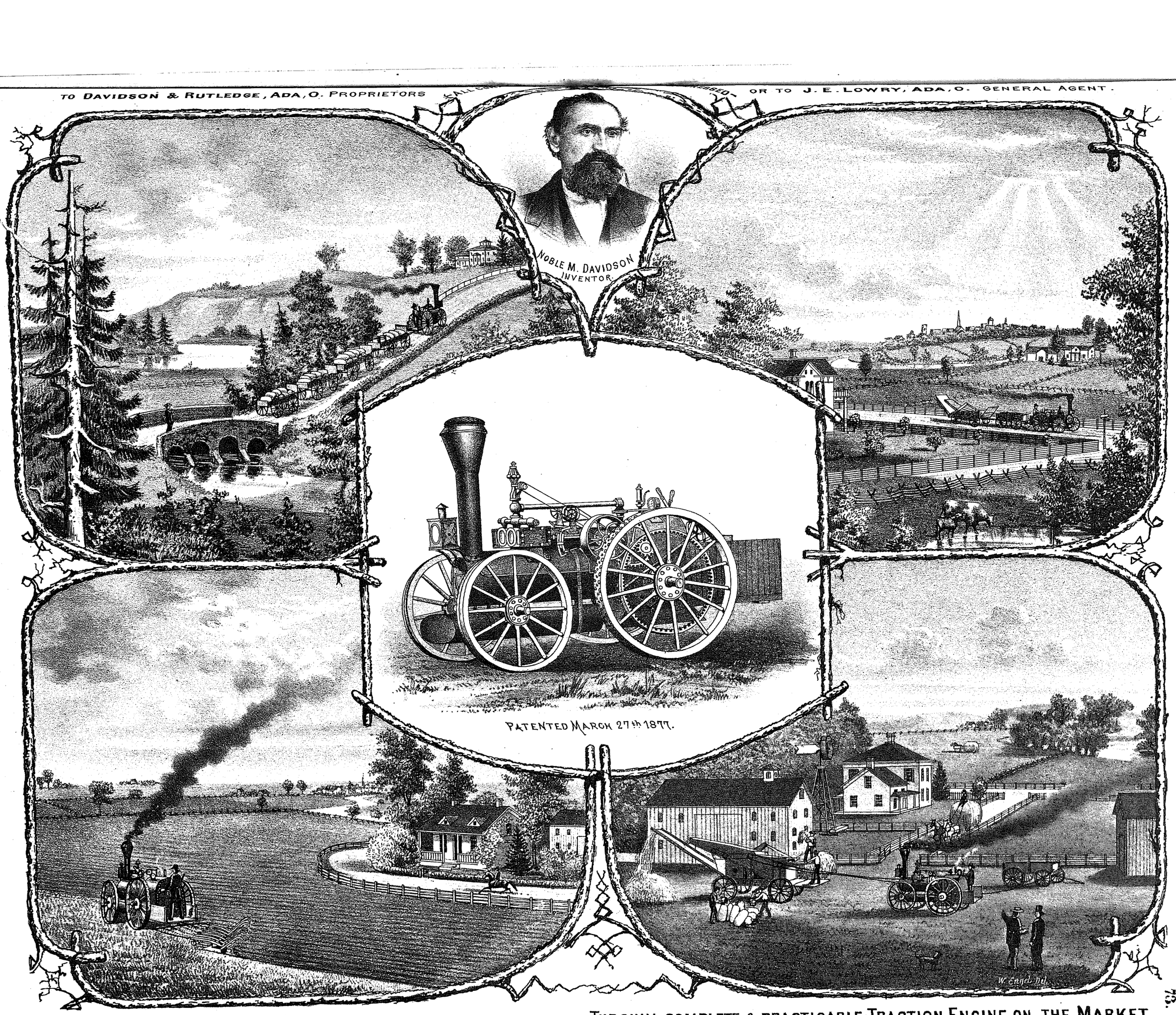

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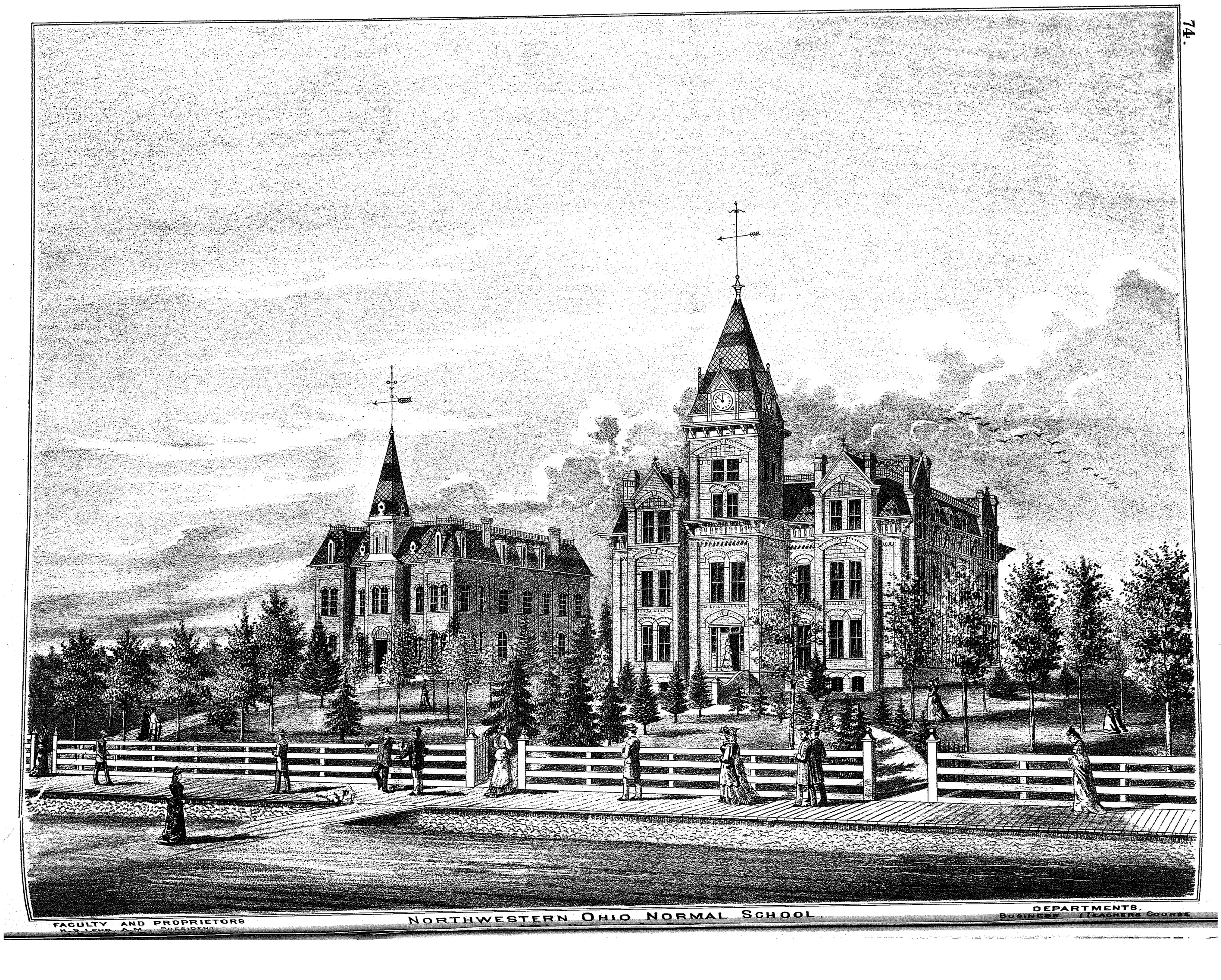

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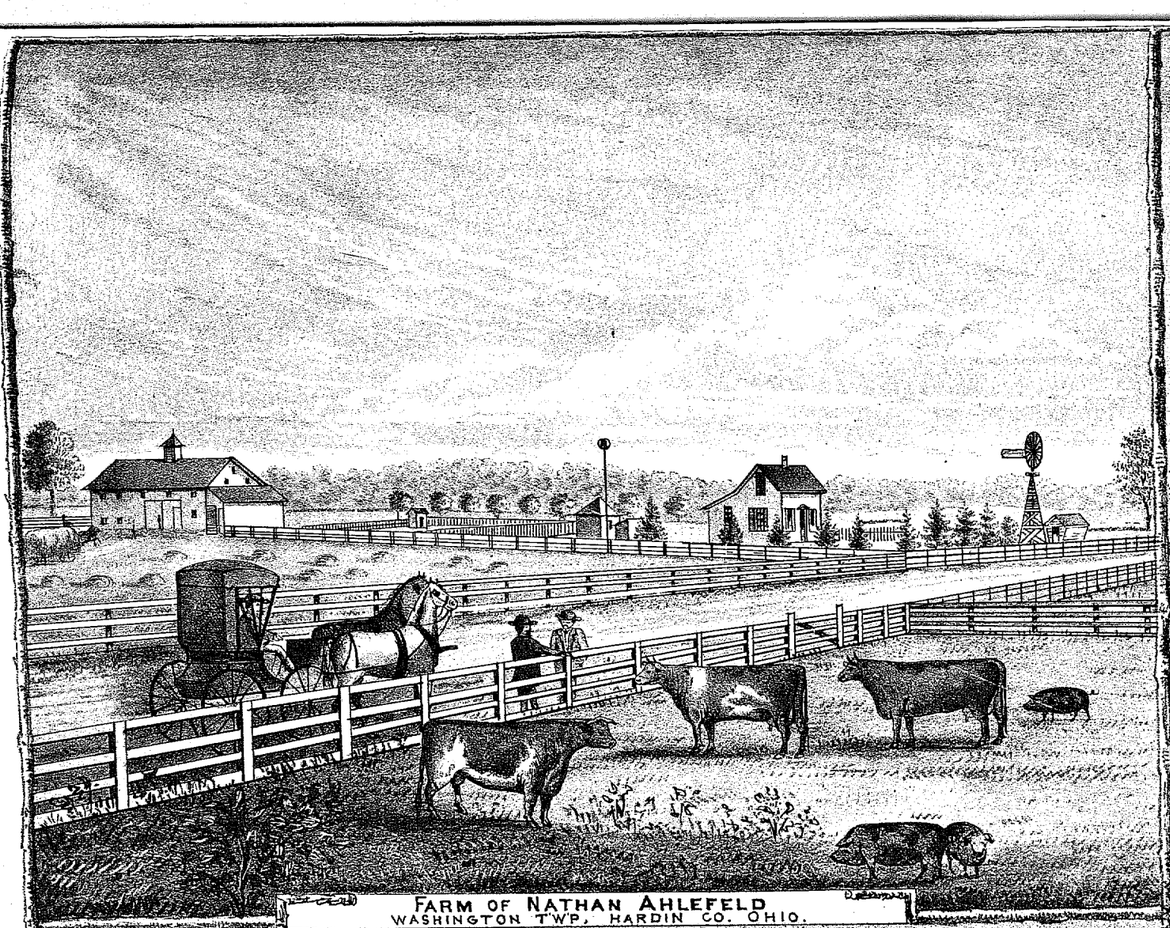

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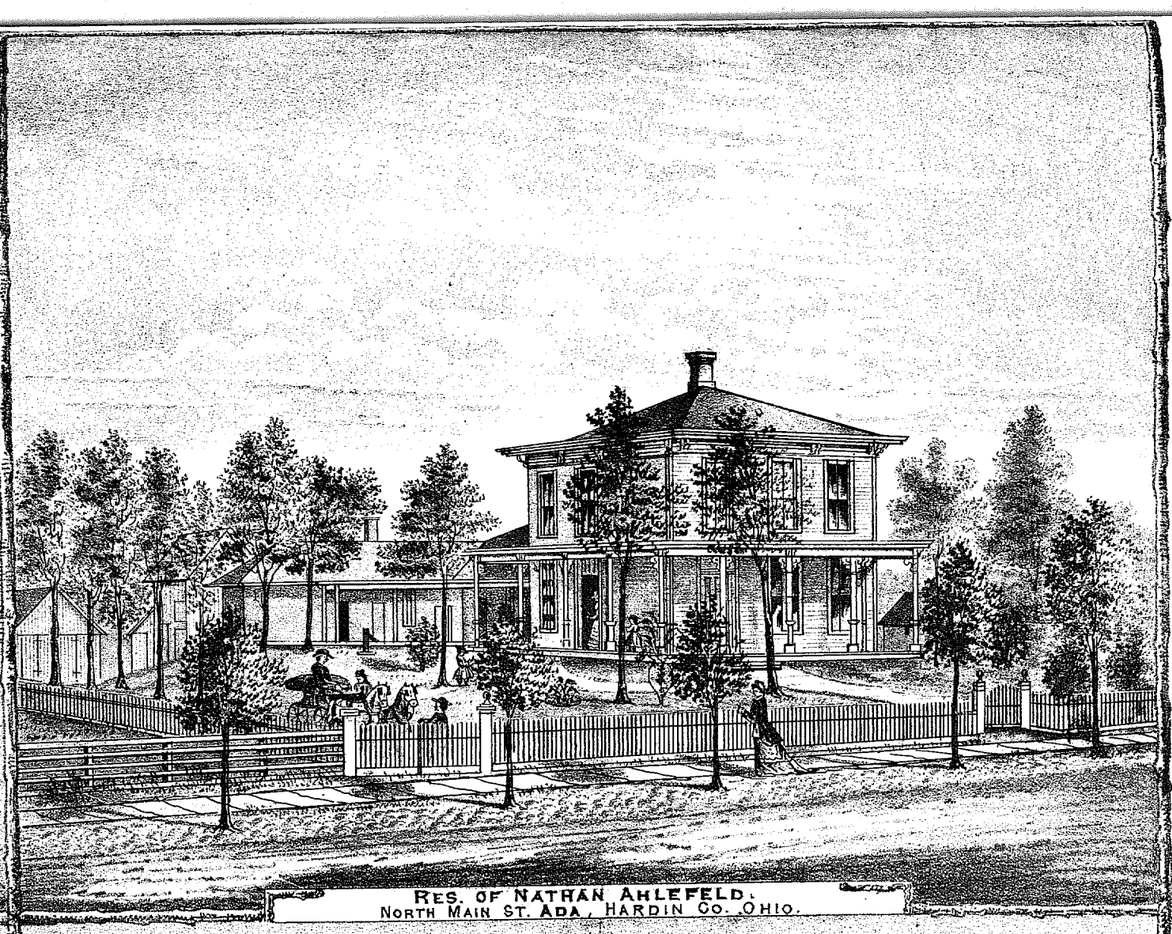

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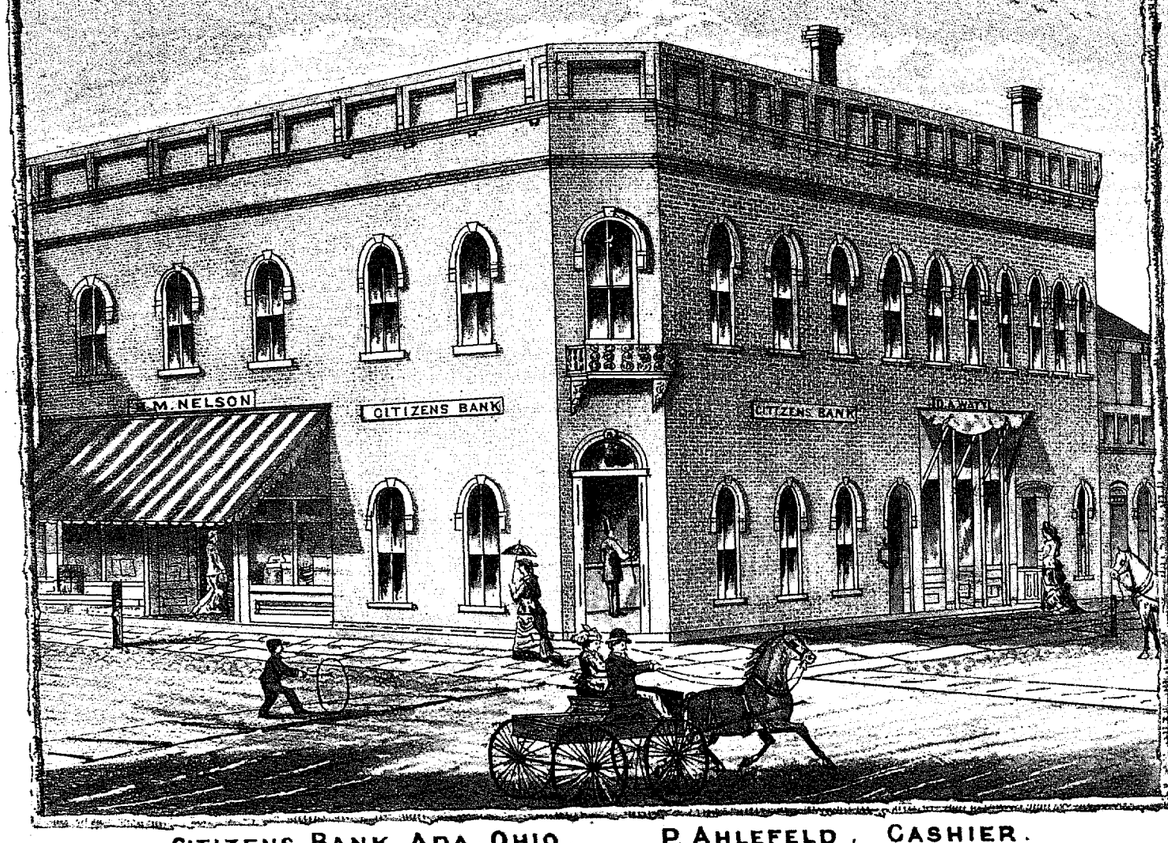

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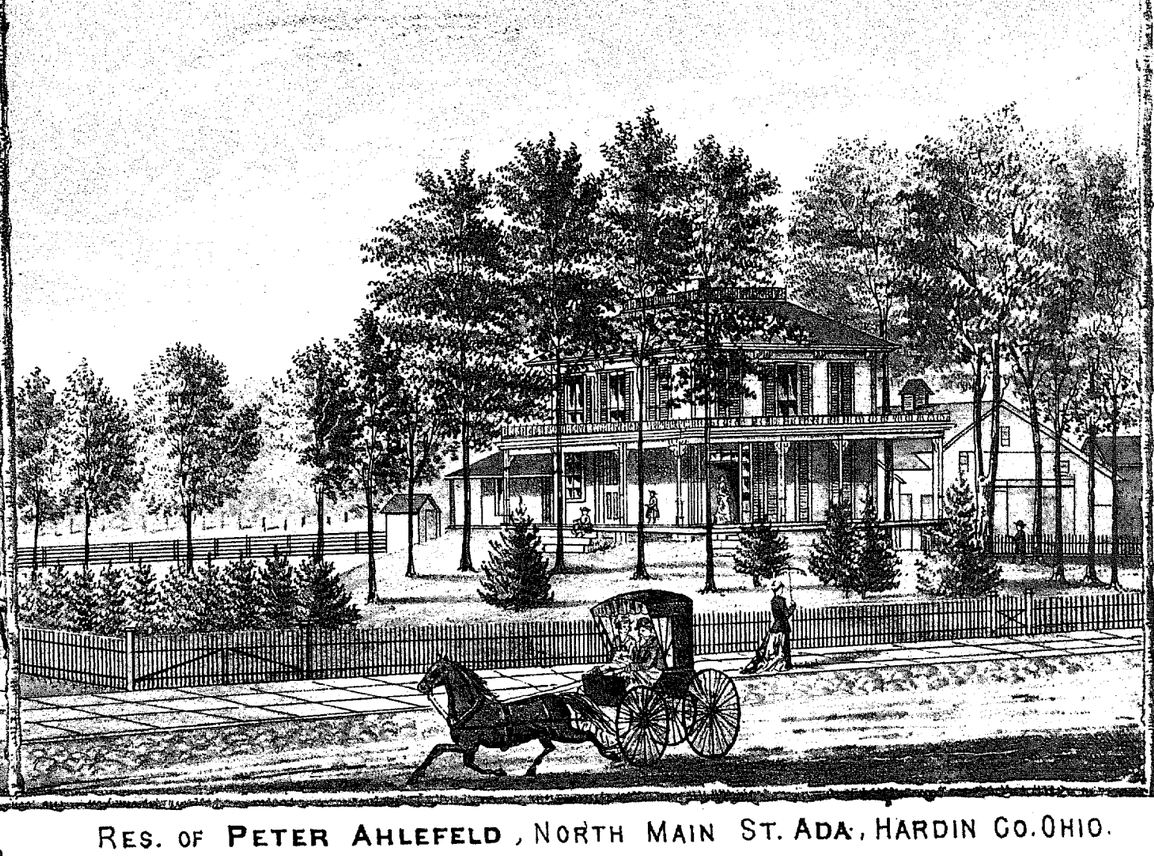

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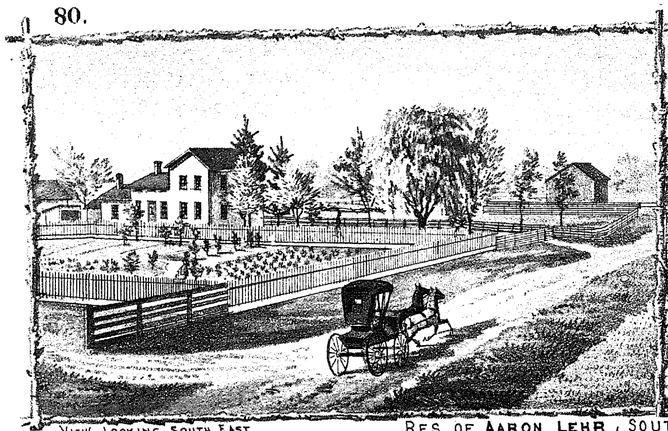

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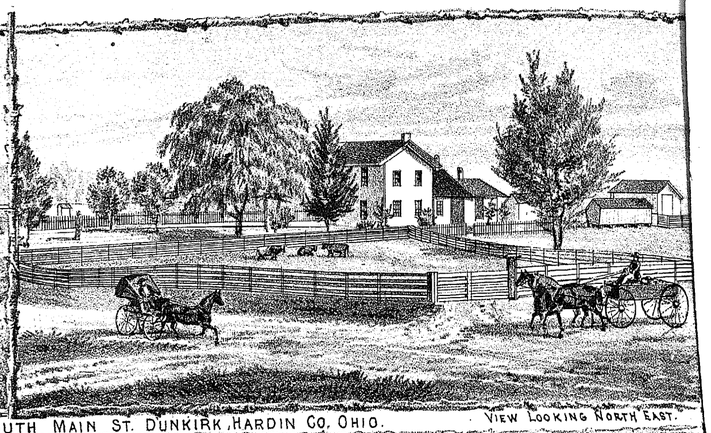

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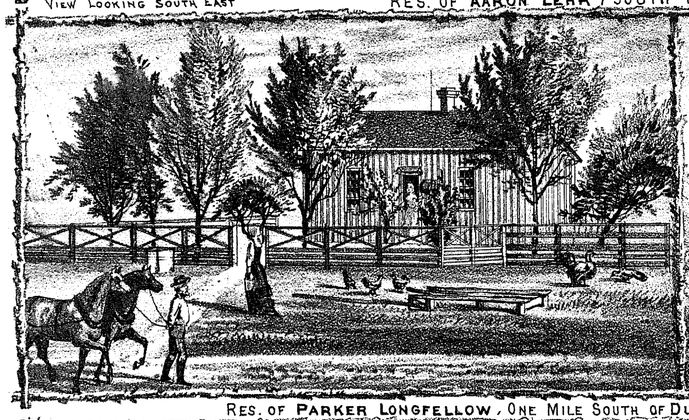



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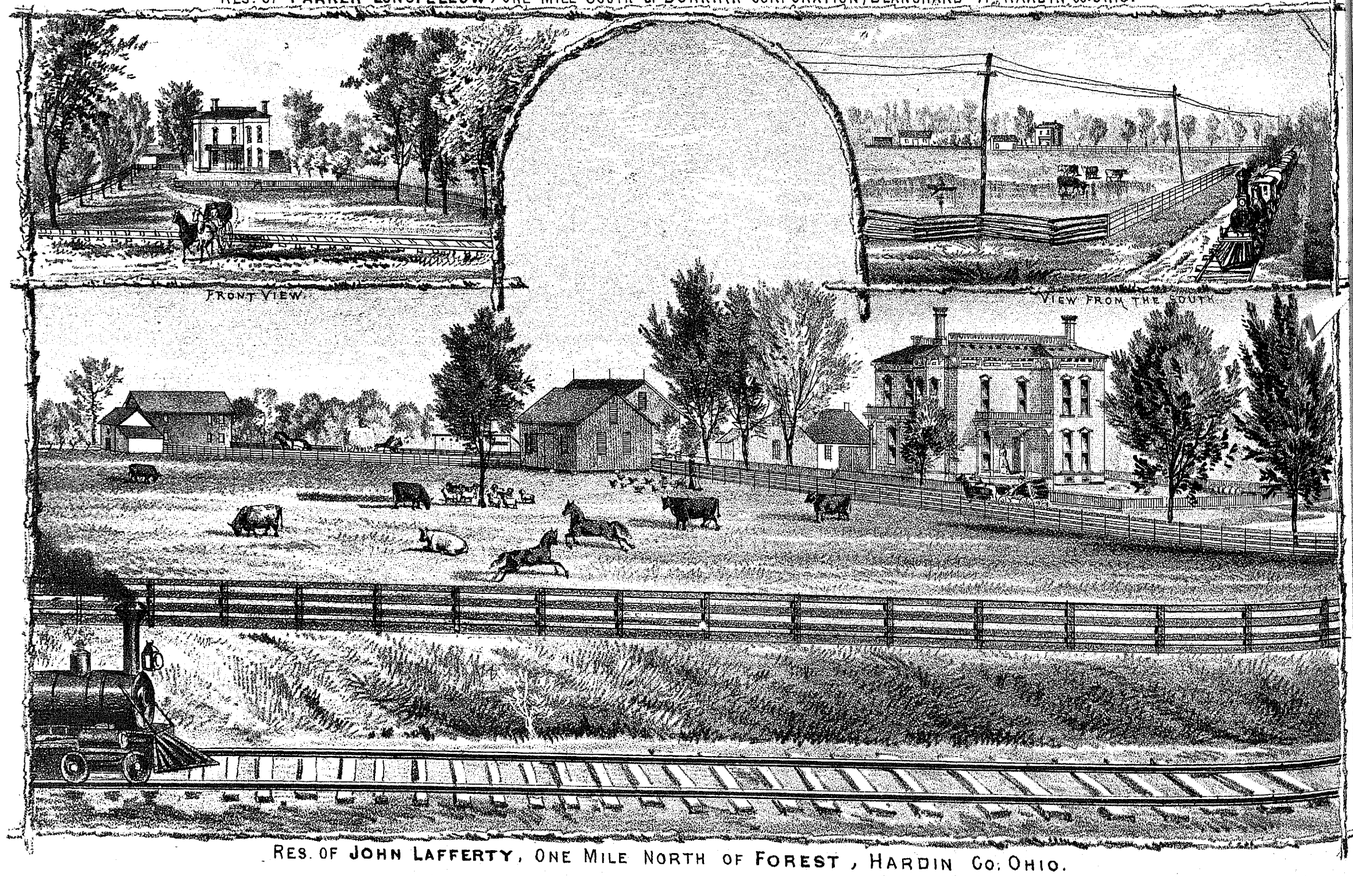


FRONT VIEW.

VIEW FROM THE SOUTH.

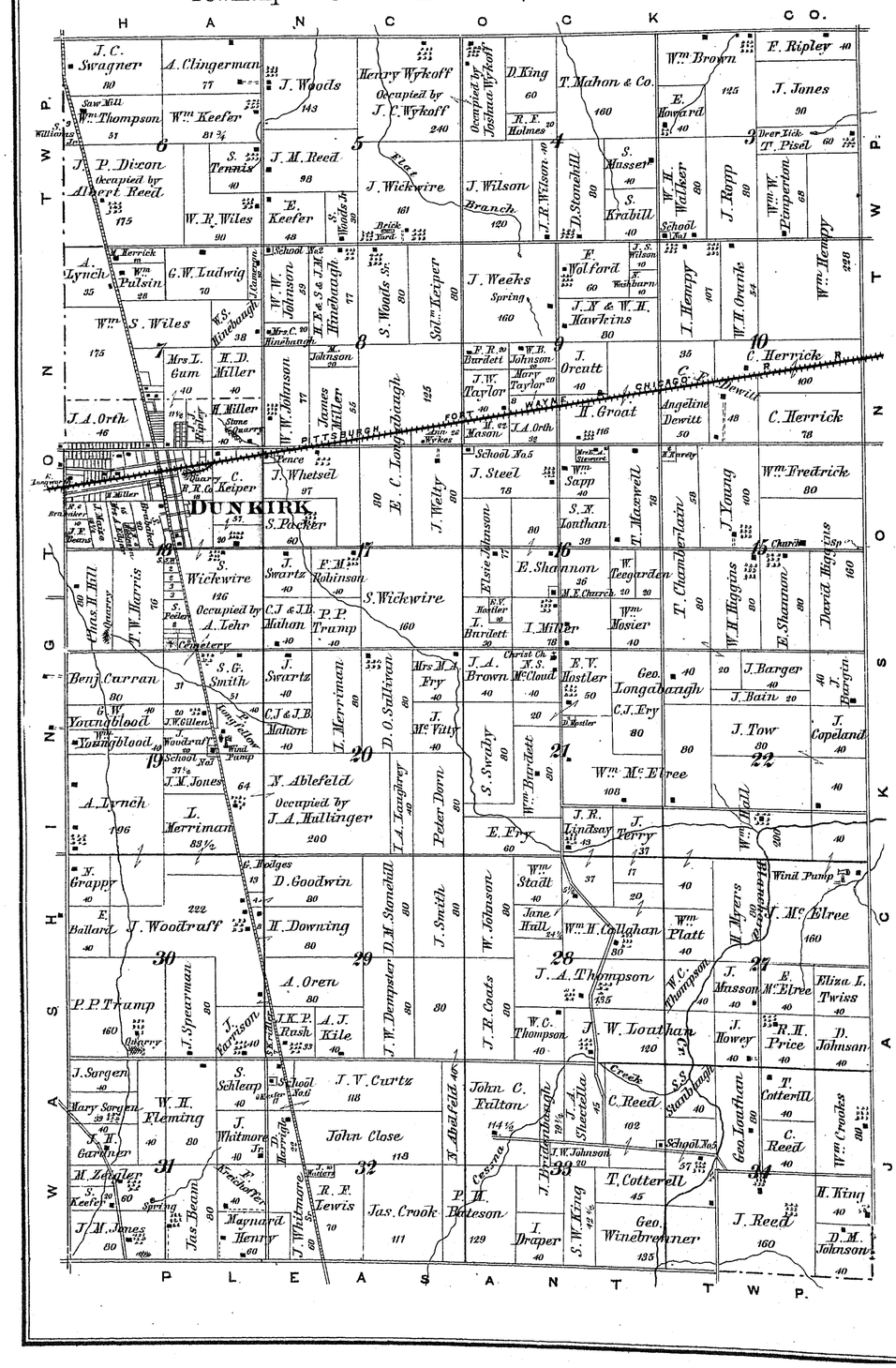
RES. OF JOHN LAFFERTY, ONE MILE NORTH OF FOREST, HARDIN CO. OHIO.

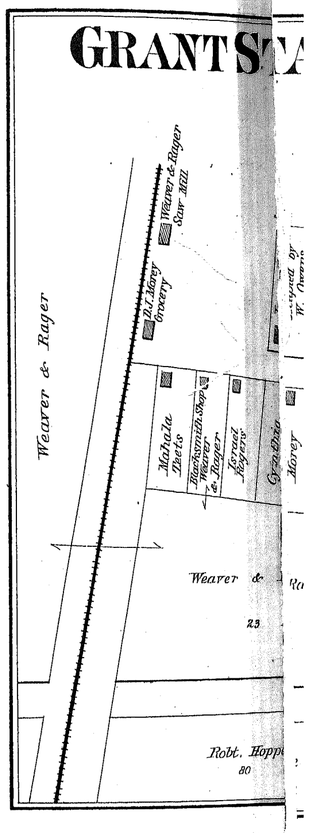
ATLAS OF HARDIN CO. O.

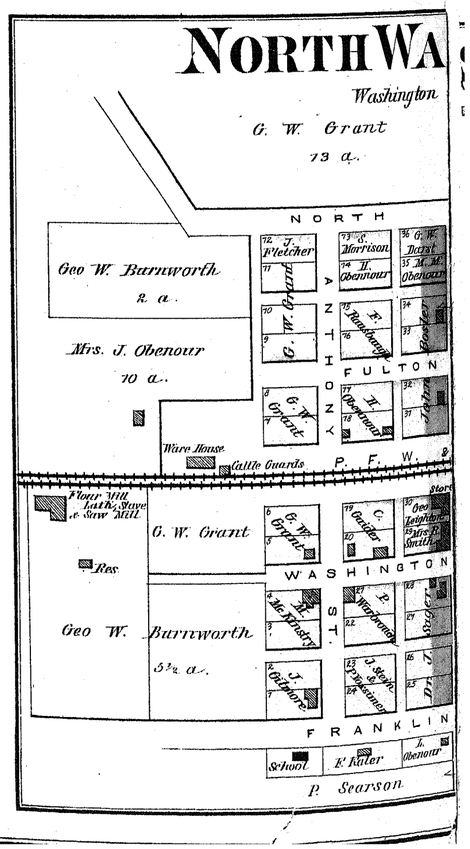
BLANCHARD

Scale 2 inches to the Mile

Township 3 South Range 11 East







ATLAS OF HARDIN CO. O.

JACKSON

Scale 2 Inches to the Mile.

Township 3 South Range 12 East

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B L A N C H A R D

C L E V E L A N D

P L E A S A N T T W.

G O S H E N T W.

W Y A N D O T

FOREST

PATTERSON

Jacob Naus 100
R.W. Briggs Hrs. 40
A. J. Ripley 40
J. Naus 80
R. S. Wilson 80
J. R. Trissler 80
J. W. Shaw 40
H. Wise 40
John Laffferty 235
Pool
S. O. Calvin 25
Mary Calahan 37
John Briggs 140
J. R. Trissler 80
J. M. Pimperton 100
G. Ash 40
J. S. Hales 40
Joshua Naus 40
J. H. Loort 100
M. J. Trissler 80
Saml. George 160
J. B. Harman 143
H. P. Gage 78
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Saml. Waltemire 79
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John Campbell 57
J. N. Barlett 104
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Rambler 19
107½
P. Carson 107½
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J. & Wm. Chance 54
S. W. Waltemire 80
Chas. Bramm 772
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J. Kibbinger 80
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Geo Orrings 80
Benj. Jackson 80
Florlow & Gadham 200
Jos. L. Ickes
Pool 200
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A. R. Reed 181
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H. Shope 40
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Webb 40
J. Dugan 40
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F. H. Worley 80
Bowman Webb 80
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Chas. Robinson 80
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J. Timmons 131
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J. Fitch 80
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R. Vogt 40
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H. Debviller 15
6374
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Fred Hune 102.72
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Peter Fenner 80
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John P. Naus 72.0
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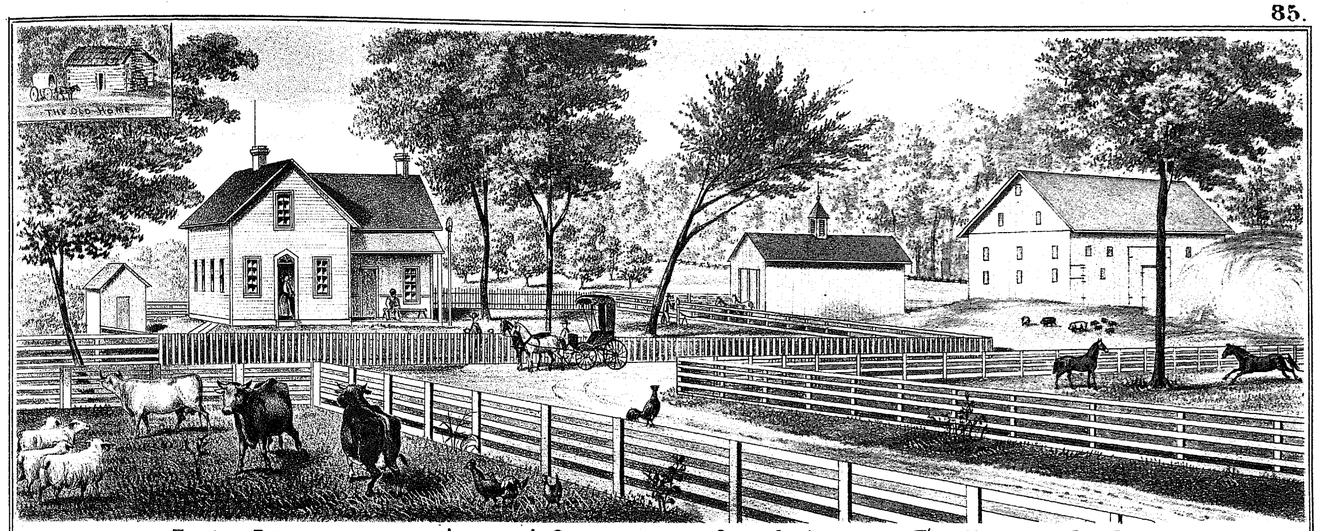

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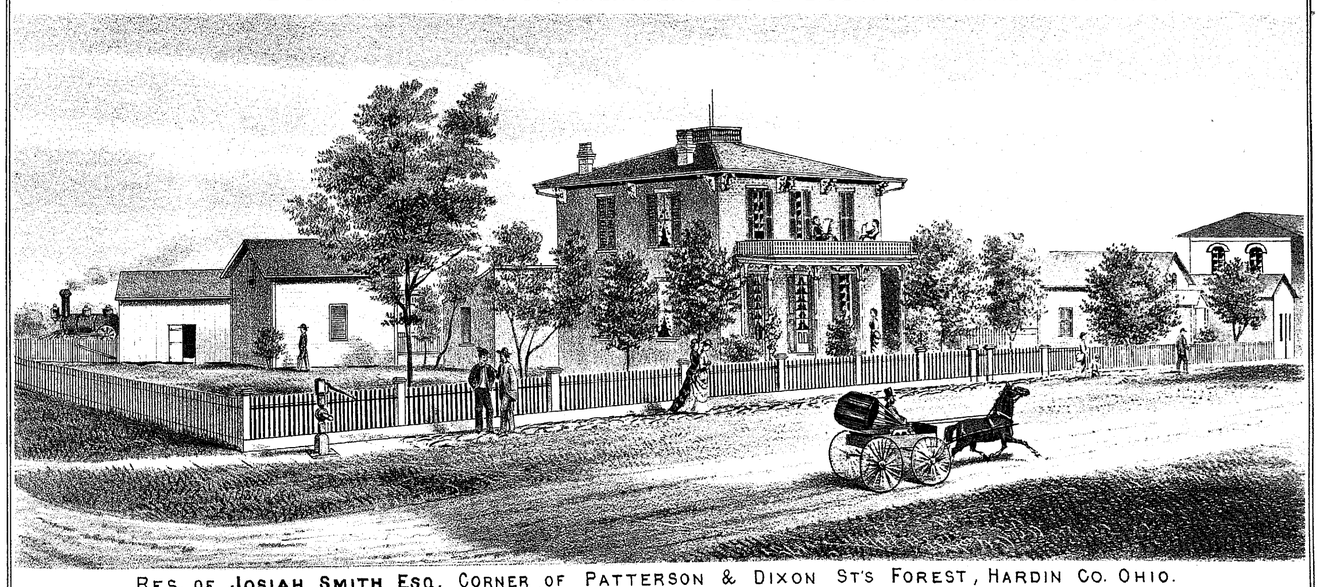

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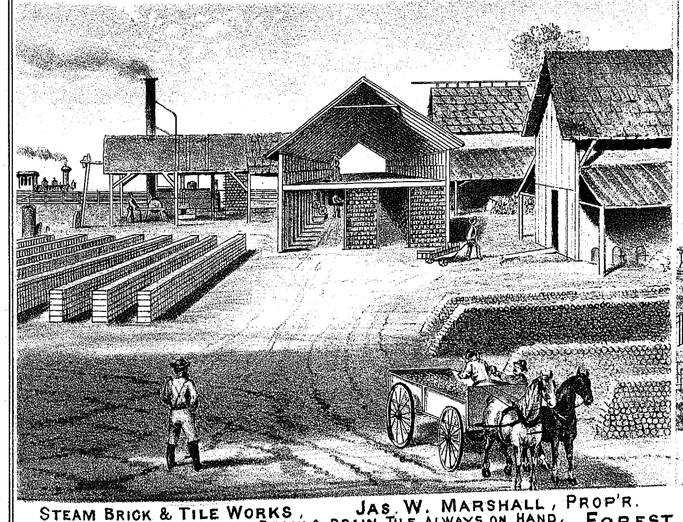
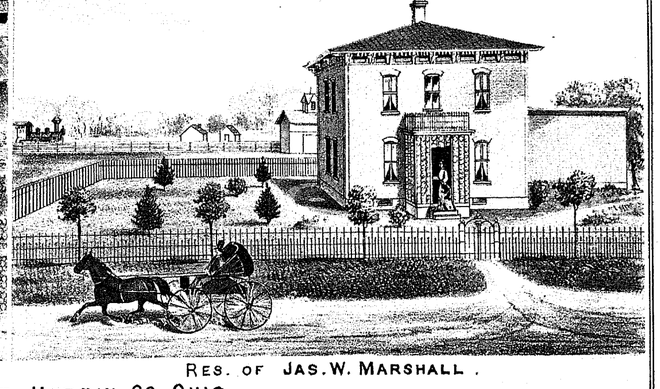


STEAM BRICK & TILE WORKS, JAS. W. MARSHALL, PROP'R.
LARGE ASSORTMENT OF BRICK & DRAIN TILE ALWAYS ON HAND. FOREST, HARDIN CO. OHIO.
PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.



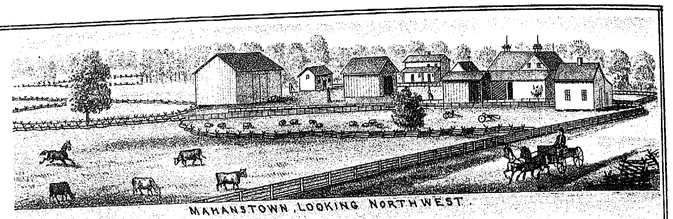
RES. OF JAS. W. MARSHALL.



REAR VIEW OF [illegible]



MY FIRST HOME IN THE WOODS.



MAHANSTOWN, LOOKING NORTHWEST.



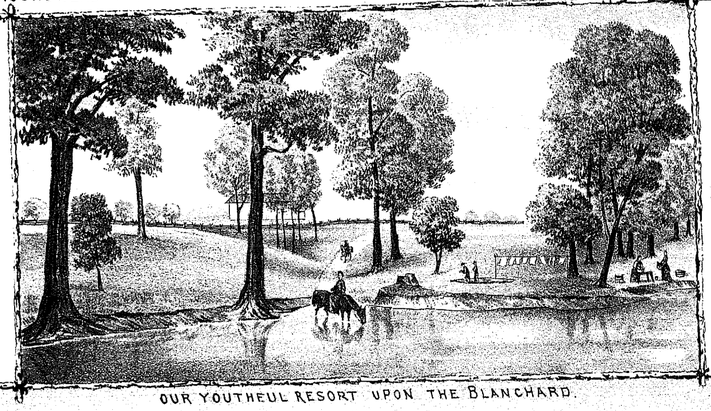
RES. & FARM OF **M. S. DUNLAP**, ROUNDHEAD TP, HARDIN CO. O.



RES. & FARM OF **MATTHEW MAHAN**, ROUNDHEAD TP, HARDIN CO. OHIO.



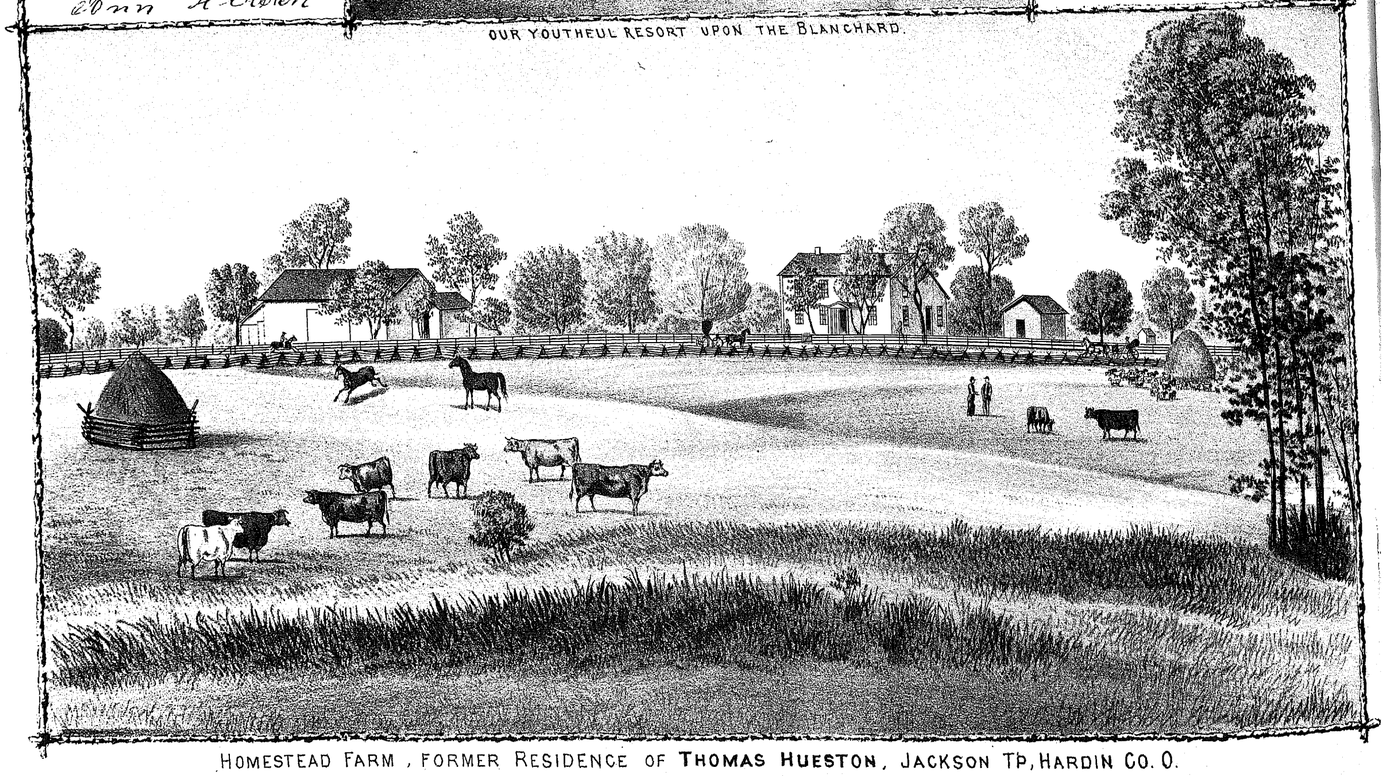
Ann Hueston



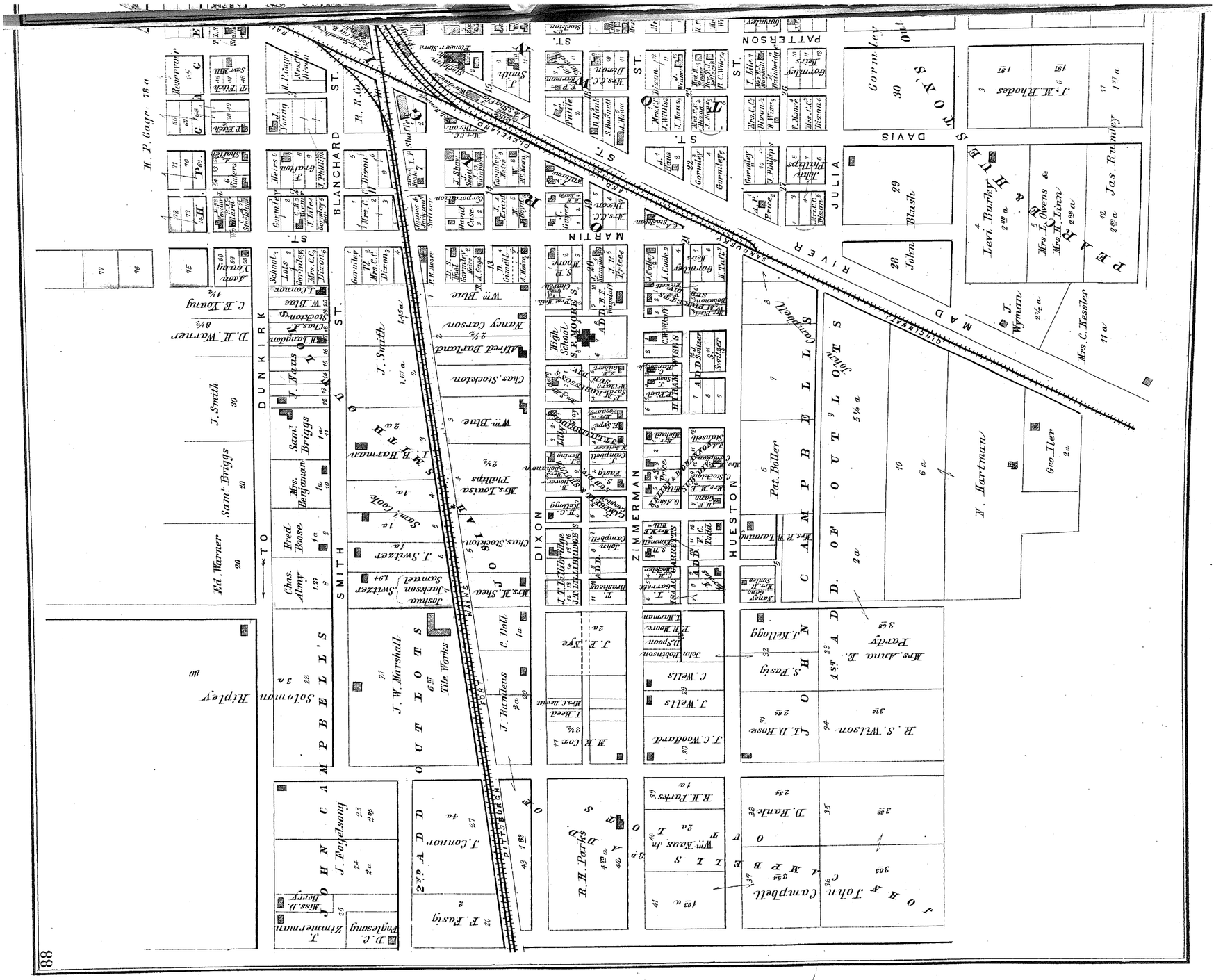
OUR YOUTHFUL RESORT UPON THE BLANCHARD.



Thomas Hueston.



HOMESTEAD FARM, FORMER RESIDENCE OF **THOMAS HUESTON**, JACKSON TP, HARDIN CO. O.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RIVER
MAD
SUNDUSKY
CLEVELAND
N. P. Gauge
Tower
Tile Works
Pittsburgh
Wayne
Fort
Gormley
Blash
John
Levi Barkley
Jas. Ramsley
Mrs. J. Owens
Mrs. M. Linn
J. Wyman
Mrs. C. Kessler
Geo. Iler
J. Hartman
Pat. Boller
Chas. Stockton
Alfred Barland
Wm. Blue
Mrs. Louisa Phillips
Sam'l. Briggs
Mrs. Bergman
Fred. Boose
Chas. Almy
Ed. Warner
J. Smith
D. H. Warner
C. B. Young
Mrs. Jane B. Purdy
R. S. Watson
J. T. Hallogg
S. Tasig
C. Wells
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R. R. Parks
Wm. Haas, Jr.
D. Ranke
John Campbell
F. Tasig
J. Conner
J. Foglesong
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J. Zimmerman
Mrs. D. Berry
Rippley
Solomon
J. W. Marshall
Joshua Jackson Samuel Switzer
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Mrs. H. Shea
C. Doll
J. Rumlens
J. F. Frye
H. R. Cox
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John Robinson
D. Spoon
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R. S. Watson
J. T. D. Hose
Mrs. C. Kessler
11 a.
Geo. Iler
2 a.
J. Hartman
N.
Pat. Boller
6
OUTLOTS
5¼ a.
CAMPBELL'S ADD.
OUTLOTS
Mrs. C. Stockton
Mrs. H. Tarmin
Mrs. A. Price
Mrs. C. C. Dixon's
Mrs. C. C. Dixon
J. Phillips
Julia Phillips
Gormley
Mrs. C. C. Dixon
Mrs. C. C. Dixon
Mrs. C. C. Dixon

FOREST

Scale 300 ft. to the Inch.

JACKSON TP.

Samuel George 9 3/4 a
J. Lang
H. P. Gage
G. Ash 2 58/100
Brick Yard
T. P. Gage
T. E. Shaffer
Mrs. I. Bennett
Wm. Flowers 39 a
J. Moran 35
J. I. Hagerman
L. A. Zimmerman 37
Mrs. C. C. Dixon 38
Gormley Heirs 40
S. W. Waltemire 41
G. M. Tilbury
Mrs. J. J. Dargen 36 2a
J. Lillis
Gormley Heirs 33 a
F. Spidel 20 a
J. Barlett 104 a
Heirs Lols 31
A. B. Johnson 2a
Levi Barkley 2a
A. B. Johnson 2a

R. R. CHICAGO SANDUSKY & LOUISA R. AVE.
WARNER ST.
GORMLEY ST.
MARY ST.
JOHN A. GORMLEY'S

Reference

1 - J. Hale
2 - Stockton & Cook
3 - J. E. Rye
4 - W. McKarle
5 - D. Wise
6 - W. Waltemire
7 - C. W. Wikoff
8 - R. V. Craglow
9 - Mrs. V. A. Snow
10 - J. E. Rye
11 - Harman & Noel
12 - A. Blosser
13 - D. Astire
14 - Mrs. M. A. Coleman

ROUND HEAD

Roundhead Twp

GRAVEL ROAD TO KENTON
TO WAPAK
TO BELLE CENTER
Geo Breese 2 1/2
Saw Mill
Z. Richardson
Wm. M. Neville
James May
Scates
Public School
M. E. Church
John May
Mr. Letsters Heirs
Blacksmith Shop
Mrs. Negle
Sammers
Cem.
Thompson Heirs
Robt. Hyatt
CARTER'S ADD
Carter
Mrs. Martin
E. H. Marlen
J. Thompson Heirs 64
CENTER ST.
MAIN ST.
WATER ST.
HIGH ST.
Conrail Railroad
R. Negle
J. S. Moore
H. Negle 4
Wm. Neville
Ohio
L. Hankins
Mrs. Martin
Mrs. Hankins
Heirs
Mrs. Neville
Mrs. Wilson
Mrs. Downing
D. C. H. Wilbert
J. Moore
Wm. Negle
A. Poe
H. Neville
Mrs. Neville
Mrs. Hankins
Mrs. Hafferty
Mrs. Cairns
Mrs. Neville
Mrs. Hankins Heirs
Mrs. Neville
Mrs. Harbest
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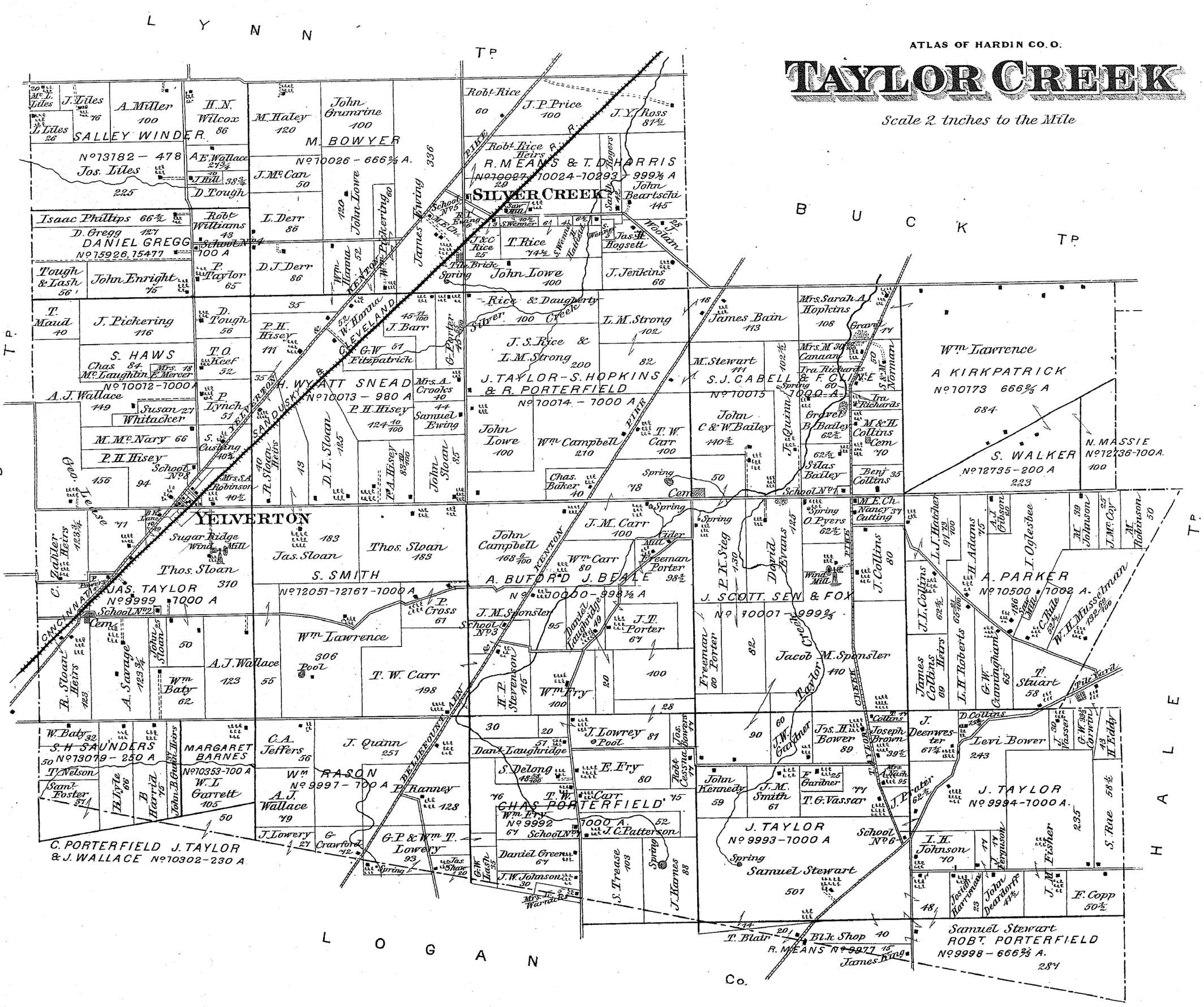
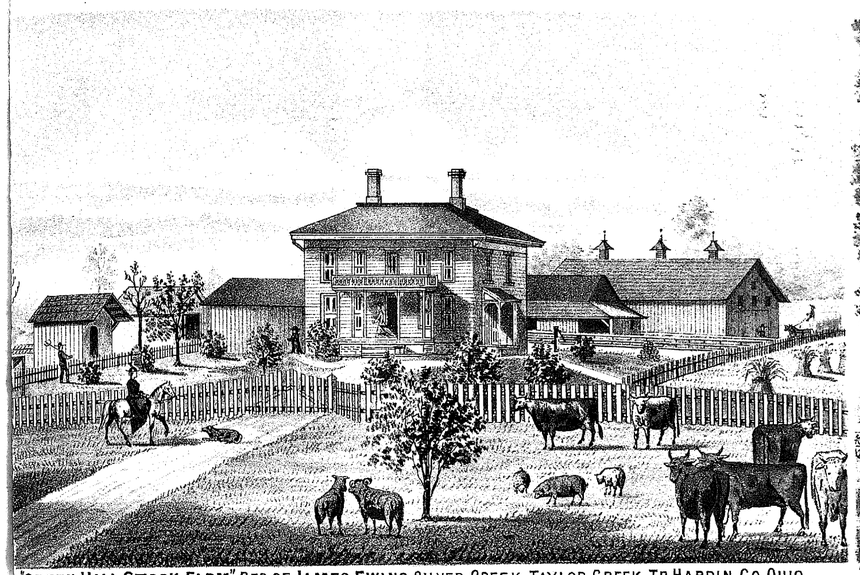
ATLAS OF HARDIN CO. O.

TAYLOR CREEK

Scale 2 inches to the Mile





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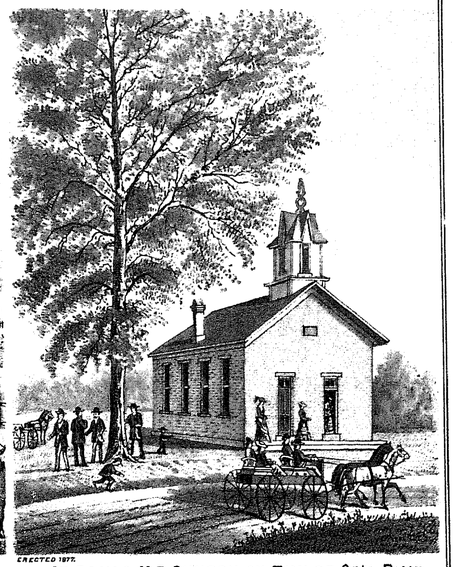

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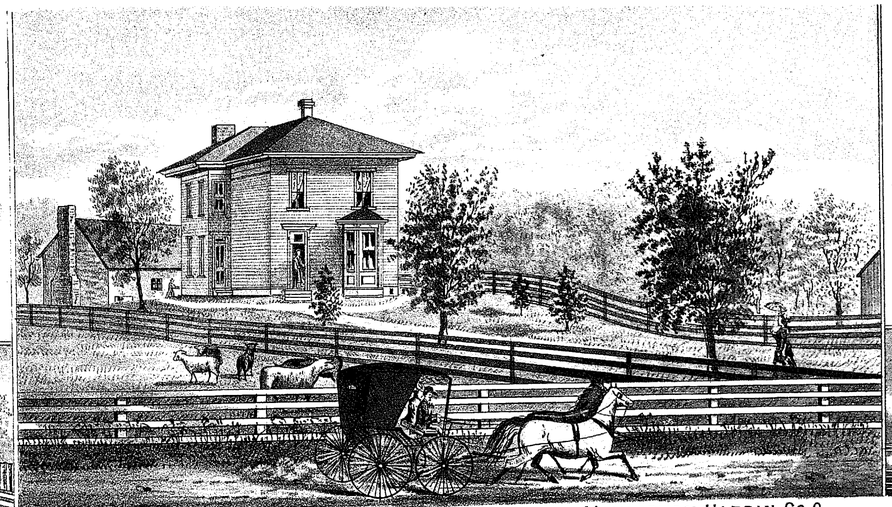
ST PAULS M.E. CHURCH ON TAYLOR CR'K PIKE



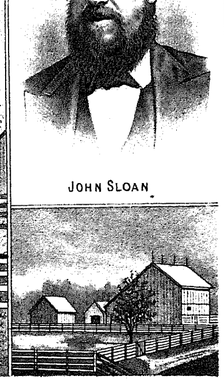
MRS. JOHN SLOAN

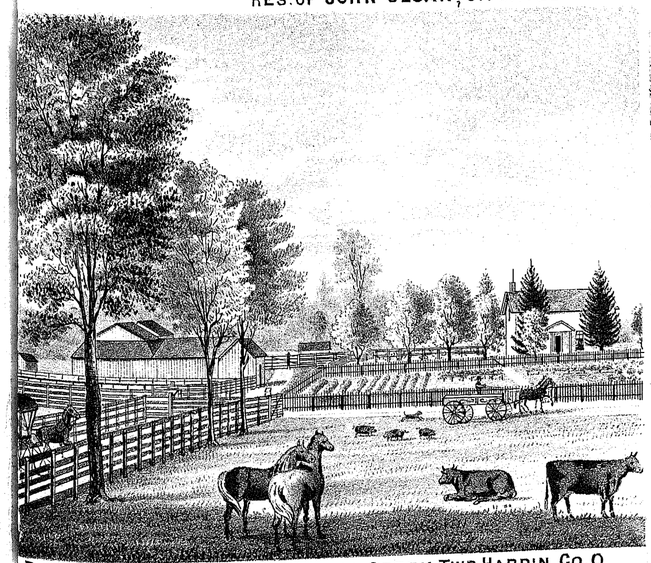


RES. OF JOHN SLOAN, SITUATED ONE MILE SOUTH OF YELVERTON, HARDIN CO. O.



JOHN SLOAN.





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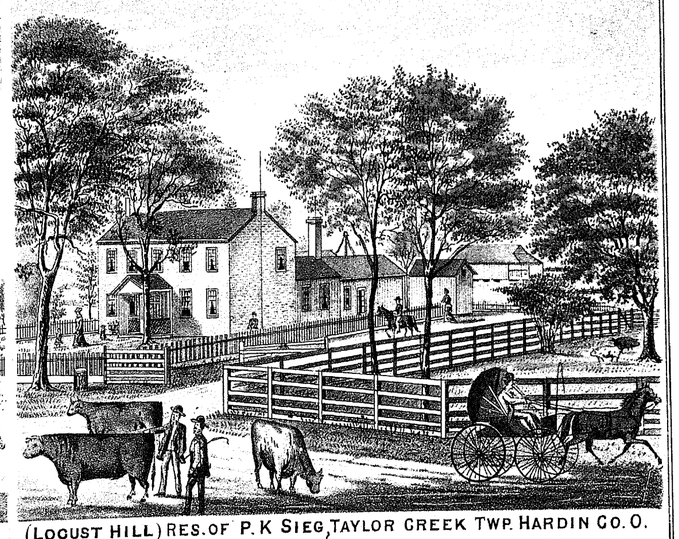

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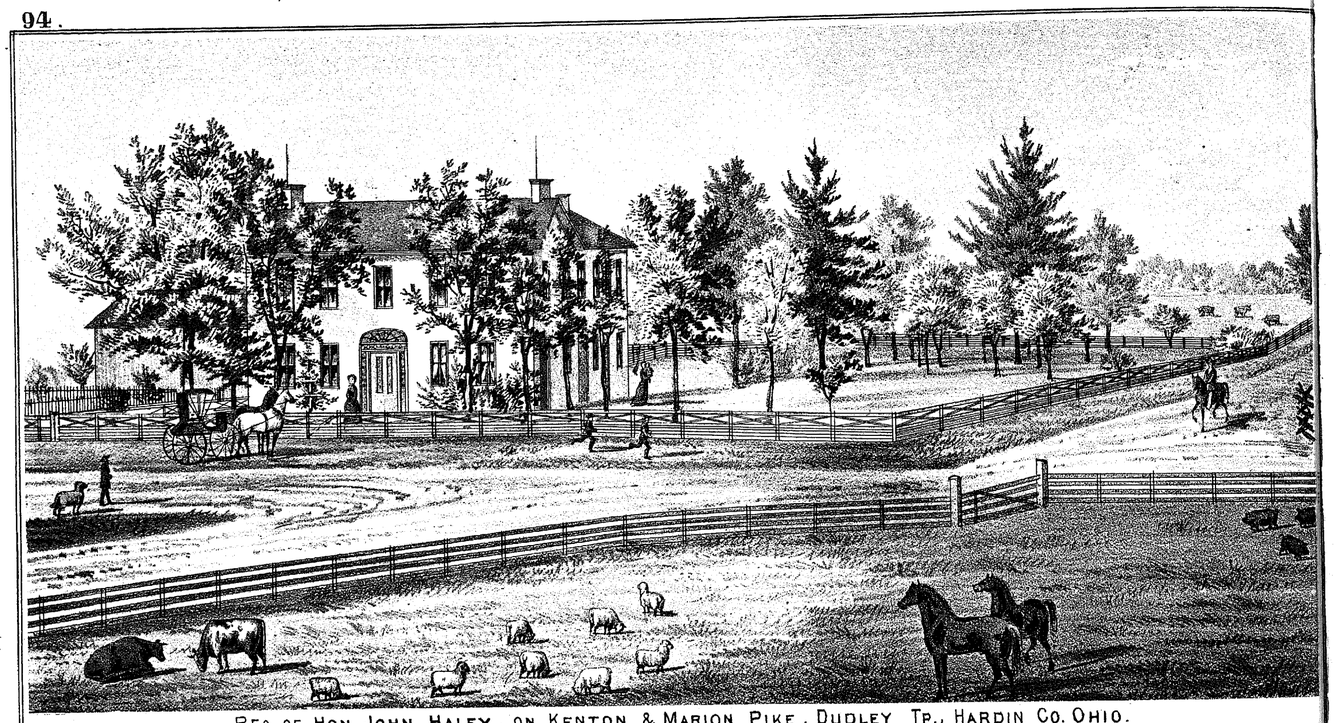

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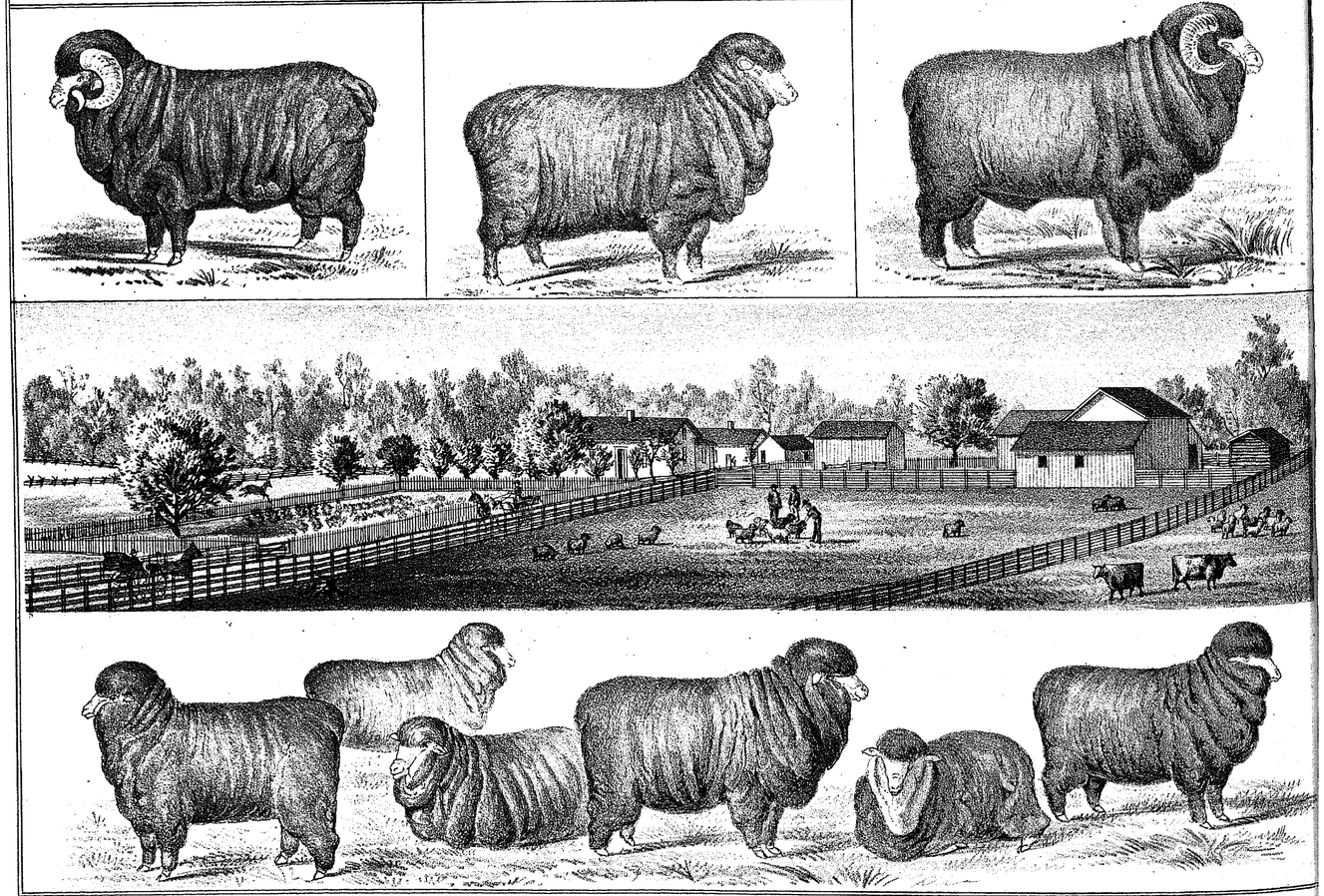
FORMERLY THE OLD WHEELER TAVERN.



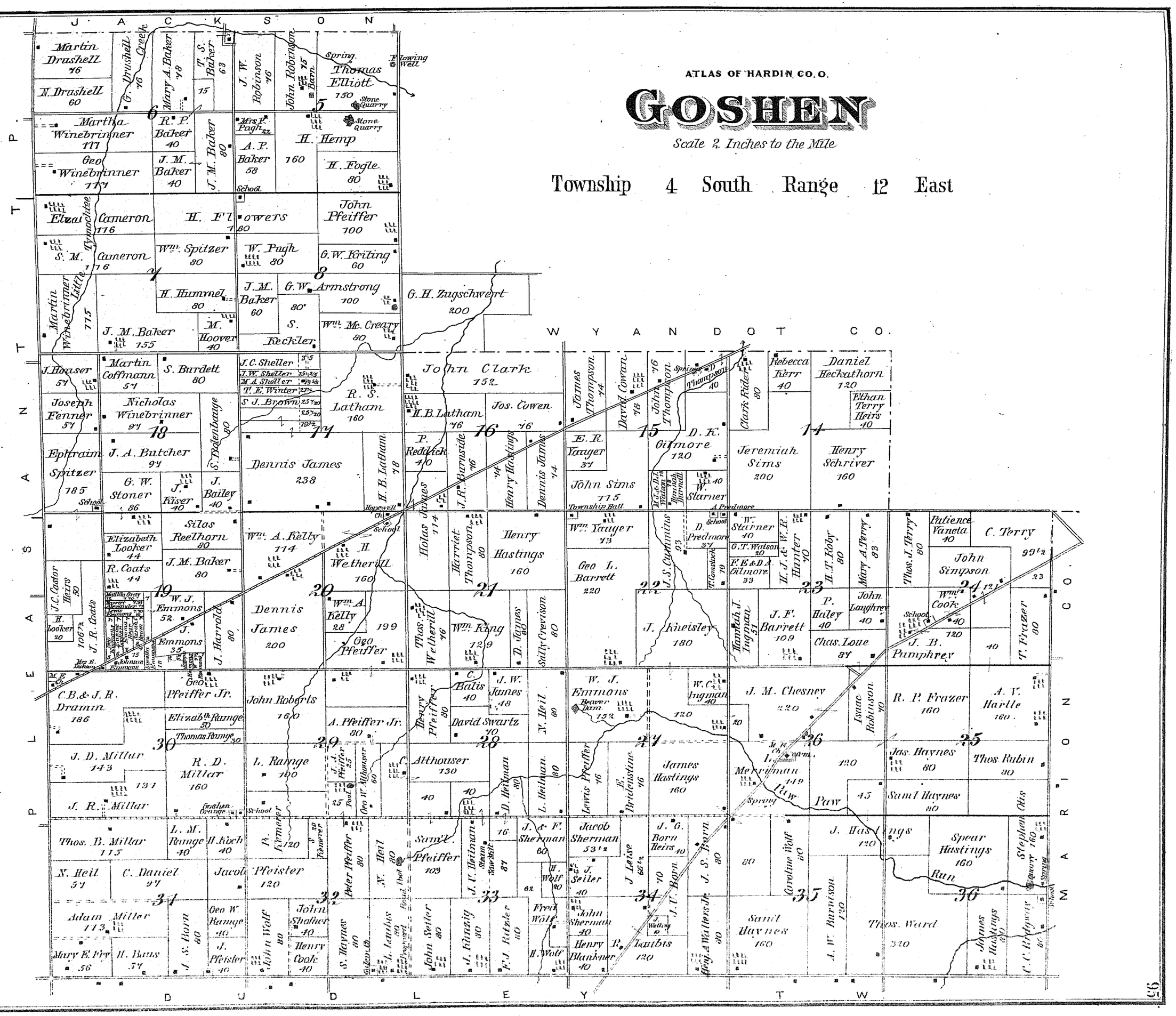
RES. & FARM OF W. J. EMMONS, SEVEN MILES EAST OF KENTON, HARDIN CO. O.
BREEDER OF SPANISH MERINO SHEEP.

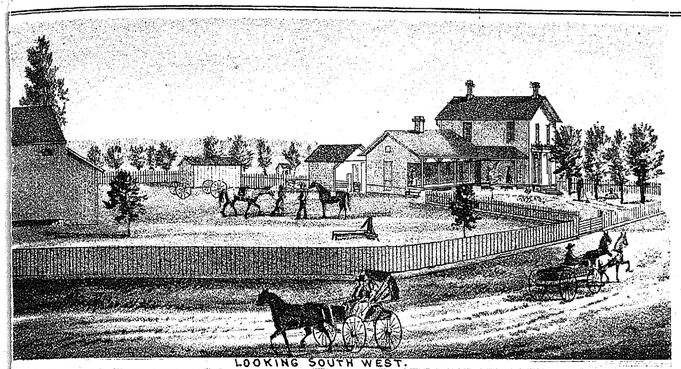
ATLAS OF HARDIN CO. O.

GOSHEN

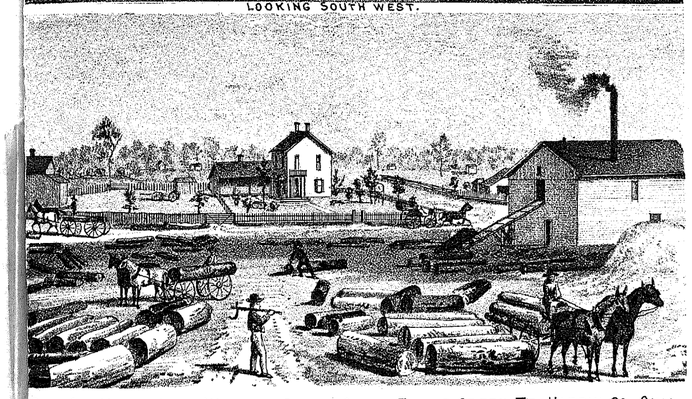
Scale 2 Inches to the Mile

Township 4 South Range 12 East









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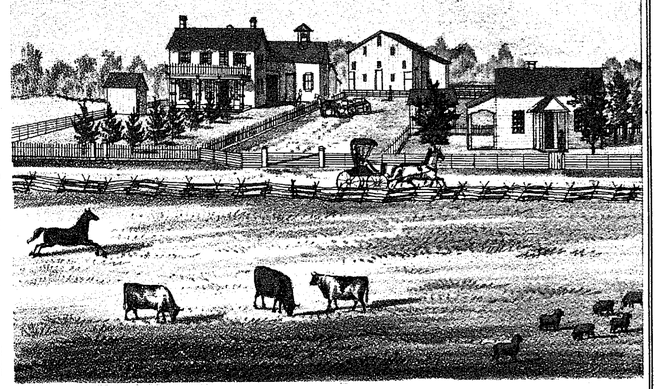

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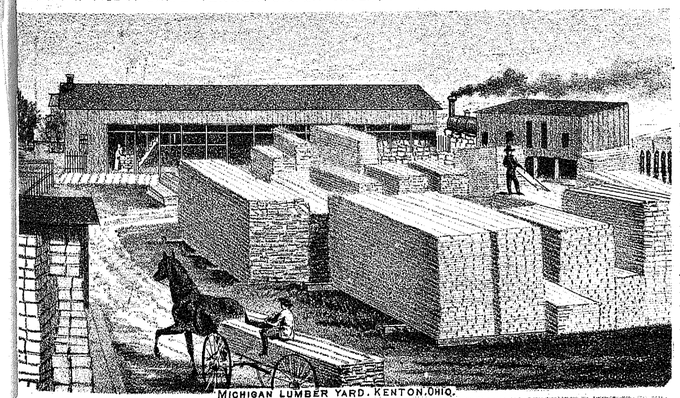

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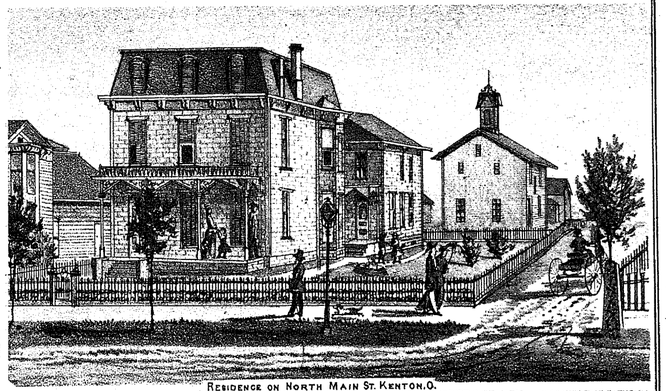
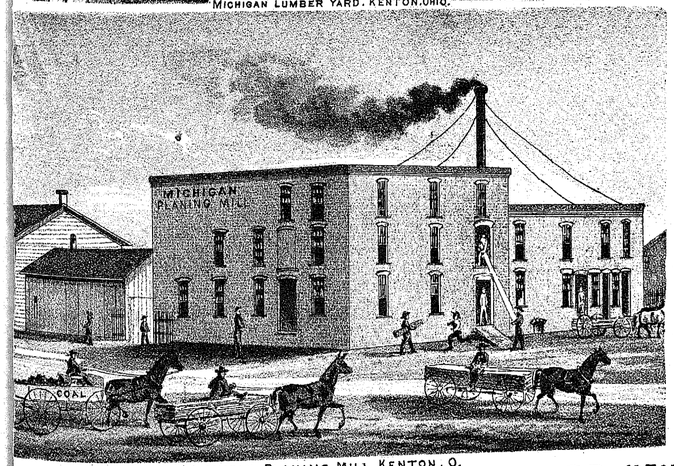


RESIDENCE ON NORTH MAIN ST. KENTON. O.



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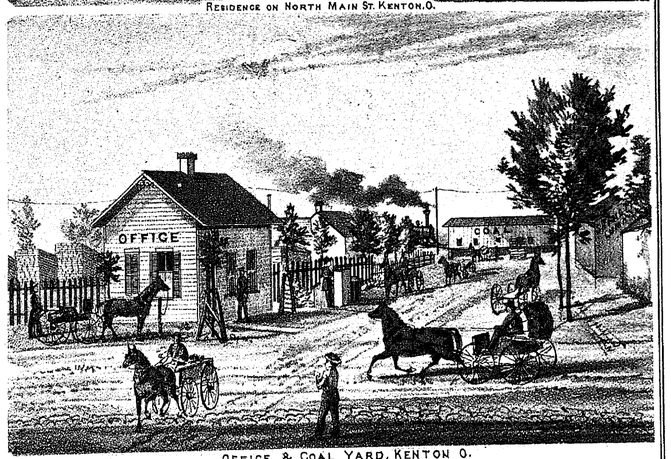
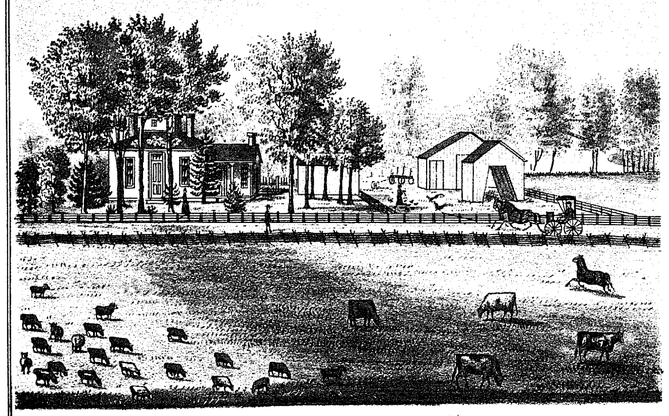


OFFICE & COAL YARD, KENTON O.

MICHIGAN LUMBER YARD, KENTON, O. JOHN CALLAM, PROP'R.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN PINE LUMBER, SHINGLES, LATH, DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, MOULDINGS, BRACKETS, SALT, LIME, PLASTER, WATER-LIME, HAIR AND COAL.



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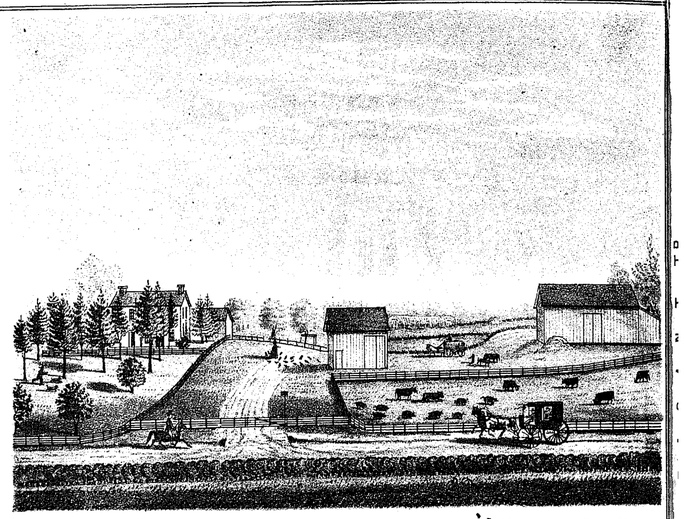


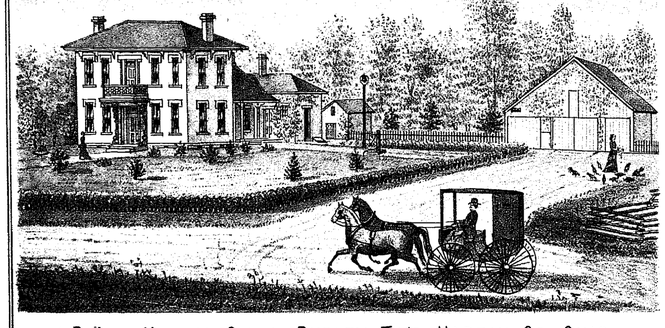
RES. & FARM OF **JOSHUA COPE**, DUDLEY TP., HARDIN CO. O.



THE OLD HOMESTEAD.



LOOKING SOUTH.



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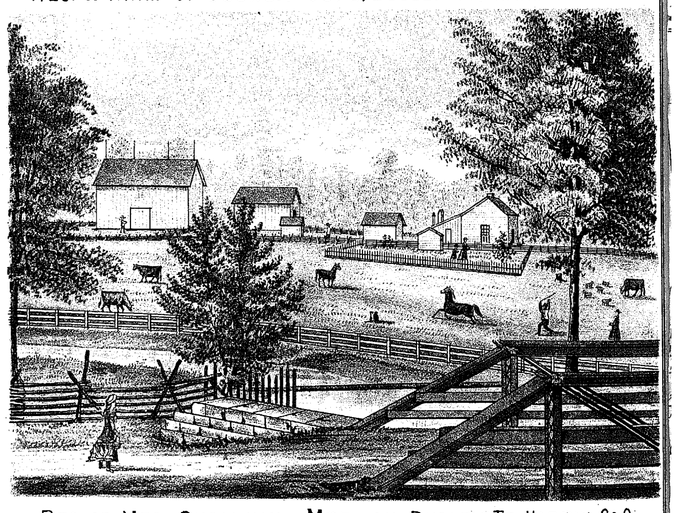

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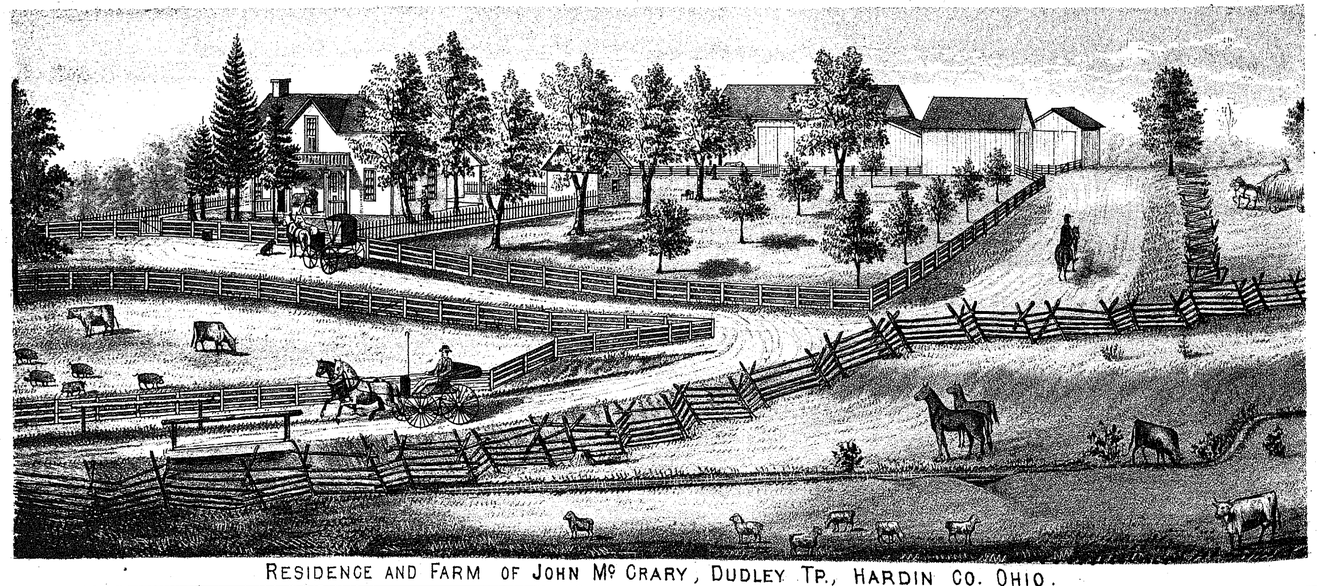

RESIDENCE AND FARM OF **JOHN Mc CRARY**, DUDLEY TP., HARDIN CO. OHIO.

ATLAS OF HARDIN CO. O.

DUDLEY

Scale 2 Inches to the Mile

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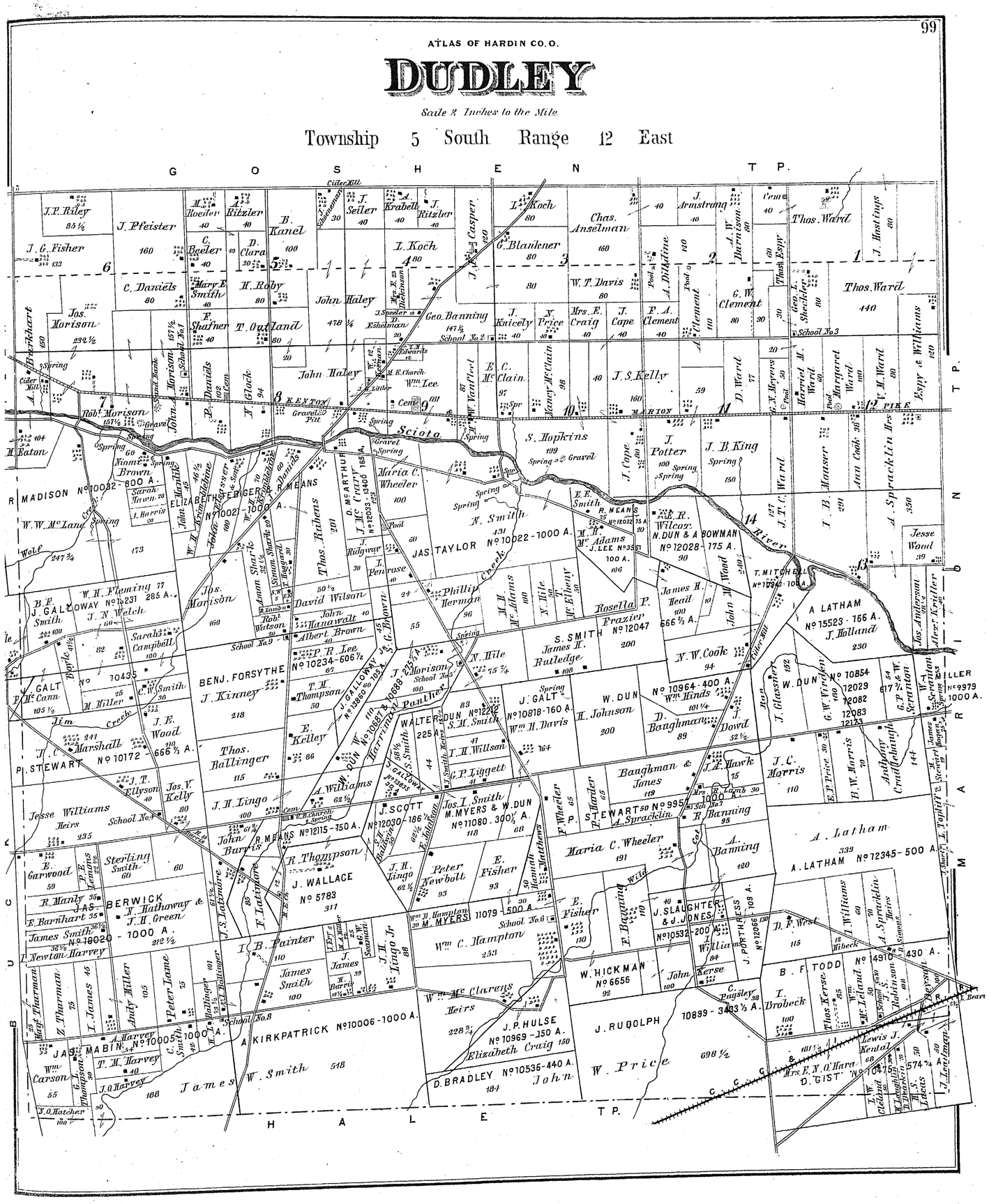
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MARION TP.
Scioto
Cider Mill
Spring
Gravel Pit
School No. 1
School No. 2
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School No. 6
School No. 7
School No. 8
School No. 9
Cem
Pool
Creek
River
J.P. Riley 85½
J. Pfeister 160
J. C. Fisher 133
C. Daniels 80
Jos. Morison 292½
A. Burkhart 150
M. Eaton 104
Robt. Morison 157½
John A. Morison 157½
P. Daniels 102
F. Glock 94
M. Roeder 40
A. Ritzler 40
B. Kanel 100
C. Baeler 40
D. Clara 30
H. Roby 30
F. Shafner 40
T. Outland 80
J. Seiler 40
A. Krabell 40
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L. Koch 80
John Haley 478¼
Geo. Banning 147⅞
J. Casper 120
L. Koch 80
G. Blankener 80
Chas. Anselman 160
W. T. Davis 80
J. Knicely 40
N. Price 40
Mrs. E. Craig 40
J. Cape 40
F. A. Clement 40
A. Clement 110
J. Armstrong 40
A. DiMaine 140
J. W. Barnison 80
G. W. Clement 80
Thos. Ward 440
J. Hastings 30
Geo. L. Sheckler 80
Thos. Espy 30
Espy & Williams 120
J. M. Ward 100
Harriet M. Ward 80
Margaret Ward 100
A. N. Meyers 30
D. Ward 77
E. C. Mc Clain 97
Nancy Mc Clain 98
J. S. Kelly 160
W. Vanfleet 67
Wm. Lee 181
M. E. Church
Cem
J. Miller
Wm. Edwards
Mrs. E. Eshelman 20
J. Speeler 15
Mrs. E. Dickman 25
W. Vanfleet 42
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Gravel
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W. H. Hamilton 46½
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R. MEANS
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Mc Curdy 1400 151 A.
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Pool
J. Ridgway 30
J. Penrose 40
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N. Hile 100
M. E. Church
Wm. Lee 181
Nancy Mc Clain 98
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J. LEE Nº3587 100 A. 106
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James H. Teal 100 666⅔ A.
John W. Wood 240
T. MITCHELL Nº10340 - 100 A.
A. LATHAM Nº15523 - 166 A. J. Holland 230
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Jos. Anderson 96½
Alex. Kreitler 96½
N. W. Cook 94
Cider Mill
Jos. Morison 160
Ann Cook 36
Thos. Ward 440
Thos. Espy
Espy & Williams 120
J. T. C. Ward 127
J. B. Houser 291
A. Spracklin Hrs 350
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Ann Cook 36
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B. F. Smith
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Sarah Campbell 100
Wolf Creek
Jim Creek
J. GALT
E. Mc Cann 105½
M. Miller 25
C. W. Smith 30
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J. C. Marshall 241
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Jesse Williams Heirs 235
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BENJ. FORSYTHE
J. Kinney 218
Thos. Ballinger 115
J. H. Lingo 400
Cem
Spring
E. Garwood 59
Sterling Smith 60
P. E. Lemons 22½
R. Manly 35
F. Barnhart 35
James Smith 36½
Newton Harvey 36½
JAS. BERWICK
N. Hathoway & J. H. Green
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David Wilson 50½
John Manawalt 40
Albert Brown 40
P. R. Lee Nº10234 - 606½ 67
T. M. Thompson 50
E. Kelley 86
A. Williams 62½
J. GALLOWAY Nº10688 - 135 A.
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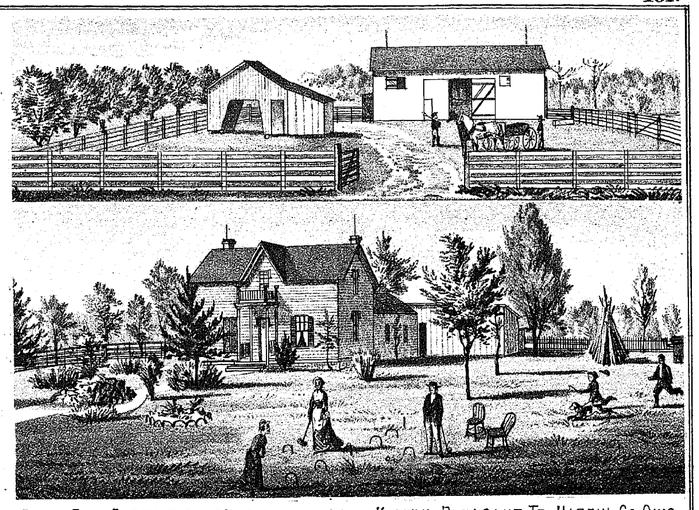
W. DUN Nº10687 - 110 A.
Harriman Pontius
Rob't Watson 20
Thos. Ribens 301
Simon Sharkle 32½
T. Baggerly 30
Jas. Sharkle 32½
Jos. Morison 160
School No. 9



INTERIOR VIEW. ONE PRICE BOOT & SHOE STORE OF H.W. ATWOOD & CO. KENTON, OHIO.
A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF BOOTS AND SHOES OF THE LATEST STYLES ALWAYS ON HAND AT THE LOWEST CASH PRICE. CALL ON US BEFORE PURCHASING ELSEWHERE.



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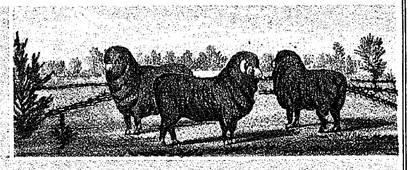

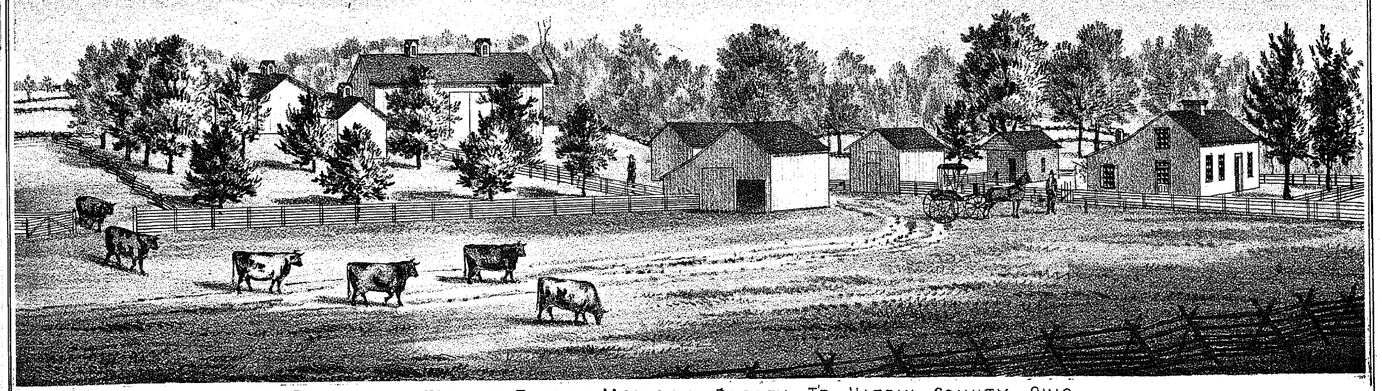

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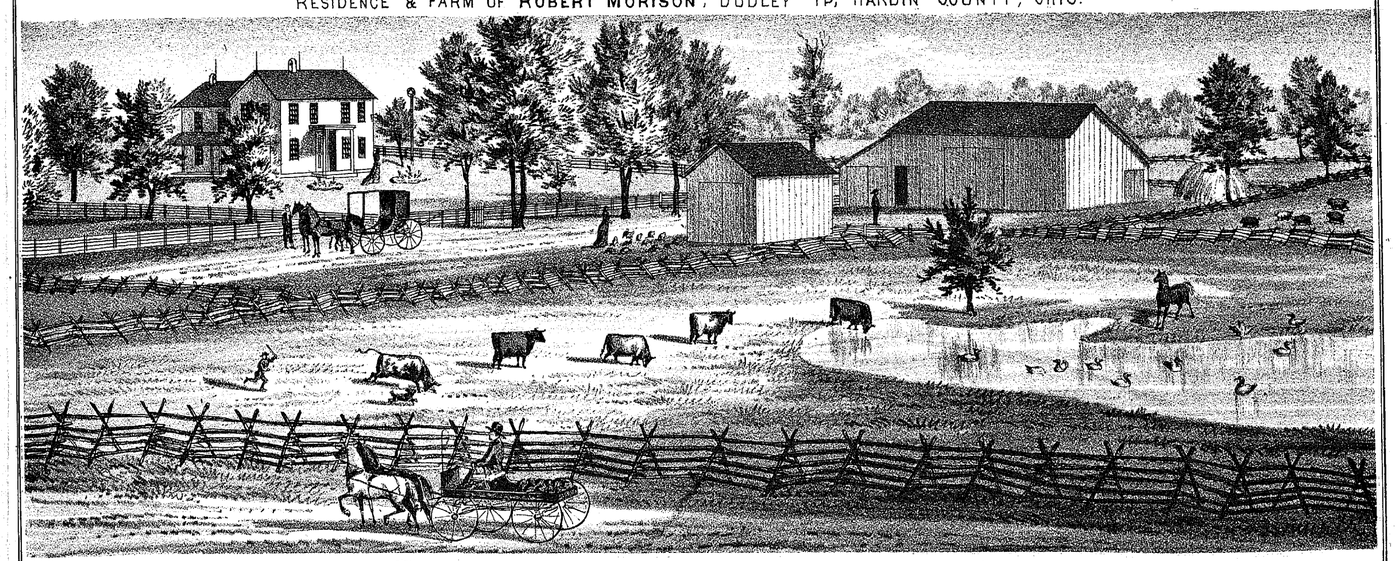

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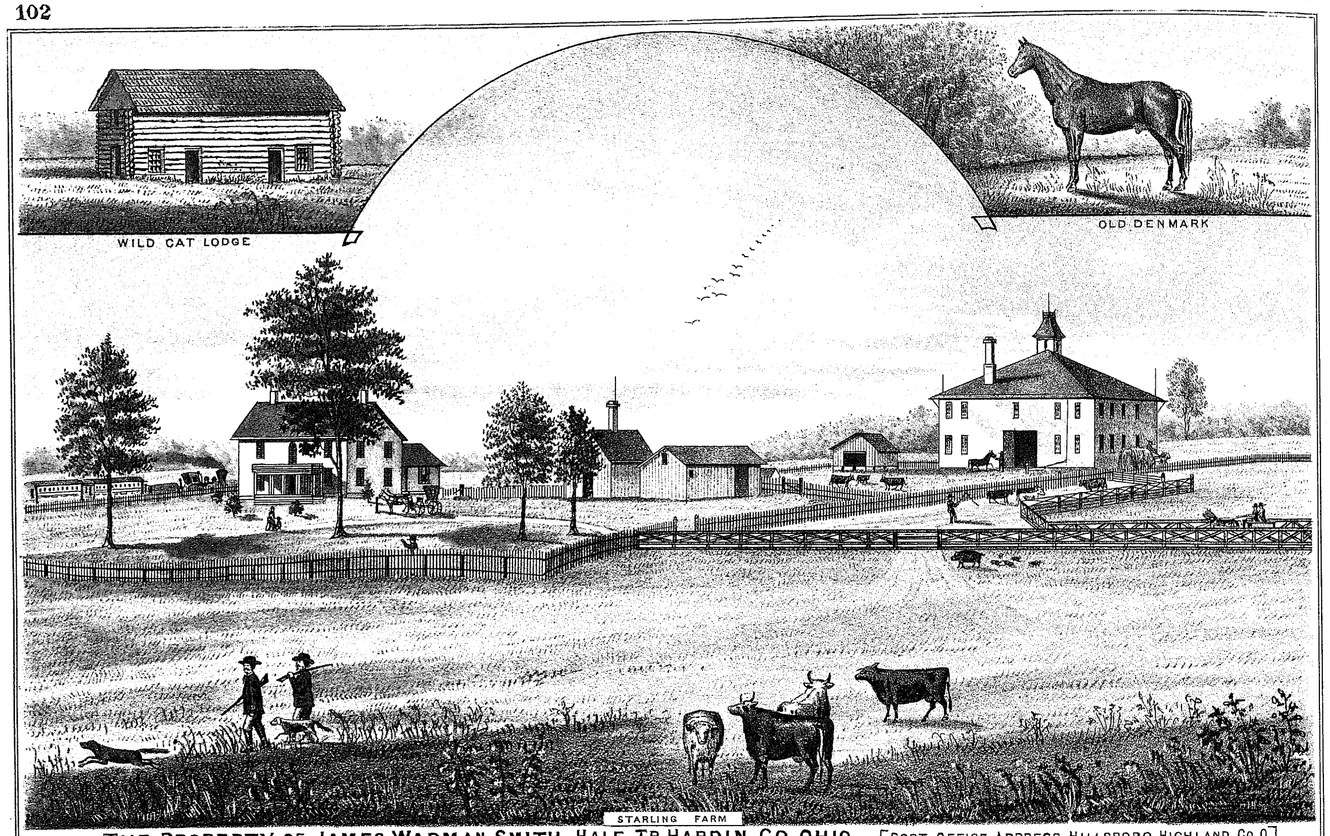
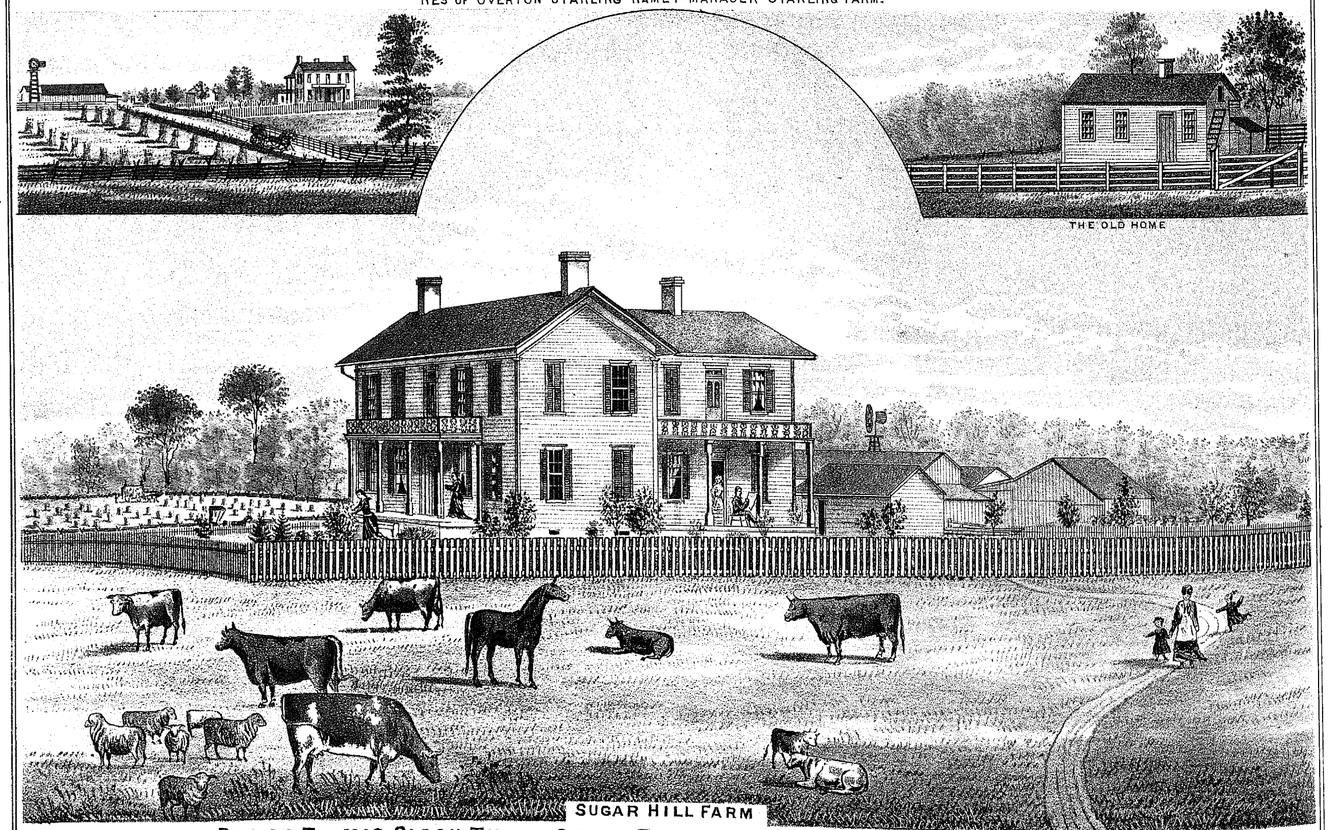


THE PROPERTY OF JAMES WADMAN SMITH, HALE TP. HARDIN CO. OHIO. [POST OFFICE ADDRESS HILLSBORO HIGHLAND CO. O.]
RES OF OVERTON STARLING RAMEY MANAGER STARLING FARM.



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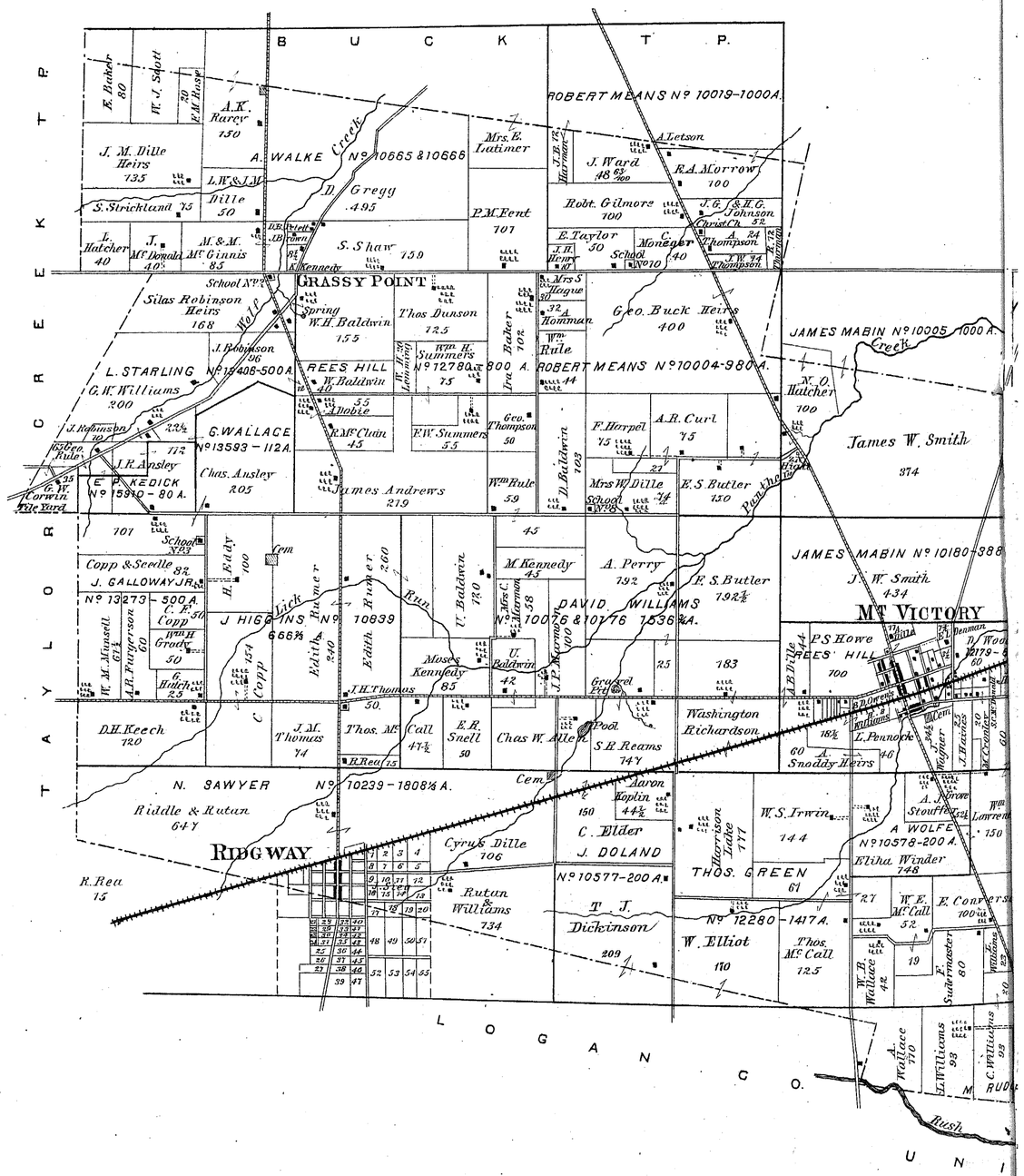
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JAMES MABIN No 10005 1000 A.
JAMES MABIN No 10180-388
A. WALKE No 10665 & 10666
L. STARLING No 15406-500 A.
G. WALLACE No 13593 - 112 A.
E. P. KEDICK No 15910 - 80 A.
J. GALLOWAY JR. No 13273 - 500 A.
J. HIGGINS No 10839 666⅔
DAVID WILLIAMS No 10076 & 10176 1536¾ A.
N. SAWYER No 10239 - 1808½ A.
A. WOLFE No 10578-200 A.
THOS. GREEN No 12280 - 1417 A.
J. DOLAND No 10577-200 A.
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Geo. Buck Heirs 400
James W. Smith 374
Washington Richardson
Riddle & Rutan 647
Cyrus Dille 106
Rutan & Williams 734
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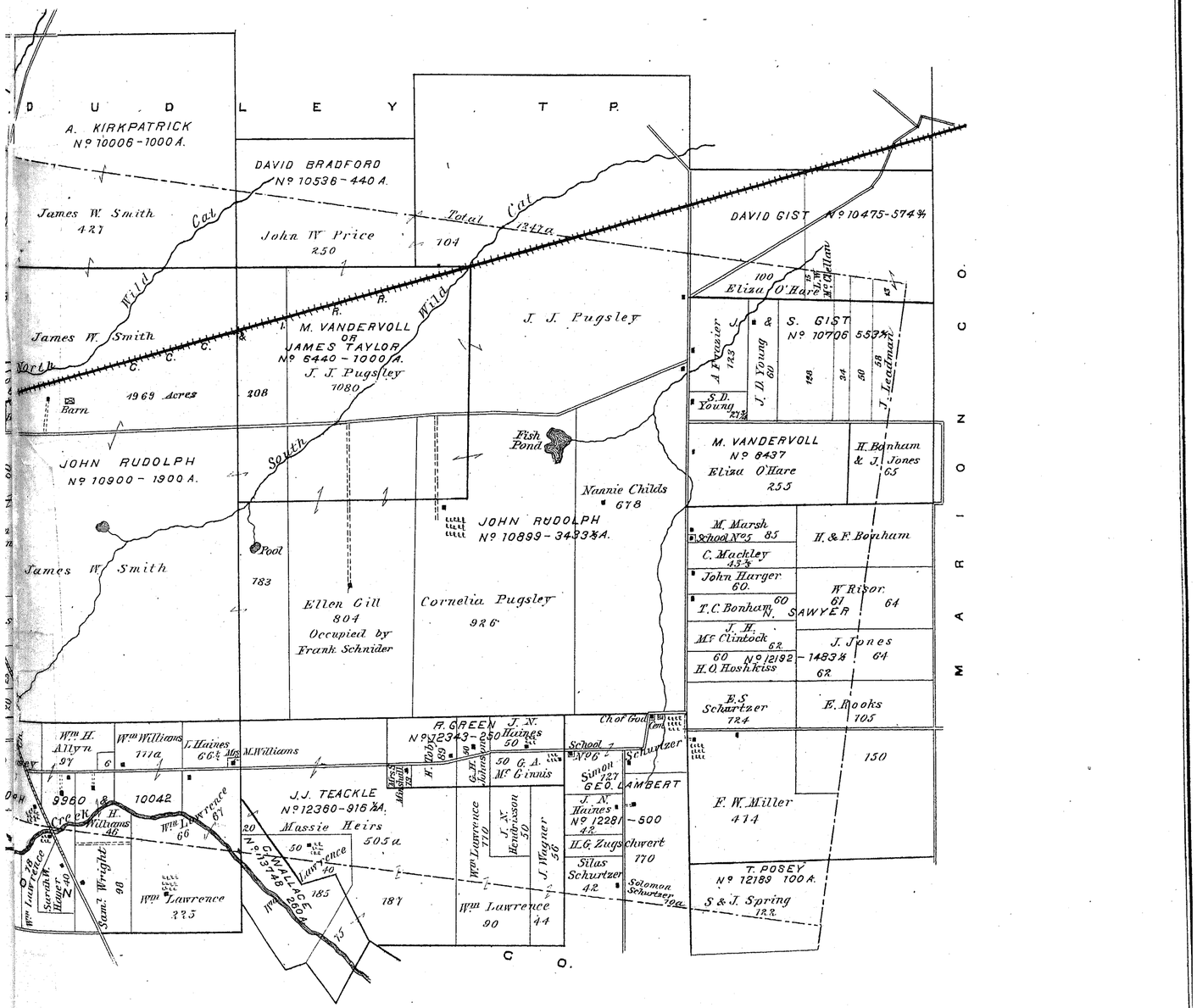
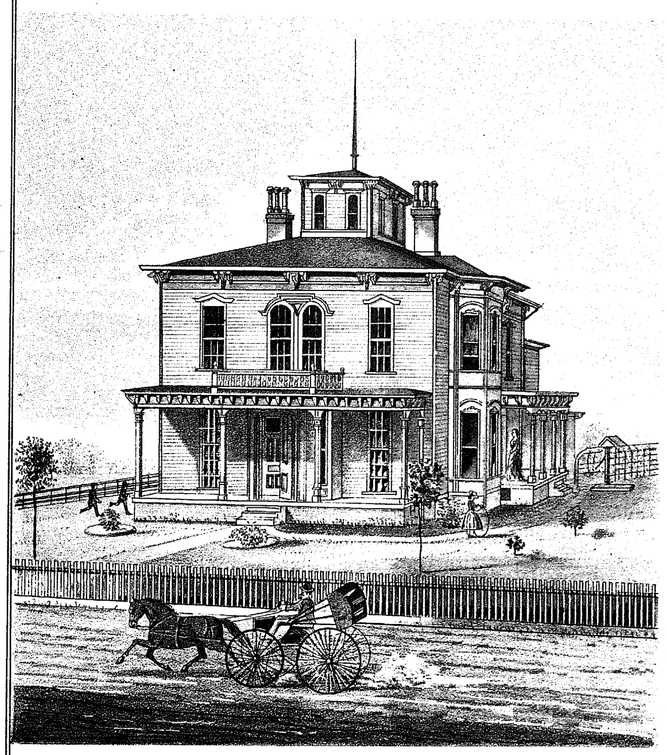
ATLAS OF HARDIN CO. O.

HALE

Scale 2 Inches to the Mile





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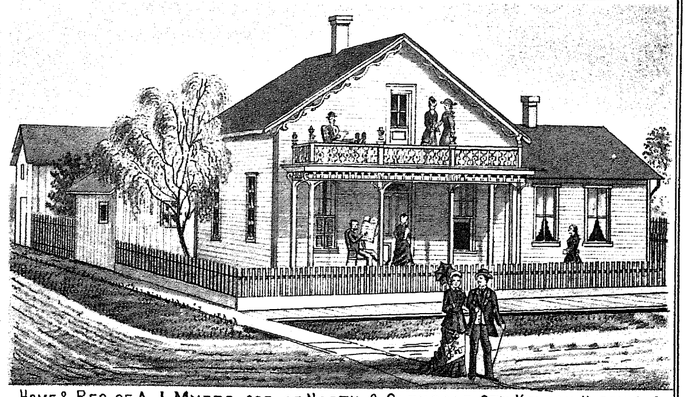
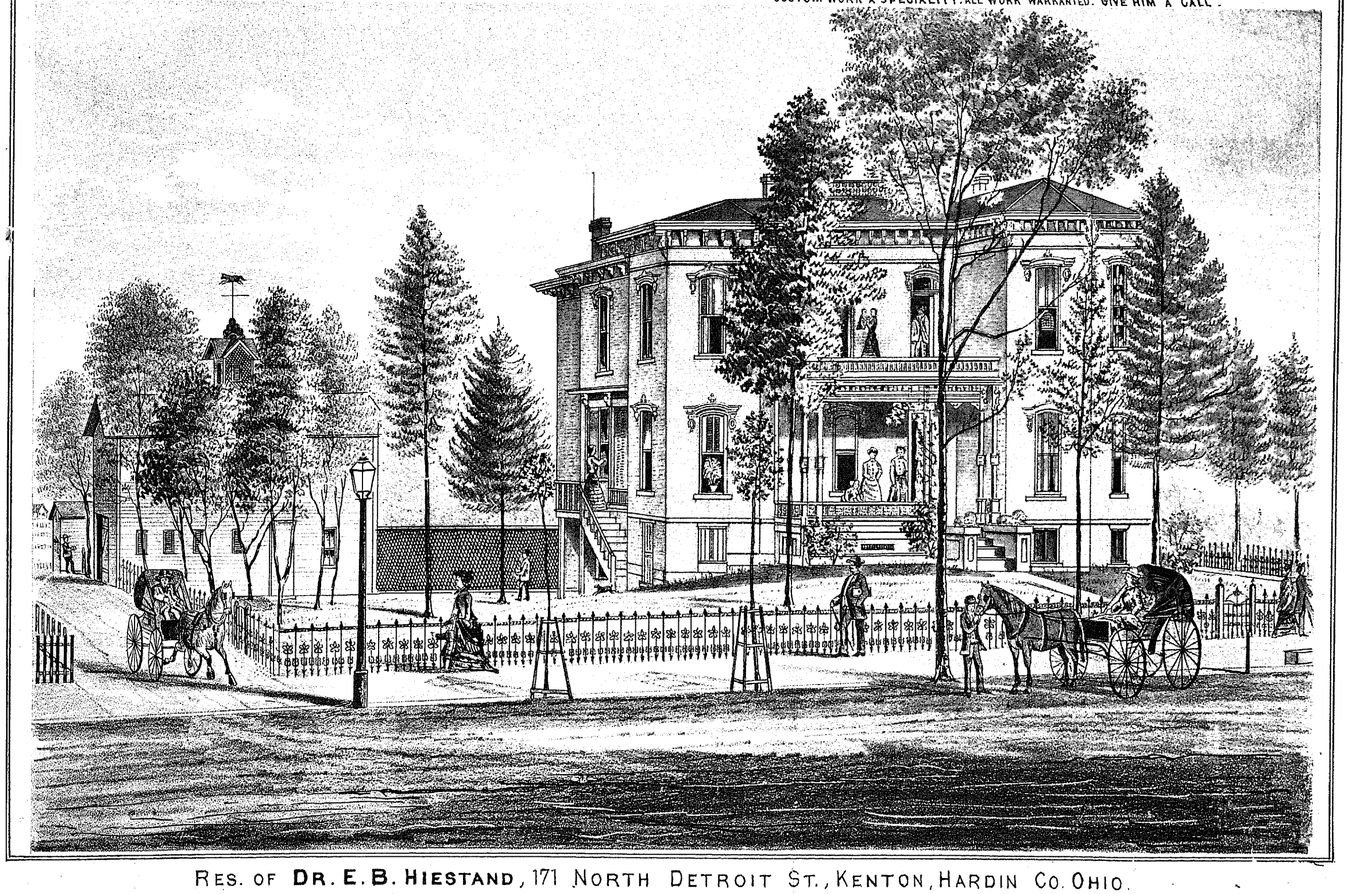


HOME & RES. OF **A.J. MYERS**, COR. OF NORTH & GLENDALE ST'S. KENTON, HARDIN CO. O.
TAILOR. CUSTOM WORK A SPECIALITY.



RES. & SHOP OF **GOTTLIEB DANZ**, MERCHANT TAILOR, ON MAIN ST. SOUTH OF SQUARE,
CUSTOM WORK A SPECIALITY. ALL WORK WARRANTED. GIVE HIM A CALL.



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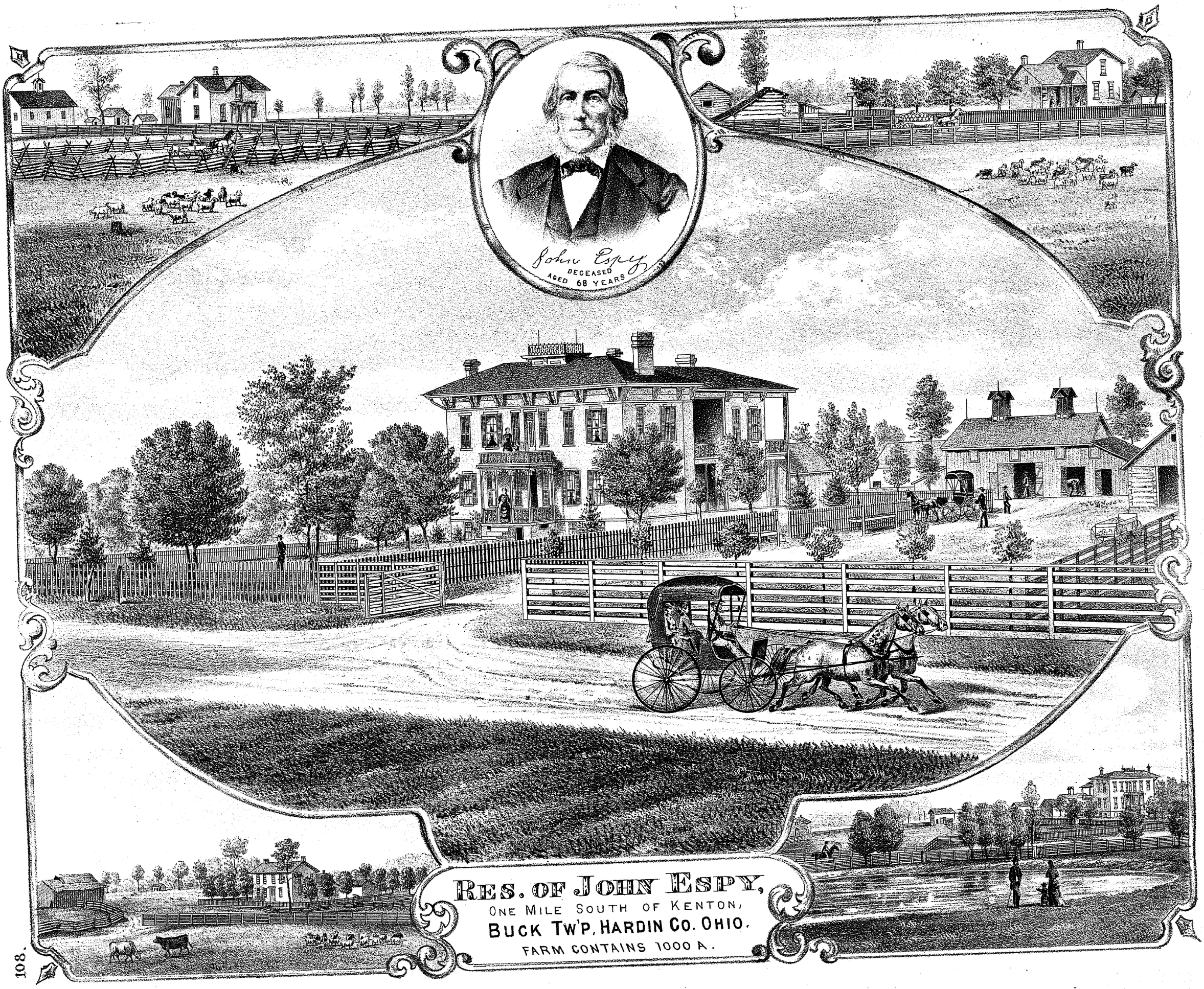
John Espy
DECEASED
AGED 68 YEARS
RES. OF JOHN ESPY,
ONE MILE SOUTH OF KENTON,
BUCK TW'P, HARDIN CO. OHIO.
FARM CONTAINS 1000 A.

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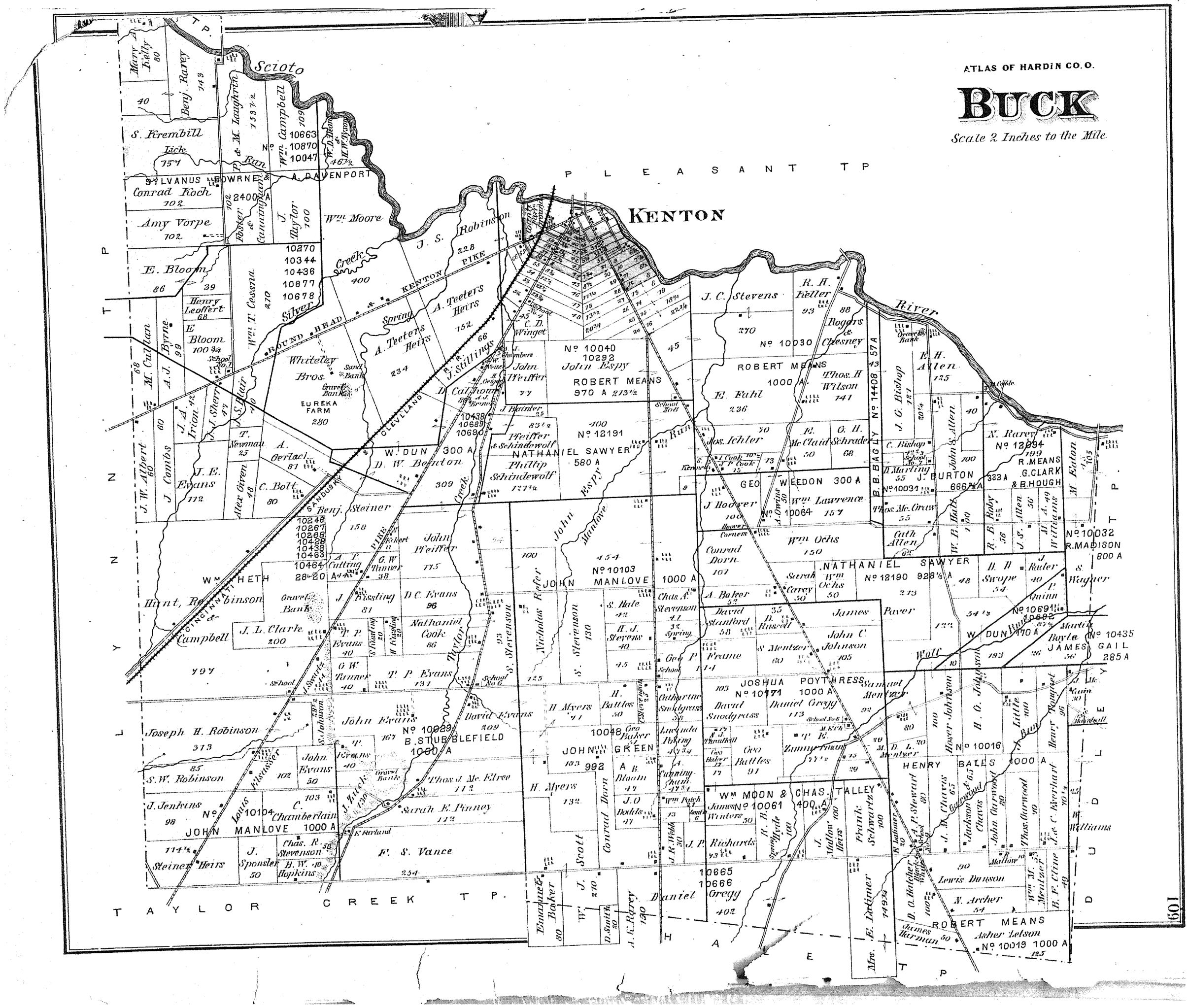
ATLAS OF HARDIN CO. O.

BUCK

Scale 2 Inches to the Mile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Lick
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Wm. Campbell 109
10663
10870
10047
W. D. Allen & H. W. Tipton 46½
Run
SYLVANUS BOWRNE & A. DAVENPORT
Conrad Koch 102
Amy Vorpe 102
102 2400 A
Foster & Cummings
J. Taylor 100
Wm Moore
J. S. Robinson 228
PIKE
Creek
400
E. Bloom 86
39
Henry Leoffert 68
E Bloom 100¾
School No. 1
Wm T. Cossna 210
Silver
Spring
A. Teeters Heirs 152
A. Teeters Heirs 234
ROUND HEAD & KENTON
C. D. Winget
No 10040
10292
John Espy
ROBERT MEANS
970 A 213½
45
66
R. Stillings
Whiteley Bros.
Sand & Gravel Bank
EUREKA FARM 280
J. Chambers
John Weiffer 77
J. Painter 25
D. Calhoun 38
J. Brown
10438
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Pfeiffer & Schindewolf 83½
100
No 12191
NATHANIEL SAWYER 580 A
Phillip Schindewolf 177½
W. DUN 300 A
D. W. Benton 309
Creek
Espy
CLEVELAND
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A. J. Byrne 99
J. W. Albert 60
J. Combs 60
J. A. & Irion 42
J. J. Sherr 47
J. S. Blair 46
T. Newman 25
A. Gerlach 87
J. E. Evans 112
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C. Bolt 80
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Benj. Steiner 158
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G. W. Tanner 38
John Pfeiffer 77.5
WM HETH
Hunt, Robinson & Campbell
Gravel Bank
J. Kissling 81
D. C. Evans 96
J. L. Clarke 200
T. P. Evans 40
Nathaniel Cooke 86
G. W. Tanner 40
T. P. Evans 131
School
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Taylor
John
Manlove
454
No 10103
JOHN MANLOVE 1000 A
Nicholas Refer
S. Stevenson 130
S. Hale 42
H. J. Stevens 40
Spring
Geo P. Frame 114
Chas A. Stevenson 41
32
45
125
Joseph H. Robinson 373
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S. W. Robinson
102
John Evans 40
Louis Hisscaser
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Thos J. Mc Elree 112
J. Jenkins 98
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J. Tuck 130
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E. Burland
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E. S. Vance 254
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David Evans 209
H Myers 71
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J. O. Dodds 47
Wm Patch 47
Smith 6
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W. J. 270
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E. Fuhl 236
Jos. Ichler 70
E. Mc Claid 50
G. H. Schrader 68
J. Cook 10½
S. J. P. Cook 13
Kennard
GEO WEEDON 300 A
J. Hoover 100
Howard Corners
A. Owings 50
Wm Laurence 10064 157
Thos. Mc Crum 55
Wm Ochs 150
Conrad Dorn 107
Sarah Carey 50
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A. Baker 52
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D. Russell 35
James Paver 122
S. Mentzer 60
John C. Johnson 105
Wolf
JOSHUA POYTHRESS
No 10171 1000 A
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David Snodgrass 103
Daniel Gregg 113
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Zimmerman 77½
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M. D. L. 30
Mentzer
WM MOON & CHAS. TALLEY
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Spring
J. Mallow Heirs 100
Frank Schwartz 100
E. Latimer 30
A. P. Stewart 80
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Jackson Chavis 65
Garwood
J. D. Chavis 65
John Garwood 20
Thos. Garwood 90
Jas C. Riverhart 70½
B. F. Cline 49
Lewis Dunson 90
N. Archer 54
D. C. Hatcher 100
ROBERT MEANS
Asher Letson
No 10019 1000 A
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James Harman 50
Mrs. E. Latimer 149½
H A
E
T P
River
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C. Bishop 122½
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John S. Allen 100
N. Rarey No 12094 199
R. MEANS G. CLARK & B. HOUGH
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J. BURTON 666¾ A
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R. F. Roby 56
J. S. Allen 36
A. 49
Williams
M. Eaton 105
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R. MADISON 800 A
Cath Allen 66
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Wm Ochs 150
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P. Quinn 54½
S. Wagner
No 10691
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W. DUN Blue 170 A
Martin Boyle No 10435
JAMES GAIL 285 A
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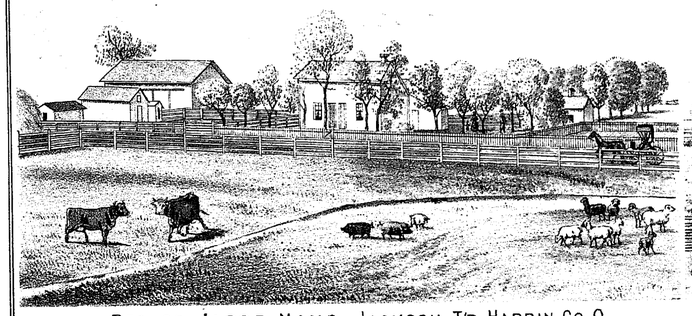

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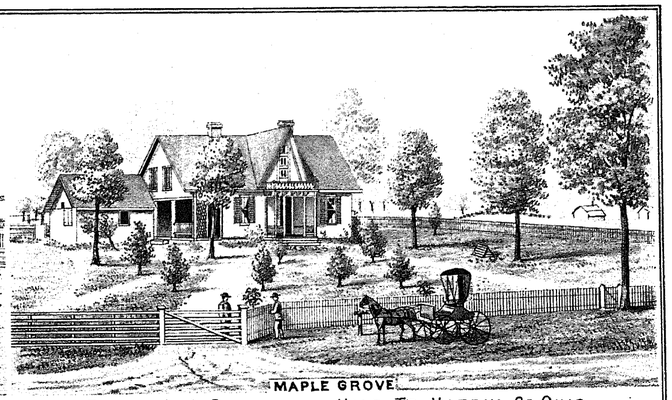

MAPLE GROVE.

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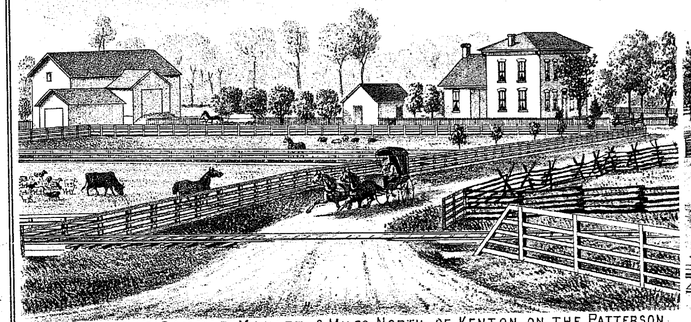
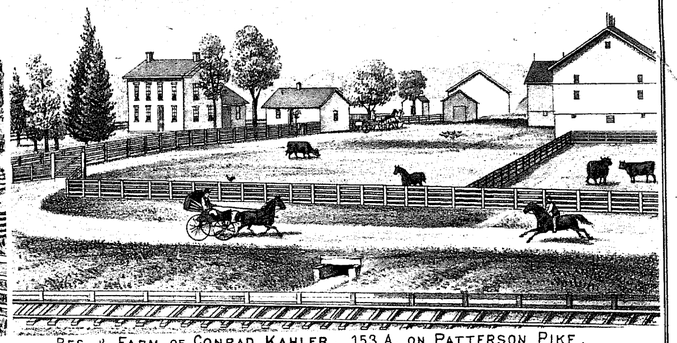


FARM RES. OF **CONRAD KAHLER**, 2 MILES NORTH OF KENTON, ON THE PATTERSON PIKE, FARM OF 422 A. HARDIN CO. OHIO.



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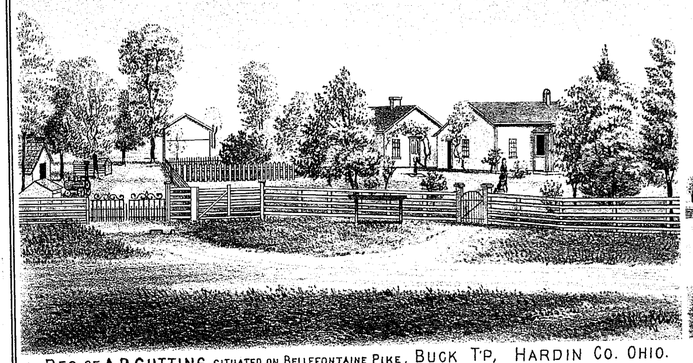
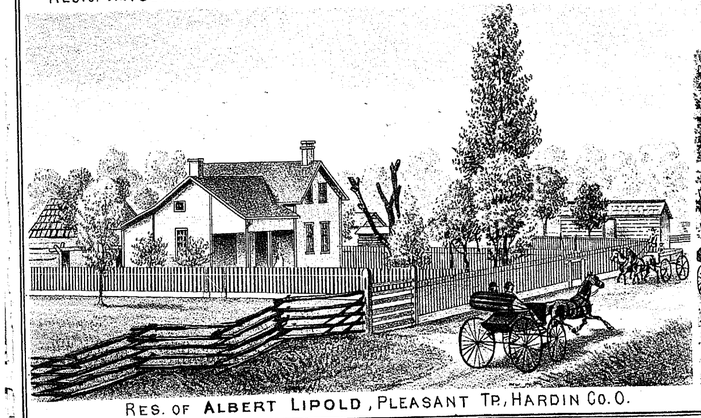


RES. OF **A.P. CUTTING**, SITUATED ON BELLEFONTAINE PIKE, BUCK T'P, HARDIN CO. OHIO.



RES. OF **DWIGHT CALHOUN**, ONE MILE SOUTH OF KENTON, HARDIN COUNTY, OHIO.
GARDENER AND DEALER IN GREENHOUSE PLANTS, SMALL FRUITS, VINES &C.



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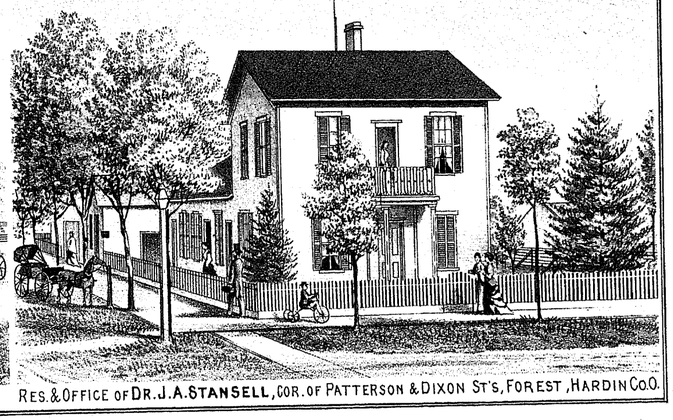

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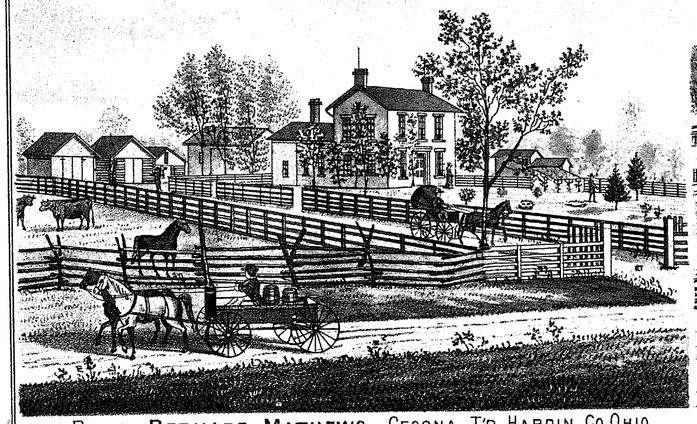

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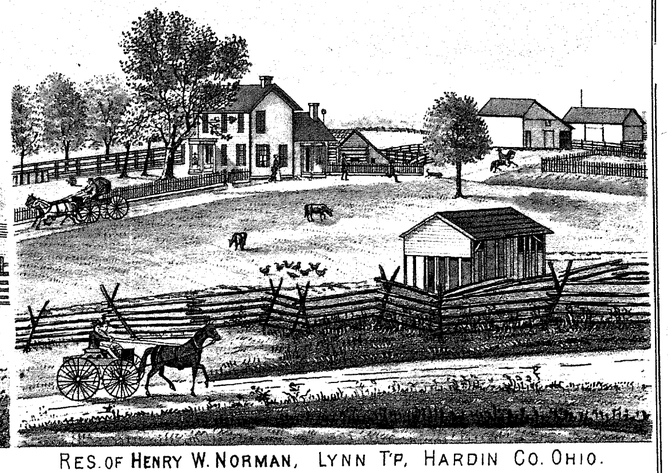

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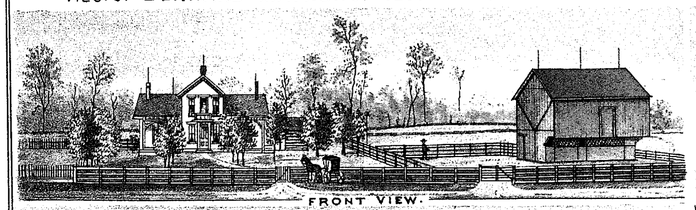
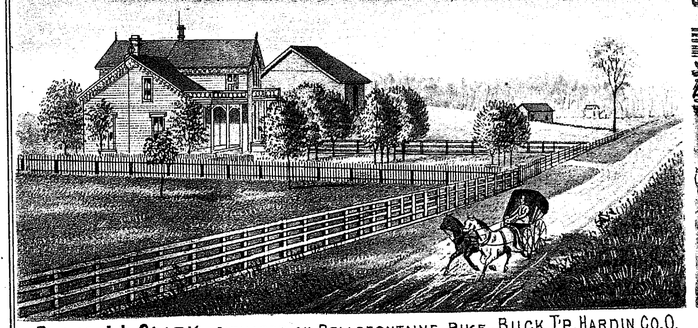


FRONT VIEW.



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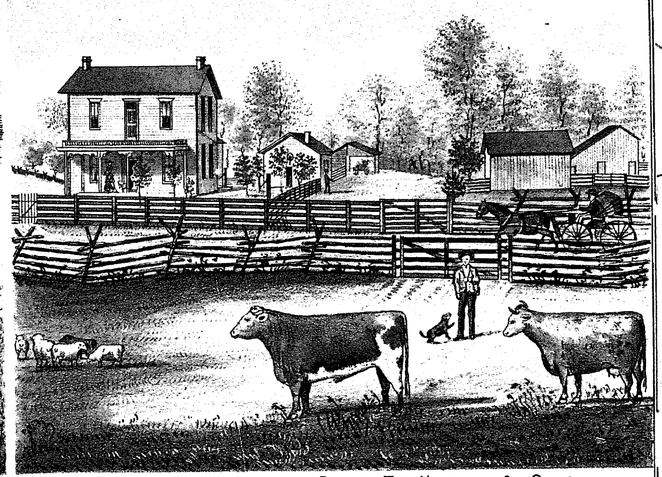

RES. OF **E.H. ALLEN**, BUCK T'P, HARDIN CO. OHIO.



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RES. OF **D. W. BENTON**, SITUATED ON BELLEFONTAINE & KENTON PIKE, BUCK T'P. HARDIN CO. O.
(ONE AND A HALF MILES SOUTH OF KENTON)

ATLAS OF HARDIN CO. O.

McDONALD

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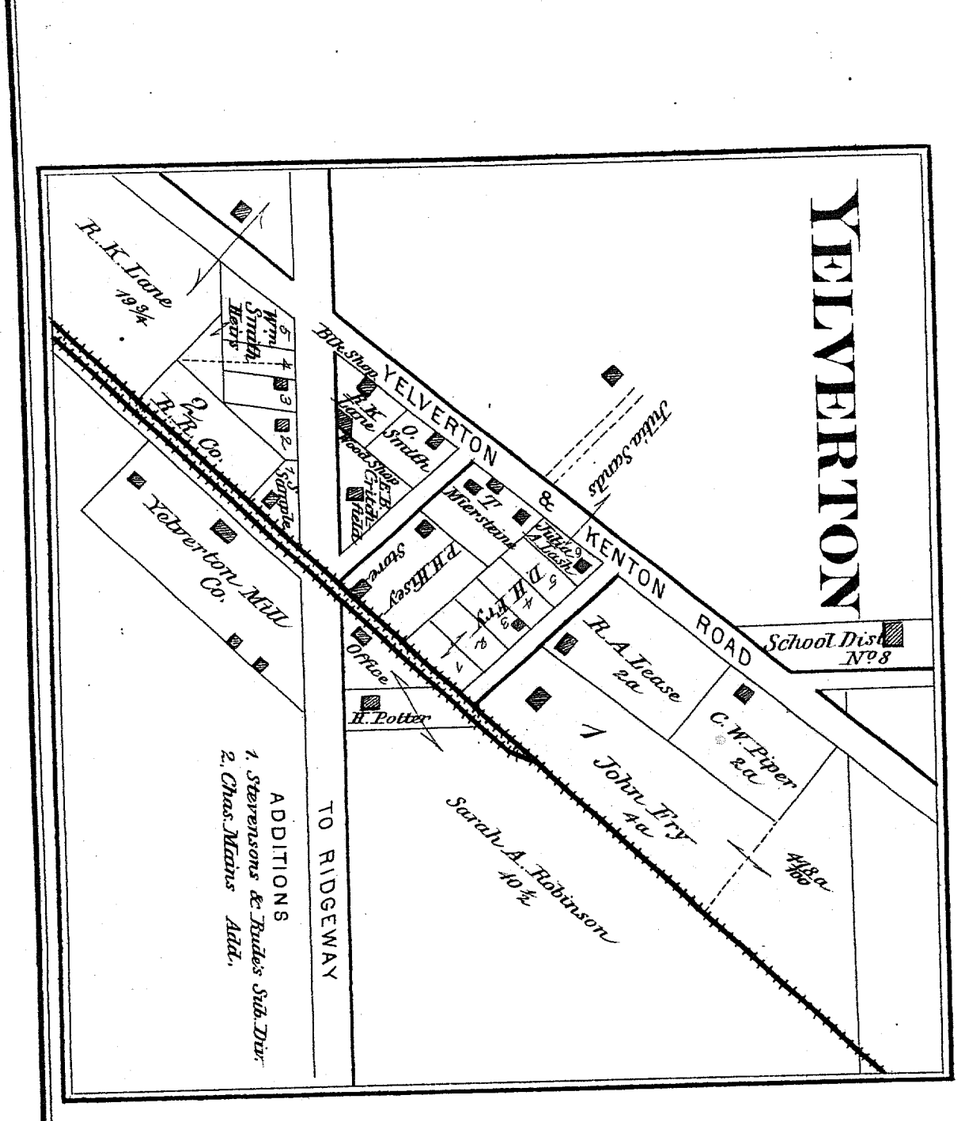

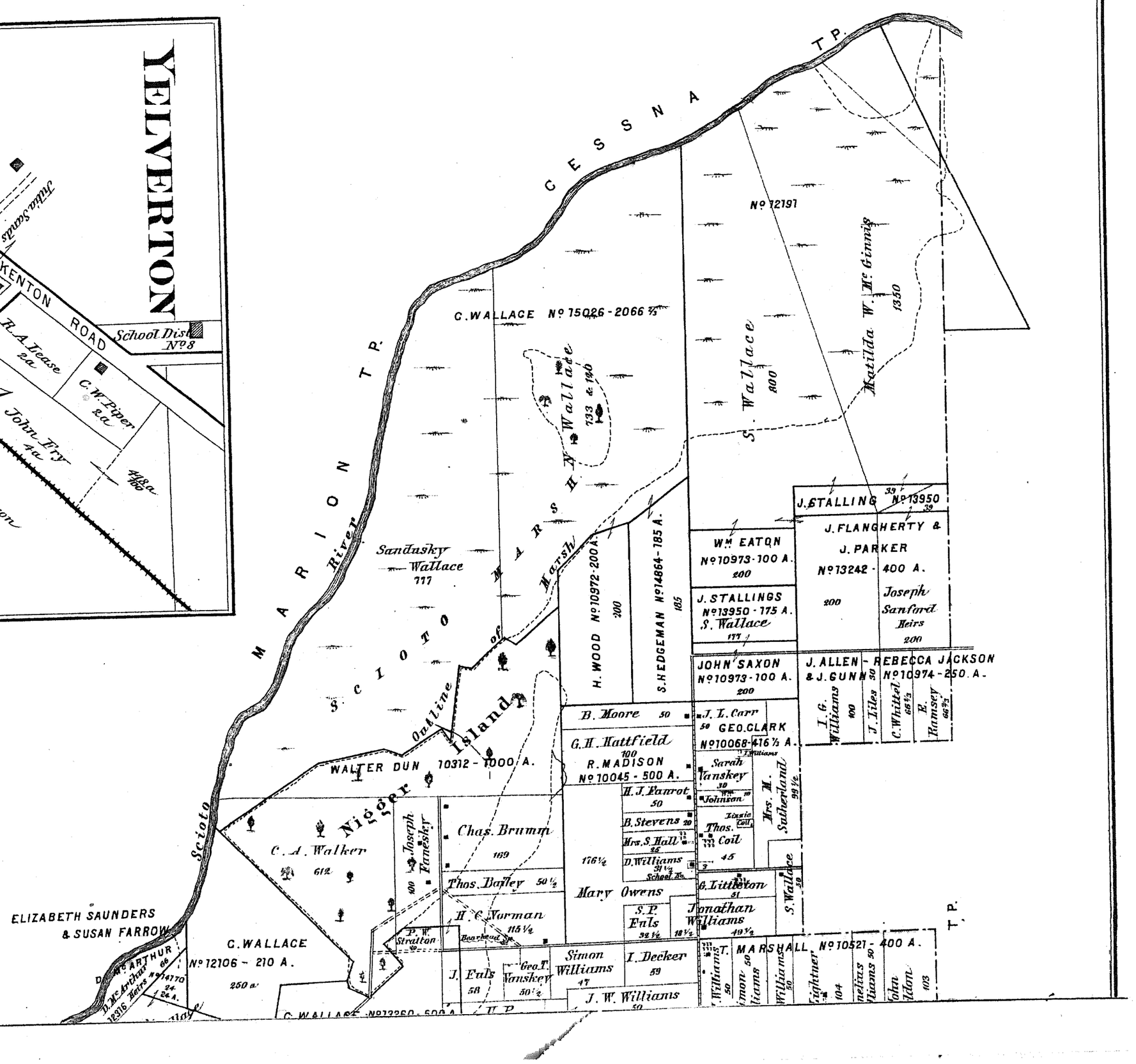

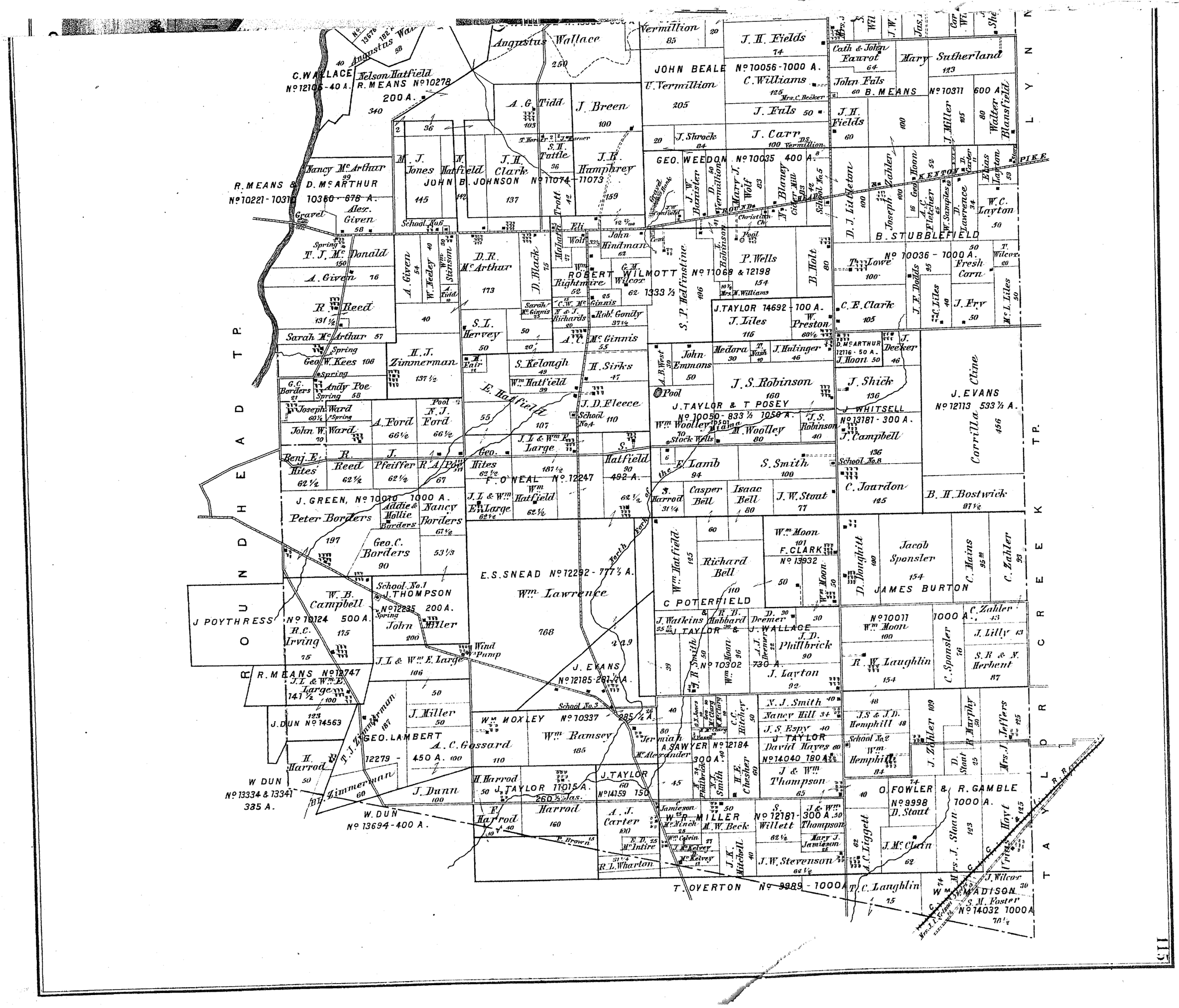
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JOHN PETER.



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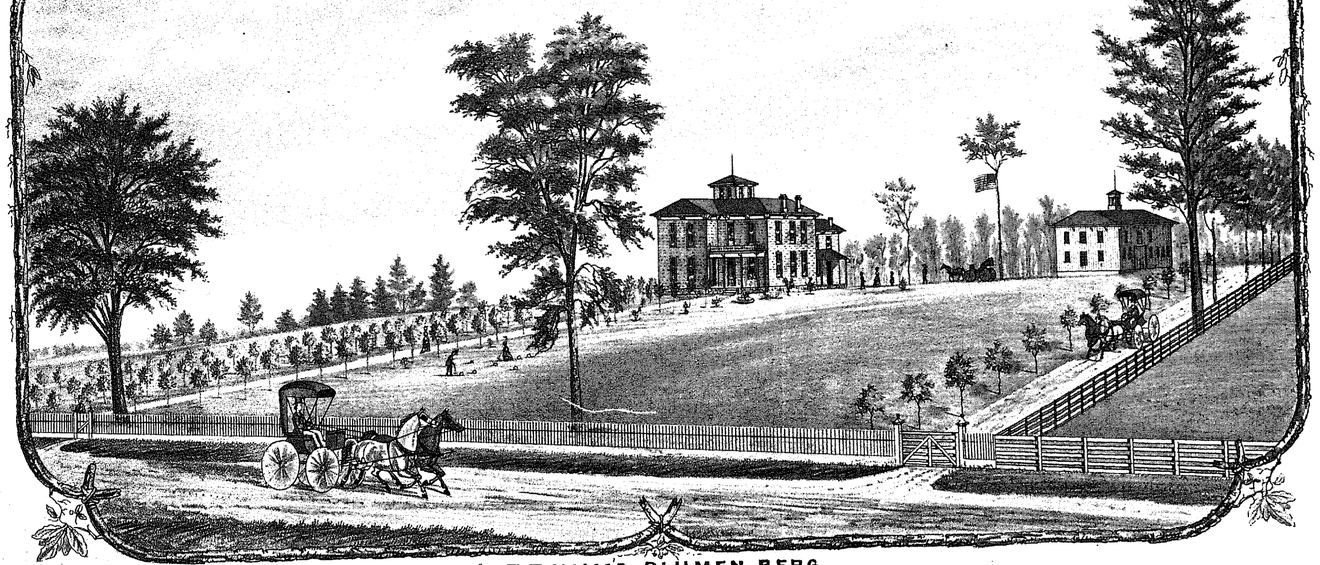

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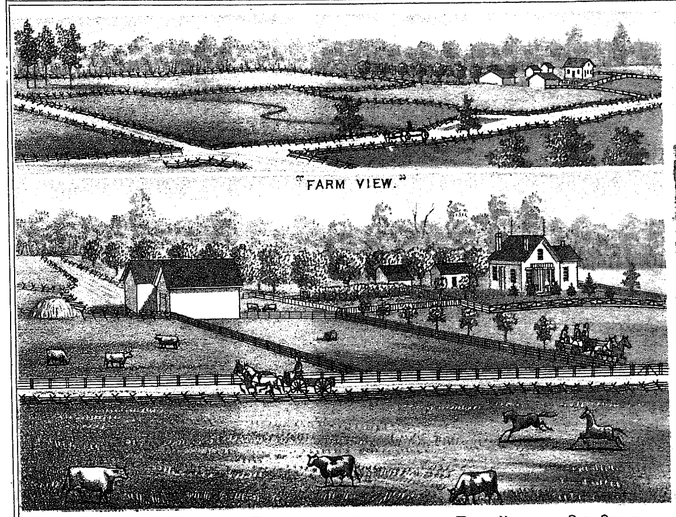

"FARM VIEW."

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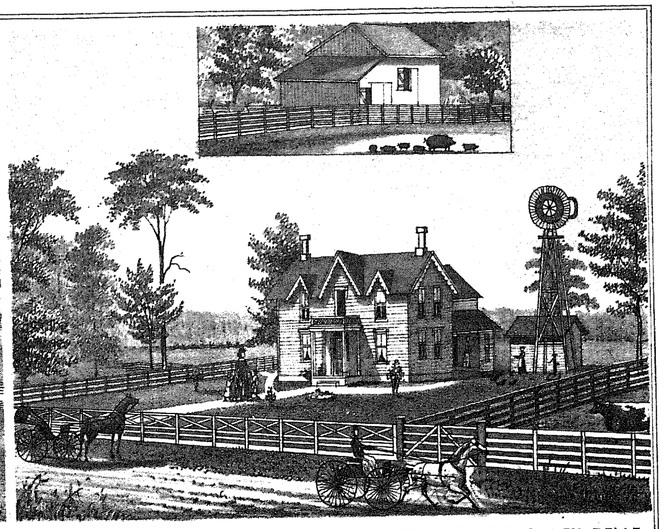

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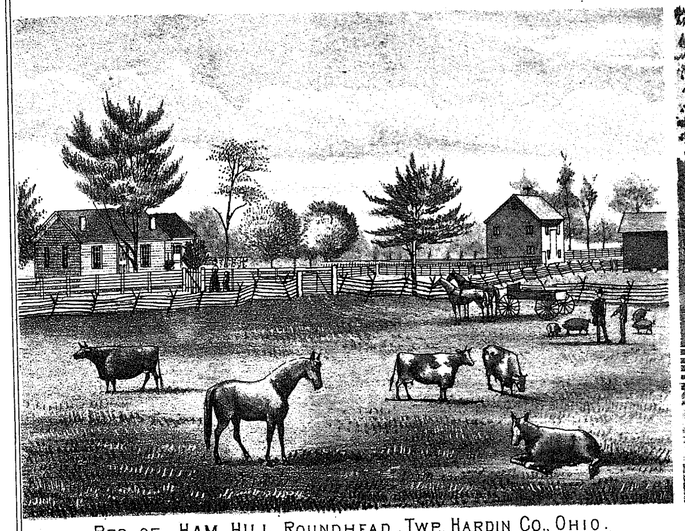

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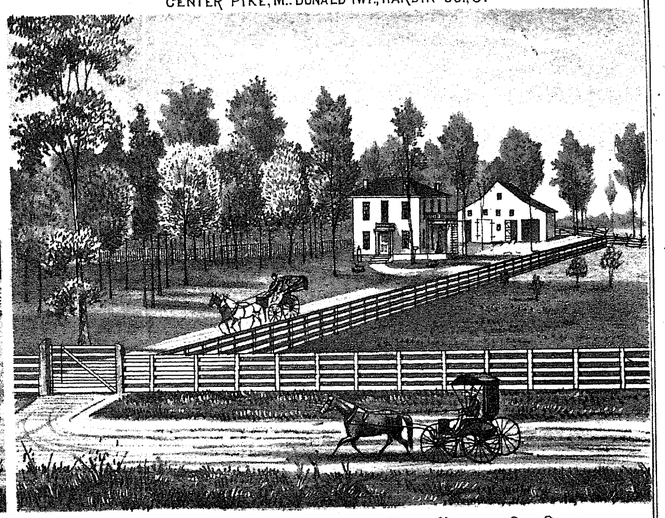

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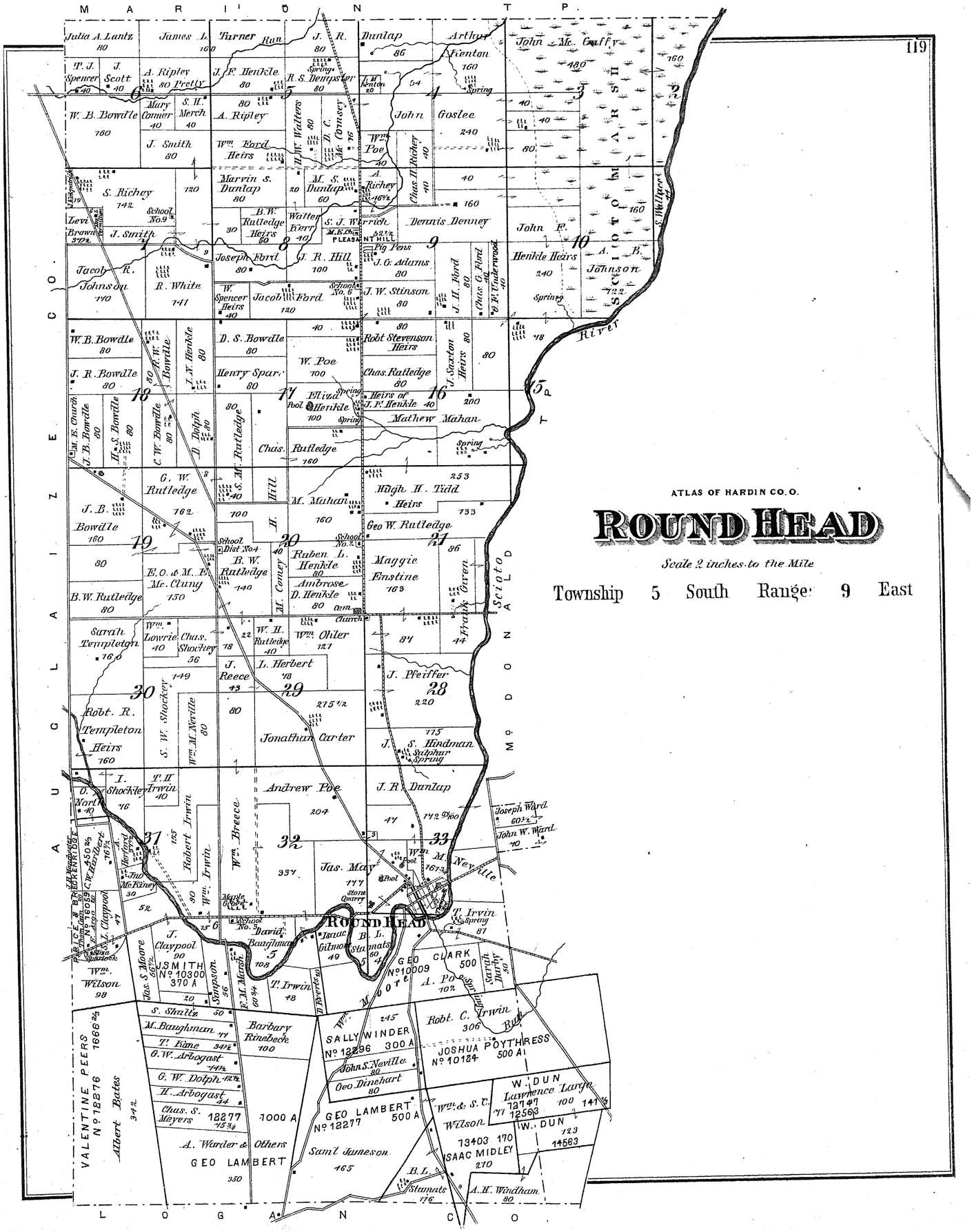
RES. OF GEN. J. S. ROBINSON, KENTON, HARDIN CO., OHIO.



INTERIOR VIEW OF GARRETTSON'S JEWELRY STORE, 2D DOOR S'TH OF POST OFFICE, KENTON, O

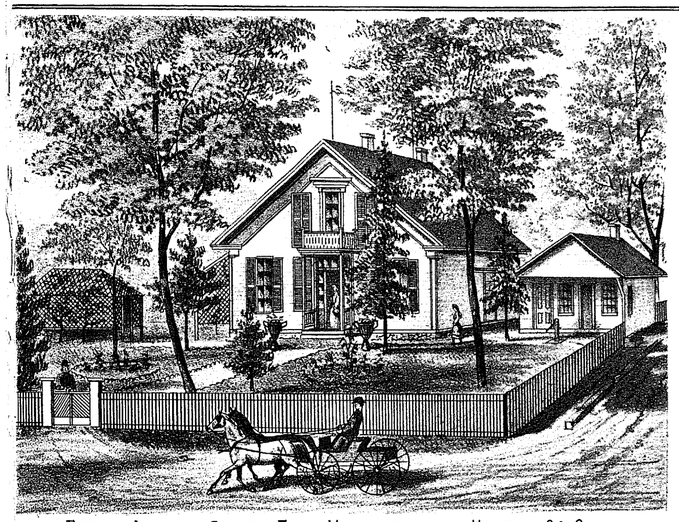


ATLAS OF HARDIN CO. O.

ROUND HEAD

Scale 2 inches to the Mile

Township 5 South Range 9 East



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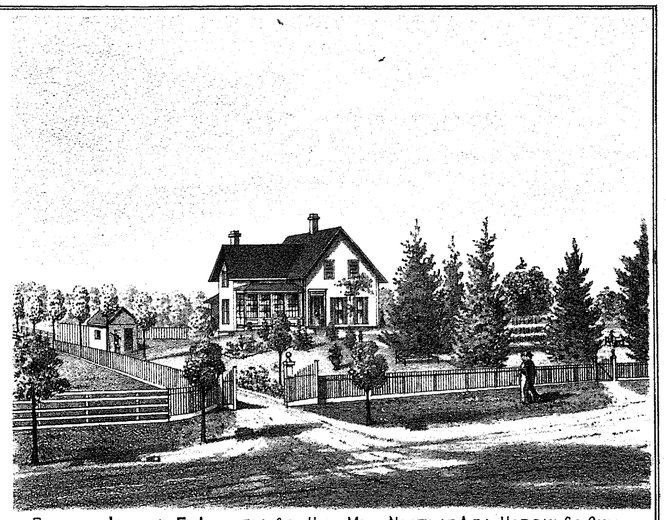

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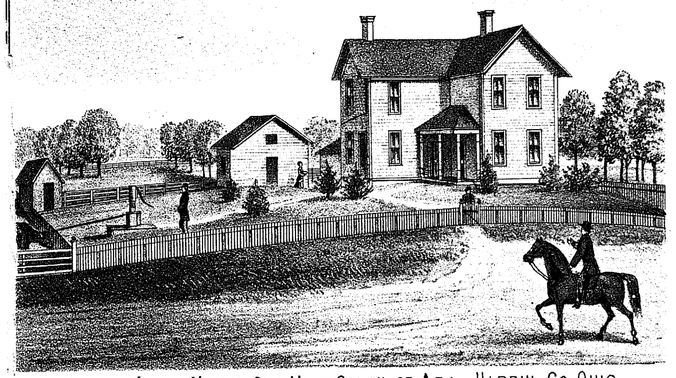

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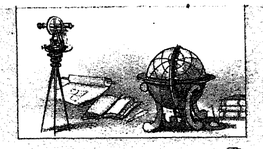

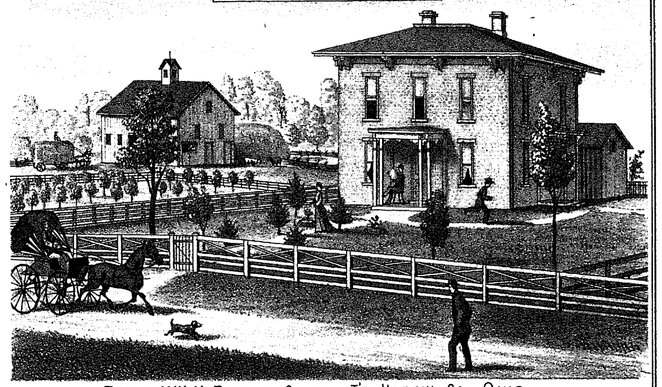

RES. OF **WM H. BROWN**, CESSNA TP. HARDIN CO. OHIO.
SURVEYING & CIVIL ENGINEERING ACCURATLY DONE ON SHORT NOTICE.



CONNER BROS. CARRIAGE & WAGON WORKS, ALL STYLES OF LIGHT & HEAVY WORK KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND, REPAIRING NEATLY DONE
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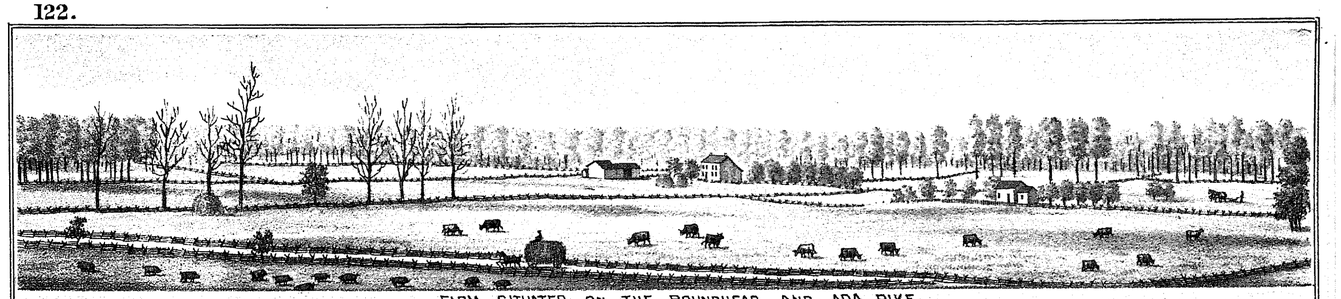
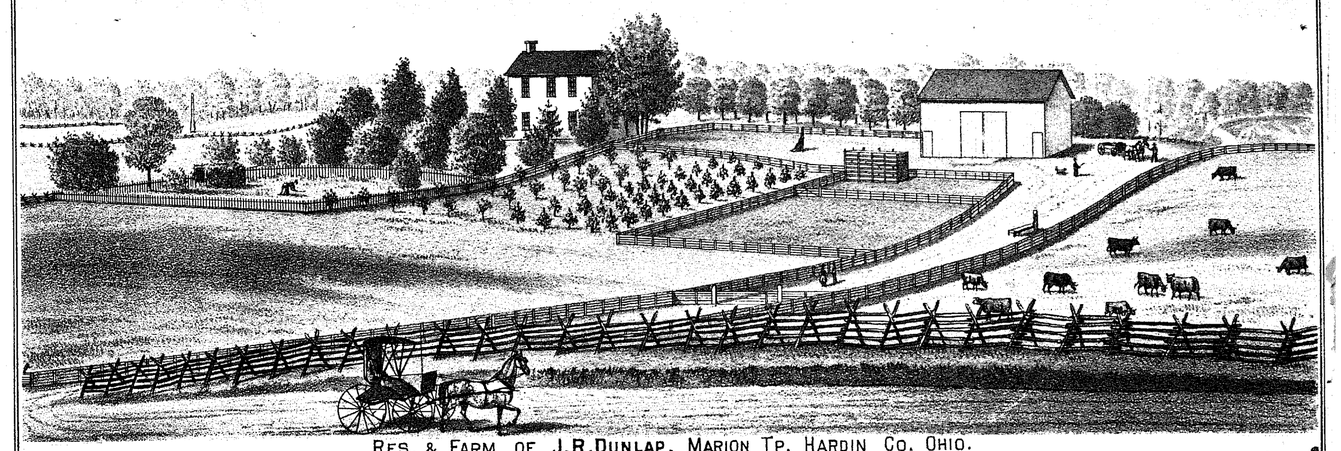


FARM SITUATED ON THE ROUNDHEAD AND ADA PIKE.



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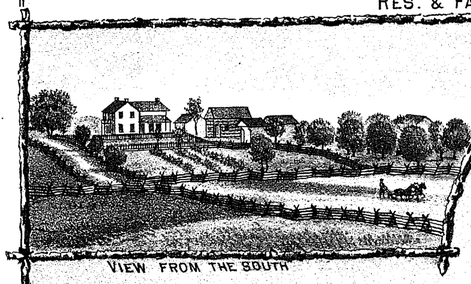

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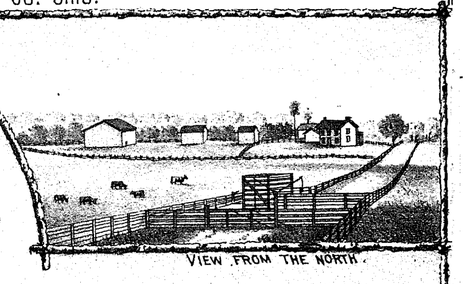

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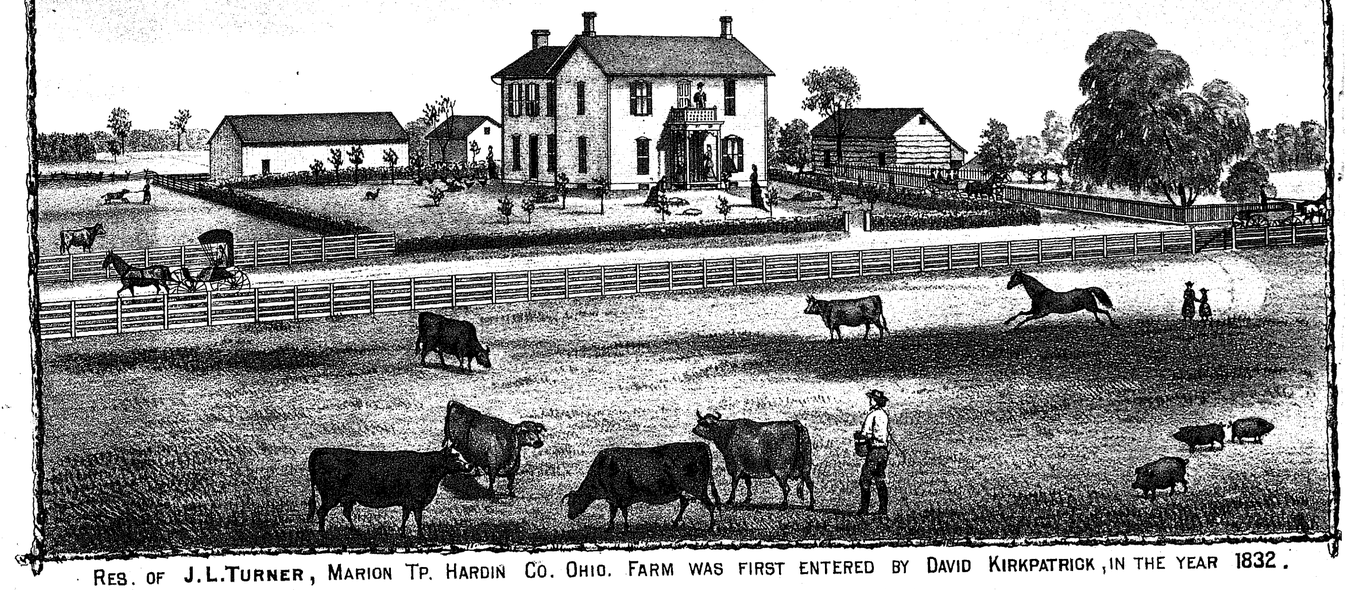


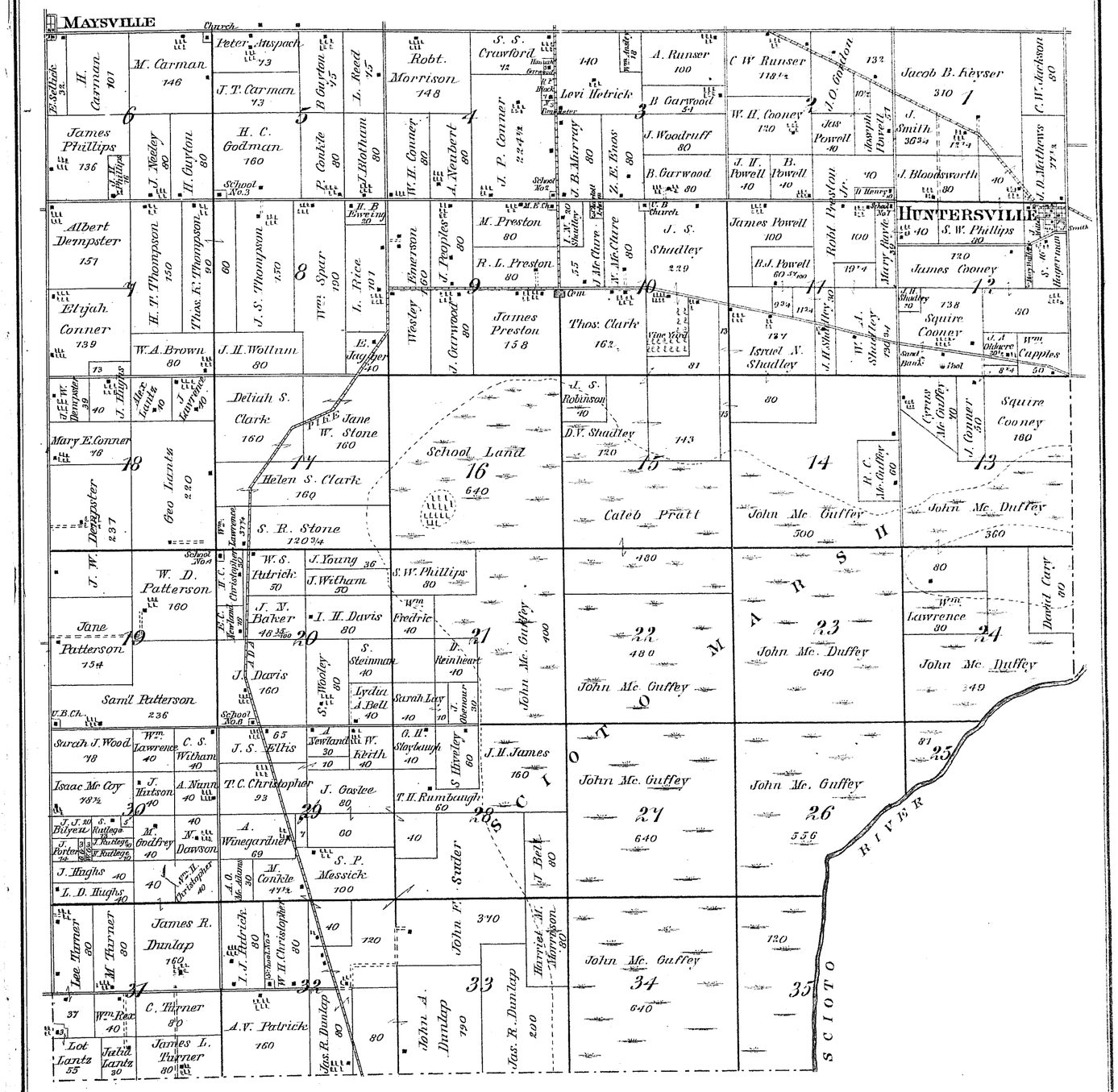
RES. OF J.L.TURNER, MARION TP. HARDIN CO. OHIO. FARM WAS FIRST ENTERED BY DAVID KIRKPATRICK, IN THE YEAR 1832.

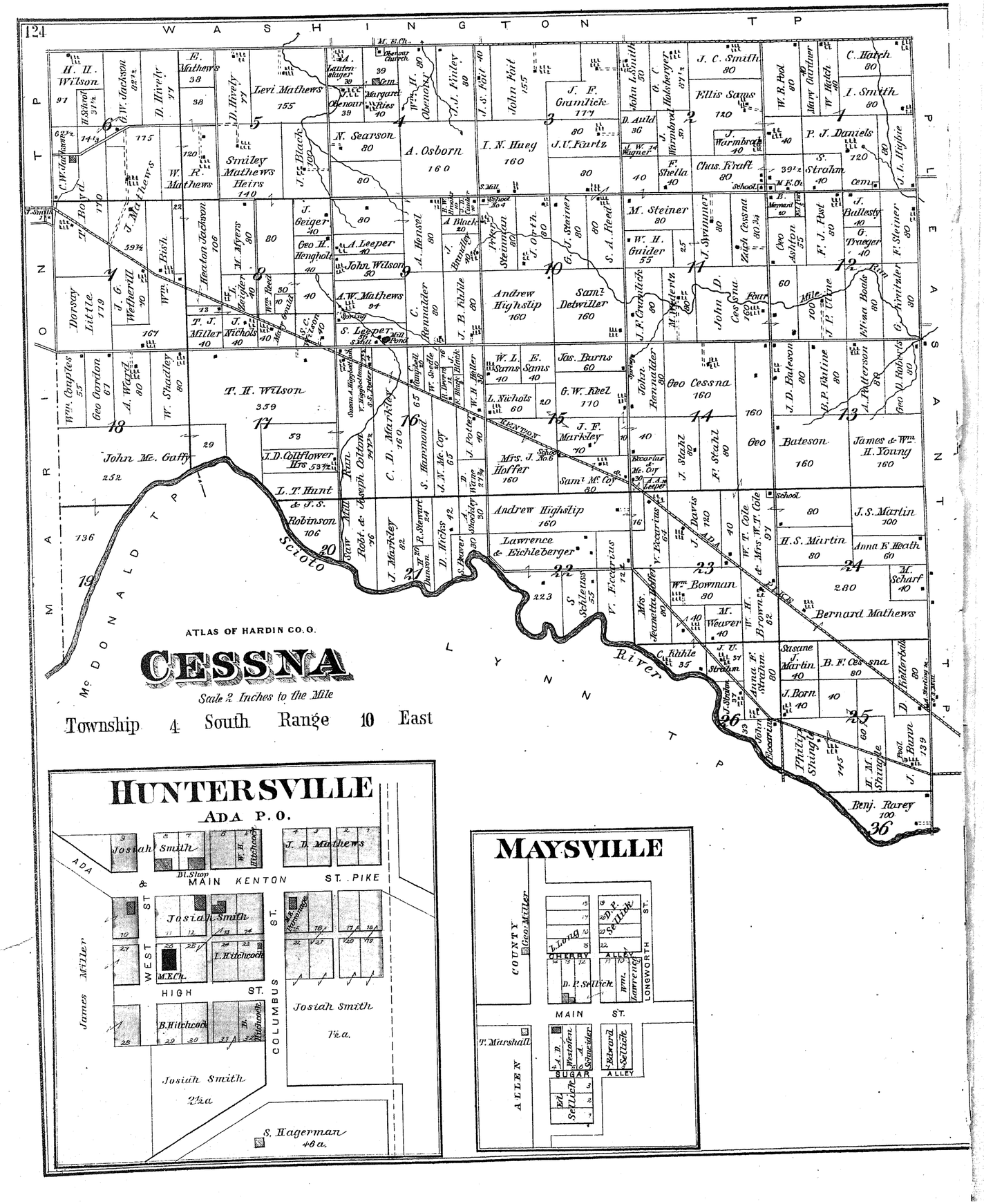
ATLAS OF HARDIN CO.O.

MARION

Scale 2 Inches to the Mile.

Township 4 South Range 9 East





ATLAS OF HARDIN CO. O.

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Scale 2 Inches to the Mile

Township 4 South Range 10 East

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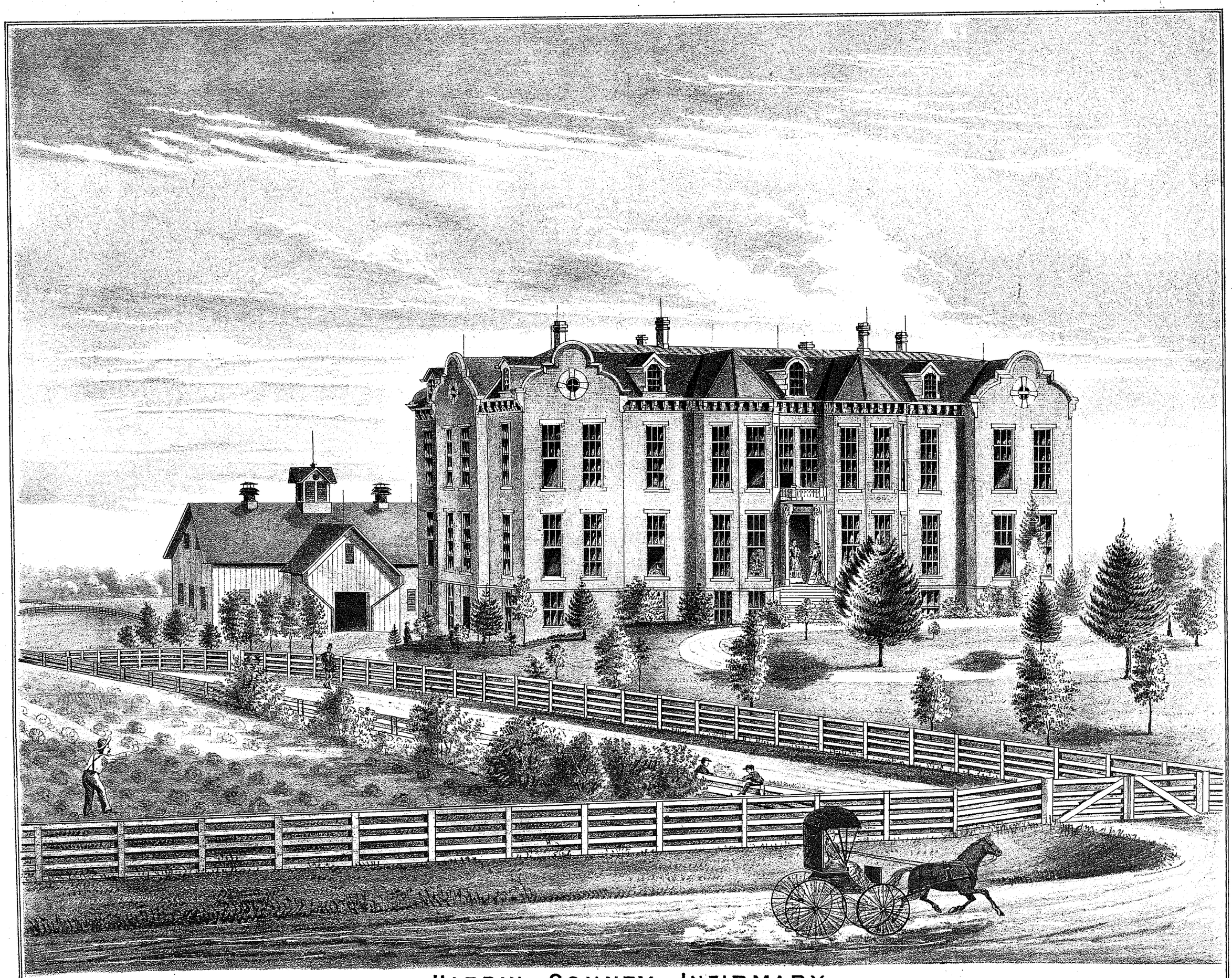
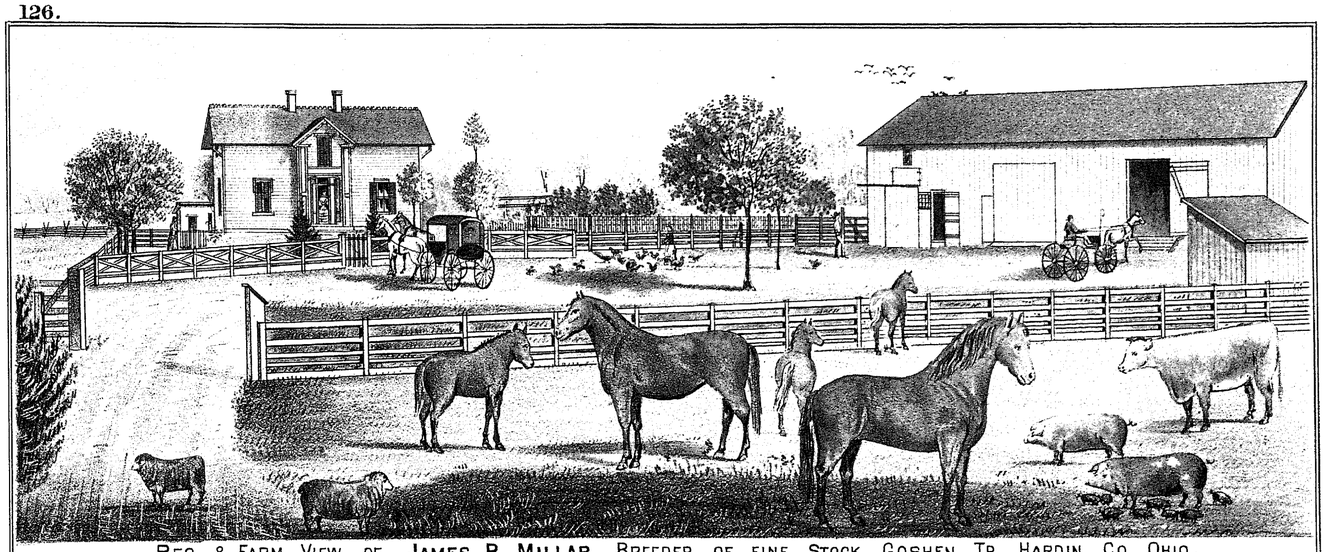
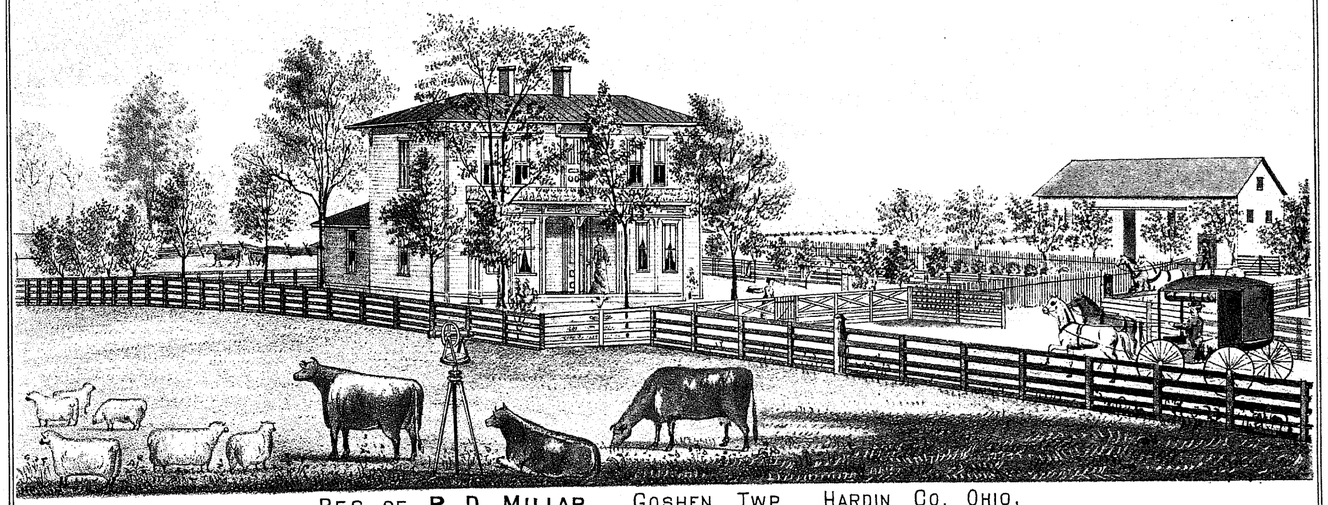
MAYSVILLE



HARDIN COUNTY INFIRMARY.



RES. & FARM VIEW OF **JAMES R. MILLAR**, BREEDER OF FINE STOCK, GOSHEN TP. HARDIN CO. OHIO.



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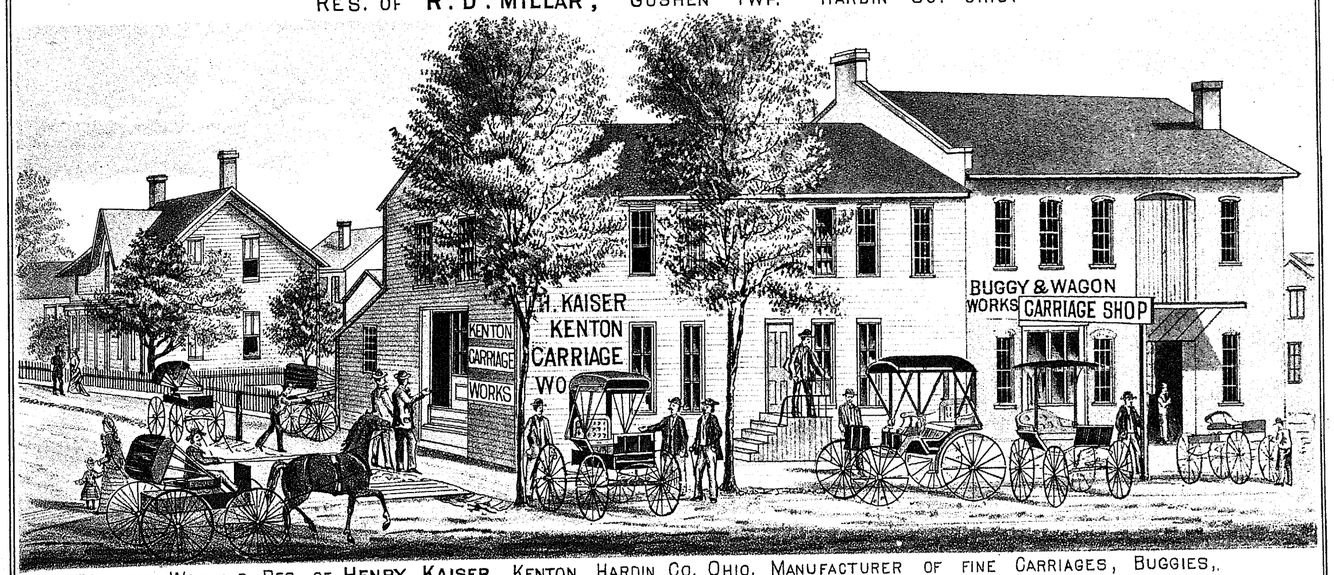

CARRIAGE WORKS & RES. OF **HENRY KAISER**, KENTON, HARDIN CO. OHIO. MANUFACTURER OF FINE CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, SPRING WAGONS & SLEIGHS, REPAIRING NEATLY DONE.

ATLAS OF HARDIN CO. O.

WASHINGTON

Scale 2 Inches to the Mile

Township 3 South Range 10 East

HANCOCK TWP

CESSENA TWP

LIBERTY TWP

BLANCHARD TWP

NORTH WASHINGTON

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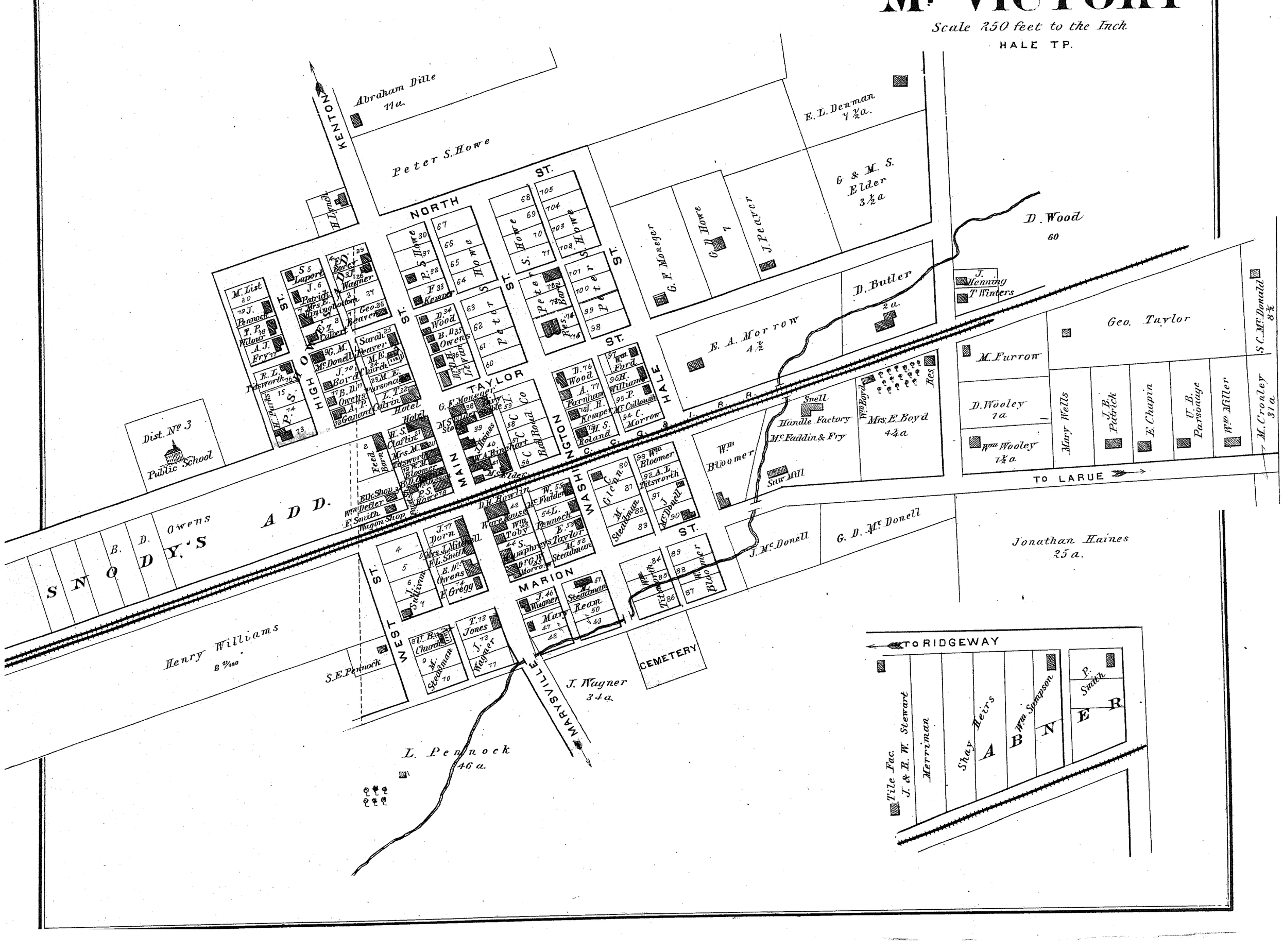
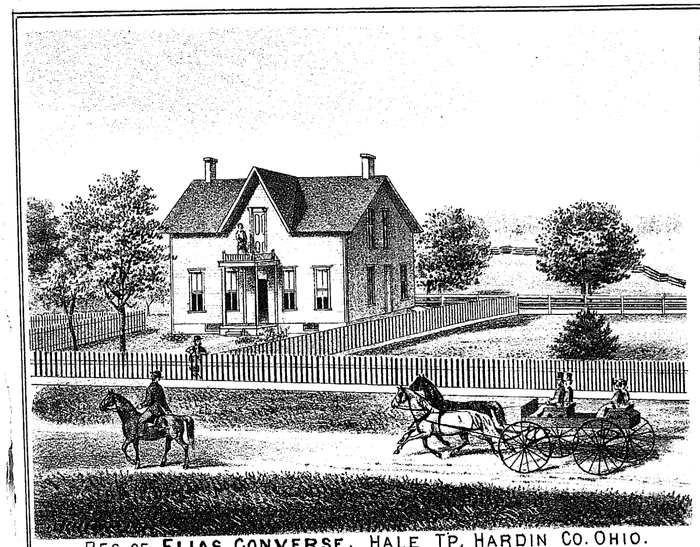
Scale 250 feet to the Inch

HALE TP.

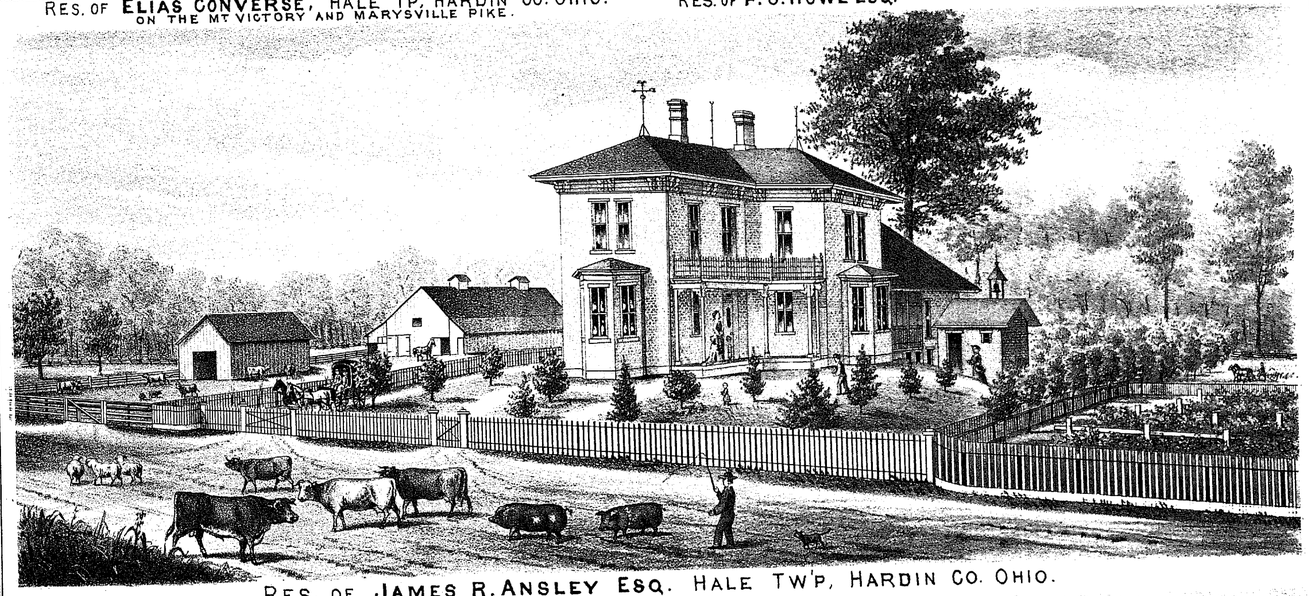




RES. OF **ELIAS CONVERSE**, HALE TP, HARDIN CO. OHIO.
ON THE MT VICTORY AND MARYSVILLE PIKE.



RES. OF **P. S. HOWE ESQ.** "**PARK PLACE**" MT VICTORY, HARDIN CO. O.



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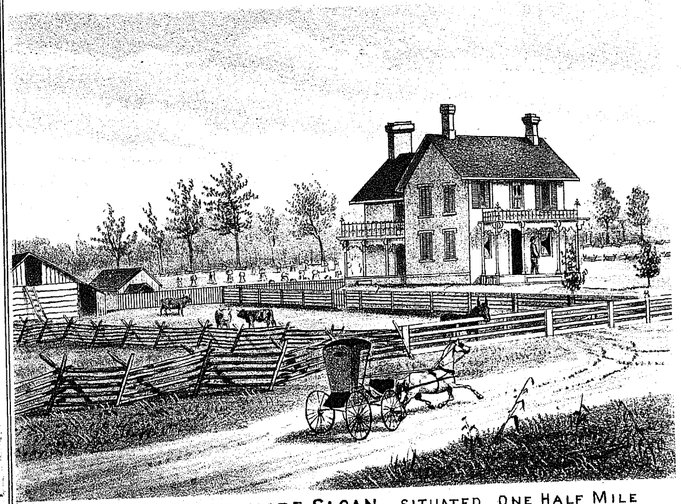
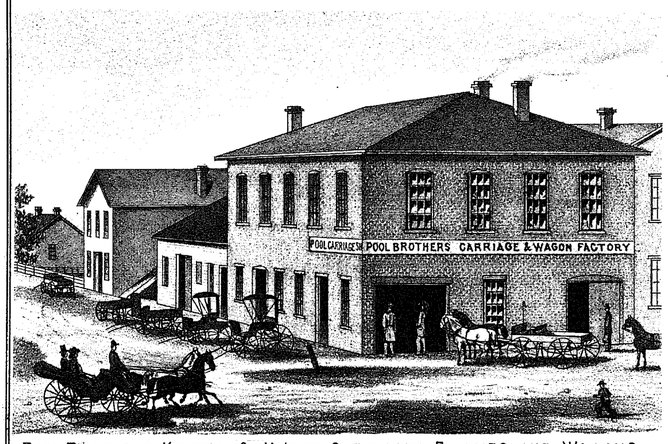


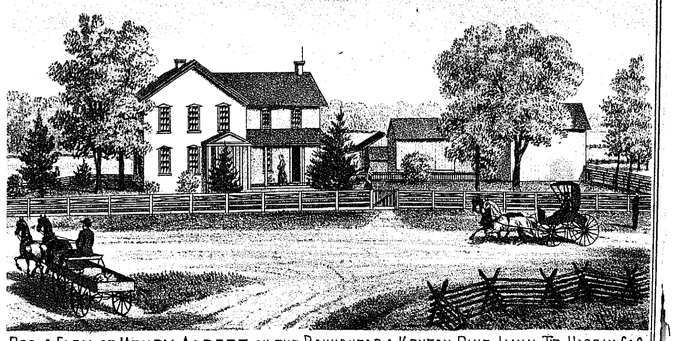
RES. OF **DAVID LONGMORE SLOAN**, SITUATED ONE HALF MILE
EAST OF YELVERTON, HARDIN CO. OHIO.



RES. OF **SAMUEL STEWART ESQ.** 9 MILES SOUTH OF KENTON,
TAYLOR T'P, HARDIN CO, OHIO.



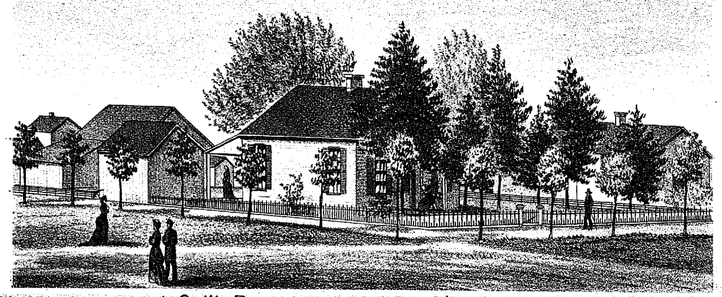
POOL BROTHERS, KENTON, O., MF'S. OF CARRIAGES, BUGGIES AND WAGONS.



RES. & FARM OF HENRY ALBERT, ON THE ROUNDHEAD & KENTON PIKE, LYNN TP, HARDIN CO. O.



LEWIS RUTLEDGE, DECEASED.
AGE 56 YEARS.



G. W. RUTLEDGE'S HOME IN ADA, OHIO.



MRS. JANE RUTLEDGE, DECEASED.
AGE 50 YEARS.



CEMETERY & EARLY HOME OF THE RUTLEDGES. IN ROUNDHEAD TP. SETTLED IN 1833, NOW OWNED BY G. W. RUTLEDGE



OLD HOMESTEAD OF LEWIS RUTLEDGE IN ROUNDHEAD TP, SETTLED IN 1845, NOW OWNED BY C. H. RUTLEDGE.

PATTERSON

ADDITIONS
1. Original Town Plat
2. G. H. Harris Add.

W. H. Seymour
M. Kratt 8 a.
John C. Gardner 76 a.
A. League
Tinnery
John Pool
Mrs. Elizabeth Couples
J. M. Purky
G. Stout
Mrs. E. M. Standifft
Peter Rotlich
A. Smith
TO KENTON
Parsel
P. C. Boslow
Wm. Campbell
James Smitley 6 a.
J. Walker
W. H. Seymour
L. Brashears
Miller Hazle
Dr. J. P. Young
J. R. Dyer
Wm. Smith
M. E. Church
Britton
T. Reily
J. Watson
John C. Gardner 5a
John Perry
John Williams
2 1/2 a.
A. Soryen
Brashares 2.35 a.
6 3/4 a.
Ripley
Wesley
W. Ripley
C. S. & C. R. R.
TO FOREST
I. H. Williams
A. D. Criley
Adam Webb
Mrs. K. Hunt
Mary Copeland
Gardner
Township Lot
Mary Campion
D. Simmons
C. P. Boslow
E. Price
E. Horton
Sherwood
Preacher's Ch.

RIDGWAY

Hale Township

Rutan & Riddle

TO KENTON
C. C. C. & I.
Water Tank
Depot
Bank
Bk. Shop
Store
Blacksmith Shop
Hopkin & Runnells
COUNTY
ELM ST.
HALE ST.
OAK ST.
BUCK ST.
SOUTH ST.
EAST
HARDING
MAIN
LIBERTY
WEST
LINE
R. P. Lukens
Cath. Mc. Cauley 2 a.
M. Oroarke 2 a.
Betty Darftinger 7.66
Wm. Newell
Jacob Sponsler 12 3/4

SILVER CREEK

TAYLOR CREEK TP.

School Dist. No 5
Robt. S. Rice Heirs
Warehouse
Steam Mill
Robt. Y. Ewing
Robt. I. Ewing 8 a.
James Ewing
Wm. Gilmore
Store
J. S. Rice
Gardens
Wm. Sneider
C. F. & I. W. Rice
Saml. Wenaten
9 1/2
27 1/2 a.