WARREN COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY e-news July, 2008

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SUMMER WORKSHOPS CONTINUE

The first five sessions of our popular summer workshops have been well received. The last four sessions are listed below. The July 23rd and July 30th workshops provide a great opportunity to tour both the Records Center and the Recorder's Office.

These free classes, open to the public, will be held from 2-3 PM on the dates indicated at the Warren County Genealogical Society Library, 406 Justice Dr., Lebanon, Ohio 45036. No reservations are necessary, but sign up by phone, e-mail or at the library would be appreciated. Attendance at the previous sessions is not necessary.

- July 16 Census Records
- July 23 County Records & Tour of Warren County Archives
- July 30 Court Records & Tour of Warren County Recorder's Office
- Aug 6 Warren County Records taught by Chuck Griffen

Those attending will receive a complimentary 183 page Workshop Manual. You may also purchase a copy for \$10. (add \$1 shipping plus Ohio sales tax to mail orders)

Contact the society at 513 695 1144 or wcgs@co.warren.oh.us for more information.

See pdf Workshop Announcement at

http://www.co.warren.oh.us/genealogy/meeting-2008-summer.pdf

LAST CIVIL WAR VETERAN BURIED IN WARREN COUNTY

The Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, Department of Ohio have an ongoing program to honor the last Civil War soldier buried in each county. This year they plan to honor John Cafferty Winters, who served as a Squirrel Hunter and in Company G, 2nd Ohio Heavy Artillery. http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohwarren/military/cw.htm#Winters

John Cafferty Winters lived most of his life in the Franklin/Carlisle area but passed away in Coral Cables Florida in January of 1940. He was buried in the Hendrickson family plot at the New Jersey Presbyterian Church Cemetery which is also the final resting place of his wife Sarah Amanda (Hendrickson) Winters and their only son Lewis Winters who died without issue. Since he has no living heirs, the SUVCW would like to locate other living relatives of the extended Winters/Hendrickson families. If you can help, please let us know or you can contact Larry Collins of the SUVCW directly at lwc7667@fuse.net

ARMCO PARK TO BECOME PART OF THE WARREN COUNTY PARK DISTRICT

The Warren County Park District is scheduled to acquire the Armco Park property on State Route 741. The area has a rich history which can be traced back to the Shaker community of Union Village, including the burying ground for the North Family of the Shakers, an Indian mound and a sugar camp.

Sue Frary, representing the Warren County Genealogical Society, has made some preliminary contact with the Park District and County Commissioners in an effort to help with all of the historic aspects of the cemetery. If anyone has any materials, personal knowledge or any other aspect of the park history, please let us know. You can contact Sue directly at ob4510@go-concepts.com

HEIR LINES, SUMMER 2008 EDITION

The latest edition of Heir Lines was mailed out to members in June. If you haven't received your copy please let us know. Our thanks to Harriet Foley for the great job she is doing as the Heir Lines Editor. We've had a number of favorable comments on the articles in this edition. As a reminder, members may submit queries for publication by either mail or email. Please be sure to specify that it is a query intended for Heir Lines. We have had some questions regarding the member list included in this edition. The list in this edition only contains names that were not included in the full membership list published in the Spring 2008 edition.