# WARREN COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY e-News June 2012

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#### 2012 SUMMER GENEALOGY CLASS SCHEDULE

Dana Palmer's popular Summer Genealogy Classes will be held on the indicated dates from 2 to 3 PM in our resource library at 406 Justice Drive. The fee for the series of 8 sessions is \$40 and will include a detailed workbook, and CD. Advance reservations are not required but would be greatly appreciated for planning purposes. For more information, contact the society at 513 695 1144 or wcgs@co.warren.oh.us

- 6 Jun 2012 Get it Together: Organizing Your Family Research
- 13 Jun 2012 RootsMagic
- 20 Jun 2012 Online Genealogy Resources
- 27 Jun 2012 Hidden Treasures at Family Search
- 25 Jul 2012 Tricks to Success Online Census Research
- 1 Aug 2012 If You Don't Find Grandma on the Internet: Using Local Records
- 8 Aug 2012 Preserving Your Records & Research in the Digital Age: Part 1
- 15 Aug 2012 Preserving Your Records & Research in the Digital Age: Part 2

# **HEIR LINES Summer, 2012**

The latest edition of our Heir Lines Quarterly was mailed to members on June 1st. Table of Contents

WCGS wins OGS Awards

Warren Co. Obituary Index

The Crolls and Andersons

Pedigree Charts: Barbara Bunnell, Lydia Ann Gustin, John Welsh, Samuel Davis, Adelaide Hathaway, Brenda Lee Randall & Judah Hall.

# 4<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CEMETERY RESTORATION CLINIC. Saturday, 8 Sep 2012

The restoration clinic for this year will be held at the <u>Null Cemetery</u> near Springboro. Spend a full day in the cemetery learning the proper techniques of cemetery repair and restoration ~ identifying, cleaning, repairing grave markers ~ learn by doing. The cost of this all day seminar is still only \$40 and includes a picnic lunch and extensive workshop materials. See our virtual cemetery page for the Null Cemetery at <u>http://goo.gl/xclRa</u>

# 2012 PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Unless otherwise noted, All meetings are held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month beginning at 7:30 PM in the Phillippi Meeting Room of the Campus Center at the Otterbein Retirement Community, 585 N State Rte 741 (north of Rte 63), Lebanon, Ohio.

19 Sep 2012: The Underground Railroad (tentative)

17 Oct 2012: Finding Ancestral Places of Origin in Germany by Bob Rau

8 Sep 2012: 4th Annual Cemetery Restoration Clinic

14 Nov 2012: The War of 1812 (tentative)

19 Dec 2012: Annual Holiday Social Gathering

#### WAR OF 1812 (June 18, 1812 – February 18, 1815)

June 18th marks the 200th Anniversary of the start of the War of 1812.

A list of Warren County veterans from Mary Everhart's book is available at <u>http://www.co.warren.oh.us/genealogy/LWF-War-of-1812.htm</u> and additional information regarding some of them may be viewed at <u>http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohwarren/military/1812.htm</u>. Images of "Index to Compiled Service Records" are available for free at <u>http://archive.org/details/indextocompileds01unit</u>. We have provided a finding aid to these records at <u>http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohwarren/military/m602.htm</u>

Fold3 continues to add free images to pension files at <u>http://www.fold3.com/title\_761/war\_of\_1812\_pension\_files/</u> and are up to the Blake surname in Ohio. So far, we have only found two from Warren County in the Collection - <u>James Abbott</u> & <u>Abraham Baker</u>.

If you know of others from Warren County who served in the War of 1812, please let us know so we may add them to our Warren County Military Heritage Collection.

### 1940 CENSUS COMMUNITY INDEXING PROJECT http://goo.gl/XzZ9i

In two months, the on line community effort has indexed 57% of the 1940 U.S. census including 37% of the Ohio records. It isn't too late to join our Warren County Genealogical Society indexing group. Go on line at https://the1940census.com/; download the indexing software and then join the WCGS Group. Email your user name to our administrator, Dana Palmer at apalmer@cinci.rr.com. Warren County Enumeration Districts may be viewed at http://goo.gl/XzZ9i

# LIBRARY ADDITIONS

We wish to thank Roger Stiles for donating the following books to our Resource Library.

- Miller, Kenneth Duane. *The Prayer Family of Heckholzhausen, Germany and Descendants in America*. Chicago: Stewart Printing Company, 1957. 175 pages.
- Price, Barbara Fryer. Fryer's Delight. Waco, TX: Texan Press, 1989. 347 pages.
- Guild, Mary Stiles (Paul). The Stiles Family in America: Genealogies of the Massachusetts Family, Descendants of Robert Stiles of Rowley, Mass. 1659-1891 and the Dover, N. H. Family, Descendants of William Stiles of Dover, N. H. 1702-1891. Albany, NY: Joel Munsell's Sons, 1892. 544 pages

# WARREN COUNTY VIRTUAL CEMETERY PROJECT at http://goo.gl/YSRaS

The <u>Runyan Cemetery</u> in Harlan Twp. has been added to our Virtual Cemetery Project. The photos of the extant gravestones in this small landlocked cemetery may be viewed at <u>http://goo.gl/mzQZh</u>. Additional photos were added in May for <u>Dicks Creek</u>, <u>Lebanon</u>, <u>Miami</u>, <u>Rose</u> <u>Hill</u> and <u>Woodhill</u> cemeteries. We now have on line photos available for 43,052 burials in 93 different Warren County Cemeteries. If you are interested in helping with this project, please contact either Dana Palmer or Arne Trelvik at (513) 695 1144 or email us at wcgs@co.warren.oh.us.

#### WARREN COUNTY MILITARY HERITAGE http://goo.gl/uWutD

=> Veteran Photos: Email a photo of your veteran to <u>atrelvik@gmail.com</u>

=> Civil War Widow's Pensions available on <u>www.fold3</u> continues to grow and is now up to at least widow certificate number 100,060. We have updated our online <u>Warren County Widow's Pension Application File Index</u> by adding <u>George Riley Carroll</u> and <u>Stephen Ranson</u> to our list of known on line pensions. Do you know of others? Let us know.

=>\* Warren County Civil War 150 Roll of Honor, June, 1862 - 9 dead, 3 wounded and 1 taken prisoner.

- <u>Killed or Mortally Wounded</u>:
- <u>Thomas J. Cox</u>, 69<sup>th</sup> OVI; <u>Henry Jacobs</u>, 75<sup>th</sup> OVI; <u>George D. Wilson</u>, 2<sup>nd</sup> OVI [Mitchel Raider hung as a spy].
  <u>Wounded</u>:
- William Hudnell, 5<sup>th</sup> OVI; OVI; Orlando Moon, 5<sup>th</sup> OVI; George Shoemaker (unit not known)
  Captured:
- Orlando Moon, 5<sup>th</sup> OVI
  Died from Disease or Other (
- <u>Died from Disease or Other Causes</u>: <u>Job Braddock</u>, 35<sup>th</sup> OVI; <u>Henry A. Christ</u>, 31<sup>st</sup> OVI; <u>Leander Green</u>, 17<sup>th</sup> OVI; <u>John B. Hall</u>, 4<sup>th</sup> OVC; <u>William R. Owens</u>, 27<sup>th</sup> KyVI; James L. Rowan, 69<sup>th</sup> OVI.

=>See <u>http://goo.gl/uWutD</u> or <u>http://www.co.warren.oh.us/genealogy/warsmain.htm</u> for other veteran information.

#### **OTHER SOCIETY EVENTS**

29 Aug – 1 Sep 2012 "FGS Conference" Birmingham, Alabama. See <u>http://www.fgs.org/2012conference/</u>

<>21-23 Mar 2013 "RootsTech Conference" Salt Lake City, Utah. See http://rootstech.org/home

<> 8–11 May 2013 "NGS Conference" Las Vegas, Nevada. Hotel reservations at <u>http://www.ngsgenealogy.org/cs/accommodations</u>

#### OHIO GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY http://www.ogs.org

The Ohio Genealogical Society is located at the Samuel D. Isaly Library, 611 State Route 97, Bellville, Ohio 44813. Phone (419) 886-1903. <u>Annual membership</u> includes home access to <u>http://www.heritagepursuit.com</u> (Ohio County Histories).

18 Aug 2012: 27th Annual Chapter Management Seminar held at Chillicothe, Ohio (free to OGS & WCGS members)

6 Oct 2012: OGS Fall Conference featuring J. Mark Lowe. http://www.ogs.org/fallseminar2012.php

19-20 Oct 2012: 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual OGS Cemetery Restoration Clinic being held at Gallia County, Ohio

25-27 Apr 2013: OGS Annual Conference being held at the Millennium Hotel in Cincinnati, Ohio http://www.ogs.org/conference2013/

#### WARREN COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

WCGS has over 150 Warren County Genealogical publications available for purchase. Visit our website for a list of books and order form. http://www.co.warren.oh.us/genealogy/publications.htm

Membership is \$10 for a single membership, \$15 for a family membership or \$100 for a Life Membership.

Membership application forms are available at <u>http://www.co.warren.oh.us/genealogy/aboutus.htm#Membership</u>

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**LIBRARY HOURS**: Mon-Fri from 9am to 4pm [subject to closing for inclement weather, volunteer illness, etc.]