

WARREN COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY e-News Nov. 2011

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Fantastic Shadows Upon the Ground, The Thirty-fifth Ohio Volunteer Infantry in the Civil War

Book signing and presentation by Greg Fugitt

Wednesday, November 16, 2011 at 7:30 PM in the Phillippi Meeting Room of the Campus Center at the Otterbein Retirement Community
Greg Fugitt of Hamilton is the author of this 2011 book published by [Little Miami Publishing](#). Indomitable but nearly invisible to history, the untold story of the 35th Ohio Volunteer Infantry, the original Permisson Regiment, is brought to light in *Fantastic Shadows Upon the Ground*. After two years on the fringes of the war, the regiment proved to be the best of combat soldiers in the Army of the Cumberland's two battles for Chattanooga, Tennessee. Stories of the soldiers' personal experiences with harsh conditions, enemy soldiers, Southern hostility, and escaped slaves describe what it was like to spend three years in the middle of America's most terrible war.

Hundreds of Warren County soldiers served in the 35th OVI, mostly in Company A or F. Greg's presentation will highlight Warren County Soldiers John H. Bate, James H. Bone, Joseph A. Budd, Lewis F. Daugherty, Charles L'H. Long, Joseph W. O'Neill & Oliver H. Parshall. Also see [Warren County in the War, Part VIII](#) that deals with the recruitment of Company A in and around Lebanon.

Following the presentation, Greg will be available to sign copies of his book.

HELP!!! If you have any photos of the soldiers named above, please consider sharing a digital copy for use during the presentation.

CEMETERY RESTORATION CLINIC, PIONEER CEMETERY, LEBANON, OHIO, OCTOBER 22, 2011

Our third annual Cemetery Restoration Clinic was a great success with participants coming from all over southwest Ohio and as far away as Ashland, Ohio. We started out with a frosty fall morning, but it was a beautiful sunny day that warmed up nicely. Walt and Micki Walters from the [Graveyard Groomer](#) presented an outstanding program. We are grateful for the time and effort devoted to the clinic by Chairman Terry Easton and Chairwoman Dana Palmer who were supported in a variety of ways by other Warren County Genealogical Society volunteers including Vicki Bergerhouse, Marti Daubenmire, Diana Linkous, Candy Taylor and Arne Trelvik. We must also thank the City of Lebanon for the support they provided for the clinic, especially Scott Brunka, Deputy City Manager, and Sonny Redmon who heads up the care and maintenance of both the Pioneer Cemetery and the Lebanon Cemetery. Free morning coffee was provided by The Village Ice Cream Parlor in Lebanon.

The purpose of our cemetery restoration clinics is to educate and involve people in cemetery conservation and history. We hope each person who attended the clinic either gets their hands dirty with a restoration project or becomes an enlightened advocate for cemetery conservation. Each participant received a heavily illustrated 155 page workbook covering all of the topics addressed during the clinic. Those unable to attend may purchase a copy of the workbook from the Warren County Genealogical Society for only \$10 plus \$2 shipping and handling. Ohio residents should add 6 1/2% sales tax. To order, contact us at (513) 695 1444 or wccgs@co.warren.oh.us.

Before and after photos of the gravestones used to demonstrate various preservation techniques may be viewed at <http://goo.gl/Hcpsu>. As a result of the clinic, we were able to add 6 more gravestone photos to our Virtual Cemetery pages for [John Eddy](#), [Charles Foster](#), [Esther Foster](#), [John Frazier](#) (Civil War Casualty), [Abiah Iorns](#) and [Elizabeth VanPelt](#).

WCCGS 2011 PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Unless otherwise noted, all meetings are held on the 3rd Wednesday of the month beginning at 7:30 PM in the Phillippi Meeting Room of the Campus Center at the Otterbein Retirement Community, 585 North State Route 741 (north of Rte 63), Lebanon, Ohio

- 16 Nov 2011 – The 35th Ohio Volunteer Infantry by Greg Fugitt

- 14 Dec 2011 – Holiday Social Gathering

Visit our website at <http://www.co.warren.oh.us/genealogy/meetings.htm>

VOLUNTEERS AND OFFICERS

Anyone who has a few hours to spare is needed to help volunteer in our resource library. We are open Monday to Friday from 9 AM to 4 PM. Volunteer hours are flexible to fit your schedule.

Officers for 2012 will be elected at the November monthly meeting on the 16th. If any of our members would like to serve as an officer or on one of the committees, please contact us.

If you would like to help, please call 513 695 1144 or email at wccgs@co.warren.oh.us

2012 SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP

It is that time of year to renew your society membership which remains at \$10 for a single membership, \$15 for a family membership or \$100 for a Life Membership. A membership application form in pdf format is attached and is also available at

<http://www.co.warren.oh.us/genealogy/aboutus.htm#Membership>

LIBRARY DONATIONS

We needed to replace the main copier in our library, which had run over a million copies and was so old that parts were no longer available. We are extremely grateful to long-time member, Kay Davenport, of Orem Utah, whose extremely generous contribution allowed us to purchase a new machine with nearly identical features to the one that was replaced. Thanks Kay!!!

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

Photos for 219 burials were added to the project in October. We now have photos on line for 41,367 burials in 89 Warren County cemeteries. This month, additional photos were added for [Deerfield](#) (sections F, G, H, J & K are now complete), [Lebanon](#), [Miami](#), [Pioneer](#), [Rose Hill](#), [Springboro Hicksite Quaker](#) and [Woodhill](#) cemeteries.

Volunteers are still needed to complete photographing [Union Church](#) and [Woodhill](#) cemeteries. Contact Dana Palmer or Arne Trelvik if you would like to help with this project.

WARREN COUNTY MILITARY HERITAGE

Veteran Images Added: [Leonidas Lycurgus Dodds](#) (1842-1912), 69th OVI (discharge papers).

To add your veteran images email them to Arne Trelvik at atrelvik@gmail.com

+> **War of 1812 Pension and Bounty Land Files:** This project to digitize the pension and bounty land has completed all the surnames beginning with A and contains over 97,000 images. The only Warren County entry that I'm aware of is that for [James Abbott](#) who served as a Private in Capt. Shaw's Company, Ohio Militia. If you know of any 1812 soldiers with Warren County connections in this collection, please let us know. The project is funded by donations and provides free access to the images. See <http://www.fgs.org/1812/>

=> **Warren County in the War.** Part 8 is now on line at <http://goo.gl/HY8FI>. This 12 part series of articles was published in the Lebanon Gazette starting in October 1885. We will attempt to add one article each month. The introduction to this series is at <http://goo.gl/IQkGx>

=>★ **Civil War 150 Roll of Honor**★ - Warren County suffered a number of casualties in November of 1861.

- [John Brock](#), Co F 35th OVI, enlisted as a private on 20 Aug 1861 & died of disease in a hospital at Paris, Kentucky on 1 Nov 1861. He is buried at the [Lexington National Cemetery](#), Section O Site 801
- [Thomas J. Share](#), Co G, 12th OVI, enlisted as a 29 year old Private on 24 Apr 1861 and drowned at Loup Creek Landing, Virginia on 6 Nov 1861. No further information has been found.
- [Henry Geise/Giese](#), Co I, 2nd OVI, enlisted as a 24 year old Private on 3 Sep 1861. He is included in a list of soldiers from Hamilton Twp in [Beers History of Warren County](#). Records of the Dayton Soldiers Home indicate that he was an unmarried stone mason born in Germany who received a gunshot wound in the right thigh on 8 Nov 1861 at [Ivy Mountain, Kentucky](#). His [Pension Payment Card](#) lists his death on 16 Sep 1909.
- [Richard M. Hosier/Hozier](#), Co F, 34th OVI, enlisted as a 24 year old Private on 25 Jul 1861 and died of disease on 18 Nov 1861. Place of death was either Charleston, West Virginia or Bellbrook, Ohio. The Application for his government headstone indicates that he is buried in the Bellbrook Cemetery.
- [Adam Koogle](#), Co H, 39th OVI, enlisted as a 27 year old Captain from Lebanon, Ohio on 31 Jul 1861 and died of disease at his home in Lebanon, Ohio on 29 Nov 1861. His widow, Mary Elizabeth (Smith) Koogle was awarded a pension for his service (Certificate #44189). They are both buried in [Lebanon Cemetery, Old Section, lot 488](#) along with their daughter, Ada Koogle.

=>Information on others from Warren County can be found at <http://goo.gl/uWutD> & <http://www.co.warren.oh.us/genealogy/warsmain.htm>.

OTHER SOCIETY EVENTS

<> 5 Nov 2011 at 1 PM, "**Hidden Treasures at FamilySearch**" by Dana Palmer at Doris Wood Library in Batavia Ohio

<> 16 Nov 2011, **Lunch and Learn at the Warren County Historical Society** presents "**Life and Times of Issachar Bates**" by Dr. Carol A. Medlicott. Call (513) 932 1817 for reservations.

<> 2-4 Feb 2012, **2nd Annual Rootstech Conference**, Salt Lake City, UT see <http://www.rootstech.org>

<> 2 Apr 2012, The **1940 Census Opens** see <http://www.archives.gov/research/census/1940/>

<> 9- 12 May 2012 "**The Ohio River; Gateway to the Western Frontier**" NGS Family History Conference, Cincinnati, Ohio. Conference hotels are now accepting reservations at the Conference Rate. See http://www.ngsgenealogy.org/cs/conference_info

<> 29 Aug – 1 Sep 2012 "**FGS Conference**" Birmingham, Alabama

OHIO GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY <http://www.ogs.org>

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

<> 12-14 Apr 2012 "**History and Genealogy: Finding Clues to Ancestral Lives**," OGS Conference

Intercontinental Hotel, 9801 Carnegie Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio

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>

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Our Warren County OHGenWeb Site: <http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohwarren/>

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