

WARREN COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY e-News May, 2017

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2017 PROGRAM SCHEDULE <http://www.co.warren.oh.us/genealogy/meetings.htm>

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

17 May 2017 "Google Your Way to Genealogy Success" Presented by Amie Tennant

June, July & August 2017 no meetings

20 Sep 2017 "Facebook for Genealogy" presented by Mark Middleton

18 Oct 2017 "Newspaper Research at the Ohio History Connection" presented by Jenni Salamon.

The Ohio History Connection has the largest collection of Ohio newspapers in the world, covering 1796-present and all of Ohio's 88 counties. Learn how you can access this collection of over 50,000 microfilm reels, hundreds of volumes of original newsprint, and 600,000 digitized newspaper pages. We'll cover search strategies for locating newspaper holdings and related resources in the online collection catalog, as well as a brief overview on how to search digital content on Chronicling America (<http://chroniclingamerica.loc.gov>) and Ohio Memory (www.ohiomemory.org).

15 Nov 2017 to be announced

13 Dec 2017 **Annual Christmas Gathering.**

We thank Linda Eckert and Dana Palmer^{CG} for their work as our Program Chairs

FIRST FAMILIES OF WARREN COUNTY, OHIO

At our 36th Annual Banquet, the following members were inducted into First Families of Warren County, Ohio, having proved their ancestor(s) had settled in Warren County before January 1, 1821.

FF 114	Barbara Jeanne Proctor (supplement)		
	Daniel Voorhis	Turtlecreek	1810
	Elizabeth Tucker	Turtlecreek	1810
	Sarah "Sallie" Voorhis	Turtlecreek	1810
FF 139	Kathy Mae Edgington (supplement)		
	Jared Scofield	Deerfield	1800
	Mary Hollcroft	Deerfield	1800
FF 142	Larry Joseph Chamberlain		
	Samuel Chamberlain	Turtlecreek	1815
FF 143	Michael Lee Palmer		
	John Martin VanHarlingen	Turtlecreek	1820
FF 144	Ernest J. McCauley		
	Ruth Ann Smith	Salem	1814
	Jonathan Smith	Deerfield	1809
	Nancy Ludlum	Deerfield	1809

We had a great turnout for the banquet and program with Patsy Gaines doing a wonderful dramatic monologue as "Jenny Wiley – White Squaw". If you would like to see photos from the evening, go to <https://flic.kr/s/aHskTrrdJr>

9th ANNUAL CEMETERY RESTORATION WORKSHOP – NOTE DATE CHANGE

It is time to sign up for our 9th annual Cemetery Restoration Workshop. This year the workshop will be held on Friday, September 22, 2017, at the **Zoar Red Lion Methodist Cemetery** located at the intersection of SR-122 and SR-123, four miles east of I-75.

Our Virtual Cemetery page for the cemetery may be viewed at

<http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohwarren/Cemetery/redlion/>

The workshop will run from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Check-in begins at 7:30 a.m. Hands-on training begins at 3:00.

Cost: \$40.00 (Includes cost of the workshop, including extensive workshop materials and a picnic lunch.)

Attendance is limited so reserve your spot early. You may download the flyer and registration form at

http://www.co.warren.oh.us/genealogy/Promo_RedLion_2017.pdf.

For more information, visit the workshop website at <http://springborohistory.org/RedLionWorkshop> or contact our cemetery workshop chairman, Terry Easton at Terry_Easton@cinci.rr.com or 513 294 8752

SUMMER GENEALOGY WORKSHOPS

DNA Sessions presented by Kathy Reed & Pam White. Other classes presented by Dana Palmer^{CG}, Lebanon, Ohio – palmer@fiopics.com

These popular classes will be held from 1 to 3PM in the Commissioners Meeting Room at the County Administration Building, 406 Justice Dr., Lebanon, Ohio. The fee is \$5 per class. A 400+ page Summer Workshop book will also be available for \$25 (spiral bound) or \$20 (unbound, 3 hole punched) To reserve your seat, call 513 695 1144 or email wccgs@co.warren.oh.us or download registration form at <http://www.co.warren.oh.us/genealogy/meeting2017%20summer%20workshop.pdf>.

May 31, 2017	Join the Club: Submitting Successful Lineage Society Applications
June 7, 2017	Are You My Mother? Proving Kinship for Lineage Society Applications
June 14, 2017	Who's Your Daddy? Reconciling Conflicting Evidence
June 21, 2017	DNA Workshop – Understanding your DNA Results
June 28, 2017	DNA Workshop – Q&A about your DNA reports – bring your reports with you
July 5, 2017	No Class
July 12, 2017	Locating Newspapers using Chronicling America
July 19, 2017	Connect your Family Using Find-A-Grave
July 26, 2017	Become a Pro Using Family Tree on FamilySearch
Aug 2, 2017	Creating & Publishing a Cherished Family Book

WARREN COUNTY, OHIO VIRTUAL CEMETERY PROJECT – APRIL ADDITIONS

- [Deerfield Cemetery](#) - added photos for 95 burials, mostly in Section B. Now have photos on line for 3,512 of the 4,051 known burials
- [Bethany Cemetery](#) - added information for [Barbara and William Rainey](#) contributed by [Bob Davis](#)
- [Morrow Cemetery](#) - added photo of [Albert J. Scheurer](#) gravestone and a \$5 Morrow National Bank Series 1929 bank note contributed by [William Lynch](#)
- [Rose Hill Cemetery](#) – photos for 71 burials in Section B6 added. Now have photos on line for 7,212 of the 10,452 known burials.

Our [Virtual Cemetery Project](#) now has photos on line for 64,595 burials in 95 cemeteries.

See <http://goo.gl/YSRaS>

WARREN COUNTY MILITARY HERITAGE <http://goo.gl/uWutD>

Our Warren County Military Heritage pages have been updated with the following entries:

- [War of 1812](#) Veterans: [Daniel Clark](#), [Ezekiel Cretors Sr.](#) (1781-1862),
- [Civil War](#) Veterans: [Joseph H. Gohs](#) alias Henry Schmidt (1845-1903), [Oscar D. Whitten](#) (1833-1912), [Elijah Watkins](#) (1827-1883), [John W. Carter](#) (ca. 1832-1895), [Dennis Buckley](#) alias Dennis Swaney (ca. 1835-1908), [Job S. Hedger](#) (ca. 1839-1918), [Thomas Shahan](#) (ca. 1818-1874) aka Shan/Shane/Shohan/Shahau/Shawhan, [Jacob Neal](#) (ca. 1840-1906), [John Henry Phillips](#) (1838-1917),
- [World War I](#): [Charles Donald Dilatush](#) (1896-1964), [Frank Allen Dilatush](#) (1891-1965)

Some Recent Warren County Veteran Deaths (send additions to atrelvik@gmail.com)

- [World War II](#):
[Randall Smith](#) (1926-2017), [Emmor Thomas Baily](#) (1925-2017), [Talmadge Perkins](#) (1924-2017), [Ralph S. Keener](#) (1918-2017), [Edward Ellsworth Weaver](#) (1927-2017), [David B. Zink](#) (1927-2017), [Henry E. Konicki](#) (1919-2017),
- [Korea](#):
[Robert E. "Bob" Morris](#) (1934-2017), [Elbert A. Adams](#) (1932-2017), [John W. Carrozza Sr.](#) (1930-2017), [Robert A. "Bob" Kanthak](#) (1933-2017), [George J. Dermis](#) (1930-2017), [Roy M. Hibbett Jr.](#) (1930-2017), [Andrew R. Katona Sr.](#) (1935-2017), [Edward Ellsworth Weaver](#) (1927-2017),
- [Vietnam](#):
[Jack D. Capps](#) (1949-2017), [Roy M. Hibbett Jr.](#) (1930-2017),

- Other Service:
[John R. Davidson Sr.](#) (1947-2017), [Harry D. Semple](#) (1932-2017), Dr. [Tom H. Brunzman](#) (1930-2017), [Herman Begley](#) (1936-2017), [William A. Sargeant](#) (1942-2017), [Harry Richard Kennedy](#) (1934-2017), [Eric D. Hruska](#) (1959-2017), [Kent A. Williams](#) (1942-2017), Phillip Johnson (1953-2017), [Charles A. Plymire](#) (1938-2017), [Edward Kenworthy](#) (1926-2017), [Donald L. Henderson](#) (1945-2017),

See <http://goo.gl/uWutD> or <http://www.co.warren.oh.us/genealogy/warsmain.htm> for information about other Warren County veterans. Please email us if you know of any that we may have missed.

THOMAS STEPHENSON APPLICATION FOR NATURALIZATION, SEPTEMBER 1832 TERM

Warren County, Ohio, Series A, Box 88; recorded Common Pleas Volume 14, page 262

[Click here](#) to see image.

War. Com. Pleas

Ex parte **Thos. Stephenson**

September Term 1832

Application for Naturalization

Declaration

Warren County to wit:

Personally appeared in open Court a Court of Record being the Court of common Pleas now sitting within the County of Warren and State of Ohio; **Thomas Stephenson**, an applicant for naturalization who on being duly sworn, declares and Saith that he is forty five years of age, that he was born in the County of Roxburgh in Scotland, from whence sometime in September in the year eighteen hundred and nine, he emigrated to the United States of America and has continued to reside there ever since that time, that he has been a resident of Warren County, State of Ohio for upwards of twenty years past; And the said **Thomas Stephenson** further declares and Saith, that during his residence in the United States aforesaid, he has been attached to the principles of the Constitution thereof and well disposed to the good order & happiness of the same, and that it has been his bona fide intention for at least three years past to become a citizen of the United States; And he further declares and says upon his solemn oath, that he will support the Constitution of the United States and that he doth absolutely & entirely renounce and abjure, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign power, potentate, State of Sovereignty whatever and particularly to his Majesty William the IV. King of the United Kingdom of England, Ireland & Scotland, to whom he was heretofore a subject; And the said Thomas also saith that he has never born any hereditary title or been of the order of nobility in any Country whatever, and further saith not.

Thomas Stevenson {signature}

Sworn to & subscribe in Open Court this 6th day of October 1832.

[J. K. Wilds](#) clk.

State of Ohio Warren County} ss.

On this day personally appeared in open court, **William M. Wiley** and [William Lowry](#) who on being duly sworn depose and say, that they are well acquainted with the within named **Thomas Stephenson**, that he was residing within the limits & under the jurisdiction of the United States, before the 18th day of June 1812 and has continued to reside therein ever since. That said Thomas, for at least five years preceding this time has been & continued to be a resident of the County of Warren in this state, that he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order & happiness of the same, and further say not.

Wm. M. Wiley {signature}

Wm. Lowry {signature}

Sworn to & subscribed in open court this 6th day of October 1832.

[J. K. Wilds](#) clk.

“OUR HONORED DEAD

In Memory of Whom Memorial Day Is Observed”, Franklin Chronicle Thursday, May 30, 1929

[Click to see image at http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohwarren/military/vet_fc30may1929.htm](http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohwarren/military/vet_fc30may1929.htm)

One hundred years ago on April 6, 1917, the United States entered World War I which had begun in 1914.

Twelve years later the Franklin Chronicle published a Decoration Day list of all veterans of the Civil War, Spanish American War and the World War that were buried in [Woodhill Cemetery](#).

Time rolls along and the Grim Reaper takes his toll unceasingly. With the assistance of comrade Arthur Barkalow of [John Kell Post, G. A. R.](#), and Legionnaire Harry Darmody of Russell McElfresh Post of the American Legion we have compiled the following list of soldiers dead that sleep in [Woodhill cemetery](#). What memories cling to these names as you read them over! Old friends, men we knew when we were young, stalwart young men in those grim days of 61-'65. Before it is too late The Chronicle desires to establish this record. If we have missed anyone, and you know it, please tell us. We want our roster of the heroic dead of the Civil War, the Spanish-American War and the World War to be exact. Soon it will be too late to get this roll of honor complete. All of the Grand Army of the Republic will be gone and the American Legion will be closing up the gaps that death makes in its ranks. Give a Little Time, a little thought, on Decoration Day to these silent heroes.

Civil War – 199 Entries

[Ade, William](#), [Anderson, B. M.](#), [Bailey, Wm. H.](#), [Balentine, Howard](#), [Barbee, Elias](#), [Barkalow, Arthur B.](#), [Barkalow, Benj. D.](#), [Barkalow, Derrick](#), [Beal, Samuel](#), [Beam, Martin M.](#), [Beauchamp, Samuel](#), [Bennett, Hampton](#), [Booth, Albert H.](#), [Boswell, L. A.](#), [Boys, F. A.](#), [Brandon, Elias](#), [Brewer, G. W.](#), [Brewer, Wm.](#), [Bridge, Adam](#), [Bridge, Erasmus](#), [Bridge, John](#), [Brown, Chas.](#), [Brown, James C.](#), [Brown, Richard](#), [Brown, Wm. A.](#), [Buffinger, Wm. H.](#), [Butt, Andrew](#), [Byers, G. W.](#), [Byers, William](#), [Byrd, Wm. A.](#), [Carpenter, David M.](#), [Cautle, Jacob](#), [Cleckner, William](#), [Clutch, W. S.](#), [Colston, A. D.](#), [Cook, John](#), [Corwin, William](#), [Craig, Obediah](#), [Crawford, Ed](#), [Crist, Henry](#), [Crist, J. P.](#), [Cromer, Walter](#), [Crook, Joseph](#), [Dachtler, John M.](#), [Dakin, William](#), [Davis, W. H.](#), [Deardoff, John P.](#), [Deardoff, Perry H.](#), [Dearth, Oscar](#), [Decker, Jos. E.](#), [Decker, W. W.](#), [Denise, Charles](#), [Denise, Ira C.](#), [Denise, Schenck](#), [Dickey, Martin V.](#), [DuBois, A. B.](#), [Earhart, Martin](#), [Earheart, Ed. C.](#), [Eckhart, Andrew J.](#), [Eckhart, Ed. C.](#), [Eckhart, Samuel](#), [Eulass, James P.](#), [Evans, John S.](#), [Evans, Otho](#) (Dr.), [Fink, Samuel](#), [Frainer, W. W.](#), [Freerer, David](#), [Gallagher, John](#), [Gaunt, Jesse](#), [Geering, Robert](#), [Gibbs, G. C.](#), [Gillespie, John W.](#), [Good, B. W.](#), [Graham, William H.](#), [Gray, John](#), [Green, Edward](#), [Green, Peter](#), [Hadley, J. P.](#), [Hadley, William](#), [Haggott, J. P.](#), [Hailman, W. F.](#), [Haller, John](#), [Hamilton, Joseph](#), [Hankins, Charles](#), [Harper, Willis](#) (Dr.), [Hatfield, Thomas C.](#), [Henry, Harry](#), [Hetzler, Andrew](#), [Hildebrant, William](#), [Hoagland, Ralph](#), [Hoch, Joseph](#), [Hodgens, Ivy](#), [Holweger, C.](#), [Houser, William](#), [Howard, John](#), [Hurst, William](#), [Ireland, Richard](#), [Johnston, Albert](#), [Jones, John](#), [Kell, John](#) (Col.), [Kohr, Wm.](#), [Lackens, David](#), [Langdon, Alonzo](#), [Leary, James](#), [Lee, Benj. F.](#), [Lefever, Wm.](#), [Loehr, John F.](#), [Loyd, James M.](#), [Lynch, Jerry](#), [MacLean, William](#), [Marechal, Philip](#), [Maxwell, Frank](#), [Maxwell, P. P.](#) (Lieut.), [Maxwell, Rab.](#), [McAroy, George](#) (Dr.), [McCarthy, Jos.](#), [McFetters, J. M.](#), [McKinley, A. M.](#), [McNeil, Lochland J.](#) (Lieut.), [McNellis, John](#), [McWhinney, T. M.](#) (Rev.), [Meeker, A. F.](#), [Meeker, Ed M.](#), [Merchant, Isaac](#), [Merritt, John L.](#), [Michael, William](#), [Mickel, Chas. S.](#), [Millard, Charles](#), [Miller, James A.](#), [Miller, John T.](#), [Miller, William F.](#), [Miltenberger, John](#), [Moery, Fred](#), [Morgan, Benj.](#) (Col.), [Morgan, Owen](#), [Neal, Thomas](#), [O'Donnell, Edward](#), [Patterson, John](#), [Pressler, Henry](#), [Pugh, Thomas](#), [Raines, Bennett](#), [Raines, Patrick](#), [Randall, John](#), [Reeder, A. S.](#), [Robinson, Wm.](#), [Robison, William M.](#), [Rooks, George](#), [Ross, J. T.](#), [Ross, Shepherd](#), [Ross, Tobias](#), [Routzahn, Josiah](#), [Rust, Thomas J.](#), [Schaffer, Michael](#), [Schenck, James T.](#), [Schenck, S. G.](#), [Schenck, W. C.](#) (Gen.), [Schwartz, Ed J.](#), [Sherzer, Jacob](#), [Sinnard, John W.](#), [Smith, William](#), [Snell, Ira A.](#), [Snell, W. A.](#), [Snuff, John Ed](#), [Spader, A. B.](#), [Sprung, Barney](#) (Lieut.), [Stace, David V.](#), [Stace, George](#), [Stanley, David](#), [Stanton, John H.](#), [Stein, Thomas](#), [Stockman, Lloyd](#), [Stoutenborough, Daniel](#), [Sullivan, Jerry](#), [Sutphin, D. L.](#), [Sutton, Henry](#), [Swink, Enos J.](#), [Tansey, Martin](#), [Tapscott, John](#), [Thompson, J. M.](#), [Thonsson, Christ](#), [Tibbals, Wm. F.](#) (Dr.), [Tyson, John](#), [Unglesby, George](#), [Van Horne, Thomas B.](#), [Vanderveer, H. F.](#), [Vantin, David](#), [Walling, A. T.](#), [Ward, Al](#), [Ward, Milton](#), [Weaver, Charles](#), [Wedderstrand, A. S.](#), [Weir, James](#), [Weir, S. J.](#), [Wittlinger, F. O.](#), [Woodward, Granville](#), [Woodward, Jos.](#), [Woodward, Nathaniel](#), [Wykoff, T. B.](#), [Young, Robert](#)

SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR – 4 Entries

[Anderson, Dan](#), [Loehr, Fred](#), [Palfrey, S. L.](#), [Thirkield, Howard](#)

WORLD WAR – 12 Entries

[Bridge, Ruth](#), [Gray, Harry](#), [Johnson, Oral](#), [Lamb, Jasper](#), [McElfresh, Russell](#), [McGrail, Chas.](#), [McGrail, Harry](#), [Polly, Carl](#), [Sherman, Louis](#), [Thirkield, Norman](#), [Van Dyke, Tom](#), [Wones, Stanley](#)

17 JAN 1865 CIVIL WAR LETTER FROM DAVID PICKERING TO HIS MOTHER

*Transcription provided by [Will Motsinger](#) with a notation that it was “from a letter from **Connie Rices**’ great great grandpa, to her great great great grandma Pickering”*

Jan. 17, 1865

Phillips W. Va.

Dear Mother

It is with pleasure that I seat myself to write you a few lines, to let you know how I am getting along. I am well at present and I hope when these few lines come to your hand they may find you all well.

I suppose that you have heard of us all getting captured. Well I was in prison two days and two nights, they took me about 30 miles and one of the rebels told me that tomorrow night at this time I would be at Warm Springs, and I thought maby [sic] I would. We stopped to camp about sundown and about one o'clock they started to march, and I asked **Sargent Miller** of my company if he would try to get away if I would and he said he would try if I would. And we came to a mountain and he started and I followed suit.

The guard saw us and hollered “halt halt you yankee son of a bitch and we didn’t know what he meant. We hadn’t larned there commands yet.

He shot at us several times, but we ran so fast that the bullets couldn’t catch up wit us and we got away. We got parted when they shot at us and we didn’t get to gather [sic] till night. We kept in the mountains for about ten miles and I never saw but one house. I went in and there sat **Allen Miller**, and we stayed all night with him. He was a good Union man and he never charged us a cent. Well I will tell you who is captured yet: **Silas Wolf, Hiram Camphill, Thomas Hipple, George Colville, Billy Colville, Charly Colville, Eli Shear**, and all the boys around their but **Milton Philips** and myself.

They got 42 of our company I tell you there is a small squad of us now I think that we will go somewhere to recuit [sic] **up again**. **I tell you they will have to watch me pretty close if they want to keep me**. **Eli Shear** seen me run and he said there goes Penn. My hat caught on a brush but I didn’t take the time to get it. I went bare headed through the mountains just a whooping and where I stayed all night they gave me a hat. They took all our clothing but I have got plenty now. I went to Beverly and got some blankets and an overcoat. The officers had a dance in Beverly that night, some think that it was done a pourpose. [sic] I think it was a little one sided thing. I think that the officers will be court marshaled, for being so careless. The rebels came in about four

o'clock in the morning. We had on some of their garb that was no account at all. They came up to the picket post and the guard halted him and told him to advance and the guard had no more sense than to go right up to him and then they gobbled him up and came charging into camp. We was all asleep when they came in. When they began to shoot it soon woke us up. I jumped up and grabbed my gun and looked out of the shanty, and they were all around us and then I went to pulling on my and when I got one on they commenced hollering "come out here you yankee son of a bitch". I told them not to be in to big a hurry and when I went out the door they struck at my head with their sabers, but I dodged it and they shot at me twice, but couldn't hit me. I began to think that I am pretty lucky. Well I must close for the present, I suppose that you hard all about us and you will have me dead a dozen times, but you needn't be uneasy about Penn he is all right write soon direct to Philips West Va. Company G 34th O.V.I.

David Pickering was born 26 Jul 1843 in Darke County, Ohio to **Martin Pickering** and **Elizabeth Baker**. His father is buried in the [Itasca Cemetery](#) in Darke County.

David enlisted as a 20 year old Private on 20 Feb 1864 and served in the [34th OVI](#) until he was transferred to the 36th OVI. He mustered out on 27 Jul 1865 at Wheeling, WV. After the war he was a farmer until he retired to Mason, Ohio. He died on 21 Mar 1935 in Mason and is buried with his wife in [Rose Hill Cemetery](#). His obituary said he "Was the last surviving Civil War Veteran at Mason."

The Regimental History of the [34th OVI](#) contains the following about the events discussed in the letter.

"On Jan. 11, 1865, the post of Beverly, garrisoned by the 34th, which by this time was reduced to 300 men present for duty, and the dismounted portion of the 8th Ohio cavalry, was attacked by the enemy. So secret and sudden was the attack - no alarm whatever being given until the enemy was in the quarters - that resistance was out of the question and nearly every man was at one time a prisoner, though subsequently a great many escaped, favored by the darkness and intense excitement of the occasion. The survivors of this most unfortunate and disgraceful affair were consolidated with the 36th Ohio, the union of the separate organizations dating from Feb. 22, 1865, and in which the old 34th lost its identity."

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

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

◇ [Butler County Chapter, OGS](#) E-mail: BCOGS@butlercountyogs.org

"Using Tax Records in Your Genealogical Research presented by Pam White"

MidPointe Library in West Chester, Ohio, May 9, 2017, 7 pm

["Meet the Experts at the Smith Library of Regional History" – June 10, 2017](#)

Smith Library of Regional History the Lane Library, Oxford, Ohio at 10.00 a.m.

["Southwest Ohio DNA Interest Group" – June 13, 2017](#)

MidPointe Library in West Chester, Ohio at 7:00 p.m.

["Early Military Records presented by James Phillabaum" – July 11, 2017](#)

MidPointe Library in West Chester, Ohio at 7:00 p.m.

◇ [Clermont County Chapter, OGS](#) E-mail: info@ccgsoh.org

Unless otherwise noted, programs sponsored by the Clermont County Genealogical Society are held at the Doris Wood Library, 180 S. 3rd St. in Batavia, Ohio, on the first Saturday of the month at 1:00 pm. They are free & open to the public unless otherwise noted. For more information, see www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohclegcs/ or call 513-723-3423.

Sons of the Union Veterans of the Civil War

Saturday June 3, 2017, 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm, Doris Wood Library, 180 S. 3rd Street, Batavia, Ohio

Joining the Sons of the Union Veterans of the Civil War, Cincinnati Chapter, General William H. Lytle Camp # 10

◇ [Clinton County Genealogical Society](#) – Contact (937) 382-4684

Regular CCGS meetings are 7:00 p.m. on the fourth Monday of each month at the Clinton County History Center, 149 E. Locust St., Wilmington, Ohio (unless otherwise noted). Each session includes a topic of interest to society members. See [Programs and Events](#) for specifics

Relieving the Suffering of World War I: Local Men Who Worked Overseas Presenter - Neil Snarr

June 26, 2017 (Monday). 7:00 p.m. - At the Clinton County History Center

"Program - Forty Clinton County Brides" presented by Kay Fisher.

◇ [Greene County Chapter Ohio Genealogical Society](#)

Meetings are normally held at the Greene County Library, Xenia, in the 1st floor meeting room, unless otherwise indicated

June 3, 2017, 1:30 PM – **Ancestry** - Shellie Bishop "**Avoiding an Ancestor Identity Crisis**" an article in OGS magazine.

August 5, 2017, 7:00-9:00 PM – **Irish Research** – Dwight Radford; at the Greene County Historical Society.

◁ [Montgomery County Chapter, OGS](http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohmontgs/) <http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohmontgs/>
The Ohio History Connection - A Repository of Genealogical Records presented by Liz Plummer
Saturday, April 8 at 1 p.m. - Routsong Funeral Home, 2100 E. Stroop Road, Kettering
The Ohio History Connection in Columbus, Ohio is a rich treasure trove of genealogical and historical documents including: vital records, state government records, books, letters, diaries, photographs, newspapers, maps, and so much more. Our speaker, Liz Plummer will discuss how these resources and the staff at the Ohio History Connection can enhance your genealogical research.

The Montgomery County Chapter OGS Annual Seminar, featuring speaker Paul Milner
Saturday, October 14, 2017, 9 am to 4 pm, Fairview United Methodist Church, 828 W. Fairview Avenue, Dayton.
Paul Milner, a native of northern England, is a professional genealogist and internationally known lecturer with 30 years' experience, specializing in British Isles research. Paul will present these four topics:

1. Finding Your English Ancestors: The Big Four
2. Are You Lost? Using Maps, Gazetteers and Directories
3. Irish Emigrants to North America
4. New Resources for British Isles Research

Download [Seminar Registration Form](http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohmontgs/2017flyer.pdf) at <http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~ohmontgs/2017flyer.pdf>

◁ [Southwest Ohio DNA Interest Group](#)
Program to be Announced, June 13, 2017, MidPointe Library in West Chester, Ohio at 7:00 p.m.

◁ [National Genealogical Society](#),
10 – 13 May 2017, Family History Conference, Raleigh, North Carolina [click here for [Hotel Reservations](#)]
2 – 5 May 2018, Family History Conference, Grand Rapids, Michigan

◁ [Federation of Genealogical Societies](#),
30 Aug – 2 Sep 2017 National Conference, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania <https://www.fgsconference.org/registration/registration-form/>
22 – 25 Aug 2018 National Conference, Fort Wayne, Indiana

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WARREN COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

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