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To Our Members:

Our March program featured Gerald Payne as Abe Lincoln, telling us about his childhood and his family life, the death of his mother and the role his stepmother played in his life. Mr. Payne does such a wonderful job, you feel like you are really listening to Lincoln.

In April, Heather Scarlett, gave her presentation on the research she is doing for her thesis on the impact the Battle of Gettysburg had on the population. Heather told us about the different sources of information she has found for gathering the information-historical and genealogical. Both programs were well attended and thanks to all the members who come to support our speakers.

The chapter group that meets on Wednesday's is still working on three different publications. Information about the projects will be in the next newsletter.

We also have a small group meet occasionally on Thursday to clip old newspapers. If anyone is interested in helping with a project please send an e-mail or a note with a phone number so we can contact you.

Your President, Barb Petroski

Meeting Dates—3rd Saturday of the month through May 2010

Where: Portage County Historical Society, 6549 N. Chestnut St., Ravenna (located next to the Ravenna High School Stadium and just south and across the street from Maple Grove Cemetery), unless otherwise noted.

TIME: 10:00 a.m. unless otherwise noted

May 15- Wayne Enders-topic is Whisky in Portage County, how it affected the social and political climate in the region.

June July August—no meetings

NEW DAYS FOR MEETINGS---FIRST SATURDAY OF THE MONTH

September 4-- Larry Fischer will present his bag of <u>Odd & Oddities</u> for members to guess "What the heck is it?"

October 2--First Settler's Luncheon

November 6--election of new officers

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| Don't forget that our regular meeting day will be changing starting September |
| 4, 2010 from the 3 rd Saturday of the month to the First Saturday of each |
| month. Time (10:00 a.m.) and Place (Portage County Historical Society) |
| remain the same. |
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| Chapter News: Thanks to the following members for their generous donations to the chapter: Mary Marvin Letts and Judy Merians |
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| Addition to Membership & Surname List: L122 Mary Marvin LETTS 584 Eastland Rd Berea OH 44017 Surnames: BITTENBENDER, CARTER, CHAPPELEAR, COOLEY, DAVIS, HALE, LEEPER, LETTS, MARVIN, TUTTLE, VICKROY |
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The Ohio Genealogical Society's Fellows & Awards Committee announced at the annual conference that the Portage County Historical Society won the Oliver Hazard Perry Award for best Ohio related military historical record. Jacqueline Weaver **Woodring** edited the work, *1861-1864 Civil War Letters of General Erastus Barnard Tyler*. The publication consists of 120 letters written by Tyler while he was commanding the 7th Ohio Volunteer Infantry to his brother-in-law Newell D. Clark in Ravenna, Ohio. The book includes information about his family and follows him after the war until his death.

The publication is available for sale at www.history.portage.oh.us or by contacting the Historical Society at 6549 N. Chestnut St, Ravenna OH 44266

The cost of the book is \$35.00 (plus \$4.00 shipping & handling. Ohio residents add tax)

First Settlers of Portage County

Hi Everyone:

This October 2010 will mark the eleventh anniversary of First Settlers of Portage County. This organization is patterned after First Families of Ohio instituted by The Ohio Genealogical Society. But there were a number of single people, usually men, who came to Portage County by themselves so we selected the name First Settlers.

A First Settler would include anyone who settled in present day Portage County by December 31, 1840. We have about fifty members of the chapter who have proved their early ancestors.

If you are interested in learning more about how to become a First Settler, contact me at jlwoodring34@aol.com and I will send you an application. You must be a member of the Portage County Chapter OGS to apply, and there is a \$15.00 fee for the application. If you need some help with the proof of the descent of your ancestor we can offer you some assistance.

September 1, 2010, is the deadline for submission of applications for this year.

The First Settlers Luncheon will be held on the Saturday, October 2, 2010. There will be updates in future Chapter Newsletters.

Jackie Woodring, Chairperson

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From a Ravenna newspaper –October 31, 1907 Listed under Court News:

THREE WILLS.

Last Testiments of Cyrus Turnbull, Fredrick B. Freeman and Thomas Fahey. 10-31-1907

By the will of the late Cyrus Turnbull, executed on February 19, 1901, he directed that his estate, real and personal, after payment to those who cared for him during his old age, he divided equally among his four children, Lily Gilbert, Elizabeth A. Buckley, William E. Turnbull and Celestia M. Turnbull. By a codioil executed on June 39, 1901, he recites the fact that he had sold his farm and thus changed the course of descent as to that portion of his property. He also directed that his son, being in feeble health, have only a life use of the one-fourth part bequeathed to him and at his death one-third of his share to go to his daughter Mary and the remainder to be divided among his other children or their helm. In codicil No. 2 he recites the death of his son and "for reasons sufficient to myself" changed the will and codicil as to his granddaughter May by fixing her share, at \$500 to be paid to her when she is 26 years old, with Henry W. Gilbert as trustee.

The will of Frederick B. Freeman of Hiram, executed on October 18, 1906, bequeathes all of his property of every kind to his wife, Abbie Mowery Freeman, without inventory and without bond.

The will of Thomas Fahey, late of flavonna, gives to the incumbent priest of the Ravenna church of the Immaculate Concpetion the sum of \$35. "trusting that be says as many masses for the repose of my soul and the soul of my wife;" \$50 is to go for a tombstone ou a lot to be chosen by said priest in St. Mary's cometery and the remainder of the property is to go to his wife Margaret during her life time, with power of executor to sell any or all of it for her support. What is left after her death, if any, goes to the church. T. H. Dussel is named as ixecutor without hand.

There are two kinds of curiosity-one leads to knowledge; the other to regrets.

The following information was found at the Portage County Historical Society. These transcribed records were all the military allotments that were found among the miscellaneous court papers located at the society. The original records are in the Archive Library.

Auditor, Portage County, Ohio Disbursements March 23-March 24, 1865 Military Allotments

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| No. Name | Location | Military Regiment | Disbursement to: |
| 806 Calvin E. Hull | Ravenna | Co. I, 104 Reg., OVI | Mrs. Jennie L. Hull |
| 812 Benjamin Yarian | Randolph | Co. D, 1st Reg., OVLA | Jacob Yarian |
| 813 R. Coulter | Randolph | Co. I, 104 Reg., OVI | Caldwell Anderson |
| 817 Nelson A. Pinney | Paris | Co. D, 104 Reg., OVI | Edmund Pinney |
| 819 William F. Turner | Atwater | Co. unknown, 115 Reg. | Hiram E. Brush |
| 820 Isaac G. Wilson | Deerfield | Co. D, 104 Reg., OVI | William E. Wilson |
| 821 James A. Wilson | Garrettsville | .Co. E, 60 Reg., OVI | Hiram G. Wilson |
| 823 Michael Ryan | Ravenna | Co. D, 104 Reg., OVI | James Maley by order of Mary Ryan |
| 824 Timothy C. Chase | Ravenna | Co. F, 122 Reg., OVV | Mrs. Timothy C. Chase |
| 825 Jarvis A. Benson | Randolph | Co. G, 177 Reg. | Bearer J. Belding by order of Sarah A. Benson |
| 826 Martin W. Ladu | Ravenna | Co. I, 104 Reg., OVI | Daniel Ladu |
| 828 Horace Upson | Brimfield | Co. D, 177 Reg., OVM | Matilda Upson |
| 829 Thomas J. Charlton | Rootstown | Co. H, 104 Reg., OVI | Daniel Bogue by order of Mary A. Charlton |
| 836 John T. Sell | Suffield | Co. H, 184 Reg., OVI | David Sell |
| 837 Peter Dussel | Randolph | Co. H, 184 Reg., OVI | John Dussel |
| 841 Joshuah L. Woodard | Kent | Co. D, 177 Reg., OVM | Mrs. J. L. Woodard |
| 842 Henry S. Parker | Atwater | Co. unknown, 115 Reg. | J. M. White by order of A. Parkins |
| | | | original assignment Mrs. George Parker |
| 843 Daniel Henry | Ravenna | Co. H, 104 Reg., OVI | Elizabeth Henry by R.H. K. Vanmeter |
| 845 Charles L. Shriver | Edinburgh | Co. D, 104 Reg., OVI | Orlantha Shriver |
| 846 Elias M. Carter | Brimfield | Co. H, 184 Reg., OVI | H. L. Carter |
| 854 Almerin S. Lynn | Brimfield | Co. H, 184 Reg., OVI | Lybia Underwood |
| 856 Samuel Todd | Suffield | Co. H, 184 Reg., OVI | John McCloughan |
| 857 Daniel Hubler | Suffield | Co. H, 184 Reg., OVI | John McCloughan |
| 858 Jonathan Bowerson | Suffield | Co. H, 184 Reg., OVI | Benjamin Bowerson |
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Below items from Garrettsville Journal November 8, 1906

Henry H. Webb, polisher at the Buckeye chair factory, returned to work last week after an enforced vacation of one week by reason of injuries sustained by a barrel of oider which fell on one of his legs. His attending physician told him that he had six cases of broken legs caused in the same manner.

Mrs. S. E. Nichols and son, W. W. Nichols, left on Wednesday night of last week for Deer River, Minn., where they will remain for about a month. Mr. Nichols, who is night operator at the Erie, will spend his entire vacation of thirty days hunting deer.

Mike Gado, about 45 years old, a Hungarian, was picked up by Randolph farmers at Johnnycake Hollow Friday evening and brought to Ravenna jail. It is believed that he is an escaped inmate from some asylum, probably near Columbus, judging from the few utterances he has made. At times he is aboard ship, pulling rope, setting sails and doing the various duties of a Jack tar. He speaks of wife and children, sometimes at Washington, D. C., and sometimes in Washington county. Judge Rockwell viewed him in prison and will probably take further investigation into his sanity and identity.

The \$25 offered by E. W. Hatfield of Charlestown for the return of his stolen horse and the \$25 offered by the county commissioners for the arrest and conviction of the thief has been distributed by paying \$12.50 of it to Lawrence C. Burkett of Alliance and forwarding the remainder to the chief of police at Alliance for distribution as he shall deem just between the three Alliance officers instrumental in making the capture.

Robert McDonald, 24 years old, late of Painesville, a Baltimore & Ohio switchman, was arrested on a charge of vagrancy Friday evening by Officer Hotchkiss. He gave evidence of mental derangement and since his arrest has became much worse. He imagines at times that he is being pursued by assassins who are trying to catch him to cut off his head. Judge Rockwell will hold an inquest of lunacy.

From Congregational Church of Randolph [Ohio] file-Portage County Historical Society library: Spelled as written.

The Congregational Church in Hollis N. H. to the Congregational Church in Randolph, Ohio.

Beloved Brethren.

Mr Ebeneser Youngman and Mrs. Thankful Youngman, who are now residents with you. have requested of us a letter of dismission and of recommendation to you. We hereby certify that as members of you Church in good and regular standing thur confession having been unanimously accepted as satisfactory we cordially recommend them to your christian watch and care: and when received by you, we shall consider this particular relation to us dissolved.

> By vote of the Church David Peny [?]. Pastor

Hollis, May 23, 1836

[The address on the back of the page reads: Mr Ebeneser Youngman Randolph Portage County Ohio Return address is Mr _____Youngman Settler fr. Hollis N.H.]

Below item from library at Portage County Historical Society-Scrapbook # 61, page 35 dated October 20, 1911

Original Member of the "Don't Worry" Club.

To Geo. W. Austin, on His 103rd Birthday:

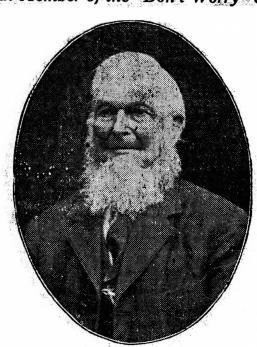
Three score and ten, your allotted time Long since has passed you on the road; Still with a spirit brave, sublime, You totter onward with your load.

We envy you, with old age blest, And call you great within your sphere. Men born since you, are now at rest While you are left to linger here.

Thy arms should clasp that sacred gem, Thy great-great grandchild, happy dear. Thy memory should be a diadem In looking back o'er many a year.

Did God call you to teach mankind The value of a well spent life, When mad with greed of every kind Men rush into the battle's strife?

Alas, we know not, but we know That few of us shall ever be Taking a part in life's great show At five score years and three. JAMES ALEXANDER TULLY.



GEO. W. AUSTIN.

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The following information on pages 6,7,8,9,10 & 11 was found in an unmarked file at the Portage County Historical

Society. Pages 6-7; 8-9; & 10-11 go together. They read all the way across. It is copied as found. There was no indication of where the record originated. Age Single, Married. NAME DATE OF BIRTH DATE OF DEATH MO DA Divorced, Widowe Loreta Della Schwab Apr 9 1900 May 16 1916 16 1 3 Single Ruth Alvira Hawley Sep 14 1912 May 20 1916 3 12 6 Single Hannah Yonker Oct 23 1854 5 1916 Jul 61 8 12 Widowed Mar 10 1851
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| Cleveland O Pesta Ignatius, Austria Josephine Kopta, Austria |
| Freedom O Arthur Jewell, Braceville O Martha Curtiss, Braceville O |
| Cleveland O John Miller, Wheeling, W.Va. Julia Myler, Wheeling, W.Va. |
| Richfield O Horatio Sloan, Seneca Co. O Rebecca Hall, Seneca Co. O |
| Levitsburg O Uriah Hunchcliffe, Eng. Ephycboh Schoefield, Eng. |
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| Eunice Hopkins | Not Given | Jan 4 1909 | 84 | Widowed |
| Eli Tuttle | Nov 16 1832 | Jan 11 1909 | 76 1 16 | Married |
| Anna Compton | Apr 9 1834 | Jun 11 1909 | 75 2 3 | Widowed |
| Infant - Wilbur | Jul 29 1909 | Jul 29 1909 | Stillborn | Single |
| Anna (Garver) Wilson | Feb 24 1883 | Aug 18 1909 | 26 6 19 | Married |
| Helen Marie Hawley | Aug 30 1909 | Aug 30 1909 | | Single |
| Hannar E. Sanford | Oct 18 1830 | Nov 11 1909 | 79 23 | Widowed |
| A son-no name | Dec 10 1909 | Dec 10 1909 | Stillborn | Single |
| John W. Booth | Aug 1 1834 | Mar 20 1910 | 75 7 19 | Single |
| Seth Harper | Jan 25 1846 | Jun 19 1910 | 64 4 25 | Married |
| Sarah Marie Kropp | Jun 13 1909 | Jul 4 1910 | 1 0 21 | Single |
| Henry Abija Sturdevant | Sep 4 1805 | Sep 17 1910 | 85 0 11 | Married |
| D.R. King | Mar 20 1842 | Nov 25 1910 | 68 8 6 | Married |
| Hanna D(orinda) Gilmore | | Dec 8 1910 | 90 0 13 | Widowed |
| Allen Earl Beery | Sep 17 1891 | Dec 30 1910 | 19 3 13 | Single |
| Frank Kolar | Nov 3 1865 | Jan 26 1911 | 45 2 24 | Married |
| Evelyn Irene Rathbun | Sep 1 1910 | Jan 29 1911 | 4 28 | Single |
| Mary Hewins | Sep 8 1842 | Feb 23 1911 | 68 4 16 | Married |
| Florence May Everett | Mar 10 1910 | Feb 24 1911 | 11 14 | Single |
| Elnore Martin Parker | Mar 2 1854 | Feb 23 1911 | 56 11 22 | Married |
| Regina Brown | May 20 1831 | Mar 14 1911 | 79 9 16 | Widowed |
| Male Not Named | Jul 22 1911 | Jul 23 1911 | 1 3 29 | Single |
| Edith Evelyn Phelps Edward M. Smith | May 2 1911 Aug 14 1836 | Sep 29 1911 Sep 4 1911 | 3 29 75 0 20 | Single Married |
| Child | Sep 29 1911 | Sep 4 1911 Sep 29 1911 | 75 0 20 | Single |
| Isaac S. Hewins | Aug 28 1837 | Dec 8 1911 | 74 3 11 | Widowed |
| Agnes Wilson | Apr 29 1886 | Mch 17 1912 | 25 11 18 | Single |
| Harry Richard Poe | May 22 1912 | May 29 1912 | 0 0 7 | Single |
| Carl A. Stanley | Dec 30 1864 | Jun 18 1912 | 47 5 20 | Married |
| Marietta M. Gilbert | 1830 | Jul 25 1912 | 82 | Widowed |
| George Bartholemew | Oct 23 1832 | Sep 5 1912 | 79 10 12 | Widowed |
| Still Birth | Sep 20 1912 | Sep 20 1912 | | Premature |
| Edith Mason | Oct 15 1887 | Mar 13 1913 | 25 2 28 ⁻ | Single |
| Mary M. McCormick | Aug 16 1836 | Mar 17 1913 | 77 7 2 | Widowed |
| Lillie Victoria Gillett | Nov 3 1855 | Mar 17 1913 | 57 4 14 | Married |
| Clyde R. Brawn (Brunn) | | Apr 14 1913 | 2 3 11 | Single |
| Harry D. Cline | Jun 18 1911 | Jun 4 1913 | 1 11 14 | Single |
| John Mason | Nov 7 1853 | Aug 9 1913 | 59 9 2 | Widowed |
| George Dunn | Jun 14 1913 | Sep 12 1913 | 2 28 | Single |
| Clifton Jay Moore | May 13 1864 | Nov 3 1913 | 49 5 21 | Single |
| Charles Frasher | Apr 10 1855 | Feb 14 1914 | 59 10 4 | Married |
| Elmer Mason | Mar 3 1858 | Mar 13 1914 | 52 0 10 | Married Widowed |
| Weltha Ann Sturdevant | Feb 3 1831 | May 4 1914 Jun 8 1914 | 83 3 1 73 2 27 | Single, |
| Katherine Schick | Apr 11 1841 Jun 4 1912 | Sep 9 1914 | 2 3 6 | Single, |
| Mildred Lang Albert M. Nichols | Feb 26 1839 | Oct 4 1914 | 75 7 9 | Married |
| Klotilda Grosse | 1851 | Oct 17 1914 | 63 0 0 | Married |
| Percival Hawley | May 2 1825 | Dec 26 1914 | 89 7 24 | |
| Ruth M. Smith | Mar 18 1914 | Sep 27 1915 | 1 6 19 | |
| Charles Williams | Dec 17 1835 | Jan 22 1916 | 80 1 7 | Divorced |
| Beulah E. Dunn | Jul 12 1914 | Apr 16 1916 | 1 9 2 | Single |
| Edna Wilson | Sep 12 1916 | Jan 14 1916 | 4 2 | Single |
| Emma A. Hurlburt | Jun 12 1854 | Apr 21 1916 | 61 10 9 | Widowed |

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| Stockton N.Y. | Eli Tuttle, Mass. | Mary Webster b in Vt. |
| Ohio | S.C. Palmer | Susan Marlow, Eng. |
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| Ohio | Herbert F Wilbur Shalersville | |
| | John Garver, Ohio | Ellen Yeager, Ohio |
| Freedom Ohio | Asahel Hawley Freedom Ohio | Minnie Jones Charlestown O |
| New York | John Day, Vt. | Roxana Aldrich, Vt. |
| Freedom O | Wm F Hingle Hempstead LI, NY | Lillie M. Kaywood Dayton No |
| Ohio | Anson Booth, Conn. | Honor Wright, Conn. |
| Ohio | Michael Harper | - · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · |
| Freedom Ohio | Albert Kropp Ohio | Lucy Larkcom, Freedom O |
| Ohio | Joel Sturdevant, Conn. | Diana Caplon, Penn. |
| Ohio | Thomas King | Sarah Williams, Mass. |
| Ohio | Granger unknown | unknown |
| Freedom Ohio | Oscar Adelbert Beery, Ohio | Pearl Rhodes Ohio |
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| | Bion C Rathbun, Freedom O | Kate Baldwin, Charlestown O |
| England | George Bowlzer, England | Ann Stead, England |
| Kingsville O | Emerson Hillier | Grace Everett, KKansas |
| Freedom O | John Parker, Vt. | Elmyra Martin, Ohio |
| Germany | Germany | Germany |
| Freedom O | August Christ John, Germany | Lillie Bertha Gotham Ohio |
| Freedom O | Roland H. Phelps Ohio | Edith Larkcom, Freedom O |
| Ohio | Henry Smith, Conn. | Abbie Skiff |
| Freedom O | Casper Schwenk, Germany | Amelia Snyder, Germany |
| Ohio | Leavitt Hewins, Mass. | Julia Carpenter, R.I. |
| Freedom O | William Wilson, Ireland | Mary Leet, Freedom O |
| Freedom O | Charles J. Poe, Finley, O | |
| Freedom O | | Juniata Snider, Sycamore O |
| Ohio | Norman G Stanley (Pro. Freedom) | Lucy Hewins, Freedom O |
| | America | America |
| Germany | | |
| Freedom O | James Anderson, Pa. | Jennie Wieser, Ohio |
| (Charlestown)? O | Elmer Mason, Pa. | Rosa Alga |
| Ireland | Maris Purtil, Ireland | |
| Ohio | Cornelius Kellogg Ohio | Jane Singleton, Ohio |
| Freedom O | Fred H Brunn, Germany | Catherine Randall, Mich. |
| Freedom O | H H Cline, Ohio | Mary Yonker, Freedom O |
| Pa. | David Mason, Pa. | Eliza Templeton, Pa. |
| Freedom O | G Lester Dunn, Brown Knox Co. O | |
| Freedom O | William Ayers Moore, Freedom O | |
| Ohio | Ben Frasher, Ohio | baran n bavib, riceaem e |
| | David Mason, Pa. | Fliza Temploton Da |
| N.Y. | Eli Tuttle, Mass. | Mary Nelson, Mass. |
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| Exandem O | Moses Schick, Pa. | Rebecca Cramer, Pa. |
| Freedom O | August Lang, Germany | Augusta Kleputy, Germany |
| Ohio | Andrew Nichols, Vt. | Sally Haven, N.Y. |
| Austria | Austria | Austria |
| N.Y. | Asahel Hawley, Vt. | Esther Clark, Mass. |
| Freedom O | O L Smith, Ohio | Ida Rupp, Ohio |
| Vermont | Jefferson Williams, Conn. | Adeliza Cooley, Vermont |
| Freedom O | Geo L Dunn, Brown Knox Co. O | Grace Fleming, Windham O |
| Freedom O | David Wilson, Freedom O | Dora Stacy, Mantua O |
| Ohio | Walstein Brown, O | Unknown |
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Robert McKenzie, America George Kostik, Austro-Hungary Mary Fredercik, Aus. - Hungary Samuel Larkcom, Otis, Mass. Oliver Pardee, Vt. James Milson, Ireland John Jablon, Slovakia Jacob Dutter, Lucerne Co. Pa. Milton Hoskins, Nelson O Anton Myacek, Austria Fred L House, Chelsea, Vt. David Shilliday, Ireland William Fenton, N.Y. Peter Sall, Germany Belfast, Ireland John Davidson, Belfast David McDaniel, Elwin, Ill. Sylvanus L Hart, Bloomfield, NY Marquis Holcolm, Ohio Arthur J. Waltz, Freedom O James Peppeard, Fredericksburg James Mulac, Bohemia Aus. Benj. Bower, Pa. Ulyses Williams, Cridersvle O George Housel, Pa. Chas. Hazen, Garrettsville O John Orman, U.S.A. Samuel Olds, Sr.7

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From: Western Reserve Chronicle Jan 1856

[The items were originally from the Ravenna Sentinel or Ravenna Democrat]

Discharged on Bail

ARTHUR PACKER, charged with burglary and arson, in breaking into and firing A. Udall's Store and Post Office in Hiram, was, upon examination before the Justice, committed to jail in this village in default of \$500 bail. Last week he was bailed out by his father, and it is reported that he has left for parts unknown, and that his bail will become for feit .- Rarenna Democrat.

Those Steers.

The Sentinel says that "the 'wo-year old steers of Frank Henry have been weighed a second time, and positively reach 3,385 pounds."

Revival.

There is a revival going forward at the Methodist Church, in this village, under the charge of Revd. CLARK, pastor, Elder Hall, Revd. J. H. Ebbert, and Dr. EARL, of Franklin. There are a number of hopeful converts.—Ravenna Sen-

Date: Jan 8, 1897 N?

Ravenna wants a sewer system.

Hear the Gilberts this evening.

No more slot machines in this county. Much sickness is reported at Atwater.

Counterfeit half dollars are circulating 1 Akron.

Children in the vicinity of Freedom tation have the whooping cough.

The Lutheran Sunday school will lect officers next Sunday morning.

Dr. H. R. Kellev died in Galion. Monday, after an illness of only six

Two saloons have been closed the past week—one in Ravenna and one in Kent. The abundance of cider is one of the reasons given for the poor business .-Ravenna Republican.

Date: July 8, 1891 N?

One of the most remarkable looking men in the south is Captain James J. White, who succeeded General R. E. Lee at the helm of the Washington and Lee university. Captain White is about 6 feet 2 inches. 7-8- 1891

July 7, 1887 N?

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Anna M. Byers, deceased. THE undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Anna M. Byers, late of Ravenna, Portage County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 5th day of June. A. D. 1887.

GEO. R. BYERS.

Attest: C. A. REED, Probate Judge 981

7-T NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT Estate of Dennis Marah, deceased.

THE undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as Executor of the estate of Dennis Marah, late of Bavenna, Portage County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 18th day of June. A. D. 1887.

MICHAEL MULVEY.

Attest: C. A. Regd. Probate Judge. 982

***** August 11, 1887 N?

Executrix Sale.

I will offer for sale at public auction, On Saturday, August 20, 1887,

At the late residence of Andrus T. Baldwing three-fourths of a mile west of the center of Palmyra, in Portage County, Ohio, the following property:

Palmyra, in Portage County, Ohio, the following property:
3 Horses, 3 Cows, 4 two year old Steers, 2 yearling Steers, 1 Yearling Heifer, 1 Calf, 12 Hives of Bees, 1 Buggy, 1 two-horse Wagon, 1 Clipper Mower, 100 bushels of Wheat, 126 bushels of Oats, 20 tons of Hay, 6½ acres of Corn on ground, Plows, Harrow, Cuttivators, Harness, Lumber, and various other articles of farm property too numerous to mention.

Sale to commence at 11 o'clock A. M.

TERMS:—Six months credit will be given on all sums of \$5 and upwards, on notes with two approved securities; under \$5, cash on day of sale.

ale.

ELLA BALDWIN, Executrix
of estate of A. T. Baldwin, deceased.
P. H. Bran & Son. Auctioneers.

****** September 20, 1888 N?

STRAWBERRY PLANTS.

Illants of the WALDRON SEEDLING can be obtained in lots of en for one dol ar. of CHARLES WALDRON, BRIMFIELD, or or REV. ANDREW WILLSON, RAVENNA. Mr Willson has well rooted Plants for Fall planting of the Jewell, Jessie, Belmont, May king, Cumbernad, Sharple-s, Summit, Glendale, Manchester, &c., for sale.

Farm for Sale.

THE place known as the John Harmon farm, about one and one-half miles west of Ravenna it contains 31 acres, 18 acres with a prick hose and outbuildings—fine fruit farm. A place of 13 acres, good pasture land will be sold separately or together. Enquire on he premises. 1047-4w*

August 18, 1887 N?



FOR SALE.

HOUSE AND LOT, No. 186 South Chestaut stree, Ravenna, O. Al.o. 10 ACRES of LAND lying west of South Chestaut Street and south of P. & W. R. R., in city limits. For terms, address

997-2m*

GEO. R. BYERS. Raveana, O.

Farm at Auction!

I WILL sell at auction, to the highest bidder,

Saturday, September 10, 1887,

Saturday, September 10, 1887,
MY FARM, situated 1½ miles northeast of Raveona Village, O., on the Freedom road. This farm was formerly known as the "findson farm." It contains 1461-1, acres of good land, well loca ed, on main traveled road, one fourth of a mile to school, one-half mile o cheese factory, and only one and three-fourth miles from court house at Mavenna. The b. ildings are alling good repair. The dwelling contains eight rooms exclusive of close s and fills. Farm barn is 80x of feet, with a shed 18x3) attached. Large grannery, ice-house wagon-hed, hog hous, and all necessary our buildings splendid well and cistern at house, never-failing well at barn; running water through the farm; sugar camp of over eight hundred trees, sogar-house and she is at camp.

Terms:—ine-fourth purchate money to be paid down; balance in three equal annual payments, secured by mortgage.

Sale to be on premises at one o'clock p. m.
For further particulars, call on or address.

JOHN FLETCHER.

Ravenna, O.

Sale positive, rain or shine.

F. M. BEAN & SON Auctioneers.

Sale positive, rain or shine. F. H. BEAN & SON, Auctioneers 990 3 w

Household Furniture

PRIVATE SALE.

As I am about to remove to California, I offer my Household Furditure at private sale, consist-ing of one Parlor Set. Bedroom Suites. Chairs, Tables, Cook and Parlor Stoves etc. Also, one good seven octave Piano, and one fine Plush Cloak. MRS. H. P. BRIGHAM. Ravenna, August 9, 1887. 11*

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Nicholas Knapp, deceased.

THE undersigned has been duly appointed administrator (with the will annexed) of the estate of Nicholas Knapp, late of Rootstown, Portage County, Chio, deceased.

Dated this 5th day of August, A. D. 1887.

GEORGE KNAPP.

Attest: C. A. REED, Probate Judge.

On the premises of Judd Stedman, 1½ miles east and ½ mile north of Chharlestown Center, Sat urday, Aug. 13. will sell at auction a complete Cider Mill, and Boiling Works fur Apple Butter, &c. The mill will be run on the day of sale.

988-2t* JOSEPH KNAPP.

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Please attach a list of the surnames you are researching. There is a limit of 12 names for this listing! Please PRINT Surnames-- must be received by February 15th to be included in the March-April newsletter.

From: Republican Democrat September 6, 1876 (page 7)

A Dead Sure Company

The Boston Courier gives this wise counsel:

All persons contemplating life insurance should examine the prospectus of the Dead Sure Life Insurance Company, all of whose policies are to be null and void as specified:

If the assured kills himself. If he lets anybody else kill him. If his last breath smells of whisky. If he dies without the written consent of this company. If he is addicted to tight lacing. If he gets tight in any way. If he goes to sea except by rail. If he drinks. If he eats anything. If he goes to Congress without the vote of the company. If he handles gunpowder, face powder or baking powder. If he runs a steam engine. If a steam engine runs him. If he dies before he is forty. If he is blown up by a steamboat. If he is blown up by his wife. If he runs for office. If he dies in liquor. If he dyes his hair. If he is caught lying west of the twenty-first meridian of longitude from Washington. If he is caught lying at all. If he is hung more than once.

The proofs of death required will be:

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