

LOGAN COUNTY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY QUARTERLY

WINTER QUARTERLY

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January, 1987

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NOTICE OF CHANGE

The Board and Membership of Logan County Genealogical Society have approved and changed the name of the Society to LOGAN COUNTY GENEALOGICAL AND HISTORICAL SOCIETY. The address remains the same: P.O. Box 283, Lincoln, IL 62656.

MEETINGS at 7:30 P.M., third Monday in month, at the Oasis, Logan County Senior Citizens Center, 501 Pulaski St., Lincoln, Ill., unless otherwise specified below.

HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE

Greeters should plan to be at meeting by 7 P.M. to welcome members and guests. Please mark your calendar and bring a friend.

Jan. 19---Meeting cancelled
 Feb. 16---Paul Gleason
 Mar. 16---Charles Spaugh
 Apr. 20---Nova Coseboon

PROGRAMS for 1987

Jan. 19--Lucille Henrichsmeyer, Speaker - Land Records
 (Meeting cancelled because of snow storm)
 Feb. 16--Paul Gleason, Speaker - Preservation of Heritage and Records
 Mar. 16--Jean Hauffe, Speaker - The German Element in Logan County
 Apr. 20--Virginia Johnson, Speaker - Indians in Illinois Territory
 May 18--Show and Tell
 June 15--Emily McElhaney, Speaker - Meeting at Bethel Church, Emden, Ill., and she will speak on "History of Bethel Church"
 July 20--Annual picnic
 Aug. 17--Paul Gleason, Speaker - History of Eminence Church
 Sept. 21--Pat Glithero, Speaker - Interesting buildings
 Oct. 19--Annual County Court House meeting
 Nov. 16--Annual dinner meeting and election of officers
 Dec. --No meeting

LOGAN COUNTY GENEALOGICAL & HISTORICAL SOCIETY
FINANCIAL REPORT
Year--1986

Balance January 1, 1986

\$ 406.13

RECEIPTS

Dues---1984	\$ 5.00	
Dues---1985	5.00	
Dues---1986	633.00	
Dues---1987	183.00	
Dues---1988	9.00	
Life Membership	<u>100.00</u>	\$935.00
Sale of 1860 Census		25.00
Sale Heirship Records		6.00
Donations		8.50
Donation for Use of Room at Senior Citizens' Center		16.55
Donation for Copies		1.25
Receipts---Workshop:		
Registration	\$515.00	
Display Tables	15.00	
Meals	28.00	
Sale of Heirship Records	<u>12.00</u>	570.00
Research		11.00
Pioneer Certificates		<u>30.00</u>
Total Receipts		<u>\$1603.30</u> <u>\$2009.43</u>

DISBURSEMENTS

Subscription--Genealogical Helper	\$ 17.00	
Refund on 1860 Census	12.50	
Typing Paper for 1870 and 1880 Census	16.12	
Amendment to Articles of Incorporation--State	25.00	
Pioneer Certificates	136.00	
Changing Corporate Seal	24.26	
Annual Report to Secretary of State	5.00	
P. O. Box Rent	22.00	
Recorder's Fee--Articles of Incorporation	7.00	
Printed Checks	7.38	
Postal Cards and Postage Stamps	20.30	
Office Supplies--(Index Cards, Typing Paper, Liquid Paper)	29.44	
Expenses--Quarterlies:		
Postage	\$215.67	
Stencils	17.00	
Ink	<u>42.50</u>	275.17
Donation to Senior Citizens' Center-- Nine Meetings		135.00
Expenses--Workshop:		
Ye Olde Genealogie Shoppe	\$250.00	
Use of Room--Lincoln Masonic Temple	75.00	
Food	40.83	
Paper Goods	26.75	
Refund of Change	<u>125.00</u>	417.58
Total Disbursements		<u>1149.75</u>
Balance January 1, 1987		<u>\$ 859.68</u>

NOTICE

MEMBERSHIP DUES

NOTICE

QUARTERLY is published in January, April, July, and October by Logan County Genealogical and Historical Society, P.O. Box 283, Lincoln, IL 62656. Membership dues in the Society are: \$8.00 annually for single members; \$9.00 for family (2 members only) plus \$1.00 for each additional member in excess of 2 persons; \$5.00 for student; \$15.00 for contributing membership; and Life Membership \$100.00. Please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope for your membership card. Yearly dues are from Jan. 1 through Dec. 31.

NEW MEMBERS

JENKINS, Mrs. Richard O., 7011 W. Beverly Mae, San Antonio, Tex. 78229
VILLARREAL, Mrs. Armand R., Rt. 2, Box 81, Bartlesville, OK 74006

REINSTATED:

VANNOY, Mrs. Derrell (Nancy), R.R. 1, Box 128B, Atlanta, IL 61723

CHANGE OF ADDRESS:

LENOVER, Miss Ruth A., 46 Sixth Ave., Arlington Heights, IL 60005

QUERIES

We invite anyone to place a query in our Quarterly. Queries are free to our Society members, as space permits, and for non-members there is a fee of \$1.00. Please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope for a reply.

DONALD SHELDON COPELAND, 111 N. Belmont, Box 66, Mt. Pulaski, Ill. 62548, is researching the following surnames: COPELAND, CURTIS, BUCKLES, SCROGGIN, LUCAS, McDANIEL, MATHEWS, HAYNES, KIRKMAN, GOODPASTURE

MISS RUTH A. LENOVER, 46 Sixth Ave., Arlington Heights, Ill. 60005, is researching the following surnames: ALKIRE, ENGLAND, HARPER

CARRILL and ARLENE SEABOLT, 2425 S. Pasfield, Springfield, Ill. 62704, are researching the following surnames: SEABOLT, MILLER, McGEATH

GEORGE and CAROLE WYLDER, 207 Cedar Drive, Clinton, Ill. 61727, are researching the following surnames: COATES, BERRY, GOUGH, GOFF, SHRIVER, CROUCH

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PIONEER CERTIFICATES

Pioneer Certificates are now available from Logan County Genealogical and Historical Society. If an ancestor of yours lived in Logan County any time from its beginning up to and including 1880, then you are eligible for a certificate (you need not have ever lived in Logan County). The Certificates are \$5.00 each, printed on parchment-look paper. Proof your ancestor lived in Logan County can include county records, marriage licenses, death certificates, county histories, Bible records, cemetery records, census records, etc. Each generation must be proved. A common mistake is lack of proof that the ancestor was in the County. Be sure to include everything and follow directions. To obtain an application, enclose SASE. WRITE: Logan County Genealogical & Historical Society, Attn. Pioneer Certificate, P.O. Box 283, Lincoln, Ill. 62656.

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ATTENTION

The following 4 pages are a continuation from the October, 1986, Quarterly of the men from Logan County who served in World War I.

HOLMES, Benjamin F.	HUSER, Roy
HOLMES, Earl Edward	HUSTON, Harvey H.
HOLMES, Edgar *	HYMBAUGH, Roy W.
HOLMES, Lynn *-*	
HOLMES, Victor	INGRAM, Bert F.
HOLMES, Walter R.	INGRAM, George
HOLMES, Willis R.	INGRAM, Harrison
HOLTZ, George F.	IRELAND, Ray
HOPKINS, Hubert	IRVIN, Gilbert *
HOPP, Benj. Llewellyn	IRWIN, Arthur C.
HOPP, Harry H.	IRWIN, Henry L.
HOPPING, Louis	IRWIN, Virgil L.
HORN, Albert F.	ISON, Luke
HORN, Miss Sciota	
HORN, Richard Willis	JACKSON, Albert H.
HORNEY, Carl	JACKSON, Arthur
HORNEY, Roland	JACKSON, Leo
HORTON, William	JACKSON, Walter
HOUSER, Paul Willard	JACOBS, Charles
HOUSTON, Glen S.	JACOBS, Frank J.
HOUSTON, Merlin L.	JAMES, B. F.
HOWARD, Carl	JAMES, Kenneth E.
HOWARD, George	JAMES, Ray
HOWARD, James	JAMES, William R.
HOWARD, William	JANES, John
HOWE, Wendell O.	JANSSSEN, Henry M.
HOWELL, Ellis	JAYNE, Wilfred
HOWERTON, Frank R.	JEWELL, Bonnie L. *
HUBBARD, John	JOHNSON, Edward F.
HUBBARD, Paul H.	JOHNSON, Ernest
HUBBARD, Nicholas Leo	JOHNSON, Frank
HUBER, Merlin H.	JOHNSON, George B.
HUDGINS, Bert	JOHNSON, George O.
HUDSPETH, Hubert A.	JOHNSON, Grover W.
HUFFMAN, Volley	JOHNSON, Harry
HUGHES, Ralph	JOHNSON, Henry Barnes
HUGO, Raymond	JOHNSON, Hillie
HUM, Adolph	JOHNSON, Nathaniel P.
HUMPHREY, Louis James	JOHNSON, Nillie
HUMPHREY, Robert R.	JOHNSON, William A.
HUMPHREYS, Roscoe L. *-*	JOHNSON, Carl H. #
HUNECKE, Anton	JONES, Albert M.
HUNT, Carl	JONES, Bert D.
HUNT, Kenneth	JONES, Charles Aaron
HUNT, Lester	JONES, Harry
HUNT, Thornton	JONES, Lawrence
HUNTER, Thomas	JONES, Vincent
HUNTER, Roy R. *-*	JONES, Warren
HURLEY, Carl J.	JONES, William
HURLEY, Henry A., Jr.	JUDD, Clarence Elmer
HUTCHCRAFT, Martin D.	JUDY, Dean W.
HUTCHCRAFT, Young	JUHL, Albert L.
HUTCHINS, Noble R.	
HUTCHISON, Clarence	KAESEBIER, William F.
HUTTON, Marshall	KATTNER, Clyde N.

KAUTZ, Wallace E. *-*

KAUTZ, William

KAVENAUGH, William T.

KEARNEY, Harold **

KEYS, John Gillett

KECK, Herman

KEIFER, H. A.

KEIGAN, Paul Martin

KELLER, William

KELLOUGH, Everett L.

KELLY, Ralph

KENDALL, Dr. William Eugene

KENDRICK, James E.

KENDRICK, Wayne *

KENNEDY, Floyd *-*

KENNEDY, John W.

KENNEDY, Robert C.

KENT, James

KERR, Robert James

KEUS, Robert

KIEF, Ernest Leslie

KIETH, Jesse

KIEZLING, Milton A.

KIICK, Jesse R.

KALEY, James

KIMBALL, Rev. G. W.

KINDRED, Norman

KINDRED, Shannon

KINERT, Elmer D.

KINMAN, John

KINMAN, Miss Ruth

KINSER, George C.

KIRBY, William Warren

KIRK, Charles

KIRK, Simon

KIRKPATRICK, Paul

KIRNBERGER, John

KLARR, Fred

KLEINMAN, Charles H.

KLOCKENGA, Ben H.

KNOACK, George

KNOCHEL, Dr. Joseph M.

KNISS, Frank

KNISS, Noble

KNISS, Paul

KNOWLTON, Leo G. M.

KNOY, Delbert

KNOY, Leland Earl

KNOY, Frank Lee *

KNOY, Walter *-*

KOBOSKI, George

KOEHLER, Carl W.

KOEHLER, George F.

KOEHLER, Louis F.

KOEHLER, William A.

KOSTOMEY, August

KRAMER, Arthur Elmer

KRAMER, William G.

KRATZER, Willard D.

KRAUS, Ernest William

KRAUS, Frank E. :

KRESIN, Louis Jacob :

KRITZBERGER, Edgar F.

KROMMENGA, Henry, Jr.

KROTZ, Edward :

KRUGHOFF, Clarence F.

KUHL, William P.

KUHLMAN, Frank

KUHLMAN, Henry

KUHLMAN, Lewis

KURTH, Walter

LADUE, Geoffrey

LEFATA, Stephano

LA FEVER, John

LAFFEY, James Joseph

LAFFEY, John Henry *

LAFFEY, Thomas Leo

La FORGE, Ira Young

La FORGE, William M.

LAHR, Earl

LAIRD, Melvin R.

LAKE, Jesse Herbert

LAKE, William Ivan

LANGENBAHN, John R.

LANGFORD, James P.

LANHAM, Dean :

LANNAN, Thomas P.

LANTERMAN, Howard S. *-*

LANTERMAN, Richard O.

LAPPIN, James

LARISON, Lin

LARSON, Elmer

LATHAM, James H.

LAUBE, George

LAUBE, Julius

LAUER, Fred

LAUER, Jacob Edward

LAUGHERY, David M.

LAUGHARN, Earl

LAUGHERY, Edward

LaBAW, Arch

LAUGHERY, Luttrell C.

LAUGHERY, Maurice

LAUGHERY, Tracy Vance

LAUN, George W.

LAWYER, Ralph E.

LAYMAN, Clinton Fiske

LEAPLEY, Check

LEAPLEY, Harry

LEAPLEY, John

LECHLEITER, Mark
LEE, Arthur
LEE, Burch
LEE, Thomas Howard
LEE, William H.
LEISCH, Benjamin F.
LEONARD, Jesse Edgar
LEONARD, Laurie
LESLIE, Ben Holloday
LESTER, Raymond
LEWIS, Alva C. *
LEWIS, Claud R.
LEWIS, Edward W.
LEWIS, Henry
LICH, Arthur G.
LICH, Clarence C.
LIKENS, Arthur *
LILLICH, George Otto
LIMEBAUGH, James C.
LEISCH, Arthur
LINDSAY, William S.
LINN, Matthew
LINN, Samuel *-*LIPANSKI, Anton
LIPANSKI, Joe
LISCH, John A.
LIVINGSTON, John R.
LOCKENOUR, Albert F.
LOETTERLE, Alfred W.
LOGAN, Grover C.
LOGUE, Earl E.
LOHRENZ, John F.
LOOMIS, Oliver Gould
LOOMIS, Richard
LONG, Harry M.
LONG, Virgil Chase
LORMAN, Joseph
LOUGH, Harlan Reuben
LOVEL, Grover
LOWE, Charles Reuben
LOWER, John L.
LOWMAN, George H.
LUCAS, Donald G.
LUCAS, Mahlon M.
LUCKHART, Faye Edgar
LUCKHART, Lohrenz J.
LUCKHART, Ray R.
LUDLAM, Clarence
LUBBERS, Louis Emil
LUNN, Wayne
LUTER, M.
LUX, Clyde M.
LUX, Fred M.
LUX, William G.
LYLE, Lovejoy

LYLE, William
LYNN, Troy Shedrick
MacDONALD, Dallas *-*
MacPherson, Charles M.
MADSEN, Oscar
MAHLER, Henry G.
MAHLER, Jesse L.
MAHLER, John
MALERICH, Joseph
MALERICH, Ralph J.
MALERICH, William W.
MALONE, Alva L.
MALONEY, John
MALONEY, William H.
MALTBY, Harry T.
MANLEY, Jasper Wm.
MANN, George Edward
MANN, John Collins
MANN, William H.
MARKO, Marvel T.
MURPHY, William
MARQUARD, Martin W.
MARSHALL, Delbert
MARTIN, Albert Lee
MARTIN, Alva Begnal
MARTIN, Arthur David
MARTIN, Ellsworth L.
MARTIN, Graydon
MARTIN, Leora
MARTIN, Lester Ray
MARTIN, Orville
MARTIN, Raymond
MARTIN, Russell M.
MARTIN, Sidney C.
MARTIN, Willis Edward
MARYARD, Martin W.
MASON, Clarence L.
MASON, George O.
MASON, Henry
MASON, Millard
MASSENGILL, William E.
MASTERSON, James E.
MATHEIN, Donald
MATHEIN, Henry C., Jr.
MATHEIN, William
MATTHEWS, Charles R.
MATTHEWS, William G.
MAUG, Russell R.
MAUPIN, Emmett
MAURER, Christian F.
MAURER, Victor George
MAXHEIMER, Carl
MAXHEIMER, Elmer
MAYBERRY, Michael P.

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 MAYER, William M.
 MAYFIELD, Cecil
 MAYFIELD, Louie
 McAFEE, Elmer
 McAFEE, Paul E.
 McBEUGE, Cecil
 McCABE, John W.
 McCANN, James
 McCANN, John
 McCANN, Raymond J.
 McCARTHY, Leo L.
 McClINTOCK, Lyle L.
 McCONNELL, James H.
 McCORMICK, Wayne
 McCRADY, Frank
 McCULLOUGH, Donald C.
 McCULLOUGH, Mark M.
 McCULLOUGH, Roy
 McCULLOUGH, Thomas
 McCURRY, Thomas W.
 McELVAIN, Frank
 McDANIEL, Thomas H.
 McDAVID, Joel *
 McDONALD, Charles A.
 McGARRY, William
 McGRADY, John H.
 McGRATH, Harry Edward
 McGUFFIE, Oscar
 McGUFFIE, Russell
 McHENRY, Charles E.
 McINTOSH, Earl
 McINTOSH, William
 McKEVITT, Owen Wm.
 McKINLEY, Harley A.
 McKNIGHT, Andrew
 McKNIGHT, Roy S.
 McKOWN, James Isaih
 McLLELLAN, Hytle Ray
 McMATH, Earl Radle *
 McMATH, James Russell
 McMATH, John Harold
 McMURTRY, Oda
 McNALLY, Hugh Leo
 McNALLY, James H.
 McNALLY, Leo
 McNALLY, Owen Henry
 McNALLY, William
 MEANS, A. L.
 MEKCH, John
 MEINKEY, Charles F.
 MEISTER, Elmer *-
 MEISTER, George Lee
 MEISTER, Henry Fred
 MELIN, Albert M.
 MENNSEN, John M., Jr.
 MENZEL, Herman
 MERRIAN, Henry
 MERRIMAN, Cecil M.
 MERRITT, Charles B.
 MERRITT, William F.
 MERRY, Paul
 MERTA, Louis, Jr.
 MESTINSEK, John
 MESTINSEK, Stephen
 MEYER, Herman W.
 MICHAELS, Lyle L.
 MICHAELIS, William
 MICKLE, William O. *-
 MIESNER, Herman C. :-
 MIKKELSON, George
 MILEHAM, Elmer
 MILLARD, Albert
 MILLARD, Roy
 MILLER, Benjamin
 MILLER, Bryan
 MILLER, Elmer
 MILLER, Leland P.
 MILLER, Oliver Eugene
 MILLER, Omar Canfield
 MILLER, Roy R.
 MILLER, William D. *-
 MILNER, James *-
 MINNICK, Roy
 MINTYER, Floyd
 MITCHELL, Claude A.
 MITCHELL, L. Grover
 MITCHELL, John E.
 MITCHELL, William
 MOBLEY, Ivan R.
 MOEHRING, William F.
 MOHN, Albert Lee
 MOLLICOAT, L. T.
 MONTGOMERY, Albert R.
 MONTGOMERY, Calvin C.
 MONTGOMERY, Dean C.
 MONTGOMERY, Oscar A.
 MONTGOMERY, Ross
 MOON, Lee
 MOORE, Alvin
 MOORE, Clarence
 MOORE, Donald
 MOORE, Paul
 MOORE, Welby Ray
 MOORE, William A.
 MOOS, Joseph
 MOOS, Peter
 MOOS, Thomas P.
 MOOS, Timothy
 MORAN, Aloysius
 MORAN, Charles

ATTENTION The following 3 pages are a continuation from the Oct., 1986, Quarterly of the Biographical Directory of Corwin Township from the 1878 History of Logan Co., Ill., and the next 3 pages start listing East Lincoln Township.

MONTGOMERY, Wesley, farmer and stock-raiser, Sec. 17; P. O. Middletown; dem; C. Pres; born in Gibson Co. Indiana, May 11, 1826; married Nov. 8, 1847, to Mary Mounts, born in Gibson Co. Indiana, Aug. 7, 1830; owns 300 acres, value about \$12,000; came to this county 1857; lived ten years in Menard Co. before moving here; has seven children; William L. born Sept 2, 1849, married Mary J. Davidson; John N. born Aug. 6, 1851; Thomas G. born Nov. 23, 1853; married Laura Barnett; Asa K. born March 6, 1858; Mary E. born Nov. 29, 1862; Charles W. born Jan. 25, 1865; Sarah L. born Feb. 10, 1868

MONTGOMERY, William, blacksmith, Middletown; dem; Chris; from Indiana

MONTGOMERY, William M. laborer, Middletown; dem; Meth; born Illinois

MORRIS, Elijah, farmer, Sec. 14; P. O. Burtonview; rep; Meth; from Ohio

MORRIS, William, farmer, Sec. 7; P. O. Middletown; dem; Chris; born Illinois

NICODEMUS, Theodore, farmer, Sec. 29; P. O. Middletown; rep; liberal; from Maryland

NOKES, Alven, farmer, Sec. 28; P. O. Elkhart; dem; liberal; from New York

O'DONNELL, William, farmer's hand, Sec. 6; P. O. New Holland; dem; Chris

PARKER, Thornton, wagon-maker, Middletown; dem; Chris; from Virginia

PENCE, Allen, farmer, Sec. 34; P. O. Elkhart; dem; Chris; born Illinois

RAYBURN, Frank, works for Mr. Gains, Sec. 18; P. O. Middletown; rep; Pres.

RAYBURN, Logan B. farmer, P. O. Middletown; rep; C. Pres; born Illinois

RAYBURN, Robert, postmaster, Middletown; rep; Chris; from Kentucky

RAYBURN, William, farmer, P. O. Middletown; rep; Pres; from Kentucky

REED, Timothy M. drugs, P. O. Middletown; dem; Pres; from Kentucky

RICHARDS, Lewis, farmer, Sec. 24; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Meth; from Ohio

RICHARDS, William P. farmer, Sec. 24; P. O. Broadwell; rep; liberal; from Ohio

RIFFLE, Anthony, farmer, Sec. 33; P. O. Elkhart; dem; Chris; from Pennsylvania

RIFFLE, John, farmer, Sec. 28; P. O. Elkhart; rep; liberal; from Pennsylvania

RITCHMART, Phillip, farmer, Sec. 26; P. O. Elkhart; rep; Meth; from Ohio

ROBERTS, James B. farmer, Sec. 17; P. O. Middletown; rep; Meth; from Ohio

ROBINSON, John W. farmer and stock-raiser, Sec. 34; P. O. Elkhart; dem; Chris; from Ohio

ROHTE, Ephraim, farmer, Sec. 11; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Luth; from Germany

ROHTE, Gottlieb, farmer, Sec. 11; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Luth; from Germany

ROPPIN, Shadrack, farmer, Sec. 17; P. O. Middletown; dem; Chris; from Ohio

RUTE, Moses, farmer, Sec. 32; P. O. Middletown; dem; Cath; from Ireland

SAMPSON, William A. farmer, Sec. 4; P. O. New Holland; rep; Chris; from Ohio

SAPP, William, farmer, Sec. 21; P. O. Middletown; rep; liberal; from Ohio

SAXTON, James R. farmer, Sec. 24; P. O. Elkhart; rep; Chris; from Ohio

SAXTON, Joshua, farmer, Sec. 24, P. O. Elkhart; rep; Chris; from New York

SAXTON, William A. farmer, Sec. 24; P. O. Elkhart; rep; Chris; from Ohio

SHADE, Adam, farmer, Sec. 25; P. O. Broadwell; rep; Chris; from Ohio

SHAY, Benjamin, farmer, Sec. 15; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Chris

SHANER, William, farmer and stock-raiser, Sec. 22; P. O. Middletown; rep; Chris; born in Ross Co. Ohio, Aug. 7, 1819; married to Cynthia Jewett, who died March 17, 1855; married again Nov. 12, 1863, to Temperence Mecay, born in Knox Co. Ohio, Nov. 12, 1842; enlisted Aug. 7, 1862, in Company F, 73d I.V.I; discharged Sept. 17, 1862, on account of bad health; has three children, Lorena, born Sept. 18, 1864; Antoinette, born April 11, 1867; Lucy Hays, born March 26, 1877; lost four

SHAY, Abram, Jr. farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal

SHAY, Abram, Sr. farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal

SHAY, Frank, farmer, Sec. 15; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal

SHAY, James, farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal

SHASTEEN, E. S. farmer, Sec. 19; P. O. Middletown; rep; liberal; from Ohio

SHEELY, Jacob, farmer, Sec. 3; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal; from Ohio

SHEELY, Jasper, farmer, Sec. 2; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal

SHROYER, Lewis, farmer, Sec. 11; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Chris; from Ohio

SIMMONS, Albert, farmer and justice of the peace, Sec. 14; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Meth; born in Rensaeller Co. N. Y. March 3, 1823; married April 19, 1854, to Susan J. Denton, born in Rock Island, Ills. May 20, 1837; has one child, Frank, born March 3, 1862; came to this county in 1870; has held the office of justice of the peace since April, 1874; rents 120 acres from Mr. Markwith. His son Frak, at the age of 14 years tended his father's farm, helping to plant, plow, and gather 52 acres of corn; his father during this time was able to do but very little work on account of ill health; first plowed at the age of 10 years, doing effective work.

SMITH, David J. farmer, Sec. 15; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Meth; from Kentucky

SMITH, James, farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal; born Illinois

SMITH, Jasper, farmer, Sec. 2; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Bap; from New York

SMITH, John, farmer, Sec. 15; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Meth; from Kentucky

SMITH, John W. works for Mr. Brown, at sawmill; P. O. Lincoln

SMITH, Lewis, farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal; born Illinois

SMITH, William, farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal

SNYDER, Ann, widow S. Sec. 21; P. O. Middletown; liberal; born Illinois

SNYDER, Elizabeth, widow John, Sec. 28; P. O. Middletown; Meth; from Pennsylvania

SNYDER, John D. farmer, Sec. 28; P. O. Middletown; dem; liberal; born Illinois

SNYDER, John T. farmer, Sec. 5; P. O. Middletown; dem; from Virginia

SNYDER, Kisah, widow David, Sec. 28; P. O. Middletown; Meth; from West Virginia

SQUIRE, William, farmer and stock-raiser, Sec. 7; P. O. Middletown; dem; Meth; from England

SPARKS, Jesse, farmer, Sec. 20; P. O. Middletown; dem; Bap; born Illinois

STEVENS, George, farmer, Sec. 2; P. O. Lincoln; dem;

STEVENS, William H. farmer and blacksmith, Sec. 16; P. O. Middletown; independent; Meth; born in Jasper Co. Ills. Sept. 8, 1836; married Feb. 14, 1861, to Harriet Snyder, born in Logan Co. Ills. March 17, 1845; enlisted Aug. 6, 1862, in Company F, 73d I.V.I. under Gen. Sherman, 4th Army Corps; engaged in following battles: Perryville, Stone River, Chickamauga, Lookout Mountain, Sherman's March to the Sea, Thomas' last fight at Nashville; discharged at close of the war, June 12, 1865; has five children: Walter E., John W., Mary E., Annie, Emma; lost two

STOLLARD, John, farmer, Sec. 20; P. O. Middletown; rep; liberal

STOLLARD, Scott, farmer, Sec. 21; P. O. Middletown; rep; Chris; from Ohio

STONE, William, farmer, Sec. 15; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Meth.

STROUP, Colia, widow Cornelius, Middletown, Cath; from Germany

STURGEON, Catherine, widow James, Sec. 28; P. O. Elkhart; Meth; from Ohio

THEOBOLD, John, farmer, Sec. 5; P. O. Middletown; rep; Chris; from Germany

THOMPSON, Ezekiel, farmer, Sec. 11; P. O. Lincoln; independent; liberal; from Ohio

THOMPSON, Louis, farmer, Sec. 21; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Chris; born in Ross Co. Ohio, April 1, 1847; married Nov. 8, 1870, to Dolly Linson, born in Ohio, July 12, 1855; came to this county 5th of Feb. 1868; rents of Mr. Barnes; has two children, Melvin, born April 21, 1872; Louisa, born May 17, 1875; lost one

TOMLINSON, John A. farmer, Sec. 6; P. O. Middletown; dem; Pres; from Ohio

TOMLINSON, William H. farmer, Sec. 6; P. O. New Holland; rep; Chris; from Ohio

TURNER, Emanuel, Sec. 4; P. O. New Holland; dem; Chris; from Virginia

TURNER, J. G. farmer, Sec. 4; P. O. New Holland; dem; Chris.

WARREN, Sarah A. widow Uriah, Sec. 6; P. O. Middletown; Pres; from Pennsylvania

WARREN, George, farmer and stock-raiser. Sec. 6; P. O. New Holland; dem; Meth; born in Pike Co. Ohio, Feb. 21, 1833; married May 29, 1859, to Mary E. Johnson, born in Pennsylvania, 7th of June, 1841; owns 662 acres, value about \$39,710; came to this county Jan. 1856; has four children: Uriah J., Ida J., John W., William W.; lost two.

WEAVER, Catharine, Mrs. Sec. 25; P. O. Elkhart; Meth; from Ohio

WEAVER, William L. retired farmer, Middletown; dem; Meth; from Sweden

WEAVER, William M. farmer, Sec. 20; P. O. Middletown; dem; liberal; from Tennessee

WENDELL, Philip, farmer, Sec. 5; P. O. New Holland; dem; Chris; from Ohio

WHITLEY, Harlim, farmer, Sec. 15; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal; from Kentucky

WIDDERS, William, farmer, Sec. 2; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Luth; from Germany

WILLIAMSON, Melby, farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal

WILLIAMSON, Phocion, farmer, Sec. 11; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal; from Ohio

WILLOCKS, Robert, farmer and stock-raiser, Sec. 4; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Uni; born in Trumble Co. Ohio, Dec. 1, 1838; married Oct. 4, 1866, to Anor T. Bernard, born in Menard Co. Ill. March 11, 1843; has two children: Annettie, born July 22, 1867; Clara A., July 10, 1869; rents 80 acres from his father-in-law, J. W. Bernard, who came to this county in 1852, in March; enlisted Aug. 5, 1862, in Co. G, 106th Ill. Vol. Inf; was wounded at Cyprus Bend, near Vicksburg; was engaged at Little Rock, Ark. and Satarcia, Yazoo River; served as Corporal; discharged Aug. 5, 1865; is school trustee for this district.

WILSON, John R. farmer, Sec. 24; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Chris; born Taylor Co. Kentucky, Jan. 26, 1824; married July 20, 1843, to Sarah Ann Allen, born in Marion Co. Kentucky, July 8, 1825; came to this county in 1866; enlisted in September, 1866, in Company E, 37th Kentucky Mounted Inf; was engaged in the following battles: Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky; Cynthiana, Kentucky; Saltville, Virginia; discharged December, 1865; has six children: Miletus J. born June 6, 1845, married T. A. Allan; Samuel D., Oct. 15, 1849; Mary E., March 1, 1853; married A. Hindman; Luticia, July 14, 1857, married William White; Charlie R., July 3, 1860; Mathew D., Nov. 21, 1869

WILSON, M. C. farmer and stock-raiser, Sec. 33; P. O. Elkhart; rep; Chris; born in Nicholas Co. Ky. April 16, 1819; married, Feb. 17, 1842, to Eleanor K. Lockridge, born in Nicholas Co. Ky. April 5, 1817; came to this county March, 1866; rents 240 acres; has seven children: John S. born Jan. 10, 1845; Susan F. born March 18, 1849; Mary J. born Aug. 16, 1851; Robert T. born Dec. 4, 1853; Margaret E. born Feb. 15, 1856; Nancy A. Feb. 13, 1858; Hannah E. born Feb. 21, 1860; lost three: David D. born Nov. 26, 1842, died in 1877; Anna C. born May 10, 1847, died May 15, 1875; William W. born Aug. 22, 1862, died Nov. 24, 1863

WILSON, Robert T. farmer, Sec. 33; P. O. Elkhart; rep; liberal; from Kentucky

WINDLE, George W. farmer, Sec. 4; P. O. Middletown; dem; Chris; from Ohio

WOLF, Daniel, farmer, Sec. 11, P. O. Lincoln

WORTH, Evan, farmer, Sec. 4; P. O. New Holland; rep; from Ohio

WORTH, Laurinda, widow Evanworth, Sec. 5; P. O. New Holland; C. Pres; from Kentucky

WRIGHT, Peter, farmer, Sec. 17; P. O. Middletown; dem; Chris; from Ohio

YODER, Laban, farmer, Sec. 27; P. O. Elkhart; dem; Luth; from North Carolina

YOUNG, George, farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal

YOUNG, James, farmer, Sec. 15; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal

YOUNG, Robert, farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal

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- ADAMS, Ambrose, farmer, Sec. 33; P. O. Lincoln, dem; Bap.
- ALDRIDGE, Charles, farmer, Sec. 9; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal
- ALTIC, Samuel, farmer, Sec. 7; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal
- ANDERSON, Charles W. farmer, Sec. 27; P. O. Lincoln; liberal
- APEL, George, farmer, Sec. 11; P. O. Lawndale; dem; Luth.
- AUF, John, farmer, Sec. 17; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Cath.
- BALDWIN, Samuel, farmer, Sec. 33; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal
- BARGER, Lafayette, farmer, Lawndale; rep; liberal
- BARTLETT, James I., farmer, Sec. 9; P. O. Lincoln, rep; liberal
- BEAVER, William, farmer, Sec. 35; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal
- BECK, William W. farmer, Sec. 11; P. O. Lawndale; dem; liberal
- BEERS, Thomas, farmer, Sec. 13; P. O. Lawndale; rep; Meth.
- BIRD, James, carpenter, Lawndale; rep; liberal
- BLACK, John H. farmer, Sec. 18; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal
- BOWERS, Samuel, farmer, Sec. 22; P. O. Lincoln; Pres.
- BREARLY & SHREVE (Harvey G. Brearly and Thomas G. Shreve) have a general store at Lawndale; Brearly was born in New Jersey, Dec. 21, 1839; settled in Logan Co. in 1867; married May 5, 1867, to Anna Frances Shreve; had one child, Joseph G. Shreve was born in New Jersey, Feb. 26, 1839; settled in Logan Co. in 1858; married Aug. 29, 1865, to Eleanor G. Nolan, daughter of Judge Nolan, one of the prominent men of this county; married again Aug. 8, 1876, to Mrs. A. V. Blount, of Bloomington.
- BROOKS, E. M. farmer, Lawndale; dem; liberal
- BROWN, Horace E. farmer, Sec. 23; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Bap.
- BROWN, James T. farmer, Sec. 23; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Bap.
- BULLOCK, Richard, farmer, Sec. 18; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal
- BUTTELL, Daniel, farmer, Sec. 29; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Cath.
- CAMPBELL, Alexander, farmer, Sec. 9; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal
- CAMPBELL, James D. farmer, Sec. 9; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal
- CARDINAL, John H. farmer; Sec. 12; P. O. Lawndale; rep; Meth.
- CASE, Henry, farmer, Sec. 21; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Cath
- CAVETT, John A. farmer, Sec. 27; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal
- CLARK, Peter, farmer, Sec. 34; P. O. Lincoln; Meth; from England
- CLAY, John Henry, farmer, Sec. 12; P. O. Lawndale; dem; religion, liberal; born in Green Co. Ohio, Oct, 21, 1840; married July 1, 1866, to Mary Emeline Hedges; born Logan Co. Ill. June 16, 1844; have five children: Sylvester, Kirk, Amozette, Clara Estella, Rebecca Jane; owns 81 acres, value \$4,000; has lived at present place since his marriage.
- CONNOVER, John, laborer, Lawndale; dem; liberal
- CORE, Benjamin F. farmer, Sec. 32; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Bap.
- COULTICE, William, farmer, Sec. 18; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Meth.
- CRAMER, William B. farmer, Sec. 8; P. O. Lincoln; rep; religion Meth; born in Sciota Co. Ohio, March 21, 1810; settled in Jersey Co. (then Green) Ill. 1837, and settled in Lincoln, this county, 1858; married March 26, 1839, to Mary Thomas, who was born in Ross Co. Ohio, Aug. 26, 1810; have two children, Deborah, now Mrs. Wm. P. Randolph, and Sarah, now Mrs. Levi Forbes; owns 400 acres of land, value \$30,000
- CRAWFORD, William, farmer, Sec. 2; P. O. Lawndale; rep; liberal
- CURRY, J. D. farmer, Sec. 17; P. O. Lincoln
- CUTLIP, Christopher, laborer, Lawndale; dem; liberal

DARNELL, Winfield Scott, farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Lawndale; rep; liberal

DAVIS, William, farmer, Lawndale; dem; liberal

DONNELL, Michael, farmer, Sec. 26; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Cath.

DOWNEY, John B. farmer, Sec. 21; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal

DUFF, William D. farmer, Sec. 33; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal

DUNHAM, Monroe, farmer, Sec. 24; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal

DUNHAM, Quincy, farmer, Sec. 23; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal

DUNHAM, William H. farmer, Sec. 24; P. O. Lincoln; religion Christian; born in Warren Co. Ohio, Nov. 15, 1821; settled in this county February 1856; Married Oct. 30, 1844, to Lillian Wilgus, born in Warren Co. Ohio, July 4, 1823; had nine children, lost four; living: Quincy, Monroe, Lucy, Lydia, and Rosy; was in the army three years; on his return was paralyzed in consequence of hardships gone through, and has been entirely helpless for the last ten years; he draws a pension; the eldest son, Quincy's patriotism was such that he enlisted in 1865, without consent of his parents, being then 17 years old; owns 80 acres, value \$5,000.

DUNLAVEY, Frank, farmer, Lawndale, rep; Meth.

EBERLE, Jacob, farmer, Sec. 28; P. O. Lincoln; dem.

ELLIS, William K. farmer, Sec. 4; P. O. Lawndale; rep; Bap.

ESTEN, Aurelian, merchant, Lawndale; dem; liberal

EWING, C. C. was born in White Co. Illinois, November 25, 1818. His father, John Ewing, was born in Eastern Tennessee, in 1784. In 1804, he volunteered in the Indian campaign, and served during the war of 1812, and traveled over the greater part of the territory of Illinois. In the latter part of May, 1830, he came to the southern part of Tazewell County, then extending nearly to the present village of Lawndale, Logan County. He settled near this place, where he remained until his death, in 1845. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and was one of the best men in Logan County. His brother, Reuben B. was for many years County Judge of Logan County. The subject of this sketch was 12 years old when he came with his parents to this county. His mother's name was Elizabeth Dillard. She was born in North Carolina, but removed with her parents to Tennessee, where she was married. There were five children in the family, viz: Osborn and James now living in Kansas, Christopher C. still on the old homestead, Sidney, in Iowa, and William, in Kansas. Mr. Ewing remained with his parents, working on the farm until his majority. He helped very much to bring the home farm to its present state of cultivation. In 1838, he was elected a Captain of Militia, Thomas R. Skinner being Colonel of the regiment. He served his company faithfully several years. In April, 1842, he was married to Margaret Ann Williams. Two years later he was elected justice of the peace, which office he retained four years. In May, 1849, he lost his wife by death. She left two children, twins: Zachary T. and Catharine. The former is married and living in this county. The latter married S. E. Fergus and resides here. On October 17, 1849, Mr. Ewing was married to Adaline Metcalf. The children are, Anna, now Mrs. George Judd, and living in Missouri; Reuben C. living in Logan County; and George M., Francis M; Emma, Maggie, Ella and Freddie, at home. Mrs. Ewing died Oct. 22, 1877. In November after Mr. Ewing's second marriage, he was elected Associate Justice of the County Court. He retained this office four years when he retired strictly to private life and to agricultural pursuits, which he says: "I found ample for all my talents, and which when properly pursued, I think, the most healthy, most independent, and most lucrative of all employments." His recollections of the early days of Logan County are most vivid. They are well expressed in letters to the secretary of the Old Settler's Association, and form an important part in the early history elsewhere given in this volume.

EWING, George N. farmer, Sec. 2; P. O. Lawndale; rep; Meth.

EWING, James, blacksmith, Lawndale, rep; liberal

EWING, Lloyd, farmer, Sec. 14; P. O. Lawndale; rep; liberal

EWING, Reuben Christopher, merchant, Lawndale; rep; liberal; born in Logan Co. January 26, 1853; married May 29, 1873, to Elleanor Saulsbury, who was born in Butler Co. Ohio, September 19, 1852; have two children: Mary Ellen, born November 6, 1874; Winnie, November 3, 1886; elected constable at Lawndale, April, 1877.

FAULKNER, Charles, farmer, Sec. 17; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal

FERGUS, Samuel E. farmer, Sec. 11; P. O. Lawndale; rep; Meth.

FINK, Charles, farmer, Sec. 23; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Luth.

FORBIS, Levi, farmer, Sec. 16; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Meth.

FRYER, Samuel B. farmer, Sec. 32; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal

GRANTHAM, John G. farmer; Lawndale; rep; C. Pres.

GREEN, John T. farmer, Sec. 17; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal

HARRISON, A. D. farmer, Lawndale; rep; liberal

HERBER, Silas, farmer, Sec. 9; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal

HERRING, Daniel, farmer, Sec. 18; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal

HETHCOAT, Edward, plasterer, Lawndale; rep; liberal

HOFFMANN, F. farmer, P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal

HOWSER, James M. farmer, Sec. 5; P. O. Lincoln; rep; C. Pres.

HUFF, William, farmer, Sec. 26; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal

HUFF, William A. farmer, Sec. 26; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal

HUNTING W. Mrs. widow, farmer, P. O. Lincoln

HUSSEY, Stephen A. farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Lawndale; rep; liberal

HYDE, J. O. laborer, Lawndale; rep; liberal

HYSER, John, farmer, Sec. 35; P. O. Lincoln; dem; religion liberal; born in Ohio, Sept. 13, 1837; settled in Logan Co. in the fall of 1868; married Aug. 5, 1860, to Amy Stephenson, who was born in Indiana, Sept. 1, 1838; have three children: Frank B. born June 15, 1861, Clement L. born Nov. 9, 1863, and Orrin C. born July 13, 1872.

JPHNSON, C. Ford, farmer, Sec. 8; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Pres.

JOHNSON, Henry, farmer, Sec. 18; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Meth.

JOHNSON, Joseph, farmer, Sec. 29; P. O. Lincoln, born in Dover, N. H., Feb. 22, 1846; came to this county in 1864; married Aug. 18, 1870, to Margaret A. Adams, who was born in Boston, N. Y., Feb. 18, 1853; have two children, Lilly May and Lura Belle; rep; religion liberal

KAVNEY, John, farmer, Sec. 8; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Cath.

KEARNEY, John, farmer, Sec. 2; P. O. Lawndale; rep; liberal

KERTSKEN, Peter, farmer, Sec. 21; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal

KROOS, Conrad, farmer, Sec. 24; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Cath.

LEININGER, Michael, farmer, Sec. 22; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Cath.

LEWIS, Robert W. farmer; Sec. 24; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Bap.

LINDAMOOD, Washington, farmer; Sec. 17; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal

Maloney, Jeremiah, farmer; Sec. 24; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Cath.

MANN, Jacob, farmer, Sec. 34; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal

MARTIN, Samuel, farmer, Sec. 3; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal

MASON, Malon, farmer, Sec. 2; P. O. Lawndale; rep; C. Pres.

MASTERS, Isaac B. farmer, Sec. 18; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Pres.

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Obituary abstracts:

Atlanta Argus - May 7, 1886

Peter Hardie, 64, died at his home in Atlanta yesterday from injuries suffered when thrown from a wagon. Leaves wife and 4 children. A son John, of Chicago.

Atlanta Argus - June 25, 1886

Ellis W. Roberts, aged 57 yrs. 2 mo. 15 da., died at home in Atlanta, June 19; born Lycoming Co., PA, 1829; to Ill. when 9. Settled in Little Mackinaw Twp. where his father, Peter Roberts died when Ellis was 18. On May 23, 1850, he married Nancy J. Judy, daughter of Jacob Judy. Their children: G. M. & C. W. of Nellig, NB; J. B. of Butler, MO; Mrs. E. Hieronymus of Armington; Mrs. J. King, Potwin, KS; Cora & Minnie Roberts, Atlanta. Mr. Roberts spent 11 yrs. in Scotland Co., MO. Served in 21st MO Infantry.

Atlanta Argus - Jan. 7, 1887

George W. Hunn died Wednesday. He was born in Peoria Sept. 24, 1858. In 1876 he moved to Toulon, Stark Co., then moved to Atlanta in 1881. In 1883 he married Amelia Hoose, daughter of J. H. Hoose. She and a son survive.

Atlanta Argus - Apr. 24, 1891

Mrs. Miller Gordon, El Dorado, KS, died Apr. 11. She was the daughter of Mrs. R. P. Chenoweth. The funeral of Mrs. Louisa S. Gordon was held Monday, burial in Belle Vista Cemetery. Louisa S. Waldron was born in Providence, RI, May 6, 1855. In 1857 the family moved to Illinois, then to Butler Co., KS, in 1871. On Feb. 16, 1873, she married Miller J. Gordon. They had 2 daughters: Alice and Grace.

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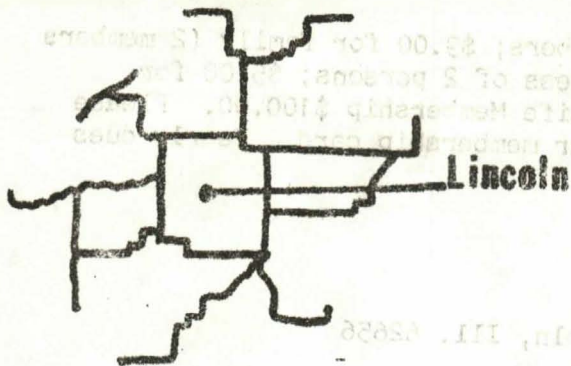
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NOTICE OF CHANGE

The Board and Membership of Logan County Genealogical Society have approved and changed the name of the Society to LOGAN COUNTY GENEALOGICAL AND HISTORICAL SOCIETY. The address remains the same: P.O. Box 283, Lincoln, IL 62656.

MEETINGS at 7:30 P.M., third Monday in month, at the Oasis, Logan County Senior Citizens Center, 501 Pulaski St., Lincoln, Ill., unless otherwise specified below.

HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE

Greeters should plan to be at meeting by 7 P.M. to welcome members and guests. Please mark your calendar and bring a friend.

Apr. 20---Virginia Johnson June 15---Emily McElhaney and Shirley Payne
May 18---Nova Coseboon July 20---Annual picnic

PROGRAMS for 1987

Apr. 20--Virginia Johnson, Speaker - Indians in Illinois Territory
May 18--Show and Tell
June 15--Emily McElhaney, Speaker - Meeting at Bethel Church, Emden, Ill., and she will speak on "History of Bethel Church"
July 20--Annual picnic
Aug. 17--Paul Gleason, Speaker - History of Eminence Church
Sept. 21--Pat Glithero, Speaker - Interesting buildings
Oct. 19--Annual County Court House meeting
Nov. 16--Annual dinner meeting and election of officers
Dec. ---No meeting

NOTICE

MEMBERSHIP DUES

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QUARTERLY is published in January, April, July, and October by Logan County Genealogical and Historical Society, P.O. Box 283, Lincoln, IL 62656. Membership dues

in the Society are: \$8.00 annually for single members; \$9.00 for family (2 members only) plus \$1.00 for each additional member in excess of 2 persons; \$5.00 for student; \$15.00 for contributing membership; and Life Membership \$100.00. Please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope for your membership card. Yearly dues are from Jan. 1 through Dec. 31.

NEW MEMBERS

We welcome the following new members:

BARNES, Mrs. Fannie Jane , 326 Lincoln Ave., Lincoln, Ill. 62656
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STASI, Mr. Clifford L., 586 Mitchell Ave., Elmhurst, Ill. 60126
TERRY, Mrs. Shirley Jean (Siems), 301 Almond Court, San Ramon, Cal. 94583

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SMITH, Mary Jane, P.O. Box 567, 107 N. E. Third St., Atlanta, Ill. 61723

CHANGE OF ADDRESS:

TIPTON, Mr. Raymond Allen, 1211 1/2 Constitution Ave. N. E., Washington, D. C. 22

NEWS OF MEMBERS

CONGRATULATIONS to Omer and Lucille Henrichsmeyer on the birth of a new great-grandson, Aaron Brown, on Apr. 9, 1987.

SYMPATHY is extended to Viola Richert and family on the loss of Earl Riggs, her sister's husband, on Apr. 2, 1987.

QUERIES

We invite anyone to place a query in our Quarterly. Queries are free to our Society members, as space permits, and for non-members there is a fee of \$1.00. Please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope for a reply.

TURNER
BROWN
BOYD
REASON
MIX

MRS. MARJORIE HUNTER. 4114 East Harmon Ave., Las Vegas, Nev. 89121, needs help: JAMES R. TURNER married ELIZABETH BROWN; Children: JAMES H., born 1858; MARY ELLEN, b. 1861; WALTER, b. 1862; PARKER, b. 1863. Mary Ellen TURNER married WILLIAM BOYD; she died 1957 at Cisco, Ill. Children were: RUTH BOYD REASON, LIZZIE BOYD MIX, GUY, JOYCE, NOATH. Elizabeth Brown TURNER, when widowed, lived with her children in the Walter and Mary LUCAS TURNER household. Wish to correspond with any descendants of REASON, BOYD, TURNER, MIX for information that fits into our BROWN family genealogy. Will pay postage and for copies of info.

SIEMS
WELTZIN/WOLTZIN/
WISCTEN/WILSON
EITZEN, BRUHN
GETNER, MEYER

MRS. SHIRLEY SIEMS TERRY, 301 Almond Court, San Ramon, Cal. 94583, is searching for these families in Logan Co. in 1870's: SIEMS, WELTZIN/WOLTZIN/WISCTEN/WILSON, EITZEN, BRUHN, GETNER, and MEYER. Will answer all correspondence.

NUTTY/Nuttey

ELSIE M. WASSER, R.R.#3, Box 55, Edwardsville, Ill. 62025, would like info on LOUIS NUTTY/NUTTEY family who resided in Lincoln in 1917. Any info on this family would be appreciated.

RIDGEWAY CAROL ANN ASHBY, 855 Division St., Garner, Iowa 50438, would like
McGEE/McKEE any info on RIDGEWAY who married SUSAN McGEE or McKee in Logan Co.
A son was born in Marshall Co., Ill. 7-7-1838.

ROUSH BETTY WHEAT, 900 N.W. 7th St., Fairfield, Ill. 62837, is in-
terested in the family history of ARTHUR ROUSH. One son ROY
ROUSH b. Oct. 23, 1891, d. Nov. 30, 1969, at Emden, Ill. Funeral
service at Delavan. Any info would be helpful.

MRS. FANNIE JANE BARNES, 326 Lincoln Ave., Lincoln, Ill. 62656, is researching
the surnames of SPARKS, WENDELL, WARREN.

Mr. DALE WESLEY O'BRYEN, 820 N. Vine St., Mt. Pulaski, Ill. 62548, is researching
the surnames of FELTS, PIERCE.

MR. CLIFFORD L. STASI, 586 Mitchell Ave., Elmhurst, Ill. 60126, is researching
the surnames of CULNAN, HUTTER.

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WANTED: Information regarding GOLD SPRINGS HOTEL near Atlanta, Ill., around the
turn of the century. Would like copies of pictures, reminiscences,
memorabilia. Any information appreciated.

Jean Hauffe, Editor, Logan Co. Gen. Soc. Quarterly
R.R.1, Box 102, Warrensburg, Ill. 62573

ATTENTION:

Our Society has purchased a microfiche reader. A group of microfiche has been
ordered from Delaware for use of our members. The reader will be available at a
time and place to be announced later. Donations will be accepted for more
microfiche.

CONFERENCES

- June 25-27 Palatines To America National Conference at ISU in Normal, IL. For
more information, write Ill. Chapter of Palatines To America, P.O.
Box 3884, Quincy, IL 62305
- Sept. 26 Everton Workshop at Freeport Y.W.C.A. Write Stephenson Co. Gen. Soc.,
P.O. Box 514, Freeport, IL 61032
- Oct. 24-25 Ill. State Gen. Soc. Fall Conference at Mt. Vernon, IL

PIONEER CERTIFICATES

Pioneer Certificates are now available from Logan County Genealogical and
Historical Society. If an ancestor of yours lived in Logan County any time from
its beginning up to and including 1880, then you are eligible for a certificate
(you need not have ever lived in Logan County). The Certificates are \$5.00 each,
printed on parchment-look paper. Proof your ancestor lived in Logan County can
include county records, marriage licenses, death certificates, county histories,
Bible records, cemetery records, census records, etc. Each generation must be
proved. A common mistake is lack of proof that the ancestor was in the County.
Be sure to include everything and follow directions. To obtain an application,
enclose SASE. write; Logan County Genealogical & Historical Society, Attn.
Pioneer Certificate, P.O. Box 283, Lincoln, Ill. 62656.

ATTENTION

The following 4 pages are a continuation from the January, 1987,
Quarterly of the men from Logan County who served in World War I.

MOREHEAD, Paul W.
 MORGAN, Russell
 MOROCHEK, Fred Walter
 MOROIS, Roy
 MORRIS, Clarence O.
 MORRIS, Lawrence A. *
 MORTL, John
 MORTL, Martin
 MORTL, Otto Vincent
 MORROW, Ben F.
 MORROW, Ernest
 MORROW, James
 MOSIER, Elmer W.
 MOSIER, Warren Devitt
 MOULDING, Addie E.
 MOUNTJOY, Dean
 MOUNTJOY, Earl Logan
 MOSIER, Elmer
 MOSIER, Sweeter
 MULL, Robert
 MULLINS, Rollie
 MUNYON, Alfred Ray
 MURPHY, Bryan B.
 MURPHY, Don C. O
 MURPHY, Harold Robert
 MURPHY, Kieth Wayne
 MUSSER, Sililious
 MILLER, Merle E.

OGLESBY, Ernest Mace
 OGLESBY, Howard
 OGLESBY, Miss F.
 OHMES, George W.
 OHMES, Leo J.
 OHMES, Louis C.
 OLDAKER, George W.
 OLDAKER, James Lowrie
 OLDAKER, William G. H.
 OLLIS, James Milton *
 OLLIVER, Ora E.
 OLSEN, Olaf
 OLSEN, William Leroy
 O'MARA, William
 O'NEIL, John J.
 ONG, Nathan S.
 OPPERMAN, Carl C.
 ORANDORFF, John R.
 CRENDORFF, Raymond
 ORGAN, Charles H.
 ORTON, Julian R.
 ORTON, Louis Spitley
 ORTON, Lyman Osgood
 ORTON, William R.
 OSTERLOH, Louis
 OSTERLOH, Albert
 OTT, Fred
 OTT, Clarence Wm.

NAUGLE, Clifford
 NEALY, Ed
 NEFF, Robert W.
 MELSON, Algot Wm.
 NELSON, Clarence E.
 NESSLER, Buford
 NEWMAN, Charles
 NEYLON, John Dewey
 NICHOLS, Clarence O.
 NICKOLS, John R.
 NICHOLS, Willis
 NICHOLSON, Arthur B.
 NICKELL, Frederick
 NICKELL, Ivan A.
 NICKELL, Clarence A.
 NILKAS, George
 NIPPE, Fred Wm.
 NOEL, Horace
 NOONAN, Roger Thomas
 NOONAN, Leslie E.
 NORRIS, Ivan
 NORRIS, Virgil E.
 NORRIS, William J.
 NOWRIZIE, Frank
 NUCKOLS, Irwin A.

PAGE, Frank *-*
 PALMBLADE, Clarence W.
 PALMER, William
 PANCRATIUS, Simpson H.
 PARCENSKI, Emil *-*
 PARKER, Frank
 PARR, Earl
 PARRETT, Lester
 FARSONS, John Robert
 FARSON, Leonard
 PASSALASQUA, Rosario
 PATTERSON, Bernard
 PATTON, John W.
 FATTON, Joseph
 PATTON, Richard C.
 PAUSE, John
 PAUSE, Robert H.
 PAYNE, George C.
 PECH, Arthur William
 PEDIGC, Hazel Letcher
 PEIFER, William
 PERCE, William
 PERGANDE, Paul F.
 PERKINS, Lionel Glenn

- PERKINS, Rolla E.
- PERRY, John Robert
- PERRY, Robert Boyd
- PERRY, T. M.
- PETERS, John Logan
- PETERSON, George Olaf
- PFAU, Carl O.
- PHARES, Paul
- PHELAN, Edward A. *-*
- PHELAN, James T.
- PHELAN, John
- PHELAN, Francis E. :
- PHILLIPS, Thomas
- PIERCE, Harry B.
- PIERCE, Hiram L.
- PIERCE, Warren H.
- PIPPENGER, Lucien E.
- PITCHERS, William
- PITTINGER, Alva R.
- PITTINGER, Sylvester
- PLETZ, Granville Ray
- PLUTH, Edward
- PLUTH, William
- POE, Charles H.
- POE, Charles :
- POLLOCK, Roy
- POLLOCK, William H.
- POMRENKE, Charles L.
- POPE, Harry O.
- PORTER, Harold
- POST, Henry F.
- POTTER, Renzy Burton
- POWELL, Walter W. :
- PRICE, Charles C.
- PRICE, George S. #
- PRIMM, John E. W.
- PROBASCO, David R. :
- PRZYKOPANSKI, Ernest
- PRZYKOPANSKI, William
- PURCELL, Clark
- PURVIANCE, Raympnd P.
- PURVIANCE, Webster M.
- QUICK, Ralph
- QUINSLER, Frank
- QUINSLER, W. J.
- QUISENBERRY, Ross
- RADEMAKER, Fred
- RADEMAKER, John R.
- RADFORD, Norman
- RAINEY, Rufus R.
- RAILEGH, Paul
- RAMLOW, Frank J.
- RAMSEY, Frederick L.
- RAMSEY, La Dean
- RANDALL, James Harold
- RANDOLPH, William S.
- RANKIN, Harold Theo
- RANKIN, Offie A.
- RANSDALL, Edgar Blinn
- RATHSACK, Harry
- RATHSACK, Robert
- RAU, Dean C.
- RAY, William F.
- RAYBURN, Hubert Earl
- READ, Thomas Holton
- REDSHAW, John H.
- REESE, Harry H.
- REESE, Leland
- REED, Oroman
- REED, Kenneth L.
- REED, Leymour Bevere
- REEDER, Forrest
- REGANKA, Richard
- REMBE, Armin C.
- REMBE, Melvin
- REMBE, Roland
- RENTSCHLER, Frederick
- RENTSCHLER, George
- RENTSCHLER, Herman E.
- RENTSCHLER, William :
- REICHLE, Raymond John
- REICHLE, Richard
- REINERS, Reiner D.
- REITZ, George
- REYNOLDS, Andrew
- REYNOLDS, Lloyd E.
- REYNOLDS, Morris
- REYNOLDS, Troy Norval
- RHOADS, Lewis T.
- RHODES, Elmer
- RICE, John Neil
- RICE, Roy
- RICH, Miss
- RICHATDS, Eugene M.
- RICHARDS, Howard D..
- RICHARDS, John
- richardson, Edward
- RICHARDSON, Harry
- RICHARDSON, John W.
- RICHNER, Wilhelm
- RIDGEWAY, Roy
- RIDGEWAY, Vernon E.
- RIGGS, L. E.
- RILEY, Oscar N.
- ROBBINS, Samuel W.
- ROBERTS, Charley
- ROBERTS, Ernest
- ROBERTS, George

- ROBERTS, Owen
- ROBERTS, Roy
- ROBERTS, Sidney
- ROBINSON, Frank
- ROBINSON, George E.
- ROBINSON, Harry
- ROBINSON, Jay Vernon
- ROBINSON, Ralph B.
- ROBINSON, Russell
- ROBINSON, Roy A.
- ROBINSON, Vernon
- ROBINSON, Walter
- RADEMAKER, Fred
- RADEMAKER, John
- RODGERS, Walter
- ROEHM, Gottlieb H.
- ROGERS, Frank J.
- ROGERS, Harold
- ROGERS, Joseph A.
- ROGERS, Paul Houser
- ROGERS, Roy * *
- ROHLFS, Harm * - *
- ROHLFS, John
- ROLLER, Jacob, Jr.
- ROSS, Elmer Matthew
- ROSS, George Dewey
- ROSS, George Everett
- ROSS, Joe Matthews
- ROSS, Thomas W.
- ROSS, William L. *
- ROTHWELL, Harry B.
- ROTHWELL, Howard
- ROUTSON, Clifford
- ROWLEY, Roy
- ROY, William
- RUBEN, George
- RUBENKING, Frank P.
- RUFF, Clarence
- RUSSELL, Hugh
- RUTLEDGE, Paul
- RYAN, Arthur M. * - *
- RYAN, Charles H.
- RYAN, Edward E.
- RYAN, Erroll
- RYAN, Frank W. *
- RYAN, Harry J. * - *
- RYAN, James Herbert
- RYAN, Jerry James *
- RYAN, Kenneth Leon * - *
- RYAN, Leo
- RYAN, Martin J.
- RYAN, Mike
- RYAN, Parker
- RYAN, Paul Henry
- RYAN, Thomas B.
- RYAN, Thomas E.
- RYAN, Wilbur O.
- RYAN, William J.
- RYMAN, Dr. H. D. * + *
- SAFLEY, Shelby Orville
- SAHS, Elmer
- SALLEE, Charles F.
- SALLEE, Fred
- SALMON, Harry Lincoln
- SALTZMAN, H. E.
- SAMPLE, David
- SAMPSON, Roy
- SAMS, Walter George
- SANDAGE, William
- SANDERS, Oren
- SANDERSON, Samuel
- SANDLEBEN, C. J.
- SANDUSKY, Aquilla
- SANFORD, Carl
- SANFORD, Louis * - *
- SAPP, Homer
- SARGENT, Stable
- SARVER, Edward
- SARVER, Frank
- SASSENBERGER, Chas J.
- SATORIOUS, Harmon J.
- SAVAGE, John Leo
- SCHACHT, Adam Henry
- SCHACHTELE, Fred Earl
- SCHAFFER, Fred
- SCHAFFER, Louis
- SCHAFFENACKER, E. G.
- SCHAHL, Dietrich
- SCHAUB, Dietrich J.
- SCHAHL, Edward
- SCHAHL, Frederick G.
- SCHAUPP, Carl
- SCHAUPP, Frank
- SCHAUPP, Fred
- SCHEID, Edward
- SCHELLFEFFER, Frank O.
- SCHELLFEFFER, Herman
- SCHILLING, Clyde
- SCHLOSSER, Ralph W.
- SCHMID, Joe
- SCHMIDT, Paul A.
- SCHNEIDER, William
- SCHOLTZ, Otto
- SCHONAUER, Albert
- SCHONAUER, Herman A.
- SCHONAUER, John D.
- SCHREIBER, Alfred
- SCHROEDER, C. A.
- SCHROEDER, William C.

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SCHROEDER, Gus George	SIMPSON, Clarence W.
SCHUSTER, George	SIMPSON, Clifford E.
SCHWANTZ, Oscar A.	SIMPSON, Leslie D.
SCOTT, George H.	SIMPSON, Willis C.
SCOTT, Hary	SIMON, Sidney Arthur
SCOTT, G. Virgil	SIMS, Omar L.
SCROGGIN, Floyd *	SISK, James Homer
SCROGGIN, Guy T.	SITTER, Homer
SEAROLT, Paul Raymond	SKILLMAN, Cleo F.
SEAGAL, Alexander	SKINNER, Dudley H.
SEEFELDT, Charles G. *-*	SKINNER, Lawrence G.
SEIDEL, Sherman	SKUDLARK, George
SELLERS, Albert M.	SLACK, Hans
SELLERS, Carl M.	SMALL, John T.
SELLERS, Edgar	SMALL, Maynard Melton
SELLERS, Wilfred W.	SMALLEY, Paul
SEXTON, Ernest H.	SMILEY, Miss Emily B.
SEXTON, Homer O.	SMITH, C. O. *
SHAFER, Louis E.	SMITH, Carl W. *-*
SHAW, Carl	SMITH, Charles O. *-*
SHAY, Emil	SMITH, Clarence B.
SHAY, Frank S.	SMITH, Ernest
SHAY, Paul	SMITH, Floyd D.
SHEA, David W.	SMITH, George E.
SHEEHAN, William	SMITH, Grant
SHEETS, Edward B.	SMITH, Harry G.
SHEETS, Franklin	SMITH, Harry L.
SHEETS, Leslie	SMITH, Herman B.
SHEETS, Oscar	SMITH, Hubert
SHELDON, John	SMITH, Hugh M.
SHELLIS, Berry H.	SMITH, John
SHELTON, Newell	SMITH, Leonard
SHELTON, Russell R. :	SMITH, McKinley
SHENEMAN, Frank G.	SMITH, Richard :
SHENNEMAN, Frank	SMITH, Wilbur G.
SHEPHURST, John	SNOOK, Thomas
SHEPLER, Harold	SNYDER, Adam J.
SHERIDAN, Oliver L.	SNYDER, George Newton
SHERWOOD, Harold	SNYDER, George N.
SHERWOOD, Lester	SNYDER, Hess
SHEWMAKER, John Edgar	SNYDER, Lawrence O.
SHORT, Laerence M.	SNYDER, Robert
SHOWALTER, John C.	SNYDER, Vance
SHRADER, Herschel E.	SNYDER, Willard A.
SHROYER, Edward F.	SOTZEN, Todd H.
SHROYER, John David	SOUTH, Aaron Lovett
SHUFFLEBARGER, Hollis	SPARKS, Commodore M. *
SHULL, Russell Harold	SPARKS, Talford *-*
SHYER, Elby Dean	SPARKS, Tomas W.
SIEGRIST, Damon C.	SPARKS, Wendell
SIELAFF, Albert	SPEARS, Ralph D.
SIELAFF, Oscar	SPENCE, John Robbin
SIELAFF, Walter H.	SPENLER, Charles T.
SIGLER, Aaron	SPINKER, Adolph
SIMCOE, Raymond B.	SPINKER, Henry

JOHN C. PATTERSON FAMILY BIBLE

This Bible was found by Glenn Leesman, Atlanta, IL in the attic of an old house. He very kindly presented it to the Logan County Genealogical Society.

The frontispiece has the inscription, "J. C. Patterson Book Presented by his father." The title page reads, "The Holy Bible, containing the Old and New Testaments, translated out of The Original Tongues; and with the Former Translations Diligently Compared and Revised. New York: American Bible Society, instituted in the year MCCCCXVI. 1873."

FAMILY RECORD

Marriages

John C. Patterson of Omph-Ghent; Madison Co. Ill and Fannie Howser of Lincoln Logan Co. Ill were united in Matrimony on the 19th day of March 1872 by Rev. E. J. Gillespie

Listed under "Marriages";

Hamilton Patterson Born in Scotland October 31st 1818

Jane M. B. Anderson Born in Scotland December 22d 1816

Married August 22d 1842

Sailed for U. S. Sept 26th 1842

Arrived in Alten (sic) Madison Co. Ill November 22d 1842

Births (still listed in the "Marriage" column:

Maggie A. Patterson Born in Liberty Prairie Madison Co Ill September 7th 1844

Died June 21st, 1876

John Crawford Patterson Born in Liberty Prairie Madison Co. Ill July 31st 1845

William H. Patterson Born in Liberty April 3d 1851

Died August 7 1859

John A. Patterson Born in Liberty November 15th 1853

Died December 21st 1855

Mary J. Patterson Born in Liberty January 16th 1856

Sarah A. Patterson Born in Omph-Ghent Madison Co. Ill June 12th, 1860.

Sarah A. Patterson Died January 12d 1879

Births (on next page, which is headed "Births")

Mary Melinda Patterson Born Dec. 1st 1885 at 6 oClock A.M.

Birdie May Patterson Born May 3d, 1876 one OClock P.M. (;enciled in: Atlanta, Ill)

Kittie Patterson, Born July 9th 1879 (Written in different ink under "Kittie" is the name "Katherine")

Next page of "Births" is blank. The page for "Deaths":

Mary Melinda Patterson Died Sept 12th 1887 at 2 OClock P.M. Int. U.C. Lincoln, Ill

Fannie H. Patterson June 2, 1849, Jan 21, 1903 11:10 P.M. U.C. Lincoln, Ill.

Hamilton Patterson Died May 22d at 2 A.M. 1891 Int. U.C. Lincoln Ill

Joshua Howser, May 8, 1806. Sept 21st 1897

Rebecca Howser Feb 7, 1831, Sept 5, 1891.

There are two pieces of tablet paper with what appears to be a family chart including the names of Houser, Arnspiger, Chowning, Miller, Bryant, Clark, Dills, Waters, and Edgar. A clipping from The Daily Courier, Lincoln, IL, Sept. 25, 1897 contains a full column obituary for Joshua Howser. A small photograph of a young woman, labelled "Mary" is also included in the Bible.

Illinois State Census

The 1855 State Census for Illinois contains more than just the population schedules included in this article. Other information included in the census is an enumeration of the number of males eligible for duty in state militia; type and valuation of products of manufacturing establishments; valuations of livestock and products of coal mines; quantity of wool produced; infrequent remarks (e.g., occupation of head of household, legal description of acrea covered by return). Also included in each return are numbers of colleges and common schools and number of pupils enrolled in each.

For more information about what state census records are available and the contents of each, consult Descriptive Inventory of the Archives of the State of Illinois, pages 33 through 39.

The following is the population enumeration of Township 20 North, Range 3 West, West Lincoln Township.

The breakdown for both male and female columns is: under 10; 10 to 20; 20 to 30; 30 to 40; 40 to 50; 50 to 60; 60 to 70; 70 ~~80;880~~ to 90; and over 90. For example: Joseph M. Horney 0-0-1 and 2-0-1 would indicate that this family had 1 male aged 30 to 40; 2 females under the age of 10, and 1 female 20 to 30.

1855 Logan County Illinois State Census
T20 N R3" (West Lincoln Township)

Joseph M. Horney	0-0-1	2-0-1
John J. D. Seick	2-2-0-0-1	2-0-0-1
Mary Smith	0-2-1	0-2-0-0-1
N. H. Foster	1-0-1-0-1-0-1	1-0-0-0-1
Robert P. Boggs	0-0-1-1	0-1-0-0-0-1
William Rankin	0-2-1-0-1	2-1-1
George Stevens	1-1-2-0-1	1-1-0-0-1
James F. Duncan	1-0-1	0-0-1
Abram Robb	1-2-0-0-1	0-2-0-1
A. L. Warner	0-0-1	0-1
John Sutherland	0-0-0-1	0-0-1
Caleb Huff	3-1-0-1	0-1-1
Jacob W. Brown	1-1-0-1	1-0-1
Michael Baker	2-0-0-1	1-0-0-1
Jesse Forbes	2-2-0-0-1	0-0-1-1
James Birge	1-1-2-1	0-0-1
Ebenezer W. Johnson	1-0-1	0-0-1
John Snider	0-0-0-1	0-0-1
A. D. Marter	4-0-1-1	0-0-1
Frances R. Stapleton	2-0-1	1-0-2
Samuel Hedrick	0-1-1	1-0-2
Levi Lucas	2-1-0-1	1-1-1
Elijah Lucas	1-1-1-0-0-1	1-0-0-1
Hollom Purse	0-3-2-0-1	3-2-0-0-1
Stephen Price	1-0-0-2	0-1-0-1
Harrison Dinsmore	2-0-0-1	1-0-1
Lester Vaughn	1-0-1	0-0-1

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J. C. Lantis	0-0-0-1	1-1
Theodore Smith	0-0-1	1-0-1
J. F. Rudolph	0-2-1	0-0-1
John H. Morris	0-1-0-0-0-1	0-0-0-0-1
<u>Horace</u> Wetherell	0-0-0-1	0-0-0-1
John Altic	0-1-0-1	3-1-0-1
Abraham Altic	3-1-0-0-1	1-0-0-1-1-0-1
Robert McCullough	2-1-3-1	2-1-0-1
Henry Bateman	2-4-1-1	1-0-0-1
Edward Gleason	0-0-0-1	0-0-0-1
William Allison	0-2-0-1	3-0-1
Lewis Raymond	0-0-0-0-0-1	1-0-0-0-1
Harry Raymond	1-0-2	0-1-1
Charles Craig	0-10-1	0-0-1
Joseph Brady	1-0-1-2-0-1	0-1-1-1
Stephen Vineyard	2-0-1-0-1	1-2-0-1
Harry Reed	2-0-0-1	0-0-0-1
W. R. Shirley	2-4-0-0-1	0-1-0-1
John J. Hatfield	1-3-2	0-0-1
John Smallwood	1-2-0-1	2-0-0-1
Horace Smallwood	0-1-0-1	1-0-1
William Craig	0-0-1-0-0-1	0-0-1
E.W. Geer	3-3-0-0-1	2-1-0-1
Samuel Seely	1-0-2	0-0-1
Lewis Craig	2-3-0-0-1	0-3-1
Alexander Fossett	1-1-0-1	2-0-1

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Andrew McElvaine	1-1-2-0-0-0-1	0-2-0-0-0-1
Lucius Brigham	0-0-1	1-0-1
Daniel Grosse	2-1-1-0-1	1-2-0-0-1
George Pixler	0-1-1	0-1
Thomas O'Brian	2-2-1-0-0-1	0-1-0-0-1
Thomas M. Larison	1-3-2-1-1	0-2-0-0-1
James Allison	3-1-1-1	1-2-0-1
Esey Pullin	0-1	0-0-1-0-1
Lemuel Allison	0-0-1	0-0-1
Benjamin Allison	0-2-3-0-1	1-3-0-0-1
<u>Thomas Green</u>	0-0-1	0-1
Aquilla Stanley	0-0-1	3-0-1
John L. Primm	1-3-1-2	2-1-1
<u>Alva Bowman</u>	0-0-0-1	1-0-1 Steam Saw Mill
John Hill	0-0-0-0-0-1	0-1-0-0-0-1
S. Z. Millard	1-0-0-1	1-1-0-1
Michael Failbacker	1-2-2	0-0-1
John W. Smith	0-0-2-1	1-1
John C. Hurt	1-1-1-1	1-2-0-1
Elisha O. McCrary	0-1-2	0-0-1
John G. Melton	1-0-0-1	0-0-1-0-1
James M. Baines	1-0-0-0-1	2-1-0-1
Steward Thompson	3-2-2-0-1	0-1-0-0-1
Joseph H. Osborn	0-0-1	0-1
Ambrose Lee	3-0-1-1	0-1-0-1

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Moses L. Cotterell	0-0-1	0-0-2
Samuel Webb	0-0-1	1-1-1
Martin Spitley	1-1-0-1	0-0-1
William E. Brown	0-1-0-0-0-1	0-0-0-0-0-1
James Campbell	0-0-1	1-0-1
Moretz Storch	0-1-1-0-1	0-0-0-1
William Grotley	0-1-6-2-1	0-0-1
Joseph Spitley	0-0-1-1	0-0-0-1
Osborn Tucker	2-0-0-1	1-1-1
William Donovan	0-1-1-1	2-0-1
Hugh Johnson	0-0-2-1	0-0-0-0-0-1
Gustavus Skelly	0-2-2-0-0-1	1-0-0-0-0-1
Martin Moore	1-0-1	1-0-1
Henry Beeson	0-0-1	0-1
William Patterson	2-0-1-1	1-0-2
name cancelled out--no enumeration		
M/J. Miller	0-0-0-1	0-0-2
Francis T. Bryan	2-0-0-1	2-0-0-1
John Deskins	2-4-0-0-1	2-1-0-0-1
J.F. Boy	4-0-1-2	0-1-1-1
James Rodgers	2-0-0-1-0-0-0-1	1-0-0-1
Felix Kahn	1-0-0-0-1	1-0-1
Solomon Kahn	2-0-0-1-1	1-1-2
David P. Lee	0-4-3-1-1	2-3-0-0-1
Benjamin O. Graham	2-0-0-1	0-0-1

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<u>Henry Musick</u>	2-1-0-1	2-1-1
<u>Berry Musick</u>	2-1-1-1	0-2-0-1-0-1
David Dixon	2-1-0-1	1-0-1
George Mixell	1-1-1-1	4-2-0-1
Daniel Baldwin	0-1-0-0-1	1-1-0-1
Benjamin Richards	1-0-0-1	1-0-0-1
<u>Sarah A. Musick</u>	1-0-2	1-0-1
Samuel Altic	1-2-0-0-1	3-0-0-0-1
James--nothing else	no enumeration	

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FOR THE BEGINNER

The genealogist who ignores newspapers as a research tool is missing a vast warehouse of information. They not only give you a "feel" for the community in which your ancestor lives, but also serve as a record of many important events in his life. A word of warning, however, Just because you read it in the newspaper does not make it necessarily so! Mistakes were made both by the person or persons who submitted the information and/or by the newspaper itself. Do not accept the information as gospel.

My favorites are the small town, weekly newspapers. They frequently covered several small towns and communities in the area with correspondents in each who submitted news items or newsy columns. Often the newspapers' format is rather loosely organized and not consistent. The only way to be certain you have covered everything is to read it all! Beware of column headings! Those sometimes clever words in bold print preceding the news item do not necessarily reflect its contents.

The local news items and/or gossip columns are a wealth of information. I have discovered many a clue from reading these. Of great importance are those items reporting visits from out of town relatives. One such article led me to a lost brother of my great, great grandfather in a place where I would never have looked. These columns also report on those who are ailing in the community and on their children or relatives who came to care for them "in their final hours". Places of residence and married names of females surface. Reported also are the trips out of town by those in the community, where they went, how they got there and why they went. Aside from all of the clues one might gain when reading the local news items, it is also sheer entertainment. It is amazing that there were not more libel suits filed!

The extent of births, marriages and deaths that were reported vary from paper to paper. Sometimes I get the feeling from reading a particular newspaper that the editor was only interested in happy news or sensationalism. Deaths were rarely reported unless it was a murder or messy event (told in great detail)! Depending on the size of the community and how well known your ancestor was, you may find nothing, or a report on his every move. Larger city newspapers as well as some smaller ones charged for death notices and obits. However, your chances are much better with a small town newspaper. Do not limit your reading to the issue immediately following the event. It is not unusual to find a grand obit. a month after his death. Again, do not ignore the local news columns or those from surrounding communities. Obits. are frequently listed in these devoid of a proper heading. Too, watch the issues following a death for thank yous from the family of the deceased. These usually contain the names of all of his living children.

If your ancestors were fortunate enough to celebrate a 50th wedding anniversary or a birthday marking several decades, you may find an account in the newspaper. Life stories are frequently included. I cannot warn you too often, however, **DO NOT** believe everything that you read! Memories are not what they should be, events are embellished and sometimes flat out and out lies are told.

Reports from Old Settlers Association meetings can also supply clues. If your ancestor was an early settler, from an early family in the area or just had lived many years, he may be called upon to speak at one of these annual events. Often the newspapers related entire speeches. These events almost always recorded those who had died during the previous year and the list was often published.

Last, but certainly not least, are the legal notices found in every newspaper. It was required that many judicial actions could not be concluded until public notice was made. Examples are: Land sales for unpaid taxes, administrations in probate, proving of wills, heirship determinations, settling of estates, divorces, etc.

Now, all that is left for you to do is find the newspapers! In Illinois this is not much of a chore. The Illinois State Historical Library, located under the Old State Capital has an excellent selection of newspapers on microfilm for the entire state. They now have well over 60,000 reels of microfilm containing newspapers from as early as the Illinois Herald published in Kaskaskia in 1814. The Library is available for public use week days from 8:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. Or you may choose to order these newspapers on inter-library loan through your public library. A catalog listing their holdings is available free of charge from the Illinois State Library, Springfield, Illinois, 62756.

For the Logan County area, newspapers from Lincoln, Mt. Pulaski, Atlanta and Middletown are available on microfilm at the Lincoln Public Library.

By Sandra Stewart Shellhammer

EASTERN COLONIES IN THE MID-WEST

Illinois, during the period 1830 - 1839, probably created more towns than any other state in the Union. Newspapers of the period wryly suggest that the state's greatest product was towns. Another source suggested the possible danger of farmland in the state becoming scarce in view of the numerous towns being platted.

It was, however, a long way from platting to populating, and many proposed towns fell by the wayside.

There were essentially two types of speculative towns: one the creation of an area resident who already owned some land--probably more than he could successfully farm--and who saw town promotion as a get-rich-quick solution. The other type was comprised of a corporation headed by several prominent investors from the eastern states, who sought have land which they purchased purely for speculative purposes, settled en masse by a "colonizing" group.

Four such "colonies" were platted during this period in McLean and Tazewell Counties, Illinois. All four were originated in Rhode Island. Just why everyone seemed to be leaving Rhode Island at this particular time is not exactly clear. It was suggested that the towns were overcrowded and poverty rampant; the West was the hope of a new beginning. Speculators were more than happy to oblige these hopes, while making a few dollars for themselves.

Some evidence exists to suggest that the same men were on the boards of at least two of these colonies, and yet there appears to have been little or no contact between the four groups.

The four colonies, and their towns--two of which have survived--are Tremont, Delavan, and Bloomingdale in Tazewell County and Mt. Hope, in McLean County.

The two survivors, Tremont and Delavan, seemed to have been more carefully planned than Bloomingdale, plus having the good fortune to have the railroad come their way in the 1850's. Mt. Hope was planned well enough; in fact actually had a town going and bright prospects until that bugaboo of Illinois towns, the railroad, bypassed it. The railroad town became McLean and Mt. Hope disappeared. Most of the residents simply moved to McLean and picked up where they left off.

The most interesting of the four, and the most puzzling, is the highly-touted Bloomingdale. Located in what is now Atlanta Township, Logan County, but in 1836 in southeastern Tazewell County, Bloomingdale was to be the center of a large settlement from Providence, Rhode Island. The Smithfield Western Emigrating Society was the name of the corporation. Evidently the fancier the name, the better the land sold.

An advertisement, of sorts, appeared in the Sangamo Journal, December 3, 1836:

~~BLOOMINGDALE~~

Among the more beautiful portions of the upper part of Illinois, no one who has travelled and has used the common means of observation, would omit to class the site of the town of Bloomingdale, in the south eastern part of the county of Tazewell.

Situated about twenty-four miles from Tremont, the county seat; thirty-five miles from Springfield and Bloomington; and protected on the north and west by the timber of Sugar Creek, and surrounded on the south and east by rolling and undulating prairie, it offers in

point of beauty of location, advantages that cannot be overlooked. In the immediate vicinage of Sugar Creek, and within one and a half miles of the Kickapoo, it has around it a body of timber, which afford the assurance that it must be the center of very large settlements, of which the considerable population now near it, is but an earnest. The natural position of the town is sufficiently indicative to those who have examined its advantages, that it must be the place of business for a large surrounding tract of country. While the State road from Springfield to Ottawa, and the road from Tremont to Decatur, which pass through it, make it certain that it must become a thoroughfare. These advantages have not been overlooked. Stores are already in operation. Mechanics are locating within its limits, and the preparation that is making for the erection of buildings, the advantages of a saw mill in its near neighborhood, and the spirit of enterprise possessed by its inhabitants, are evidence that it will soon become, what from its position it is destined to be, a thriving and populous town.

OBSERVER.

Tazewell county, 17th Nov. 1836.

In addition to what has been justly said by Observer, it would not be improper to state that a Colony from the State of Rhode Island have recently entered and purchased at private sale, some 15,000 acres of the most rich and valuable Lands in the immediate vicinity, including a portion of the town property, and are about to unite their capital and energy to that of the present enterprising owners, in making such solid improvements as bridging Kickapoo, Salt, and Sugar Creeks--occupying the water power of those beautiful streams--opening other roads and improving the present ones--and making such other improvements by introducing mechanics early in the spring (which are necessary in all new places, &c.) as to make it plain to every observing mind who is acquainted with it, that the time is near at hand when BLOOMINGDALE will be among the most important interior town of the West.

ONE WHO KNOWS

It is to be noted that nowhere does this "advertisement" give the name of either the colonizing group or the name of a person to be contacted in case one happened to be interested in purchasing land in this wonderful new enterprise. Presumably all the sales were made in the East.

Three stockholders of the Society and their own surveyor, who turned out to also be a stockholder, came to Illinois in 1836 and purchased roughly fifteen thousand acres of land in what is now northern Logan County and southern Tazewell County. The land was then divided into neat eighty-acre parcels in the middle of which was platted a town, optimistically called Blooming Dale. The theory involved was based on traditional New England patterns of residing in a compact town while farming the outlying land.

The would-be colonists, for a price of \$100, were to receive one farm of eighty acres and one city lot. Selection of the farms and town lots was to have taken place by lottery.

The colony was to arrive in "waves"--the first to come in the Spring of 1837 and was to consist of men only. They were to get the town started and break some prairie to put in the first crops. It appears that this group actually did come, and came first to Pekin, then overland to the proposed site.

Most of the men who came were city-dwellers, poorly prepared to take on farming responsibilities; certainly so in an area that was raw and unbroken. One

comment made of them was "most of them couldn't even hitch up a team." This was a sad beginning for a would-be farmer who was going to have to be on a first-name basis with his work animals.

However, these men had the courage--or the foolhardiness--to try. Fruit trees were planted, sod fences were built and three or four log houses were actually built. A store-building was erected, and functioned for a time.

A mill already existed on Sugar Creek, which must have been some help. The Big Grove Baptist Church was thriving only a few miles east of the Bloomingdale site. Of course, the Baptists were mostly Kentuckians, which must have pained the Rhode Islanders no end.

Unfortunately, for reasons that still aren't clear, the pioneers did not adjust to the climate, or perhaps they brought their own plague with them. Many died, and Pekin was reportedly called "Deathsville," because so many died there.

Pekin newspapers are not extant for 1837, but the few Peoria papers that have survived to indicate an unusual number of deaths that year--enough to warrant editorial comment. However, this same editor saw fit to confine his comments to Peoria only. Happenings in Pekin did not excite his editorial curiosity. The cause of the higher than usual mortality rate was not stated. Perhaps they didn't know.

Whatever the cause, the Smithfield Society pioneers who survived went back to Rhode Island, assuring all who would listen that it was not possible to live in Illinois. The farms and city lots were eventually sold at tax sales, or for incredibly low prices. Blooming Dale faded from the scene until 1853 when Richard Gill saw the potential fortune to be realized by buying up this land, getting titles from the original owners for little or nothing, and reselling the land, which by this date was becoming more valuable.

Accordingly, Dr. George Angell was sent east as Gill's agent to buy up the titles; the original owners were only too glad to realize anything for their "worthless paper." Dr. Angell was originally from Providence and presumably had some credibility there.

Gill then proceeded to lay out another town, this time on the proposed route of the new railroad, roughly five miles north-east of the old Bloomingdale site, but on what had been Society land. He originally called his town "Xenia," but later changed the name to "Hamilton," and finally to "Atlanta."

Interestingly enough, a group of settlers from Providence, Rhode Island, came west in the 1850's and settled on the old Smithfield lands. None of these people appear to have had any connection with the earlier colony; in fact one family was from Scotland, by way of Providence.

A check of the 1850 Logan County and Tazewell County census records shows none of the names that are listed on the original plat map of the Smithfield Society lands. All the original purchasers either returned east, or never came west in the first place.

One of the primary sources for information on the Bloomingdale colony is the paper written by Dr. George Angell, fifty years after his part was played in the drama. He may well have exaggerated his own importance in the matters, but where did he get the information regarding the failure of the colony? Dr. Angell claimed to have had in his possession the only map of the Smithfield Society

lands--where did he get it? A copy of the map exists in the Illinois State Historical Library. The location of the original seems to be a part of the mystery of Bloomingdale.

The land sales actually happened, they are duly recorded in the deed books of Tazewell and Logan Counties. Nathan Sprague was the purchaser as agent for the Smithfield Society; then the sales from the Society to the individuals who purchased the farms and town lots.

And, Bloomingdale actually appeared on maps in emigrant guide books. H. L. Ellsworth published Illinois in 1837 and on page 106 lists Bloomingdale as one of the towns in Tazewell County. The map in the front of this book, drawn by J. Augustus Mitchell, shows Bloomingdale. It also shows Postville, Pulaski (sic), Georgetown and Charleston. It does not show Middletown or Irish Grove. The text does mention Irish Grove, however.

Bloomingdale disappeared from the records, except as a school district; today even the school building is gone.

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Sangamo Journal, Dec. 3, 1836

Obituary abstract:

Atlanta Argus - Feb. 16, 1894: Mrs. J. V. Oldaker d. suddenly at her home near Atlanta Saturday night. She was a dau. of the late John Bentley and was b. near Wilmington, OH Mar. 17, 1829. She md. Jesse V. Oldaker June 1, 1847; he d. 4 years ago. They came to IL soon after their marriage. These ch. survive: John Oldaker, Atlanta; Mrs. D. L. Longworth, McLean; and Miss Belle Oldaker of CO. A granddaughter, Jennie, is mentioned. Bur. in Clear Creek Cemetery.

ATTENTION

The following 3½ pages are a continuation from the Jan., 1987, Quarterly of the Biographical Directory of East Lincoln Township from the 1878 History of Logan Co., Ill., and the next 3½ pages start listing Elkhart Township.

McCONNELL, James, farmer, Sec. 27; P. O. Lincoln; rep; religion Pres; born in Ireland 15th July, 1823; came to Springfield, Ill. July, 1848; settled in Logan County in 1857; married, 15th June, 1857, to Colista Parish, who was born in Michigan, January 11, 1837; have eight children: Thomas, born July 5, 1858, Henry, Nov. 19, 1859; James, May 1, 1861; Maggie, Oct. 6, 1862; Ida, July 19, 1865; Charles, Nov. 30, 1866; Ella, July 8, 1871; and Frank, August 7, 1872; owns 450 acres, value \$40,000.

METCALF, John, was born in Anson County, near Wadesborough, North Carolina, November 19, 1798; came to Illinois territory with his father in 1807, and settled in what was known as the Saline country or salt works; lived in that portion of the state until May, 1830, when he moved with his family to what is now Logan county, and settled in Kickapoo, five miles north and one east of the city of Lincoln, where he lived until his death, which occurred Dec. 15, 1851, aged fifty-three years; he was thrice married; his first marriage was with Miss Rebecca Land, by whom he had two children: Robert L. and Josiah S.; his second marriage was with Miss Ann Eliza Culbertson, by whom he had five children: Adaline, John S., Thomas J., Charlotte, and Reuben W.; his third marriage was with Miss Emily Fletcher; by her he had six children: Richard L. Cyrus C., Maragret, Elizabeth, Zachery T., and Malinda A.; he was one of the pioneers of Illinois, as well as of Logan Co; he took an active part in the formation of the county, canvassing Tazewell Co., from which part of the territory came to join the new county of Logan; at the time of his death he owned 915 acres of land.

METCALF, John S. farmer, Sec. 5; P. O. Lincoln; rep; religion C. Pres; born in White Co. Ills. Feb. 4, 1830; his family settled in Logan Co. the same year, in May; has held the office of postmaster from 1861 to 1869, in May. At the annual town election in 1870, was elected town assessor, and has held that office since then; three terms of election he has had no opposition; married Setp. 27, 1853 to Mildonetta Howser, who was born in Kentucky, May 27, 1832; had ten children, lost five; living: Charles T. Robert L., Thaddeus E., George E., and Tockin, he owns 120 acres, value \$7,200.

MILLER, John, farmer; Sec. 15; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Meth.

MILLER, John O. Farmer; Sec. 10; P. O. Lawndale; dem; liberal

MILLS, James G. farmer, Sec. 23; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Ch.

MONGOLD, William W. farmer, Sec. 19; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Meth; born in Jackson Co. Ohio, Aug. 12, 1849; came to Logan Co. in 1853; enlisted in the army last days of June, 1865, and was honorably discharged at the close of the war; married Sept. 20, 1867 to Kitura Shores, who was born in Wayne Co., Illinois Sept. 8, 1848; one child, George Warwick Mongold.

MORRIS, Thomas, laborer, Lawndale; rep; liberal

MOYER, Michael, farmer, Sec. 5; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Pres; born in Ohio, Oct. 23, 1821; settled in East Lincoln township in 1856; married Jan. 2, 1845 to Amanda Jane Fenton, who was born in Kentucky, Aug. 28, 1827; has six children: Oliver, Isabella, Lecnora, Eva, Meldonetta, Sarah Jane; Eva taught first term of school in this township when she was 17 years old; has also taught in Eminence township, and Champagne, Illinois; Meldonetta is also teaching school; owns 15 acres of land, value \$1,500.

MUSICK, John, farmer, Sec. 20; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Chris; born in Indiana, March 10, 1807; came to Logan Co. Dec. 6, 1825; married March 18, 1830, to Mary Johnson, who was born in Indiana, Oct. 29, 1813; had fifteen children, lost five; living: Levi J., Sarah Jane, now Mrs. F. Duncan; William H., John Thomas, Jesse Sylvester, Leah Anna, now Mrs. J. Gallagher; Jonathan, Elizabeth, now Mrs. P. Staats; Ephraim, and Mary, now Mrs. T. Denny; owns 600 acres, value \$50,000.

MUSICK, Levi J., farmer, Sec. 7; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Meth; born in Logan Co. Aug. 4, 1833; married June 12, 1856 to Elizabeth Staats, who was born in Virginia, Dec. 23, 1833; had eight children, lost one; living: William A., Mary Jane, John L., Lucian L., Charles J., Robert, and Edith; owns 172 acres; value \$5,000.

MYERS, Henry J. farmer, Sec. 9; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal.

NEIL, Henry, farmer, Sec. 8; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Bap.

NICHOLSON, Aaron B. farmer; Sec. 19; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Bap.

O'CONNELL, Daniel, laborer, Lawndale; dem; Cath.

PEIFFER, Nicholas, farmer, Sec. 14; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Cath.

PEIFFER, Martin, farmer, Sec. 1; P. O. Lawndale; dem; Cath.

PERDUM, Francis, farmer, Sec. 35; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal

PERKINS, Enoch, laborer, Lawndale; dem; liberal

PRICE, Charles N. farmer, Sec. 34; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal

PRICE, Stephen O., farmer, Sec. 34; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal; born in Menard Co. Illinois, Jan 24, 1847; settled in this county, fall of 1867; married Jan. 25, 1866 to Mary E. Cantrell, who was born in Sangamon Co. Illinois, June 13, 1847; has two children: Emily E., born Oct. 27, 1866, and William Oscar, born May 20, 1870; owns 80 acres; value \$60,000.

PROPECK, Hieronymous, farmer, Sec. 34; P. O. Lawndale; rep; religion United Brethren in Christ; born in Fairfield Co., Ohio, Jan. 24, 1828; in 1861 moved to Pickaway Co. Ohio, and settled in Logan Co., March 5, 1869; married Feb. 20, 1853, to Rachel Newkirk, who was born in Fairfield Co., Ohio, Dec. 7, 1830; had six children, lost two; Living: Shipman, Joseph, Laura, and Walter; owns 85 acres, value \$4,250.

PROPECK, Joseph, farmer, Sec. 13; P. O. Lawndale; rep; from Ohio

PROPECK, Shipman, farmer, Sec. 13; P. O. Lawndale; rep; U. B. in Christ.

RAY, Elijah, farmer, Sec. 15; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal; was born in Morgan Co. Illinois, Dec. 15, 1836; settled in Logan Co., in March, 1862; married March, 20, 1862 to Sarah Frances Hilton, who was born in Indiana, July 28, 1839; owns 80 acres, value \$4,000.

RENTSHLER, Mathew, farmer, Sec. 36; P. O. Skelton; em; liberal

RETER, Phillip, farmer, Sec. 28; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Protestant

REYNOLDS, James C. farmer, Sec. 14; P. O. Lawndale; rep, Bap.

RHOADES, Joseph, farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal

ROBERTS, Green B. farmer, Sec. 1; P. O. Lawndale; rep; C. Pres.

ROHRER, Sebastian, farmer, Sec. 13; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Cath.

ROSS, Theodore, farmer, Sec. 27; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Pres.

FUDOLIH, David, farmer, Sec. 19; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Meth.

RYAN, James, laborer, Lawndale; rep; liberal

RYAN, Jeremiah, farmer, Sec. 24; P. O. Lincoln; dem; religion Cath. born in Ireland 6th, April, 1843; married 10th Feb. 1863, to Joanna Ronnan, who was born in Ireland, 26th Dec. 1846; have four children (lost three) living: James, Katie, Mary and Jane; left Ireland in the fall of 1850, and came to Logan County in the fall of '53; owns 240 acres, value \$10,000.

RYAN, Timothy, laborer, Lawndale; rep; liberal

SAULSBURY, Frederick, farmer, Sec. 1; P. O. Atlanta; dem; liberal

SCARTH, Robert, farmer, Sec. 20, P. O. Lincoln; rep; Meth.

SHAVER, Edgar A. farmer, Sec. 25, P. O. Lincoln; rep; religion liberal

SHAVER, Phillip, farmer, Sec. 25; P. O. Lincoln; religion United Brethren in Christ born in Warren County, Ohio, Sept. 5, 1814; went to Montgomery County in 1834, and married there the 24th, Dec. 1840, to Mary Ann Bailey, and came to Logan County in the fall of 1844; has nine children: John W., Edgar A., Francis B.,

Elizabeth S., Thomas E., Phillip W., Nancy Jane, Mary Maria and Anne Annette; Francis B. enlisted the 24th of May, 1864; was taken prisoner by the rebels, and died at Andersonville prison the 24th of Aug. same year; his wife died the 2d of Oct. 1874.

SHAVER, Thomas E., farmer, Sec. 25; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Bap.

SHAW, Joseph, farmer, Sec. 7; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Protestant

SHAW, William, farmer, Sec. 15; rep; religion, liberal; P. O. Lincoln; born in England, July 21, 1836; was ten years old when he came to Ohio with his father; went to Michigan in 1850, back to Ohio in 1852, and then settled in this county in 1867; was four years in the war of the rebellion; married April 27, 1871, to Anna Cutlep, who was born 16th of April, 1844; have three children: Elizabeth, five years; Martha, three years, and Maris Leah, one year old; owns eighty acres, value \$4,000.

SHIELDS, George A. farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Lawndale; dem; Pres.

SHIELDS, John W. farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Lawndale; dem; Uni.

SHRADER, John, farmer, Sec. 20; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Luth.

SHREVE, Thomas C. (see Brearly & Shreve)--general store, Lawndale)

SHUPE, David, farmer, Sec. 28; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Meth.

SKELTON, John R. farmer and stock raiser, Sec. 36; rep; religion liberal; P. O. Skelton; born in Gibson county, Indiana, Oct. 13, 1821; settled in Logan county in 1846; married April 20, 1842, to Martha J. Warrick. He raises the finest breeds of short-horn cattle, hogs, colts and sheep in the county. The station on the I.B. & W. Railway bearing his name, he established, and it is located on his land; he owns 200 acres, value \$20,000.

SMITH, Elihu, laborer, Lawndale; rep; C. Pres.

SNYDER, John E. farmer, Sec. 34; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Quaker.

SPELLMAN, Edward, farmer, Sec. 19; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal

STAATS, John P. farmer, Sec. 20; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal

STANLEY, Aquila, farmer, Sec. 12; P. O. Lawndale.

STARKEY, Joel U., farmer, Sec. 19; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Pres.

STEWART, Corydon F. justice of the peace, Lawndale; rep; religion Methodist; was born March 24, 1811, at Madison County, New York; married 9th September, 1832, to Mary A. Johnson, who was born Feb. 18, 1816, in Tomkins County, New York; had thirteen children, lost five; living: Jacob F., James P., Corydon E., Mary A., (now Mrs. O. J. Hyde), Fannie E., (now Mrs. C. M. Houser), Isaura, (now Mrs. J. D. Tribbey), Zeldia L. and Ethelbert R; owns a farm on Sec. 1, of twenty-five acres, value \$1,000.

STEWART, Frank, Lawndale; rep; liberal

STRONG, Giddings H. farmer, Sec. 32; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Meth.

SUTHERLAND, Felix, farmer, Lawndale; dem; liberal

SUTLIEF, Charles Marion, physician and surgeon, Lawndale; dem; religion liberal; born Sept. 28, 1849; married Feb. 22, 1876, to Alice C. Keith; came to Logan county, Illinois, Oct. 1875; located same year at Lawndale, and has a good practice there and in neighboring townships; graduated at Bellevue Hospital Medical College, New York.

SUTPHIN, John A. farmer, Sec. 1; P. O. Lawndale; rep; Meth.

SUTTON, Wesley, blacksmith, Lawndale; rep; liberal

SUTTON, William, farmer, Sec. 11; P. O. Lawndale; rep; liberal

TANNYHILL, John A. farmer, Lawndale; dem; C. Pres.

TAYLOR, John, farmer, Sec. 34; P. O. Lincoln, rep; liberal

TAYLOR, John W. farmer, Sec. 24; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Meth.

THOMPSON, Charles, farmer, Sec. 15; P. O. Lawndale; rep; Pres.

TRAMP, Charles, brick-maker, Sec. 18; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal

TRAMP, Frederick, farmer, Sec. 18; P. O. Lincoln; rep; liberal

TUCKER, John, farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Lawndale; rep; liberal

TURNER, George, farmer, Sec. 25; P. O. Skelton; dem; liberal

- UNDERWOOD, Merryweather, farmer, Lawndale; rep; C. Pres.
- VANNOY, Jonathan, farmer, Sec. 18; P. O. Lincoln; rep; religion liberal; born in Springfield, Ill. 27th May, 1826; came to Logan County, Oct. 1831; married March 18, 1859 to Nancy Musick, who was born in Indiana, 28th January, 1838; had nine children, lost one: living: Abraham, Ephraim, John, David, Roda, Mary, Osborn and Margaret; owns 40 acres, value \$2,500.
- WALKER, Harvey, farmer, Sec. , P. O. Lawndale; rep; C. Pres.
- WALKER, James, farmer, Sec. 24; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Chris.
- WALKER, Reuben E. farmer, Sec. 5; P. O. Lawndale; rep; religion liberal; born in Moultrie Co., Ill. Feb. 19, 1850; came to this county in 1854; married 15th Sept. 1872, to Mary Larison, who was born Aug. 30, 1852; one child, six months old.
- WARD, John D. farmer, Lawndale
- WEST, William, carpenter, Lawndale; liberal; rep.
- WHEELER, William J. farmer, Sec. 7; P. O. Lincoln; rep; Meth.
- WILLIAMS, John M. postmaster, Lawndale; rep; Meth.
- WILLIAMSON, Thomas, farmer, Lawndale; rep; liberal
- WILLMARTT, Louis, farmer, Sec. 24; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Luth.
- WODOTZKI, Edward L. farmer, Sec. 9; P. O. Lincoln; dem; liberal
- WREN, John S. teacher, Lawndale; rep; Meth.
- YOST, John, minister and wagonmkr, Lawndale; rep; Meth.
- YOUNGBERG, John Peter, farmer, Sec. 33; P. O. Lincoln; dem; Luth.
- ZOLLARS, Linzy, farmer, Sec. 25; P. O. Skelton; rep; liberal
- ZOLLARS, Stephen, farmer, Sec. 25, P. O. Skelton; liberal

BIOGRAPHICAL DIRECTORY OF ELKHART TOWNSHIP

- ALBERTS, Henry, farmer, Sec. 35; P.O. Mt. Pulaski; rep; Chris; born Illinois
- ALBERTS, John, farmer, Sec. 35; P. O. Mt. Pulaski; rep; Chris; born Illinois
- ALBERTS, Leonard, farmer, Sec. 35; P. O. Mt. Pulaski; dem; Cath; from Germany
- ALEXANDER, Samuel, farm hand, Sec. 8; P. O. Buffalohart; dem; liberal;
from Pennsylvania
- ALSOP, Thomas, postmaster, Elkhart; rep; from Pennsylvania
- ANDERSON, Nelson, farmer, Sec. 32; P. O. Williamsville; Luth; from Sweden
- ARNOLD, George, farmer, Sec. 31; P. O. Elkhart; rep; liberal
- BALDWIN, H. A. farmer, Sec. 14; P. O. Cornland; rep; Uni; from New York
- BALDWIN, Walter, retired; Sec. 14; P. O. Cornland; rep; liberal; from New York
- BARBER, Isaac, farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Elkhart; rep; liberal
- BARRY, J. B. farmer, Sec. 32; P. O. Elkhart; independent; liberal; from Ireland
- BARRY, H. E. farmer; Sec. 32; P. O. Elkhart; independent; liberal; born Illinois
- BATES, Erastus W. farmer, Sec. 16; P. O. Elkhart; rep; liberal; born Vermont
- BATES, William G. farmer, Sec. 14; P. O. Mt. Pulaski; rep; Epis; from Vermont
- BATES, William P. farmer and stock-raiser, Sec. 4; P. O. Broadwell; rep; Cong;
born in Derby Township, Orleans Co. Vermont, Jan. 12, 1807; married Jan. 1,
1837, to Ann R. Wright, who was born in Derby Township, Orleans Co. Vermont,
March 31, 1811; have four children living: Eliza Jane (wid.) born April 5,
1840, married to A. B. McKenzie; Harriet M. born Dec. 8, 1841, married
P. W. Harts, living at Springfield, Ill; Erastus W. born June 15, 1846;
married Ada Chamberlain, living in Elkhart Township; lost two: Maria L.

ELKHART TOWNSHIP

died Aug. 9, 1845, aged 18 months; Mary A. died Nov. 11, 1855, aged 17 years; owns 473 acres, and a number of Lincoln City lots; total value of all his property is about \$22,000; left Vermont 1852; then lived one year in Springfield, seven years in Sangamon Co. and balance of time here.

BELL, Benjamin, farmer, Sec. 14; P. O. Cornland; rep; liberal; from Kentucky

BELL, Frank, farmer, Sec. 14; P. O. Cornland; rep; liberal; born in Illinois

BELL, Thomas, farmer, Sec. 14; P. O. Cornland; rep; from Kentucky

BELL, William, farmer; Sec. 14; P. O. Cornland; rep; liberal; born in Illinois

BERRY, James G., Jr. farmer Sec. 7; P. O. Elkhart; rep; Meth; from Virginia

BERRY, Laadam A. farmer, Sec. 7; P. O. Elkhart; rep; Meth; from Virginia

BICE, Benjamin F. farmer, Elkhart; rep; Meth; born in Illinois

BINDEMEYER, Henry, farm hand; P. O. Buffalohart; dem; liberal; from Germany

BOGARDUS, A. H. champion shot of the world, Elkhart; rep; from New York

BOHAN, James, farmer, Sec. 7; P. O. Elkhart; dem; Cath; from Ireland

BRACHEAR, Van, farmer, Sec. 11; P. O. Cornland; from Illinois

BRAUCHER, James F., farmer, Sec. 23; P. O. Mt. Pulaski; rep; Chris; born in Illinois

BRENNAN, Thomas, farmer, Elkhart; dem; Cath; from Ireland

BREST, John, farmer, Sec. 31; P. O. Elkhart; rep; Luth; from Germany

BRITTEN, Patrick, laborer, Elkhart; dem; Cath; from Ireland

BROTTON, William, farmer, Sec. 1; P. O. Broadwell; dem; from Illinois

BROWN, S., farmer, Elkhart; dem; from Kentucky

BUCKLES, Robert, farmer, Sec. 33; P. O. Mt. Pulaski; rep; Chris; born in Illinois

BULGER, Thomas, farmer, Sec. 6; P. O. Elkhart; dem; Cath; from Ireland

BULYER, Michael, farm laborer, Sec. 6; P. O. Elkhart; dem; Cath; from Ireland

BUTLER, George H. farmer, Sec. 11; P. O. Cornland; dem; from Virginia

BUZZARD, A. butcher, Elkhart; rep; Meth; from Ohio

BUZZARD, Martin, blacksmith, Elkhart; rep; from Ohio

BUZZARD, S. restaurant, Elkhart; rep; born in Illinois

CAPPS, S. M. merchant, Cornland; independent; liberal; born in Illinois

CASKEY, Samuel, farmer, Elkhart; rep; born in Illinois

CHARLTON, Alfred, farm hand, Cornland; independent; liberal; from Missouri

CHERRY, Vincent H. farmer, Sec. 14; P. O. Elkhart; rep; liberal; from Missouri

CORDELS, J., druggist, Elkhart; rep; Luth; from Pennsylvania

CRANE, Wm. Henry, farmer, Sec. 34; P. O. Cornland; rep; from Illinois

CRANE, Charles, farmer, Sec. 34; P. O. Cornland; rep; from Illinois

CRANE, Wm. J. farmer, Sec. 34; P. O. Cornland; rep; Chris; from Illinois

CREW, James E., railroad Agent, Elkhart; dem; from England

CURPHEY, Thomas, farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Cornland; rep; from Isle of Man

CUMMINGS, Richard, farmer, Sec. 26; P. O. Elkhart; rep; Chris; born in Illinois

DAVEY, Landen, farm hand, Cornland; rep; liberal; from Ohio

DAVIE, Thomas, farmer, Sec. 33; P. O. Cornland; rep; Chris; from Ohio

DAVIS, W. H., justice of the peace, Elkhart; dem; from New York

DAY, Alvin, grain dealer, Cornland; independent; Meth; from Massachusetts

DAY, Dennis, farmer, Sec. 6; P. O. Elkhart; dem; Cath; from Ireland

DAY, E. M. machinist, Cornland; rep; Chris; from Massachusetts

DAY, Joshua, farmer, Cornland; rep; Meth; from Massachusetts

DAY, N. M. farmer, Sec. 11; P. O. Cornland; rep; from Illinois

DEAN, L. B. farmer, Sec. 20; P. O. Elkhart; rep; liberal; from Vermont

DOLEN, James, section boss, Elkhart; dem; Cath; from Ireland

DOLVIN, William, merchant, Elkhart; rep; Chris; from Ohio

DOMNIC, G. W. teacher, Cornland; independent; from New York

DOUGLASS, John, farm hand, Sec. 14; P. O. Cornland; rep; liberal; from Ohio

ELKHART TOWNSHIP

- DRASILTON, T. W. blacksmith, Elkhart; rep; from Ohio
- DUNAWAY, A. C. grain-dealer, Cornland; independent; Chris; from Indiana
- DUNHAM, Sherman, farmer, Sec. 16; P. O. Elkhart; rep; liberal; born Illinois
- DUNN, D. C. farmer; Elkhart; rep; born Illinois
- DYE, A. M., Physician, Elkhart; rep; Bap.
- DYE, W. H. farmer, Elkhart, rep; Bap; from Ohio
- DYER, Israel, broom-maker, Cornland; rep; Chris; from Illinois
- EWING, Williamson, farmer, Elkhart; rep; Pres; from Kentucky
- FARNHAM, Sanford, farmer, Sec. 33; P. O. Elkhart; rep; from Ohio
- FISHDACK, John, farmer, Sec. 22; P. O. Elkhart; dem; Cath; from Germany
- FITZPATRICK, John, section hand, Cornland; Dem; Cath; from Ireland
- FLYNN, John A., saloon-keeper; Elkhart; dem; Cath.
- FOSTER, Daniel W., farmer, Sec. 24; P. O. Elkhart; dem; Chris; born Illinois
- FOSTER, James M. farmer, Sec. 13; P. O. Elkhart; dem; Chris; born in Elkhart, Oct. 11, 1834; married Sept. 6, 1875, to Miss Lucy Jane Griffin, who was born in Menard Co. Ill. July 31, 1849; have three children; Eliza Ellen, born May 3, 1872, Lilly Ann, Aug. 25, 1873; Ivory Myrtle, April 1, 1876; owns 260 acres, value \$10,000; was born and raised within half a mile of where he lives; enlisted in the 106th Illinois, Co. B, Aug. 1862, was transferred in 1864, in March, to Co. K, 24th Regiment I. V.; was discharged June 28, 1865
- FOSTER, Thomas J. farmer, Sec. 24; P. O. Elkhart; dem; Chris; born Illinois
- FOUTES, Louis, gardener, Elkhart; independent; from Germany
- FREEMAN, Albert, farmer, Sec. 36; P. O. Mt. Pulaski; rep; from Germany
- FROOD, John, farmer, Sec. 6; P. O. Elkhart; dem; Pres; from Scotland
- GABBERT, Thos. laborer, Cornland; rep; Pres; from Indiana
- GAITHER, C. farm laborer, Elkhart; rep; from Missouri
- GALLUS, Fred, farm hand, Sec. 31; P. O. Elkhart; Cath; from Germany
- GARDINER, Robert, farmer, Sec. 26; P. O. Cornland; rep; Chris; born Illinois
- GARDINER, Robert D., lumberman, Sec. 35; P. O. Mt. Pulaski; rep; born Illinois
- GARDINER, William, farmer, Sec. 26; P. O. Cornland; rep; Chris.
- GARDINER, William H. lumberman, Sec. 35; P. O. Mt. Pulaski; rep; born Illinois
- GARDNER, Jas. W. blacksmith, Cornland; dem; from Illinois
- GARRETT, E. G. tinner, Elkhart; dem; Meth; from Iowa
- GARRETT, George, blacksmith, Elkhart; rep; Epis; from England
- GIBBS, John, lumber dealer, Elkhart; rep; from Delaware
- GIBBS, Thornton, laborer, Elkhart; rep; from Virginia
- GILES, Charles S. farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Elkhart; rep; liberal; Ohio
- GILLETT, John D. was born in Connecticut, April 28, 1819, at a place called Fair Haven, since a part of New Haven, and the seat of Yale College; his ancestors were Huguenots, and were compelled to leave their native country; Mr. Gillett came to Illinois in the fall of 1858; he came at once to Bald Knob, to his uncle's, and began farming; two years after, he went to Lake Fork, where he remained twenty-eight years; thence he removed to Elkhart, where he has since resided; on March 31, 1842, he was married to Miss Lemira Parkes, daughter of Elisha Parkes, builder of the old county jail at Postville, and one of the county's most prominent citizens; Mr. and Mrs. Gillett have eleven children; he is one of the most extensive farmers in the west, and ranks with such men as Jacob Strawn and John T. Alexander; he is constantly shipping cattle to European markets.
- GILLETT, John Davis, farmer, Sec. 13; P. O. Cornland; rep; Meth; from Connecticut
- GILLILAND, John W. farmer, Sec. 11; P. O. Cornland; Meth; from Kentucky
- GLEASON, Edward, farmer, Sec. 9; P. O. Cornland; dem; Cath; from Ireland

- GLYNN, Patrick, farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Cornland; dem; Cath; from Ireland
 GOFF, Isaac T., Farmer, Sec. 27; P. O. Mt. Pulaski; dem; Chris; born Illinois
 GOFF, John R., farmer, Sec. 27; P. O. Mt. Pulaski; dem; Chris; from Kentucky
 GRAVES, Edward H., physician, Elkhart; dem; Chris; from Missouri
 GROVES, John, farmer, Elkhart; rep; Chris; from Ohio
- HALL, John, farmer, Sec. 8; P. O. Buffalohart; dem; liberal; from Vermont
 HALLAGAN, James, farmer; Sec. 22; P. O. Cornland; dem; Cath; from Ireland
 HAMILTON, J. G. physician, Cornland; rep; liberal; from Indiana
 HARPER, John, farmer, Sec. 12; P. O. Mt. Pulaski; dem; lib; born in Logan Co., Ill.
 Jan. 23, 1844; married Nov. 21, 1868, to Mary Rigdon, who was born in Logan Co.,
 Ill.; have three children: Burton, Chester and Diadamia; owns 185 acres,
 value about \$9,250.
- HARDESTY George R., merchant; Elkhart; rep; Chris; from Ohio
 HAYES, Patrick, section hand, Cornland; dem; Cath; from Ireland
 HELLER, Augustus, farmer; sec. 16; P. O. Elkhart; rep; liberal; from Pennsylvania
 HESS, L. W. cabinet-maker, Elkhart; dem; from Kentucky
 HIMMAN, W. W., mechanic, Elkhart; rep; from Virginia
 HOBKIRK, William, farmer, Sec. 31; P. O. Williamsville; rep; Pres; from Scotland
 HORORS, George, farmer, Sec. 20; P. O. Cornland; dem; Cath; from Ireland
 HUDSON, Simeon, farmer; Sec. 4; P. O. Cornland; rep; Chris; from Vermont
 HUGHES & MENDENHALL, MERCHANTS, Elkhart; W. C. Hughes was born in Kentucky, Jan. 21,
 1818; came to Illinois about 1845, to Sangamon Co. in March, 1867; he came to
 Elkhart and engaged in the mercantile pursuit at once; married in 1846 to
 Dorinda Scott, who was born in Berlin, Sangamon Co. in 1829; they have two
 children, Mary L. and Addie May; S. Mendenhall was born in Sangamon Co.
 Oct. 20, 1842; studied medicine, and when of age was commissioned assistant
 surgeon in the navy; remained there two years, when he returned home and
 engaged in the practice of medicine a year or so; he then went into mercantile
 pursuits in Berlin, and in 1867 joined his father-in-law, Mr. Hughes, in
 Elkhart; married Oct. 10, 1867, Mary L. Hughes, who was born Dec. 11, 1849.
- HUNTER, G. D., butcher, Elkhart; dem; from Kentucky
 HUNTER, S. B., merchant, Elkhart; rep; from New York
 HUMPHREY, Wesley, farmer, Sec. 2; P. O. Broadwell; dem; Ohio
 HUTCHINSON, John, farmer, Sec. 13; P. O. Elkhart; dem; liberal; from Ohio
- IRVIN, William, farmer, Sec. 6; P. O. Elkhart; dem; from Scotland
- JENNINGS, Benjamin F., farmer, Sec. 21; P. O. Elkhart; rep; Meth; from Indiana
 JENNINGS, Eleanor, Widow Robert M., farmer, Sec. 21; P. O. Elkhart; Meth; from Ohio
 JOHNSON, R. E., farm hand, Sec. 33; P. O. Elkhart; dem; liberal; born in Illinois
 JONES, John B. farmer, Sec. 4; P. O. Buffalohart; rep; born in Illinois
- KEEGAN, John, farmer, Sec. 3; P. O. Cornland; dem; Cath; from Ireland
 KELLY, J. J. section boss, Cornland; dem; Cath; born in Illinois
 KELLY, John, R.R. laborer, Cornland; dem; Cath; from Ireland
 KELLY, Wm. farmer, Sec. 10; P. O. Cornland; dem; Cath; from Ireland
 KELSO, Wm. H. postmaster, Cornland; rep; Pres; from Massachusetts
 KENNEDY, Elizabeth Mrs. farmer, Secs. 32 and 33; P. O. Elkhart; Pres; she was born
 in Scotland, April 24, 1824; came to this country and county in 1851; her
 maiden name was Elizabeth Underwood; she was married to John Kennedy Aug. 19,
 1851, in Scotland, where he was born, March 5, 1826; he died in this township,
 Nov. 12, 1871; have six children living: John, Robert G., Jenet, William,
 James and Marion U.; owns 196 acres, valued at \$9,800.
- KENNEDY, Robert J., farmer, lives with his mother, Sec. 32; P. O. Elkhart; dem;
 liberal; born in Illinois

GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. Jefferson Howser

Their entire married life has been passed within a radius of 10 miles of Atlanta, both coming here with the pioneers of the state. Mr. Howser was born in Jessamine Co., Ky., August 7, 1813 where he lived until 13 years of age, when he moved with his parents to Shelby Co., Ky. His father for many years transported flour down the Mississippi River on flatboats and made the return trip from New Orleans to Kentucky on foot 7 times.

Mr. Howser, when a young man in the fall of 1834, moved to New Salem, Ill. He hired out for the winter to Tom Watkins, an Indian half-breed. In the spring his father, brother-in-law Ellis Clark, and John Hawes came to Illinois, and they and Jefferson Howser came to this neighborhood.

About the same time Mr. Howser came to Illinois, his future wife, Miss Frances Holloway Dills, also moved to Illinois with her mother and step-father, Mr. Jefferson Britt, coming from Todd Co., Ky. They settled at Wolf Grove, in the neighborhood of Armington.

The young couple was married April 4, 1838.

Before the wedding, Mr. Howser had prepared a hewed log house, and had broken 12 acres of virgin soil. On the Monday following the wedding they started for their new home, Mr. Howser driving his only horse with his plow, and his wife with her looking glass and a few other items under her arm. The cabin was furnished with a home-made cupboard, a table, and 2 chairs. There was bedding but no bedstead, but the groom soon extemporised (sic) one with some walnut rails from a neighboring fence.

A few years ago Mr. Howser spent 2 summers in Dakota, raising 2 crops of wheat, since which time he has been out of active business. They have 4 children: Mrs. Hattie Medberry of Dakota; Thos. J. of Springfield, Mo.; and William and Ollie of this city.

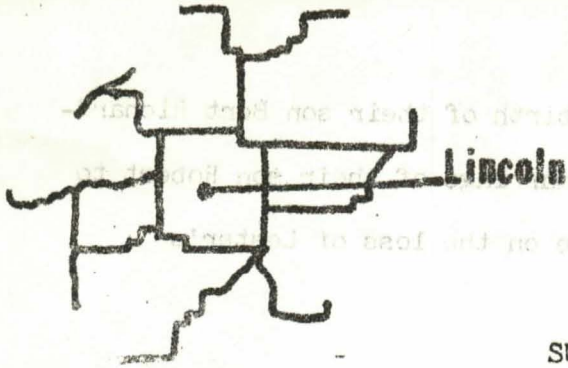
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NOTICE OF CHANGE

The Board and Membership of Logan County Genealogical Society have approved and changed the name of the Society to LOGAN COUNTY GENEALOGICAL AND HISTORICAL SOCIETY. The address remains the same: P.O. Box 283, Lincoln, IL 62656.

MEETINGS at 7:30 P.M., third Monday in month, at the Oasis, Logan County Senior Citizens Center, 501 Pulaski St., Lincoln, Ill., unless otherwise specified below.

HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE

Greeters should plan to be at meeting by 7 P.M. to welcome members and guests. Please mark your calendar and bring a friend.

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| July 20----Annual picnic | Oct. 19----Omer & Lucille Henrichsmeyer |
| Aug. 17----Dorothy Gleason | Nov. 16----Annual dinner |
| Sept. 21----Wayne & Jeanette Buse ? | |

PROGRAMS for 1987

- July 20--Annual picnic
 Aug. 17--Paul Gleason, Speaker - History of Eminence Church
 Sept. 21--Pat Glithero, Speaker - Interesting buildings
 Oct. 19--Annual County Court House meeting
 Nov. 16--Annual dinner meeting and election of officers
 Dec. --No meeting

NOTICE

MEMBERSHIP DUES

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QUARTERLY is published in January, April, July, and October by Logan County Genealogical and Historical Society, P.O. Box 283, Lincoln, IL 62656. Membership dues in the Society are: \$8.00 annually for single members; \$9.00 for family (2 members only) plus \$1.00 for each additional member in excess of 2 persons; \$5.00 for student; \$15.00 for contributing membership; and Life Membership \$100.00. Please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope for your membership card. Yearly dues are from Jan. 1 through Dec. 31.

NEWS OF MEMBERS

CONGRATULATIONS to Paul and Cheryl Gleason on the birth of their son Bert Richard-David Gleason on June 13th.

CONGRATULATIONS to Wayne and Jeanette Buse on the marriage of their son Robert to Kathleen Klockenga in June.

SYMPATHY is extended to Lester and Mildred Wickline on the loss of Lester's brother of Decatur on Aug. 3.

QUERIES

We invite anyone to place a query in our Quarterly. Queries are free to our Society members, as space permits, and for non-members there is a fee of \$1.00. Please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope for a reply.

MEDCALF/METCALF BETTY METCALF KEIL, R. 1, Wayne City, Ill. 62895 - Does anyone have info on JOHN MEDCALF (METCALF) d. in Logan Co. 1851? Had 13 children. Also, any info on WM. J. (JEFFERSON) METCALF who entered land in E. Lincoln Twp. in 1832? Are they brothers? Any information will be appreciated.

COL. E. L. ITTNER, JR. R. 1, Box 80A, Noel, Mo. 64854, is researching the surnames of ITTNER, WEEKS, HIGGINS, FRENCH.

MRS. MICHAELA MARIE McGRAIN, 215 Plantation Rd., Venice, Fla. 33595, is researching the surnames of MEYERHOFF OR MEIRHOFF and KUNZ OR KOONS.

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ATTENTION:

Our Society has purchased a microfiche reader. A group of microfiche has been ordered from Delaware for use of our members. The reader will be available at a time and place to be announced later. Donations will be accepted for more microfiche.

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PIONEER CERTIFICATES

Pioneer Certificates are now available from Logan County Genealogical and Historical Society. If an ancestor of yours lived in Logan County any time from its beginning up to and including 1880, then you are eligible for a certificate (you need not have ever lived in Logan County). The Certificates are \$5.00 each, printed on parchment-look paper. Proof your ancestor lived in Logan County can include county records, marriage licenses, death certificates, county histories, Bible records, cemetery records, census records, etc. Each generation must be proved. A common mistake is lack of proof that the ancestor was in the County. Be sure to include everything and follow directions. To obtain an application, enclose SASE. Write: Logan County Genealogical & Historical Society, Attn. Pioneer Certificate, P.O. Box 283, Lincoln, Ill. 62656.

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BLACK LIGHT

When you are reseaching and come across writing that has faded, a suggestion is to use a black 75-watt bulb in any lamp that will cast light directly on the subject. The black light is said to bring out the dim copy.

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We would like to welcome our new members. The following is a current membership list, including new members and changes of address.

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4. Raymond McCann, b. 1887; d. 1960-California
5. Eva Christine Starr, b. 1-6-1888, Mt. Pulaski, Ill.
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6. John Gilbert Wilham, b. 1-7-1894, Effingham, Ill.
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7. Nettie Marie Ayers, b. 3-6-1896, Mt. Pulaski, Ill.
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9. Margaret _____
10. Johann Starr, b. 10-4-1863, Mt. Pulaski, Ill.
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11. Anna Philyspine Fischbach, b. 2-10-1865, Mt. Pulaski, Ill.
d. 2-23-1941, Mt. Pulaski, Ill.
12. John Wilham, b. 1864, Tannis Creek, Ind. d. 4-17-1949, Mt. Pulaski, Ill.
13. Rosa Viola Wells, b. 3-14-1875, Coles Co., Ill.
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15. Olive Mrytle Mann, b. 3-22-1869, Illinois d. 2-27-1940, Mt. Pulaski, Ill.
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20. Conrad Jacob Starr, b. 4-9-1815, Hesse Darmstadt, Germany
d. 3-3-1884, Mt. Pulaski, Ill.
21. Anna Catherine Weinrich (Ioerich), b. 10-4-1829, Weidersgren, Bavaria
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d. 10-15-1900, Mt. Pulaski, Ill.
23. Maria Margaretha (Mary) Maus, b. 7-15-1835, Providence of Nassau, Germany
d. 11-24-1921, Mt. Pulaski, Ill.
24. George Purviance Wilham (Wilhelm) b. 1835, Bavaria
d. 1910, Mt. Pulaski, Ill.
25. Patience McKee, b. 6-1-1842, Indiana, d. 10-28-1920, Mt. Pulaski, Ill.
26. John Wells, b. Ohio d. _____
27. Mary Ellen Crosier, b. 1852? d. _____, Watson, Ill.

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- Aug. 29 Champaign C. Gen. Soc. Annual Conference. * A.M. to 4 P.M. at Jumer's Castle Lodge, Urbana, IL. \$17.50 registration fee through Aug. 21 and after will be \$22.50. Write to Norma Bean, Conference Registration, Urbana Free Library Archives, 201 S. Race St., Urbana, Ill. 61801.
- Sept. 26 Henry Co. Gen. Soc. Seminar at Black Hawk College, E. Campus, in Kewanee, IL Write Henry Co. Gen. Soc., P.O. Box 346, Kewanee, Ill. 61443
- 26 Everton Workshop at Freeport YWCA. Write Stephenson Co. Gen. Soc., P.O. Box 514, Freeport, Ill. 61032.
- 26 Regional Conference on Genealogy at Joliet Junior College. Sponsored by Will/Grundy, Fox Valley, Kankakae Valley, LaSalle Co., and S. Suburban Gen. & Hist. Societies.
- Oct. 24-25 Illinois State Gen. Society Fall Conference at Mt. Vernon, Ill.
- 24 Polish Gen. Soc. Annual Fall Conference. For reservations, call Chicago Cultural Center (312) 229-1493.
- 25 ALMA Workshop. Write ALMA, Central Il Chapter, P.O. Box 81, Bloomington, Ill. 61702.
- Nov. 14 13th Annual Genealogical Workshop sponsored by the Wilmette IL Branch Genealogical Library. Write Carol Schiffman, % Genealogy Unlimited, 789 S. Buffalo Grove Rd., Buffalo Grove, Ill. 60089.
- Sept. 1 & 23, Oct. 15, Nov. 13--The National Archives, Chicago Branch, is holding its 4th annual series of genealogical workshops. Registration by phone only (312) 581-7816. National Archives, Chicago Branch, 7358 S. Pulaski Rd., Chicago, Ill. 60629

BETHEL CHURCH

Our June 15, 1987, meeting was held in the churchyard of Bethel Church. This is a part of the information given at that time. Mr. Shirley Payne gave the history of the Church. Some of his sources were memories of Sarah Amanda Gemberling and Mrs. D. H. Gemberling.

An effort has been made to get some record of the early church life of the early settlers in Logan County, and the following is copied from the "History of the Disciples of Christ in Illinois", written by Rev. N. S. Haynes, and published in 1915.

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LOGAN COUNTY

"It is a source of regret that no written records have been left of the first work of the preachers of the Disciples of Christ in Logan County. Without doubt there was preaching at a number of places in the thirties and forties by W. P. Bowles and his father, Hughes Bowles, by John England, William Ryan, A. J. Kane and others."

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Rev. T. T. Molton (minister at Lincoln, Ill. at one time, supplying at Bethel Church) received a letter, dated March 10, 1903, from David Bowles, Emden, Ill., who was one of the first elders of Bethel Church. The following is a portion of that letter:

"I do not know of a meeting-house in this part of the State before 1840. The people met for worship in the summer-time in the groves, in the winter-time in their dwelling-houses. The houses were nearly all log cabins eighteen feet square. Two beds in this room. A big fireplace in one end. No windows. Glass could not be had. So, you see this left but a small meeting-house. But you would be surprised at the number of people that would get into one of these houses for worship. The young women and some married women would pull off their shoes and get up on the beds, 'til sometimes there would be from eight to ten on each bed. Some people may say, "This is unreasonable--the beds could not hold them up." They were not such bedsteads as we have now. Usually there was but one post to the bedstead. Holes bored into the logs of the wall with a two-inch auger and a strong rail sharpened to fit was inserted, and strong rope cords made at home of hemp made them very strong. Still, once in a while, one of these cords would break and let them to the floor. Soon everything would be quiet again.

"With all our glorious meetings we would sometimes have some of the ridiculous. I will only name one or two. One cold winter day we met at old Father Hall's. Bro. Walter Bowles was to preach. The house was just such as I have described, with a loft laid with large clapboards. A ladder going up in the right hand corner by the fireplace. The door shut. A lamp lighted. Brother Walter stood right by or under the ladder that led to the loft. He was lining his hymn, when a big tomcat raised a racket up in the loft and came tearing down the ladder. Brother Walter rather dodged. But some of the older ones were able to sing the hymn. The house was so crowded that none could kneel. Everybody's face was turned toward the fire. While Brother Walter was offering prayer the cat that had got whipped came and sat down in front of the fire. The cat that had whipped came slipping through the crowd, and, seeing the one he had whipped sitting before the fire, he aimed to give him a big lick. But the other saw him in time to slip out of the way. The boss cat went right under the fore-stick into the fire and came out squalling and carried the fire and coals back through the crows. Old Mother Hall saw it would

Mr. David Bowles" letter continued.

set the house on fire. Broke in with a broom on him. Everybody in the house saw it, and Brother Walter brought his prayer to a close very quickly. Soon we were dismissed."

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BETHEL CHURCH

Organized by William B. Ryan in 1853.

"This congregation, located 4-1/2 miles east of Emden, Illinois, grew out of the old Sugar Creek Church. A few members, desiring a more convenient place for their public worship, selected the site, which was given by one of the members, Norman Sumner. There were 19 charter members, as follows: William B. and Elizabeth Ryan, William R. and Elizabeth Shirley, Esther Shirley, Samuel and Jemima Waters, Jeremiah and Sarah A. Miller, Norman and Margaret Sumner, George G. and Melville Ryan, Jesse P. and Marial Bowles, David and Elizabeth Bowles, James W. and Henry Shirley.

"The first officers were:

Elders: David Bowles and William R. Shirley

Deacons: George G. Ryan and Jeremiah Miller

Clerk: Norman Sumner

Trustees: Samuel Waters, David Bowles, and William R. Shirley.

Evangelist: William Ryan

The Christian faith of the Bowles and Shirley families has been so excellent that some of their members have filled the office of elder during the sixty years of the church's life. (Report published in 1915.)

"The first house was built in 1853. The men went to the forest, felled the trees, cut and hauled the logs, and, with broadax, foot-adz, and such other tools as they had, fashioned and built this first temple for the Lord. For a period of 20 years this house was the happy home of its builders and their children. In 1873 it gave place to the structure that is still in use.

"This church has always been noted for the good common sense of its members. The spirit of brotherliness has always predominated. The people delighted to make others happy. In the period of the old house, families came to church in farm-wagons, seated with chairs, which were carried into the house and used on occasion. The blankets and comforters, which were used as wraps to protect from cold or rain, were brought in at night and made into beds on seats or in a corner on the floor, and there the little ones slept during the worship. This church is proud of the fact that it is a country church. Its watchword through sixty years have been "Move Forward." Many of its members have gone out to help in the Lord's work in the world. R. E. Hieronymus began his Christian service here, and W. H. Kindred and Frank Sumner are in the ministry.

"The old songs were an inspiration, as they are yet a tender memory with many.

"C. R. Bowles has served as superintendent of the Sunday School for 30 years. In the earlier time children were encouraged to commit the Scriptures to memory and repeat them on Sundays. Many now past life's meridian can repeat whole chapters learned in childhood there.

"Through 60 years the table of the Lord has been spread on every first day of the week. Preaching is maintained for half-time. The church is alive to all missionary activities. It has no other thought than to live by doing the will of God. The glorious memories of the past unite with the duties of the present in filling these people with high purposes."

In the early years, the brethren sat on the right side of the sanctuary and the ladies sat on the left. Precious memories of those years and that custom remain.

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It has been brought to our attention that at the time of the Civil War, our Grandfather, William R. Shirley, and David Bowles, both of whom were the elders of the church at that time, pledged each other that they and their families would attend each Sunday service. The church was in danger of ruin from differing opinions on account of the war!

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Surrounding Bethel, which is built on the top of a hill, is a beautiful cemetery. Great Grandmother Esther Shirley, Grandfather and Grandmother Shirley, together with following of their children are buried in the family lot west of the Church: Emily Ann, George Robert, Sarah L., Elias, and Sarah Emily. In other lots James W. Shirley and Henry Shirley are buried, with members of their families.

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BETHEL CHURCH IN 50th ANNIVERSARY

History of the congregation meeting at Bethel Church, since the dedication of the present building Feb. 2nd, 1873. This was 18 years after the organization.

The building had been recently completed, and compared favorably with any of the country churches at that time. These old soldiers of the cross that had labored so faithfully to build the first building had lost none of their enthusiasm.

One of their number at this time was a fine carpenter from Vermont, and assisted much in the planning of the building. We speak of M. A. Miles who was the master carpenter of this job, and whose handiwork is still shown on the 50 year old building. He worked for \$2.50 per day, and did not count the hours either, but improved every moment.

A daughter of one of the building committee still has in her possession an itemized account of all of the expenses of the building of this old church, in her father's handwriting and esteems it one of her greatest keepsakes. The building completed cost \$3131.78 without the bell, which was put in some time later, the money for which was raised by subscription. T. J. Scribner starting and circulating same.

As we remember, ^{but three} all the charter members were living at the time the new building was dedicated. Elder William Shirley, his mother Esther Shirley, and Margaret Sumner, wife of Norman Sumner had passed away.

Some of them had moved away and were members at other churches, but two of the officers at this time had served the 18 years in the old building. They are David Bowles and Norman Sumner.

The evangelist that had preached the first sermon in the old church, William Ryan, was still living and rejoiced with them in the achievement of their efforts, tho his home was in southwest Missouri. His letters of encouragement are still remembered, and his aged companion returned here after his death and worshipped many times with us.

The elders as we remember 50 years ago, were David Bowles, John Westfall and James Shirley; deacons--M. A. Miles, Henry Shirley, James Kelsey, William Payne and William Simpson; clerk Norman Sumner; chorister, with his aid the tuning fork,

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W. H. Bowles.

The dedication sermon was preached by Bro. Henry Smithers, assisted by other ministers, and the new building was filled to overflowing. It was good sleighing, and people came for miles to enjoy the services. A protracted effort followed, conducted by the first pastor, S. C. Pruitt and other preachers, Bro. Smithers and Hangly of Mason City, we remember.

The first janitor for the new house was G. H. Bowles. He was followed by B. F. Miles, then, later, Levi J. Musick was chosen for janitor of the house and sexton for the cemetery. These offices he filled for many years. There never lived a happier person than he was when ringing the old bell, that has pealed forth music happy and sad from the old belfry for almost half a century. He sleeps in the Silent City with so many of the old heroes here near the church, and we never have ceased to miss him.

We cannot give an exact list of the preachers that have labored for us, and proclaimed the gospel from this old pulpit, but these are some of them: Bros. Smithers, Pruitt, Hangley, Stout, Robinson, Chaplain, Judy, Minier, Beekman, Cotton, Malone, Ailsworth, Cain, Linzy, Holton, Carlock, Warner, Porter, Hall, Mavity, Jewitt, Carmon, Easterling, Harker, Sitser, Parvin, Barnett, Harlow, Stevenson, Jones, Page, Baker, and Beckholt.

Among the evangelists who held revivals, we remember Cain, Ely, Boles, Ingram, Evans, Wright, Irwin, Harding, Fisher, Barnette.

If our memory serves us right, we have sent out seven preachers from old Bethel: Bros. Heironymous, formerly president of Eureka College, William Kindred, Oran Sumner, Frank Sumner, Charles Vannoy, now a Missionary on the foreign fields, George and Charley Shirley, who preached for a while, then turned their attention to the study of law. All of these are still living except the two latter.

We sent out one singing evangelist in the person of Mrs. Manie Bowles Wagner, who was successful in her work and is still our much loved and appreciated chorister. She who is so often called on as a soloist for funerals, also to sing in duets, trios, and quartets. She still holds good recommendations from many of our best preachers.

We had a lively endeavor society organized by Brother and Sister Porter, if we remember right about 1891. For years this was a great help to young people, and the ones that are foremost in our church work today, were members of the Society.

When we look at our present officers, we think they got their early training in the endeavor society. The dying prayer of one of the number still thrills us as we read from a marble slab near where his body rests. It shows his co-workers were in his mind at the last.

The first officers of the Y. P. S. C. E. were T. T. McCormick, President.

In the old house, the Bible School often froze out when winter came, and would be revived the coming Spring. But not so in the present building; as we remember W. H. Bowles was the first Superintendent. We had no lesson helps then, but all carried our Bibles with us and studied from God's word. Later we had the international lesson helps, and I still have in my possession a nicely bound volume of the International lesson commentary for the year 1891, which was presented to me by my father. This was by B. W. Johnson whose comments on the Bible are so dependable.

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When we think of the many superintendents of the Bible School of Bethel for the Past fifty years, the list is lengthy. We will not try to attempt to give it as we might intrude on others' work, as there may be a memoir on the Bible School alone. Bro. James Houser of Eureka probably is the oldest superintendent living. J. W. Sumner of Jerseyville is another of our pioneer Bible School workers. G. H. Bowles of Cherokee, Oklahoma, is another. One we might mention and is still in the harness, tho like the rest, is growing old, Peter and Theodore Smallwood, also Charles Matlock with us striving to hold the fort. All six of these have been and are elders. ^{Another} one so fresh in our memory, and who was so devoted to the Bible School work was C. R. Bowles, whose faithful service we all remember. He was president of the Logan County Sunday School Association for a number of years. He was Superintendent longer than any other person. Superintendents among the ladies are some of our best workers today. Bro. Knox P. Taylor conducted two Sunday School Institutes we remember which were of untold value.

The present officers of the Bible School are Leonard Lake, Supt., C. H. Matlock, Asst. Supt., Ruth Smallwood, Secy., Vera Matlock, treas., Mrs. Leonard Lake, pianist, Mrs. Bert Smallwood, Asst. pianist, Mrs. I. H. Beckholt, Chroister, Mrs. George Mowry, Supt. of Missionary work.

To show we have not been indifferent to worthy causes, we still mention a teacher training class taught by Mrs. C. R. Bowles, a few years ago. The course was sent out by Bro. Clarence Depew of Jacksonville, and the following took the course: Bernice Lake, Marie Montgomery, Mary Gemberling, Clifford Quisenberry, Ray Gemberling, Verle Smallwood and Ivan Lake. Bro. Depew graded their papers and complimented them highly on their work, pronouncing them among the best he graded.

In 1893, sister Minnie Campbell of Bloomington, organized an auxiliary to the Christian Womans Board of Missions at Bethel. Twenty-five members joined at the time of organization and others came in afterward until the society numbered more than thirty. They did a fine work for many years, had one life member. Many of them are still paying their dues and trying to aid in sending the gospel to the needy.

The first officers were Mrs. Alcinda Insheep, Mother of Mrs. Wm. McCormick, pres.; Mrs. D. H. Gemberling, vice-pres.; Miss Vera Matlock, secy.; Miss Belle Smallwood, treas. Our much loved president was the first of our number to be called up higher. The other three officers are living and still members of the C. W. B. The present officers are Mrs. Flora McCormick, pres.; Miss Belle Smallwood, Vice-Pres.; Mrs. T. H. Smallwood, secy.; Miss Vera Matlock, treas.

The following have been church clerks during the past fifty years: Norman Sumner, W. H. Bowles, W. P. Matlock, W. D. Gemberling, Verle Smallwood, W. E. Miller.

Elders during the fifty years: John Smallwood, Peter and Theodore Smallwood, his sons, James and Henry Shirley, David Bowles and three sons, W. H., G. H., and C. R., John Westfall, James Houser, J. W. Sumner, and C. H. Matlock.

The deacons for the past fifty years as we remember: M. A. Miles, James Kelsey, Henry Shirley, Wm. Simpson, William Payne, W. H. Bowles, J. W. Sumner, T. J. Miller, G. H. Bowles, John Rogers, John Perry, Wm. Morris, Peter Smallwood, George Walker, T. H. Smallwood, John Merriwether, Leonard Lake, Verle Smallwood and Harry Matlock.

We have had a number of musicians among our members, and have had two good orchestras. The members of the first were Daisy Insheep, Etta Saterfield, Hazel McCormick, Manie Wagner, Nellie Bowles, Robert Sheets and Ray Bowles. All are still living but the last named.

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Later another one was organized by younger members; Wayne and Dean McCormick, Ivan, Herbert, and Leonard Lake, Elbert Bowles, Lois and Helen Mowry, and Birch Lee often played with them also.

There is much more that could be told of the labors and laborers of old Bethel for the fifty years, but time and space forbid.

If we have missed any names in this write up, it was not intentional. Fifth years is a long time to remember when other things are constantly crowding into our minds.

You will notice family names have been on the records all the 68 years of the organization.

We who were young when the building was erected, are the old people now, and justly proud of our ancestors. Only one of the charter members remains: Aunt Sarah Sumner of Atlanta, who has been granted a longer lease of life than the others. Many of the names on the slabs near the old church they loved so much, tally with the names in this history. May we live as they would have us live.

EXCERPTS FROM BETHEL CHURCH RECORDS First Page

A book for the keeping of a List of Members and the Recording of the Proceedings of meetings for the Transaction of Business and such other matters as may become necessary.

For the use of the Christian Church at Bethel, Big Prairie, Logan County, Illinois,

which was organized November 26th, A. D. 1854

and adopted the following

rules by which they were to be governed:

We the members of the above Congregation agree to take the Bible as a Rule For our Faith and Practice, Discarding All Rules Disciplines and Confessions of Faith made and set forth by man.

Norman Sumner, Acting Clerk

Second Page

The Members of the Christian Church residing in the northern part of Logan County, Illinois, met at their Meeting House on the 26th day of November, 1854, for the purpose of affecting a permanent organization. When after singing and prayer, the following action was made:

1. We gave to our House of Worship the name of Bethel, and
 2. that we agree to be known by the title name as the Bethel Congregation,
- when the meeting proceeded to the Election of Officers.

For the Better Regulation and Government of the Church which resulted in the Election of the following named persons to wit:

Geo. William Ryan, Evangelist

David Bowles and William R. Shirley were elected Elders.

George G. Ryan and Jeremiah Miller were elected Deacons

David Bowles, Samuel Waters, and William R. Shirley were elected Trustees of the Said Bethel Meeting House, and Norman Sumner was elected Clerk when the meeting adjourned.

Attest: Norman Sumner, Clerk

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Elder Wm. R. Shirley having Deceased and the office of Deacon having become vacant, a meeting was called for the Third Lord's Day in March, A. D. 1864, at the Bethel Church to fill said vacancy. After Singing and Prayer, Andrew S. Bowles was elected to fill said vacancy, and James W. Shirley and Marcus S. Miles were elected Deacons for said Congregation.

Attest: N. Sumner, Clerk

The Bethel Church was repaired and remodeled, a concrete platform placed at the front in Fall of 1910. Re-opening with an all day meeting and basket dinner on Oct. 2nd, 1910.
Rev. Jones, Pastor

The people who furnished the information on Bethel Church were Margaret Smallwood, Betty Gail Wagner and Shirley H. Payne.

VETERANS BURIED AT BETHEL CEMETERY, RURAL EMDEN

CIVIL WAR

- Henry Ruple
- J. P. Stines
- Theo Zimmerman
- A. J. Snyder
- Wm. Atteberry
- Levi Jacobs
- John Stoller
- John Lay
- W. Montgomery
- E. R. Davis
- Wm. Green
- Patterson Short
- Thomas Short
- J. W. Summers
- T. S. Sherwood
- Wm. Simpson
- Frank M ller
- J. R. Perry
- J. W. Atkins
- James Howser
- Victor Reese
- Lee Musick
- James Gilchrist
- Ben Summers
- Anton Dreher
- Sam Green
- Peter Hitchell
- John Mickle
- Philip Ward
- Mayfield Gallagher

SPANISH AMERICAN WAR

- C. F. E. Bowles
- Wm. Micle

WORLD WAR I

- Virgil Irvin
- Ross Quisenberry
- Burch Lee
- Clifford Temple
- John Zimmer
- George Hallman
- George Taylor
- Chester Inskip
- Harry Bowles
- George Payne
- Wayne McCormick
- Ray Ireland
- Dale Gemberling
- Ray Gemberling

WORLD WAR II

- Lester Short
- Cornelis Taylor
- Ben Ubbenga
- Henry Boerma
- Burdette Gilchrist
- Donald Gilchrist
- Calvin Short
- Ralph Montgomery
- Dr. Jerry Owings
- James Gallagher
- Harlan Olson
- Richard Zinser
- Marshall Coffey

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ORAN TOWNSHIP

T 20 N R1 W

Greenberry Campbell	2-3-1-0-0- 1	1-3-0-0-1
Elizabeth Gambrel	3-5	1-1-1-0-1
Walter Roberts	3-2-0-1	0-0-0-1
Joseph Richardson	1-1-0-0-1	0-0-0- 1
Joseph S. Pierce	0-0-0-0-0-0-1	0-1-1-0-0-0-1
Joseph Pierce	0-0-1	1-0-1
Orin Davis	3-2-1-1-0-1	3-1-0-1
Thomas Hoosier	1-0-1-1	1-0-1
Henry Pierce	1-0-0-1	1-0-0-0-1
Elmore Waters	1-0-1-0-1	1-2-0-1
William Copes	1-2-1-0-1	1-2-0-0-1
James Lundy	0-1-0-0-0-1	0-0-1
Arnott Allman	2-2-0-0-0-1	0-2-0-1
James C. Houchin	1-0-0-1	1-0-0-1
John Harmon	5-0-1	0-2-1
David Price	0-1-1	1-0-1
Solomon Lappin	1-0-0-1	1-0-1
William Wasson	4-1-0-1	1-1-0-1
Samuel Montgomery	4-0-1	2-0-0-1
Thomas Allman	1-0-1	0-1
William Estes	0-0-1	1-0-1
James N. Price	1-0-1	2-0-1
William R. Price	0-0-1	0-0-1
Richard Botkin	2-0-0-1	2-1-0-1
Prettyman Marvel	0-0-1	0-1
William Gambrel	1-0-1	1-1
John Armstrong	1-0-1	1-0-2
William McCrary	0-1-1	0-1-0-2
Jacison Barr	1- 1-1	0-0-1
William C. Parker	2-1-0-1	3-0-1
Gustavus A. Michaels	0-0-0-1	1-0-1
Joseph Bell	0-2-2-0-1	2-0-1
Adam Michaels	0-0-0-0-0-0-1	0-0-0-0-0-0-1
James Barr	0-0-3-0-1	0-3-0-0-1 (written over)
Reed Marquart	0-1-3-2	0-0-1
Eli W. Jones	3-0-3-1	1-2-0-1
Stephen Jones	1-0-0-0-0-0-0-1	0-0-0-1
Jacob Lappin	1-0-1-0-1	0-1-1-0-0-1
William Houchin	0-0-1-0-0-0-0-1	0-1-0-0-0-0-1
T. J. Houchin	2-3-0-0-1	2-1-0-0-1
Freeman Jones	1-1-0-1	3-1-1
Catherine Hull	1-2	01-0-1
Phebe Jones	0-0-2	0-0-0-0-0-0-1-1
Eleazer Bordwell	0-0-0-0-1	0-1-0-0-1-1 steam saw mill
William J. Reece	1-0-1	0-0-1
James Gordon	1-3-4-0-1-1	2-3-0-0-1-0-1
Lewis Barr	1-0-0-1	1-1-0-2-0-0-0-1
Nancy Barr	1-2	2-2-0-1 (smearcd)
Jacob Copes	4-1-1-1	2-0-0-1
John Hull	0-0-1-1	2-1-1
Anna Davis	0-2-1	2-1-0-1

Samuel Jones	0-2-0-0-1	3-3
James Foley	0-1-1-1	2-2-0-1
Martis Clay	2-2-0-1	1-0-0-1
Bartholemew Gardner	2-0-0-1	2-1-0-1
Russell Thompson	2-0-0-1	1-0-1
Larkin Jones	5-1-0-1	1-0-1
Thomas Phineas	0-0-0-2	1-0-1
David Jenkins	2-0-3	0-0-1
Thomas Esting	0-1-0-1-0-1	0-0-0-0-0-1
Gilbert Carpenter	0-1-1-0-1-1	0-1-0-0-1
Christopher Ewing	4-0-5-1	2-1-1
Jesse S. Gates	1-0-0-1	3-1-0-1
William A. Burk	1-0-1	1-0-1
Elsey M. Brooks	1- 2-0-0-1	5-1-0-1
Norris Lorey	1-1-1	0-1-1-0-0-1

EAST LINCOLN TOWNSHIP

T20N R2W

James Primm	2-4-1-0-1	3-0-0-1
James W. Russell	5-0-3-0-0-0-0-1	1-0-1-0-0-0-1
Jesse S. Gates	1-0-0-1	3-1-0-1
William H. Burk	1-0-1	1-0-1
Elsey M. Brooks	1-3-0-0-1	5-1-0-1
Norris Lorey	1-1-1	1-0-1-0-0-1
James Ewing	3-2-0-1	0-3-0-1
William Clark	0-0-1	1-0-1
John W. Walker	3-0-1	0-0-1
Reuben B. Ewing	1-3-0-0-0-1	1-0-0-0-1-0-1
W. D. H. Ewing	3-0-3-0-0-1	0-0-1
Basil Orstler	4-2-0-0-1	1-1-0-1
John Fletcher	1-0-1	0-0-0-1
Zachary Fowler	1-1-0-0-1	1-1-0-0-1
Curtiss Rummer	2-0-0-1	0-0-1
Elijah Myers	0-1-0-0-1	2-1
Osborn Ewing	1-1-1-0-1	2-1-0-1
Lewis Anderson	0-0-0-0-0-0-1	0-0-0-0-2
David Rudolph	0-0-0-0-1-0-1	0-1-0-0-1
John C. Harney	0-2-0-0-1	0-2
John Musick	4-1-5-0-1	2-3-0-0-1
Martin Estes	1-0-0-1	0-0-0-1
Jacob Longerbien	0-2-1	0-0-1
James B. Ray	3-2-0-1	2-1- 0-2
William Salts	3-1-0-1	1-0-0-1
James F. Duncan	1-0-1	0-0-1
,ocjae; Baker	2-1-0-1	<u>1-0-0-1</u> (no explanation for underline)

Martin Myer	1-2-3-1	0-1-1
Nicholas Baker	1-2-3-1	3-0-1
Pleasant Thompson	0-2-2- 0-1	2-0-0-1
Moses Gleason	1-1-1	0-0-1
Perry Gleason	2-0-1	1-0-1
John Snider	0-1-1	0-0-1
Elizabeth Orendorff	0-2-2	0-0-0-0-0-1
William G. Starkie	1-0-1	1-0-1
Thomas Woy	0-0-1	0-1

Elijah Ray	0-2-1-0-1	0-1-1-0-0-1	
David Bumkatz	2-1-0-1	0-0-1	
John Woods	0-3-0-1	1-0-1-0-0-1	
Charles Compton	1-0-0-0-1	0-0-0-1	
Preston Kelson	2-0-0-1	0-0-1	
James Hardin	1-2-0-1	2-0-0-1	
Charles Rudolph	0-1-1	0-0-0-1	
John Reed	0-2-0-0-0-1	0-0-0-0-0-1	
Robert Leslie	0-2-1-0-1	0-1-0-0-1	
George W. Brady	0-2-2	1-0-1	
James Radikin	1-1-1-0-1	1-3-0-0-0-1 (blurred)	
Robert Snow	2-0-0-0-0-1	0-1-0-1	
Lucien L. Leeds	0-0-0-1	1-1	
Lewis C. Thurston	0-1-0-1-1	0-1-0-1	
Richard Morris	2-0-1	1-0-1	
Richard Argan	0-2-1-1	0-0-1	
John S. Small	1-0-0-1-1	2-1-1-0-0-0-1	
Daniel W. Small	2-0-0-1	1-0-1	
Patrick O'Connor	0-1-2-2	0-0-1	
William K. Buffington	2-0-0-1	0-1-0-1	
Elizabeth Dugan	2-1	1-2-0-0-1	
John Snyder	0-1-0-3-1-2	1-2-0-0-1	
Joseph F. Benner	1-0-1-1	2-0-1	
Joseph S. Duer	1-0-2-1	2-0-0-1	
James K. Russell	0-0-1	0-1	
David H. Cox	2-0-0-1	2-0-1	
George W. Webb	0-1-2	2-2-1-0-0-1	
John M. Handsby	1-1-2-0-1	1-1-1	
Hopkin C. Judy	1-0-0-1	0-1-1	
Joseph Reed	1-0-0-1	0-0-0-2	
David Smith	3-0-0-1	0-1-0-1	
Ezra Boren	0-1-1-1-0-1	3-1-1 (smearcd)	
Patrick Ray	0-1-2	2-0-1	
Kirk Mynard	0-0-0-1	0-0-1	
John D. Swallow	1-1-0-0-0-0-1	1-0-0-1	
Solomon Rothchild	2-2-1-0-1	1-0-0-1	
W. F. Ryan	0-0-1	0-1	
D. M. Jackson	0-4-21-8=1=1*	1-3-0-0-1	
William Alexander	0-0-1-0-1	1-0-1	
Henry Huffman	3-0-0-2	2-2-0-1	
William Roach	1-0-0-1	0-0-1 (steam saw mill)	
Ralph Brady	1-0-1-1	0-3-1	
John Allison	2-0-1-1	1-2-0-1	
Jane Townsend	0-1-6-2	0-0-2	
Franklin Fuller	1-0-1-1	1-0-1	
G. H. Blackburn	1-1-0-0-1	0-0-0-1	
Henry Johnson	0-2-0-0-1	2-1-0-0-1	
George Edgar	1-0-0-1	1-3-1	
Leroy T. Brown	1-1-1-1	3-0-1	
Robert Bigelow	1-0-2	1-0-0-1	
G. W. Doolittle	0-0-0-1	1-0-1	
Henry L. Bennett	0-1-2	1-0-1	1 mfg.

* No explanation as to why 21 20-3- year old males at D. M. Jackson's.
railroad construction?

Laurence Gains	0-2-3	0-1-1
John B. Shoup	1-0-3-0-1	0-0-1
James Fitzgerald	1-1-5-1	0-1-1
L. Keeler	0-2-1	0-0-1
Charles H. Couch	0-0-4-1	1-0-1
Jacob Routson	1-0-2	0-0-2
James Fitzgerald	0-2-2-0-0-1	0-0-0-0-0-1
CC. B. Hukill	0-0-2	0-0-1
Christian Morse	2-2-2-1	0-0-1
Jane Ray	0-2	0-0-0-0-1
John Kirkpatrick	1-0-0-1	2-0-1
Oaks Shaw	0-10-0-0-0-1	0-0-0-0-0-1
Philip Kling	0-1-2	1-0-1
G. T. Stillman	0-0-1-1-1	0-0-1-0-0-1
Daniel Orendorff	1-0-0-0-0-0-1	0-2-0-0-0-1
Abram Hoffman	1-0-0-0-0-0-1	3-0-1
Moritz Hendryxon	2-0-0-1	0-0-2
Emily Medcalf	1-2	1-2-0-0-1
Lewis McAfee	1-2-2	0-0-1
Zebulon Cantrall	1-2-2-0-0-1	0-0-2-0-1
John W. Reynolds	1-0-0-0-1	0+1-0-1 (saw mill)
Joel Havens	0-0-0-0-0-0-0-1	0-2-0-0-0-1
John Barr	0-1-0-1	0-2
Preston Pendleton	2-1-4-0-0-1-1	0-2-0-0-1
Benjamin Bennet	2-1-1	0-0-1
A. K. Martin	1-3-0-1	4-1-0-1
Ezekiel Hedges	2-1-1-1-0-1	2-1-2-0-0-1
Cornelius Lambert	1-3-0-0-1	0-2-0-0-1
Lanson Pratt	0-1-22-3-2-1	1-2-1-0-0-1
Perry Oller	1-1-4-2	0-0-1 (smear)
John Barkam	2-0-0-1-1	1-4-1-1
Andreas Kaughman	1-1-2-1	0-1-0-0-0-0-1
Mary P. Covell	0-1-0-0-1	0-0-0-0-1
Abel B. Sanford	1-0-0-1	3-1-0-0-1
J. C. Hoblit	1-0-1-1	4-0-1
E. W. West	1-0-0-0-1	1-0-0-1
Albert S. Cothrin	1-0-2	1-0-1
Samuel B. Dugger	1-2-2	0-0-1
Albert Goodell	0-0-0-0-1	0-4-0-0-1
A. W. Morgan	1-1-0-1	2-1-1-1
Nicholas B. Whiteside	0-0-6-1	2-0-1
R. W. Burt	1-1-0-1	0-0-0-1
Erastus S. Briggs	0-0-1-0-1	0-0-0-1
William Fields	0-1-0-1	0-0-1
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Joseph K. Downing	1-0-1	3-0-1
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James Shores	1-0-1-0-1	1-0-1
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John S. Druly	1-2-2-0-1	0-1-1-0-1-0-1

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John J. Fesler	2-0-3-1	1-0-1
George J. Harry	2-0-1	0-0-1-0-0-1
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John Cash	2-0-1	0-0-1
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Alexander Esqu	0-1-1-1	0-0-1
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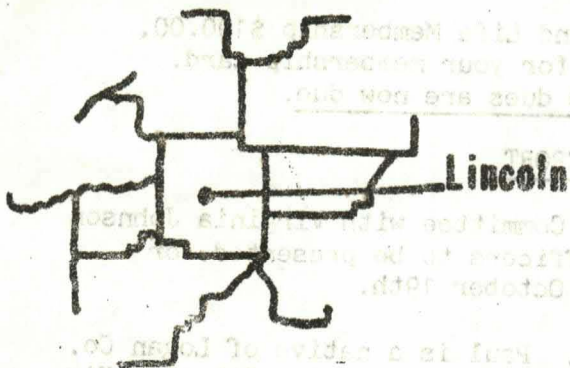
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John S. McGahan	1-0-0-1	2-0-0-1-1
Robert Killin	4-0-0-1	0-10-1
James F. Duncan	3-1-3-1	1-4-0-1
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James Downie	0-0-1-0-0-0-0-1	0-0-0-0-0-0-0-1
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John E. Hoblit	2-2-1-1	3-1-0-1
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Harvey Turner	1-3-0-0-1	2-1-0-0-1
Mel Larison	2-1-0-1	2-0-0-1
Henry McCrary	1-0-4	2-0-2
William Lee	2-0-0-1	2-0-1
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Walter Montgomery	6-0-1	1-1-1
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John V. Strong	0-0-0-0-0-1	1-0-1-0-1
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William Huston	2-0-1-1	0-0-1	
James Tuttle	1-0-2-0-1	0-2-0-0-1	steam saw mill
James L. Hoblit	2-2-1-0-1	2-0-1-0-1	
James Hoblit	2-0-1	0-0-1	
Reason Mills	1-1-0-1	1-0-0-1	
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Charles Rice	1-2-0-1	1-0-0-1	distillery
John Bentley	0-0-1-0-0-1	0-1	
John Linegar	0-0-0-0-0-1	0-1-0-0-1	
John Roach	0-1-1-0-0-0-1	0-0-1-0-0-0-1	
Needham A. Road	0-1-1	0-0-1	
Joseph E. Roach	0-0-1	2-0-1	
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Jacob Bowman	2-1-0-1	3-0-0-1	
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Charles Anderson	0-0-2-0-0-1	0-1-0-0-0-1	
H. W. Briggs			

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NOTICE OF CHANGE

The Board and Membership of Logan County Genealogical Society have approved and changed the name of the Society to LOGAN COUNTY GENEALOGICAL AND HISTORICAL SOCIETY. The address remains the same: P.O. Box 283, Lincoln, IL 62656.

MEETINGS at 7:30 P.M., third Monday in month, at the Oasis, Logan County Senior Citizens Center, 501 Pulaski St., Lincoln, Ill., unless otherwise specified below.

HOSPITALITY COMMITTEE

Greeters should plan to be at meeting by 7 P.M. to welcome members and guests. Please mark your calendar and bring a friend.

Oct. 19----Omer & Lucille Henrichsmeyer Dec.----No meeting

Nov. 16----Annual dinner

PROGRAMS for 1987

Oct. 19---Annual County Court House meeting

Nov. 16---Annual dinner meeting and election of officers. A potluck dinner will be served at 6 P.M. at the Oasis, Senior Citizens Center, Lincoln, IL. Members bring 2 dishes to pass and table service. Turkey and dressing will be furnished. Following the potluck, Paul Gleason will speak on "The World of Lafayette".

Dec. ---No meeting

NOTICE

MEMBERSHIP DUES

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QUARTERLYs published in January, April, July, and October by Logan County Genealogical and Historical Society, P.O. Box 283, Lincoln, IL 62656. Membership dues in the Society are: \$8.00 annually for single members; \$9.00 for family (2 members only) plus \$1.00 for each additional member in excess of 2 persons; \$5.00

for student; \$15.00 for contributing membership; and Life Membership \$100.00. Please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope for your membership card. Yearly dues are from Jan. 1 through Dec. 31. 1988 dues are now due.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

Mildred Wickline, Chairman of the Nominating Committee with Virginia Johnson and Jessie Eury, have a full slate of potential officers to be presented for election at the regular meeting of the Society on October 19th.

PRESIDENT - Paul Gleason, Lincoln, Phone 732-4623. Paul is a native of Logan Co. and teaches history and constitutional Government at the Junior High School. His wife, Cheryl, is a Lincoln College Librarian. They have a son, Bert Richard-David, born June 13, 1987. Paul believes genealogy goes along with history very well but has been interested in genealogy for the last five years. He serves on the County Board and is an accomplished cook. His goals for Logan County Genealogical and Historical Society are to increase membership, to educate and encourage our members in their research and to share the information they already have with others who just might be interested in the same family lines. Who knows?

FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT - Virginia Johnson, Lincoln, 732-7148. "Ginny" came to Lincoln via Southern Illinois and Indiana and is a retired history teacher. She has been 'into' genealogy since 1950. Her several duties in this office includes that of PROGRAM CHAIRMAN. She would welcome your suggestions for programs and hopes you will volunteer to give a program that has a historical or genealogy flavor. She hopes the Society will become more helpful to its members and looks for membership growth and better attendance.

2ND VICE-PRESIDENT - Wayne Buse, Chestnut, 796-3501. Wayne and wife, Jeanette, are Charter Members of our Society. Their genealogy makes for interesting reading (see The History of Logan County)! Wayne is employed at Lehn & Fink Corp. and Jeanette teaches at Logan Correctional Center. They have three grown sons. If elected, Wayne becomes Membership Chairman and is charged with keeping an up to date roster of members. He would welcome your membership!

RECORDING SECRETARY - Lucille Henrichsmeyer, Lincoln, 732-4435. Lucille is a native of Logan County and a Charter Member of LCG&HS. "Curiosity" got to her before she heard the word genealogy so has been doing genealogy for many years. She and Omer have two grown children, 5 grandchildren. She is a Sunday School teacher and Historian of Illinois State Genealogy Society. She hopes for more members in Logan County Society and extends a helping hand to those seeking to know their ancestors.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY - Cindy Clay, Lincoln, 732-4698. Daughter of Claude and Nova (Clay) Coseboon, Cindy was born in Lincoln, been a member of our Society since 1978. Educated in Lincoln schools, she has attended Olivette College and graduated from Black Hawk Junior College and has been interested in their family background and history for a long time.

TREASURER - Jane Whiteman, Lincoln, 732-8752. Born and raised in Logan County, she remembers talking family history with her grandfather Bowyer (bow-maker) as a child, about his English ancestry on her maternal line. Her father came to Illinois via Indiana with Irish ancestry. Jane lives in the family home and does a good job keeping our bills paid! She is retired from secretarial work and hopes new members will keep her busy.

Though the Committee presents these members as potential officers, there is always an opportunity to make nominations from the floor. New officers will be installed in November at the Annual Meeting.

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QUOTED BY PERMISSION - "Some of our members feel that because they are not from Logan County, they don't have any obligation to help us get our publications done for others to use. We have little to offer genealogists visiting our area". You are missed when you don't attend meetings. You just might encourage a fellow member!

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

October, 1987

Dear Members,

Thank you for the privilege of serving as president of the Logan County Genealogical and Historical Society for the past three years.

We have the Pioneer Certificates completed and have sent them to the applicants. We urge those who have an ancestor in Logan County before 1880 to apply for a certificate.

The 1860 Census is in the process of being retyped for reprint. The 1870 and 1880 Censuses are being prepared for publication. The cemeteries are, also, being updated for printing. The by-laws have been updated, the books audited, microfiche reader and microfiche purchased, and the society has enlarged its purpose in including the historical portion of the county.

These projects have been started and a portion completed with your help and the cooperation of the Executive Board.

Special thanks to the members of the Executive Board which include:

Paul Gleason, 1st Vice-President and Program Chairman, for the excellent programs, the workshops that he helped organize, the good food he prepared and for the flower arrangements, writing the short history for the Pioneer Certificate and for getting the artist, Bert Hill, to do the original drawing of the restored Logan County Court House for the Certificate.

Charles B. Spaugh, 2nd Vice-President, Membership Chairman, and librarian, for taking care of those duties of his office along with chairing the updating of the by-laws, for encouraging and helping to promote our society: including the Historical designation in our name, for his encouraging the society to have a microfiche library and overseeing the purchase of the microfiche reader and film, for his continuous help in each program and for generously carrying out the completion of these and other projects of the society.

Lucille Henrichsmeyer, Recording Secretary and Historian, for taking care of her official duties, and for the other projects she has been involved in as well including: typing stencils for the Quarterly, preparing the 1880 Census for publication, helping with the Pioneer Certificates, updating and correcting the 1860 Census for printing, and many other projects.

Virginia Johnson, Corresponding Secretary, for doing the mail, and as genealogist answering letters and spending many hours in research and photocopying. She helped by giving some monthly programs, serving on the hospitality committee, and auditing the treasurer's books, and is currently working on the 1870 Census. These and other projects have kept her busy over her years in the Society.

Jane Whiteman, Treasurer, for keeping excellent records, for typing for the Quarterly, and other projects over her years in the Society.

Jean Hauffe and Viola Richert, Quarterly Editors, for their hard work. The, too often, unsung heroes of the Quarterly for the research, organization, and compiling of the Quarterly we want to say SPECIAL THANKS!!

Emily McElhaney, Past President, for her efforts in the public relations area for advertising and keeping our organization before the public. She is also chairing the updating of the county cemeteries. She has been involved with many projects over her years with the Society.

Lester Wickline, Past President, for his support of the programs and for he and his wife, Millie, typing on the 1870 Census preparing it for publication. Lester and Millie have been of much support to the Society through the years.

I want to say thanks to my family for their help and especially to my daughter, Cindy Clay, for her help with the calligraphy on the Pioneer Certificates and for helping the auditing committee. My daughter, Candice Maine, who helped in the past years, and my husband, Claude, who gave moral support to my many projects.

In these days of 1987, as in earlier times, God, our Creator, through his son, Jesus Christ, help is needed to keep our nation strong. I want to praise God for his help in each thing I do and seek his grace and favor in my life and for the Society.

I cannot tell you all the many helpful acts that each member has contributed to the Society, and if you have not been mentioned in this letter, it was an unintentional omission. All the hospitality greeters and members who helped with refreshments, picnics, and potluck suppers that would fill a groaning board were and are appreciated. The workshops were well supported! Again, thank you for your help and I ask your continued support for the Society in the years to come.

In sincere appreciation,

Nova 'Clay' Coseboon

President

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MICROFICHE READER

Our Society has purchased a microfiche reader which is available to members on Wednesday afternoons from 2 to 5 P.M. at the home of Lucille Henrichsmeyer, 817 Decatur St., Lincoln, Ill. If possible, please call her in advance at (217) 732-4435. Microfiche available are Ill. Marriages and the Joseph Brown Turner collection from Delaware, which includes Ill., Ind., Iowa, Ky., Md., N.J., N. Car., Ohio, Pa., Tenn., and Va. Microfiche on order include England, Ireland, Scotland, Germany, and Wales. Virginia Johnson made a donation for the Wales microfiche. Thank you.

PIONEER CERTIFICATES

Pioneer Certificates are now available from Logan County Genealogical and Historical Society. If an ancestor of yours lived in Logan County any time from its beginning up to and including 1880, then you are eligible for a certificate (you need not have ever lived in Logan County). The Certificates are \$5.00 each, printed on parchment-look paper. Proof your ancestor lived in Logan County can include county records, marriage licenses, death certificates, county histories, Bible records, cemetery records, census records, etc. Each generation must be proved. A common mistake is lack of proof that the ancestor was in the County. Be sure to include everything and follow directions. To obtain an application, enclose SASE. Write: Logan County Genealogical & Historical Society, Attn. Pioneer Certificate, P.O. Box 283, Lincoln, Ill. 62656.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

JANUARY:

The program on "Land Records in Research" to be given by Lucille Henrichsmeyer was cancelled because of a heavy snow storm. This program is rescheduled for January 1988.

FEBRUARY:

A program entitled "Building and Maintaining Records of the Past" was given by Paul Gleason, local member and society officer.

What your family does is history. Your history begins with you. Such things as your early work, your later work, school records, church activities, political activities, recreational interests, where you lived, special interests, family pictures, war records, etc. all tell a great deal about you. Paul is a local history teacher and historian, and he keeps everything. Many of his documents are originals. He advises storing documents flat and they will break on the folds otherwise.

MARCH:

Jean Hauffe gave a program on "The German Element in Logan County". There has always been, and still is, a large number of people of German descent living in Logan County. She gave a brief history of early Germany which led up to a heavy German emigration to this country. German research is difficult because of the many boundary changes in Germany over the years. Most German settlements in Logan County came as family groups. Logan County had had two hospitals, one bank and one newspaper of German background. A German church was founded in Mt. Pulaski in 1851. Gerdinand/Frederick Ernst first came to what is now Logan County in 1819, but later moved to Vandalis, Illinois, where he settled.

APRIL:

A program on "Cherokee Indians" was given by Virginia Johnson, local member. Virginia's grandmother was $\frac{1}{4}$ Cherokee, hence her interest. The Cherokees were one of the five civilized tribes. They were a settled people, were farmers and owned their own homes. They copied the ways of the white man and became adept in animal husbandry, jewelry making, and weaving. They were educated, were thinkers, philosophers, were religious and had beautiful manners. Many of them took up the Christian religion. Some fought in the War of 1812. After this the Indians were treated very unjustly and were removed to Oklahoma. They were not allowed to take anything with them. 4000 graves from the Smokey Mountains to Oklahoma made the journey "The Trail of Tears". Virginia had many books and articles on display.

MAY:

This was a "Show and Tell" program. Members brought old or interesting family articles for display. There were such things as a hand carved rolling pin, a quilt made in 1879, old scrapbooks, children's toys, old pictures and documents.

JUNE:

This was an open air meeting on the grounds of Bethel Church (Christian) and cemetery. Bethel church was organized in 1854 as the Bethel Congregation. It was remodeled in 1910, later destroyed and replaced by the present building. It is located about $3\frac{1}{2}$ miles east of Emden, Illinois. The church is no longer in use but is kept in good condition by interested people. The cemetery is still being used. Shirley Payne gave an interesting history of the church.

Everything comes to him who waits, if he works while he waits.

QUERIES

We invite anyone to place a query in our Quarterly. Queries are free to our Society members, as space permits, and for non-members there is a fee of \$1.00. Please enclose a self-addressed, stamped envelope for a reply.

WILIHITE K. R. HUME, 11644 Acacia St. #5, Hawthorne, Cal. 90250, would appreciate any information on J. H. WILIHITE, wife ELIZABETH SMITH, one child-- SMITH Dau. MINNIE b. 1870. Minnie was born in Clinton, Ill. d. 1947. She HUME mar. EDGAR HUME b. 1870.

HOUCHIN LINDA SUE MERRITT, 3910 Monteith, Spring, Tex. 77373, needs will, deed, CREEK or probate record on WM. HOUCHIN b. 1776 at Amherst Co., Va., d. KREEK 12-19-1855; wife LAVISA C(K)REEK b. 12-6-1788 at Warren Co., Ky., d. 12-3-1863. Both buried at Timber Cemetery-6 miles south of Atlanta, Ill. Mar. June, 1804. (Couldn't find the cemetery.)

FITCH BETTIE WHEAT, 900 NW 7th St., Fairfield, Ill. 62837, is working on UNCLER WM. FITCH family. Dau. ROSANNA FITCH mar. CHARLES UNCLER. They both LEONARD died at Mt. Erie, Ill. A descendant was CARMEN E. (MRS. EDGAR) LEONARD. Need to find some one in the LEONARD family who can help with this family. Would appreciate any help.

MANDRELL LISA WINTERS, 109 Bell Ave., Monticello, Ill. 61856, needs information on family of JAMES L. MANDRELL b. Nov., 1866; wife EVA ELLEN b. May, 1872; children-CHARLES D., JOSEPH U (?V), PANSY LOUISE, VIOLET, JAMES, JOHN, DORA ELLEN (PAT), GEORGE. Any help will be appreciated.

LANDRUM VIRGINIA C. HANKS, 801 S. Willow St., Ellensburg, Wa. 98926, would appreciate any information on GEORGE LANDRUM and wife SALLY and children. They were married in Grant Co., Ky., 1828; moved to Atlanta, Ill., about 1830/40. Will be glad to pay for any copied records.

NEWS OF MEMBERS

CONGRATULATIONS to Emily R. 'Robison' McElhaney, a past President of the Logan County Genealogical Society and current member of the Executive Board, who received the following honors this year. She was recognized in the class of 1937 at ISU, Normal, with a 50 year Alumni award pin in May. She also was given a fifty year award in the American Home Economic Assoc. in July in Indianapolis, Ind. She was honored with a 50 year membership pin from the Ill. Home Economics Assoc. in Oak Brook, Ill., in Oct. During these 50 years, she taught High School Home Economics and from 1957 to 1979 worked as a Home Economics Extension Advisor in White Co. and Logan Co. respectively.

CONGRATULATIONS to Virginia 'Krutsinger' Johnson who was among four Lincoln residents honored at Lincoln College by the Alumni Assn. for their service to education, Lincoln, and the college. She taught 35 years in the district, retiring in 1984. She is serving this year as Treasurer of the DAR, as Recording Secretary for Retired Teachers and was a delegate to district convention for the Association of Retired Teachers. This year she was Vice-President of Chester Woman's Club, and Chaired the First Presbyterian Church Women's Organization. She has been elected as President of Chester-East Woman's Club beginning in June of 1988, and is the Corresponding Secretary of our Logan County Genealogical and Historical Society at this time. Bouquets to you!

SYMPATHY is extended to Lester and Mildred Wickline on the loss of Mildred's brother; also, to Omer and Lucille Henrichsmeyer on the loss of Omer's brother Oscar on Sept. 29; also, to Wayne and Jeanette Buse on the loss of Wayne's mother Freada Buse on Oct. 3.

THANKS to Jean Hauffe for donating to our Society library the book "Saints and Strangers".

ANCESTOR CHART

This chart was submitted by Grace Alberta McKinley Lisk, 634 Seventh St., Lincoln, Ill. 62656.

1. Grace Alberta MCKINLEY, b. 25 Oct. 1918, Logan Co., Ill.
2. Harless Albert MCKINLEY, b. 29 May 1891, near Mansfield, Piatt Co., Ill.
m. 28 June 1916, near Chestnut, Logan Co., Ill.
d. 1 July 1970, Chestnut, Logan Co., Ill.
3. Myrtle Grace DOWNEY, b. 1 July 1894, Eminence Twp., Logan Co., Ill.
d. 22 May 1971, Lincoln, Logan Co., Ill.
4. William Henry MCKINLEY, b. 5 Jan. 1853, Circleville, Fairfield Co., Ohio
m. 29 Feb. 1880, Mansfield, Piatt Co., Ohio
d. 1 April 1926, Mt. Pulaski, Logan Co., Ill.
5. Frances Elizabeth HANNAH, b. 21 Mar. 1859, Mansfield, Piatt Co., Ill.
d. 2 Feb. 1927, Mt. Pulaski, Logan Co., Ill.
6. George Tillman DOWNEY, b. 22 Aug. 1865, near Casey, Clark Co., Ill.
m. 25 Feb. 1891, French's Chapel, Logan Co., Ill.
d. 7 Nov. 1944, Lincoln, Logan Co., Ill.
7. Minerva Jane FRENCH, b. 28 Nov. 1869, Chester Twp., Logan Co., Ill.
d. 12 June 1961, Lincoln, Logan Co., Ill.
8. Edward (2) MCKINLEY, b. c 1827, Ireland
m. 19 May 1850, Pickaway Co., Ohio
d. 24 Sept. 1863, S. Bloomfield, Pickaway Co., Ohio
9. Frances Ann GROVES, b. 1832, Ohio
d. 26 Jan. 1911, near Mansfield, Piatt Co., Ill.
10. David Ford HANNAH, b. 6 Jan. 1827, Union Co., Ohio
m. 30 Jan. 1851, Piatt Co., Ill.
d. 6 Jan. 1916, Piatt Co., Ill.
11. Frances Elizabeth OULERY, b. 15 May 1831
d. 9 Dec. 1893, Piatt Co., Ill.
12. Ezekiel Hinton or Henry DOWNEY, b. 14 Dec. 1837
m. 26 Mar. 1860
d. 15 Feb. 1925, Logan Co., Ill.
13. Mary Ann JONES, b. 20 Nov. 1840
d. 30 Sept. 1887
14. Ezekiel (2) FRENCH, b. 7 Jan. 1843, Chester Twp., Logan Co., Ill.
m. 21 Jan. 1864, Chester Twp., Logan Co., Ill.
d. 27 Nov. 1921, Chester Twp., Logan Co., Ill.
15. Caroline ALEXANDER, b. 25 Oct. 1841, Cleveland, Cuyahoga Co., Ohio
d. 7 Nov. 1908, Chester Twp., Logan Co., Ill.
16. Edward MCKINLEY (1) Ireland
- 17.
18. GROVES
19. Martha FLOOD
20. Hugh V. HANNAH, b. 9 Jan. 1802 in Va. ? m. 3 Mar. 1824 in Ohio?
d. 15 Sept. 1874 Piatt Co., Ill.
21. Rebekah or Rebecca FORD, b. 6 June 1806 in Va.; d. 19 Nov. 1893, Piatt Co., Ill.

22. Nicholas OULERY, b. 29 April 1800; m. _____; d. 16 Jan. 1858, Piatt Co., Ill.
 23. Rebecca _____, b. 3 Oct. 1787; d. 5 Mar. 1876
24. _____ DOWNEY
 25. _____
26. _____ JONES
 27. _____
28. Asa FRENCH, b. 29 Mar. 1803 in (W.) Va.; m. 10 Mar. 1825, Piqua, Miami Co.,
 d. 26 Feb. 1844, Chester Twp., Logan Co., Ill. Ohio
 29. Hannah CLARK, b. 25 Nov. 1805, Bourbon Co., Ky.
 d. 23 Oct. 1866, Chester Twp., Logan Co., Ill.
30. Augustus ALEXANDER, b. c 1795 in Germany; m. _____; d. c 1853, Logan Co.,
 31. _____ Ill.
32. _____, d. c 1847
 33. _____
56. Ezekiel FRENCH (1), b. 17 June 1775, Essex Co., N.J.; m. 4 Mar. 1795
 d. 1 Jan. 1861, Miami Co., Ohio
 57. Phebe "Polly" BATES, b. 17 Jan. 1775, Pa.? ; d. 4 Sept. 1843, Miami Co., Ohio
58. John Winans CLARK, b. 17 Jan. 1779, Bernards Twp., Somerset Co., N.J.
 m. 14 Feb. 1805, Paris, Bourbon Co., Ky.
 d. 5 Mar. 1859, Yankeetown, Logan Co., Ill.
59. Nancy Ann ISGRIG, b. 27 Jan. 1783, Baltimore Co., Md.
 d. 8 Dec. 1867, Yankeetown, Logan Co., Ill.
112. Aaron FRENCH, b. 8 Sept. 1739, New Providence, Monmouth Co., N.J.
 m. 16 Sept. 1764, Essex/Union Co., N.J.
 d. 31 Aug. 1805, Amity, Washington/Greene Co., Pa.
113. Mary CLARK, b. c 1746; d. 16 Dec. 1795, Pa.
114. Ephraim BATES, b. 24 May 1743, Morristown, N.J.; d. 3 Jan. 1834, Noble Co. O.
 115. Susanna _____, b. _____; d. _____ July, 1834, Noble Co., Ohio
116. Rev. David CLARK, b. c 1739, Rahway, Essex/Union Co., N.J.; m. c 1767
 d. c 1802, Basking Ridge, Somerset Co., N.J.
117. Sarah/Sallie WINANS (widow of Jacob SCUDDER), b. 25 Sept. 1737
 d. before Aug. 1807, Basking Ridge, Somerset Co., N.J.
118. Daniel ISGRIG (2), b. 26 Dec. 1756, Baltimore Co., Md.
 m. 6 Jan. 1777, Baltimore Co., Md.
 d. 16 April 1816, Harrison Co., Ky.
119. Margaret COLE, b. 14 June 1751, on ship at sea enroute from Scotland to Am.
228. William BATES, b. 1720, Hanover, N.J.; m. 1742; d. _____
 229. Mary BALL
232. Jonathan CLARK, b. c 1680 - 1720
 233. _____
234. Jonathan WINANS, b. 15 July 1710; m. 4 May 1731; d. 11 Nov. 1774
 235. Susannah MILLS, b. 14 Feb. 1707/1708; d. before 1774, Rahway, N.J.

236. William ISGRIG (1st in America) was III in England
 b. 13 Sept. 1721, Stratford-by-Bow, London, England
 m. c 1747; d. Baltimore Co., Md.
237. Hannah CLIXBY (? CLIYBY)
238. George COLE
239. Ann/Anne
458. Caleb BALL, b. 6 June 1697, Hamden, Conn.
459. Abigail OSBORN
464. Samuel CLARK, b. England
- 465.
468. Conradus WINANS, b. c 1680, Elizabethtown, N.J.; m. c 1708;
 d. Feb. 1727/28, Rahway, N. J.
469. Sarah PALMER, b. c 1685, Greenwich, Conn.; d. Oct. 1732, Rahway, N.J.
470. Samuel MILLS, JR., b. c 1670, Jamaica, Long Island; d. 1744/45
471. Susanna PALMER, b. 1675/76, Greenwich, Conn.
472. William ISGRIG II, b. c 1700, Middlesex, London, England
 d. 1740, Middlesex, London, England
473. Anne
928. Richard CLARK
929. Elizabeth
936. Jan WEINANS/John WINANS, one of "80 associates" founders of Elizabeth, N.J.
 b. 1640 in Netherlands; m. 23 Aug. 1664 in New Haven, Conn.
 m.(2) Ann ROBERTSON c 1693; d. 1694 in Elizabethtown, N.J.
937. Susannah MELYN, baptized 11 June 1643 in New Amsterdam Dutch Chur.
 d. c 1688-1692, Elizabethtown, N.J.
938. James PALMER, b. 1652/53, Yarmouth, Mass.; d. 28 Feb. 1717/18, Greenwich, Conn
939. Sarah DENHAM
940. Samuel MILLS, SR.
- 941.
942. Ephraim PALMER
943. Sarah MESSENGER
1874. Cornelius MELYN, baptized 17 Sept. 1600, St. Walberger, Antwerp, Belgium
 m. 22 April 1627; d. c 1663, New Haven, Conn.
1875. Jannit Ken ADRYIAENS, b. c 1604; d. c 1663-1668
1876. Lt. William PALMER, b. England
1877. Judith FEAKE, b. c 1615-1621, London-England; d. 1668 in Conn.
1878. Rev. Thomas DENHAM, b. c 1621; d. 1688 (Will 2 May 1688), Bedford, N.Y.
1879. Sarah
3748. Andries MELYN, b. d. 9 Nov. 1606
3749. Marie GHVEDINX-BOTENS
3754. James FEAKE, b. c 1560/67 in London, England
3755. Judith THOMAS

- 7508. William FEAKE
- 7509. Mary WETHERAL
- 7510. Robert THOMAS
- 7511. Judith FISHER

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ILLINOIS NEWSPAPER PROJECT: SURVEY

Illinois is one of twenty-five states participating in the United States Newspaper Project, a national program promoting the newspaper as a valuable source for historical research.

The Illinois Newspaper Project, partially funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities, is under the direction of the Illinois State Historical Library. The project is now in the planning phase with the goal of locating approximately 9,000 newspaper titles through a state-wide survey. Information from the survey will be used to plan for the second phase of the project, which is to catalog and preserve newspaper collections located in Illinois.

NEWSPAPER; A serial publication which contains news of current events of special or general interest, the individual parts of which are listed chronologically or numerically and appear usually at least once a week.

Only with your help can we be successful in locating those newspaper collections held in Illinois that need to be cataloged and preserved for use as historical research sources.

If you have questions or problems concerning this project, contact Linda Oelheim, Project Researcher, Illinois State Historical Library, (217) 524-5939.

Illinois Newspaper Project Staff

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Reagan Nominates Wilson For Archivist of the United States

"Over two years after Congress voted to make the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) an independent agency, President Reagan has finally announced his new nominee for the post of the Archivist of the United States."

On September 9th, President Reagan nominated Dr. Donald Wilson as the 7th archivist of the National Archives. Confirmation hearings by the Committee on Governmental Affairs may take place in late October.

While taken as an encouraging sign, the recent Wilson nomination is still pending Congressional confirmation and the Federation of Genealogical Societies now urges its member societies and individuals to register their support to ensure the Wilson appointment...To urge the confirmation of Donald W. Wilson as Archivist of the United States, write:

Hon. John Glenn, Chairman
United States Senate
Committee on Governmental Affairs
Washington, DC 20510

Copies of letters supporting the Wilson nomination should also be sent to appropriate senators from individual states.

I.S.G.S.

LOGAN COUNTY, ILLINOIS MARRIAGES

From the Lincoln Herald

Jan. 7, 1875

A. C. Smith - Kimball Lawler
 Marcellus Piatt - Ada E. Braucher, "last Sunday" Beason
 George W. Wendle - Elvira N. Woodruf, Jan. 7, 1875
 R. W. Lawrence - Lida Littler, Dec. 10, 1874. Atlanta
 Monroe Dunham - Katie L. Alsop, Dec. 24, 1874
 John W. Clark - Emma K. Sterrett, Dec. 24, 1874
 Jacob Deitrich - Barbara Stully, Dec. 26, 1874
 Michael Christy - Margaret Carrigan
 Wm. Etterlein - Mary J. Shall, Dec. 27, 1874
 Michael Presler - Catharine Horschler, Dec. 31, 1874

Jan. 14, 1875

Thos. G. Montgomery - Laura Barnett, Jan. 5, 1875
 Peter Engelhorn - Catherine Meyer
 Andrew M. McElhaney - Emma R. Norriss, Jan. 7, 1875
 John H. McKinzie - Frances Bebinger, Jan. 7, 1875
 Konstad Eoplar - Amelia Spitly
 Benj. F. Forest - Sarah F. Price, Jan. 7, 1875
 Geo. W. Lynn - Grace A Turnbolt, Jan. 12, 1875
 Hiram W. Curtis - Miss Sarah A. Scroggin, Jan. 14, 1875

Jan. 21, 1875

Samuel Hanley - Martha A. Foley, Jan. 14, 1875
 Geo. D. Corwine - Polly A. Rankin, Jan. 14, 1875
 David Mitchell - Ellen Hickey, Jan. 17, 1875
 Isaiah W. Green - Margaret J. Caughren (sic), Jan. 19, 1875
 Jacob Schwartz - Mrs. Annie Gehlbach, Jan. 21, 1875
 Wm. M. Prince - Saide Bailey, Jan. 21, 1875

Feb. 4, 1875

James M. Boyd - Serena Bentley, Jan. 26, 1875

Feb. 11, 1875

Wm. L. High - Edna Keen, Feb. 5, 1875
 Zachary T. Drake - Mary L. Lockridge, Feb. 7, 1875
 Robert Campbell - Mrs. Amanda M. Cantrall
 Charles Martinie - Margaret A. Brown, Feb. 9, 1875
 Walter Birmingham - Maggie M O'Brien, Jan. 26, 1875
 E.W.S. Hamg - Mrs. Martha D. Hume, Jan. 26, 1875

Feb. 18, 1875

Chas. M. Tribbett - Sarah E. Scroggin, Feb. 11, 1875
 Thomas L. Robertson - Mary Shepherd, Feb. 17, 1875
 Resin Mills - Mrs. Mary A. Roach, Feb. 14, 1875
 Daniel Bachler - Matilda Rummell
 Geo. W. Kelly (or Keller) - Annie M. Breech, Feb. 18, 1875

Feb. 28, 1875

Lambert Simpson - Sarah Hubbard
 Jacob Buttel - Bena Wachter

James M. Boyd - Sorena Bentley

Feb. 25, 1875

Derias Buckles - Catherine A. Turley
David C. Lingenfelter - Mary E. Gallagher, Feb. 18, 1875
Wm. L. Montgomery - Mary J. Davidson, Feb. 17, 1875
Wm. H. Hahn - Pauline Heiserman
Samuel L. Morris - Phoebe Lucas
Noah Laugh - Lydia J. Stanley, Feb. 23, 1875
Wm. P. Jumper - Louisa T. Howell, Feb. 25, 1875

Mar. 4, 1875

Joseph E. Hammond - Nettie E. Allen, Feb. 24, 1875
Orlando M. Small - Mary Gleason, Feb. 23, 1875, Lincoln
Adam Armstrong - Lizzie Johnston, Feb. 25, 1875, Lincoln
Lewis Miller - Lida Hamilton, Feb. 25, 1875, Atlanta
Geo. W. Rossiter - Colista Rineholt (Rinehart), Feb. 25, 1875

March 11, 1875

Samuel Baker - Elizabeth Rheinhardt
Wm. Clevenger - Lucinda J. Leonard, Mar. 1, 1875, Lincoln
John T. Hampton - Nellie Drabing, Mar. 3, 1875, Lincoln
John Layman - Helen C. Rare, Mar. 4, 1875
James H. Helms - Barbara Danner, Mar. 4, 1875
Wm. D. Knowles - Mrs. Sarah J. Rondels, Mar. 4, 1875
Henry Remmers - Geolke Ruben
Wm. Kester (Kuster) - Lizzie A. Curry, Mar. 7, 1875

March 18, 1875

Peter C. Sargent - Mattie Feuton
Frank J. Downing - Florence E. Allen, Mar. 11, 1875, Lincoln
Lewis Sutphin - Mary A. Braucher, Mar. 11, 1875
W. L. Hecht - Amelia Baker, Mar. 16, 1875
Richard Gabbett - Mary Fitzgerald, Mar. 30, 1875
Frank L. Michner - Mary L. Simpson
John Wechel - Mary Stull, Mar. 16, 1875
Richard Logue - Eliza Logue
John Martin - Mary A. Smith, Mar. 18, 1875

March 25, 1875

John A. Cavett - Mary M. Roach, Mar. 17, 1875
Dietrick Reinders - Anna M. Bolafelt, Mar. 18, 1875
James W. Echleborg - Catherine E. Dixon
Borend Brommer - Frankie Rieken
Samuel J. Berger - Sarah C. Winkel, Mar. 21, 1875
Andrew Kessler - Elizabeth Will

April 1, 1875

Elisha M. Bushell - Harriet Ayers
Matthew Stoll - Christiana Nolle
Wilson Lee - Lizzie J. Robbins
James Lamb - Mrs. Annie Lynch
Jacob Layhr - Christiana Feffer, Mar. 18, 1875
Wm. Humble - M. E. Bruce, Mar. 31, 1875, Lincoln

April 8, 1875

George Connelly - Katie Klotz
Wm. H. Humble - Martha E. Bruce (see above)
Charles M. Babcock - Mollie Suttle, Apr. 4, 1875
Seamon Bates (Bates) - Mrs. Elizabeth Kennedy, Apr. 2, 1875. Lincoln
M. K. Mathus - Mrs. Sarah Stuart
Wm. H. Ehrhart - Anna McGowan, Apr. 6, 1875
Benj. F. Darden - Mary F. Gasaway, Apr. 6, 1875. Latham
Condon Smith - Thurissa Schweickhardt, Apr. 5, 1875
Levi Johnson - Mary E. Musselman, Apr. 4, 1875
Geo. B. Jones - Almira M. Copeland
Philip Zanglein - Matilda Bucholz
S. M. Wallace - Lizzie Brown, Apr. 7, 1875. Lincoln
Wm. E. Setz - Sallie J. Turnbolt, Apr. 14, 1875. Lincoln
Geo. E. Johnson - Almira M. Copeland, Apr. 7, 1875

April 22, 1875

Lorenzo D. V. Morris - Mrs. Mary E. Meyers, Apr. 14, 1875
Henry Nolte - Mrs. Emily Mitzel, Apr. 26, 1875
Wm. R. Lewis - Annabelle (Arabella) R. Montague, Apr. 22, 1875. Lincoln
John J. Kline - Bertha Horsler, Apr. 22, 1875
Henry Adams - Ella Mountjoy, Apr. 29, 1875. Lincoln

May 3, 1875

No marriages listed.

May 13, 1875

Wm. H. Adams - Nancy E. Mountjoy (see above)
Teis Meyer - Sarah A. Waites
Chas. E. Pieper - Margaret E. Johnson
Chas. W. E. Polsum - Flora M. Hornay, May 5, 1875
Wm. T. Barnard - Lizzie A. Row, May 6, 1875
James Inskoop - Mrs. Alcinda C. Ogden
C. H. Chisam - Clara Armington, May 12, 1875
(There appears to have been an error either in the above listings or in the following two write-ups as the bride and groom are not the same. However, this is the way it appeared in the Herald)
C. E. Pieper - Sarah A. White, May 3, 1875. Mt. Pulaski
Wm. Davis - Margaret E. Johnston, May 6, 1875

May 20, 1875

Job. J. Haas - Mrs. Catharine Winn, May 12, 1875. Elkhart

May 27, 1875

J. J. Haas - Mrs. Catharine Winn (See above)
James Coddington - Mrs. Letha W. Moore, May 20, 1875
Martin Godon - Mrs. Ferrina Hickman
Enoch T. Emery - Sarah E. Pogram, May 20, 1875

June 3, 1875

Joseph W. Center - Mary E. Daley, May 25, 1875 Lincoln
Rudolf Meyer - Mary E. Bell, May 25, 1875. Lincoln

June 10, 1875

John W. Fletcher - Mrs. Dinah M. King, June 3, 1875

Joel R. Dodson - Flora A. Colstock, June 4, 1875

June 17, 1875

Robt. E. Suttle - Mollie A. Stowe, June 19, 1875. Lincoln

Saml. Reed Williams - Theodora A. Eaton

June 24, 1875

Robert F. Suttle & Mollie A. Stowe, June 19, 1875. Lincoln

Jeremiah J. Green - Mrs. Ruth Salmons, June 10, 1875

Philip Vance - Jennie J. Jones, June 29, 1875 (DeWitt Co.)

Rev. M. W. Tabor - Belle S. Houston, June 16, 1875

James A. Samuels - Nina Shields, June 16, 1875. Lincoln

S. Reed Williams - T. Alice Esten, June 15, 1875. Lawdale

Jacob Crouse - Eliza Gardner

Cornelius C. Caldwell - Louisa McIntire, June 20, 1875. Chestnut

J. E. Harward - Julia A. Lucas, June 22, 1875. Lincoln

LOGAN COUNTY, ILLINOIS PROBATE RECORDS

Box 3 (second half)

BARRICK, SIMON

Died: Clearland (sic), Tenn. (Cleveland?) 17 Apr. 1864

Heirs: Heirs of M. E. Ramsbery, heirs of Enos Barrick, William Barrick, Susan Working, Dennis Barrick, Daniel Barrick, Edward Barrick, Sophia Routsen, Isaiah Barrick, Joshua Barrick, Robert Barrick, Jane Leightner and Albert Barrick, his brothers and sisters.

Estate consists of an undivided interest in the estate of Cornelius Barrick.

Administrator: William Barrick (brother)

BRAUCHER, CHRISTOPHER

Died: at his residence in Loga Co., 16 Apr. 1864

Heirs: Widow--Melinda Braucher; children--Rinaldo Braucher, Sarah M. Braucher, Abram Braucher, John Braucher, Mrs. Ann White, Mrs. Nancy E. Keller and Mary A. Braucher.

Executors: Melinda Braucher and Rinaldo Braucher

BELL, JOHN E.

Died: 11 Nov. 1869

Heirs: Widow--Susan A. Bell; children--James Bell, John M. Bell, Mary Ellen Bell, Natham K. Bell, Levi W. bell, Sartah Caroline Helm, Mathias R. Bell.

Administrator: Mathias Bell

BAKER, MARY

Died: at her residence in Logan Co., 7 Dec. 1869

Heirs: Children--Peter Baker, Wendley Baker, Melia Baker

Administrator: Stephen A. Foley

Mary Baker is referred to as "the widow of Michael Baker."

Peter Baker is guardian of Amelia Baker

BARRETT, Orlando W.
Died: Lincoln, Il., 28 Oct. 1869
Heirs: Widow--Theoda (sic) Barrett, Daughter--Jane, commonly called
Jonnio", aged 7 mos.

BRAGG, ANDREW S.
Died: Logan County, 20 June 1870
Heirs: Daughter--Emma "about 4 years old"; mother--Sarah A. Bragg.

END BOOK 3

LOGAN COUNTY PROBATE RECORDS

BOOK 4

BOARDMAN, SAMUEL P.
Died: Lincoln, Il., 2 Nov. 1868
Heirs: Widow--Rachel Boardman; Children--Susan Morris Boardman, 3 yrs old
on 30 Aug. 1868; Woodward Savage Boardman, 2 years old on 22 Oct. 1868.
Administrator: George W. Edgar
Rachel Boardman is guardian of the children.

BRAUCHER, RINALDO
Died: Indianapolis, Indiana, 30 Aug. 1873
Heirs: Widow--Susan E. Braucher; children--George N. Braucher, Christopher
Braucher.
Father: Christopher Braucher died April 1864
Mother: Melinda Braucher
Siblings: Alvana Braucher; Lovisa Braucher d. before estate of the father
was distributed; Anne White; Nancy Keller; John T. Braucher; Sarah
Braucher; Ada Braucher.
Susan Braucher, widow of Rinaldo, "has since remarried Lewis A. Phillip-
son."

BEISSENHERE, WILLIAM
Guardianship of minor children: Louisa, 9 years old on ___ Jan. 1870;
William, 8 years old on ___ Oct. 1870.
Guardian: Henry D. Beissenherz, 400 N. New Jersey St., Indianapolis, In.,
appointed by will of William Beissenherz.

BUNOTTO, B. FREDERICK
Guardianship of minor heirs: Matilda, 15 years old on 14 April, 1873;
Alma, 12 years old on 25 March, 1873.
Guardian: Spencer Clark, step-father of the girls.
Second file: Minor heirs of Augustus F. Bunotti, same heirs. Name is
also spelled Brunotta on the receipt from "Mrs. Phineas B. Hungerford,
(Matie A. Brunotta)," dated 23 Jan. 1878. Alma signs on 1 Nov. 1881 as
"Mrs. Alma L. Kellogg."

BEISSENHERZ, LOUISA
Guardianship transferred to F. C. W. Koehnle.

BREWSTER, ETHAN A.
Guardianship of minor children: Helen Brewster, Emma Brewster, Iva
Brewster, Eva Brewster and Minna L. Brewster, "all of whom at that time

were minor under 14." Guardianship petitioned 18 Sept. 1862 by Robert Forsythe, who died 186 (sic). Guardianship then petitioned by Matilda A. Forsythe, widow of Robert Forsythe and aunt of the children.

BEISSENHERZ, WILLIAM

Died 6 April 1871

Heirs: Children--Louisa and William Beissenherz

Executor: Henry D. Beissenherz

BUCKLES, SILAS

Died: At his residence in Logan Co., 23 Jan. 1873

Heirs: Widow--Mary J. Buckles; Children--Louella Buckles, Ida M. and Charles Buckles.

Administrator: John L Mann (brother-in-law)

BRINKER, MARY

Minor heir of John Brinker, deceased

Guardian: D. H. Harts. Levi Lucas, uncle, had petitioned to be guardian, but failed to file bond.

Mary Brinker was boarded with Charlotte Stryker.

Mary Brinker was 12 on 11 Sept. 1870.

She was entitled to "receive a pension from the government of the U.S.."

BAGLEY, THOMAS

Died: 28 Feb. 1873

Heirs: Widow: Mary Ann Bagley; Children-- Rosa Ann Bagley, Maggie Bagley and Thomas J. Bagley.

Administrator: Thomas Brennan (friend)

BEHREND, BEHREND

Died: At his residence in Logan Col, 5 Dec. 1872

Heirs: Widow: Goeske Behrends; Children--Anna Behrends, Bina Behrends and Behrend Behrends.

BEHREND, BEHREND

Minor heirs of Behrend Behrens. "The undersigned Jennie Behrends, the mother of

Althea 11 pm 26 ,ar/ 1912

Dirk 10 on 28 Sep. 1912

Gretchen 7 on 6 Nov. 1912

Theodore 5 on 17 Oct. 1912

Matilda 2 on 13 Jun. 1912

(possibly this paper is misfiled in Box 4)

BRUNER, JEFFERSON

Died: At his residence in Logan Co., 14 July 1868

Heirs: Widow--Jane Bruner; Children--William D. Bruner, Henry S. Bruner, Mary A. Bruner, Fannie F. Bruner, Martha J. Bruner, John Bruner and George A. Bruner.

George A. Bruner "died since his father's death."

Administrator: Thos. J. Simpson (brother-in-law)

BAXTER, JAMES W.

Died: 5 Aug. 1872

Heirs: Widow: Nancy Baxter; Children: Nancy L. Hobbs, Diana Mitchell, George W. Baxter, Levi Baxter; grandchildren-- Levi Slinker, Ann Elder. Administrator with the will annexed: Calvin M. Grapes

BAKER, MICHAEL

Died: "Month of January 1867."

Heirs: Widow--Mary Baker; Children--Peter Baker, Windelin Baker and Amelia Baker

Administrator: Stephen A. Foley

FRUITS OF REVIVAL OF MT. PULASKI (ILL.) CHRISTIAN CHURCH
!!% PEOPLE ADDED

Mr. & Mrs. Walker Oglesby	Mrs. Mary Werlich	Mrs. Cox
Mr. & Mrs. George Mier, Sr.	Marie Werlich	Minnie Clark
Mr. & Mrs. M. T. Vaughn	Mrs. L. W. Hinton	May Bowers
Mr. & Mrs. Benj. Capps	Mrs. Chas. Wilbanks	Cliver Moore
Mr. & Mrs. Cutright	Mrs. Wacaser	Jessie Barlow
Mr. & Mrs. R. Jones	Mrs. Hannah Clark	John Waddell
Mr. & Mrs. John A. Buckles	Mrs. John Fenton	Maggie Horn
Mr. & Mrs. Robert Turley	Mrs. Mary Howard	Emma Gibson
Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Jones	Mrs. Annie Iden	Nellie Gibson
Mrs. Robert Buckles	Mrs. Sherry	Betty Bauer
Theodore Bowers	Flora Downing	Ella Miers
John Rothwell	Della Morrow	Mr. Snyder
Herbert Birks	Hattie Scroggin	E. Oglesby
William Wacaser	Carrie Savage	Mackey Clark
John Hammond	Addie Hinton	Artie Rowe
D. Wacaser	Daisy Howard	Mae Fowler
Ward Wacaser	Etta McDaniel	Chloe Fenton
Edw. Williams	Clifford Fowler	Leatta Curry
Mrs. Geo. Fenton	Nellie Van Hook*	Jennie Horn
Mrs. Mary Fenton	Blanche Rankin	Katie Barlow
Mrs. Ida Curry	Mertice Wacaser	Cecil Ducker
Bernie Lenecker	Pearl Buckles	Mrs. Millard
Mrs. Theodore Bowers	Etta Downing	May Miller
Mrs. Lucy Moore	Mrs. E. Oglesby	May Millard
Mrs. Stephen Cox	Ida McDaniel	Mrs. McVey
Mrs. Robert Clark	Mrs. Gasaway	Odie Horn
Charles Wilbanks	Jennie Hunter	Clara Shoupe
Mr. & Mrs. William Mann	Jessie Turley	Celia Horn
John Rothwell, Jr.	Mrs. Collins	Ethel Keys
Mrs. Jane Holler	Aaron Robbins	Frank Horn
Mrs. John Hammond	Aaron Buckles	Mrs. Bell
Mrs. Robert Laughlin	Clara Pugh	Rosa Baker
George Baders	Minnie Schultz	H. B. Rowe
Estella Mayer	Katie Keck	Eliza Purgett
Mrs. Henry Groves	Emma Scholtes	

This articles was a newspaper clipping found in an old scrapbook. There was no heading or date. It was undoubtedly a Mt. Pulaski paper as the article pertained to a Mt. Pulaski church. It occurred before the date of date of March 10, 1896, as Nellie Van Hook* was married on that date to William Walters.

ATTENTION:

A Membership Application is included on the last sheet of this Quarterly.

THE CHEROKEE NATION

BY Virginia Johnson

The Cherokee Tribe is one of the five civilized tribes, which also includes the Creeks, Chickasaws, Choctaws and the Seminoles. These tribes were different from their neighbors as they were not nomadic, these nations had their own territories and their own capitol cities. They were all large scale farmers, and they lived near the land they farmed. Their villages were built around a public square. The center of the public square was their "council house", where all the tribal business was transacted.

Their homes were built of wood, bark, thatch, and reeds. At the Qualla Reservation in North Carolina, the houses are replicas of the towns in the early sixteenth century. In the mountain areas they walled them in. Each cabin had a fireplace and a loft that could be used for sleeping and storage. They copied many ideas from the white man upon his arrival, such as dress, methods of farming, ideas for managing their homes and all types of lifestyles. Even at an early time, visitors marveled at their prosperity which was built on agriculture, animal husbandry, and cottage industry.

The Cherokees had a vast empire, ruled by a national government divided into peace or civil organizations. Each main town maintained its own system of government. The chief was the head of the nation in both a civil and a religious capacity. He had two primary men who ruled with him, his Right Hand Man and a Speaker. They both held seats beside him at The Council. The Right Hand Man along with six other men formed a group of seven counselors for the Chief.

The main government was composed of nine people. There were also seven honored women who shared in the government whose duties included deciding whether a war captive should be killed or adopted into the tribe. It was also their political duty to secure good candidates when a new chief had to be elected. The women owned the property, and the power went through their family line, no candidate went through the paternal lineage.

"Seven" was a significant and sacred number to these people. There were seven counselors, seven women, and seven clans. There were also seven mother towns which served as clan headquarters, and also a seven-sided council house that acted as headquarters. It held five hundred people and was off limits to all but designated officials.

Clan membership was inherited from the mother and retained for life. All the clans were represented in every town. Every member of any one clan were considered brothers and sisters. A person could marry into the clan of either the paternal or maternal grandfather's clan. Clan membership was indicated by the color of the feathers one wore.

The civil-peace government conducted the religious ceremonies of the tribe and acted in both a judicial and legislative capacity. They made the laws and held court. Murder and inter-clan marriage were punishable by death.

In times of war a war chief, Lalanu, and his organization replaced the civil-peace organization. This organization always wore red. The peace chief was installed in yellow, but usually wore white.

The white men of Jefferson's time viewed the Indians with real respect. The

writings of Louis and Clark reveal the respect they had for the Chiefs of the tribes they dealt with. One author has noted that some of the aristocracy of Virginia washed less and were more likely to smell than the average Indian. An Indian of that area of Virginia might live like a peasant, but he carried himself like a noble man. He had beautiful manners, as did most who lived in that area.

Even though many of the Indians did not know how to read or write, they were trained in tradition. MEMORY MEN helped the council with all their political and personal arrangements. They were keen thinkers and philosophers. This fact really appealed to the European leaders.

Cherokees were a religious people. Many of the things in their natural world were sacred to them. Stories and legends were kept alive from one generation to the next. They told of SPIRITUAL BEINGS who created the earth, sun, moon and stars. The one SUPREME BEING was called "YOWA". This name was so sacred that only "priest" were allowed to say it aloud.

A priest was singled out from childhood for very special religious training. He was taught the use of herbs and of the sacred quartz crystals that were used in religious practice. The most sacred objects were kept in the council house, including the "ark", which probably held the quartz. Very little of this religion still exists today, because most of the people have embraced the Christian religion.

Many of these early people were educated by religious leaders in church schools in their own territory. At that time they had huge farms. Many became well educated, patterned their plantations after their neighbors, and used slaves to work their farms.

During the War of 1812, Sequoia, Junaluska, Tasli, and their countrymen helped Andrew Jackson to win the Battle of Horseshoe Bend, and also helped in the Battle of New Orleans. They felt very proud to have been a positive force. Junaluska had saved Jackson's life when a Creek Indian had shot him. Jackson had often said that it was through the bravery, tenacity, and ability of the Indians that the war had been won. Yet it was this same Jackson that allowed the political power in Washington to decree that the Indians be run off their lands, and that all the land be sold to the highest bidder. Many white people to the North wanted these lands, and to the powers that be that was reason enough for removal. Even in Jefferson's time he felt this removal would eventually be necessary.

The War of 1812 had hardly ended before the government began to relocate tribes to the Indian territory. Some of them were given inducements to leave such as money and land. By 1820 the process of removal was well under way.

The Cherokee--the more lucrative of the tribes--refused to budge, and appealed to the courts. They formed a republic and charged that efforts to remove them violated the U. S. government's lawful treaty obligations. Many of the northern white neighbors supported their claim, and Chief John Ross went to Washington, D.C. to try to talk to Jackson. But the State of Georgia, where they lived, wanted an exodus and demanded an immediate departure.

In 1830 President Andrew Jackson, with his administration behind him, stressed the "Removal Policy". He termed that the land be granted to a densely civilized population, that it was a region inhabited by "a few savage hunters".

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SENATE BILL 247
VITAL RECORDS AMENDMENT

Senate Bill 247 was signed by the Governor on September 2, 1987. It is now Public Act Number 85-0232. This law provides for the microfilming of birth records 100 years old and older and death records 50 years old and older on file in the State Office of Vital Records providing the filming is done at no cost to the State of Illinois. Microfilm copies will be available for public inspection in the Illinois State Archives.

A camera operator from the Church of Jesus Christ of Latterday Saints will begin filming within the next few weeks. As more than two and a half million records are to be filmed, it is expected to require approximately two years to complete the project. The initial copies should become available for public use in the Illinois State Archives by late spring of 1988. Films will continue to be added as they are processed. Their arrival will be announced in the I.S.G.S. Newsletter.

Thanks to all of our members^{who} wrote letters in support of the bill. Also to those who assisted in composing the bill, by contacting their legislators, and by appearing at the committee hearing including John Daly, Noel Barton, Aaron Vangeison, Lura Lynn Ryan, Harold Felty, David Coy, Michael Oreskovich, Juanita Blake, Lester and Mildred Wickline, Loretto Szucs, Martin Diestler, Libby Grimm, Floy Granda, Marge Schroeder, Lavonne Evans, Marnette Wooley, Mrs. David Risley, and Race Daviess.

A special thanks for Senator John A. Davidson and his staff for introducing the bill and guiding it through the legislature.

Lowell M. Volkel
September 8, 1987

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

The Illinois State Archives has mailed the up-dated version of the IL state-wide marriage index to all IL local genealogical societies. The microfiche is being distributed only to local genealogical societies in IL in return for the co-operation given the project. It is not being sold or distributed to out-of-state institutions.

Nearly 90 counties are represented in the publication. Several other counties have submitted records which are waiting to be entered into the computer and transcriptions are underway on some others.

If work is not in progress on your county's marriage records, contact Anna Vasconcelles, IL State Archives, Springfield, IL 62756 for details on how to proceed.

Lowell M. Volkel, Head of Reference Unit, Illinois State Archives
John Daly, Director, Illinois State Archives

Lynn Boyd Reener, Newsletter Editor
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MS. ELSEBETH BUCKLEY, 619 S. 6th Street, Springfield, IL 62703, a native of Denmark, will do translations of Danish, Swedish, French, and German letters and documents for \$10.00 per hour.

HISTORICAL DIRECTORY OF LOGAN COUNTY, ILLINOIS
Logan Co. 1893 Plat Book

The following information taken from the Historical Directory was listed under eight columns headed as follows: Name; Business; Township or Village; Section; Post Office; Year of Birth; Nativity and When Came to County.

ADOLPH, P. J.	Farmer	Prairie Creek				
	17 San Jose		1861	Illinois		1868
ALLISON, N.	Livery and Feed Stables	Latham				
	-- Latham		1839	Illinois		1859
ALLISON, Jas. A.	Farmer	Lake Fork				
	1 Latham		1851	Illinois		1851
ALTIC, David	Hardware Merchant	Atlanta				
	-- Atlanta		1852	Illinois		1852
AMES, J.	Farmer	Prairie Creek				
	15 Emden		1831	Germany		1862
ANDERSON, A. L.	Attorney-at-Law	Lincoln				
	-- Lincoln		1864	Illinois		1865
ARMINGTON, A.	Proprietor of Elevator	Elkhart				
	-- Elkhart		1844	Illinois		1853
ARMSTRONG, Andrew	Farmer	Aetna				
	3 Beason		1831	Ireland		1858
ARMSTRONG, James	Farmer	Aetna				
	.6 Beason		1847	Ireland		1861
ARMSTRONG, Wm.	Grain & Coal Dealer	Beason				
	-- Beason		1835	Ireland		1858
ARNOLD, F. W.	Dealer in Hardware, Stoves, Tinware, etc.	Mt. Pulaski				
	-- Mt. Pulaski		1866	Illinois		1866
ASH, James W.	Farmer	Atlanta				
	30 Atlanta		1835	Indiana		1852
ASTON, Thomas	Farmer	Orvil				
	36 Emden		1857	Illinois		1857
AWE, John	Farmer	East Lincoln				
	22 Lincoln		1844	Germany		1867
AWE, Christ	Farmer	East Lincoln				
	1 Lawndale		1854	Germany		1867
BAILEY, Wm.	Farmer	Corwin				
	3 New Holland		1839	Ohio		1850
BAIN, D. Z.	Stock Dealer	Mt. Pulaski				
	-- Mt. Pulaski		1841	Vermont		1852
BAKER, J. E.	Farmer	West Lincoln				
	17 Lincoln		1866	Illinois		1866
BAKER, A. J.	Farmer	West Lincoln				
	16 Lincoln		1864	Illinois		1864
BAKER, Samuel	Merchant	New Holland				
	-- New Holland		1849	Ohio		1871
BALDWIN, S. V.	Farmer & Stock Dealer	Chester				
	2 Lincoln		1842	Ohio		1866
BALDWIN, W. H.	Attorney-at-Law	Lincoln				
	-- Lincoln		1859	W. Virginia		1885
BARGER, L.	Postmaster	Lawndale				
	2 Lawndale		1849	Illinois		1870
BARR, Lewis	Farmer	Oran				
	4 Atlanta		1818	Indiana		1836
BARTMANN, R.	Farmer	Sheridan				
	28 New Holland		1868	Germany		1889
BARTMANN, Koert	Farmer	Sheridan				
	16 New Holland		1861	Germany		1887

BATES, E. W.	Farmer		East Lincoln	
	32 Lincoln	1847	Vermont	1860
BEACH, T. T.	Attorney-at-Law		Lincoln	
	Lincoln	1843	N. Y.	1865
BEAVER, M. H.	Farmer		Broadwell	
	8 Lincoln	1825	Ohio	1853
BEAVER, Seymore	Farmer		Sheridan	
	21 New Holland	1850	Illinois	1853
BEAVER, James	Farmer		Corwin	
	12 Lincoln	1820	Ohio	1852
BECK, John	Farmer		Broadwell	
	7 Lincoln	1856	Illinois	1858
BEHOM, A.	Farmer		West Lincoln	
	13 Lincoln	1842	Germany	1874
BEHRENDTS, B. R.	Farmer and Thresher & Corn Sheller		Orvil	
	26 Hartsburg	1853	Germany	1867
BEIDLER, S. L.	Druggist and Pub. News		Mt. Pulaski	
	Mt. Pulaski	1837	Penna.	1857
BELL, Benjamin	Retired Farmer		Elkhart	
	14 Cornland	1818	Kentucky	1834
BENTLEY, John	Retired Farmer		Atlanta	
	23 Atlanta	1800	Virginia	1855
BERGER, H.	Farmer and Stock Raiser		West Lincoln	
	16 Lincoln	1841	Germany	1856
BERGER, Fred	Farmer and Stock Raiser		Sheridan	
	24 Burton View	1839	Germany	1859
BEVERLY, P. M.	Farmer and Stock Raiser		Eminence	
	1 Atlanta	1827	R. I.	1848
BIRKS, W. E.	Farmer and Stock Raiser		Mt. Pulaski	
	18 Cornland	1861	Illinois	1861
BIRKS, William	Farmer and Stock Raiser		Lake Fork	
	10 Latham	1861	Illinois	1889
BIRKS, James W.	Farmer and Stock Raiser		Lake Fork	
	15 Latham	1870	Illinois	1870
BIRKS, James	Farmer and Stock Raiser		Lake Fork	
	10 Latham	1843	Illinois	1843
BINNS, Hugh A.	Farmer and Stockk Dealer		Corwin	
	5 New Holland	1854	Ohio	1871
BLACKBURN, P. L.	Real Estate Agent		Lincoln	
	Lincoln	1861	Illinois	1861
BLINN, E. D.	Attorney-at-Law		Lincoln	
	Lincoln	1844	Vermont	1866
BOCK, Henry	Farmer		Oran	
	7 Lawndale	1841	Germany	1873
BOCK, W. H.	Farmer		Corwin	
	29 Elkhart	1865	Ohio	1866
BOLINGER, Jacob	Farmer		Sheridan	
	19 New Holland	1833	Bavaria	1878
BOUGHAN, James	Farmer		Broadwell	
	7 Lincoln	1862	Illinois	1862
BOUGHAN, L.	Farmer		Sheridan	
	35 Lincoln	1830	Illinois	1830
BOUGHAN, Samuel	Farmer		Broadwell	
	26 Lincoln	1858	Illinois	1858
BOUGHAN, A.	Farmer		West Lincoln	
	34 Lincoln	1833	Illinois	1833

(To be continued)

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LOGAN COUNTY GENEALOGICAL AND HISTORICAL SOCIETY, Inc.

Post Office Box 283,
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Qualifications: Any person of good moral character, interested in genealogy or in support thereof, may become a member of the Logan County Genealogical and Historical Society, Inc. in accordance with the provisions of its By-Laws.

Membership year is from January 1 thru December 31. Please make checks payable to the Society and mail to the above address.

Check correct box. New membership _____. Renewal _____.

I or We, the undersigned, do hereby apply for membership as specified below.

Date of application: _____, 19____.

Name or names: _____.

Address:

Street _____, City _____,

Zip _____, County _____, State _____.

Phone number ()- _____.

Occupation _____.

Experience in Genealogy: Less than 1 year _____. 1-5 years _____. Over 5 years _____.

Interests: Interested in both Genealogy and History _____. Genealogy only _____. History only _____. (History must be in relation to the times and movements of the various family's including interesting events, such as religious, political, military, education and hardships of the times.)

Surnames you are searching: _____

Check type of membership desired: Regular Membership (\$8.00) _____. Regular Family Membership (2 members only) (\$9.00) _____. Additional \$1.00 for each applicant in excess of 2 persons. Student (\$5.00) _____. Contributing Membership (\$15.00) _____. Life Membership (\$100.00) _____. Dues are due and payable annually. Dues shall not be prorated.

Signature of Applicant _____

Referred by: _____

Date accepted _____.

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Over _____

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R.R.#1
CHESTNUT ILL. 62518

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Additional \$3.00 for each _____
Contributor _____
Just one _____

Date accepted _____

Returned by _____