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**WCGS News:**

The WCGS has donated a custom-made, oak microfilm cabinet to the Indianola Public Library! The cabinet was built by Frank Rasco and will hold 300 rolls of film. Total cost of the project was \$660. All the census and newspapers on microfilm have been transferred to the new cabinet.

A letter of gratitude from Librarian Charles Ginter and the Library Board was received recently. With lots of room for additional film, the cabinet will be a helpful storage unit for the library for years to come.

**WANTED: YOUR NAMES!!**

The 1995 Surname Index is scheduled for updating in July! Thank you to those 12 people who have sent their surnames already! Please send your surnames to the editor for addition to this index. All paid members will receive the index FREE!! This is the second call for your research names!!

**Upcoming Programs:**

July 17...Trip to IGS Library. Transportation available.

Aug.....no meeting

Sept 18...Sue Cochran, IGS Librarian: "Researching at the IGS Library -- Alternatives to the LOST 1890 Federal Census (Iowa)"

Oct 16...Evelyn Brightman: "Genealogy as a Human Process"

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**WARREN COUNTY, WILLBOOK A**  
**FROM THE WARREN COUNTY COURTHOUSE, CONTINUED....**

**BRYAN, Erasmus C.:** will dated 14 June 1869; lived in south part of Indianola; beloved wife and exec. Sarah Jane BRYAN; dau Maranda J. TUTTLE (under age 18); witnesses P. P. HENDERSON of Indianola, George E. GRIFFITH of Indianola.

**CAIN, Mary:** will dated 21 March 1869; signed with mark; son James CAIN; adm. Sarah CAIN; witnesses David WELCH, Thomas HARRISON.

**CLARK, David M.:** will dated 16 Jan 1866; lived Indianola; sister Mrs. E. M. LYONS; mother Easter CLARK (left back pay from U.S. Army service); Executor, P. P. HENDERSON (lawyer); witnesses E. W. HARTMAN, J. W. BARNES.

**COOPER, Thomas:** will dated 14 July 1868; lived Jefferson Twp; beloved wife Martha; 3 beloved daus - eldest Eliza Jane COOPER, next - Ramona Ann COOPER, youngest - Mary Elizabeth COOPER; all under legal age; Ex. Jacob F. LOUGH, of Jefferson Twp.

**DONALDSON, Mary Ann:** will dated 21 Aug 1866; lived White Breast Twp; seven children: Elizabeth R. GOODE, Tivzah (?) V. FOGEL, James A. DONALDSON, Martha J. DONALDSON, John B. DONALDSON, William T. DONALDSON, Nelson P. W. DONALDSON; her father (Timothy LUCAS) dec'd, of Clermont Co., Ohio; witnesses John E. COOK, William COCHRANE.

**FOX, Stiles R.:** will dated 21 Nov 1860; death date 28 April 1865 at age 73 years; heirs son Roderick C. FOX (left him Bible); Sophia F. FOX and Sarah E. FOX (heirs of Aaron M. FOX); son Joseph W. FOX; dau Sophia M. SHEPHERD; dau Harriet M. VINTON; dau Francis E. MAXWELL; Administrator H. W. (Hugh) MAXWELL; witnesses Charles MCKOY, B. S. NOBLE.

**HOUSER, G. H.:** will dated 7 April 1866; lived Jackson Township; my beloved wife C. E. HOUSER; at her death all lawful heirs to share equally except son John HOUSER who "already got his share"; son-in-law Rev. A. BADLEY, adm.; witnesses J. M. JAILLETT and A. H. SURBER, both of Jefferson Twp.

**SHETTERLY, Samuel:** will dated 20 Dec 1865; wife Jane SHETTERLY and other members of family; my youngest three children; \_\_\_\_\_ H. HOUSER, and wife; my three youngest children: Martha A., Samuel A., and my youngest child Nathaniel SHETTERLY (who is given my gold watch); son Thomas A. SHETTERLY (of age, unmarried); son Edwin B. SHETTERLY; no executor named; witnesses W. W. MARSHMAN, John C. WELLONS or WILSON.

**TARLETON, W. C.:** will dated 6 Feb 1866; wife Marg. E. TARLETON; witnesses Hiram H. WATSON, Rebecca FORMAN.

**"PENNSYLVANIA GERMAN 'FAMILY BOOKS'"**  
Abstracted from an article in Ancestry Magazine...May/June 1995  
by Frederick S. WEISER

Many WCGS members have German ancestry that may be considered Pennsylvania German. Researchers have found mentions of a 'family book' in wills and probates from the 1800's. What is a 'family book'?

The German "family book" was an account record and/or property listing a father had of the money and property given to his heirs prior to his death. Such books were common, nearly every Pennsylvania German father had one. But, few have survived through the years. To find one would provide a wealth of genealogical information!

A basic principle of Pennsylvania family life was that each child (or, if deceased, the child's descendants) was entitled to an equal share of the parents' estate. On the rare occasion that a parent did not provide for a child, a clue to the structure of a family is given, for few fathers became so irritated with a child that the child was cut off completely. Sometimes a child's spouse vexed her father to the extent that the daughter might be restricted to the interest on her share, the principle being willed to her children upon her and/or her husband's death. Sometimes a child moved such a great distance that a father gave the child the entire share upon removal. Almost always, fathers provided their children with money or goods prior to their deaths. The reason for having and using a family book was to preserve a record of what was given in advance.

Traditionally, upon the marriage of a son or daughter, Pennsylvania German fathers gave the child a "marriage portion"-a wedding gift. In German—*aussteuer*- a "dowry". No law required this gift. (This is not to be confused with a "dower"...a wife's lawful third of the value of her husband's estate.) This "marriage portion" was a culturally expected but self-imposed obligation. Usually it was given in the form of goods. Sometimes it consisted of a basic set of furniture for a daughter. The bride usually brought the "marriage bed" to the marriage, along with perhaps a chair, table, bench, or the *kiche shank* -the great kitchen cupboard. It was to be filled with pewter, china, redware, and other things - all lumped together under the term "furniture" in estate records, and were the standard gifts of many parents. Kitchen items, cows, horses, farming implements, and many other items were also given. Each of these had a market value, expressed variously in British sterling, Pennsylvania pounds, shillings and pence, or American dollars.

When the father's estate was settled, the sums advanced to each child were totalled carefully and subtracted from each child's share of the estate. The arithmetic is usually scribbled in these family books, along with marriage dates and the names of spouses.

What happened to these books?

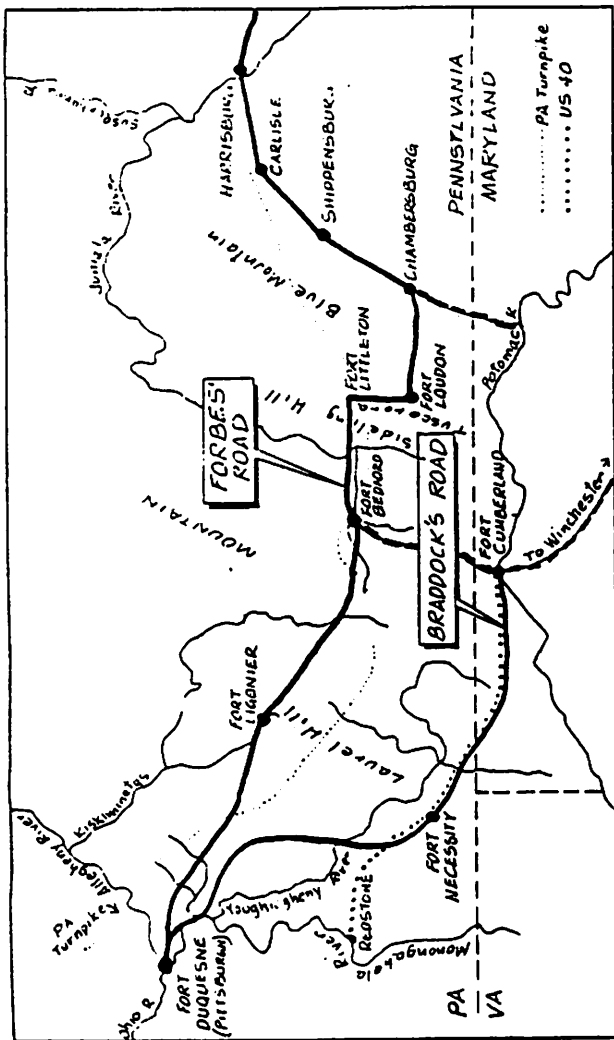
Many were destroyed when estates were settled. The books were usually written in German script, a form of German writing not easily translated in the last one hundred years. If the book stayed in the family, it was given to the youngest son who, by the unwritten rules of Pennsylvania German life, inherited the family farm, often by making equalizing payments to his siblings, and with it the responsibility of caring for his parents until they died.

A few final comments.....

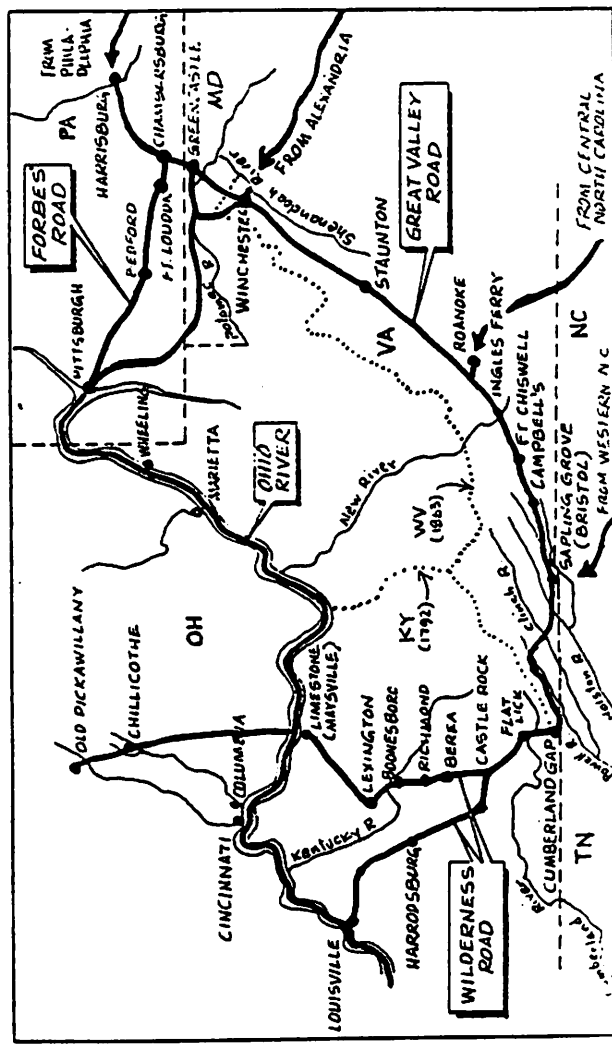
Pennsylvania German marriages were often conducted with little advance notice. Sometimes couples traveled great distances to find a clergyman, and often they were not particular about finding one of their own faith. On the other hand, the clergyman, if they recorded marriages at all, tended to do so in only one of the church registers from the many congregations they served - usually the one of the church nearest home. (Pennsylvania did not require marriage licenses until 1885.)

The names of individuals owing a man money upon his death very likely included his sons-in-law. A careful genealogist will note these and try to determine how, if at all, such people fit into a family history.

Abstracted by VM...June 1995.



Braddock's Road and Forbes' Road, 1755-1758. As strategic military roads built during the French-Indian War, these roads advanced through the mountain areas of Pennsylvania creating eventual access for wagon-loads of families.



The Way West, 1775-1795. Daniel Boone's Wilderness Road was the route for thousands of settlers into the West. Although the Western Pennsylvania routes provided an overland access to the Ohio River. After the War, western migrations on these routes continued to increase.

# Warren County Probate and Court Records 1853- 1910

Continued from the Jan/Feb 95 issue and the March/April 95 issue.

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| NAME   | TYPE OF RECORD                                  | ACTION            | FILING DATE   |
|--|---|-------------------|---------------|
| BABER, W. F.   | Estate  | Deceased          | 19 March 1902 |
| BADGLEY, Clark   | Estate  | Deceased          | 13 March 1877 |
| BADGLEY, S. C.   | Guardianship...Jane                             | BADGLEY, guardian | 3 June 1880   |
| BADLEY, Brenton Hamline  | Will  | Deceased          | 26 Sept 1893  |
| BADLEY, Nancy J.   | Estate  | Deceased          | 6 Jan 1905    |
| BAER, Saprionia  | Estate  | Deceased          | 9 April 1899  |
| BAILEY, D. W.  | Estate  | Deceased          | 1 Oct 1860    |
| BAIRD, John W.   | Estate  | Deceased          | 15 April 1898 |
| BAIRD, Ruth  | Estate  | Deceased          | 19 April 1875 |
| BAKER, Henry   | Estate  | Deceased          | 6 April 1878  |
| BAKER, Jacob   | Will-Estate                                     | Deceased          | 11 Jan 1888   |
| BAKER, P. S.   | Estate  | Deceased          | 29 Oct 1897   |
| BAKER, T. M.   | Estate  | Deceased          | 28 July 1989  |
| BAKER, Walker W.   | Estate  | Deceased          | 15 Feb 1904   |
| BALDWIN, O. O.   | Mortgage Case                                   |                   | no date given |
| BALDWIN, Parmelia  | Estate  | Deceased          | 1 Oct 1903    |
| BALES, Albert  | Estate  | Deceased          | 10 Jan 1908   |
| BALES, Alex  | Estate  | Deceased          | 26 April 1902 |
| BALES, Amanda I., McLeager F., Charles L., Levi H., Anna, Arrena, Oliva May... | Guardianship, minor heirs of James BALES        |                   | 25 Feb 1880   |
| BALES, Caleb   | Estate  | Deceased          | 7 Jan 1893    |
| BALES, Edward  | Estate  | Deceased          | 6 Sept 1854   |
| BALES, James   | Estate  | Deceased          | 31 Dec 1874   |
| BALES, Luther  | Guardianship, minor heirs of Caleb BALES        |                   | 17 Feb 1894   |
| BALES, N. D.   | Will-Estate                                     | Deceased          | 25 April 1910 |
| BALL, James  | Estate  | Deceased          | 5 April 1900  |
| BALL, John W.  | Estate  | Deceased          | 25 Feb 1861   |
| BALL, William L.   | Estate  | Deceased          | 6 May 1863    |
| BALLABAUGH, Jacob  | Estate  | Deceased          | 21 March 1863 |
| BALLARD, James W.  | Estate  | Deceased          | 19 May 1885   |
| BALLARD, James W., Josephine, Phillip A., Charles W., and Franke...            | Guardianship, minor heirs of William T. BALLARD |                   | 2 May 1883    |
| BALLARD, William H.  | Estate  | Deceased          | 9 July 1883   |
| BALSTER, Anton   | Guardianship...Catharine BALSTER,guardian       |                   | 14 June 1882  |
| BANKS, Eliza   | Estate  | Deceased          | 22 June 1895  |
| BANKS, Georgie   | Estate  | Deceased          | 29 Nov 1893   |
| BANKS, James   | Estate  | Deceased          | 18 Sept 1897  |
| BANNING, James C.  | Will-Estate                                     | Deceased          | 7 Jan 1908    |
| BANTA, Henry E.  | Guardianship, minor heirs of Louisa M. REED     |                   | 20 Sept 1875  |
| BARBER, S. H.  | Estate  | Deceased          | 24 March 1909 |
| BARBER, Susan J.   | Will-Estate                                     | Deceased          | 22 Jan 1908   |
| BARKER, Arthur W. and Alice M. and Louisa K. ...                               | Guardianship, minor heirs of Rachel L. BARKER   |                   | 18 April 1864 |
| BARKER, B. C.  | Will-Estate                                     | Deceased          | 21 Jan 1909   |
| BARKER, Daniel   | Estate  | Deceased          | 23 Feb 1880   |

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| BARKER, George W. and William A. | Guardianship, minor heirs of Amos BARKER                        | 5 Oct 1875    |
| BARKER, Martin R.                | Estate Deceased   | 28 Feb 1895   |
| BARKHURST, Hemsley               | Estate Deceased   | 21 May 1870   |
| BARKLEY, Walter                  | Estate Deceased   | 6 Jan 1906    |
| BARLETT, L. W.                   | Estate Deceased   | 10 March 1890 |
| BARLETT, Rollin B.               | Guardianship, minor heirs of Margaret HEALTON and L. W. BARLETT | 27 Nov 1894   |

BY REQUEST.....

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| BRYAN, Adalbert  | Estate Deceased                                | 6 Dec 1886  |
| BRYAN, Alice   | Guardianship, minor heir of George E. GRIFFITH | 4 May 1865  |
| BRYAN, Jacob   | Will-Estate Deceased                           | 29 Dec 1858 |
| BRYAN, James   | Estate Deceased                                | 24 Feb 1873 |
| BRYAN, John W.   | Estate Deceased                                | 9 Nov 1867  |
| BRYAN, Miranda E.  | Estate Deceased                                | 23 Feb 1883 |
| BRYAN, Otto  | Guardianship...H. A. BRYAN, guardian           | 16 Dec 1903 |
| BRYAN, Sarah F., Miranda E., William L., Sophronia A., Ann | Guardianship, minor heirs of J. W. BRYAN       | 15 Feb 1873 |

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| DAIN, Charles  | Guardianship, minor heirs of George DAIN                                      | 29 Sept 1894  |
| DALL, Charles V. and Ella May  | Guardianship....Mary LOUDER, guardian   | 17 March 1885 |
| DALRYMPLE, P. A.   | Estate Deceased   | 21 Dec 1906   |
| DANIELS, Bernard   | Estate Deceased   | 9 Oct 1888    |
| DAUGHERTY, J. M., Hugh D., Mary, Elizabeth, Adaline, Ira, Louisa J., and Charles | Guardianship...George DAUGHERTY, father and guardian                          | 9 May 1878    |
| DAVENPORT, Ora   | Will-Estate Deceased  | 2 Sept 1908   |
| DAVEY, James   | Estate Deceased   | 15 Jan 1906   |
| DAVIDSON, Hayes  | Estate Deceased   | 28 Nov 1908   |
| DAVIS, Austin May  | Guardianship, minor heirs of Betsy Ann DAVIS, deceased Amos PEARSON, guardian | 12 Jan 1882   |
| DAVIS, C. V.   | Estate Deceased   | 8 Nov 1905    |
| DAVIS, C. W.   | Estate Deceased   | 1 Aug 1881    |
| DAVIS, Chester G. and Bryant   | Guardianship.....Ella B. WOOD, guardian D. F. DAVIS, father...deceased        | 13 Dec 1910   |
| DAVIS, D. F.   | Estate Deceased   | 2 June 1909   |
| DAVIS, E. P.   | Estate Deceased   | 1 Oct 1866    |
| DAVIS, Elijah M.   | Will-Estate Deceased  | 30 Dec 1891   |
| DAVIS, Elizabeth A.  | Estate Deceased   | 3 Sept 1880   |
| DAVIS, Jesse T.  | Estate Deceased   | 12 Feb 1908   |
| DAVIS, Lewis C.  | Estate Deceased   | 16 March 1910 |
| DAVIS, Margaretta L.   | Will Deceased   | 14 Dec 1888   |
| DAVIS, Marshall  | Estate Deceased   | 9 March 1880  |
| DAVIS, Mary L.   | Estate Deceased   | 31 Dec 1907   |
| DAVIS, Minnie Eva  | Guardianship...Newton B. MILLER, guardian                                     | 6 Dec 1910    |
| DAVIS, Samantha J.   | Estate Deceased   | 7 Nov 1893    |
| DAVIS, T. G.   | Estate Deceased   | 8 May 1897    |

To be continued....

## **WCGS EDITOR'S COLUMN.....May - June 1995**

Editor, Vicki Montgomery, 1405 East Franklin, Indianola, Iowa 50125-1546

Thank You!!! to the five individuals who wrote back after the last newsletter to say that they found family information and would like to see more!! In response to your letters, this column will attempt to answer your additional questions! Information found here is meant to help all members by putting forth surnames that others may be researching as well. A new research partner helps!

If you would like more information....write to WCGS Researcher - Thelma Pehrson or WCGS Editor - Vicki Montgomery. Newsletter research is free! Additional research is only five bucks per hour! What a deal!! Plus photocopy fees, of course. We aim at prompt replies...(do our best!)

### **JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP AREA.....Member Marilyn DOYLE writes for information on the BRYAN family...**

It appears that Jacob BRYAN was one of the early settlers in Jefferson Twp. (WC Hist Bk 1908) His will (dated 26 Oct 1858) appeared in Probate Book A, p. 16. (7 Dec 1858)....beloved wife Maranda; dau Martha Malinda COOPER; Emarilla TODD; dau Margaret Virginia WALKER; daus (under legal age) Hannah Maranda, Eliza A., Sarah Ellen, Sophiah Alice; son Adolbert BRYAN. Executors: Wm. F. TODD, John W. BRYAN, and William G. BALL. Witnesses: Wm. G. BALL (first doctor in township), Madison TODD, and Erasmus C. BRYAN, all men from Jefferson Township.

Jacob and Miranda Eliza CLARK BRYAN are buried in the Wallace Cemetery in Jefferson Township. Further information on the family is available. **Marilyn DOYLE, 1155 Bernoudy Road, White Hall, MD 21161.**

### **SQUAW TOWNSHIP.....Member Helen NERNES sent her surnames for the index....including the NICHOLSON family....**

Will Book B, p. 118.....NICHOLSON, Zachariah; will dated 6 May 1878; lived Squaw Township; wife Mary Jane NICHOLSON given all real and personal property until children reach age 21; sons Harvey NICHOLSON, Reuben NICHOLSON, Franklin NICHOLSON, Z. D. NICHOLSON, Marion V. NICHOLSON; Executor, William MANLEY of Clarke County (just south). Will signed with "his mark" and witnessed by Samuel GREGG and B. K. ROBERTS.

More information on this family is available. **Helen NERNES, 1440 Andrew Dr., Warson Woods, MO 63122.** P.S. Thanks for the typing offer, Helen!

### **LEWIS AND GRAHAM FAMILIES OF INDIANOLA AREA...Member Beverly BROWN sent a query for this newsletter.....**

Samuel L. GRAHAM, James C. GRAHAM, and James P. GRAHAM all served together as Privates in Comp. C., 34th IA Vol. Inf. during the Civil War. (WC Hist Bk 1908). James C. GRAHAM was a county supervisor in Aug. 1851. The Rev. J. D. GRAHAM was serving as the pastor of the Scotch Ridge United Presbyterian Church 1904-1908. There are many other listings of LEWIS and GRAHAM in the history book but none that provide links between names. The Index to Register of Births and Deaths #1 had a wealth of listings for LEWIS and GRAHAM. Death Book #1, p. 96, Record #1243....dated 20 Dec 1890....Phebe LEWIS, female, white, 77 years old, housewife, widow, born Kentucky, died 14 July 1890 in Medora, of

Paralysis (had suffered four years), buried Squaw Twp Cem. physician filing was L. H. SURBER, M.D. of Cool, Iowa: SHAVER CEM (Liberty Twp)...Phebe LEWIS, wife of George W., 1812-1894. GAR marker.....William LEWIS, son of G.W. and P., died 2 Sept 1868, age 25y5m6d. GAR marker. Death Book III 1910-1911, p. 430....Thomas J. LEWIS, b. 24 Jan 1835 Indiana, d. 28 Oct 1910 Indianola, buried Indianola, age 72y9m4d, parents were George W. LEWIS and Phoebe MALLETT LEWIS. Much more information available. **Beverly BROWN, 220 E. 10th St. S., Newton, Iowa 50208-3933.**

**OLD HAMMONDSBURG AREA...OTTER TOWNSHIP....Member Bonnie J. BRENI-MAN seeks info on the CAVERLEY family....**

Cemetery and Death Rec. of WC (Book is out-of print at this time) lists....CAVERLY, Daniel, husband of H. A. d. 15 Sept 1878, age 56y26d. Next to his stone is...CAVERLY, "Little Mattie, dau of...." ....the rest of the stone is unreadable. These stones are found in the Indianola IOOF Cem (south edge of town). No others are listed there. BUT....just south of Indianola, past Lake Ahquabi....in the HAMMONDSBURG CEMETERY...CAVERLY, Flora d. 7 Aug 1871, age illegible. CAVERLY, Mary d. 20 Aug 1872, age 3 m.....same stone...children of C. A. and L. I.

This cemetery was established by R. G. HAMMOND, who laid out the town in 1850. Early inhabitants...Alexander BENGE, T. M. GRAHAM, and HODGEN. Other earlier settlers to area...HIGHTOWER, HOLLINGSWORTH, BALES, CLARK. In 1879, the whole village was put on wheels and moved to new railroad town of MILO. Cemetery is all that remains. Could be more info. **Bonnie J. BRENNIMAN, 1626 Victoria Drive, Elkhart, Indiana 46514**

## QUERIES.....MAY/JUNE 1995

LEWIS, GRAHAM, MALLETT, GRAY, LOPER, SMITH, BARR, WILLIAMS, THARP, TROBOUGH

Searching for information on grandparents Samuel L. and Sarah C. GRAY GRAHAM, George Washington and Phebe MALLETT LEWIS, and James H. and Delila CRAWFORD GRAHAM LEWIS, all living in Warren County, Iowa, in the 1800's. Would also like to make contact with descendants of Enoch GRAHAM, James C. GRAHAM, and Thomas MADISON GRAHAM, all born KY, migrated to IND. and came to Warren County early and are buried here. Were they my Samuel L. GRAHAM's brothers? Will exchange information.

Beverly BROWN, 220 E. 10th St. S., Newton, Iowa 50208-3933

### CAVERLY/CAVERLEY

Seeking information on Daniel CAVERLY (1822-1878) who came from Canada and settled in Indianola around 1861. His wife's name was Hester (last name unknown) and there were two sons, Harvey and George, possibly born in Canada, too. Daniel is buried in Indianola.

Bonnie J. BRENNIMAN, 1626 Victoria Drive, Elkhart, Indiana, 46514

\*\*Editor Note....Daniel CAVERLEY, date of will 27 June 1874; of Palmyra Township; beloved wife and exec. Hector A. CAVERLEY (left her one-third of estate); son Harvey (left him two-thirds of estate); son George P. CAVERLEY; if wife cannot ex., then Imle(?) ENO of Indianola; witnesses Charles BRADSHAW, John H. HENDERSON.\*\*\*Probate Records show filing date of 18 Sept 1878.

### NICHOLL, THORNBURG, RIPPEY, PICKEN

Seeking information exchange. June GERBODE, 3118 Faulker Dr., Rowlett, TX 75088-5904

\*\*Editor's Note.....These surnames not found in Will Book "A".



**Warren County First Naturalization Papers, Book One**  
**Continued from Last Newsletter.....**

| Name                        | Country of Origin  | Filing Date             |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| Hen'c HUSS                  | Germany            | 20 July 1875            |
| James W. MURPHY             | Canada (West)      | 12 Aug 1875             |
| James SCHEHEY               | Ireland            | 20 Aug 1875             |
| Christian SCHEMELFENNING    |                    | no date given           |
| George HAMIN                | Prussia            | 24 Aug 1875             |
| <del>August KREHLE</del>    | <del>Germany</del> | <del>29 Sept 1875</del> |
| John M. LELLAN(D)           | Scotland           | 9 Oct 1875              |
| Thomas LOWREY               | Ireland            | 22 Oct 1875             |
| Mark GILLASPIE              | Ireland            | 10 Dec 1875             |
| Thomas LEDLIE               | Ireland            | 26 Feb 1876             |
| Henry BROWN                 | Great Britain      | 14 March 1876           |
| Henry FORCHHEIMER           | Bavaria Germany    | 27 March 1876           |
| Jacob ROETDER               | Prussia            | 13 July 1876            |
| Andrew M. CARTER            | Ireland            | 1 Aug 1876              |
| Wm. M. LEUMAN               | Scotland           | 8 Aug 1876              |
| Donald JOHNSTON             | Scotland           | 22 Sept 1876            |
| James JOHNSTON              | Denmark            | 10 Oct 1876             |
| Edwards STEPHENS            | England            | 10 Oct 1876             |
| Edward D. PUGH              | South Wales        | 17 Oct 1876             |
| Wm. F. NEMEZER              | Prussia            | 18 Oct 1876             |
| Wm. Mas. LENNAN             | Scotland           | 19 Oct 1876             |
| Sigmund A. STRAUSS          | Germany            | 25 Oct 1876             |
| Clemans BUSCHELMANN         | Germany            | 9 March 1877            |
| Cornelius August AUGELSBERG | Germany            | 13 March 1877           |
| James NICHOLS               | Ireland            | 2 Aug 1877              |
| Robert MCCRACKEN            | Ireland            | 2 Aug 1877              |
| John STEELE                 | England            | 11 Aug 1877             |
| Francis POWER               | Ireland            | 5 Sept 1877             |
| James PICKEN                | Ireland            | 5 Sept 1877             |
| Thomas WACHTER              | Germany            | 15 Jan 1878             |
| Frederick KONRATH           | Germany            | 15 Jan 1878             |
| Henry Valentine GREUBEL     | Germany            | 17 Jan 1878             |
| Aloiz WACHTER               | Germany            | 17 Jan 1878             |
| Christian KONRAD            | Germany            | 5 Aug 1878              |
| Nicholas KONRAD             | Germany            | 5 Aug 1878              |
| Henry KONRAD                | Germany            | 5 Aug 1878              |
| Wm. HAYES                   | Ireland            | 24 Aug 1878             |
| Gottlieb SHEICK             | Germany            | 7 Oct 1878              |
| Hans Frederick MARTENS      | Germany            | 14 Nov 1878             |
| Samuel D. CUMMINGS          | Canada             | 9 Dec 1878              |
| Thomas ELLISON              | Ireland            | 21 March 1879           |
| Patrick SMITH               | Ireland            | 26 March 1879           |

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| Geo. W. NOLTE        | Germany  | 16 April 1879 |
| Ferdinand SCHROLL    | Germany  | 22 April 1879 |
| Roderick MCKAY       | Scotland | 6 Aug 1879    |
| Wm. MCKAY            | Scotland | 11 Aug 1879   |
| Lambert HEINEN       | Germany  | 18 Aug 1879   |
| George SACY          | Canada   | 25 Aug 1879   |
| Carl J. HANSEN       | Denmark  | 4 Oct 1879    |
| William NOLTE        | Germany  | 6 Oct 1879    |
| Hans L. HANSEN       | Denmark  | 7 Oct 1879    |
| Clemens BOLSTER      | Germany  | 9 Oct 1879    |
| Albert LIEBMANN      | Germany  | 15 Oct 1879   |
| James MCPHERSON      | Canada   | 21 Oct 1879   |
| W. C. PITTMAN        | Canada   | 10 March 1880 |
| John SANDHAM         | England  | 20 March 1880 |
| Christian SCHREIBER  | Germany  | 12 Aug 1880   |
| Frederick SCHREIBER  | Germany  | 12 Aug 1880   |
| Charles KUNATH       | Germany  | 12 Aug 1880   |
| Samuel S. CHILDS     | Prussia  | 12 Aug 1880   |
| Samuel B. COX        | Ireland  | 16 Aug 1880   |
| William F. SCHREIBER | Germany  | 12 Oct 1880   |
| Peter HOHN           | Germany  | 14 Feb 1881   |
| Samuel PICKEN        | Ireland  | 24 March 1881 |
| John WEIR            | Ireland  | 30 March 1881 |
| Hinerich HAMM        | Germany  | 2 July 1881   |
| Joseph NEADES        | England  | 6 Aug 1881    |
| John HEINEN          | Germany  | 24 Aug 1881   |
| Peter STEIN          | Germany  | 26 Jan 1882   |
| Richard WICKETT      | England  |               |

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