

JEFFERSON COUNTY CHAPTER, OGS

Formed to support the objectives of the Ohio Genealogical Society by creating and building interest in the collection and preservation of Historical and genealogical records of Jefferson County, Ohio and the related areas of the Ohio Valley. This chapter takes an active part in the collection of records and helps make them available for use by the public.

The chapter was formed in 1986 to bring together individuals having a common interest in genealogy. Persons living in Jefferson County as well as those having roots in the county comprise the membership.

MEMBERSHIP

If you have an interest in tracing your family, you are cordially welcome to become a member. You will find a membership application at the end of this brochure.

Dues are \$15.00 for a single or \$17.00 for a Joint membership. The membership runs from January to December. Memberships paying anytime during the year will receive the current year's newsletters.

NEWSLETTERS

Membership includes our quarterly 16 or more page newsletter "The Jefferson County Lines" which includes chapter news, such as; projects, publications, queries, program schedules, as well as genealogical records found in the early days of the Jefferson County Settlement.

QUERIES

Members are encouraged to submit two free queries per year to the Chapter newsletter.

CIVIL WAR SOCIETY

Refer to application procedures applying for First and Pioneer Families. A one time \$15.00 application fee required.

FIRST FAMILY & PIONEER FAMILY THE SOCIETY FOR CIVIL WAR ANCESTORS

The main objectives of these three societies are to identify and honor the early settlers of our county.

A First Family applicant must prove their ancestor(s) a resident in Jefferson County no later than Dec 31, 1820.

Pioneer Family applicant must prove residence by Dec 31, 1850.

A one time application fee of \$15.00 covering as many ancestors as the applicant wishes to prove, sufficient proof of descent, must be submitted; and a five generation chart, showing the name(s) of every ancestor claimed is optional.

CIVIL WAR SOCIETY - \$15.00 FEE

For a printable application form for F.F., P.F. C.W.

Societies go to our web site:

www.jeffcochapter.com

Or send a SASE in C/O JCC OGS

RESEARCHING IN JEFFERSON COUNTY

Schiappa Library, Ohio Room
4141 Mall Drive

Steubenville, OH 43952

Hours:

Mon-Fri 9 A.M. – 9 P.M.

Sat. 9 A.M. – 5 P.M.

Sun 1 P.M. – 5 P.M.

The Vivian Snyder Genealogy Library
C/O Jefferson Co Historical Association

426 Franklin Ave

Steubenville, Ohio 43952

Ph. 740-283-1133

Hours: April – November Tues-Fri

10 A.M. – 3 P.M.

CHAPTER MEETING INFORMATION

Chapter meetings are held on the Second Tuesday of each quarter at the Schiappa Library meeting room, Mall Dr., Steubenville, Ohio. Business meetings begin at 6:30 followed by presentations at 7:00 p.m. unless otherwise noted in local media.

QUARTERLY CHAPTER MEETINGS

CHRISTMAS BULBS

1. Brown on ecru imprint of Ft. Steuben
 2. White on green imprint Mt. Pleasant Quaker Meetinghouse
 3. Brown on Champaign beige imprint of 1850's Salem Twp. Homestead
- (Low Quantities- purchase while supplies last!)
\$3.50 each add \$1.50 Shipping per bulb.

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Membership Application/Renewal

(This form can be printed from our web site)

Memberships due Jan 31 to Jan 31 annually

\$15.00 single \$17.00 couple

Name(s) _____

Street _____

City _____

State/Zip Code _____

Phone _____

Email _____

(Print clearly please!)

OGS member (circle) YES or NO

Surnames researching in Jefferson County are:

RESEARCH LOOK UPS

A fee for all research queries required.
Contact Tammy Hosenfeld for fee at
wellspringcpc@verizon.net 740-546-3786
Be specific and include you email & mailing
address along with your phone number.

OTHER REPOSITORIES FOR RECORDS

City of Steubenville Health Department
312 Market St., Steubenville, OH 43952
740-283-6050 (Births inside the city after 1908)

Jefferson County Health Department
Ohio Valley Towers, 5th & Market St (4th floor)
Steubenville, OH 43952 740-283-8530
(Births in the county after 1908)

Jefferson County Courthouse
Clerk of Courts office- 740-283-8583
Recorder's office- 740-283-8566
Probate Records office- 740-283-8555

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints
Family History Center 740-264-6190
Powells Ln, Wintersville, OH 43953
For patron hours, contact the center.

REPOSITORIES FOR JEFFERSON COUNTY

The Ohio Genealogical Society (headquarters)
713 South Main St., Mansfield, OH 44907-1644
<http://www.oqs.org>

Youngstown Historical Center of Industry & Labor
151 West Wood St., Youngstown, OH 44501
or www.ohiohistory.org
1-800-262-6137

Contact President, Flora L. VerStraten
740.765.4049 or email
fverstraten@dishmail.net
404 Township Rd 259
Richmond, OH 43944

PUBLICATIONS-

A Complete list & pricing on chapter web site

PATHFINDERS, Index to Jefferson Co.

All-inclusive Surname Index
VOLUMES VI & VIII R. Richardson

JEFFERSON CO. LINES 1987-2002

Newsletters available on ONE CD

WESTERN HERALD 1806-1819, Every Name

Newspaper Index
Cindy Stock, 221 pp.

SPRINGFIELD TWP. SCHOOL LEDGER,

1839 1857

Jean Scarlott

DEEDS OF YORE, Deed Bk. A Surname Index

Robert Richardson, 42 pp.

History of Jefferson County, July 4, 1876

Rev. T.V. Milligan, 25 pp.

Tilton Territory

R. Richardson, 300 pp.

1890 Veterans & Widows Census

Surname Index Included

140 pp.

Birth Records 1867-1879 Vol. 1

R. Roe 402 pp.

Index of Early Marriages 1798-1820

72 pp.

Index to Early Wills & Estates up to 1853

L. Daily 96 pp.

Tombstone Inscriptions and Family Records

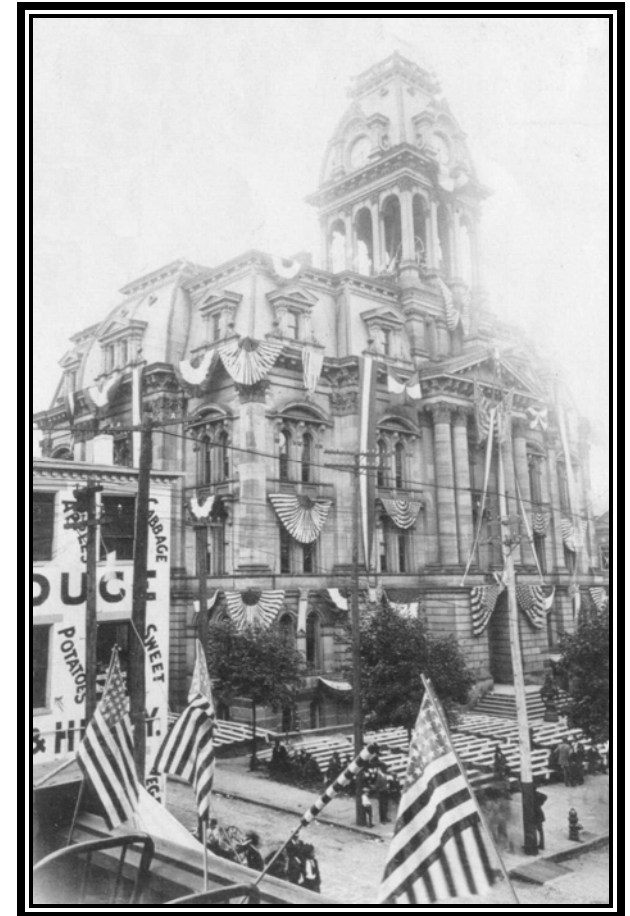
E. Powell

Every Name Tombstone Inscriptions Index

J. Dobzynski, 96 pp. Full index to above book.

Index to Howe's Historical Collections of Ohio

S.H. Day



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