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What does 2011 have in store?

The first thing that comes to mind is that there is soon to be a huge 4-year long national, state and local focus on the 150th "anniversary" of the Civil War period.

It's anything but an anniversary. Those events are meant to be memories of good things and good times. In contrast, "The War" was arguably the darkest period in this nation's history and historians still shake their heads at the staggering casualty statistics. Virtually no family in the eastern U.S was spared tragedy in some fashion, including my own ancestors. Yet, the Union survived and for that we should all be thankful.

If you are able to travel, take in some of the historic Civil War sites in the U.S. and be sure to tune in to what will certainly be a rich time for TV documentaries on the subject. Enough of that.

This issue of *Poplar Row* is the largest we've issued in many years and with good reason. In gleaning old local newspapers, there was simply too much genealogy "stuff" to pass up without passing it on to you! In addition, in the first quarter we experienced a large gain in membership - at least for us - and we want to express our appreciation to you for joining our OGS chapter with this "bonus" issue.

And we can't forget our current and long-time members. Our chapter would not survive were it not for your continued support. Thank you!

If any of our readers have suggestions as to things they would like to see mentioned or featured in the newsletter, please let us know! And if you have family genealogy articles of your own you wish to share with others via *Poplar Row*, send them in!

We hope you enjoy this issue of the newsletter....

Personal Recollections of Jackson County Pioneer Families

Editor's note: The following is the third installment in an ongoing series of articles extracted from the old *Jackson Standard* and *Jackson Standard-Journal* newspapers written about some of the early pioneers of Jackson county

From the Jackson Standard-Journal, Dec. 19, 1894

Death of Peter McCain - a noted nanogenarian

Peter McCain is dead. He breathed his last Monday December 17th at 5 AM at his home in Scioto township in this county. His funeral was held Thursday, the remains being interred at Antioch.

Mr. McCain was one of the noted characters of this county. He was born July 1st, 1804 in Jefferson county, Ohio, and was a son of Peter McCain, who was a native of Maryland. His parents removed to Scioto county when he was about eleven years of age. His father died there in 1826. Our subject left home early and came to Jackson to work at the Salt Works. Among other things, he hauled wood for the Salt Furnace of Judge William Givens who used the water from the old well still to be found near the Baler building.

Mr. McCain was married in 1824, Justice Samuel McDowell, the first Justice elected in this county after its organization and after whom McDowell's Run is named, performing the ceremony. Mrs. McCain was born May 21st, 1804 in Jefferson county, and was thus a few weeks older than her husband.

Fourteen children were born to them, all of whom grew to maturity and ten of whom survive. The dead are James, the oldest son, who was killed by a train at Springfield about three years ago; Rebecca, the wife of Rev. James Coon; Nancy, who was the second wife of the same; and Ivy, the wife of G.W. Spriggs. She died in the west about six years ago.

The living children are Ann, wife of Isaac Ammons of Michigan; Sarah, wife of Rev. William Crabtree of Pike county; Rachel, wife of John Tope of this city; Susan, wife of Charles Gray of Cass county, Missouri; Delilah, wife of John Pierce of Glenroy; William living in Mercer county; Peter and Daniel living in Scioto; Samuel living in Colorado and Benjamin who is living at the old home.

Daniel, the youngest, was fifty years old September 4th, 1894. Four of the sons were in the war. The descendants of Mr. and Mrs. McCain are very numerous. It is known that they have one hundred and eleven grandchildren. Many of them have large families and the number of great-grandchildren and great great-grandchildren is unknown. Mr. and Mrs. McCain had been married over seventy years. The family still has in its possession one of the old salt kettles of early days.

From the Jackson Standard-Journal, Dec. 19, 1915

Notes About William Rice the Emigrant and His Descendants In This County

William Rice, of Irish Welsh extraction, came to America about the year 1785, supposedly of Irish descent. He had the Irish brogue, but could neither talk nor understand the Irish language. He was from North Ireland, and was probably 18 years old when he crossed the pond for America. The vessel came in contact with a very severe storm, which lasted so long that the entire crew with passengers, were at the point of starvation when the landed in New York. He drifted with the tide of emigration westward, and stopped in Monroe county, Va, then a wild section of what now is called West Virginia.

He was a weaver by trade, but after his marriage tried the farming business. His eldest son John was born in 1791, and lived and died in Monroe county at the age of 90 years.

James, my father, was born in 1794. At the age of 26 he moved with his wife and one child (Brisson about one year old), to Jackson county, landing here on the 18th day of November, 1820, and took up 160 acres, where he raised the large family, that has been well known throughout the county, while his grand children and great grand children are scattered over the country far and wide.

His brother William Rice came later to Jackson county, while his brother Robert Rice moved to, or near LaGrange, Mo. Grandfather William Rice, died in Monroe county, West Va at the age of 95 years. He was a man of strong convictions as to right and wrong, as we have learned through those that knew of him, and Prof J W Hank will gladly relate some of the circumstances and happenings in the home life of this mountaineer which he gathered while visiting in Monroe county, West Va, some years ago, that will prove the above to be true.

In the year 1820 when James Rice and party landed in Jackson county, you could count the houses in Jackson on your fingers almost. There was wild game in the woods such as deer, turkeys, wolves, and now and then a bear. Reuben Dickason and William Kessinger killed a she bear with her two cubs near where the Victory school house now stands, east of Jackson. I think this occurred in 1821. The circumstances of this and a great

many other happenings of the early days I have in my journals, and have at other times submitted a part of them for publication.

James Rice was a soldier in the war of 1812; was stationed at Craney Island, Va, and for quite a number of years, drew a pension of \$12 per month, and lived to see his grand children honorably discharged from the Civil War of 1861-65.

I submit here an age record of some of the early settlers from Virginia in Jackson county, which I find in my journal. Nine, seven men and two women, running from 90 to 95 years, and eight running from 80 to 90 years old. Of the three families that came together from Monroe county, Va, in 1820, James Rice, William Kessinger, and Jacob Miller, all settled in Lick township, Jackson county, and raised large families – James Rice 11 children, 4 still living; Jacob Miller 8 children, all dead. Jacob Miller was Dutch, and quite a hunter, and it was claimed he could put a spell on a gun, so that the owner could not hit anything until the spell was removed by the bewitched hand. JFR

From the Jackson Standard-Journal, May 26, 1909

MEMORIAL DAY AT SALEM

*The Grand Army Posts of Jackson and Wellston
Remember the Soldiers Dead at Salem*

Sunday May 23 was a perfect day, and while the millions followed their bent, several hundred people from Wellston, Jackson and Berlin gathered at Salem near Middleton to hold memorial services in honor of soldiers buried there.

The Jackson division started from Al Wood's office about 8:30 in carriages, wagons and motor and joined the Wellston division in the village of Berlin, where Jackson was given the place of honor. J.C.H. Cobb was in command of the Wellston division mounted on Highland Chief.

Arriving at Salem in good time the parade defiled into an old field facing the church, which is a part of the Kinnison farm. Several hundred people were already on the ground, and the meeting of old friends and preparations for the basket dinner engaged the attention of the majority, but S.J. Long and myself, walked up to the little church.

The original house was build of logs, but it was covered with boards in later years. Inside we found a number of iron rods holding the building intact.

The seats are of the usual kind, and there is nothing out of the ordinary about the interior, except the memories that linger there for the Delays, Smiths, Kinnisons, Kirkendalls and many other old families.

But the graveyard was the more interesting spot on that day, and Long and I entered on the left side, which happens to be the older half. The first monument that I noticed was that of Dorothy Kight. She was the wife of James W. Kight, and died March 11, 1894, aged 81 years, 7 months and 27 days.

I was on the point of turning away, when Long told me that Mrs Kight was the mother of Mrs A W Long, and the grandmother of Mrs B.F. Price of Jackson, and her brothers and sisters.

Passing the large monument of Henry Camink who was born March 23, 1830 and died April 13, 1901, Long led me to the grave of Charles S Kinnison the father of Supt. J.E. Kinnison who died Dec 16, 1891, aged 76 years, 2 months and 20 days.

While reading the inscription, I noticed James G Elliott sowing some seed on a group of graves nearby, and I at once drafted him into my service for he knows Salem graveyard like a book, having dug many a grace in it. He began by pointing out two historic graves those of the first two buried at Salem.

The first person was G.W. Elliott, the infant of Dr James and Elizabeth Elliott who was born Sep. 27 1848, and died October 7, aged eleven days.

Dr. Elliott was the father of James G. Elliott now living in Jackson, and he moved west and died in Illinois. His wife died in this county Dec. 21, 1865. Aged 59 years 10 months and 28 days, and her remains lie buried at Salem.

The second person buried at Salem was Frances A. the wife of Lanson Smith who died Aug 17, 1844 aged 34 years, and 6 months. She was the mother of Mrs William J Kirkendall. Her husband survived until June 30 1880 dying aged 75 years.

Elliott then led me to the Delay lot and pointed out the grave of Rev Jacob DeLay, who was one of the first resident ministers in the county.

He died Oct 13, 1845 aged 65 years 9 months and 27 days. His wife Mary who lies by his side died Dec. 24, 1854 aged about 72 years.

They were the founders of the Delay family in this county, and Frank DeLay the Jackson attorney is one of their great grandsons. Rev. DeLay was chiefly instrumental in establishing Salem church and several of his sons became ministers.

Elliott also pointed out the grave of Charles Kinnison the founder of the family of that name in this county. He was born June 14, 1780, and died July 8, 1853 aged 73 years 5 months and 24 days.

Several hundred persons have been buried in this county church yard, and I did not have time to visit any others except those of veterans. Tombstones tell the brief stories of the majority of the veterans, and Elliott, B.F. Kisor and one or two others helped me to prepared the following roster, which is not quite complete. The figures after each name indicate the age at death.

James H. Smith, 21-2 W. Va. C.
 G.W. Whitman, Co. A. 60 R.
 John Huey 77.
 William Huey 24.
 Cornelius Warman 38.
 Andrew Garety 32, A Mason.
 Samuel L Loring 26, He died at his post at Summerville,
 W.Va. March 6, 1862.
 Madison Pettiplace, Co , I 23.
 James H Boice 24, Co D 53.
 S. H. Boice 19, Co G 9I.
 Levi Gleason Co C. 194.
 Sergeant Robert Shields Co. G. 7th Ohio Cavalry.
 P.M. Lovejoy 47.
 Aaron Kirkendall.
 Corp. Pat Cremeens Co K 36.
 James Mickam Co. G 7th O.C.
 Adam Washburn Co A. 195
 Nathan Yarrington
 J H McMillen 35, 2 W. Va C
 Milton McMillen 32, 2 W Va C.
 Charles Lantz 86
 Jackson P. Thompson 61.
 Jos. C Irwin 65.
 J B McCullough Co I, 173
 David Isenberg 55
 W R Clark, 60
 William Shields
 Eli Wykle
 William Kelley
 Harvey Zinn
 William Arms Co E 18
 Van Buren Corben 56
 Alexander Shields
 Andrew Wolf.

WAR OF 1812 SOLDIERS

William Buck
 Isaac Exline, grave unknown
 Easterline Simmons 91
 John Elliott 81

MEXICAN WAR SOLDIERS

William Salman 78
 John Shields 57
 James Hard who died Dec 11 1873, aged 99 years, 10 months and 17 days. Or less than a month and a half short of the century mark.

DECORATION OF THE GRAVES

After the basket dinner came the march to the graveyard, the impressive ceremony of the Grand Army of the Republic and the decoration of the graves. J W Hank led in the singing. The firing squad did their work well.

THE MEMORIAL SERVICE

Commander W H Brunton of the Francis Smith Post presided and J W Hank led in the singing. Rev A.W. Long offered the prayer. D W Williams delivered a short address, after which J W Hank and S.J. Long sang a duet. Mabel Eubanks granddaughter of John D. Eubanks and Andrew McMillen then recited very admirably.

Hon A E Jacobs not being present George Woodrow of Wellston was drafted and spoke entertainingly, concluding with a song "Slavery Days".

W B Cherrington then offered a set of resolutions dealing with the erection of a monument to Wirz. He said among other things that Thomas Evans of Vega died at Andersonville and that David Greenwood of Wellston can tell a horrible story about the cruelty of Wirz. The resolutions were adopted as read, and the exercises were closed.

Among those present from a distance were Commissioner and Mrs R D Thomas of Camba who lived in the Salem neighborhood for many years, Mr and Mrs Cyrus Jenkins of Vega and John Davis of Carmel.

[The Anti-Wirz resolutions followed, but are not printed here for lack of space.]

Salem Cemetery, Milton Township, Jackson County, Ohio is located on Salem Road (Township Highway 176), off Rt. 124. The coordinates are
 Latitude 39.0786842 39° 04' 43.3" N
 Longitude -82.5026589 82° 30' 09.6" W

Miscellaneous newspaper articles

From Jackson Standard-Journal, Sept. 16, 1914

Poplar Row editor's note: This was a list of teachers in the county who were accredited to teach for the 1914-15 school year

Roster of Teachers That Registered At The Institute

Kate Sweeney.....107 Pearl St, Jackson
 Bertha Storer.....Route 1, Ray
 Myrta Gard..... Wellston
 Carrie F. Gahm.....Route 2, Jackson
 Sadie Harrell120 Broad St, Jackson
 Catherine R. Martin263 West St, Jackson
 Grace HowellsRoute 6, Oak Hill
 O A ClarkRoute 4, Jackson
 E.T. DavisWellston
 J F DixonMansfield
 D H Williams Wellston
 G D SimmonsJackson
 S H MaharryWellston
 Ralph CherringtonBerlin X Roads
 Edward G McKitterickJackson
 S N WintersRoute 1, Wellston
 Tilberry Dixon Coalton
 Linns Bingham Wellston
 Ozella Irvin238 S. Wisconsin Ave, Wellston
 Bernice A. CollardCoalton
 Lelia BuslerRoute 3, Jackson
 Kate McNamaraW Main St, Jackson
 Edith Carr480 S Mich Ave, Wellston
 Mabel MartinRoute 2, Jackson
 Mayme SteeleJackson
 Eva Barr521 W 2nd St, Wellston
 Ernestine MorganOak Hill
 Katherine J. MorganOak Hill
 Jane E. DysonRoute 3, Jackson
 Ruth KernRoute 3, Jackson
 Ray BankerRoute 7, Jackson
 Catherine Reagan209 N Illinois Ave, Wellston
 Ethel Palmer Berlin X Roads
 Laura HoopN Main St, Jackson
 Ethel CooleyRoute 1, Box 30, Richmondale
 John W. Kern Jackson
 J E NewellRoute 6, Jackson
 C L SticklenRoute 3, Jackson
 C M RadcliffeRoute 4, Jackson
 Will D. KeairnsRoute 2, Oak Hill
 A Q ParksRoute 1, Jackson
 A R Sheward Coalton
 Joseph ShieldsRoute 4, Jackson
 Stephen C RadcliffeRoute 4, Jackson
 David E HughesRoute 5, Oak Hill
 John E Jacobs94 E Wood Ave, Jackson

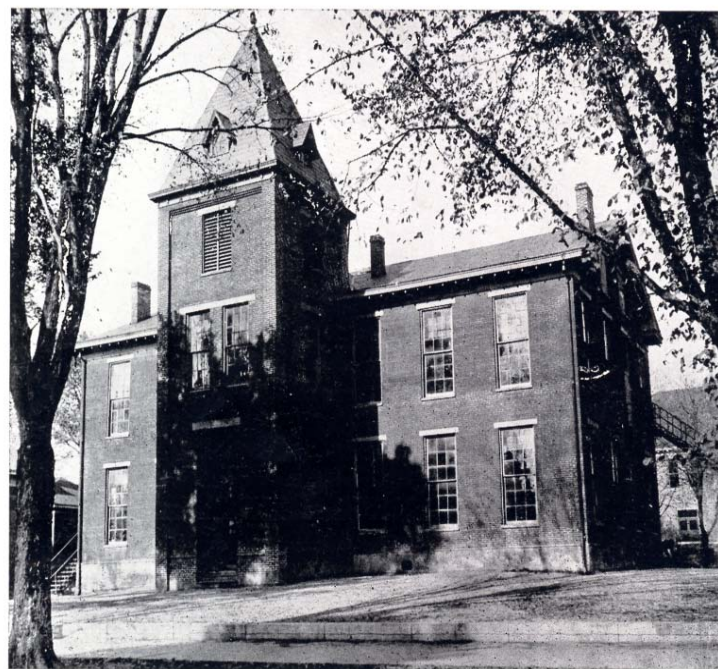
C A GardAshtabula
 R B Sheward Beaver
 Gus E KeairnsRoute 2, Oak Hill
 J H Rickman Jackson
 M B JacobsRoute 3, Jackson
 Charles M WilmoreRoute 1, Rempel
 C C McClureRoute 1, Coalton
 Mary Vandervort Wellston
 Stella Clutts Wellston
 Mayme Wangler Coalton
 Iola Nutt Wellston
 May Pierce Wellston
 Anna E. Davis Church St, Jackson
 Verna Dixon Coalton
 Ethel Welsh Glen Roy
 Ada Miller 219 Bridge St, Jackson
 Lenora JohnsonRoute 2, Jackson
 Lillie HarperRoute 3, Jackson
 Mrs. Emma BuckleyRoute 3, Jackson
 Lucretia Dupre..... 2__ S New Jersey Ave, Wellston
 Lettie McCulganRoute 5, Oak Hill
 Maude LambCenter St, Jackson
 Alta GreathouseRoute 3, Wellston
 Laura Kendall2 Chestnut St, Jackson
 Eva Kendall2 Chestnut St, Jackson
 Margaret D Elias511 E 9th St, Wellston
 Edith M CornRoute 2, Oak Hill
 Lena Hobt Wellston
 Elizabeth Hackett79 N Bennett Ave, Jackson
 Grace Weed Jackson
 Margaret Davis381 E South St, Jackson
 Nora DavisRoute 2, Oak Hill
 Frances BartlettRoute 4, Jackson
 Ethyl Cooper Ray
 Hannah Davis75 N High St, Jackson
 Grace F Hippel316 W Broadway, Wellston
 Laura Rogers25 Burlington St, Jackson
 Gertrude ThornhillRoute 1, Wellston
 Margaret CrossinJackson
 Clara Levering7 R R Ave, Wellston
 Margaret Shively.....66 Chestnut St, Jackson
 Ethel DixonRoute 2, Beaver
 Jessie Gray Jackson
 Vera Grate511 E 10th St, Wellston
 Irene HortonRoute 4, Oak Hill
 Hazel Radcliffe207 Triumph St, Jackson
 Goldie B. GrammRoute 4, Jackson
 June Kathleen MooreJackson
 Annie TurnerRoute 1, Oak Hill
 Lucille RiggRoute 1, Ray
 Ethel SpriggsRoute 2, Oak Hill
 Frances Hall Coalton
 Wyona Baker Wellston
 Christine Meadows Ray
 Nelle Ball219 N Penn Ave, Wellston

Leone Jacobs Route 7, Cove
 Hallie B. Smith196 N High St, Jackson
 Edith B. Brohard Coalton
 Myrtle Allen Wellston
 Lois CaminkRoute 4, Wellston
 Louis Dixon Route 2, Beaver
 Anna Sticklen Cove
 Gladys Hoover Route 2, Beaver
 Clara Evans Route 2, Oak Hill
 Carrie French 135 Portsmouth St, Jackson
 Stella Davis 420 Main St, Jackson
 Cad Burns Wellston
 Grace Scott 215 W. Broad St, Wellston
 Gertrude Williams 510 E 1st St, Wellston
 Anna Tripp Route 3, Wellston
 Osie D J Smith Route 1, Beaver, Pike County
 Mary Winnie Davis Route 3, Oak Hill
 Aurilla McClung 217 E Broad, Wellston
 Kathryn Horton Route 1, Jackson
 Orlan Cooper Ray
 F E Kinsel Route 3, Wellston
 O W Wills Route 1, Ray
 M V Foster Route 7, Jackson
 L V Lesser Route 2, Jackson
 T L Horton Route 1, Jackson
 Harvey Edwards Route 1, Oak Hill
 Roy E Crabtree Route 2, Oak Hill
 Leonard Wortman Route 3, Wellston
 W G Brunton Route 1, Jackson
 Floyd E. Sears Route 3, Jackson
 R V Sheward Route 1, Coalton
 Alva Russ Route 4, Oak Hill
 John W Kern Wellston
 Chas O Steele Coalton
 A E Daugherty Route 1, Jackson
 Clell Walker 317 E 4th St, Wellston
 W S Rollins 1260 S Vt Ave, Wellston
 Helen McCormick Wellston
 Lucy B. Jones 61 W South St, Jackson
 Cora Petit West St, Jackson
 Jessie McCulgan Route 5, Oak Hill
 Mary Hughes Route 5, Oak Hill
 Bertha Graves Box 24, Byer
 Alice Ethel Gramm Route 4, Jackson
 Chloe Woodruff Coalton
 Elsie G Waller 46 E Coffman St, Jackson
 Agista M Elias 511 E 9th St, Wellston
 Gertrude M Friedland Coalton
 Alma E Smith 196 N High St, Jackson
 Edith Christman Coalton
 Effie Shackelford Oak Hill
 Euclid Dempsey Berlin X Roads
 Ella Evans 104 E Broadway, Jackson
 Ada Davis Coalton
 Myrtle Tennant Route 1, Ray

O L Armstrong Route 3, Jackson
 Delmar F Gahm Route 2, Jackson
 G H Parrot Jackson
 E V Springer Coalton
 F E Stewart Beaver
 J S Stultz Route 1, Richmondale
 E H Allison Route 1, Oak Hill
 Ada B Spriggs Route 4, Oak Hill
 Dorcas Jones Oak Hill
 Harry Martin Route 4, Jackson
 Minnie E Smith Oak Hill
 Gail Higgins Coalton
 Mary Edna Edwards Oak Hill
 Florence Gray Jackson

Photo of the old Central school in Jackson

The school sat on the former playground of Kinnison school and fronted Broadway Street between the current Lillian Jones Museum and the First Baptist church. Photo ca 1915. The "new" Kinnison High school can be seen in the background on the right.



2011 DUES REMINDER!

If you haven't yet paid your JCOGS dues for this year, please note that this will be your last newsletter!! Don't miss out on upcoming issues. Help us to continue to grow by supporting our chapter. We appreciate you as a member!

Looking Back in the Past in Jackson County, Ohio

The following is an ongoing series of articles transcribed from old Jackson county newspapers having to do with local events of the day in this January-March period from 1861, 1886 and 1911

150 years ago

From Jackson Standard, January 3, 1861

Poplar Row editor's note: This is a partial list of delinquent land taxpayers for the year 1859. Crucial in locating an approximate location for an ancestor's land in 1861 is the Range, Township and Section (or sub-section - often a standard 640 acre "section" had several landowners within it), which can be seen on a present-day plat map or the 1875 county atlas which now is available from the JCOGS on CD

Washington township

- Isaac Byers.....Range 18, Twp 8, Sect 7, 8 & 18
- William J. Byers.....Range 18, Twp 8, Sect 19
- George Byers.....Range 18, Twp 8, Sect 17
- Thomas Colville.....Range 18, Twp 8, Sect 32
- Benjamin Dill.....Range 18, Twp 8, Sect 23 & 24
- Henry D. Ewing.....Range 18, Twp 8, Sect 26
- John Goodrich.....Range 18, Twp 8, Sect 18 & 19
- John Murphy.....Range 18, Twp 8, Sect 7
- James McKeever.....Range 18, Twp 8, Sect 27
- Francis Payne.....Range 18, Twp 8, Sect 36
- Charles Rawlins.....Range 18, Twp 8, Sect 7

Liberty township

- Thomas Allen.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 18
- John Barton.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 29
- John Donald.....Range 20, Twp 6, Sect 36
- John Exline.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 12
- Jacob Exline.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 11
- William Evans.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 4 & 9
- Noah Fout.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 29
- L. & Taylor Grow.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 9
- Kelyan Hager.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 21
- James Henry.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 22
- John Hough.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 1
- George Hooten.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 5
- Simeon Hartley.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 9
- John Howard.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 32
- Asa Isham.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 2
- Chapman Isham.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 5 & 8
- Robert Kent.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 8
- William McCray.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 20
- Thomas McCartney.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 4 & 17
- Joseph McCartney.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 12
- Owen Morris.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 5
- Henry & Robt. McElroy.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 21
- Daniel Perry.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 1 & 2
- T.R. Stanley.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 4
- Laird & Pickens Trago..Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 1 & 33

- William Trago.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 4
- Silas Tope.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 10
- David Winfough.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 10
- P. Wingo.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 6
- Daniel Yearian.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 11

Salt Reserve, Liberty township

- Peter Davis.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 11
- Henry E. Ewing.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 62, 63 & 64
- Alex. Gratton.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 15, 17, & 32
- William Reed.....Range 19, Twp 7, Sect 4

Hamilton township

- Conway & Tomlinson.....Range 19, Twp 5, Sect 35
- Robert Chapman.....Range 19, Twp 5, Sect 14
- John Canter.....Range 19, Twp 5, Sect 24
- James Hall.....Range 19, Twp 5, Sect 13
- John L. Marker.....Range 19, Twp 5, Sect 4
- George S. Williams.....Range 19, Twp 5, Sect 35

Franklin township

- Lorenzo Cherrington.....Range 18, Twp 6, Sect 26
- W.D. Higgins.....Range 18, Twp 6, Sect 15
- James B. Johnson.....Range 18, Twp 6, Sect 20
- Wm. H.C. Jenkins.....Range 18, Twp 6, Sect 35
- Nathaniel Phipps.....Range 18, Twp 6, Sect 53
- Peter Pickrel.....Range 18, Twp 6, Sect 12

Bloomfield township

- Samuel Allen.....Range 17, Twp 8, Sect 10
- Dillard S. Barton.....Range 17, Twp 8, Sect 4
- Thomas Brown.....Range 17, Twp 8, Sect 5
- David Richards.....Range 17, Twp 8, Sect 22

Scioto township

- Rial Catlin.....Range 20, Twp 5, Sect 12
- Thomas Crabtree.....Range 19, Twp 6, Sect 26 & 27
- Kelsy Daniels.....Range 19, Twp 6, Sect 15
- Margaret Ferree.....Range 19, Twp 6, Sect 4
- Jehiel Graham.....Range 19, Twp 6, Sect 26
- Robert Johnson.....Range 19, Twp 6, Sect 8
- Ezekiel Kennedy.....Range 19, Twp 6, Sect 13
- Thomas McCauge.....Range 19, Twp 6, Sect 29
- Samuel F. McCoy.....Range 19, Twp 6, Sect 14
- Ebenezer Spriggs.....Range 19, Twp 6, Sect 31
- Samuel Titus.....Range 19, Twp 6, Sect 13
- Thomas Vaughn.....Range 19, Twp 6, Sect 15

125 years ago

From the Jackson Standard, January 7, 1886

The County Infirmary- List Of The County's Wards

G.W. Harbarger, Superintendent of the County Infirmary, has furnished the following, at the end of the year 1885:

Name of Inmate – Men	Age-Nativity
John Levi.....	80, Pennsylvania
George Burkhardt.....	60, Germany
Vinton Powers.....	60, Ohio
John Powers.....	64, Ohio
Noah Grove.....	69
Nelson Dawson.....	61, Ohio
Nelson Stockham.....	81
Frank Brunton.....	27, Ohio
Stephan W. Patterson.....	43
William F. Dawson.....	23
Thomas Ervin.....	64, Ireland
James Cochrane.....	69, Ireland
James McCort.....	73, Ireland
James Leach.....	61
John J. Oliver.....	35
Jacob Oliver.....	22
Michael Johnson.....	25
Matthew McGarvey.....	86, Maryland
Wm. Leiniger.....	43
John H. Skinner.....	40, Ohio
Lafayette Dixon.....	27, Virginia
Adam Mcclung.....	80, Maryland

Women

Adaline Tharp.....	35, Ohio
Barbara Louder.....	70, North Carolina
Sarah Smith.....	21
Kate Lackey.....	17
Anna Jones.....	81[?], Ohio
Rachel Sudbrook.....	40
Nancy Canter.....	20, Ohio
Bebecca Canter.....	40, Ohio
Hannah Dunn.....	35
Frances Gillilan.....	35
Lottie Hope.....	20
Hester Smith.....	35, Virginia
Sarah Creighton.....	69, Virginia
Elizabeth Kennedy.....	36, Ireland
Amanda Lenigar.....	24
Susan Parker.....	34
Amanda Bartlett.....	35
Amanda Beatty.....	20
Julia A. Cooper.....	70, Kentucky
Ann Nickel.....	60

Peggy Davis.....	85, Virginia
Mollie Neville.....	30
Elizabeth Powers.....	42

Name and age of children—all natives of Ohio except one

Mont. McCray, 13 yrs.; George Tharp, 6 yrs.; Albert Tharp, 2 yrs.; Burt Lackey, 8; Jack Brown, 2 yrs.; Thos. Brown, 4 yrs.; Edward Jenkins, 8 yrs.; Frank Dunn, 12 yrs.; Wm. Dunn, 10 yrs.; Jos. Montgomery, 10 yrs.; Wm. Jackson, 7 yrs.; Thos. Jackson, 11 yrs.; Stephen Gillilan, 11 yrs.; Harry Oliver, 8 yrs.; Geo. Lenigar, 6 yrs.; Ebert Lenigar, 4 years; Harvey Bartlett, 9 yrs.; George Parker, 1 yr.; John Parker, 4 yrs.; James Pickrel, 8 yrs.; Benj. Johnson, 6 yrs.; Wm. Cecil, 4 yrs.; Clif. Skinner, 5 yrs.; John Skinner, 3 yrs.; Frank Skinner, 2 yrs.; James Bartlett, 2 mos.; Moses Incognito, 2 mos.; Mattie Jones, 18 yrs., Ky.; Alma Lackey, 6 yrs.; Myrta Lackey, 3 yrs.; Net. Vinan, 11 yrs.; Lizzie Dunn, 14 yrs.; Alice Dunn, 7 yrs.; Mat. Gillilan, 7 yrs.; May Gillilan, 5 yrs.; Belle Gillilan, 3 yrs.; Ida Douglas 10 yrs.; Ora Hope, 6 mos.; Dora Oliver, 13 yrs.; Josephine Oliver, 9 yrs.; Bertha Burchfield, 11 yrs.; Gettie Burchfield, 9 yrs.; Jessie Burchfield, 5 yrs.; Hattie Burchfield, 3 yrs.; Sada Jackson, 6 yrs.; Almeda Smith, 6 yrs, Emma Brown, 12 yrs.; Tina Brown, 7 yrs.; Sarilda Lenigar, 9 yrs.; Elizabeth Kimble, 9; Zilly Skinner, 6 yrs.; Lucinda Skinner, 12 yrs.; Grace Skinner, 7 yrs.; Elizabeth Beaty, 10 mos.; Cora McCabe, 8 yrs.

	Male	Female	Total
No. Adults.....	22	23	45
No. Children.....	<u>27</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>55</u>
Total.....	49	51	100

Townships	No. Admitted	No. Remaining
Bloomfield.....	70	5
Coal.....	27	1
Franklin.....	78	8
Hamilton.....	10	2
Jackson.....	72	4
Jefferson.....	156	12
Lick.....	280	27
Liberty.....	46	5
Madison.....	65	9
Milton.....	265	18
Scioto.....	45	3
Washington.....	63	11

PR Editor's note: A misconception is that the Jackson county infirmary housed only short-term and long-term physically or mentally ill people. Very often the infirmary took in people who were indigent and had no where else to go, having fallen on hard times, or perhaps children who had become orphaned, etc.

Circa 1885 Jackson Central School photo



A FEW ALUMNI

As a bit of variety, we have on this page a picture of some of the Alumni of K. H. S. To some of you of the present day, this picture may seem very queer, or strange, but to the ones in it, and to ones who knew them and do know them now, it was quite the correct thing in its time, and a print of the same is treasured very highly. To you who were acquainted with any of the students in the 90's, see how many of these that you know before looking at the names. The persons who are in the picture are as follows:—

(Left to Right) Top Row—Dave Armstrong and Carl Lively.

Second Row—David Griffith, James Carrigan, Dan Crossin, Lamar Sternberger, Rufus Peters, Will Wangler.

Third Row—Will Martin, Sam Smith, Minnie Hill, Sarah Porter, Grace Gilmore, Abe Phillips, Ambrose Evans,, Lloyd William, J. E. Kinnison.

Fourth Row—Lucy B. Jones, Kate Chestnut, Nellie Branson, Bertha Holcomb, Bertha Miller, E la Evans, Madge Bertsch, Clate Trago, Kate Edwards, Mattie Newvahner.

Front Row—Carrie Hood, Romane Aten, Martha Swift, Susie Brookins, Clare Lewis, Mabel Goddard, Margaret Evans, Amy Downing, Madge Thomas, Minnie Lloyd.

There are at least two in the picture whom everyone knows. Miss Lucy B. Jones and Mr. J. E. Kinnison. The youngster sitting in the front row on the right next to the end is Madge Thomas. She sure was lucky to be visiting school the very day that "pictures were taken", for it was a rare thing in those days.

Poplar Row editor's note: The rare ca. 1885 photo shown above was extracted from an old JHS *Osky Wow* yearbook from the 1920's. This is just one example of the "genealogy gems" contained in these old high school yearbooks. **Don't underestimate the family history "value" of these.** The JCOGS has digitized **every** JHS yearbook in high-resolution from 1912-1977 as well as the **Wellston High yearbooks from 1950-1977** and we have very recently made them available on CD. See the JCOGS website or the publications price list for details. If you want to know if a relative is mentioned or pictured in a certain year, just email Larry or me and we'll let you know before you purchase an issue!

125 years ago - continued

From Jackson Standard, February 4, 1886

REPORT OF JACKSON SCHOOLS,
For the Month Ending January 22, 1886.

High School—E.W. Patterson, Teacher

Total enrollment, 77; percent of attendance, 93 ½; average daily attendance, 70; tardy, Irvine Dungan, Ira Moore, Ora Evans, Benson Evans. Roll of Honor: Jno. Niewvahner, Will Downey, Harry Goshen, Elza Jones, Will Henson, Chas. Radcliffe, Hugh Shaeffer, George Stevenson, Duenna Branscomb, Lizzie Dauber, Susa Davis, Anna Davis, Josie Dyer, Laura Davis, Carrie French, Jennie Gildden, Emma Goddard, Mary Gray, Carrie Henson, Alice Jackson, Dora Jackson, Ada Jones, Katie Jones, Susa Jones, Rosa Kendall, Etta Loyd, Bertha Sternbarger, Maude Swift, Verna Steele, Mollie White, Laura White, Mame Williams

Grammar A—Frank Hanna, Teacher

Total enrollment, 40; average daily attendance, 35; per cent of attendance, 93; visitors, 2; tardy, Stella Martin, Blanche Price. Roll of Honor: Helen Davis, Sophie Ewing, Anna Goshen, Susie McGhee, Cora Miller, Cora Sternberger, Mamie Steele, Christy Essman, Julius Kratz

Grammar B—Ada Horton, Teacher

Total enrollment, 38; daily attendance, 34.6; per cent of attendance, 94; tardy, 2: Carl Goddard, Bennie Swift. Roll of Honor: Bertha Evans, Anna Evans, Hale Ervin, Edith Hawk, Alice Kuhner, Emma Roberts, Ida Whitlach, Lizzie Long, Edgar Elliot, Lewis Davis, Oscar Ervin, Charlie Goddard, Willie Houser, Merch Swanson, Henry Wangler

Grammar C—Lucy B. Jones, Teacher

Monthly enrollment, 37; per cent of attendance, 95; daily attendance, 33.4; tardy, Nora Pewthers. Roll of Honor: Carrie Behem, Katie Botkin, Ella Evans, Ida Gilliland, Laura Jones, Birdie Kitchen, Lottie Reiniger, Nellie Sternberger, Ores Byers, Robert Boskill, John Boggess, Orin Lake, Joe Reiniger, Luther Thomas, Herbert White, Willie Whitlatch

Grammar D—Louise Yoehem, Teacher

Total enrollment, 44; per cent of attendance, 96; average daily attendance, 42.13; tardy, Maggie Palmer. Roll of Honor: Carl Lively, Willie Martin, Loyd Williams, Lamar Sternberger, Willie Wangler, Hiram Smith, Dave Griffith, Evan Roberts, Abe Phillips, John O'Malley, Eliza Fullerton, Kate Edwards, Mattie Swift, Eva Runnels, Romie Aten, Maggie Bertsch, Claire Lewis, Maggie Evans, Jennie Yarrington, Mabel Goddard, Ethel Bingham, Mattie Newvahner, Lelah Donnelly

Primary A—Sadie E. Jones, Teacher

Monthly enrollment, 55; per cent of attendance, 93; daily attendance, 47; tardy, 0. Roll of Honor: Mattie Brooks, Rachel Aten, Veronica Bennett, Emma Bertsch, Lizzie Hughes, Orpha Hunsinger, Clara Jones, Cora Johnson, Lizzie Jones, Mattie Rice, Daisy Steel, Minnie Walters, Mary Wangler, Venla Burris, Willie Bartlett, Earla Cherington, Clyde Dungan, David Davies, Frank Hollberg, Freddie Jones, Willie James, Willie Long, Wallace Murfin, Charlie Stevenson, Albert Mercer

Primary B—Hattie Moore, Teacher

Monthly enrollment, 45; per cent of attendance, 94; average daily attendance, 41; tardy, Howard Cummins, Tommy Jones, Gould Murfin, Sarah Davis. Roll of Honor: Ada Blagg, Maggie Evans. Maud Evans, Cressie Evans, Laura Hollberg, Mary Hollberg, Lena Jones, Mahala Jordan, Callie Kuhner, Rosa Kratz, Jane Long, Lula Smith, Eric Cherington, Percy Harper, Evan Jones, Bert Summers

C ½ Primary—Hilla Dungan, Teacher

Monthly enrollment, 40; per cent of attendance, 94; daily attendance, 35; tardy, Clifford Davis, Elwood Hinkle, Ned Wortman and William Dobbins. Roll of Honor: Jacob Houser, Clyde Harrel, Davie Loewenstein, Frank Marshman, John Ray, Birdie Allender, Laura Dungan, Carrie Gilliland, Carrie Andrew, Carrie Walters, Cornie Long, Ida Long, Edna Matthews, Luemma Mercer

C Primary—H.E. Walterhouse, Teacher

Monthly enrollment, 44; daily attendance, 39; per cent of attendance, 95; tardy, Minnie Stiffler, Myrta Hoskins, Lizzie Roberts; visitors, Mrs. Irvine Dungan, Mrs. ___ Dungan, Lizzie Hood; perfect attendance, 16. Roll of Honor: Mary Cahoon, Evalena Davis, Lillian Ewing, Nettie Jordan, Sarah Reynolds, Rosa Steinberger, Lily Harry, Joe Armstrong, Willie Byers, Charlie Evans, John Ewing, John Griffiths, Mervie Jackson, Jimmie James, George Smith, Herbert Witte

D ½ Primary—Ida Jones, Teacher

Enrollment, 53; daily attendance, 48; per cent of attendance, 95; tardy, Howard Hinkle, James Colston, George Williams. Roll of Honor: Ira Aten, Willie Andres, Dan Armstrong, Harry Burt, Charlie Cummins, Willie Davis, Ralph Evans, Campbell Hudson, Jesse Hudson, Cleon Hendrickson, Guy Jordan, Herbert Maloney, Gordon Murfin, Willie Harris, Bertie Burroughs, Edna Grose, Mary Jones, Maggie Jenkins, Maggie Reese, Katie Shaffer, Bertha Thomas, Anna Williams, Laura Walker, Emma Colley

D Primary—Grace Matthews, Teacher

Monthly enrollment, 83; daily attendance, 70; per cent of attendance, 92; tardy, Willie Dobbins, Hannah Robberts, Herbert Faught, Henry Faught. Roll of Honor: James Brown, Charley Dobbins, Albert Dobbins, Willie Evans, Charley Goshen, Edgar Hendrickson,

Louis Holberg, Dannie Jones, Charley Jordan, Willie McLaughlin, John Stewart, Homer Tripp, Clifford Welsh, Sarah Davis, Ethel Grose, Gertie Kuhner, Annie Long, Berge Lynch, Jessie Smith Edith Walters.

B Primary, Eastern Bldg. - Lillian Ervin, Teacher

Total enrollment, 39; daily attendance, 36; per cent of attendance, 96; tardy, 0. Roll of Honor: John Bertsch. Louis Bleichart, Charlie Chesnut, Eddie Hale, Alfie Kendall, Davie Jenkins, Willie Price, Roland Rowland, Tillie Bertsch, Bellie Burnett, Libbie Harding, Nellie Long, Minnie Moore, Annie Rapp, Luella Steele, Ida Shafer, Amanda Ward.

C ½ Primary, Eastern Bldg.- Maggie A. Evans, Teacher

Total enrollment, 50; daily attendance, 44; per cent of attendance, 94; tardy, 0. Roll of Honor: John Bruce, John Davis, Louis Peters, Joseph Evans, Samuel Moore, Bert Powers, Harry Price, Dick Phillips, Frank Stevenson, Myrta Aten, Ida Baesman, Minnie Cook, Bertha Davis, Mamie Davis, Maggie Davis, Alice Hamnett, Maggie Jones, Alice Morgan, Jessie Thomas, Anna Williams.

C Primary Eastern Bldg.- Tryphena James, Teacher

Monthly enrollment, 48; daily attendance, 42; per cent of attendance, 98; tardy, 0. Roll of Honor: Mattie Boggess, Mary Bertsch, Gettie Evans, Edith Martin, Bertha Olendorf, Mattie Randall, Clyde Burt, Claude Reed, Frank Pickrel, Robbie Jones, Heber Hank, Lawrence Davis, Ella Clark, Ella Cassidy, Emma Grashel, Frankie Long, Jessie Price, Della Bruce, Willie Trexler, George Rowland, Arthur James, Willie Jones, John Davis, Earl Chesnut.

D ½ Primary, Eastern Building—Fannie Armstrong, Teacher

Total enrollment, 53; daily attendance, 45; per cent of attendance, 94; tardy, 0. Roll of Honor: Harry Beatty, Jesse Blagg, Onnie Clark, Willie Coyan, Lee Coyan, Homer Davis, Tommie Davis, Charlie Ervin, Walter Hunsinger, Charlie Jones, Dannie Morgan, Charlie Steele, John Windell, Ella Brooks, Mamie Raesman, Sadie Davis, Myrtle Klug, Sadie Moore, Hallie Swift

D Primary, Eastern Bldg. - Cordelia Price, Teacher

Total enrollment, 75; average daily attendance, 59; per cent of attendance, 94; tardy, Willie Eley, Frank Eley. Roll of Honor: Fred Bertsch, Earl Aten, Murray Bingman, Willie Cutter, Tom Davis, Louis Drowdner, Dan Davis, Herbie Evans, Joe Harding, Cristie Husman, Frankie Grashel, John Hunsinger, Frankie Rapp, Jakie Will, John Spurrier, Ralph Clewer, Harry Reed, Dora Heasman, Beatrice Hamlate, Caroline Jones, Carrie Olendorf, Josie Shottenberger, Lula Thompson, Annie Lewis

Western Building—John S. Johnson, Teacher
Monthly enrollment, 37; average daily attendance, 30; per cent of attendance, 95; tardy, 0. Roll of Honor: Lyda Cooley, Bertie Cooley, Nina Perrin, Chas. Byrd, Willie Smith, Charlie Perrin, Clarence Cooley, Chas.

Kelley, Susa Byrd, Mattie Baker, Harrie Chew, Chas. Smith, Walker Smith, Matera Jeffers, Willie Gilmore, Harrie Smith.

J.E. KINNISON, Sup't

100 years ago

From Jackson Standard-Journal, Jan. 4, 1911

In Memory of Mary Overly Anders

Mary Overly was born in Guernsey county, Ohio, April 16, 1833, died at her son Louis Anders (home) a few miles west of Jackson Dec. 21, 1910 aged 77 years 8 months and 6 days. When 8 years old with her parents she came to Jackson county Ohio, locating in Liberty township, where she spent most of her life.

She was one of a large family of 9 children born to Adam and Margaret Overly, 3 girls and 6 boys only two of which, Samuel and William, both aged living near Jackson, survive her. April 1st, 1886 she was married to James Anders. To them were born 3 children, two sons and one daughter.

The daughter died some years ago leaving the sons Lewis and John Andres to mourn the loss of a true Christian mother. There are also five grandchildren. Clyde E. Anders, deceased, Ralph L Anders, Floyd E Anders, Grace L Anders, and Jessie Patterson.

She united with the Christian Union Church at Pleasant Grove 35 years ago with a large class, most of which have preceded her to the other shore to await her coming home. Last year she untied with the Methodist Episcopal Church at Pleasant Grove, saying she wished to hold her membership there where so many precious memories cluster.

August 22nd, 1909, her husband died and then she frequently expressed herself as so lonely without Pa and a desire to go to him. She was a true wife in every sense a helpmate lightening her husband's burden, when possible and always cheering him in life's struggles. She was a consecrated mother keeping her life on the altar of her children's comfort.

From Jackson Standard-Journal, Feb. 1, 1911

Mrs John Rose Drowned in Returning from the Souders Funeral - Her Young Grand Daughter Accompanying Her Lost Her Life at the Same Time

A tragedy which occurred near Peniel church on Dirty Face in Gallia county, has shocked the entire population of Greenfield township. Mrs. John Rose and her little

grand daughter, the daughter of Mrs. William Gilliland were both drowned in the swollen waters of Dirty Face while returning to their home after attending the funeral of Mr. Robert Souders, brother of John Souders, at Gallia.

The bodies were carried by the waters and that of Mrs. Rose was found on the farm of Rev. William R Evans, while that of the child was found on the Shelton farm. Mrs. Rose was the mother of Mrs. James Armstrong of Madison and of Mrs Evan Edwards who died of fever in this city two years ago. The grand daughter, who was six years old, was the great grand daughter of Mrs. John Phillips of Oak Hill.

From Jackson Standard-Journal, Feb. 1, 1911

Employees of the Irving Drew Company

Following is a list of those now employed at the local branch of the Irving Drew Shoe Company:

Jackson

Nellie Faught, Mattie Callahan, Emma Crabtree, Etta Rowland, Rhoda Malone, Gladys Heath, Grace Patterson, Audrey Lamb, Grace Clark, Kate Massie, Ada Chapman, Clara Weidauer, Ethel Pierce, Gertrude Faught, Hallie Spurrier, Mary Jenkins, Nellie Neville, Stella Jenkins, Anna Jackson, Lottie Lowe, Carrie Emory, Ruth Radcliffe, Elizabeth Patton, Vena Daugherty, Beulah Lowe, Gladys Jenkins, Ada Brown

Goldsborough

Mrs. Grace Moorehead, Ethel Lewis

Coalton

Irene Houser, Gettie Houser, Martha McCormick, Clara Auckerman, Lydia Lewis, Ira Lewis

First Quarter 2011 JCOGS chapter news

- The January meeting was cancelled at the last minute because of a bad snow that occurred the previous (Friday) night. February's attendance was modest (cold weather), but we had a good turnout for the March meeting.
- Meeting dates for the 2nd quarter are: April 9th at the Lillian Jones Museum "Carriage House"; May 14th and June 11th at the Jackson city library in the Potter Room. Meeting times are 10:30 AM. We always have coffee, orange juice and doughnuts or cookies plus after the meetings, you have access to the genealogy materials and microfilm reader-printer so come and join us if you live nearby!
- The JCOGS general fund account balance as of February 28th was \$5215.08 and the James Cemetery restoration fund account balance was \$592.30. If you can assist with the cemetery fund, we have a lot of materials to purchase this year (specialized masonry epoxies, Quikrete for gravestone bases, a tripod & hoist to lift many heavy stones and obelisks back into place, fencing to continue eventual enclosure of the cemetery, and we could go on. Please help if you can!
- Our chapter was very happy to have been donated booth space which we shared with the Lillian Jones museum at the Jackson county Spring Showcase on March 19-21. The space was generously donated by the Atomic Employees Credit Union. Thank you!
- **New publications** available from us since the last newsletter are: (1)Wellston High School X-Ray yearbooks from 1950-1977 on CD in Adobe PDF format. Multiple yearbooks can be put on the same CD; (2)The rare, nearly 600-page 1907 comprehensive residential and business Jackson county directory on CD. The wealth and diversity of info contained in this volume is unbelievable; (3)We just finished digitizing **EVERY** issue of our Poplar Row newsletter from 1981 to date. That's about 1200 pages of Jackson county genealogy info folks! Karen Davis, our former JCOGS chapter president, also spent hundreds of hours compiling every-name indexes for issues from 1981-2004 and they are now online on the JCOGS website for searching for that surname ancestor of yours
- On April 12th, our nation begins the 4-year sesqui-centennial period honoring the brave men and women who participated in the tragic Civil War. We want to honor **your** Jackson county Civil War ancestor in upcoming issues of this newsletter and on our website. If you have an old photo of your ancestor and would share a computer scanned copy of it along with a brief bio of them, we will be glad to include it here in Poplar Row or on the web with your permission
- The JCOGS hopes to begin work soon with the Lillian Jones museum and other local heritage organizations (DAR, SAR, SUVCW, etc) in order to sometime this summer or fall put on a genealogy workshop. Details to come.....
- Our OGS chapter added 16 new individual members during this quarter. Wow! We hope you find the modest price of your dues well worth the investment and we hope that we're able to assist you in gathering information on those hard-to-locate ancestors. That's why we are here, so welcome and thank you for supporting our chapter!

Membership queries

If you think you may have a family connection with the folks and surnames they have submitted below, feel free to contact them!

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Welcome to new members this quarter

Again, we thank you for joining the JCOGS and we hope you stay with us in the future! Membership is a sign of organizational strength and it allows the JCOGS to take on local history and genealogy preservation projects!

- Dave Chase – Medina, Ohio
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- John R. Patten – Lambertville, MI
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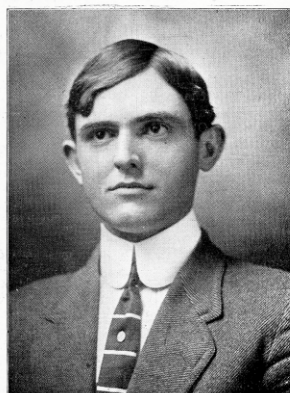
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LEON MERRILL EVANS
CLASS PRESIDENT.
Foot Ball, 1911.

Leon Merrill Evans - 1912 JHS class president

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