

NOVEMBER 16, 1927

The death of Robert Fenton, aged 86 years, 7 months and 3 days, which occurred Saturday, Nov. 12, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lillian Bicksler in Ashland, recalls the life of an interesting character who was identified with the early history of Newcomerstown and vicinity.

Born in Tyrone county, Ireland, Apr. 9, 1841, Robert Fenton came to America in 1845 with his parents Samuel and Jane Fenton, who first settled in Pennsylvania, and later in 1849 migrated to Ohio in wagons, locating near Newcomerstown.

Here Mr. Fenton passed his boyhood days, and witnessed the construction of the Ohio canal and the first railroad through this section.

He was united in marriage Mch. 28, 1876, to Rachel A. Cramer who died Feb. 19, 1904, at the age of 52 years. Seven children were born to this union, four daughters and three sons, all living, and all of whom were present at their father's funeral. They are Mrs. Lillian Bicksler of Ashland, Mrs. Lottie Owens of Canton, Samuel Fenton and Mrs. Myrtle West, both of Wadsworth, Verner Fenton of Mansfield, Miss Ada Fenton of Pittsburgh and W. A. Fenton of Newcomerstown. One brother, Alex. Fenton of Bakersville, survives.

He spent the greater part of his life on a farm three miles north of Newcomerstown on the Lick Run road, except during the past eight years when he made his home among his children.

He was a life-long member of the Presbyterian Church of Bakersville, and was held in highest esteem by his large circle of friends.

Funeral services were held Monday at 11 a. m. in the Bakersville Presbyterian church, conducted by Rev. Harold Lee, and burial was made in the Bakersville cemetery.

FEBRUARY 26, 1904.

RACHEL FENTON

PASSED AWAY.

Death of a Kindhearted and Highly Esteemed Woman.

The death of Mrs. Rachel A. Fenton which occurred very suddenly on Friday morning the 19th inst. at her home near this city, from heart failure and dropsy, was a great shock to her family and intimate friends, although she had been in poor health for some time, still her death was entirely unexpected, and only one hour before her death she had remarked that she felt so much better.

She was the daughter of Henry and Maria Cramer and was born in Tuscarawas county June 16, 1851. On March 28, 1876, she was married to Robt. Fenton, and to them were born seven children, 3 sons and 4 daughters, all of whom are living and were in attendance at the funeral. She also has two brothers, Alfred and Pierce Cramer who reside in Iowa, but were unable to attend the funeral, the latter arriving here the morning after the funeral, being delayed by the trains.

The funeral was held Sunday at 2 p. m. in the Presbyterian church at Bakersville, conducted by Rev. C. W. Harshman, of this place, and interment was made in the new cemetery at Bakersville.

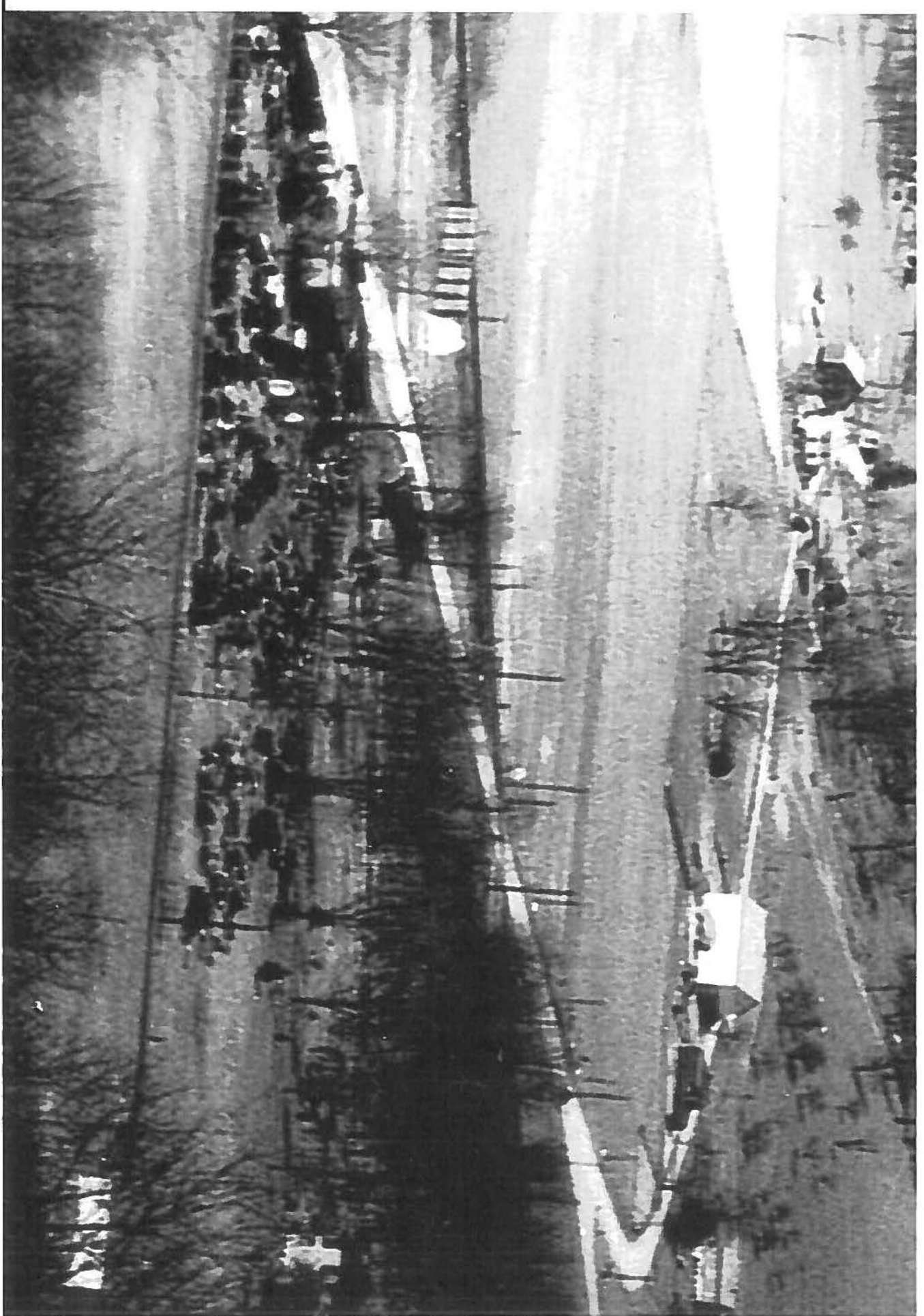
She united with the Methodist Episcopal church at the age of 12 years, and after marriage was received by letter, with her husband, into the Presbyterian church at Bakersville, of which she was a faithful member until death.

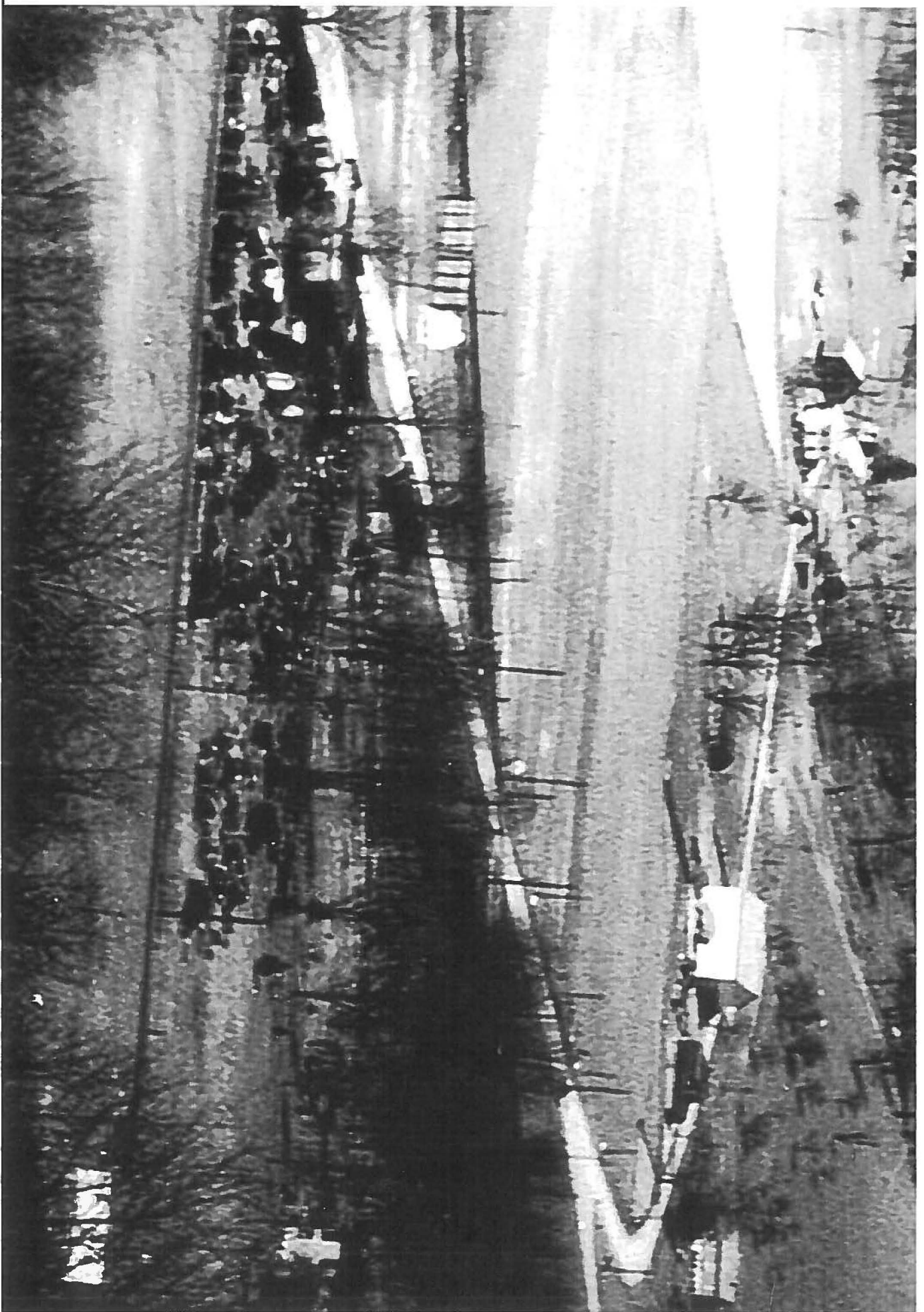
Mrs. Fenton was a woman of many fine qualities, and was ever ready and willing to minister to the comfort and needs of others. During her long residence in this county she won many friends who deeply regret her departure.



Mr. Bob Fenton
from England

Photo by Charles Morris Shinnick of Fenton
of South Western Phillips 3/10







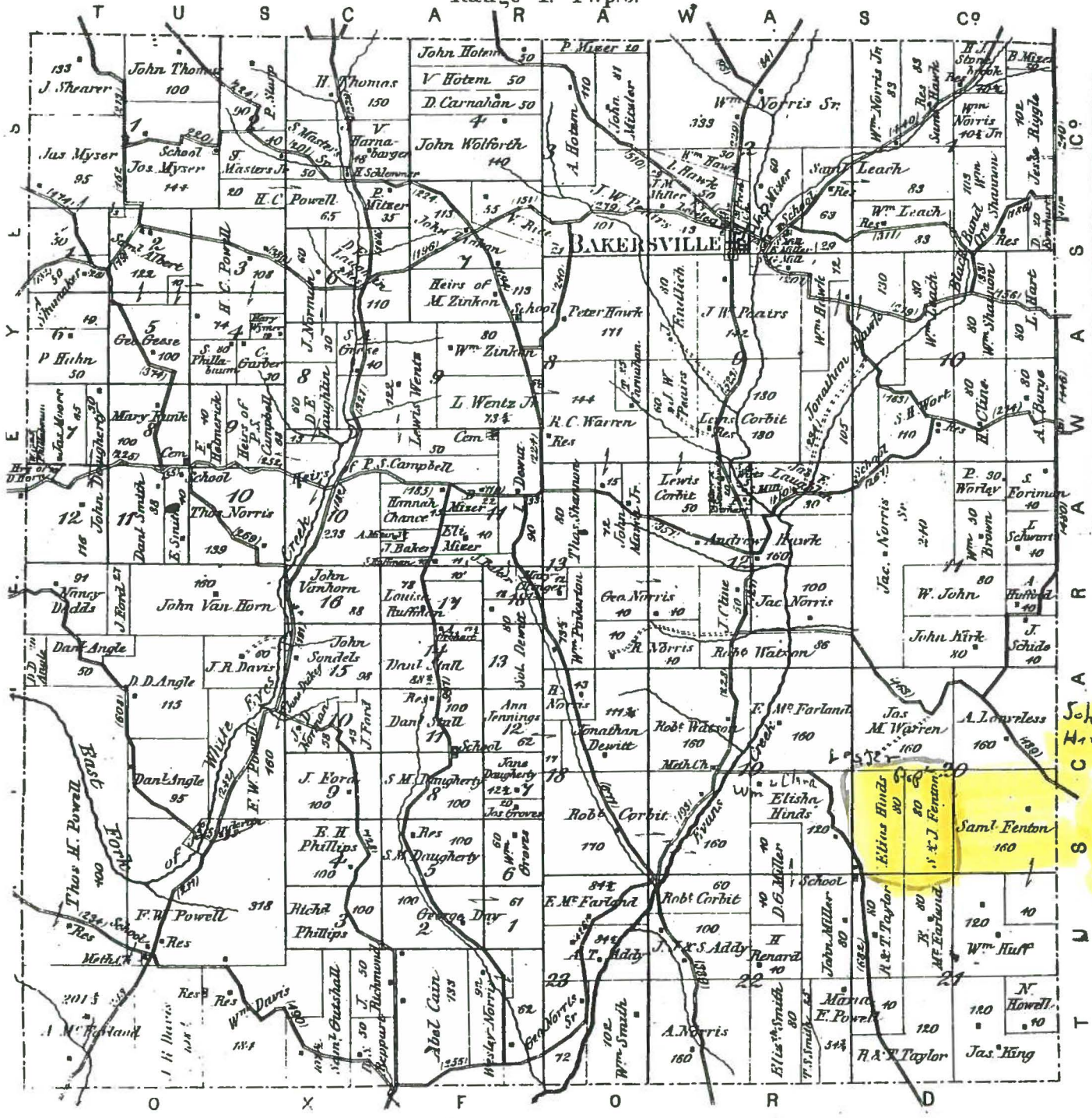


Samuel and Jane Graham
Fenton came to America in
1848 from Dublin Ireland
landed at Martin's Ferry near
Stupenvill later moved out
about 2.5 miles on a farm a
small log house with two small
windows and one door ⁱⁿ Pennsylvania
with seven children William
James Clay Bob Samuel
Archie Bell one son George
stayed in Ireland later was
born two daughters Lydie &
Mary after some years he moved
to Tuscora ^{county} on 300 acres where he last
lived all part away

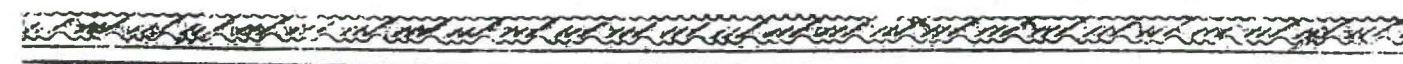


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Scale 1/4 Inches to the Mile
Range 4, Twp. 6.



John
Hawkins
Charles
Lanning
Miller



Fenton Family Homestead:

Samuel + Jane Graham Fenton came to America
in 1845 and settled in Pa.

1849 moved to Ohio.

They settled in log house off Blue Ridge Road on
farm now owned by Wayne Miller. (Great, Great, Great, Grandson)

House was later sided, as pictured.

New home on top of hill beside Blue Ridge Road, was built
by Frank + May West (Granddaughter) in 1913. Family ate
Thanksgiving dinner in new home.

Isa "bella", age 77, Aunt of May West moved with family
to New home.

Pen: Mary Belle West Hoffman

Born: Dec 11, 1910 in the

log home.

Summer 1999

nia, among the hostile Indians with whom they had many skirmishes, and he was honorably discharged at expiration of time, Dec. 12, 1864, at El Paso, Tex. Two brothers served in the Union Army, John T. in Co. A, 161st O. V. I., served for 100 days, and Lewis S. served in same command as regimental fifer, serving under Sigel and Hunter in Virginia and Indiana. Five brothers of his wife served in the war also, William and George W. Kail in 30th O. V. I., Thomas in 98th O. V. I., John in Co. D, 38th O. V. I. and Leonard in Co. A, 161st O. V. I. William died in service at Sultan, W. Va. Comrade Gram is a member of Welch Post, No. 422, receives a pension of \$12 a month, is a pumper at R. R. station and his address is Lock No. 17, O.

DANIEL GREWELL,

By occupation a farmer, enlisted when 20 years of age, Sept. 8, 1861, at Newcomerstown, O., for three years as private in Co. C, 51st O. V. I.; he contracted piles and rheumatism and still suffers from them, also from catarrh of the throat and lung fever. He was captured near Atlanta Oct. 19, 1864, by Forest's Cav. and sent to Cahaba prison, Camp Lawton and Andersonville, held about eight months and released at the close of the war. His battle list includes Stone River, Perryville, Tallahoma, Chickamauga, Missionary Ridge, Lovejoy, Jonesboro and Atlanta Campaign, and received his honorable discharge May 26, 1865, at Columbus, Ohio. His brother, Ezekiel Grewell, served three or four years in the same Co. and Regt. as the subject of this sketch. Three brothers of his wife were in the army, Anthony W. Miller served from Kansas, Samuel in Co. C, 51st O. V. I. over three years, and Hamilton served as a teamster. Comrade Grewell was born in Harrison county, O., in November, 1839, a son of Thomas, and Elizabeth (Shrawyer) Grewell, both deceased. Nov. 30, 1865, he was married in Tuscarawas county, O., to Mary E. Miller, born in that county Feb. 1, 1846; her parents, Anthony and Rebecca (Groves) Miller, are both deceased. To this union the following children have been born, Elijah C., Henry V., deceased, Anthony M., Frankie E., Thomas H. and Albert E. Comrade Grewell belongs to S. M. Neighbor Post, No. 494, receives \$12 a month pension, is engaged in farming, and his address is Newcomerstown, O.

JACOB GROSS,

A farmer by occupation, enlisted Sept. 20, 1861, at Camp Meigs, O., for three years when 20 years of age, as a private in Co. E, 51st O. V. I., 2d Brig., 3d Div., 14th A. C.; he was in hospital from February, 1862, to May, same year, at Nashville, with typhoid fever, then furloughed for thirty days, rejoining his command at Nashville, Tenn.,

in July, 1862; he was again in hospital in August, 1862, at Nashville, Tenn., with lung fever and chronic diarrhea six or eight weeks. June 2, 1863, he was severely wounded in right thigh and hip, for which he was in field hospital, then at Nashville two or three months, and at Camp Dennison till July, 1863, and is now suffering from effects of wounds and heart disease. He took active part in the battles of Dobbin's Ferry, Stone River, Franklin, Perryville, Chickamauga, Lookout Mt., Atlanta Campaign, and was honorably discharged at expiration of time at Villanon Station, Ga., Oct. 17, 1864. His wife had three brothers in the war, Jasper served in 126th O. V. I. and was killed at the battle of the Wilderness in 1864, George served in same command, and William served in the 139th Regt. about nine months. Comrade Gross was born in Tuscarawas county, O., Aug. 24, 1841, a son of John L. Gross, b. 1815, and Charlotte (Koontz), b. in November, 1813, parents still living (1893). April 16, 1868, he was married in Tuscarawas county, O., to Alvira John, born in that county March 2, 1849, and who died Nov. 11, 1884, leaving six children to mourn her loss, namely: Sheldon M., Elizabeth E., Clara J., Eleinia E., Eliza J. and Raymundus M.; her parents, Hiram and Hannah (Koontz) John, are both deceased. Comrade Gross draws a pension of \$6 a month, is a farmer by occupation, and his address is Newcomerstown, O.

JOHN HAAS,

Born July 19, 1846, in Berks county, Pa., was the son of Leonard Haas, b. in 1809, d. in April, 1871, and Hannah (Machamer), b. in 1812, died in 1886. He was married June 30, 1878, in Tuscarawas county, O., to Sarah A. Keffer, born in that county, Jan. 16, 1846, a daughter of John S. Keffer, b. March 30, 1812, died Sept. 26, 1892, and Mary (Woolf), b. April 5, 1818, died March 11, 1882. The children of this union are Jennie, b. April 25, 1879; Bertha, b. July 26, 1881; Clarence, b. Feb. 15, 1883; Daisy, b. Nov. 27, 1885; Della, b. Nov. 13, 1887; Alvin and Alta, twins, b. Sept. 8, 1889, and Golda, b. Feb. 13, 1892. By a former marriage to Elizabeth Kisleg who died Feb. 19, 1877, he had the following children; Calvin, b. July 31, 1871, d. Dec., same year; Francis, b. Feb., 1873, d. same year, and John F., b. April 27, 1875. He enlisted April 15, 1862, at Reading, Berkes Co., Pa., at the early age of fourteen years, as a private in Co. K, 98th Pa. V. I., 2d Brig., 3d Div., 12th A. C.; in 1864 he was given a thirty day furlough, before the expiration of which he was honorably discharged Nov. 26, 1864, at Harrisburg, Pa., re-enlisting April 7, 1865, at Reading, Pa., in Co. H, 50th Pa. V. I. Feb. 3, 1863, he was captured at Chattanooga, Tenn., and again in April, 1865, at Petersburg, Va., by "Stonewall" Jackson, making his escape both times from

Frank Norris Joe Smith Bob Fenton "Alexander" Fenton Sam Fenton "Archbold" Fenton George Fenton Will Fenton

Sammy Fenton Eliza "Lyde" Fenton (Mrs Joseph Smith) Rachel Gummer (Mrs Bob Fenton) Margaret Riggle (Mrs Alexander Fenton) "Isabelle" Fenton Leo Fenton Sarah Crank (Mrs George Fenton)

Mary Fenton (Mrs Frank Norris) ~~Nora Smith (Mrs Guy Powell)~~ Lillian Fenton (Mrs Jake Bixler) ~~Myrtle Fenton (Mrs Cleve West)~~ ~~[Redacted]~~ ~~Nattie [Redacted] (Mrs Ed D.)~~

Issac Norris Ada Fenton (Mrs [Redacted]) ~~[Redacted]~~ "Wilburn" Fenton Charles "Clifford" Fenton Walter Fenton Lattie Fenton (Mrs John Owens) Chester Fenton Verner Fenton Minnie Fenton (Mrs Jake Mixer)

OF 10 children of Samuel & Jane Burham Fenton - 4 are not pictured: George, James, William, Mary
 George stayed in Ireland James gone William gone Mary Dec. 1878

Robert & Rachel's children (7)

Alexander & Margaret's children (3 + 1 died Inf.)

"Lyde" & Joe Smith's (Daughter - 1 son died young)

James & Lattie's children & Grandchildren
 Not pictured 3 + 1 died Inf.
 Lona Not pictured

~~Mary Fenton Stephen Elliott (2 sons) Stephen Mary [Redacted] (1 son)~~



NEWCOMERSTOWN, OHIO

HISTORY

Newcomerstown is situated in Tuscarawas County, and first was a Delaware Indian Village called "Gekelamukpechunk," which in 1764, under Chief Netawatowes, became the Delaware capital.

The earliest visit here by a white man (Christopher Gist) was in 1750. In the Gist journal it tells what must have been an example of the "eternal triangle" and how Newcomerstown got its name. Chief Eagle Feather became tired of his wife, Mary Harris, who as a child had been abducted by the Indian raiders. While on one of the tribe's raiding trips to Virginia, he captured a younger and more beautiful squaw. Mary Harris was jealous of the "Newcomer," as she was called. Then one morning the Indian Village was aroused by the cries of Mary Harris that her husband, Chief Eagle Feather, had been murdered and that the "Newcomer" had fled. She was pursued and recaptured and thereafter this settlement was known as "Newcomerstown."

Newcomerstown was laid out in 1827 and contained 34 lots in the original plot. There was one building here at that time, occupied by Nicholas Neighbor, who founded the settlement in 1814. He later built the first store building, which was operated by him and Jacob Overhold. By 1830 there were four buildings. By 1840 the population was 270; by 1860, 577. Aaron Schenk's tanning yards were built about 1827. In 1840 Pilling's Woolen Mill was established; in 1833, a sawmill, by Edmund Smith, and in 1836, a flour mill. Closest market for farm produce was Pittsburgh. The canal was built in 1827, and by 1860 the traffic on the canal was at its height. Each lock had a tender and nearly every lock had a strange story connected with it - it was an interesting period in the life of the young community of Newcomerstown.

On May 31, 1851, it was announced that the route of the Steubenville-Indiana Railroad would extend from Steubenville through Uhrichsville and Newcomerstown to Coshocton. It opened for traffic in April, 1855, but before 1860 it had gone into receivership. In 1861 it was merged with the Pennsylvania Railroad. Greatest of all events connected with the railroad was in 1861, when President Lincoln passed through on his way to Washington, making a personal appearance on the rear platform of the train just as is done today. During the 1880's the town hall was built, which brought many prominent actors and musicians to the town.

In the latter part of the 19th Century, Newcomerstown instituted what became a thriving fair each fall. Newcomerstown has been called the cradle of Protestantism west of the Allegheny Mountains. The first Protestant sermon was delivered to assembled Delawares at noon on March 14, 1771, by Rev. David Zeisberger. That event of lasting importance is commemorated by a monument that stands on the East side of Pilling Street.

Newcomerstown is located about 100 miles south of Cleveland, 100 mile east of Columbus, 100 miles north of Marietta, and 100 miles west of Pittsburgh.

List of Industrial Employers in Newcomerstown, Ohio..

- Alchrome Products Company - Elizabeth Street
Baker Machine Shop - 222 S. River St.
Brode, The W. M. Company - 100 Elizabeth St.
Buss Burial Vaults - 605 W. State St.
Byrd Ambulance Service - E. Main St., Ext.
Canned Milk Products - Rt #3.
Davis Gun & Machine Shop - Rear 130 E. Main St.
Foundation Equipment Corp. - 100 Elizabeth St.
General Electric Company - Newport Street
General Tire & Rubber Company - Pilling Street
Globe Specialties, Inc. - 237 W. Canal St.
Goshen Brick Company - Rt. #3.
Groovfold Enterprises Corp. - 1050 W. State St.
Groovfold Fabricators - 1050 W. State St.
Gequip Corp. - 1050 W. State St.
31st Corp. - 1050 W. State St.
Heller Tool-Division Wallace-Murray Corp. - Heller Drive
Herco Tool Company - 213 W. Canal St.
Industrial Tool Grinding Service - 132 River Street
Jackson Tool Company - 102 E. State St.
Kurz-Kasch, Inc. - 199 E. State St.
Newcomerstown Truck Stop & Motel - Rt. #1.
Precision Automatic, Inc. - 225 Ray St.
Wentz Concrete & Supply, Inc. - Rt. #3.

The above employers furnish employment for our people with an annual payroll in excess of nine million dollars. This is important to our growth and survival, so let us appreciate and respect the industry that is in our community.

T. D. Addy, President
Newcomerstown Chamber of Commerce



YOUR NAME AND YOUR COAT OF ARMS — — Priceless Gifts From History

Until about 1100 A.D. most people in Europe had only one name (This is still true in some primitive countries today). As the population increased it became awkward to live in a village wherein perhaps 13 of the males were named John, another sizable percentage named William, and so forth.

And so, to distinguish one John from another a second name was needed. There were four primary sources for these second names. They were: a man's occupation, his location, his father's name or some peculiar characteristic of his. Here are some examples.

Occupation: The local house builder, food preparer, grain grinder and suit maker would be named respectively: John Carpenter, John Cook, John Miller, and John Taylor.

Location: The John who lived over the hill became known as John Overhill, the one who dwelled near a stream might be dubbed John Brook or perhaps John Atbrook.

Patronymical (father's name): Many of these surnames can be recognized by the termination-son, such as Williamson, Jackson, etc. Some endings used by other countries to indicate "son" are: Armenian — ian, Danish and Norwegian — sen, Finnish — nen, Greek — pulos, Spanish — ez and Polish — wicz. Prefixes denoting "son" are the Welsh — Ap, the Scotch & Irish — Mac and the Norman —

Fitz. The Irish O' incidentally denotes grandfather.

Characteristics: An unusually small person might be labeled Small, Short, Little or Lytle. A large man might be named Large, Long, Lang or Longfellow. Many persons having characteristics of a certain animal would be given the animal name. Examples: a sly person might be named Fox, a filthy person — Hogg, a good swimmer — Fish, etc.

In addition to needing an extra name for identification, one occupational group found it necessary to go a step further. **The fighting man:** The fighting man of the middle ages wore a metal suit of armor for protection. Since this suit of armor included a helmet that completely covered the head, a knight in full battle dress was unrecognizable. To prevent friend from attacking friend during the heat of battle it became necessary for each knight to somehow identify himself. Many knights accomplished this by painting colorful patterns on their battle shields. These patterns were also woven into cloth surcoats which were worn over a suit of armor. Thus was born the term "coat-of-arms".

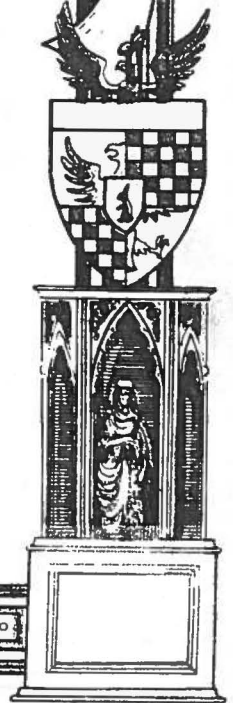
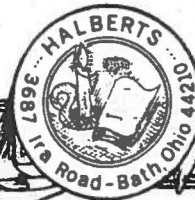
As this practice grew more popular, it became more and more likely that two knights unknown to each other might be using the same insignia. To prevent this, records were kept that granted the right to a particular pattern to a particular knight. His

family also shared his right to display these arms. In some instances, these records have been preserved and/or compiled into book form. The records list the family name and an exact description of the coat-of-arms granted to that family.

Interest in heraldry is increasing daily. This is especially true among people who have a measure of family pride and who resent attempts of our society to reduce each individual to a series of numbers stored somewhere in a computer. In our matter-of-fact day and age, a coat-of-arms is one of the rare devices remaining that can provide an incentive to preserve our heritage. We hope you'll agree that it is much more than just a wall decoration.

If you are interested in a more in-depth study of the subject of this paper, may we suggest you contact the genealogical department of any fair sized public library. We especially recommend the "Dictionary of American Family Names" published by Harper & Row and also "The Surnames of Scotland" available from the New York Public Library as excellent sources on the meaning of surnames.

Nancy Halbert
Nancy Halbert



Certificate of Authenticity

This is to certify that the Coat of Arms described hereon has been used in centuries past by a person or family with the Surname:

FENTON

or an onomatological variant thereof and is therefore judged to be associated with this name.

Arms Description:

"Gules, a bend engrailed, between two crescents argent."

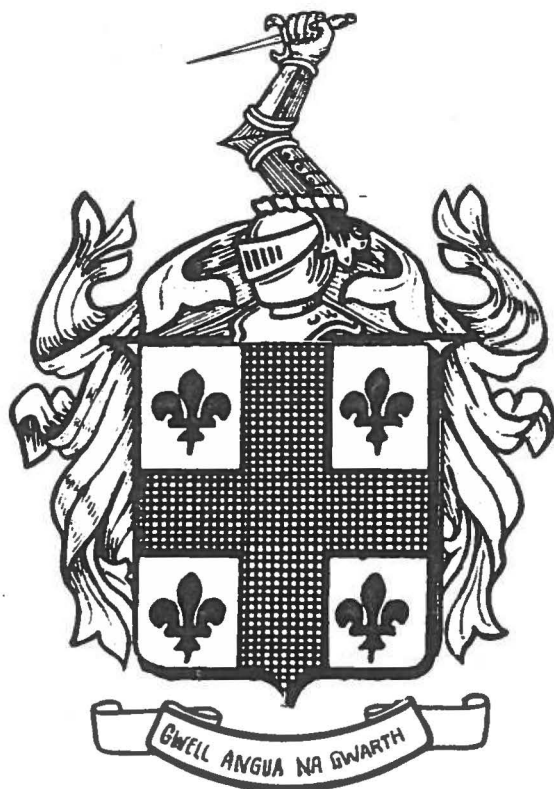
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Coat-of-Arms Research Report



Fenton

Heraldic Description

Arms (shield)

D'arg. a la croix de sa., cant. de quatre fleurs-de-lis du meme. Cq. cour.

Crest

un bras arm., tenant un poignard, le tout au nat.

Motto

GWELL ANGUA NA GWARTH.

Historiography

This Coat of Arms was officially recorded in ancient heraldic archives. Its design is the only one of its kind in existence. The written heraldic description is worded in the language developed by the heralds as it appears in the records. The first use of a Coat of Arms was for identification on the battlefield. Many times deeds of valor were recorded with a memorable symbol. The fact of the recording of a Coat of Arms means its bearer's surname had its origin at least as far back as medieval times. As not everyone was granted a Coat of Arms, it also means the family name was singled out ages ago to be lifted from conformity and personal extinction. As many people of the same name are unrelated, we have not traced anyone's individual family tree to obtain the information in this report. It should be remembered, however, that many people may be direct descendants of a particular bloodline and be unknown to each other. Although bearers of this old and distinguished family name comprise a small fraction of the population, a surprising number of them have gained world-wide recognition. Space here permits only the listing of a scant few of its famous members, they include:

EDWARD FENTON (1550-1603) English Navigator who accompanied Sir Martin Frobisher to the North Seas. Had command in the armament sent against the famous Armada in 1588, and was distinguished for his skills and bravery.

ELIJAH FENTON (1683-1730) English poet. He collaborated with Pope in the latter's famous translation of the "Odyssey", his portion being the first, fourth, nineteenth and twentieth books.

LAVINIA FENTON (1708-1760) English actress. Her first appearance was made in 1726 as "Monimia" in Otway's "The Orphan". Noted for her beauty, voice and warmth. She became the bride of the Earl of Bolton (1758).

REUBEN EATON FENTON (1819-1885) American lumberman, banker and politician. Founder of Republican party in New York; Governor of New York (1865-1868); U. S. Senator (1869-1875).

As is evident, this family name is a very old and distinguished one. The above is but a mere hint of its illustrious history.

the ORIGIN of

heraldry

Earliest heraldry has been traced to pre-Christian nomadic tribes. Subsequently, its concept appeared more elaborately in the Greek and Roman empires, where families bore symbols signifying deeds of merit.

Heraldry as an art and science began in the twelfth century when knighthood flourished, wars increased in scope, and weapons became more sophisticated. The need for better protection arose, and soon knights were covered from head to foot in heavy armor. Because helmets concealed their identities, they began to wear colored coats with symbols over their armor for recognition. This was the *Coat of Arms*.

Later, they began to paint the symbols on their helmets and shields. They became a source of pride and began to be used to mark their most cherished possessions. Strict rules developed regarding the granting of Coats of Arms, and they became zealously guarded by each family and passed on from generation to generation.

the preservation of heraldry

It was established that only a sovereign should have the power to grant a Coat of Arms. Official records had to be kept—first by Royal Heralds, later by dedicated scribes.

With the end of the "Age of Chivalry" and the advent of the Industrial Revolution, the art of heraldry faced extinction. The bulk of the records existed only in archaic language, and the ability to translate them was handed down from father to son. Soon there remained only a few scholarly men who possessed this knowledge, and they sustained their part by painting arms on carriages and other personal possessions.

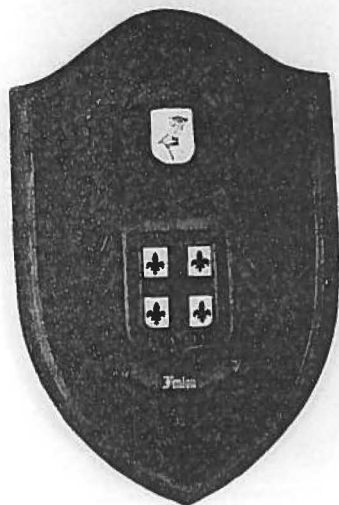
One of these coach painters saw in his art one of the last remaining links between modern man and his past. To satisfy his consuming interest in heraldry, he devoted his life to collecting every scrap of paper, every document from every conceivable source. He began codifying his extensive research into a well-organized library. It was largely through his efforts that the Sanson Institute of Heraldry arose.

heraldry today

Today knights in shining armor are relegated to romantic tales of the past, but Coats of Arms live on. They are displayed as military insignia, on aircraft, as trademarks and, most significantly, in flags of nations.

The Sanson Institute helps perpetuate the Science of Heraldry with its extensive library. They translate, render and add thousands of Coats of Arms to their files every year.

You can be assured the Coat-of-Arms which has been individually engraved on your crystal is authentic. Actual research shows that it was borne, in the past, by a person or family with your surname or one from which yours may have been derived. However, no genealogical relationship is implied.



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Registry Number CF 5500

The crystal contained herein is genuine lead crystal which entirely conforms to specifications drawn by the European Economic Community and French Standards Association. It has a guaranteed minimum lead oxide content of 24%, and exceptional sparkle due to a high refractive index of 1.545. It has been subjected to rigorous inspection, and is judged free of defects. The registry number assigned refers to the time and sequence of issue.

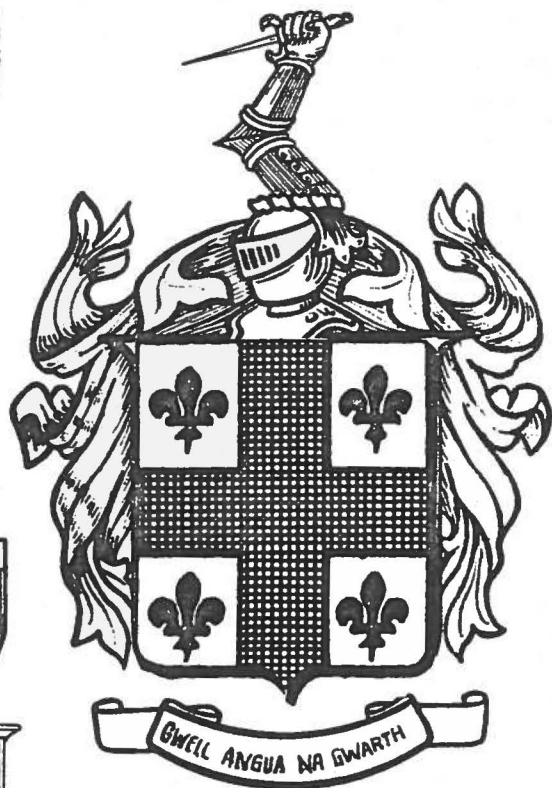
We further certify that this crystal is engraved with an authentic Coat-of-Arms, solely and specifically, for the family whose name is inscribed thereon. The manuscript number appearing on any Certificate of Authenticity which accompanies the goblet identifies the Coat-of-Arms; it shall be retained to assure a proper match for all pieces in the collection.

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Coat of Arms

Historiography



Fenton

The Fenton Coat of Arms illustrated left was drawn by an heraldic artist from information officially recorded in ancient heraldic archives. Documentation for the Fenton Coat of Arms design can be found in Rietstap Armorial General. Heraldic artists of old developed their own unique language to describe an individual Coat of Arms. In their language, the Arms (shield) is as follows:

"D'arg. a la croix de sa., cant. de quatre fleurs-de-lis du meme. Cq. cour."

Above the shield and helmet is the Crest which is described as:

"Un bras arm., tenant un poignard, le tout au nat."

When translated the blazon also describes the original colors of the Fenton Coat of Arms as it appeared centuries ago.

Family mottos are believed to have originated as battle cries in medieval times. A Motto was recorded with this Fenton Coat of Arms:

"GWELL ANGUA NA GWARDH"

Individual surnames originated for the purpose of more specific identification. The four primary sources for second names were: occupation, location, father's name, or personal characteristics. The surname Fenton appears to be locational in origin, and is believed to be associated with "one who lived near a marsh." The supplementary sheet included with this report is designed to give you more information to further your understanding of the origin of names. Although bearers of the old and distinguished Fenton name comprise a small fraction of the population there are a number who have established for it a significant place in history. They include: EDWARD FENTON (1550-1603) English navigator who accompanied Sir Martin Frobisher to the North Sea. Had command in the armament seat against the famous "Armada", in 1588, and was distinguished for his skills and bravery. ELIJAH FENTON (1683-1730) English poet. He collaborated with Pope in the latter's famous translation of the "Odyssey", his portion being the first, fourth, nineteenth, and twentieth books. LAVINIA FENTON (1708-1760) English actress. Her first appearance was made in 1726 as "Monimia" in Otway's "The Orphan." Noted for her beauty, voice, and warmth. In 1758, she became the wife of the Earl of Bolton. REUBEN EATON FENTON (1819-1885) American lumberman, banker and politician. Founder of the Republican Party in New York. Between 1865 and 1868, he was Governor of New York, and from 1869 to 1875, a United States Senator.

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SAMUEL FENTON, IRISH PIONEER.

Through the kindness of Artists Erwin & Leland the Index is enabled to present above an excellent half-tone engraving of Samuel Fenton who died Tuesday, Aug. 6, 1901. Mr. Fenton's history need not be repeated here. But his life is a noble example of the influence of right living.

Samuel Fenton never made a speech in his life. He shrank from anything like publicity. Modest to a fault, his life was a life of retirement—almost seclusion. But when he died people came for miles to pay their last respects to an honest man. The procession of carriages to his grave was a mile long. Seldom has this section witnessed such an outpouring of the people on a funeral occasion. It was a magnificent tribute to the influence of a true life.

FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 1903.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

The Gathering of Bright Jewels for
the Master's Diadem.

Sadie E. Fenton, the amiable wife of Mr. George Fenton, died at their home north of this place Sunday evening, Mar. 29, at 6:30 o'clock, after a lingering illness of sixteen months, which was borne with patience and resignation, she feeling well prepared to meet her Lord and Saviour.

Mrs. Fenton was born in Dover Hill, Ind., Apr. 21, 1867, being 35 years, 11 months and 8 days old. She was a faithful member of the U. B. church, and Rev. L. M. Oliver conducted the memorial services Tuesday afternoon at Everals church, interment taking place immediately following.

She leaves to mourn her demise a husband and four children; also three brothers and one sister. The deepest sympathy is felt for the bereft husband and friends.

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SEPTEMBER 13, 1922

DIES AT HOME IN LICK RUN VICINITY

George Fenton, prominent farmer and coal operator, died of complications at 7 o'clock Monday evening, Sept. 11th, at his home in the Lick Run vicinity.

Mr. Fenton has been ailing for several months and unable to do any work since last April. He sought the advice of a number of specialists in an effort to get relief from his complicated ailments, but received little or no benefit from the suggested treatments.

George Fenton was a son of James and Letitia Fenton and was born in Coshocton county near Newcomertown, May 13, 1862. He was twice married. His first wife, Sarah Crook, to whom he was married in 1886, bore him five children, one of whom died in infancy. The surviving children of this marriage are: Walter and Leo Fenton of this vicinity, Chester Fenton of Cleveland and Mrs. Mabel Gross of this vicinity. He is also survived by his second wife, Anna Huffman, to whom he was married Jan. 15, 1904, and their two children, Charles and Gladys of the home.

He leaves two sisters, Mrs. Frank Norris of Orange, and Mrs. Jos. Pope of Everals.

Mr. Fenton was a member of the Presbyterian church. That he had the respect and confidence of his fellow men was evidenced by his record of having served his community both as township trustee and member of the school board.

Funeral services will be held at the residence this Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock, conducted by Rev. Glenrole McQueen, D. D. Burial at Everals.

OBITUARY

Lettie Lockard Weston was born near Lake Run, Tuscarawas co., Ohio Dec. 7th 1842; died at Orange, Ohio July 2, 1906 at the age of 63 years, 6 mo. 25 da. She was married Dec. 7, 1860 to James Weston who died at Orange, Aug. 2nd 1897. In this happy union four children were born—Geo. Weston, Mrs. Mary E. Norris, Mrs. Lena Pope and one child who died in infancy. The other three still survive to mourn the loss of a loving mother. She joined the Presbyterian church at Bakersville when quite young, and in after years being unable to attend that church, she joined the United Brethren church at Everts. After moving to Orange in 1896 she became a member of the M. E. church. In all her church relations she lived a conservative Christian life. She suffered much for three years and the last six months of her life was not able to leave her bed. She bore with fortitude her untold suffering, clinging firmly to God's promises and waiting patiently His good pleasure to remove her from this vale of tears. The remains were laid to rest in the Bakersville cemetery, the services being conducted by Rev. E. E. Burcaw. The entire community extends the hand of sympathy to the bereaved family.

JANUARY 2, 1924

MRS. ALEXANDER FINTON

Margaret Finton, wife of Alexander Finton, of Bakersville, died Thursday, Dec. 27, at the age of 8 years, 7 months and 14 days. Margaret Riggle was born May 13, 1845 in Adams twp., Coshocton county, Ohio. She was the daughter of Michael and Sarah Riggle. She was one of a family of 13 children, three of whom are still living, Charles and Jesse of near Bakersville, and Edward of Seymour, Mo. She was united in marriage to Alexander Finton April 7, 1870. To this union were born four children, one an infant son preceded her to the grave. She leaves to mourn her husband, two sons and one daughter, Minnie and Clifford of near Bakersville and Wille of Dover. Of eleven grandchildren and one great grandchild also survive. She united with the Methodist church of Bakersville when a girl and afterward united with the Presbyterian church of Bakersville of which she remained a faithful member until her death.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at the Bakersville Presbyterian church, conducted by Pastor Glenroie McQueen, D. D., assisted by Rev. Poetter, pastor of the Reformed church. Interment in the Bakersville cemetery.

FEBRUARY 3, 1928

ANOTHER CIVIL WAR VETERAN IS CALLED

Alexander Finton, the last Civil War veteran of Jefferson township, died at the home of his son, Clifford Finton, near Bakersville, last Thursday at 1:15 p. m. following a week's illness with pneumonia.

Alexander Finton was born in the County of Tyrone, Ireland. When he was two years old, his parents Samuel and Jane Finton came to America and settled in Pennsylvania, removing to Ohio in the year of 1849.

When the call came for volunteers in the Civil War he enlisted and served nearly three years in Co. G, 122nd regt. O. V. I.

He was united in marriage April 7, 1870, to Margaret Riggle, who died in 1924. To this union were born four children, one of whom died in infancy. Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Jacob Mizer of Stonecreek, William Finton of Dover who is seriously ill, and Clifford Finton of near Bakersville. There are also eleven grandchildren and one great grandchild.

He was the last member of a family of ten children, and lived to the ripe old age of 84 years. He united with the church in early life and for many years served as an elder in the Presbyterian church at Bakersville.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 1:30 p. m. from the late residence followed by services at 2 p. m. from the Presbyterian church at Bakersville, conducted by Rev. Harold Lee of this city, assisted by Rev. Glenroie McQueen of Newark. Burial was made in the Bakersville cemetery.

LETTIE FENTON.

Aunt Lettie Fenton as she was familiarly known, died at the home of her daughter Mrs. Frank Norris in Evansburg, Thursday, July 2, after an illness of three years duration. Funeral services were held Saturday at 11 a. m. with interment in the Oak-crest cemetery.

Aunt Lettie was the daughter of William Lockard, long since deceased, and a sister of Andrew Lockard, Esq.

She was reared on the old Lockard homestead now occupied by John Lockard, and it was here she was married James Fenton, Esq. For a quarter of a century she and her husband occupied the old Fenton farm on Pine Ridge. It was here that her children—George, Mary, wife of Frank Harris; and Lena, wife of Joseph Rose, were born.

For the past few years Mrs. Fenton made her home with her daughter at Evansburg, and here she received the kindest and most unremitting attention throughout her illness. She was a good, kind neighbor, an affectionate mother, and a Christian woman. She will be deeply mourned by a large circle of relatives and friends. She was 65 years of age.



Ourant Funeral Home
NEWCOMERSTOWN, OHIO



*In Loving
Memory*

IN MEMORY OF
Helen G. Pope

BORN
November 18, 1900

PASSED AWAY
October 8, 1979

DATE & TIME OF SERVICE
Thursday October 11, 1979
1 P.M.

PLACE OF SERVICE
Ourant Funeral Home

CLERGY
Rev. William Calvert

INTERMENT
Everals Cemetery

FUNERAL CONDUCTED BY
William E. Ourant
William R. Parks

Lelia Harris + Mr. Richard
Robinson

MRS RICHARD ROBINSON

1983

Lelia Harris



She lived life well...
She laughed often...
She loved much...



Sara Jane Fenton

April 7, 1926 – November 25, 2006

Sara Jane Fenton, age 80, a loving wife, devoted mother, and cherished grandmother, died Saturday, November 25, 2006, in Union Hospital at Dover.

Born at Dover, April 7, 1926. Sara was a daughter of the late Howard L. and Emma Treacle Ulrich. Sara grew up in New Philadelphia, and graduated from NPHS in 1944.

A longtime member of Emmanuel Lutheran Church, Sara sang in the church choir for more than fifty years. Mrs. Fenton has an equally impressive tenure as a volunteer for Union Hospital where she served as one of the hospital's Pink Ladies, and as a volunteer in the gift shop for more than thirty years.

Perhaps she will be best remembered though for the care she gave to her family. She and her sister, Doris, married two of the Fenton Brothers. Sara and Harold were married September 14, 1947 in Emmanuel Lutheran Church. Together, they reared three boys, Thomas (Ellen) Fenton of New Philadelphia, Chris (Jackie) Fenton of Dover, and Ronald Fenton of Mineral City.

Sara was blessed with five granddaughters: Amy Fenton and her companion Dave King of Tallmadge, Ohio, Kelly (Chris) Schoelles of Dover, Lindsey (Mark) Rosneck of New Philadelphia, Brooke Fenton and Jennica Fenton, both of Dover, and two great-grandchildren, Olivia and Owen Schoelles. Sara's sister, Doris (Leo) Fenton, of New Philadelphia, and brother, Don (Janice) Ulrich of New Philadelphia, as well as numerous nieces and nephews, and special friends, Charles and Karen Graham of New Philadelphia, complete the family.

In addition to her parents, Sara was preceded in death by her sister, Edna Shroyer on April 26, 1995.

Friends are invited to call Wednesday, November 29, from 4 p.m.-7 p.m. in the Linn-Hert-Geib Funeral Home & Crematory at New Philadelphia where Lutheran Church Council Services will commence at 7 p.m. Pastor Mike Walters will lead Sara's funeral service Thursday morning at 11 a.m. in Emmanuel Lutheran Church at New Philadelphia with calling hours one hour prior to the service at the church. Burial will follow in East Avenue Cemetery. A reception will be given in the Geib Funeral Center at Dover following the committal service. Those unable to attend are invited to send condolences to the family, sign an online guest registry, and view Mrs. Fenton's memorial by visiting the funeral home's website.

The Fenton family requests that memorial contributions be made to Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 202 East High Avenue, New Philadelphia, OH 44663.



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Dean H. Patterson

Dean H. Patterson, 72, of 22150 Valley View Dr., West Lafayette, O., died Thursday, Dec. 11, 2003, in his residence at West Lafayette.

He was born in Coshocton County May 27, 1931, a son of the late Hazel (Howell) Patterson and Berton E. Patterson. He was a veteran, serving in the U.S. Air Force during the Korean War. He retired from Clow Water Systems of Coshocton with 39 years of service. He was a member of Isleta United Methodist Church and a member of Blue Ridge Grange and American Haflinger Registry. He loved being with grandkids and also working with his horses. He was an Oxford Township trustee for Coshocton County for 20 years.

Surviving are his wife, Betty A. (Hoffman) Patterson, whom he married March 23, 1957; two daughters, Teresa Porcher and husband Randy and Karen Hicks and husband Jamie, all of West Lafayette; a son, Michael Dean Patterson and wife Lori of Coshocton; six grandchildren, Lisa Porcher, Dustin Porcher, Adam, Chad and Chelsie Hicks, Michaela and Jacob Patterson; a brother, Bert Patterson of West Lafayette; and a sister, Esta Henderson and husband Annis of Warsaw.

He was preceded in death by three sisters, Thelma Addy, Vera Gardner and Betty Murray; two half-brothers, Daniel Patterson and John Patterson; and one half-sister, Margaret Scott.

Services will be held in Addy Funeral Home on Monday, Dec. 15, 2003, beginning at 1:30 p.m. with Rev. Johnnie Swann officiating. Burial will be in Fairfield Cemetery at West Lafayette, O. Visitation is in Addy Funeral Home on Sunday, Dec. 14, 2003, from 6 to 9 p.m. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Coshocton County, P.O. Box 1284, Coshocton, O., or Isleta United Methodist Church, 58608 Coshocton County Rd. 9, Newcomerstown, O. 43832.

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(740) 498-8111

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Henry V. Fenton Dies at Age of 79

Henry V. Fenton, 79, of 4403 Cleveland Ave, N.W., Canton, died late Monday afternoon. He had been in ill health for the past five years.

He was born in Newcomerstown, but moved to Canton 40 years ago. He was a retired employee of the Union Metal Manufacturing Co.

A number of nieces and nephews are the only survivors.

Services will be held Thursday at 2:30 p.m. at the Reed Funeral Home, 705 Raff Road, S.W., Canton, with Rev. Harold L. David, pastor of the First Christian Church, officiating. Burial will be in Forest Hill Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home from noon Thursday until the hour of services.

OCTOBER 1, 1924

MISS BELLE FENTON DIES AT AGE OF 88

Miss Belle Fenton, aged 88 years, died about noon Saturday, Sept. 27, after an illness of several months' duration, at the home of her niece, Mrs. Frank West, between Newcomerstown and Bakersville.

She was a daughter of Samuel and Jane Fenton and was born in Tyrone, Ireland. When she was nine years old her parents came to America with their family of seven children, settling in Pennsylvania in 1845, and four years later removed to Ohio. Practically all her life was spent on the farm where she died.

The surviving relatives are two brothers, Alexander Fenton of near Bakersville and Robert Fenton of Wadsworth, also a number of nieces and nephews.

She was a member of the Presbyterian church for about 52 years, having united with the Bakersville church in Nov. 1872, later transferring her membership to the Newcomerstown church.

Funeral services were held Monday at 10 a. m. at the West home, conducted by Dr. Glenroie McQueen of Newcomerstown. Interment was made in the Bakersville cemetery.

Getrude I. Martin

Getrude Irene Martin, 72, of Las Vegas, Nevada, formerly of Dover, died Sunday (July 16, 1995) in Las Vegas following a brief illness.

She was born June 11, 1923, in Coshocton, a daughter of the late Warner Courtwright, lives in Gnadenhutten. A nephew, Bob and Nettie Mackey, who were formerly of Newcomerstown.

Services were Wednesday at the Davis Funeral Home in Las Vegas. The body was cremated, with interment in Everals Cemetery.

IN MEMORY OF
Ruth G. Beal

BORN
September 28, 1924

PASSED AWAY
May 12, 1994

DATE & TIME OF SERVICE
Monday-May 16, 1994
11 A.M.

PLACE OF SERVICE
Ourant Funeral Home

CLERGYMAN
Evang. Charles Newell

INTERMENT
Everal's Cemetery

FUNERAL CONDUCTED BY
John C. Ourant
William E. Ourant

The Legend of the Dogwood

AT THE time of the Crucifixion the dogwood attained the size of the oak and other forest trees. So strong and firm was the wood it was chosen as the timber for the Cross.

To be thus used for such a cruel purpose greatly distressed the tree and Jesus, nailed upon it, sensed this and in His gentle pity for all sorrow, said to it: "Because of your regret and pity for My suffering, I make you this promise: Never again shall the dogwood tree grow large enough to be used for a Cross. Henceforth it shall be slender and shall be bent and twisted, and its blossoms shall be in the form of a cross—two long and two short petals.

"And in the center of the outer edge of each petal there will be nail prints. And in the center of the flower, brown with rust and stained with blood, will be a crown of thorns—so that all who see it will remember it was upon a dogwood tree that I was crucified, and this tree shall not be mutilated nor destroyed but cherished and protected as a reminder of My agony and death upon the Cross."

In Memory of Henry O. Fenton

Born July 30, 1885

Passed Away February 1, 1965

Services at the Reed Funeral Parlors
Thursday at 2:30 p. m.
Rev. Harold L. Davis officiating

Final Resting Place
Forest Hill Cemetery

Funeral Conducted by
Cledus T. Reed Funeral Home

The Reed Musical
WHBC—Sunday 10:45 to 11:00 a.m.

Fenton Will Is Probated

The heir of James who attempts to break the will of Archibald Fenton, late of Adams, will be barred from receiving a single penny. The will was filed for probate Thursday. Mr. Fenton wills \$100 each to his brothers, George Fenton, sr., of Barah, Ireland, Alexander Fenton, and sister, Eliza J. Smith, nieces, Mattie Duff, Lena Pope and Mary Norris and his nephew, George Fenton, jr. The personal property is to be sold at public sale and the real estate at private sale. The balance of the proceeds is to be equally divided among his brother Robert, his sister, Isabel and his niece, Mary Bell West. He specifies in a special clause that the heir who contests the will shall forfeit all rights under the will. Robert is named as executor. The will was signed at Newcomertown, Nov. 1, 1902.—Coshocton Age.

NEWSPAPER MERGER.

In Loving Memory
Lelia A. Norris

Date of Birth
June 20, 1899

Date of Death
May 6, 1995

Funeral Service
Tuesday, May 9, 1995
Addy Funeral Home, Inc.
2:00 pm

Clergy Officiating
Rev. Gary George

Interment In
Fairfield Cemetery

Family Being Served By
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is still living (1893). They have had six children: William, John, Franklin, Harry, Lusetta and James. His brother Joseph, of the 76th Pa., was killed at Ft. Wagner July 11, 1863. Their grandfather was a soldier in the German army. Comrade Fetter is a member of the Union Veteran Legion. He receive a small pension, and has application on file for increase; he is a coal operator and resides at Uhrichsville, Ohio.

ALEXANDER FINTON,

A farmer by occupation, enlisted at the age of 20 years, Oct. 2, 1862, at Zanesville, O., for three years as a private in Co. G, 122d O. V. I., 2d Brig., 3d Div., 6th A. C. and was subsequently promoted to Corp. He was wounded at Cedar Creek, by gunshot in small of back and in the spring of 1863 he was sent to hospital at Washington, D. C., from Harper's Ferry about one week, at New York two weeks and Rhode Island until January, 1864, and rejoined his Regt. at Alexandria, Va. He contracted several ailments while in the army and is still a sufferer; he also suffers from wound received in back. He took active part in the battles of Winchester, Martinsburg, Cedar Creek, Wilderness Campaign, Siege of Richmond, Siege of Petersburg and Surrender at Appomattox C. H. in all twenty-six battles and twenty-five skirmishes, and was honorably discharged June 26, 1865. Four brothers of his wife served in the late war, Charles Riggle, in Co. I, 194th O. V. I.; Jesse, in 51st O. V. I., was wounded in hand; Thomas, in Co. G, 122d O. V. I., and died in service, and Edward Riggle, in Co. G, 122d O. V. I., was severely wounded in right shoulder at the battle of the Wilderness. Comrade Finton was a son of Samuel and Jane (Graham) Finton, both deceased. He was a native of Ireland, born in 1842, and came to America and settled in Coshocton county, O., in 1848, and in in Tuscarawas county, O., about 1880. April 7, 1870, she was married in Coshocton county, O., to Maggie B. Riggle, a daughter of Michael and Sarah (Bensinger) Riggle, both deceased; she born May 13, 1845, in Coshocton county, O. Four children have been born to Mr. and Mrs. Finton, Minnie A., William Merritt, Charles Clifford and one deceased. Comrade Finton draws a pension of \$8 a month, is a farmer, and may be addressed at Bakersville, Ohio.

CAPT. WILSON S. FISHER

Was born June 12, 1830, in Harrison county, O., where, in Monroe township, on the old homestead, a fine farm of 285 acres, he now resides. He was engaged in railroading when he enlisted at this place May 1, 1864, as 1st Lt. in Co. B, 170th O. V. I., having previously

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 7, 1901.

Death Results From an Injury.

About ten days ago Mr. Samuel Fenton, who resides on a farm near Bakersville, was driving a mowing machine, when he suddenly fell backward and lay in an unconscious condition for some time. He was discovered by George Fenton and taken to the house. For a few days he seemed to be improving, but on last Sunday he took a sinking spell, became unconscious, and remained so up to the hour of his death which occurred about 2 o'clock yesterday, Tuesday, morning. The funeral services will take place at the house, on Wednesday at one o'clock, conducted by Rev. B. M. Swan. The deceased was unmarried, and was about 70 years old.

MARCH 15, 1911

ARCHIBALD FENTON.

Archibald Fenton, unmarried, in his 77th year, died at the old Fenton homestead in Adams twp., Coshocton county, about 3½ miles northwest of Newcomerstown, on Friday, March 10, of general debility. In his latter days he resided with his niece, Mrs. Frank West and family. Mr. Fenton was born in Ireland in 1834, and, together with his parents and seven other children, came to this country and settled in Pennsylvania, where they remained 4 years; then moved to the farm on which he lived until his death. He is survived by two brothers, Alexander and Robert, and one sister, Miss Belle, who resides with the West family. His father, Samuel Fenton, died April 10, 1884, and his mother July 24, 1868. Mr. Fenton was a quiet, peaceable citizen, obliging neighbor and steadfast friend. The funeral services were conducted from the old homestead Sunday at 1:30 p. m., by Rev. W. W. Carhart of Newcomerstown, and interment was made in the Bakersville cemetery. Music was provided by members of

Lelia A. Norris

Lelia A. Norris, 95, of Coshocton Hospital Extended Care Facility at Coshocton, died Saturday, May 6, 1995, at 2:22 p.m. in Coshocton County Memorial Hospital.

Born June 20, 1899, at Elnora, Pa., she was a daughter of the late George and Molly Mohoney Adams, who moved to Newcomerstown in 1903. She was a member of Christ United Methodist Church of Newcomerstown and its Queen Esther Sunday School class, a 50-year member of Oriental Chapter Order of the Eastern Star, a member of Newcomerstown Senior Citizens and a former member of the American Legion Auxiliary. She was a homemaker.

Her husband, Isaac Norris, died April 20, 1953.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. William (Betty) Miller of Savannah, Ga., and Mrs. William (Gloria) Schirner of Columbus, O.; one sister, Mrs. Sally Reynolds of Elmhurst, Ill.; one niece, Martha Ann Gracik of Elmhurst; and four grandsons, William, Robert and David Schirner and Fredrick Miller. She was preceded in death by three brothers.

Services will be held in Addy Funeral Home at Newcomerstown on Tuesday, May 9, 1995, at 2 p.m. with Rev. Gary George officiating. Calling hours are Monday (today) from 7 to 9 p.m. and Tuesday from 1 p.m. to 2 in Addy Funeral Home at Newcomerstown. Burial will be in Fairfield Cemetery at West Lafayette.

Memorial gifts may be made to Coshocton County Memorial Hospital or the donor's favorite charity.

Blacksmith at Orange Called Last Evening

Frank Norris, aged 62, blacksmith at Orange, died of heart trouble Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock while being taken to the office of Dr. George Kistler in Newcomerstown by his son, Ernest Norris, of Orange.

Mr. Norris became unconscious when he and his son got as far as Isleta. He was removed to a home in Isleta, where he died a few minutes later.

He has served as a blacksmith in Orange for the past several years. He was the son of the late Isaac and Harriet Norris, and was born in the vicinity of Orange.

Mr. Norris was a member of the M. E. church at Orange and belonged to the Odd Fellow lodge at West Lafayette.

The widow, Mrs. Mary Fenton Norris, his step-mother, Mrs. Zella Norris, Newcomerstown, two sons, Isaac Norris and Ernest Norris of Orange; a daughter, Miss Mary Ruth Norris of the late home; two sisters, Mrs. Nora Fulton of Linton Mills and Mrs. Fannie Miskimen, Newcomerstown; two step-sisters, Mrs. Arthur Lacey, Newcomerstown, and Mrs. Josephine Snyder of Columbus, and two grandchildren, Betty Ellen and Gloria Marie Norris, both of Orange, survive.

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the M. E. church in Orange in charge of Rev. First, and burial will be made in the West Lafayette cemetery.