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What Will Be the Fate of Historic Ridgeway?

BEFORE

AFTER ?

Harrison County Historical Society

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Virgie Wells, Treasurer

NEW MEMBERS

Bill Nordan, Cynthiana, Ky.
Eastside Student Members : Kylie Hudgins; Brooke Kinney; Landon Kinney; Kallie Mcloney; Addison Peak; Makayla Skiba; Isabel Sims. *These are our first student members of the Society.*

President's Corner - Don Wagoner

On October 23, we took an Excursion to Frankfort. We started with a stop at the Thomas D. Clark Kentucky History center where we took a self-guided tour of the museum, genealogy research library, and the Hall of Governors. Afterwards, we had a delicious lunch at Jim's Seafood Restaurant by the Kentucky River. As promised, next was a delightful stop being the Rebecca Ruth Candy Factory. The only problem encountered there was getting everybody to leave. The last stop was at the Daniel and Rebecca Boone burial site in the Frankfort Cemetery.

Let's be thinking where and what we would like the 2015 Excursion Trip to include. Remember to bring items to the November 20 "Show and Tell meeting. It will be our last meeting for 2014, since there is no meeting in December 2014. There will be a December 2014 issue of the Harrison Heritage News containing the annual cumulative index covering all issues since 2000.

Historical Society Meeting Notes - Oct. 16, 2014

President Don Wagoner reminded everyone of the day trip on Oct. 23 to Frankfort. The program next month, November 20th will feature Show and Tell with members bringing items from home. It was announced that we would continue to use the Hospice Center for meeting, January thru March and schedule meetings for 10 a.m. on the third Saturday. From April through October, meetings will be held on the fourth Thursday as usual, still in the Hospice Center. Tidbits of our history were presented and discussed, i.e. Buff Ingles, a former teacher and band director at Cynthiana High School served in the U.S. Navy and had helped put a propeller on the plane that Admiral Byrd flew over the North Pole. Virgie Wells shared a poem by George Slade, information about the old covered bridge and various other items of interest.

Scenes from the Oct. 23 Harrison Co. Historical Society **Excursion to Frankfort,** taken by five members. *Photos, Joan Criswell.*

Above - Joan Criswell at Boone grave Kentucky River overlook.

Top left- Virgie Wells, Marilynn Bell and Don Wagoner at Rebecca Ruth.

Bottom - Bill Penn with his great-grandfather James Samuel Penn's 1870's flour mill he donated to the Ky. History Center museum. It was used near Renaker.

Upcoming Events and Meetings

Winter Meetings 2015 *Jan-Mar, 3rd Sat, 10 AM, First Methodist Church; Spring-Fall 2015, April-Oct., 4th Thursday, 7 pm; November, 3rd Sat. 7 pm. Hospice of the Blue Grass on Oddville Avenue, 1317 US HWY 62E. Meeting room is 1st floor rear entrance.*

Dec. - no meeting

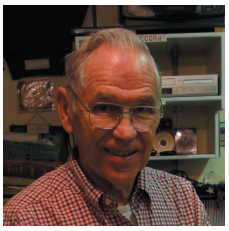
Jan. 17, 2015 - Historical Society Mtg. Philip Foley will be back by popular demand discussing American Indian relics and collecting. He will again bring a sampling of his collection.

Feb. 21 - Historical Society Mtg.

Mar. 21 - Historical Society Mtg.

March 28 - Northern Ky. History Day, NKU campus, Highland Heights, Ky.

Corrections to vol. 15 no. 9 October 2014 newsletter: Due to the editor being distracted playing with his dog "Katie" and other such important errands, the meeting minutes had the wrong caption of "August. 21" instead of the correct date, "Sept. 18." Also, in the "Upcoming Events" calendar, the November 2015 meeting was to be the third Thursday, not Saturday.



CYNTHIANA MUSEUM HARRISON CO.

Kenny Simpson, Curator www.HarrisonCountyKy.

Esther Ammerman
(1916-2007)

Winifred Midden
(1922-2006)

Betty Ann Selin
(1922-2013)

Katherine Wilson
(1908-2012)

THE CYNTHIANA/HARRISON COUNTY MUSEUM

A WWII CONNECTION

As we remember our Veterans this November it is appropriate to note the contribution of so many Harrison County men and women. If you haven't stopped by the Museum, you might be surprised to find how extensive our military exhibits are. Especially of interest are our binder books that hold "stories" from Harrison County Veterans recalling their time in the Service. Of the 99 stories exhibited thus far, it is interesting to note the contribution of four local women who served in WWII.

- Esther Ammerman: was one of 25,000 women who applied for acceptance into the WASPS (Women's Air Force Service Pilots) and one of the 1800 accepted. She logged time on B-17, B-24, & B-29 bombers. She did not fly overseas but relieved male pilots to do so. She ferried fighter and bomber planes to points of embarkation; flew military personnel from base to base; and towed targets for B-25 air-to-air gunnery practice.
- Winifred (Wigglesworth) Midden: joined the WAVES (Women's Appointed Volunteer Emergency Service) in 1944. She served at the Naval Hospital in Bethesda, Maryland and was discharged in 1946.
- Betty Ann (Poindexter) Selin was inducted into the WAVES in 1944 with Winnie Wigglesworth and was assigned to the Naval Hospital in Queens, NY. She was a Pharmacist Mate, Third Class.
- Katherine Wilson joined the Red Cross and served as Medical Assistant to Nurses & Doctors on the Field. She landed on Omaha Beach 13 days after D-Day and worked with the 44th Evacuation Hospital in the Battle of the Bulge.

To learn more about these amazing women, stop by the Museum and read more of their stories. We are always hoping to add more stories to our exhibit. If you know of anyone whose story needs to be documented have them come by the Museum.

compiled by Mary Grable

The Genealogy Box

A newsletter for genealogy & family history research in Harrison County, Kentucky

November 2014 Issue 27

A Roll Call for WWI

by Philip Naff
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He was just a young guy from a small town just a little off the beaten path. He had ideas and a plan to change at least a little part of the world that he knew . . . and a gun to back it up.

Gavrilo Princip (1894-1918), a Bosnian Serb, used that gun on June 28, 1918 to assassinate the Archiduke Franz Ferdinand, heir to the throne of the Habsburg Empire (Austria-Hungary). By doing such, he had hoped to drive the Austro-Hungarians out of his homeland. In the long term, his plan worked, but at great cost to millions of young men and women of his own generation from around the world, including several hundred from Harrison County, Kentucky, who would volunteer for the military services of their own countries or work in a variety of other ways to put right the military and political catastrophe which came to be known as World War I.

This article is a follow-up to that published in the September 2014 (No. 26) of *The Genealogy Box* entitled "Service Records of World War I Kentucky Veterans as recorded in the *History of Harrison County, Ky. in the World War, 1917-19*. The list of names which follows consists of the names of the men and women who were identified as Harrison County veterans at war's end and for whom some record was compiled by the Kentucky Council of Defense at war's end.

The list is the same list which has been posted to the World War I pages at HarrisonCountyKy.US. The reader can refer to the earlier *Genealogy* Box article for a more details about these entries, or visit the website for any updates to the information presented here as it becomes available.

African American Veterans

Bush Allen; Wright Allen; John Bayless; Rogers Bayless; Dennis Black; Elwood Buckner; Joe Campbell; Roy D. Clark; Jesse Clay; Archie U. Clayton; Ernest Clayton; Jesse H. Conner; Joseph Conner; Ottis Correll; Theodore Correll; Frazier Craig; Daniel H. Cromwell; Roscoe L. Dalton; John W. Diggs; Jim Donnigan; Richard Donnigan; Ernest Gatewood; Fred. Gillard; John A. Givens; Orie C. Givens (Casualty); Orie L. Givens; Theodore Gossett; Carl M. Green; Clifton J. Green; Artemus Griffin; Richard T. Hardy; Lunnie L. Harris; Richard C. Harris; John W. Hawkins; Orie Henry; Charlie Howard; Walter Hurst; Walter Ingles; Clinton Jackson; Estel Johnson; Jimmie Johnson; Jesse Jones; Wallace M. Lillie; Jesse J. Lynem; Walter H. Lyons; Robert Martin; Wood W. Mathews; Fate McIntyre; William McKinney; Lewis Mitchell; James Lewis Moore; William M. Neusom; John E. Nichols; Roy C. Nichols; Albert P. Nutter; James Nutter; Shirley T. Palmer; William Price; Herbert W. Rawls; McKinley Reed; John Renaker; Charles H. Robbins; James R. Robinson; Orie Robinson; Clarence Routt; McKinley Russ; Nathan P. Sanders; Cecil Smith; Cyrus Smith; Dewitt T. Smith; Frazier (Casualty) Smith; Frazier Smith; John D. Stewart; Charles H. Talbott; William H. Taylor; Governor Thomas; Jarrett Thomas; Kirtley Thomas; Land Thomas; Elan Van Hook; Samuel C. Warner; Will Watkins; Silas Watson; Stanley Washington Watson; James Way; Sherman Way; Fred Williams; & Louis N. Willis.

Veterans at Large

A

James D. Adams; Vernon Adams; William McKinley Adams; William Addams; Albert Adler (Casualty); Roy Spilman Alegree; Clyde D. Ammerman; Harold Bassett

Ammerman; James W. Ammerman; Lewis Conner Ammerman; James H. Antrobus; Donald R. Appel; Herman Harold Appel; William Arnold; Thomas Asbury; Aris T. Ashcraft.

B

Edgar Bailey; George Martin Baker; Henry Baker; John W. Banfield; Charles W. Barnes; David Barnes; Gerrin G. Barnes; Harvey Barnes; Henry C. Barnes; Felix A. Barney; Owen Tabor Batson; Reuben B. Batson; Robert W. Batson; Archie M. Batte; Ard Beagle; James L. Beagle; Benton F. Beckett; Carl P. Beckett; Carlton Beckett; Grover A. Beckett; Joe H. Beckett; William B. Bedford; William P. Bedford; Herbert Bell; James L. Bell; John L. Bell; Irvine Benton; Allen P. Berry; Elmer Clay Berry; Sidney Berry; Horton Bills; Earl T. Bishop; Frank Bishop; Charles Thomas Bland; Clyde Bland; LeRoy H. Bland; Henry Clay Blount; George W(illiam). Booher; Johnie Boone; Louis Boone; Frances Boyd (No form(s)); Thomas R. Boyers; Jannings Brewsaugh; James Edward Brown; William C. Brown; George Burns; Luther E. Burroughs; Lester Butcher; Edward W. Button.

C

Milton Caldwell; Allan Calhoun; Babe Campbell; Mathew Campbell; Neal Cannon; Charles Everett Cantwell; William B. Carmichael; Haviland Carr; John H. Carr; Clifford Case; Raymond F. Casey; Bradley Cason; Cecil Cason; Cecil Cason (Casualty); Ed Cason; Lawrence Cason; William Ruby Cason; Edward Southgate Chandler; Joseph Givens Clarke (Form I); Joseph Givens Clarke (Form F); John C. Clemons; Harry C. Cleveland; Lee Clifford; Willie Clifford; Robert S. Clift; Avonia Hull Cochran; Richard H. Coffey (Form O); Richard H. Coffey (Supplemental Material); Thomas J. Coffey; Charles Coleman; Harry B. Collins; Turney Crenshaw Collins; Benjamin H. Conner; Howard Cooper; Charles Copes; Gano Courtney; Henry W. Cox; William R. Cox; Irvin B. Coy; John Coy; Robert L. Coy; Herbert Crawford; Sam T. Craycraft; Jesse Moria Cummins; Joe Cummins; Clarence Morton Curran.

D

Van T. Dawson; John Debruler; Luther Debruler; Luther Debruler (Casualty); Thomas Ashbrook Dedman; Clarence W. Denham; John Deniston; Clarence Dennis; Omer H. Dix; Rollin Gates Dix; Clarence Doan; Richard C. Doan; William Duncan Douglas; Frank L.

Duffy; William T. Dunn (Form C); William T. Dunn (Supplemental Material); Daniel Roscoe Durbin; John Mirabeau Durbin.

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Omer C. Faulkner; Ray H. Faulkner; John K. Feeback; Pharoah Feeback; John T. Feix; Emory Ferguson (Casualty); Forrest Thompson Fightmaster; Sidney C. Filer; Zeno F. Fisher; John Fitzgerald; Thomas Fitzgerald; William J. Fitzgerald; John L. Fitzpatrick; Claude Byrne Fitzwater; Frazier Fitzwater; Leonard Fitzwater; Leonard Fitzwater (Casualty); Cecil Florence; Clarence N. Florence; David C. Florence; John T. Florence; John Thomas Florence; Shirley Florence; Strauder B. Franklin; Joe Frederick; Joe J. Fritsch; Floyd Thomas Fronk; Jesse Fryman; Virgie Milton Fryman; Laurence Brady Fuller

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James Albert Horton; John Hudgins; Herman A. Huerkamp; Harrison Huffman; Homer Huffman; William Hughes; Albert Humphrey.

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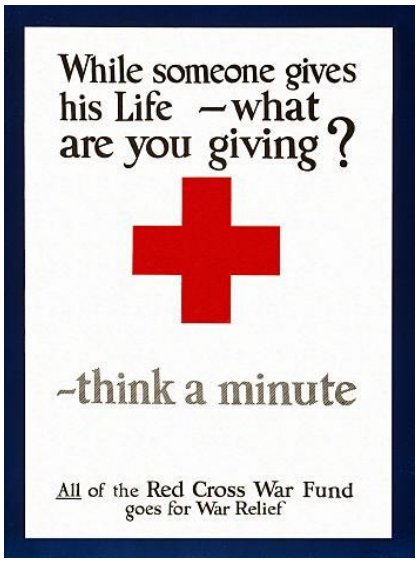

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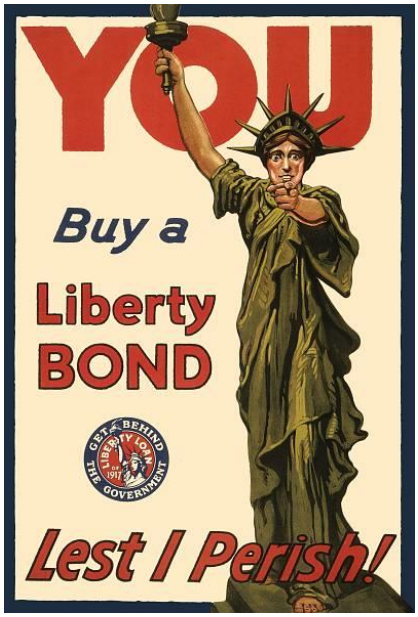

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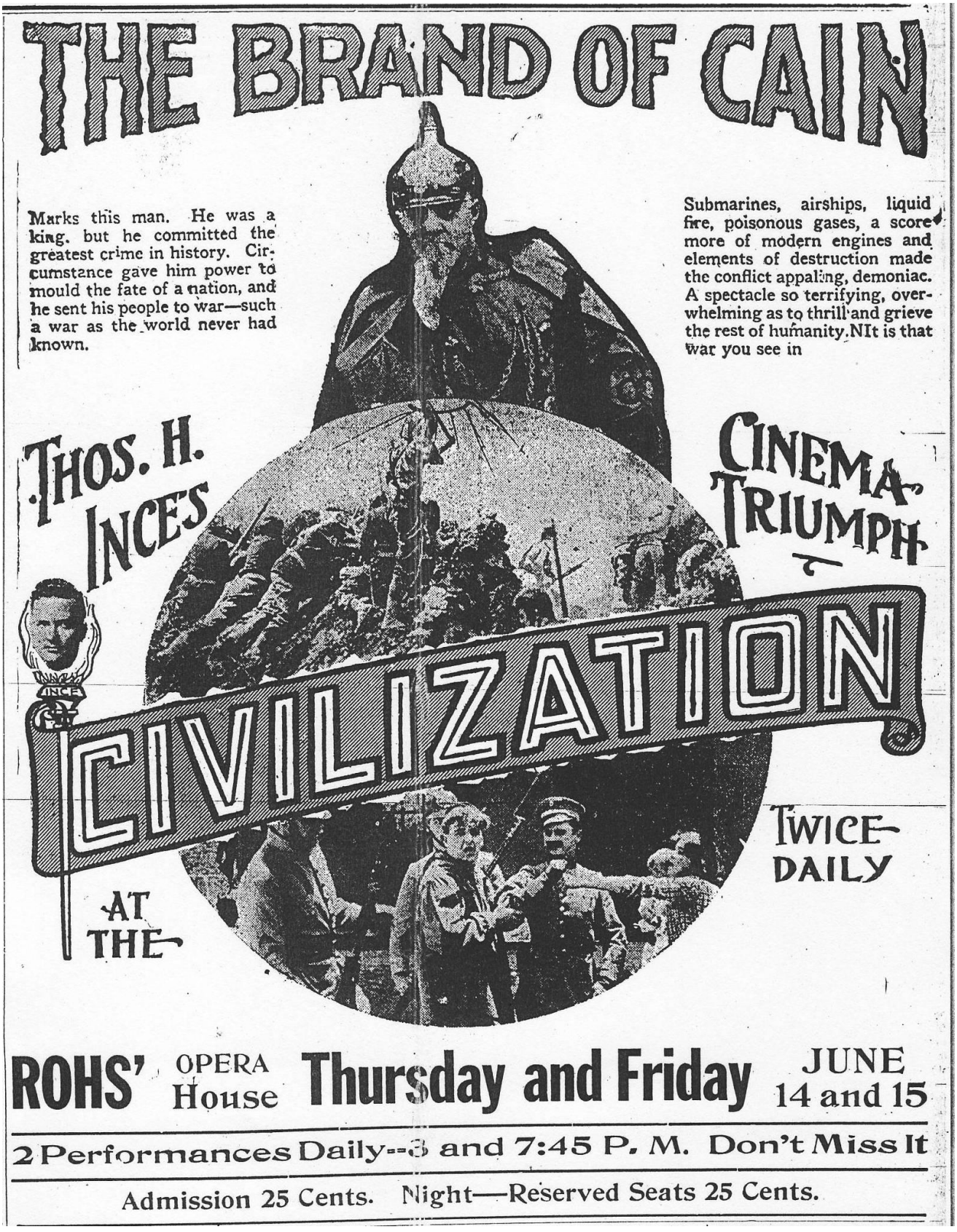


If wartime recruiting posters, like those exhibited on previous pages, didn't encourage Americans to join the war effort, the nascent American film industry did its part to develop propaganda served as entertainment (This ad was originally published in the June 17, 1917 issue of the *Cynthiana Democrat*s.)

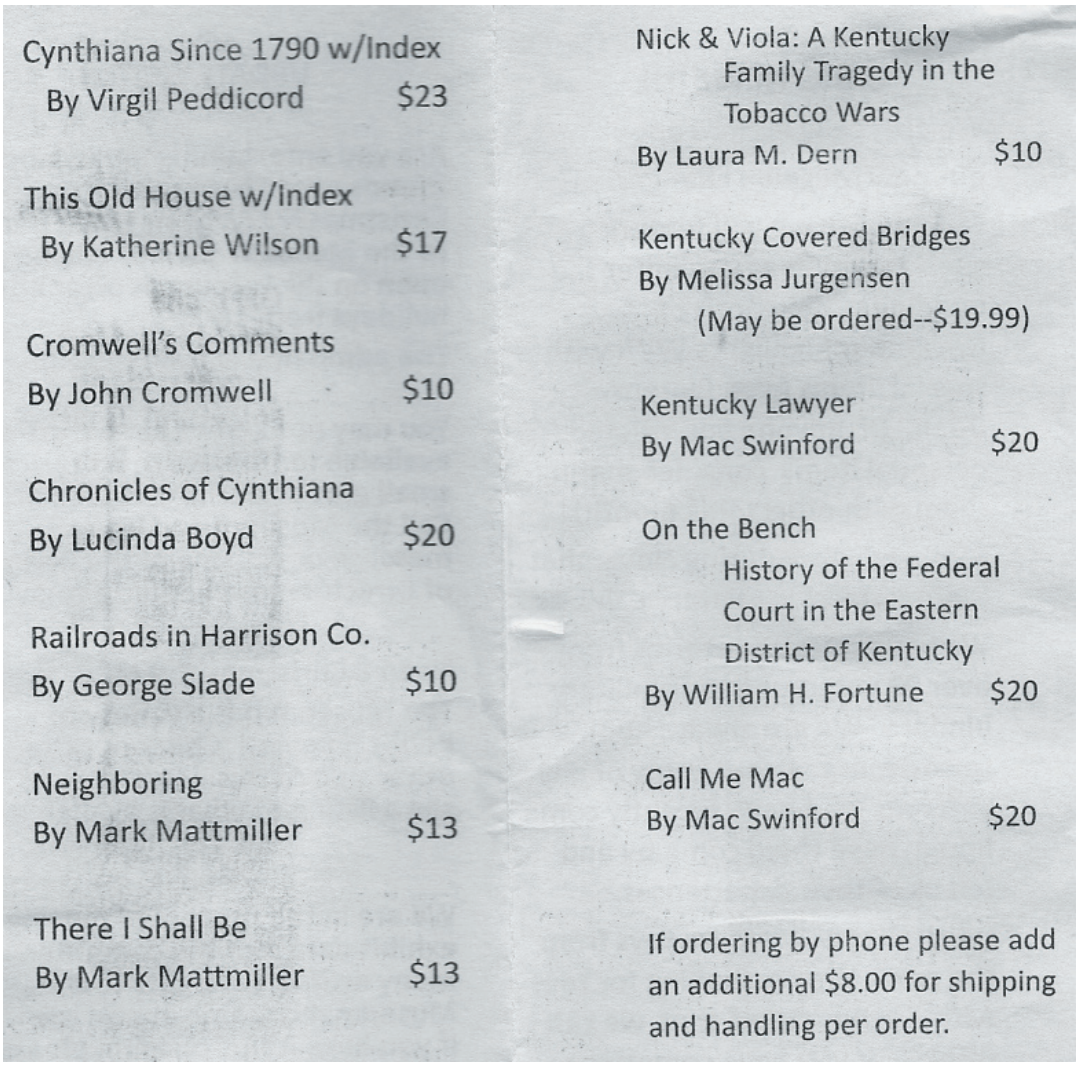
Need a Christmas Gift?

The Museum has a variety of books for sale. Mailing address on cover; phone 859-234-7179

NEW BOOK - Signed copies of *Nick and Viola: A Kentucky Family Tragedy (1904-1911)* are available at the Cynthiana Museum for $10.00 each.

The events of this family history take place in Harrison County and Cynthiana in the early 1900s. In 1899, Nick and Viola Muntz, Kentucky landowners and tobacco farmers, had a bright future. In 1904 the American Tobacco Company (ATC) dropped prices for tobacco below the cost of production. Populist groups formed to "pool" or hold tobacco off the market to force higher prices. Because pooling was voluntary, tensions arose between neighbors who pooled and those who didn't. Vigilante groups, known as "Night Riders," attacked barns and crops, and sometimes beat and killed those who refused to join the pool. Nick and Viola and their relatives did not join the pool and suffered the consequences. A barn full of tobacco burned, a gunshot killed an innocent man, and a family fell apart. Unearthed through genealogical research, Nick and Viola transcends one family's story and becomes a symbol of the world of tobacco and the hardships growers endured during the early twentieth century.

Laura Derr grew up in rural Harrison County. She attended Connersville School and graduated from Harrison Co. High School in 1964. Today she is a retired teacher and marketing professional living in East Tennessee. Coming soon: The audio version of Nick and Viola will soon be available on Amazon. The audio book is introduced by an original ballad, "Tobacco Wars," written and performed by Texas Bluegrass musician Dave Skinner. Skinner read Nick and Viola and was moved to set the tragic story to music.



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If you should have any questions you can write to:

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William A. Penn *(pennwma@aol.com)*
Editor, Harrison Heritage News

Why have others joined the society?

Some members have just recently become residents of the county, while others have family ties that go back to the county's establishment. Many others join from afar, having discovered that Harrison County was once home to their ancestors, aunts, uncles, or cousins. All would like to learn more about family and local history, and of efforts to preserve and document that history. Libraries and other historical societies are members, too, helping to preserve and to pass on the word of the "goings-on" of the Harrison County Historical Society.

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