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Ed Bernik, photographer

"Deer crossing Oil Creek near the famed McClintock Well"
by Ed Bernik, photographer, as shown in *Pennsylvania Crude: Boomtowns and Oil Barons*

MECHLING
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SPECIALIZING IN WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA HISTORY & GENEALOGY

ALLEGHENY COUNTY**Portrait of an American Community:
O'Hara Township, Pa.**

2008 by the O'Hara Township Committee

Packed with information, stories, personalities and photos that are unique to the area around O'Hara Township in Allegheny County, Pa., including Aspinwall, Blawnox, Fox Chapel, and Sharpsburg.

#7890 289 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound \$39.95

History of Allegheny County, Pa.

1876 (2003 Reprint) by S. W. Durant, Pub. by L. H. Everts

Earliest history of this county. Not indexed.

#7305* 242 pp, 11½ x 13½ Hardbound \$57.95
NEW PRICE..... \$47.95**Pittsburgh Gazette Abstracts 1797-1820**

1988 compiled by Clara E. Duer, pub. by WPGS

Abstracts from first newspaper west of the Alleghenies: marriages, deaths, runaway slaves and apprentices, court cases, land sales, deserters of the Revolutionary War, lost or strayed animals, new town settlements, etc. Indexed, 8½ x 11 Softbound. (Volume 1 is no longer available.)

#7388 Vol 2 – 1797-1803 430 pp \$14.95

#7389 Vol 3 – 1806-1811 366 pp \$14.95

#7390 Vol 4 – 1812-1816 489 pp \$14.95

#7391 Vol 5 – 1817-1820 460 pp \$14.95

**Genealogical Extractions from the Gary G. Ritter
Funeral Home Records 1908-1941**

2000 by Norman J. Meinert & Eileen G. Meinert

Originally the J. P. Campbell Funeral Home in the Borough of Sharpsburg, Pa., renamed the Nevil E. Frank Funeral Home and now the Gary G. Ritter Funeral Home. Indexed.

#7468* 158 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound \$16.95
NEW PRICE..... \$9.95**View of Pittsburgh in 1859**

1859 by Edward Willmann (Reprint)

Sketch of Pittsburgh from an observation point on Mt. Washington above the city in 1859. On heavy paper, suitable for framing.

#7535 16½ x 11½ \$1.50

ARMSTRONG COUNTY**History of Armstrong County, Pennsylvania**

1883 (Reprint) by Robert W. Smith, pub. by Waterman, Watkins & Co.

Township and town histories; biographical sketches. (*Index is available below.*)

#1109* 696 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound \$59.95
NEW PRICE..... \$49.95**Index to History of Armstrong County, Pa.,
1883, by Smith**

By Mechling Bookbindery

Every-name index to this early county history.

#7882* 70 pp, 8½ x 11 Stapled soft cover .. \$6.95

**Biographical and Historical Encyclopedia of Indiana
and Armstrong Counties**

1891 (Reprint) by Samuel T. Wiley

Not indexed, but has alphabetical listing of biographies.

#2020* 636 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound \$59.95
NEW PRICE..... \$49.95**Armstrong County: Her People, Past and Present**

1914 (Reprint) by J. H. Beers Co.

Two-volume set, biographical and historical indexes. (*Also see index below.*)

#7225* 995 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound \$94.95

Surname Index to Armstrong County:**Her People, Past and Present***(History is listed above.)*

2001 compiled by Sally Jordan Reed

This surname index is NOT included in the above book; contains names from the bio. section in Vol. I, page 301, to the end of Vol. II.

#7476* 15 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound \$5.95

**From Boom to Bust: The Making of "the Smallest
City in the U.S.A."—Parker, Pennsylvania**

2008 by Marilyn McCall

In the brief space of ten years, Parker's Landing and Lawrenceburg (which became the City of Parker during this period) ascended from a combined population of 1,000 to a bustling city of 20,000 during peak oil production, and then shrunk back to a population of 1,000, earning Parker its unique distinction as "the Smallest City in the U.S.A." The author takes the reader on a fascinating journey from the area's prehistoric inhabitants to the City of Parker as it is today, while introducing the prominent people and families of the past who lived the Parker experience. Includes timeline, bibliography, and index, with 295 photos, maps, and illustrations.

#7896* 291 pp, 7 x 10 Hardbound \$34.95
NEW PRICE..... \$24.95**The Attack on Kit-Han-Ne:****Kittanning, Pennsylvania, September 8, 1756**

2006 written & illustrated by Larry A. Smail

Recounts the events surrounding the famous battle at what is now Kittanning, Pa. In an easy-to-read style, this work gives a concise and clear understanding of the fascinating history and struggles of the area leading up to General Armstrong's victory over the Delaware Indians. Chronological table, over 25 illus./photos.

#7842* 86 pp, 5½ x 8½ Softbound \$9.95
KINDLE \$2.99**Armstrong County Atlas, 1876**

1876 (Reprint) by Pomeroy, Whitman & Co.

Maps of landowners in towns and townships, sketches of buildings, maps of US and Pa., etc. 87 pp plus index.

#1128S* 11 x 13 Soft cover wire-bound \$29.95

**Armstrong Democrat, 22 June 1838 thru
15 July 1841, Pub. in Kittanning, Pa.**

2010 by Annie Monrad

#7915 E-Book only \$4.95

**New Era Newspaper: 17 August 1872 thru 17
April 1875, Pub. in Freeport, Pa.**

2010 by Annie Monrad

#7916 E-Book only \$4.95

**The County Standard: 5 May 1887 thru
15 November 1888, Pub. in Kittanning, Pa.**








2010 by Annie Monrad

#7917 E-Book only \$4.95

**The Union Free Press, Kittanning, Armstrong
Co., Pa.: March 27, 1878 to August 19, 1880**

2010 by Annie Monrad

#7918 E-Book only \$4.95

-  **Obituaries from *New Bethlehem Leader Vindicator* Newspaper: 1989-1993**
2010 by Carmella Shirley
#7920 E-Book only \$4.95
-  ***Leader Times* (Kittanning) Obituaries: 2002-2006**
2010 by Carmella Shirley
#7921 E-Book only \$4.95
-  **Births & Marriages from the *Vandergrift News*: 1955-1999**
2010 by Carmella Shirley
#7922 E-Book only \$4.95
-  ***Vandergrift News* Obituaries: 1983-1985**
2010 by Carmella Shirley
#7923 E-Book only \$4.95
-  ***Vandergrift News* Obituaries: 2002-2006**
2011 by Carmella Shirley
#7924 E-Book only \$4.95
-  **Birth Extractions from *Leader Times* & *Vandergrift News*: 2003-2006**
2010 by Carmella Shirley
#7925 E-Book only \$4.95
-  **Marriages and Anniversaries from *Leader Times* & *Vandergrift News***
2010 by Carmella Shirley
#7926 E-Book only \$4.95

BUTLER COUNTY

- History of Butler County, Pennsylvania**
1883 (Reprint) pub. by Waterman, Watkins & Co.
Earliest history of this county. Biographical index, illus. Surname index may be purchased separately.
#7098* 454 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound \$55.00
- Surname Index to 1883 *History of Butler County***
2002 typeset by Sally Jordan Reed
#4010* 32 pp, 8½ x 11 Stapled \$6.00
#4010 E-Book \$4.95
- History of Butler County, Pennsylvania**
1895 (Reprint) pub. by R. C. Brown & Co.
Originally in a single volume, reprinted in two volumes for ease of use. Indexed. More extensive index sold separately below.
#3066* 1360 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound \$89.95
- Surname Index to Volume II of 1895 *History of Butler County***
1999 by Sally Jordan Reed
A more complete index to the biographical section than the original.
#7413* 29 pp, 6 x 9 Softbound \$6.00
- 20th Century History of Butler and Butler County**
1909 (Reprint) by James A. McKee, by Richmond Arnold Pub.
In two volumes for ease of use. Biographical index.
#1111* 1478 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound \$139.95
- History of Butler County, Pennsylvania**
1927 (Reprint) by Chester H. Sipe
Two volumes. Extensive biographical and historical indexes.
#7304* 1343 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound \$124.95

- Four Wheels and a Vision: Butler's Automotive Inventions, 1905-1941**
2011 compiled and written by Carlene Bouwman, Pat Collins & Patti Jo Lambert

"As early as 1905, entrepreneurs in the City of Butler were looking to the future. Long before it became fashionable to breeze around town in a new Chevrolet, these citizens took a chance and invested in a new industry—the manufacturing of automobiles." [From Introduction]

This abbreviated compilation of facts and photos covers 36 years of Butler's automotive golden age. During this time, Butler entrepreneurs manufactured six unique vehicles. They faced many challenges, including the Great Depression. One of the Butler-made vehicles—the Bantam Reconnaissance Car—became "the most important American vehicle ever built"—the Jeep.

#7933 27 pp, 5½ x 8½ Softbound, stapled \$4.00

- NEW School's Over! 150 Years of Butler Co., PA, Schools: The Southern Townships**
2012 by Patricia M. Collins



This book continues the planned series documenting Butler County's rich educational heritage, and contains the schools located in the 15 southern townships in Butler County. Learn about the buildings, teachers and students who attended the township schools with more than 400 photos, factual information, and memories that span over 150 years.

#8003 283 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound \$35.00

- School's Out! 150 Years of Butler County, PA, Schools: The Northern Townships**
2010 by Butler Co. Hist. Soc.

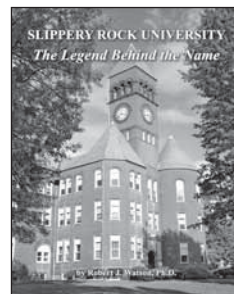
Thanks to more than 170 donors, the Butler County Historical Society has compiled the largest collection of Butler County school and educational related history, reminiscences, and photographs available. As part of a planned series, this large volume contains only a portion of that material, encompassing the schools located in the 18 northern townships in Butler County. This county's rich educational heritage is documented on these pages with more than 400 photographs, factual information, and memories that span over 150 years of the local schools. Learn about the buildings, teachers and students who attended the township schools as they come alive on the pages of this long overdue series.

#7931 303 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound \$35.00

- NEW Slippery Rock University: The Legend Behind the Name**

2011 by Robert J. Watson, PhD

Slippery Rock University opened its doors in 1889 as Slippery Rock State Normal School. Nearly 125 years later, SRU is known around the U.S. and in many foreign countries for many reasons.



The culmination of 40 years of research, this book is the fascinating story of the evolution of this popular western Pa. college. Robert Watson's work began in a doctoral research class he was taking at Pitt University in 1972. When he realized his great-grandfather was one of the founders of the Slippery Rock school, his

research took on a new dimension. The result is 460 pages of history packed with 813 photographs and pieces of documentation.

This beautiful book is a must for history buffs, SRU alumni, current SRU students, and those who love the college and the small Pennsylvania town surrounding it. Indexed; dust cover.

#8000 460 pp, 9 x 11½ Hardbound \$29.95

Reproduction Map of Butler County, 1858

2005 compiled by Violet M. Covert,
with 2006 revised index

The difficult-to-read landowners' names on the 1858 map have been reproduced in this book, without changing spelling. After a brief history of Butler County and the eventual formation of its 33 townships, each chapter represents one township, with history and index, location of cemeteries, and info on early residents. Other maps demonstrate the time-line and division of the townships, locations of public schools and districts, etc. Includes master index and more.

#7814S* 143 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound \$21.95

1874 Combination Atlas of the County of Butler and the State of Pa.

1874 (Reprint) by G. M. Hopkins & Co.

City and township maps show names and locations of property owners, as well as landmarks, in 1874. Business owners listed. County, Pa. and US maps. Not indexed. Index sold separately below.

#7301* 54 pp, 11 x 13 Wire-bound \$24.95

Surname Index to 1874 Combination Atlas of the County of Butler and the State of Pa.

1993 by Nancy Romig

Landowner index to the 1874 Atlas of Butler County.

#7404 27 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound \$5.95

Richard Butler, Patriot

2003 by Stephen M. Pozar

Mr. Pozar has solved much of the mystery surrounding the man for whom the city and county of Butler, Pa., are named. He reveals a complex and fascinating man with more ties to the Butler area than could have been imagined. Includes correspondence from Richard Butler, his war records, and the genealogy of the Butler family.

#7744 78 pp, 5 x 8 Softbound \$8.95

Early History of Saxonburg

1924 (Reprint) by Col. Washington A. Roebing

Reminiscences about the early history of the Village of Saxonburg from 1831 to 1840, written by the eldest son of John A. Roebing, founder of this village and also the famous inventor of wire rope and engineer of suspension bridges, etc. Along with a short biography of John Roebing, and how Saxonburg was laid out, the author also listed the inhabitants, with bio-sketches. Packed full of fascinating info.

#7886 40 pp, 5½ x 8½ Booklet \$5.00

Winfield Township Oral History Interviews

1996 by Freeport Area & Butler Co. Historical Societies

First-hand accounts from the residents of Winfield Twp., Butler Co. Indexed.

#7266 66 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound \$8.95

The Historic Town of Harmony

1937 (Reprint) Address by John H. Wilson

Recollections of the town, back to the year 1875.

#7349* 35 pp, 5½ x 8½ Booklet \$2.95

Harmony in 1811 from *Travels in the United States of America* by John Melish

2003 pub. by Historic Harmony, Inc.

John Melish's account of his visit in 1811 to Harmony, Pa., (presently in Butler Co.) in chapter 9 of his *1812 Travels in the United States of America*, is the best surviving description of the Harmony Society's first community in America.

#7761 26 pp, 5 x 8½ Booklet \$5.00

CENTRE COUNTY

Commemorative Biographical Record of Central Pa.

1898 (Reprint) by J. H. Beers & Co.

See description in *WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA / PA*

Surname Index to

Commemorative Biographical Record of Central Pa.

Transcribed by Sally Jordan Reed

#7420* 36 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound \$6.95

CLARION COUNTY

Caldwell's 1877 Atlas of Clarion County, Pa.

1877 (Reprint) by J. A. Caldwell

Maps of each township showing property owners' names and locations. Brief county history, alphabetized directory of residents by township, listing names, acres owned, nativity and occupation.

#7738 230 pp, 11 x 13 Hardbound \$76.50

Commemorative Biographical Record of Central Pa.

See description in *WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA / PA*.

Surname Index to

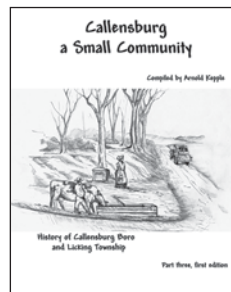
Commemorative Biographical Record of Central Pa.

Transcribed by Sally Jordan Reed

#7420* 36 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound \$6.95

NEW Callensburg, a Small Community: Part 3

2012 compiled by Arnold Kepple



More fascinating stories about this small town in Clarion County, Pa., include histories of local families and individuals, churches, the boro, businesses, schools, bridges, and much more. The author has artfully compiled personal interviews with B&W photos, documentation, and other information. You don't have to live there to

enjoy this book! Extensive every-name index

#8008 421 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound \$30.00

Adventures of Detective Jack Cribbs

1911 & 1912 by Jack Cribbs, transcribed 2003 by

Sally Jordan Reed

Fascinating autobiography filled with easy-to-read short stories of Jack Cribbs' 40 years as a policeman and private detective during the late 1800s to 1911. Cribbs' three volumes have been combined into one—re-typed exactly as originally written.

#7743* 390 pp, 5½ x 8½ Softbound \$14.95

NOOK \$2.99

KINDLE \$2.99

Clarion County Collage and Colorful Characters

2006 by Sally Jordan Reed

Collection of stories from Clarion County's colorful past and landmarks from the late 1800s to early 1900s. Included: Alum Rock; construction of Piney Dam; Edenburg in 1900; the Jones House; Doe Run/Pheasant Hollow/Clarion River Railroad Trestle; the County Poor Farm; Camp Sligo, its personnel and campers; road from Clarion to Brookville; Fryburg Centennial; White Memorial School dedication; the McCleary Gang; baseball players; Joe Thomas; the Mahey Home; the Ku Klux Klan; Clarion County Fairgrounds and Courthouse; Ebenezer Spring; Pump Station; and so much more. Replete with B&W photographs, among them "rare" photos of the construction of the Piney Dam.

#7847*	106 pp, 5 x 8 Softbound	\$13.95
	NOOK	\$2.99
	KINDLE	\$2.99

Two Murders and a Haunting

2009 by Sally Jordan Reed

The brutal murders of Jemima Everhart and her mother, Jane Gilfillan, took place in Lickingville, Clarion County, Pennsylvania March 8, 1886 in their home. This story is almost a "comedy of errors" as there were seven suspects, three were tried, and none found guilty.

#7943	E-Book.....	\$6.95
	KINDLE	\$2.99

Who Murdered William Kiser?

2009 by Sally Jordan Reed

Who murdered William Kiser in Elk City, Clarion County, Pennsylvania on July 28, 1899, is an unanswered question. Five men were accused and one was tried but found "not guilty".

#7941	E-Book.....	\$6.95
	KINDLE	\$2.99

The Murder of James Clarence Davis

2009 by Sally Jordan Reed

This murder occurred in St. Petersburg, Clarion County, Pennsylvania on February 5, 1887. Investigated by a "love triangle", Dave King was found guilty and Ella Dinsmore guilty of complicity.

#7942	E-Book.....	\$6.95
	KINDLE	\$2.99

Perry Township, Clarion County, Pa.

1998 by Sally Jordan Reed

Extensive history includes early pioneer life, industry, schools and organizations, etc., plus maps, census records, civil war roster, lists of residents and many family histories. Alphabetical. Contains B/D dates, spouse, parents/children, occupation, etc. B&W photos.

#7339*	199 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound	\$19.95
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Weddings from Clarion Newspapers 1894 through 1900

2002 compiled by Sally Jordan Reed

Wedding announcements from the area's newspapers, chronologically listed from 1894 through 1900, include genealogical info, etc. Indexed.

#7529	54 pp, E-Book only	\$4.95
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Marriage Announcements from the Clarion Democrat 1915-1920

2002 compiled by Sally Jordan Reed

Marriage announcements compiled and listed chronologically from Clarion County's newspaper. Genealogy info. Indexed.

#4023*	78 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound	\$11.00
#4023	E-Book.....	\$5.50

Obituaries from Clarion Newspapers

2002-2006 compiled by Sally Jordan Reed

Transcriptions of detailed obituaries published in the *Clarion Democrat*, *Clarion Republican*, *Clarion Jacksonian* and/or *Clarion Republican Gazette* newspapers in Clarion, for the years listed on each volume. Alphabetical with every-name index. Books are 8½ x 11 softbound.

#7839*	1894	44 pp.....	\$8.50
#4013*	1895-1900	246 pp.....	\$24.95
	NEW PRICE.....		\$19.95
#4013	E-Book.....		\$12.50

Obituaries from the Clarion Democrat

Published 2000-2007, compiled by Sally Jordan Reed

Transcriptions of detailed obituaries published during the years listed with each volume. Info includes birth place, cause of death, cemetery, occupations and activities of life, as well as the names and whereabouts of spouse, children, parents, grandparents, etc. Each volume is 8½ x 11 softbound with every-name index.

#7419*	1901-1905	169 pp.....	\$18.95
#7467*	1906-1910	204 pp.....	\$21.95
#7475*	1911-1912	93 pp.....	\$11.95
#7493*	1913-1915	143 pp.....	\$16.95
#7497*	1916-1917	103 pp.....	\$12.95
#7523*	1918-1920	168 pp.....	\$18.95
	NEW PRICE		\$16.95
#7823*	1921-1924	200 pp.....	\$21.95
#7823	E-Book.....		\$10.75
#7840*	1925-1927	155 pp.....	\$18.00
#7870*	1928-1929-1930	75 pp.....	\$18.95

Abstracts of Clarion County Birth Register I: 1893-1898

2006 compiled by Lisa Kerr Ilowite

Includes surnames, first and middle names or initials, sex, parents' name, residence, occupation of father, date of birth and place of birth.

#7857	146 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound	\$19.95
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Transcription of the Clarion County Death Register 1893-1906

2003 compiled by Lisa Kerr Ilowite

Contains the Clarion County Death Register (1893-1906) as transcribed in its entirety; alphabetized by surname.

#7715*	142 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound	\$19.95
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FAYETTE COUNTY**History of Fayette County with Biographical Sketches of Many of Its Prominent Men**

1882 (Reprint) by Franklin Ellis

Includes biographical index.

#7115*	841 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound	\$69.95
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1872 Atlas of the County of Fayette and the State of Pennsylvania

1872 (Reprint) by G. M. Hopkins & Co.

Reproduced slightly smaller than the original; includes surveys in the year 1872 of landowners' parcels in Fayette County township plans, and borough/village plans; Pa. county and state maps. Wire-bd., not indexed.

#7884S*	102 pp, 11 x 14 Softbound	\$29.95
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Every-name Index to 1912 History of Fayette County, Pa., by Jordan/Hadden

2001 compiled by Lee Donovan

Complete index—all 27,000 names in the two volume set. (Sorry, history is not available at this time.)

#7491*	184 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound	\$18.95
	NEW PRICE.....	\$14.95

Looking Back: The Best of Glenn Tunney, Volumes I, II & III (See volume descriptions below)

By Glenn Tunney

The first three of five volumes planned for this series are an anthology of selected newspaper columns by this author that appeared in the (Uniontown) *Herald Standard* during an eight-year span from 1998-2006. Glenn Tunney published these articles in book form to preserve them and the history they record. Although he is the author of these captivating books, hundreds of people had a hand in their crafting.

Over the years they have shared with him the fascinating and colorful personal stories that pack this treasure of a snapshot of twentieth-century small-town America. You may never have heard of Brownsville, but you will be drawn in by stories so entertaining, poignant, humorous, and universal that you will soon feel as if you have lived there all of your life and have known these people for years. Prepare to find yourself awash in nostalgia that resonates, local history that entertains, and terrific conversations that never fail to surprise. Plenty of vintage photos too! Below are listed some of the contents featured in these remarkable books. Each volume is 6 x 9 softbound with laminated cover; indexed.

**NEW LOOKING BACK: The Best of Glenn Tunney – VOLUME THREE**

- *Teens getting together on Brownsville's South Side*
 - *Remembering an early twentieth century childhood*
 - *John Claxton looks back at the downtown Brownsville of yesteryear*
 - *Alarm! Maxwell School is on fire!*
 - *Brownsville says farewell to silent pictures, hello to "talkies"*
 - *Coincidence reunited Little League teammates*
 - *Turn of the century brought despair and new hope*
 - *1936 St. Patrick's Day flood devastated the region*
 - *Remembering the assassination of John F. Kennedy*
 - *Experts recognize telltale signs of a postcard's origin*
 - *Sauerkraut and pork: New Year's traditions*
 - *Hot dog races: fun at the Thornton Track*
 - *Coal stoves and ice boxes: life in the kitchen*
 - *108-year-old local man remembers 1901 McKinley assassination*
 - *Perry native recalls his first glimpse of a motor car as a 12-year-old*
 - *As World War I began, a new hospital was opening in Brownsville*
 - *Comparing the nursing profession: then and now*
 - *A selection of captioned historical images of Brownsville*
- #8009 Volume III: 2012, 292 pp\$19.95

LOOKING BACK: The Best of Glenn Tunney – VOLUME ONE

- *A Familiar Brownsville Cry*
 - *Sledding Adventures*
 - *Prospect Street School*
 - *Giving Birth*
 - *Remembering Family Meals*
 - *Search for Missing Trophies*
 - *Almost Forgotten*
 - *Yuletide Memories*
 - *Games of Yesteryear*
 - *Woodward House*
 - *The Pennsylvania Hotel*
- #7928 Volume I: 2010, 295 pp\$19.95

LOOKING BACK: The Best of Glenn Tunney – VOLUME TWO

- *Brownsville's Legendary Teacher*
 - *Going to the Movies*
 - *Castor Oil and Spider Webs*
 - *The Leader of the Band*
 - *The Big Wind*
 - *No Brakes!*
 - *Taming the Monongahela*
 - *Witness to a Century Along the Mon*
 - *End of an Era*
 - *A Brownsville-built Treasure*
 - *Pink Chicks & Onion-dyed Eggs*
 - *The Banker and the Librarian*
 - *Brownsville and World War II*
 - *Peering Into The Past*
- #7936 Volume II: 2011, 283 pp\$19.95

Index to the Warrant/Patent Maps of Fayette, Green & Washington CountiesSee description in *WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA / PA.*See *WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA / PA, the County Chronicles series, for more Fayette County history.***GREENE COUNTY****Index to the Warrant/Patent Maps of Fayette, Green & Washington Counties**See description in *WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA / PA.***INDIANA COUNTY****Biographical and Historical Cyclopedias of Indiana and Armstrong Counties**

1891 (Reprint) by Samuel T. Wiley

With alphabetical listing of biographical sketches.

#2020* 636 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound\$59.95

Indiana County, Pa.: Her People, Past and Present

1913 (Reprint) by Prof. J. T. Stewart

Two volumes. Every-name biographical and historical indexes included. (Every-name index also sold separately below.)

#7226* 1597 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound\$139.95

Indiana County Marriages, taken from the Indiana Progress Newspaper, 1870 thru 1879

1998 compiled by Kathy Zima

Chronological and indexed.

#7331* 134 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound\$14.95

1871 Atlas of Indiana County

1871 (Reprint) by F. W. Beers & Co.

Maps of Pa., Indiana Co., and townships show property owners and locations as they were in 1871; new every-name indexes.

#7348H* 70 pp, 11 x 14 Hardbound\$65.00

Every-name Index to 1913 Indiana County, Pa.: Her People, Past and Present

#7292* 148 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound\$12.95

JEFFERSON COUNTY**Jefferson County, Pa.:****Her Pioneers and People, 1800-1915**

1917 (Reprint) by William J. McKnight, M.D.

Two volumes. Volume one contains the general history of Jefferson Co. and Pa., with historical index. Volume two is devoted to local genealogy and biographies, with

bio. index. Both contain portraits, maps, photos and illus. (More complete index sold separately below.)

- #4026A* 516 pp, Volume I.....\$49.95
 #4026B* 701 pp, Volume II.....\$49.95

Index to Jefferson County, Pa.: Her Pioneers and People, 1917 by William J. McKnight

A more complete surname index to this history.

- #7256* 29 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound\$7.25

Jefferson County, Pennsylvania: An Illustrated History

2004 written & compiled by Carole Briggs, Thomas Curry, Eugene Deible III, James Sterrett

Compiled from photos, documents and recollections from 150 county residents and adds new info on the Native American prehistory and a summary of 19th century immigration. Describes the changes in the use of the land, the tragedies, conflicts and celebrations of the communities. Also, authors offer an analysis of why events occurred. B&W photos.

- #7822 192 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound.....\$49.95

Commemorative Biographical Record of Central Pa.

1898 (Reprint) by J. H. Beers & Co.

See description in *WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA / PA.*

Surname Index to

Commemorative Biographical Record of Central Pa.

By Sally Jordan Reed

Re-typed and much easier to read.

- #7420* 36 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound\$6.95

Caldwell's Atlas of Jefferson County, Pa.

1878 (Reprint) by J. A. Caldwell

Township and town maps detailing property owners' names and locations as they were in 1878; drawings depicting the area's residences and buildings; business directory with business owners; occupations and nativity; muster roll of soldiers; bio. sketches; every-name index.

- #7347S* 240 pp, 11 x 14 Softbound\$29.95

History of Reynoldsville and Vicinity

1922 (Reprint) by Ward C. Elliott

- #7235* 100 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound\$9.95

LAWRENCE COUNTY

1877 History of Lawrence County, Pa.

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Darlington Twp., Beaver Co., Pa.

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Finnish, Bessemer Swedish, Bessemer Jugo-Slav and
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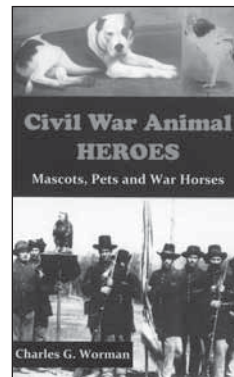
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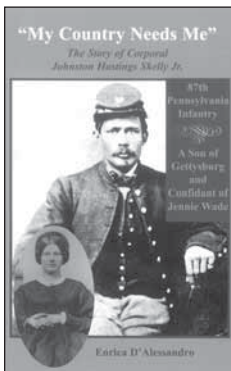
Soldiers during the American Civil War adopted many exotic mascots. They ranged from alligators to badgers and bear cubs to wildcats, but none were as common, loyal and affectionate as dogs. The total number of canine mascots from the period is not known, but a few attained minor celebrity status and were memorialized on reunion buttons and monuments. In this book, Zucchero tells the famous stories of "Dog Jack," "Harvey," "Sallie," as well as those of lesser known four-legged friends. The most extensive work to date on Civil War canines, this fully indexed volume is a valuable resource, an entertaining read and provides a fitting tribute to army dogs of the Civil War. 57 photos and illustrations.

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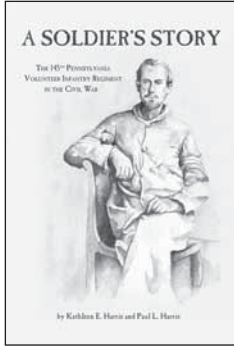
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This Civil War regiment was organized at Camp Orr in Kittanning under the direction of William Sirwell. Complete with all the skirmishes and battles, and a roster of all officers and soldiers by company.

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**A Scratch with the Rebels: A Pennsylvania
Roundhead and a South Carolina Cavalier**

2007 by Carolyn Poling Schriber

They were Scotch-Irish, Presbyterian, first-generation Americans. They were alike in many ways but different in the one trait that mattered. One was Union; the other, Confederate. This is the story of how they came to their opposing positions, and how the Battle of Secessionville altered all of their lives. Schriber has produced an ambitious study of the Battle of Secessionville, the first re-examination of the impact of that battle in over a decade. After extensive research, she has successfully blended the personal stories of two opposing soldiers with a detailed account of the battle. She offers a fresh perspective and a valuable new approach to some of issues concerning the American Civil War.

#7865* 206 pp, 7x 10 Softbound \$24.95
NOOK \$2.99
KINDLE \$2.99**Sons of the Commonwealth**

1999 by Samuel Martin Kier

Three-year Civil War history of the 12th Regiment Pennsylvania Reserves.

#7357* 200 pp, 5½ x 8½ Softbound \$11.95
NEW PRICE \$9.95**The Bloody 85th: The Letters of Milton McJunkin
A Western Pennsylvania Soldier in the Civil War**

2000 compiled and edited by Ronn Palm, Dr. Richard Sauers, and Patrick A. Schroeder

A different view of the war than that of the average Army of the Potomac soldier—the 85th Pa. Volunteer Infantry served in both the Army of the Potomac and the Army of the James. They fought from Williamsburg, Pa., to Suffolk, Va., to Goldsboro, N.C., to Charleston, S.C., and Morris Island. Included: Photos, bio. sketches, post-war roster, index.

#7478 216 pp, 6 x 9 Hardbound \$24.95

The Hardluck Regiment: The Pennsylvania 103rd

1998 by Ron Gancas

Regimental history and an updated roster of the men of the 103rd Civil War Regiment. Many entries include parents or siblings, as well as additional names and data not published in the original roster in the *History of the 103rd Regiment* by Dickey.

#7300* 114 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound \$13.95

**History of the 103rd Regiment:
Pennsylvania Veteran Volunteer Infantry**

1910 (Reprint) by Luther S. Dickey

Organized in Kittanning, Pa., of men from the counties of Allegheny, Armstrong, Butler, Clarion, Indiana, Mercer, Venango and Westmoreland. Many of the soldiers were imprisoned at Andersonville. Includes detailed activities of the unit, illustrations, maps and rosters. Not indexed.

#7303* 400 pp, 7 x 9 Hardbound \$54.95

#7303S* 400 pp, 7 x 9 Softbound \$29.95

The 148th Pennsylvania Volunteers:**The Story of Company I**

1998 by Alice Jane Gayley

Recruited in Brookville, Jefferson County in 1862, under Captain Silas Marlin, this company fought in engagements from Chancellorsville and Gettysburg to Appomattox where the soldiers witnessed the surrender of the Confederate Army. Updated roster, photos, charts.

#7307* 125 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound \$14.95

**Under the Maltese Cross: Antietam to Appomattox:
The Loyal Uprising in Western Pennsylvania
1861-1865 Campaigns, 155th Pennsylvania Regiment
Narrated by the Rank and File**

1910 (Reprint) pub. by The 155th Regimental Assoc.

The authors of this history mostly belonged to the rank and file of the 155th Pa. Regiment and narrated their story of the stirring events of the Civil War campaigns under the Maltese Cross, the badge of the Fifth Corps, Army of the Potomac. Their acts and sacrifices speak for themselves in these pages, of which contents are compiled from records, diaries, home letters, and narratives of actual participants. *Under the Maltese Cross* includes company histories, personal memoirs and sketches, rosters, casualty lists, as well as reunions and dedications. Also contained are portraits of soldiers from generals to privates, illustrations of events and places, and a map illustrating the operations.

#4014* 817 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound \$69.95
NEW PRICE \$45.95**155th Pennsylvania Volunteer Zouaves, Company K**(Formerly *History of the 155th Regiment Company "K"*)

ca 1888 (Reprint) by D.P. Marshall; new roster by Ron Gancas

The 155th Pa. Volunteer Zouaves Company K was formed in Kittanning in 1862, from recruits in Armstrong and surrounding counties. This book is the detailed history of its organization and service during the Civil War, including incidents and reminiscences of the camp, the march and the battlefield. An updated roster gives further factual info on each soldier including age, date sworn, battles fought, transfer info to other units, etc.

#7302S* 338 pp, 5 x 8 Softbound \$19.95

Civil War Stories of Armstrong County, Pennsylvania

1991 (1999 Revised reprint) by Harold Frederic & Wm. J. McMaster, Sr.

Compilation of letters, poems and diaries written principally by Armstrong County soldiers in their own words.

#7358* 238 pp, 5½ x 8 Softbound \$13.50

"Cannoneers, To Your Posts!"—**James H. Cooper's Battery B****First Pennsylvania Light Artillery at Gettysburg**

2006 by Frank J. Piatek

More than a detailed rendition of a federal artillery unit's service in one of the most famous battles of the Civil War, this is also the story of one of its members whose experiences as a captive and parolee provide a sometimes humorous and lasting appreciation of the personal sacrifices made during this epic conflict. Composed of men from a small rural community in western Pa., Battery B sustained the highest number of deaths in battle of any Federal voluntary light artillery unit in the entire war. Illustrated with both period and modern photos, this study also contains explanatory notes that critically examine and evaluate extant sources, making it a valuable contribution to Civil War historiography. (*Also see Mt. Jackson Methodist Episcopal Church Cemetery in LAWRENCE COUNTY in the CEMETERY section.*)

#7838* 51 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound \$12.00
NOOK \$2.99
KINDLE \$2.99

So You Want To Be a Soldier:**How to Get Started in Civil War Re-enacting**

2004 by Shaun C. Grenan; introduction & editing by Patrick A. Schroeder

This book answers the seemingly endless questions that flood the mind when getting started in this hobby. Re-enacting today has something for everyone. The belief that "history is boring" quickly fades on a re-enacting battlefield or amidst a living history demonstration.

#7774 80 pp, 5 x 8½ Softbound \$9.95

Dog Tags: A History of the**American Military Identification Tag, 1861 to 2002**

2003 by Paul F. Braddock

Complete history and explanation of military identification tags. Methods for identification of a soldier could be a piece of paper pinned to his coat or a smoothed coin, small brass disk or silver metal badge stamped or engraved. Until the Federal Government established a system to identify each soldier in 1906, many of the dead would go unidentified, as were 46% of those during the Civil War. The author divides the book into years beginning with the American Civil War, and explains the evolution of the I.D. tag. Photos.

#7706 169 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound \$24.95

Recollections of a Colored Troop

1916 (Reprint) by John McMurray, Major; 6th U.S.C.T.

Major John McMurray reminds us of the important contributions that Black soldiers made during the Civil War. Included: the unit history, the Major's obituary, photographs of many of the officers from the regiment, roster of the Troop members with pertinent dates and information.

#1182 108 pp, 6 x 9 Softbound \$15.95

Butler County in the Civil War

2003 by Bradley Lee Pflugh

After a large collection of newspapers containing Civil War content recently surfaced, and with diaries, letters and other sources, Mr. Pflugh spent seven years masterfully weaving it all into the most complete account of Butler Co. in the Civil War to this day. Complete with B&W photos, roster and index.

#7755 164 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound \$38.00

Pensioners in Western Pennsylvania in 1883

1993 published by W. Pa. Genealogical Society

Alphabetical listing of individuals who received pensions from various wars. Information in these books

can be used to obtain copies of the actual pension file from the National Archives and Records Administration. Indexed. 8½ x 11 Softbound.

Volume I – Allegheny, Beaver, Lawrence

#7400 57 pp \$8.95

Volume II – Armstrong, Fayette, Greene, Indiana, Washington, Westmoreland

#7401 52 pp \$8.95

Volume III – Bedford, Blair, Cambria, Cameron, Clearfield, Elk, Forest, Jefferson, McKean, Somerset, Warren

#7402 57 pp \$8.95

Volume IV – Butler, Clarion, Crawford, Erie, Mercer, Venango

#7403 58 pp \$8.95

Soldiers' Orphan Schools of Western Pennsylvania

1999 compiled by Diane Ragan

Listing of the orphans of deceased Civil War soldiers and sailors, in the care of the 15 schools located in Allegheny, Armstrong, Beaver, Butler, Crawford, Fayette, Mercer and Westmoreland Counties in 1876. Indexed.

#7384 62 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound \$9.95

Sketch of the Battle of Gettysburg, Friday Morning, July 3rd, 1863

(Reprint) Sketch by Edwin Forbes, found in *Frank Leslie's Illustrated Famous Leaders and Battle Scenes of the Civil War, 1896*

Illustrated study of the struggle on that fateful day. Heavy 70# paper, suitable for framing.

#7756 16½ x 11½ \$1.50

FAMILY HISTORIES & RESEARCH AIDS

This family history section is arranged alphabetically by title's surname. All books are 8½ x 11 softbound, unless otherwise indicated. Some titles are E-books only.

📖 **The Arnold Family, Important Early Settlers of Clarion County, Pa.**

2011 by Sally Jordan Reed

#7940 E-Book only \$6.95

Two Families: A History of the Lives & Times of the Families of Isaac Newton Day & Lucilla Caroline Blachly 1635-1954

2004 by Reed B. Day

See description in BOOKS BY COUNTY/WASHINGTON CO. section.

#7796* 285 pp \$29.95

Heil Heilman! Stand Proud!

1984 (2007 Reprint) by Edith Heilman Medhurst

Descendants of John Jacob Heilman (from Germany to Lehigh Valley in 1750) plus other Heilman family info dating back to 100 A.D.

#4001* 551 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound \$49.95

The Joseph Johns Family History 1768-1998

1998 by David Craig & Audrey Craig

Descendants of Joseph Johns (Schantz), from Switzerland and the founder of Johnstown, Pa. Also includes burials in the Family Cemetery. Not indexed.

#7328* 67 pp \$9.95

📖 **Descendants of the Revolutioner John Logue**

2011 by Sally Jordan Reed

#7944 E-Book only \$6.95

Klingensmith Ancestry

2002 by Carmella Corcetti Shirley

Descends from Andrew Klingensmith of Leipzig, Germany (1595) to the descendants of his great-grandsons, Peter (b. 1729) and Philip (b. 1732). Also brief history of the Klingensmith immigration to America; coat of arms; photos; obits; marriage announcements, etc. Indexed.

#4002* 720 pp.....\$59.95
NEW PRICE.....\$49.95

Descendants of Robert McCall, Early Settler of Clarion County, Pa.

2011 by Sally Jordan Reed

#7939 E-Book only\$6.95

3,000 Descendants of John McKibben

Second Edition, by Sally Jordan Reed

#7272 E-Book only\$6.95

Mechlin/Mechling/Macklin Descendants of Theobald Mechling

The following Mechlin/Mechling/Macklin volumes have been compiled by Dorothy Hallam Mercy, 1996-2000. All are indexed. Volumes I through IV are out of print. Volumes V through VII are available in print and/or as an E-book. All seven volumes are available as a complete set on CD (#7855CD). Each book is described below.

Volume I through VII on CD-ROM

#7855CD\$45.00
NEW PRICE.....\$39.95

Volume I, 1728-1998: Descendants of Dewalt Mechling (1757-1790), eldest son of Theobald. 821 pp.

#7308 E-Book.....\$8.95
#7855CD CD set.....\$39.95

Volume II, 1728-1999: Descendants of the second son of Theobald, John Peter Mechling (1737-1765), 180 pp.

#7855CD CD set only.....\$39.95

Volume III, 1728-1996: Descendants of Theobald Mechling's third son, John Jacob Mechling (1747-1824). (Note: Most Armstrong Co. Mechlings are descended from John Jacob's brother, DeWalt, and are not included.) 484 pp.

#7855CD CD set only.....\$39.95

Volume IV, 1728-1996: Descendants of Jacob Mechling, Theobald's Brother; Montgomery County, Pa., and Other Mechlings. Theobald's brother Jacob Mechling died young, leaving only two sons. His descendants used the Mechlin spelling. This volume also consists of the Mechling family of Montgomery County, Pa. and other Mechlings (or Mechling spelling variations) which could not be properly identified. 70 pp.

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Volume V, 1728-1999: Descendants of Anna Elizabeth Mechling (1741-1784), daughter of Theobald Mechling and wife of Leonard Steininger

#7432* 50 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound\$7.95
#7432 E-Book.....\$4.95
#7855CD CD set.....\$39.95

Volume VI, 1728-2000: Descendants of Philip Mechling (b. ca. 1749, d. 1817, m. Katherine Wetzel), the fourth son of Theobald Mechling

#7450* 127 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound\$12.95
#7450 E-Book.....\$4.95
#7855CD CD set.....\$39.95

Volume VII, 1728-2000: Genealogy of Theobald's fifth and youngest child, Thomas Mechling. Thomas, b. 1751 (in what was then Bucks County, later Northampton Co.), d. 1786, married Katherine Welsh (1754-1830) and had four children. B&W photos.

#7455* 38 pp, 8½ x 11 Softbound\$7.95
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#7855CD CD set.....\$39.95

The Mechling Family of Armstrong Co., Pa.

1997 by Allen Mechling

Descendants of Michael Mechling (1759-1833) in Armstrong Co. area. Every-name index.

#7219* 56 pp.....\$9.50

Descendants of Anthony Newhouse (1751-1829) of Westmoreland County, Pa.: Four Generations

2004 by Richard A. Newhouse

Descends four generations (to the 1930s) to respect the privacy of the living. B&W photos.

#7778 181 pp.....\$30.00

Reichard Family History

2011 by Sally Jordan Reed

#7938 E-Book only\$6.95

Descendants of Ludwig Rettig: The Rettigs from 1826 to 2003

2003 by Gerald Rettig

Descends from the sons, Wilhelm and Adam, Sr., of German-born Ludwig Rettig. Biographical sketches, collections and other interesting tidbits add to this genealogy. Every-name index, location index.

#7711* 148 pp.....\$12.95

Genealogy of the Weaver Family

By David Craig

#7502 E-Book.....\$4.50
KINDLE.....\$6.99

Ancestors of Robert Leroy Wiegand (1924-)

Second Edition 1999 compiled by Brandon Wiegand

Descendants of Henrikus Wiegand (1776-????) from the Ruhr Valley in Germany. Every-name index.

#7386* 283 pp.....\$22.50

The Yingling Genealogy

1999 edited by Janice Yingling

Revised version of the book originally written in 1958 by Claude J. Rahn. Begins with European immigrant Christian Yingling (arrived Philadelphia ca 1710.) Indexed.

#7363 130 pp, E-Book only\$8.50

Finding Italian Roots

2003 by John Philip Colletta, PhD

Provides up-to-date information about accessing and interpreting materials available for tracking Italian ancestors and recording their stories for future generations. Limited quantity.

#7887 206 pp, 6 x 9 Softbound\$14.95

MISCELLANEOUS**A Secret Place: Reflections of Dominica**

2006 by Maria & Peter Bellot

The authors have captured the essence and spirit of the island of Dominica through fine art photography and poetry. It is the perfect coffee table book that the reader can enjoy time and time again for its beauty, simplicity and creativity. 11 x 8½ Hardbound, dustcover.

#7845 133 pp.....\$29.95

Historical Drawings of Cities, Towns & Villages

Bird's-eye views sketched in the late 19th and early 20th centuries. Suitable for framing, these prints are on heavy-weight 65# parchment paper. All are 24" wide by 18" high except Butler #1114, which is 32" x 22".

The following prints are available:

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NATIVE AMERICANS**Indian Villages of Pennsylvania**

2004 by William Garbarino, Jr.

A unique, colored, laminated map of Indian villages in Pa. during the 18th century with a 12-page pamphlet describing Pennsylvania's Indians and a listing of the villages to include the tribe, location, and some comments.

- 8½ x 11 Stapled pocket folder
 #7806 12 pp \$6.85

Indian Wars along the Upper Ohio

2001 by William M. Garbarino, Jr.

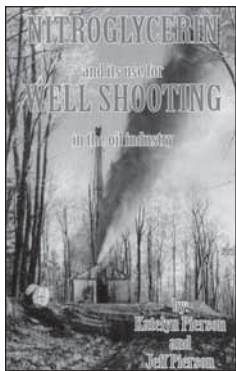
Exceptional and informative history brings to light the Indian Wars and related events along the Upper Ohio River area from 1745 to 1795. The Ohio River was the scene of one of the greatest territorial struggles between the early settlers and the Indians. Index, illus.

- #7517 127 pp, 6 x 9 Softbound \$11.95

OIL HISTORY***NEW* Nitroglycerin and Its Use for Well Shooting in the Oil Industry**

2009 by Katelyn & Jeff Pierson

For over 100 years, it was standard practice to "shoot" oil wells before the modern techniques of hydrofracturing and directional drilling came into being. Sadly on May 30, 1978, in Titusville, Pennsylvania, an accidental explosion destroyed the last nitroglycerin factory of its kind in the Oil Heritage region. Due to increasing concerns over industrial safety, liability, and environmental issues, the factory was never rebuilt. An era of petroleum history and development had come to a close.



An apprentice well shooter as well as an employee of the nitroglycerin factory, Jeff Pierson shares, with the help of his daughter Katelyn, the history and practice of well shooting in this unique work. Including color and B&W photos, this easy-to-read booklet packs a lot of fascinating information.

- #8004 26 pp, 5¼ x 8½ Softbound stapled.. \$7.50

Pennsylvania Crude: Boomtowns and Oil Barons

2010 by Paul Adomites, photos by Ed Bernik

Although it had been known and used by Native Americans and early settlers alike, oil wasn't officially "discovered" in America until 1859 with the successful drilling of the first commercial well near Titusville, Pennsylvania. An astonishing convergence of cultural forces precipitated that discovery in the hills of northwestern Pennsylvania. Rampant industrialization, a surging national population, the American Civil War and the inexorable migration westward prepared the way for the advent of a new fuel. There was insatiable demand for light, and the quest was joined by thousands of people who had hung their hopes on the chance of the next strike. This book takes you on a pictorial tour of the oil industry in the Pennsylvania Field from the discovery and boom eras through the resurgence occurring today. This book is a joint collaboration between the counties of Butler, Crawford, McKean, Venango and Warren in Pennsylvania, and Allegany County in New York. This handsome coffee-table book provides an absorbing look at the people and events that shaped our communities and culture, combining incredible vintage photographs gleaned from libraries, historical societies and private collections with remarkable contemporary images created by award-winning photographer Ed Bernik. Enclosed within the back cover is a DVD that provides a tour of historic sites throughout the Pennsylvania field, well sites, boom towns, oil exchanges and parks and museums created to preserve the memory of one of the most dynamic periods in American history. Dust jacket.

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From Boom to Bust: The Making of "the Smallest City in the U.S.A."—Parker, Pennsylvania

2008 by Marilyn McCall

See description in *BOOKS BY COUNTY/ARMSTRONG COUNTY*

- #7896* 291 pp, 7 x 10 Hardbound \$34.95
 NEW PRICE..... \$24.95

Oil on the Brain: The Discovery of Oil and the Excitement of the Boom in Northwestern Pennsylvania

2007 *Third Edition* by Gary S. McKinney

As the "Upper Field" in Venango County began to play out and production slowed, up stepped the newly discovered Clarion, Armstrong and Butler county oil region. The 1870s introduced to the world the "Lower Belt," and the "Boom" was on. In this final edition, author Gary S. McKinney interestingly delivers the reader into the exciting, wild and fascinating history of the northwestern Pennsylvania oil boom of the late 1800s—the early days of oil discovery in America. All in one volume, it comprises the *entire* belt of oil discovered in this region. Revealed are the many stories and faces behind the boom towns that sprang to life along the belt, among those: Parker City, Martinsburg (now Bruin), Modoc, Karns City, Petrolia City, and Millerstown (now Chicora.) Extensively illustrated.

- #7876* 516 pp, 7½ x 10½ Hardbound \$44.95

Oil Creek...the Beginning

2001 by Neil McElwee

A different historical examination of the first decades of the American oil industry, this book takes you to Venango County, Pa., in the 1860s and 1870s where the world's oil industry was formed. Not just a history, but a field guide to early well sites and oil towns.

- #7879 138 pp, 8 x 10 Softbound \$19.00

Petroleum and Petroleum Wells: What Petroleum Is, Where It Is Found, and What It Is Used for; Where to Sink Petroleum Wells, and How to Sink Them – With Complete Guide Book and Description of the Oil Regions of Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Kentucky and Ohio

Second Edition, 1865 (Reprint) by J. H. A. Bone

This reprint reveals to the modern reader "a clear and systematic account of the origin, description, and history of petroleum; its distribution over the globe; the...discovery of its existence in the United States, with a complete history of petroleum enterprise in this country from its inception; the method of working, and a minute and accurate account of the different regions of its production."

#7856 153 pp, 4½ x 6½ Hardbound.....\$22.59

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Coal Oil Johnny – His Book

1902 by John Washington Steele, 2006 Reprint by Oil Region Alliance

John Washington Steele (1843-1921), more commonly known as "Coal Oil Johnny," was Petrolia's prodigal prince. He inherited at age 21 the oil royalties and properties of his adopted parents (Culbertson and Sarah McClintock), including his boyhood home and their very productive oil farm along Oil Creek between what is now Rynd Farm and Rouseville, Pa. He eventually spent all of his money and lost the property through bankruptcy. (The house is currently owned by the Oil Region Alliance.) This book is his autobiography.

#7841 211 pp, 7½ x 5 Hardbound.....\$21.00

Oil Region Reminiscences Souvenir

1907 (2005 Reprint) by the Oil Men's Assoc. of Butler County

2005 New Every-name, Business & Locality Index by the Butler County Genealogical Society

Preserves many of the scenes, as well as incidents of the exciting formative years of oil production in western Pa., told by the men who had been personally involved. Advertisements from local businesses of the time, illustrations and photos, with a new every-name, business, and international locality index. (Also see *Beautiful Bountiful Butler Co.*)

#7827S 173 pp, 7 x 10 Softbound.....\$22.50

Beautiful Bountiful Butler County: Oil, 1870-1970

1970, 1983 (Reprint) by Butler Co. Hist. Soc.

The first 14 years of the oil industry six counties here supplied 90% of world oil. Book includes histories of towns and people during the "Oil Boom" and development of the pipe lines in Butler County.

#7265* 72 pp, 6 x 9 Booklet.....\$6.95

Where Earth Dissolves Like Snow: The Keystone Driller Story

2007 by Wayne A. Cole

See description in WESTERN PA & PA section.

See also: *Business Directories in BOOKS BY COUNTY/ VENANGO COUNTY section.*

RAILROADS

THE GHOST RAILS SERIES

Volumes II, IV and V are not available at this time.

Ghost Rails: Rails of Dreams

2003 (Reprint) by Wayne A. Cole

For history and rail buffs, this limited reprint has it all—steam, electric locomotives and streetcars, and diesels. It reveals the history of the Youngstown & Southern; the legendary Pittsburgh, Lisbon & Western Railroad; the Pittsburgh Coal Company's Smith Ferry branch, and the quest to haul Ohio River coal to Republic Steel in Youngstown, Ohio. It tells of the last interurban in Ohio and in Beaver County, Pennsylvania—America's oldest operating short line, operating today as the Youngstown & South Eastern.

Consider also getting *Ghost Rails III Upper Ohio Valley* (history of the Y&OR)—the perfect companion to *Rails of Dreams*—which adds/updates information about the oldest short line.

#7935 272 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound.....\$45.00

Ghost Rails Volume III: Electrics, Upper Ohio Valley, WV, OH, PA

2007 by Wayne A. Cole

This first-time history details electric railroads that no longer exist in the upper Ohio Valley. Includes accounts of Youngstown & Ohio River (Y&O), its West End connections; the Y&O Salem; the Youngstown & Southern; East Liverpool & Wellsville; Chester & Rock Springs; Ohio River Passenger Railway Co.; Newell Bridge & Railway Co.; Salem Railroad Co.; Ohio Valley Scenic Route; Steubenville Traction & Lighting Co.; the Glasgow Railroad, and more. Loaded with B&W photos, illus.

#7873 312 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound.....\$40.00

Ghost Rails Volume VI: Harmony Route, Pittsburgh, Harmony, Butler, & New Castle Railway

2009 by Wayne A. Cole

(For abandoned railroads and streetcar lines of the Ohio and Pa. line, see *Ghost Rails Volume III: Electrics Upper Ohio Valley.*) If you have traveled in western Pa., you have crossed the Harmony Route dozens of times. This long-awaited, incredible history covers the massive local streetcar system that ran from Pittsburgh to Butler, New Castle, and Beaver Falls. Seventy miles of right of way, two-and-a-half miles of massive steel bridges, are covered almost mile by mile. Maps, drawings, early sketches by those who visualized or saw the last of the line, and loads of then-and-now photos tell the Harmony Route story. The hardback book traverses: the Harmony Route in the city of Pittsburgh, North Side and Boggs and Buhl, Pittsburgh Evans City Division, the Butler Division, Ellwood City New Castle Division, and the Beaver Falls Extension. In addition,

separate sections feature: the golden years of Harmony service, the builders, the construction of the line, roster, Harmony Freight service, coal mines and dams, car barn and powerhouse sections. Finally, *Ghost Rails VI* details the history of Beaver Valley Traction that interchanged with the Harmony Route thru Ohio Valley towns to Sewickley, the home of Russell Boggs, who owned the Harmony Route. To complete the picture is the ghost connection to the Slippery Rock and Grove City Railway. 16 pages of color.

#7909 272 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound \$45.00

Ghost Rails VII: The Short Line

2010 by Wayne A. Cole

This is the history of the Pittsburgh and Butler Street Railway, often known as the Butler Short Line, 1900 to 1931. In 1917 it was purchased by the Harmony Route. The 33-mile route ran Pittsburgh, Etna, Mars, near Route 8, Renfrew, to Butler. This volume also includes the history of Butler Street Railways. 16 pages in color.

#7929 208 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound \$48.00

Ghost Rails Volume VIII: The Northern Sub

2011 by Wayne A. Cole

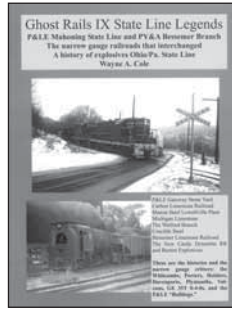
This volume takes the reader on a fascinating ride along the ghost-tracks from Butler and Forest counties to McKean County. It is a first-time history of 174 miles of the B&O Railroad Northern Sub from Callery Junction to Mt. Jewett—covering the early Pittsburgh & Western narrow gauge era through the B&O era; and then from 1982-2010, the Knox and Kane era and its predecessor railroads (Gettysburg, Penn View Mountain, B&I, and JKWI). The Knox and Kane RR attracted tens of thousands of people in its day. A section of this railroad is operated today by the Buffalo and Pittsburgh RR and is covered lightly to connect the abandoned (ghost) pieces. Included are local towns (with Chicora, Pa.) and the infamous Bruin Lagoon.

This also covers the history of three famous bridges: Foxburg Bridge, torn down in 2008, the Clarion River Bridge, and the Erie Railroad's Kinzua Bridge, once the world's highest RR bridge. Perhaps most important is at least 35 pages devoted to Foxburg Bridge; Foxburg, a railroad town; and the Foxburg switchback, the last one east of the Mississippi River. And on the opposite end of the railroad: the complete history of Mt. Jewett, one of the few towns in America to have eight railroads. It also introduces the little known B&O "Tunnel Hill route" Callery to Ribold—the beginning of the B&O in Butler County, Pa. Over 600 photos.

#7934 312 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound \$45.00

NEW Ghost Rails Volume IX: State Line Legends

2012 by Wayne A. Cole



The ninth volume in this fascinating series details the P&LE Gateway Yards and Mahoning State Line Railroad, Sharon Steel Lowellville plant, Walford Branch the narrow gauge industrial limestone railroads of the Hillsville and Bessemer: Carbon Limestone, Bessemer Cement and Limestone Railroad, USS Michigan Limestone.

Also of great interest is the complete history of Burton Explosives, the American Cyanamid New Castle Dynamite Railroad and Ohio/PA state line explosives. 16 page color section.

#8010 232 pp, 8½ x 11 Hardbound \$40.00

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