

INFORMATION & DATA ON THE FAMILY OF:

THOMAS & CATHERINE (SPENCER) DEWEESE  
1767-1837                      1764-1842

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Being a collection of information from Public records, biographies, histories and family sources, and arranged to present a coherent view of said family and their individual relationship. This has all been done for the purpose of preserving for future generations a knowledge of their past.

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FAMILY INFORMATION CHART NO.

Husband's full name <u>Thomas DEWEESE</u> born at <u>Kent County, Delaware</u> on <u>25 Dec. 1767</u> married at <u>Kent County, Delaware</u> on <u>1790</u> died at <u>Licking County, Ohio</u> on <u>6 Mar. 1837</u> interred at <u>Kirkersville Cemty *No. Groom's marriages 1<sup>st</sup></u>		Authority or source of information: Doris A. Reager Foster Vanderpool Rte. Utopia, TX 78884
Farmer Occupation _____ Religion _____ Military Service _____ Joshua DEWEESE Elizabeth BOWMAN His Father 1742-1791 Mother's maiden name 1745-1774		Records, Census & Others: Licking County, Madison Township, in the State of Ohio, for the years 1820 thru 1880.
Wife's maiden name <u>Catherine SPENCER</u> born at <u>Kent County, Delaware</u> on <u>4 May 1764</u> died at <u>Licking County, Ohio</u> on <u>17 Apr. 1842</u> interred at <u>Kirkersville Cemty No. Bride's marriages</u>		Dec. 21, 1804 Thomas purchased 200 acres in Twp. 2 Sec. 3, Range 11 of Fairfield Co. (now Licking Co.) from Jacob Nelson.
Occupation _____ Religion _____ Her Father _____ Mother's maiden name _____		*First buried in the cemetery on their farm then later removed to Kirkersville, Licking Co., Ohio.
Abodes and removals: They removed with other Deweese families from Delaware to Fayette Co., PA late in May, 1791 and then early in 1792 in to what is now Monongalia Co.,		
Sex	Children <span style="float: right;">cont.</span>	Additional information
	(1) Name <u>Sarah DEWEESE</u> born at <u>Fayette Co., Penna.</u> on _____ died at _____ on _____ married at _____ on _____ to _____	Married & had children
	(2) Name <u>Samuel DEWEESE</u> born at <u>Monongalia Co., W.Va</u> on <u>7 May 1793</u> died at <u>Licking County, Ohio</u> on <u>25 Jan. 1856</u> married at <u>Licking Co., OH</u> on <u>31 Aug. 1815</u> to <u>Mary DUGAN</u> <u>1793 -</u>	Children: Alonzo, b. 1816; Margaret, b. 1817; William, b. 1818; Lucinda Orilla, b. 10-9-1820; James L., b. 1824; Samuel, b. (?)
	(3) Name <u>Elizabeth DEWEESE</u> born at <u>Monongalia Co., W.Va</u> on <u>1796</u> died at <u>Story County, Iowa</u> on <u>14 Feb. 1872</u> married at <u>Licking Co., Ohio</u> on <u>22 Sept. 1814</u> to <u>Jonas WARD, Jr.</u> <u>1790-1873</u>	Children: Tartus M., b. 1815; Sarah Ann, b. 1816; Josiah Spencer, b. 1817; Jonas Lutellus, b. 1820; Elias C., b. 1823; Fidelia Electa, b. 1831; Jerusha Alvira, b. 1836.
	(4) Name <u>William DEWEESE</u> born at <u>Monongalia Co., W.Va</u> on <u>25 Jan. 1799</u> died at <u>Licking County, Ohio</u> on <u>7 Apr. 1861</u> married at <u>Licking Co., Ohio</u> on <u>11 July 1820</u> to <u>Margaret SPROUL</u> List other children on the reverse side.	Children: Frances, b. 1822; Samuel, b. 1824; James, b. 1827; Sarah Catherine, b. 1830; Elizabeth M., b. 1834; William Spencer, b. 1837.

W. Va. In Oct., 1804 they sold out and set out overland for Ohio and upon reaching the portion of Fairfield Co., now called Licking Co. they settled there.

forks. Newark was laid out this year by General W. C. Schenck; and Abraham Miller, John Warden and Henry Claybaugh came from the South branch of the Potomac, and settled in its immediate vicinity. Michael Thorn, Frederick Myer, and Henry Neff located at or near the Little Bowling Green, on the southern borders of the county, during this year. They were from the Monongahela country, in West Virginia. Adam Hatfield, James Black, Richard Parr, Samuel Elliott, Henry Claybaugh, Samuel Parr, and Samuel Elliott, jr., built and occupied cabins in Newark this year, except the younger Elliott, who probably had a tenant in his. The senior Elliott built the first hewed log house with shingled roof. Black kept a tavern on the lot now occupied by the Park House. Beall Babbs, James Jeffries and Mrs. Catharine Pegg, settled in or near Newark during this year. Jonathan Benjamin, father-in-law of John Jones and the Ford brothers, located on Ramp or Auter creek, in the spring of 1802. He had passed through the French and Indian wars, and through the Revolutionary war, also, and had been a frontiersman from his youth up. Mr. Benjamin died in 1841, at the great age of one hundred and three years. Patrick Cunningham, Abraham Johnson, Abraham Wright, James Petticord, Edward Nash, Carlton, Benedict, Aquilla, and two John Belts settled about and in Newark, except Cunningham, who first lived neighbor to John Jones, having built the second cabin within the present limits of Granville township. He was from Tyrone county, province of Ulster, Ireland; the others were from Washington county, Pennsylvania. A considerable colony from Brooke county, Virginia, also settled in the South Fork valley.

In 1803, John Evans settled in the North Fork valley, seven miles north of Newark, and in the spring of the same year Evan Payne and Jacob Wilson located in the same valley about a mile above the mouth of the North fork. They, as well as Evans, were Virginians. John Simpson, Robert Church, William Schamahorn, Richard Jewell, Edward Crouch, William and John Moore, Thomas Seymour, and William O'Bannon settled within the present limits of Madison township, during this year also.

In 1804, Thomas Cramer, Simon James and

Peter Cramer settled on the Welsh Hills; E. Humphrey and Chiswold May settled near Big Spring in Newton township. These were Virginians. Daniel Thompson, his son-in-law Daniel Enyart, and Matthias and Hathaway Iman also came this year and settled in Hanover township; and Moses Meeks, William H. Charles Howard and John and Adam Myers settled in Bowling Green township; Maurice Newsett settled in Newark; John and Jacob Myers, Dr. Smith and James Taylor settled in Union township; John Channel, Thomas Deweese and H. Smith settled in Madison township. Mr. S. had officiated for some time as Territorial notary, under a commission from Governor St. He became one of the early time magistrates of Madison and associate judge in the county.

In 1805, Rev. Joseph Thrap settled in the eastern borders of the county; George Ernst and Feasel came from Shenandoah county, Virginia, and settled in Clay Lick valley; Elias and Farmer came from Bedford county, Pennsylvania, and settled a few miles southwest of Newark; and Jacob Switzer came to the Clay Lick "the glades" of Pennsylvania; John Siglar in Hog Run valley; John Price, W. H. Mead perhaps David Beaver located in the South valley, as did David Herron and David H. in Newark; General John Spencer settled on a creek run, in Newton township; Archibald W. jr., settled in Newark. The most valuable addition to the inhabitants of this year was the Littleville colony, an account of which appears elsewhere. Several emigrants also came to the Hills during this and the succeeding year, whom were John Price, Benjamin Jones, J. Phillips and Thomas Powell.

In 1806, the upper valley of Raccoon now Monroe township, was settled by G. Evans, and soon thereafter by Charles and Green. Henry Drake also located in the valley of the South fork, now Harrison township during this year. Chester and Elisha W. John Hollister settled near the mouth of Rocky fork. Samuel Hand, James Hollister, David Benjamin settled in the South Fork valley. Evan Pugh and Archibald Wilson settled in Newark, in North Fork valley. The upper

was soon followed by one erected by James Taylor, another Daniel Hand, and others, as the population and demand increased. The distilleries of those days supplied their customers as did the mills, by giving every man his turn. When the grain with grain was taken to the mill, it was marked and left to be ground, when all others were ground that had preceded it. Just so at the 'still house,' every man left his jug or bottle to be filled, when all the jugs and bottles were filled that preceded it. It was quite common among the better class of farmers, when they sent for their meal, to send another bag of grain to take its turn, lest the family wants should get ahead of the turns at the mill, which was quite common in dry weather. Just so with those that patronized the still-house, when the full jug was taken away an empty one must be left for their turn, otherwise an involuntary total abstinence might have to be endured for awhile, unless relieved by some kind neighbor. Happy indeed was the man thought to be, whose means were such that he could afford to get a whole barrel stowed in some safe place, where he could resort to it at his pleasure for the comfort of himself and friends.

In those pioneer days it was considered a specific for nearly all the woes that the flesh of man was heir to, and by some for the soul and body. It warmed them when cold; it protected them in the harvest field from the evil effects of a scorching sun; it soothed their sorrows; it calmed their fears; it gave them courage in a fight; or it allayed the excited feelings of anger and made friends of those who had been at enmity. It braced the system under fatigue, and protected it from the evil effects of a storm, of either rain or snow. It sharpened their appetite for their food, and sustained them under long fasting. It cured rheumatism, cholera, and headache, and was an excellent remedy for a cold. It was a protection against the malaria of the new country, and one of the finest emollients for bruised limbs or a sprained limb in the world. Indeed, it was a universal specific for all their sufferings in this life, whether physical, mental, or moral. No patent medicine of modern days can compare with it; and that, too, without any newspaper advertisement—for it was well understood to be adapted to every age and sex. It was the first thing given to the baby, and the last applied to the cold clay of the mortal body to hold it to its original freshness until laid in the tomb.

Was it any wonder that an article of such universal adaptability should be promptly provided for? Then its importance as a staple of commerce, in those days should not be overlooked; for the farmers paid for their land with it. When there was no market for their grain, their fruit, or their live stock, they had but to trade or convert it into whiskey or brandy, and it at once became substantially a legal tender, for no man could refuse in those days of a person refusing to take it for a price. It was the rich man's glory and the poor man's consolation.

As far as can be ascertained at this late day, Asa Shinn was the first man that ever preached within the present bounds of the township, and the place was at the cabin of George Stone in the year 1803 or 1804. A society was soon after organized here, and John Price was appointed class-leader. At this time there was a local preacher, by the name of George Stone, settled near the south line of the township, but there were no particulars in regard to his religious labors, farther than that he was a very active and energetic Christian. In the year 1805 he erected a good hewed log meeting-house on the land of George Wells, and called it 'Wells' meeting-house.' This

was superseded in the year 1833 by a large brick, called 'George's chapel.' This society became so weakened by deaths and removals, that many years ago it was disbanded, and its members attached to other points, and the meeting-house torn down. In 1805 Benjamin Green, a Baptist preacher, commenced preaching at David Beaver's and a few years after this, a society was formed at this place from members that had been attached to the churches of Hog run and Pleasant run, and held their meetings at the house of David Beaver. About the year 1815 or 1816 they erected a hewed-log church, with gallery on the sides and one end; this was for some time called 'Beaver's meeting-house,' but was subsequently named 'Licking church.' This society, with some modifications, continues in a prosperous condition, and now have a good frame church and a well improved cemetery. The people on Auter creek, for many years, attended meeting at Mr. Nash's, within the bounds of Granville township, but soon after the War of 1812, a society was formed at the house of John Park, and John Black was appointed class-leader. This continued to be a regular preaching place, until the erection of Park chapel in 1840-1. There are several other pretty good churches in the township, but of modern date. Although the people of Union did not, like those of Granville, bring their religious instructor with them, they have always given respectful attention to religious instruction. They came here in small parties and from various points, representing almost every faith that was taught in the older states, including the Puritans, Baptists, Methodists, Lutherans, Quakers, Moravians, Dunkards, Universalists and Unitarians.

"The first school is said to have been taught in the neighborhood of David Beaver's in the year 1805, by a Mr. Livingston. The next, of which there is any account, was taught in the Benjamin settlement, by Sallie Gavitt, in 1809 or 1810. She taught two terms, and was followed by Miss Sarah Baldwin, Mr. Lockwood, Miss Harriet Munsel (now Mrs. H. Gaffield of St. Albans), and Miss M. Twigg. In 1815 this part of Union and the southeast part of Granville, united and built a school-house, on what is now the McMillen farm, and that winter the school was taught by Oliver Thrall, and in 1816 and 1817 by Daniel Howe; in 1818, by Miss Barsha Howe, now Mrs. Hillier, of Kansas. The territory was again divided, and the Union portion erected a school-house on Auter creek, Miss Hannah Ford (now Mrs. Benjamin, of Iowa), taught one or two terms; then Mr. Driggs, followed by James Corbin. In 1813 and 1814 a sister of Sallie Gavitt, Mrs. A. E. Bragg, of Granville, taught school in the Stone and Pumphrey settlement.

By diligent inquiry and the aid of family records, the names of nearly all the early settlers have been ascertained, and are placed in the following order:

In 1800 John VanBuskirk and Benjamin Murphy, the last week in March, and J. Wayman the same season.

In 1801-2 Jonathan Benjamin, John Horned, William Horned, George Wells, John Edwards, Alexander Holmes, Richard Wells, Joseph Wells, Bazeel Wells, James Hendricks, William Wells, William Richardson, John Waggy, James Green, Henry Owens, and Amineas Ford.

In 1803 Thomas Stone, George Stone, Phillip Smith, Joshua Browning, William Holmes, John Price, Joshua Price, James Taylor, William Johnson, Mordecai Price, Charles Howard, Benjamin Price, Nicholas Porter, Martin Lincoln, Abram Mouser, J. Pumphrey.

In 1804-5 James Holmes, jr., Daniel Smith, James Stone, David Beaver, John Good, John Farmer, John Coulter, Elias Farmer, John V. Farmer, Abram Beaver, Francis Twigg, Cornelius Elliott, John and Jacob Myers, Jeremiah Page, and John Hilton.

In 1806-7 Samuel Hand, Henry Horn, Henry Hillbrant, John Black, Abraham Stepp, John Hughs, William Hughs, Peter Clein, Thomas Hughs, John Cunningham, Amos Park, John Thompson, David Benjamin.

In 1808 to 1810 the increase of population was quite rapid, among whom we may name John Rhodes, John Ruffner, Abram Rhodes, John Park, Henry Myers, Samuel Stone, George Callahan, Aaron Park, J. K. Myers, Philip Peters, James Cunningham.

"Several of these brought with them children, that were men and women at the time of their parents arrival, among whom were Jemima Black and Jane Ingraham, daughters of Jonathan Benjamin, in 1801; Catharine Horned in 1803; Amos and Lewis Farmer in 1805, and in the same year, Samuel and Ephraim Coulter.

"For some things that could not be obtained from the living, the cities of the dead have been visited, the tombs consulted, and from their records the following list taken, which will give a pretty fair representation of the astonishing degree of longevity to which many of those hardy pioneers attained, notwithstanding their privations.

NAMES	AGE	NAMES	AGE
Jonathan Benjamin	103	Nicholas Porter	67
Margaret Benjamin	95	Lovel Morris	79
David Benjamin	67	Mary Morris	84
Elizabeth Benjamin	67	Thomas Holmes	78
Phineas Ford	65	Mrs. Holmes	69
Mary Ford	87	Joshua Browning	64
Henry Hillbrant	94	Polly Farmer	66
Nancy A. Park	75	John V. Farmer	95
John Park	76	Amos Park	70
Margaret Park	66	George Wells	86
Martin Beaver	74	Elizabeth Wells	75
Mrs. Beaver	89	Theron Hamilton	78
Abram Rhodes	69	William Cain	82
Barbara Rhodes	69	Elizabeth Cain	76
John Rhodes	65	John Myers	79
John Cunningham	70	Polly Myers	90
Deborah Cunningham	84	Benedict Belt	78
Thomas Stone	79	Rachel Belt	75
Barbary Stone	78	James Holmes, sr.	79
Samuel Hand	74	Ann Holmes	69
Elizabeth Hand	81	George Hancock	85
Philip Peters	86	Nancy Hancock	65
Ann Peters	79	Phillip Smith	82
Hugh Whiteford	97	John Farmer	92
Charlotte Whiteford	68	Mary Watson	77
Nancy Lane	65	James Stone	64
Henry Myers	82	Susan Stone	65
Rebecca Myers	74	Christlan Nulton	94
John Edwards	77	Dorothy Coffman	76
Ruth Edwards	77	Elias Farmer	68
Edmund Taylor	76	Rebecca Stone	79
Thomas Dewese	79	Elizabeth Moore	83
Catharine Dewese	78		

"The aggregate age attained by these (sixty-five) persons is five thousand and five years, or an average of seventy-seven years.

A few of the above did not move into the township till a late date, but were properly western pioneers, and came to the Licking valley at an early day. There are others who died out of the township whose record has not been obtained, among whom are James Taylor and wife, James and George Stone and wife, Alex. Wells and wife, and Susan Park, some of whom attained an age of nearly one hundred years.

"It may be worth noting that nearly all of these early settlers, both male and female, were expert in the use of the rifle, and some of the men were "professional hunters," who devoted much of their time to the chase, especially in the fall and winter, when the flesh and skins of wild animals were valuable. Among these may be named Thomas Stone, John Browning, John Edwards, John Price, John and Elias Farmer, and John Coulter, as among the most expert of them. Thomas Stone was distinguished as a bear hunter, sometimes killing as many as eight to twelve in a season. They were seldom seen at any time, even at church, without their rifle. Some of them did not feel themselves fully dressed unless their "hunter's belt" was buckled around them, and their pouch and powder-horn hung over their shoulders. They only gloried in the chase, but with some of them it was the chief source of their living, until old age and scarcity of game compelled them to give it up. John Edwards and Thomas Stone were good farmers and fair business men, and accumulated some property, but most of these hunters died poor.

"Joshua Browning was a man without any education, but a person of good judgment. At the time of the great meteor shower of 1833, the alarm among many of the people was great. Almost every kind of business was suspended, and the people of the country gathered at the towns to talk about it and to hear what others had to say. Mr. Browning said that he was out hunting and camped in the woods. In the night he saw an unusual number of "shooting stars," and their number continued to increase. To get a better view of them, he left his camp and went about a quarter of a mile to open ground. Here his description of the scene was truly ludicrous, but very interesting. He watched them until his neck pained him for looking up; he then lay on his back and watched them for hours. Having heard of a time coming when the stars of heaven should fall, he fixed his eyes on certain stars to see if they would fall, but not one of them moved. These sparkling gems that filled the atmosphere above him seemed to take their exit somewhere in the open space between him and the stars that he fixed his eyes upon, hence he concluded that this was not the "star falling" spoken of in the Bible. It now, to his mind, assumed a delightful aspect; and his description, in his native dialect, of the dividing and multiplying character of the stars as they descended to the earth, though laughable, was very entertaining; and while many reading persons were frightened by the scrutinizing mind of this son of nature converted into a scene of pleasurable delight. Joshua Browning was a man of mild temper and of good morals. He died at the age of sixty-four. His brother-in-law, Phillip Smith, was a tiltersman in taste and habits, and died at the age of seventy years.

"Lovel Morris was born in New Jersey, and came to this country in the spring of 1804, living one year on Richard Zer's land. He then moved to the neighborhood of Crooked Run on Jonathan's creek, and remained there five years, when he returned to the Hog Run valley, where he remained till he bought land on Auter creek, in Union township.

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Thomas Thomas. — Duckworth.  
 — Gregory. Charles Ellis.  
 Alexander Edwards, Tenth John Murtz.  
 Ohio heavy artillery. Benjamin Blandy.  
 John Wickham. 'Squire Brooke, Ohio national  
 Hiram Holler, First Iowa guard.  
 cavalry. Albert Halliday, United States  
 F. Bartholomew. artillery.  
 Lieutenant John Morrison. Captain A. Converse Southard.  
 Wright B. Bower, Eleventh Ohio volunteer cavalry.

MEXICAN WAR VETERANS.

John Vance. Burr McMullen.  
 Thomas Willey.

VETERANS OF WAR OF 1812.

James Smith. William Horne.  
 Jacob Little. James Taylor.  
 Alexander Cochran. John Henry.  
 Moses Moore. Amos Halliday.  
 Fred Salliday. Jacob Overturf.  
 David Moore. Robert Davidson.

The following named soldiers are buried at Mt. Calvary cemetery, South Newark:

Joseph Meister, company E, Seventy-sixth Ohio volunteer infantry.  
 L. L. Klein, company E, Seventy-sixth Ohio volunteer infantry.  
 Martin Gast, company E, Seventy-sixth Ohio volunteer infantry.  
 H. McCarty.  
 Martin Pendergrast.

Joseph Meister was a member of the Society of the Soldiers and Sailors of Licking county, and his was the first death occurring in the society.

"Rest on, embalmed and sainted dead,  
 Dear as the blood ye gave;  
 No traitor's footsteps e'er shall tread  
 The herbage o'er your grave.  
 Nor shall your glory be forgot,  
 While Fame her record keeps,  
 For Honor mourns the hallowed spot  
 Where loyal valor sleeps."

The following is a list of the names of soldiers buried in the Newark cemeteries, in addition to those given above. The list may yet be imperfect, and the secretary of the society would thank the friends of those who have been omitted to furnish their names, that they may be preserved in the records of the society, and that they may be honored by the annual tribute of flowers on Decoration day.

The list embraces soldiers of the Revolution, the war of 1812, the Mexican war and the War of the great Rebellion, and of all soldiers who have died recently or since the Rebellion:

BURIED IN CEDAR HILL CEMETERY.

Elijah Mobley (colored); Seven- James McCadden, Revolution  
 ty-sixth Ohio volunteer in- and 1812.  
 fantry. Meredith Darlington, War of

Townsend Nichols, Seventy- 1812.  
 sixth Ohio volunteer in- Isaac Conrad, War of 1812.  
 fantry. Charles Gomindinger.  
 Charles H. Green, Seventy- William O. Swindle.  
 sixth Ohio volunteer in- — Harris (colored).  
 fantry. William McCarty Sixty-first  
 Lucius A. Gloyd, First Ohio New York volunteers.  
 volunteer cavalry. — Holler.  
 Jacob Zartman, One Hundred Vincent Lake, One Hundred  
 and Twenty-ninth Ohio and Thirteenth Ohio vol-  
 volunteer infantry. unteer infantry.  
 William S. Gill. James Lake, Ninety-fifth Ohio  
 J. Milton Henderson. volunteer infantry.  
 William H. Fleck. H. Drindell.  
 David Norman. Stephen Cramer.  
 William R. Morrison, Mexican A. Orlando Beckwith.  
 war. Jessie Smith, War of 1812.  
 John D. Smith, Mexican war. S. G. Hamilton, War of 1812.  
 William Francis, war of 1812. John Shrum.  
 John J. Gorius, Second Ohio heavy artillery, Mt. Calvary  
 cemetery.

Many Licking county soldiers are buried in other parts of the county, but far the greatest number rest in the fields far south, where their blood bathed the land they fought for. Many lie in unmarked graves near the prison pens of Andersonville, and upon the sites of sanguinary battle fields where they fell. The tears of their fellow-patriots cannot wash out the memories of their deeds—and, although their ashes repose far away from the land of their birth, yet when the last trumpet sounds the great awakening, all alike will arise to glory.

Cover them over with beautiful flowers,  
 Deck them with garlands, those brothers of ours;  
 Lying so silent, by night and by day,  
 Sleeping the years of their manhood away;  
 Years they had marked for the joys of the brave;  
 Years they must waste in the sloth of the grave.  
 All the bright laurels they fought to make bloom,  
 Fell to the earth when they went to the tomb.  
 Give them the meed they have won in the past;  
 Give them the honors their merits forecast;  
 Give them the chaplets they won in the strife;  
 Give them the laurels they lost with their life.  
 Cover them over—yes, cover them over—  
 Parent, and husband, and brother, and lover;  
 Crown in your heart these dead heroes of ours.  
 And cover them over with beautiful flowers.

The following muster and pay rolls of the soldiers of the War of 1812 were furnished by the department at Washington, and came too late for insertion in their proper place, in "Chapter XXXVII," and are, therefore, attached to the end of the war history of the county. A glance at the

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many familiar names will interest the older residents of the county.

## MUSTER ROLL

of a rifle company of United States volunteers, under the command of Captain John Spencer, of the Third regiment, commanded by Colonel Lewis Cass, War of 1812 :

## COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.

1. John Spencer, captain.
2. Robert Davidson, lieutenant.
3. Andrew Allison, ensign.

## NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.

4. James Gibson, first sergeant.
5. Samuel Smith, second sergeant.
6. James Seymour, third sergeant.
7. Joseph Statler, fourth sergeant.
8. Thomas Hughes, first corporal.
9. Samuel Morfoot, second corporal.
10. Elias Hughes, third corporal.
11. Joseph Cunningham, fourth corporal.
12. David Messenger, drummer.
13. Spencer Spellman, fifer.

## PRIVATES.

14. John Parrish.
15. John Barrick.
16. James Scott.
17. Matthias Bevard.
18. Samuel Kinneman.
19. William Young.
20. Jacob Pickering.
21. Thomas Davis.
22. Robert McGowan.
23. Jacob Bevard.
24. John Motherspaw.
25. Andrew Stewart.
26. John Johnston.
27. John Forry.
28. William Cunningham.
29. William Parr.
30. Thomas Jones.
31. Jacob Little.
32. John Harris.
33. John Far.
34. Joshua Evans.
35. John Drum.
36. Henry Meirs.
37. William Roe.
38. William Walker.
39. Archibald Kerzey.
40. Enos Devore.
41. Jonathan Kerzey.
42. Archibald Smith.
43. John Hall.
44. John Evans.
45. Joseph Wright.
46. David Shadwick.
47. Joshua Harris.

## MUSTER ROLL

of a company of volunteers commanded by Captain John Spencer, of Colonel Cass' regiment of Ohio volunteers, War of 1812.

## COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.

John Spencer, captain.  
Robert Davidson, lieutenant.

## PRIVATES.

1. James Gibson.
2. Thomas Hughes.
3. Joseph Statler.
4. John Barrick.
5. David Shaddick.
6. James Scott.
7. Elias Hughes.
8. Matthias Bevard.
9. Samuel Cinnervan.
10. James Seymour.
11. William Young.
12. Jacob Pickering.
13. Thomas David.
14. Joseph Cunningham.
15. Robert McGowan.
16. Jacob Bevard.
17. John Motherspaw.
18. And. Stewart.
19. And. Ellison.
20. John Johnston.
21. John Forrey.
22. William Cunningham.
23. William Parr.
24. Thomas Jones.
25. John Harris.
26. Joshua Harris.
27. Jacob Little.
28. John Parish.
29. John Farr, Jr.
30. Joshua Evans.
31. John Drum.
32. Henry Myers.
33. William Roe.
34. Samuel Morfoot.
35. Samuel Smith.
36. William Walker.
37. Enos Devore.
38. Arch. Smith.
39. Arch. Kerzey.
40. Jonathan Kerzey.
41. John Hale.
42. John Evans.
43. Joseph Wright.
44. James Kerzey.

## MUSTER ROLL

of a company of mounted volunteers, under the command of Captain John Spencer, of the Second regiment, Second brigade and Third division of the Ohio militia, War of 1812.

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COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.

1. John Spencer, captain.
2. James Gibson, first lieutenant.
3. Elias Hughes, second lieutenant.
4. John I. Tulloss, ensign.

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.

1. Morris A. Newman, first sergeant.
2. James Seymour, second sergeant.
3. Thomas Cannon, third sergeant.
4. Timothy Spelman, fourth sergeant.
5. William Blackburn, first corporal.
6. John Chonner, second corporal.
7. George McMullen, third corporal.
8. Joseph Stalefer, fourth corporal.

PRIVATEES.

9. John Abrahams.
10. Anthony Arnold.
11. Ephraim Baker.
12. Daniel Baker.
13. Aaron Brown.
14. Andrew Beard.
15. Amos H. Caffee.
16. Hosmer Curtis.
17. James Chadwick.
18. John Cunningham.
19. William Cunningham.
20. John Channel.
21. Thomas Dugan.
22. Jethro Dewces.
23. Hathaway Denman.
24. Christopher Davis.
25. Thomas Fulton.
26. Asa B. Gavitt.
27. Michael Green.
28. Benjamin F. Gavitt.
29. John Gilmore.
30. Titan Henderson.
31. Samuel Hoover.
32. John Helphrey.
33. Robert Hunter.
34. John Hook.
35. Elias Hughes.
36. John Johnston, first.
37. John Incho.
38. Moses Incho.
39. John Johnston, second.
40. Nathan Kirkpatrick.
41. Peter Kirkpatrick.
42. George Kissinger.
43. John Moody.
44. Benjamin Matthews.
45. John McKinley.
46. Samuel Powell.
47. George Parks.
48. Benjamin C. Pegg.
49. Isaac Pence.
50. William Rowe.
51. James Robinson.
52. Martin Robinson.
53. Bazil Ridgely.
54. Eljah Rogers.

55. Robert Scott.
56. Job Stanbery.
57. Jehu Sutton.
58. Christian Vance.
59. Joseph Vance.
60. James Ward.
61. Thomas Wheeler.
62. Archibald Wilson.
63. Jonas Ward.
64. Adam Kite.
65. Matthew Kliver.
66. James Thrall.
67. John Boucher.
68. James Coulter.

MUSTER ROLL.

of a company of Ohio militia under command of Captain Joseph Sutton, of the Second battalion regiment of militia in the service of the United States, War of 1812.

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.

1. Captain Joseph Sutton.
2. Lieutenant Wilson Holden.
3. Ensign Henry Kliver.

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.

1. First Sergeant E. L. Bonham.
2. Second Sergeant Thomas Berry.
3. Third Sergeant Jacob Bickle.
4. Fourth Sergeant Solomon Myers.
1. First Corporal David Moore.
2. Second Corporal Matthias Kliver.
3. Third Corporal Hazel Green.
4. Fourth Corporal Eli Brady.

PRIVATEES.

1. George Levingston.
2. Ridgway Craft.
3. Jonathan Routsong.
4. Thomas Demoss.
5. Stephen Batholmew.
6. George Neff.
7. Henry Hursey.
8. Jacob Stotts.
9. John Morris.
10. John Farr.
11. Robert Johnson.
12. Hyatt Willison.
13. John Statler.
14. Daniel Motherspaw.
15. John C. Holden.
16. Samuel Hull.
17. John Patee.
18. Jeremiah Willison.
19. William McDaniel.
20. Richard Parr.
21. Samuel Herron.
22. Hira Patee.
23. Samuel McHelvey.
24. Joseph Connor.
25. Benjamin Corsen.
26. Jonah Denaus.

*Wa 17f*

The number of Persons within my Division, consisting of Licking County, appears in a Schedule hereto annexed, subscribed by me, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the year one thousand eight hundred and twenty. Assistant to the Marshal of \_\_\_\_\_

Schedule of the whole number of Persons within the Division allotted to AMOS H. Caffee

Name of the County, Parish, Town or City, where the Family resides.	Heads of Families.		Free white Males.				Free white Females.				Number of persons engaged in		Free colored Persons.				ALL Other Persons EXCEPT INDIANS, Not Taxed.	Page No.
			Ages.				Ages.						MALES.		FEMALES.			
			under 10 years.	10 & 16 years.	16 & 26 years.	26 & 45 years.	under 10 years.	10 & 16 years.	16 & 26 years.	26 & 45 years.			under 14 years.	14 & 26 years.	26 & 45 years.	under 14 years.		
Madison	Thomas Deweese		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	37	
	Samuel Deweese		2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	37	
	Jonas Ward		3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	38	

A REMARK: Any line a Free White Male is enumerated in the 16 to 26 column, he is supposed to have also been included in the 16 to 26 column.

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REMARKS, ETC.

Jonas Ward(Jr.) married Elizabeth Deweese. daughter of Jonas' 3 males under 10 years of age are Tartus M., Josiah Thomas and Catherine (Spencer) Deweese. 22 September 1814, in Licking County, Ohio. Spencer and Jonas Lutellas Ward.



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No Deweese as Grantee is listed therein.

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"	"	"	" " "	11	2	4	-	126	N 379
"	"	"	John NIDY	10	2	-	25	80	W 40
"	"	"	Joseph OATMAN	10	2	-	25	80	X 637
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"	"	"	Gideon MARTIN	18	17	-	17	80	R 459

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WARD  
Surname  
FAMILY INFORMATION CHART NO.

Husband's full name <u>Jonas WARD, Jr.</u> born at <u>Rockingham County, Va.</u> on <u>10 Feb. 1790</u> married at <u>Licking County, Ohio</u> on <u>22 Sept. 1814</u> died at <u>Madison County, Iowa</u> on <u>10 Dec. 1873</u> interred at <u>Sheffield Cemetery</u> No. Groom's marriages <u>1</u>	Authority or source of information: Basics are from Tartus M. Ward's Family Bible.
Farmer <u>First Presbyterian Ohio Volunteers, War 1812</u> Occupation <u>Religion</u> <u>Military Service</u> Jonas WARD <u>Phoebe WARD</u> His Father <u>1743-1812</u> Mother's maiden name <u>1747-</u>	Records, Census & Others: All Licking County, Ohio, record stored at the Courthouse prior to 1875 were destroyed by a fire I've been told.
Wife's maiden name <u>Elizabeth DEWEESE</u> born at <u>Monongalia Co., W. Va.</u> on <u>5 Dec. 1796</u> died at <u>Story County, Iowa</u> on <u>14 Feb. 1872</u> interred at <u>Sheffield Cemetery</u> No. Bride's marriages <u>1</u> <u>Story County, Iowa</u>	
Occupation <u>Religion</u> Thomas DEWEESE <u>Catherine SPENCER</u> Her Father <u>1767-1837</u> Mother's maiden name <u>1764-1842</u>	
Abodes and removals:	

Sex	Children	Additional information
	(1) Name <u>Tartus M. WARD</u> born at <u>Licking Co., Ohio</u> on <u>31 July 1815</u> died at <u>Washington Co., Ia.</u> on <u>5 Sept. 1897</u> married at <u>Licking Co., Ohio</u> on <u>14 Mar. 1839</u> to <u>Elvira M. Doolittle</u> <u>1820-1892</u>	
	(2) Name <u>Sarah Ann WARD</u> born at <u>Licking Co., Ohio</u> on <u>31 Dec. 1816</u> died at <u>Licking Co., Ohio</u> on <u>7 Mar. 1817</u> married at _____ on _____ to _____	
	(3) Name <u>Josiah Spencer WARD</u> born at <u>Licking Co., Ohio</u> on <u>27 Dec. 1817</u> died at <u>Norcatour, Kansas</u> on <u>16 Mar. 1888</u> married at <u>Licking Co., Ohio</u> on <u>21 Feb. 1839</u> to <u>Mary Magdaline BURNER</u> <u>1819-1918</u>	
	(4) Name <u>Jonas Lutellas WARD</u> born at <u>Licking Co., Ohio</u> on <u>29 Nov. 1820</u> died at <u>Jerseyville, Ills.</u> on <u>4 May 1884</u> married at <u>Crawford Co., Ills.</u> on <u>3 Mar. 1853</u> to <u>Mrs. Margaret BOCKOVER Selby</u> List other children on the reverse side.	



CHILDREN OF Jonas and Elizabeth (DeWeese) WARD, Jr.

Sex		
	(5) Name <u>Elias C. WARD</u> born at <u>Licking Co., Ohio</u> on <u>10 Feb. 1823</u> died at _____ on _____ married at _____ on _____ to <u>Sarah</u>	
	(6) Name <u>Fidelia Electa WARD</u> born at <u>Licking Co., Ohio</u> on <u>24 Mar. 1831</u> died at <u>Story Co., Iowa</u> on <u>29 Aug. 1922</u> married at <u>Crawford Co., Ill.</u> on <u>27 Nov. 1849</u> to <u>William Rochester DOOLITTLE</u> <u>1824-1893</u>	
	(7) Name <u>Jerusha Alvira WARD</u> born at <u>Licking Co., Ohio</u> on <u>22/29 Nov. 1836</u> died at _____ on _____ married at <u>Crawford Co., Ill.</u> on <u>4 Jan. 1855</u> to <u>Wesley J. PARK</u> <u>1833-1914</u>	
	(8) Name _____ born at _____ on _____ died at _____ on _____ married at _____ on _____ to _____	
	(9) Name _____ born at _____ on _____ died at _____ on _____ married at _____ on _____ to _____	
	(10) Name _____ born at _____ on _____ died at _____ on _____ married at _____ on _____ to _____	
	(11) Name _____ born at _____ on _____ died at _____ on _____ married at _____ on _____ to _____	
	(12) Name _____ born at _____ on _____ died at _____ on _____ married at _____ on _____ to _____	

Continue on another form if there are more children.

James W. Burnett and Harriet Burnett, his children & heirs at law. Now these presents witness that, in the said James W. Burnett and Harriet Burnett for and in consideration of the sum of one dollar to us in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, do hereby ratify and confirm all the sales made by the said William L. Schenck, antecedent to the death of the said John Burnett, by virtue of the full power vested in the said William L. Schenck, as aforesaid, in and to the said James W. Burnett and Harriet Burnett, do hereby empower the said William L. Schenck, to make, deal and deliver good and sufficient deeds, titles and conveyances concerning the premises, as fully and in every respect, as we the said James W. Burnett and Harriet Burnett might or could do, were we present at the doing thereof, and Whosoever one or more under hand for the purposes aforesaid, to make and execute at his pleasure to revoke, ratify and confirm, and by these presents allowing whatsoever the said William L. Schenck shall lawfully do or cause to be done in and about the premises, by virtue of these presents. In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals the thirteenth day of April, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and fifteen, 1846. Signed, sealed and delivered in their presence of John Linn  
 James W. Burnett  
 Harriet Burnett

At New York, New Jersey, before me James W. Burnett, a Notary Public, duly commissioned, personally appeared James W. Burnett and Harriet Burnett the parties to the within instrument, and respectively acknowledged the same to be their deed, and signed, sealed and delivered for the use and purpose therein mentioned. Witness my hand and seal of Office this fourteenth day of April Anno Domini 1846  
 James W. Burnett, Notary Public

Thomas Deves and Wife  
 to  
 Jonas Ward Deed  
 Recorded July 26<sup>th</sup> 1846

This Indenture made this seventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and

seventeen, Between Thomas Deves and Catherine his wife of the one part and Jonas Ward of the other part, both of the County of Licking and State of Ohio, Witnesseth that the said parties of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred and fifty Dollars, current Money of the United States to them in hand paid, the receipt they do hereby acknowledge and forever acquit

And discharge the said Jonas and his heirs, and they the said Thomas and Catherine hath granted, bargained and sold and by these presents doth grant, bargain sell, alien and assign unto the said Jonas and to his heirs and assigns forever, with that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the County of Licking and State of Ohio, beginning at a post on the Northwest Corner of a tract of land of Johnships No two, Section No three and Range Eleven of Military Land, a checker post thence North eight poles, a post, thence East one hundred and fifty poles, thence South eighty poles, thence West one hundred and fifty poles to the beginning, containing seventy five Acres, be the same more or less, together with all the appurtenances whatsoever belonging to or in any wise appertaining, and all the estate right, title, claim and demand of them the said Thomas and Catherine, of us and to the same To have and to hold the land hereby conveyed with all and singular the premises and every part and parcel thereof, with every of the appurtenances unto the said Jonas and his heirs and assigns forever, and the said Thomas and Catherine for themselves, their heirs, Executors and administrators, doth covenant, promise and agree, and with the said Jonas and his heirs and assigns by these presents, that the premises before mentioned now and forever hereafter shall remain free of and from all former and other gifts, grants, bargains, sales, debts, rights, titles, of dower, judgments, executions, titles, troubles, charges and incumbrances whatsoever done or suffered to be done by them the said Thomas and Catherine; and the said Thomas and Catherine and their heirs all and singular the premises hereby bargained and sold with the appurtenances unto the said Jonas and his heirs and assigns against them the said Thomas and Catherine and their heirs and all and every other person or persons whatsoever, doth and will bargain and forever defend. In witness whereof the said Thomas and Catherine have hereunto set their hands and seals the date above written, signed, sealed and delivered in presence of us

John Cunningham      Thomas Deuss      Seal  
 Wm. H. Gault      Catherine Deuss      Seal  
mark

The State of Ohio } Personally appeared before me John  
 Licking County } John Cunningham one of the acting Justices  
 of the peace in and for said this within named Thomas  
 Deuss, who acknowledged that he did voluntarily sign  
 seal and deliver the within deed of conveyance for the

uses and purposes therein expressed, also personally appeared  
Leathrine Deuis, wife of the said Thomas Deuis, who ad-  
knowledged that she did voluntarily sign, seal and deliver  
the within Deed of conveyance for the uses and purposes  
therein expressed and that she executed the same without  
threats, coercion or compulsion of her husband and that  
she freely relinquished her right of dower to the premises  
within mentioned, and desired the same may be admit-  
ted to record. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my  
hand and seal this 7<sup>th</sup> day of July 1816.

John Cunningham J. C. & Co.

Wilson Holden and wife

Nicholas Shower Deed  
Executed July 27<sup>th</sup> 1816

This Indenture

Made this twenty fourth  
day of October in the  
year of our Lord one

thousand eight hundred and fifteen; between Wilson Hol-  
den and Sally his wife of the County of Licking and  
State of Ohio of the one part; and Nicholas Shower of  
the County and State aforesaid of the other part, witness-  
eth that the said Wilson Holden and Sally his wife  
for and in consideration of the sum of seven hundred  
and thirty six dollars and eighty five cents, current mo-  
ney of the United States of America to them in hand  
paid; the receipt whereof they do hereby acknowledge  
and forever acquit and discharge the said Nicholas  
Shower, his heirs, executors administrators, have grant-  
ed bargained, sold, aliened and confirmed, and by this  
present do grant, bargain, sell, alien and confirm unto  
the said Nicholas Shower, and to his heirs and assigns  
forever, All that tract or parcel of land, lying and being  
in the County of Licking and State aforesaid in the  
Fourth quarter of the First Township and twelfth  
Range of the United States Military District, Begin-  
ning on the north boundary line of the said quarter  
Elienship at the North East Corner of lands belonging  
to John Woodard, and running South along said  
Woodards line seventy two poles and five links to a  
Stake, thence East fifty nine poles to a Stake, thence  
North nine poles to a Stake, thence East twenty six  
poles to a Stake, thence South nine poles to a Stake,  
thence East twenty six poles to a Stake, adjoining to  
lands of said Shower, thence with Shovers line South  
seventy two poles and five links to a post on the north  
boundary line aforesaid, from which a Sugar tree

acknowledged the same to be their deed, and signed sealed and delivered for the uses and purposes therein mentioned.

Witness my hand and seal of office this fourteenth day of April Anno Domini 1816.

James W. Burnett, Noty' Pubc' (SEAL).

Thomas Dawes & wife,

To-- Deed.

Jonas Ward.

Recorded July 26th, 1816,

This Indenture made this seventh day of May one thousand eight hundred and sixteen, Between Thomas Dawes and Catherine his wife, of the one part, and Jonas Ward of the other part, both of the county of Licking and State of Ohio; Witnesseth; that the said parties of the first part, for and in consideration of

the sum of One Hundred and fifty dollars current money of the United States to them in hand paid, the receipt they do hereby acknowledge and forever acquit and discharge the said Jonas and his heirs, and they the said Thomas and wife hath granted bargained and sold, and by these presents doth grant bargain sell alien and confirm unto the said Jonas and to his heirs and assigns forever all that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the county of Licking and State of Ohio, Beginning at a post at the north west corner of a tract of land of township No, Two, section No, three and Range eleven of Military land, a chestnut post; thence north eight poles a post; thence east one hundred and fifty poles; thence south eighty poles; thence west one hundred and fifty poles to the beginning, containing seventy five acres, be the same more or less .

Together with all the appurtenances whatsoever belonging or in any wise appertaining. and all the estate right title claim and demand of them the said Thomas and Catherine of, in and to the same, To have and to hold the land hereby conveyed with all and singular the premises and every part and parcel thereof with every of the appurtenances unto the said Jonas Ward his heirs and assigns forever, and the said Thomas and Catherine for themselves their heirs, executors and administrators doth covenant promise and agree to and with the said Jonas Ward his heirs and assigns by these presents that the premises before mentioned now are and forever hereafter shall remain free of and from all former and other gifts grants bargains sales dower rights and title of dower judgments executions titles troubles charges and incumbrances whatsoever done or suffered to be done by them the said Thomas and Catherine, and the said Thomas and Catherine and their heirs' all and singular the premises hereby bargained and sold with the appurtenances unto the said Jonas Ward his heirs and assigns against them the said Thomas and Catherine and their heirs and all and every other person or persons whatsoever doth and will warrant and forever defend .

In Witness Whereof, the said Thomas and Catherine have hereunto set their hands and seals the date above written.

Signed sealed and delivered in presence of us -

John Cunningham,

Wm, W. Garrett.

Y Thomas Dewees, (SEal).

Y Catherine x Dewees, (SEal).

her mark.

The State of Ohio, Licking County, ss. (Seal).

Personally appeared before me John Cunningham one of the acting Justices of the Peace in and for said County, the within named Thomas Dewees who acknowledged that he did voluntarily sign seal and deliver the within deed of conveyance for the uses and purposes therein expressed. Also personally appeared Catherine Dewees wife of the said Thomas Dewees who acknowledged that she did voluntarily sign seal and deliver the within deed of conveyance for the uses and purposes therein expressed. and that she executed the same without threats coercion or compulsion of her husband and that she freely relinquished her right of dower to the premises within described and desired the same may be admitted to record.

In testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 7th day of May 1816,

John Cunningham J.P. N.A.T.



A Head-of-Household File of every name on the 1820 Census of Licking County.

Name of Head of Household THOMAS DEWEESE (1767-1837)	Township of residence in 1820 MADISON (page 37 in census)
Father's name (of above) JOSHUA DEWEESE (1742-1791)	Mother's maiden name ELIZABETH BOWMAN (1745-1774)

RESIDENCE DATA:

	Town or Township	County	State	Date Arrived	Date Departed
Born	Misphillion Hundred	Kent	Delaware		after May 1791
Moved to	Wharton	Fayette	Penn <sup>a</sup>	before Dec. 1791	early in 1792
Moved to	(what is now)	Monongalia	W. Virginia	1792	Oct. 1804
Moved to	Hanover	Licking <sup>1</sup>	Ohio	before Dec. 1804	
Died	Madison	Licking	Ohio		6 Mar. 1837

1. See Note on back side.

MARRIAGE DATA:

Name of spouse CATHERINE SPENCER (1764-1842)	Place of marriage Kent County, Delaware	Date of marriage about 1790
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CHILDREN:

Names	Dates	Place-County-State	Spouse
1. SARAH	Born		unknown
	Mar.		
	Died		
2. SAMUEL	Born 7 May 1793	Monongalia Co., W. Virginia	MARY DUGAN (1793-1858)
	Mar. 31 Aug. 1815	Licking County, Ohio	
	Died 25 Jan. 1856	Licking County, Ohio	
3. ELIZABETH	Born 5 Dec. 1796	Monongalia Co., W. Virginia	JONAS WARD (1790-1873)
	Mar. 22 Sep. 1814	Licking County, Ohio	
	Died 14 Feb. 1872	Story County, Iowa	
4. WILLIAM	Born 25 Jan. 1799	Monongalia Co., W. Virginia	MARGARET SPROUL (1789-1860)
	Mar. 11 July 1820	Licking County, Ohio	
	Died 7 Apr. 1861	Licking County, Ohio	
5.	Born		
	Mar.		
	Died		
6.	Born		
	Mar.		
	Died		
7.	Born		
	Mar.		
	Died		
8.	Born		
	Mar.		
	Died		
9.	Born		
	Mar.		
	Died		
10.	Born		
	Mar.		
	Died		

SOURCE OF INFORMATION (Back of sheet may be used) Wm Rochester Doolittle family bible provides the birth, marriage & death dates of Elizabeth DeWeese & her husband, Jonas Ward. A brief History of Jonas Ward (1790-1873) is given in a letter to the Hon. Isaac Smucker as (over, please)

Your name and address: EDWARD E. (WARD) BARTLETT 1530 No. Main Street Independence, MO 64050	Are you related to this pioneer ? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Date: May 3, 1986
	If yes, in what way ? I am a great great grandson of Elizabeth DeWeese and Jonas Ward.	Revised February 2, 1991



published in a Newark, Ohio, newspaper after his demise. The manuscript biography of Rev. Joshua DeWeese provides most of the vital statistics relative to Thomas DeWeese (1767-1837) and his children included herewith. Also such as is found on Thomas in The DeWeese Family History, pages 7-9.

Note 1. When Thomas DeWeese & family settled in Ohio from Monongalia County, Virginia, (which later became West Virginia) that portion of Ohio was then in what was called Fairfield County. Early Ohio Tax Lists show Thomas DeWeese as follows: In 1806 & '07, Fairfield County, Ohio, No Township is listed. Licking County was formed in 1808 and Thomas DeWeese appears on the tax list of 1809 in Hanover Township of Licking County.

A Head-of-Household File of every name on the 1820 Census of Licking County.

Name of Head of Household JONAS WARD (1790-1873)	Township of residence in 1820 MADISON (page 38 in census)
Father's name (of above) JONAS WARD (1743-1812)	Mother's maiden name PHEBE WARD (1747- )

RESIDENCE DATA:

	Town or Township	County	State	Date Arrived	Date Departed
Born		Rockingham	Virginia		after Feb. 1790
Moved to	Marietta & Waterford	Washington	Ohio	1793-97	after Dec. 1807
Moved to	Hanover	Licking	Ohio	1805-08	before Oct. 1846
Moved to	Licking	Crawford	Illinois	1846	1856
Moved to	Lafayette	Story	Iowa	June 1856	

Died Madison Co., Iowa

MARRIAGE DATA:

10 December 1873

Name of spouse ELIZABETH DEWEESE (1796-1872)	Place of marriage Licking County, Ohio	Date of marriage 22 September 1814
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CHILDREN:

Names	Dates	Place-County-State	Spouse
1. TARTUS M.	Born 31 July 1815	Licking County, Ohio	ELVIRA M. DOOLITTLE (dau. of Wm. Doolittle)
	Mar. 14 Mar. 1839	Licking County, Ohio	
	Died 5 Sep. 1897	Washington County, Iowa	
2. SARAH ANN	Born 31 Dec. 1816	Licking County, Ohio	
	Mar.		
	Died 7 Mar. 1817	Licking County, Ohio	
3. JOSIAH SPENCER	Born 27 Dec. 1817	Licking County, Ohio	MARY MAGDALINE BURNER (dau. of Henry Burner)
	Mar. 21 Feb. 1839	Licking County, Ohio	
	Died 16 Mar. 1888	Decatur County, Kansas	
4. JONAS LUTELLAS	Born 29 Nov. 1820	Licking County, Ohio	MRS. MARGARET (BOCKOVER) SELBY
	Mar. 3 Mar. 1853	Crawford County, Illinois	
	Died 4 May 1884	Jerseyville, Jersey Co., Ills.	
5. ELIAS C.	Born 10 Feb. 1823	Licking County, Ohio	SARAH C. ?
	Mar.		
	Died		
6. FIDELIA ELECTA	Born 24 Mar. 1831	Licking County, Ohio	WM ROCHESTER DOOLITTLE (bro. of Elvira M.)
	Mar. 27 Nov. 1849	Crawford County, Illinois	
	Died 29 Aug. 1922	Story County, Iowa	
7. JERUSHA ALVIRA	Born 22 Nov. 1836	Licking County, Ohio	WESLEY J. PARK
	Mar. 4 Jan. 1855	Crawford County, Illinois	
	Died 7 Oct. 1905	Fieldon, Jersey Co., Illinois	
8.	Born		
	Mar.		
	Died		
9.	Born		
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10.	Born		
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SOURCE OF INFORMATION (Back of sheet may be used) The Wm Rochester Doolittle family bible and the Tartus M. Ward family bible have provided most of the data on the above. A brief history of Jonas Ward (1790-1873) was given in a letter to the Hon. Issac Smucker as published (Over, please)

Your name and address: EDWARD E. (WARD) BARTLETT 1530 No. Main Street Independence, MO 64050	Are you related to this pioneer ? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Date: January 8, 1986 Revised February 2, 1991
	If yes, in what way ? I am a a great-great-grandson of Jonas - or a great-grandson of Tartus M. Ward.	

in a Newark, Ohio, newspaper shortly after his death. The text of this letter is given in the Joshua DeWeese Genealogy, pgs. 16-17. OHIO COMPANYS LANDS, a volume in the courthouse at Marietta, Ohio, on page 204 lists Jonas Ward\*as a Donee in the Olive Green & Elk Run Allotment on Lot No. 40. The 1800 census lists Jonas Ward in Waterford Township of Washington County, Ohio. The 1803 Ohio State Census also lists him in the same township and county. The Ohio Tax List of 1808 lists Jonas Ward in Washington County (pg. 96) and in Wooster Township. (Which can no longer be found as it was changed to Watertown Twp. in 1825.)

Washington County, Ohio, DEED RECORDS, Vol. 15, pgs 5 thru 11: On 9th Dec. 1807 Jonas (Sr.) & wife, Phebe, sell their hundred acres in Washington County. Also here we have where Jonas (Jr.) and brothers & sisters deed their in herited land to James Ward. (brother ?)

Most of the names, births, marriages and death dates are contained in the a-fore mentioned family bibles. The location of and time of residence can be verified by the land records of any of the referred to counties.

Marriages that ocured in Crawford County, Illinois, can be confirmed by the records of said county. Elias C. Ward was unmarried at the time of the 1850 census. When he sold his land in Crawford County in November of 1851 he had a wife, Sarah C. Ward. A record of his marriage has not yet been found and nothing of a later date has been found of him then this deed record of November of 1851.

The best roster of the family of Jonas Ward (1790-1873) is found in the 1850 Census of Crawford County, Illinois, Film Roll No. 104, page 348, Family Nos. 119, 122 & 123. Our Doolittle kinfolks of Licking County, Ohio, also removed to Crawford County about the same time and a very good roster of them is found in this same census.

By the 1856 Iowa State Census, Story County, Lafayette Township (Roll POL-H-295) it appears that Jonas removed from Crawford County, Illinois, with his daughter, Fidelia and husband, William Rochester Doolittle and their three children. Jonas is recorded as being 65 years of age and a carpenter by trade. His wife, Elizabeth (DeWeese) is not with him and probably had stayed back in Crawford County and then came with her son, Josiah Spencer Ward, and family when they removed to Story County, Iowa, in 1860.

As a final note; the reason Jonas Ward (1790-1873) has a great-great-grand-son with the surname of Bartlett is because he was adopted by the Bartlett family when at the age of seven and a half years. (1925)

\* Jonas Ward (1743-1812)

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