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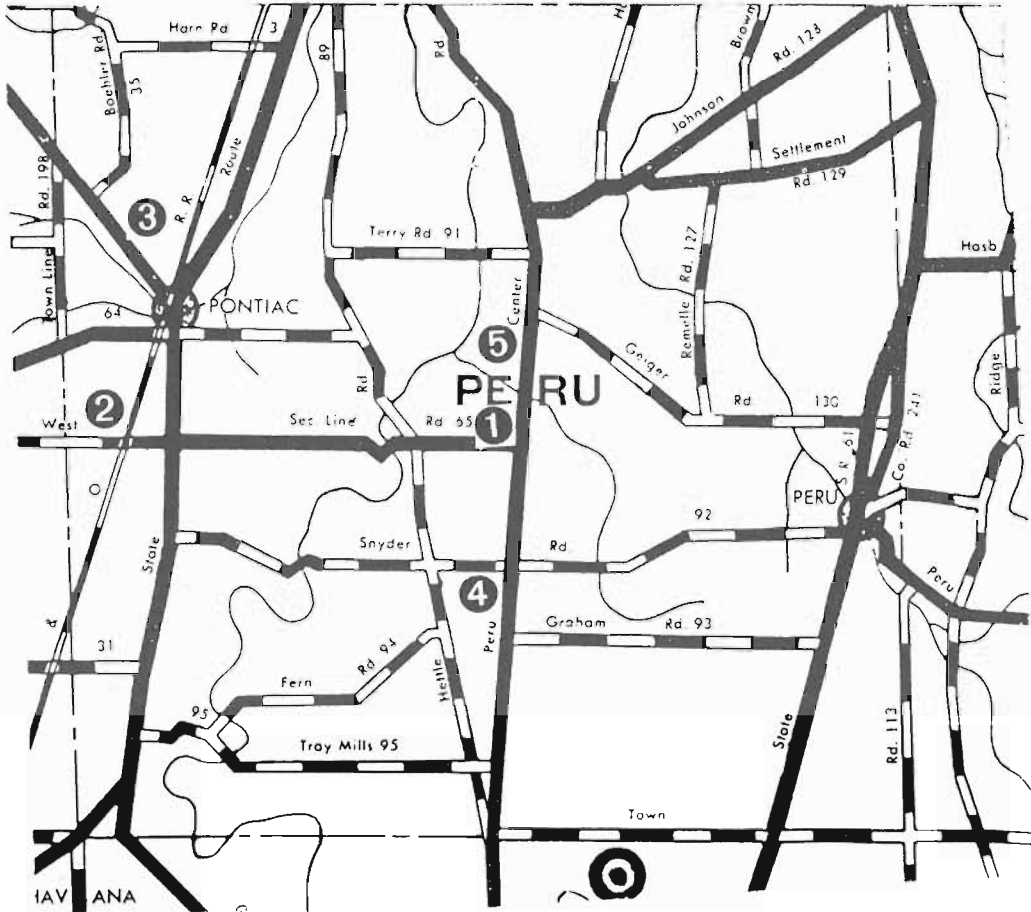
HURON COUNTY CHAPTER

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**HURON COUNTY, OHIO CEMETERY INSCRIPTIONS
PERU TOWNSHIP MAP
(Range 23, Township 3)**



- 1 Peru Center or School House Cemetery (Section 1) 716-720
- 2 Wilson Cemetery (Section 4) 720-721
- 3 St. Peter's Lutheran Church Cemetery (Section 3) 721-724
- 4 Adams Farm or Old Alonzo West Farm Cemetery (Sect 1) 725
- 5 Vantine Cemetery (Section 2) 725

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PERU CENTER (SCHOOL HOUSE) CEMETERY, PERU TOWNSHIP

The Peru Center, or School House Cemetery was apparently in use from 1826 until 1966, with most burials dating between the 1830's and 1910's. Most burials in the township now take place in the St. Alphonsus or St. Peter Lutheran Cemeteries or the Riverside Cemetery in Monroeville, according to Trustee, Robert L. Smith, who made the last graves in this cemetery. The cemetery was apparently re-stored at one time, with many of the older stones reset in concrete. The rows are straight and the cemetery is well cared for. Mr. Smith stated that the cemetery records are in the possession of the township clerk, but that the trustees feel that the records are too incomplete to be able to permit further burials here. He believes that there was never a potter's field here. Kenneth Stang, who lives next to the cemetery, stated that his ancestor deeded the half acre to the township for purposes of establishing a cemetery. A separate half acre was deeded at another time for the school house (now the township hall) which stands adjacent to the cemetery. He has a copy of the cemetery deed abstract. According to Mr. Stang, there are numerous unmarked graves in the cemetery. He pointed out where headstones were used to shore up the base of the schoolhouse chimney. Many stones were once piled around a tree. The stones were removed when the tree died and was removed. Numerous stones and fragments have been tossed into his fields and he has hauled them away. The north end of the cemetery in particular is barren of stones. The cemetery is located four miles south of Monroeville on the north side of Peru West Section Line Road #65, west of Peru Center Road, in Sect. 1, Twp. 3, Range 23. It is owned and maintained by Peru Twp. Trustees. The stones are in fair condition. There are a minimum of 289 graves. This transcription was made by Larry A. Lepard in Aug. 1987. He began in the northwest corner, facing east, reading left to right, with the first row being behind the school house (township hall).

Row 1

- 1 LINDER - "Hier ruhet im Frieden Catharina, Tochter von G. u. C. LINDER, gestorben Delo. 6, 1857. im Alter von 13 J. 5 M. 25 Tage.
- 2 HAAS (?) - "Hier ruht im Frieden Anna Dorothea, Ehefrau von Jacob SAAF, gestorben den 27 Sept 1862 im Alter von 62 Jahren 5 Mo. 21 T. (In German Gothic script, name appears to be SAAF, but previous transcriptions say HAAS) (south-west corner behind work shed)
- 3 EASTMAN, James A., "enlisted member of Co. C, 35 Reg. O.V.I., Died Jan. 20, 1865, in Hospital at Hilton Head, S.C. of wounds rec'd. in the Battle of Honey Hill Nov. 30, 1864, AE. 16 Y. 10 m. 3 d." (front, flag but no holder)
 EASTMAN, Keziah EDSON, w/o Seba EASTMAN, d. 3 May 1877 age 76 y 4 m 25 d (left side)
 EASTMAN, Seba., d. 4 July 1850 age 51 y 11 m 16 d (right)

Row 2

- 1 SIMMONS, Hannah w/o Cyrus SIMMONS, d. 29 Oct. 1866 age 73 y 10 m 21 d
- 2 BAEHR, Maria Sophia --- Johannes BAEHR --- 7 Nov 1862 im ---- (rest embedded in concrete footer; earlier survey lists "wife of" and "died 1862, aged 52").

Row 2

- 3 ----- (footstone with two faded initials in German Gothic script)
- 4 ----- "P.H." (on ground beside above)
- 5 ----- (footstone with two faded initials in German Gothic script)
- 6 KENDALL, "Father and Mother"
 Amos, b. 27 Feb 1810; d. 30 Aug 1849
 Mary A. RICKEY, his wife, b. 4 Oct 1810; d. 10 Sept 1895 (left side)
 KENDALL, Hannah w/o Jesse KENDALL, b. 9 Sept 1814; d. 18 Sept 1897 (right side)
- 7 KENDALL - "Father"
- 8 KENDALL - "Mother"
- 9 BENNET, M.D.W., d. 14 Sept 1847 age 49 y
- 10 BENNET, Horace L., d. 16 Sept 1844 age 23 y
- 11 BENNET, Elizabeth, d. 25 Sept 184- (?-chipped), aged 5 y (recorded as 1844 in earlier survey)
- 12 BENNET, Henry, d. 5 Sept 1847 age 13 y
- 13 BENNET, Fidelia, d. 8 Sept 1847 age 4 (?) y (broken; recorded as 3 years in earlier survey)

Row 3

- 1 JONES, Sylvia A., w/o I.E. JONES, d. 17 Sept 1843 age 19 y 1 m 13 d
- 2 PERRY, Frederick, 14 Mar 1858 - 10 Oct 1895
 Mary B. GATES, his wife, 11 Jan 1858 - blank
 Harrison F., their son, 14 Aug 1888 - 6 Dec 1888
- 3 PERRY - "Father"
- 4 PERRY - "Harrison"
- 5 PERRY, Horace, d. 3 Mar 1891 age 83 y 7 m 20 d
 Sarah, his wife, d. 30 Oct 1876 age 60 y 3 m 11 d
- 6 PERRY - "Father"
- 7 PERRY - "Mother"
- 8 PERRY, Claud 1879-1914
- 9 PERRY, Franklin 1854-1912 Father
- 10 PERRY, Clara F., 1854-1936 Mother
- 11 PERRY, Sidney, d. 10 Apr 1875 age 29 y 3 m 16 d (GAR marker)
- 12 PERRY, Maria d/o Un re & Sarah PERRY, d. 19 July 1849 age 5 (?) m (?) ----- (?) (perhaps child of Horace? - editor)
- 13 MILLARD, Catherine Ann, d/o Joseph & Mary MILLARD (remainder set in concrete)
- 14 MILLARD, Sarah Jane d/o Joseph & Mary MILLARD, d. 28 Sept 1842 ?, age 8 y 7 m 26 d

Row 4

- 1 SIMMONS, Cyrus (in fragments, illegible - previous survey stated "died 1853 aged 64)
- 2 SIMMONS, William s/o C. & H. SIMMONS, d. 28 Jun 1848 age 20 y 4 m 27 d
- 3 SIMMONS, Minor s/o Cyrus & Hannah SIMMONS, d. 4 Oct 1843 ?, age 40 ? y, 10 m 18 d (could be 10 years)
- 4 SIMMONS, Lewis, d. 28 Mar 1854 age 41 y 8 m 16 d
- 5 SIMMONS, Lovina, w/o Louis (sic) SIMMONS, d. 25 Mar 1859 age 42 y 1 m 7 d
- 6 PERRY, C.O.H., b. 12 Apr 1829; d. 12 Sept 1908
 Frances J. SNYDER, w/o C.O.H. PERRY, d. 7 Apr 1890 age 57 y 8 m 18 d (front)
 PERRY, Joseph, d. 30 May 1859 age 74 y
 Sarah, his wife, d. 1 Oct 1861 age 74 y 1 m 14 d (left side)
 PERRY, Oscar s/o C.O.H. & F.J. PERRY, d. 27 Mar 1865 age 2 y 3 m 9 d (back side)
 PERRY, Sally A., b. 15 Apr 1824; d. 21 June 1897

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Row 4

- 7 BURPEE, Pearson, d. 17 Sept 1838 age 48 y 8 m
 8 BURPEE, Cynthia WRIGHT, "formerly the wife of"
 Parson BURPEE, d. 29 Nov 1844 age 40 y 7 m 23 d

Row 5

- 1 HUSON, Francis M., d. 4 Dec 1850 age 4 y 9 m
 2 SNYDER, Annette L., 1847-1935 Mother
 Edmund P., 1840-1930 Father
 Myra 1871-1882
 Walter 1873-1876
 3 SNYDER, Myra, d/o E.P. & A.T. SNYDER, b. 2 Mar
 1871; d. 7 Feb 1885 (sic; see above date)
 4 ---- "J.H." (footstone)
 5 RYERSON, Nicholas F., 1814-1861 Father
 6 RYERSON, Sarepta S., 1817-1897 Mother
 7 RYERSON, Leroy G., s/o Geo. & Blanche, 1902-1903
 8 RYERSON, Fay K., s/o J.R. & A.E., 1876-1900
 9 RYERSON, John R., 1843-1932 (GAR marker)
 10 RYERSON, Catherine L., 1843-1931 Mother
 11 RYERSON, Amanda F., 1849-1879 Mother
 12 STEVENS, "To the memory of my mother Tamar w/o
 Hezekiah STEVENS," d. 3 Jan 1836 age 60 y 5 m
 16 d
 13 WALTER, Kitty, s/o S.W. & E. WALTER, d. 15 Oct
 1861 age 15 m 5 d
 14 STEVENS, Lucia A., d/o H. & E. STEVENS, d. 9 Aug
 1849 age 1 y 7 m 11 d
 15 WALTER, Silvesta M., d. 15 Jan 1850 age 7 y 1 m
 13 d
 WALTER, Tamar R., d. 15 Jan 1850 age 4 y 10 m
 25 d
 WALTER, Roseltha G., d. 31 Jan 1850 age 3 y 1 m
 27 d; children of S.W. & E. WALTER
 16 WALTER, Martha L., d/o S.W. & E. WALTER, d. 6
 Feb 1856 age 9 y 2 m 4 d
 17 WALTER, Charles, s/o S.W. & E. WALTER, d. 11 Feb
 1850 age 10 y 11 m 11 d
 18 PARKER, Thomas C., b. 10 Oct 1852; d. 1 Sept
 1854
 PARKER, Eathan, b. 25 Jan 1858; d. 20 Feb 1858
 Edward, b. 23 Nov 1855; d. 9 Oct 1856; Children
 of Hiram C. & Belinda PARKER

Row 6

- 1 ---- "S.A.J." (footstone lying beside field)
 2 SMITH, William F., d. 2 Oct 1869 age 29 y 23 d
 3 SMITH, Mary w/o James SMITH, d. 18 May 1854 age
 53 y 9 m
 4 SMITH, James, d. 19 Nov 1880, age 83 y 10 m 4 d
 5 SMITH, Jacob, d. 9 Jan 1861 age 37 y 3 m 26 d
 6 SMITH, Harley Ann w/o Jacob SMITH, d. 7 Mar
 1856 age 25 y 3 m 11 d (could be 14 d)
 7 CLARK, Sarah A., w/o Uriah CLARK, d. 17 June
 1879 age 53 y 5 m 14 d
 8 CLARK, Uriah, d. 7 June 1888 age 53 y 2 m 18 d
 9 HODGES, Phebe w/o C. HODGES, d. 12 Mar 1849
 (rest embedded in concrete; given incorrectly
 as 10 years in earlier survey)
 10 ---- "B.S.G." (footstone)
 11 HODGES, Lurena M., d/o H. & M. HODGES, d. 11
 Dec 1849 age 2 y 8 m
 12 TURNER, Albert, d. 28 Dec 1878 age 62 y 7 m
 26 d (left)
 TURNER, Hannah, d. 6 Oct 1864 age 42 y 8 m 6 d
 (right); "Father and Mother" (front)
 13 BOORMAN ?-(small headstone, not legible)

Row 6

- 14 BOORMAN, George, d. 19 Feb 1895 age 84 y 6 m 25 d
 Theodotia SHEDD, w/o Geo. BOORMAN, d. 22 July
 185 ?, age 47 y 10 m --- (illegible)
 BOORMAN, Malinda d/o G. & T. BOORMAN, d. 3 Dec
 1849 age 7 y 6 m 4 d (right)
 15 ADAMS, "Entombed here all that was mortal of
 Annis, wife of Henry ADAMS, whose spirit went
 to Heaven Dec. 3, 1859 age 70 y 10 m 5 d"
 16 ADAMS, Henry, d. 24 May 1880, age 90 y 7 m
 17 ADAMS, Eliphalet F., b. 26 July 1812; d. 19 May
 1876
 ADAMS, Jana, his wife, b. 6 Apr 1825; d. 21 Oct
 1890
 18 ADAMS - "Mother"
 19 ADAMS - "Father"
 20 ADAMS (?), Melissa, b. 15 Apr 1830; d. 26 May
 1904 (on ADAMS lot)
 21 ADAMS, Laura Annis, d/o C.F. & J. ADAMS, d. 9
 Dec 1867 age 7 y 10 m 2 d
 22 ADAMS, Ellen (?), b. 24 Jan 1852; d. 5 Mar 1910
 (on ADAMS lot)
 23 ADAMS, Alonzo, d. 29 May 1865 age 35 y 1 m 14 d
 (GAR marker)
 ADAMS, Caroline E. (remainder underground)
 24 ADAMS ----, d/o A. & C.E. ---- (illegible)
 25 HINDLEY, John, d. 18 May 1836 age 32 y 6 m
 26 HINDLEY, Henry s/o John & Ann HINDLEY, d. 3 Jan
 1837 age 21 y 1 m 5 d
 27 HINDLEY, Ann w/o John HINDLEY, d. 31 Oct 1846
 age 78 y, "Mother of Richard, John and Henry"
 28 HINDLEY, Jane C., w/o Richard HINDLEY, d. 27
 Sept 1852 age 57 y
 29 HINDLEY, Richard, b. 6 (?) Dec 1794; d. 2 Sept
 1864 (GAR marker; placed by mistake?)

Row 7

- 1 CLARK, Samantha BEST, w/o Uriah CLARK, 1831-1923
 2 BEST, Velorus, b. 25 Apr 1836; d. 23 Jan 1903
 3 BEST, Lydia w/o William BEST, d. 19 Oct 1889
 age 82 y 20 d
 4 BEST, William, d. 6 Mar 1875 age 84 y
 5 BEST, Mary A., d/o W. & L. BEST, d. 10 Dec 1831
 (broken); age 10 m 8 d
 6 HATFIELD, Cynthia W., w/o N. HATFIELD, d. 6 Nov
 1855 age 56 y 1 m 18 d (front)
 HATFIELD, Nathan, d. 2 Feb 1847 age 51 y (left)
 Charles N., s/o N. & C. HATFIELD, d. 11 Feb
 1849 age 12 y 8 m 13 d (right)
 7 RICKEY - "B.R." (footstone)
 8 CUSHMAN, Julia A., w/o Henry CUSHMAN, d. 20 May
 1852 age 32 y 1 m 26 d
 9 CUSHMAN, Julia A., d. 20 May 1852 age 32 y
 PURDY, Polley, d. 5 Sept 1860 age 65 y (front)
 CUSHMAN, Mary R. w/o Henry CUSHMAN, 1831-1906
 (left)
 CUSHMAN, Henry, b. 20 June 1820; d. 26 Apr 1904
 (right side)
 10 CUSHMAN - "Father"
 11 CUSHMAN - "Mother"
 12 CUSHMAN, George W., 1844-1914 (front; GAR marker)
 Margaret, his wife, 1836-1919
 CUSHMAN, Melvina w/o George CUSHMAN, d. 22 Aug
 1879 age 35 y 6 m 29 d (left)
 13 WILCOX, F. E., Co. A, 192 Ohio Inf. (GAR marker;
 used as footstone for marker in next row)

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Row 8

- 1 ---- "J.S." (marker near field)
- 2 BECK, Daniel, 24 Aug 1826 - 7 May 1903
Elizabeth CRAMER, his wife, 24 Oct 1828 - 13 Aug 1889
- 3 ELLSWORTH, R. B., d. 16 Aug 1881 age 80 y 9 m 5 d (left side; "1894" has been inked above the name.)
ELLSWORTH, Susan, d. 6 June 1890 age 76 y 5 m 29 d (right side)
BROOKS, Georgianna, d. 26 Oct 1936 age 85 y 9 m (rear; also "1882" apparently date of erection)
- 4 GARDNER - "G" (This is a recycled stone, with a large "MA" and a portion of the next letter on the back, apparently cut from the original GARDNER headstone, probably for Maria LAWRENCE GARDNER)
- 5 GARDNER, Sidney L., d. 21 Mar 1840 age 4 y 1 m 6 d (double headstone)
GARDNER, Alzina O., d. 18 Oct 1843 age 2 m
- 6 GARDNER, Sidney Levi, b. 26 Sept 1836; d. 2 Nov 1840 (front)
GARDNER, Alzina O., b. 23 Aug 1843; d. 18 Oct 1843; Children of Richard & Maria GARDNER
GARDNER, Maria SUTTON w/o Richard GARDNER, b. 7 Sept 1814; d. 28 Feb 1879 (left)
GARDNER, Maria LAWRENCE, w/o Richard GARDNER, b. 22 Sept 1807; d. 13 Oct 1828 (right)
GARDNER, Richard, b. 17 June 1795; d. 2 Feb 1891 (rear)
- 7 GARDNER, Ruth A., 1835-1905
- 8 GARDNER - "G" (apparently a GARDNER: recycled headstone; "AE. 21 Y." visible on back)
- 9 RICKEY, John, d. 19 June 1858 age 50 y 7 m
- 10 RICKEY, Bethiah w/o John RICKEY, d. 1 Sept 1854 age 41 y 7 m 2 d
- 11 RICKEY, Mary A., d/o J. & B. RICKEY, d. 1 Feb 1845 age 7 m
- 12 DIEHL, Elizabeth w/o E. D. DIEHL, d/o C.I. ? & S.L. ? RICKEY, d. 14 Nov 1860 age 23 y 10 m 12 d
- 13 DIEHL, ----, d/o E.D. & E. DIEHL --- (very eroded)
- 14 DIEHL, Willis H., s/o E.D. & E. DIEHL, d. 27 Oct 1860 age 3 m 6 d
- 15 WILCOX, Emily A. w/o Asahel H. WILCOX, 1814-1897
- 16 WILCOX, Franklin E., b. 4 Dec 1843, d. 18 Oct 1907
WILCOX, Dorcas A. PERRY, his wife, b. 15 Oct 1848, d. 1 July 1931
- 17 WILCOX - "Mother"
- 18 WILCOX - "Father"
- 19 WILCOX, Perry E., s/o F.E. & ----, d. 5 Aug 1882 ? age 1 y ?, 5 m 15 d ?
- 20 RYERSON, Charles M., s/o M. & J. RYERSON, b. 24 Sept 1835 ?, d. ---- 1839 ?
- 21 RYERSON, Mina I., d/o M.? & H.? RYERSON, d. 13 Sept 1861 age 3 y 8 m 3 d

Row 9

- 1 GARDNER, Mercy Ann d/o Charles & Lucy GARDNER, d. 17 July 1829 age 18 m 12 day (sic; lying on ground)
- 2 GARDNER, Sydney s/o Charles & Lucy GARDNER, d. 4 Oct 1843 age 3 y 3 m 12 d
- 3 GARDNER, Byron S., s/o C. & L. GARDNER, "was with us from Aug. 25, 1837 to Nov. 10, 1854"

Row 9

- 4 GARDNER, Alfred, d. 5 May 1872, age 28 y 3 m 19 d
- 5 GARDNER, Charles, 14 May 1793 - 9 Apr 1892 (front)
Lucy AMERMAN, his wife, 26 Jan 1804-25 Feb 1890
GARDNER, Alfred, 16 Jan 1844- 5 May 1872 (left)
Byron S., 25 Aug 1837 - 10 Nov 1854
GARDNER, Mary Jane, 6 July 1834 - 4 Aug 1928 (right)
GARDNER, Marcia Ann, 3 Nov 1828 - 17 July 1829
Miron, 19 Oct 1830 - 27 Oct 1832
Sidney, 22 June 1840 - 4 Oct 1843 (rear)
- 6 GARDNER - "Mother"
- 7 GARDNER - "Father"
- 8 GARDNER - "Mary Jane"
- 9 GARDNER, Sarah w/o John GARDNER, d. 18 Oct 1866 age 35 y 5 m 18 d
- 10 GARDNER, Eugene 1802-1871
- 11 GARDNER, John 1827-1905
- 12 GARDNER, Ralph 1884-1909
- 13 GARDNER, Kate F., 1847-1932
- 14 --- (small headstone lying on ground with no apparent inscription)
- 15 SHAUGER, Willie Allen s/o Wm. & Sophia SHAUGER, d. 28 Aug 1861 age 1 y 1 m 20 d
- 16 SHAUGER(?) - (completely eroded - an "ER" is visible at end of name; could be SHAUGER; lamb on top, probably a child)
- 17 FOSTER, John S., 1876-1964
Edith T., 1881-1966
- 18 TILLSON, Hallie 1877-1956
- 19 TILLSON, Helen M. 1848-1929
- 20 TILLSON, Irving 1843-1895
- 21 --- (small headstone; no discernable inscription)
- 22 TILLSON -- "M.S.T." (certainly Martha STEWART TILLSON - leans on next monument)
- 23 TILLSON, Thomas, d. 29 June 1844 age 56 y
Martha STEWART, his wife, d. 30 Mar 1850 age 61 y (left)
TILLSON, Rufus, d. 8 -- 1890 ?(eroded), age 71 y
Julia PERRY, his wife, d. 22 Aug 1873? age 52 y
- 24 TILLSON - "R.T." (footstone)
- 25 TILLSON - "J.P.T." (footstone)

Row 10

- 1 PROUTY, Anna w/o Richard PROUTY, d. 2 Nov 1830 age 25 y
PATTERSON ---- (eroded), d. -- Nov ? 1830 age 22 y
- 2 PATTERSON, Rebecca A., d/o B. & A. PATTERSON, d. 28 May 1842 age 1 y 7 m 16 d
- 3 ----, Edward s/o John A. & E. A. --- (broken fragment; nothing else remains)
- 4 EATON, Araunah, d. 7 Nov 1868 age 85 y (front)
Candace w/o A. EATON, d. 25 May 1826 age 42 y (left)
EATON, Mary Ann w/o A. EATON, d. 25 Feb 1887 (no age given)
- 5 CLOSE, Candace E., w/o Perry CLOSE, d. 6 Aug 1853 age 23 y 9 m
- 6 AKERS, Williams, d. 11 Mar 1875 age 69 y 8 m 9 d
- 7 AKERS, Emeline w/o William AKERS, d. 26 Oct 1898 age 88 y 10 m 12 d
- 8 PRATT - "M.V.B.P." (footstone for Martin V.B. PRATT)
- 9 GRIBBEN, Martha E. d/o Geo. W. & Ann E. GRIBBEN d. 5 Oct 1850 age 7 y 9 m 5 d
- 10 GRIBBEN, Sarah J., d/o G.W. & A.E. GRIBBEN, d. 26 July 1840 (remainder in concrete)

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Row 10

- 11 TRUMAN, Martha E., d/o H.D. & Emeline TRUMAN, d. 3? May 1842, age 4 y 6 m
- 12 TRUMAN, H. D., d. 11 Mar 1842, age 34 y 1 m 23 d
- 13 TRUMAN, Ann Maria d/o Harvey & Emeline TRUMAN, d. 22 Sept 1836? age 7 m 24 d
- 14 TRUMAN, Edwin Nelson s/o Harvey & Emeline TRUMAN d. 16 Sept 1836? age 2 y 6 m 8? d
- 15 TRUMAN, Harriet Marissa ?(rough guess), d/o Harvey & Emeline TRUMAN, d. 2 July 1833 age 6m

Row 11

- 1 DEVOE, Anna wife of (fragment embedded in ground; barely legible; could read Aaron DEVOE)
- 2 DEVOE, Aaron, d. 22 Mar 1842 age 50 y 7 m 16 d
- 3 SUTTON, Levi R., d. 3 Sept 1872 age 77 y 11 m 26 d (front; flag here but no holder)
SUTTON, Catharine KILE w/o L.R. SUTTON, d. 24 Dec 1881 age 89 y 5 m 12 d (right)
- 4 SUTTON - "Father"
- 5 SUTTON - "Mother"
- 6 SUTTON, Betsey (top)
Elizabeth 1821-1912 (front)
- 7 SUTTON, Susanna 1827-1913, age 86 y, Mother
- 8 SUTTON, Jacob, d. 2 Oct 1884 age 68 y, Father
- 9 SUTTON - "Father"
- 10 EATON, Richardson, d. 21 Mar 1881 age 90 y 11 m 10 d (front; largest monument in cemetery)
EATON, Margery WHITE, his wife, d. 14 Feb 1848 age 65 y 9 m 24 d
DANFORTH, Eleanor E. EATON w/o Isaac C. DANFORTH d. 30 Nov 1840 age 34 y (or 24) 9 m (left)
EATON, John, d. 21 Feb 1843, age 10 y 9 m 16 d
WEBSTER, Ann M. EATON, w/o Chalmer W. WEBSTER, d. 26 Dec 1858 age 25 y 8 m 4 d (right)
- 11 EATON - "Father"
- 12 EATON - "Mother"
- 13 EATON - "John"
- 14 DANFORTH - "Eleanor"
- 15 WEBSTER - "Ann"
- 16 EATON ? - "Emeline"
- 17 JOHNSON, Marius, d. 19 May 1824 age 49 y 6 m 6d
- 18 JOHNSON, James, s/o M. & J. JOHNSON, d. 16 Mar 1841 age 28 y 1 m 25 d
- 19 BROOKS, James, d. 30 Jan 1836 age 8 y 15 d
Mary E., d. 31 Jan 1836 age 1 y 11 m 21 d; son & dau. of E. & L. BROOKS (leaning against the JOHNSON stone)
- 20 TRUMAN, Daniel M., 9 Apr 1840 - 2 Oct 1914 (GAR marker)
TRUMAN, Julia L., 16 July 1841 - 28 Mar 1907
Judson H., 19 Jan 1866 - 19 Aug 1925
- 21 ---- (tiny footstone, no inscription)
- 22 ---- (tiny footstone, no inscription)
- 23 JOHNSON, Laura A., d/o M. & J. JOHNSON, d. 15 Aug 1847 age 18 y 3 m 11 d (leans on next)
- 24 JOHNSON, Lyman s/o Marcus & Julia JOHNSON, d. 24 May 1832? age 1 y 6 d

Row 12

- 1 MORSE, John E., d. 23 Jan 1894 age 82 y 2 m 18 d
Nancy TILLSON w/o John E. MORSE, d. -- Nov 1840 age 24 y 9 m (left)
MORSE, Mary A. SIMMONS, w/o John E. MORSE, d. 22 Mar 1882 age 60 y 11 m 4 d (right)
- 2 EATON, Jonathan, d. 26 Feb 1826 age 32 y 3 m
Hepsibah w/o J. EATON & consort of Wm. JOHNSON d. 20 Sept 1861 age 62 y 8 m

Row 12

- 2 EATON, Ann M., d. 7 Dec 1831 age 8 y 3 m (left)
EATON, Jasper S. Ruggles, s/o J. & H. EATON, d. 26 Mar 1862 age 19 y 9 m (right)
- 3 EATON, Diantha Maria w/o Milton EATON, d. 25 Mar 1855 age 27 y 2 m 8 d
- 4 EATON, James E., s/o M. & D.M. EATON, d. 30 Mar 1855 age 4 y 7 m 15 d
- 5 BROOKS, George S., d. 12 Sept 1850 age 1 y 9 m 13 d
BROOKS, Arminda D., d. 12 Feb 1841 age 2 m (son & dau. of S.A. & G. BROOKS; leans on following)
- 6 BROOKS, Clarrinda w/o James A. BROOKS, d. 24 Dec 1852 age 40 y 3 m 14 d
- 7 BROOKS, James A., d. 26 Dec 1857 age 48 y 3 m 9 d (embedded in ground)
- 8 GAA ?, Anna Maria, Ehefrau von Jacob GAA , gestorben den 1 Januar 1861 im Alter von 66 Jahr, u. 1 Tag.
- 9 HAAS ?, Heinrich M., Sohn von S. & V.M. HAAS, gestorben 13 Aug 1863 (age given as 5 in earlier survey; very small German Gothic script)
- 10 RUGGLES, Benjamin, d. 10 Sept 1836 age 22 y 8 m 18 d
- 11 RUGGLES, Lymon, s/o Joseph & Hannah RUGGLES, d. 15 June 1832 age 3 y 9 m 1 d
- 12 RUGGLES, Sumner, d. 26 Sept 1846 age 33 y 11 m 10 d
- 13 RUGGLES, Joseph, died (broken; could not lift out bottom part; d. 1849 according to earlier survey)
- 14 RUGGLES, Hannah w/o Joseph RUGGLES, d. 23 June 1852 (age 67 in earlier survey; remainder is set in concrete footer)
- 15 RUGGLES, Geo. W., d. 22 July 1884 age 66 y 3 m 3 d
- 16 RUGGLES, Mary E. SNYDER w/o Geo. W. RUGGLES, 1829-1906
- 17 RUGGLES, C. M., b. 22 Mar 1857; d. 29 Oct 1886
Edith MITCHELL, his wife, b. 24 June 1864; d. 3 Nov 1886
- 18 RUGGLES, Walter S., d. 23 Mar 1862 age 28 y 8 m 16 d (very illegible; age given as 26 in prior survey; GAR marker; possible Civil War casualty)
- 19 RUGGLES, Newton N., s/o --- F. RUGGLES, d. 12 Apr 1870 age 12 y 6 m (recorded earlier as s/o H. & E., with d. 1880 age 42 or 12 y)
- 20 EATON, Owen, d. 16 Mar 1842 age 46 y 6 m 16 d
- 21 ---- Ann G. ---- otelia ?(very illegible)
- 22 HOLLOWAY, Hellen A., d/o Ira & Achsah HOLLOWAY, d. -- Mar 1864 age --- (also illegible in earlier survey)
- 23 ALLISON, Abigail w/o Richard ALLISON, d. 24 May 1842 age 40 y 6 m 18 d

Row 13

- 1 TILLSON, Harvey, d. 21 Apr 1862 age 69 y 4 m 12 d (front)
TILLSON, Azurah, d. 27 Jan 1860 age 83 y 11 m 2 d (left)
PERRY, Libbie C., d. 5 Feb 1864 age 2 y 10 m 16 d (PERRY may be a middle name or the surname of a relative buried on their lot)
TILLSON, Lucinda, d. 27 Dec 1843 age 20 y 9 m 20 d (right)
TILLSON, Mary J., d/o L.N. & M.J. TILLSON, d. 3 Feb 1845 age 9 m 5 d
- 2 TILLSON - "A.T." (headstone)

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Row 13

- 3 TILLSON, Lucinda, d. 27 Dec 1843 age 28 y 9 m
- 4 ZELLER, Georg., Sohn von G. u. G. SELLER (sic), gestorben den 17 Aug 1863 Alter 17 Tage
- 5 ZELLER, Barbara, Ehefrau von Georg ZELLER, geboren den 20 Feb 1839; gest. den 7 Sept 1863 Alter 24 Jahr 6 M 17 T
- 6 EASTON, Captain Perry, d. 9 May 1858 age 68 y 4 m; "An honest man here lies at rest." (GAR marker; should probably be War of 1812)
- 7 EASTON ? - "S.E." (leaning on above)
- 8 MORSE, Rev. Asahel, "departed this life Dec. 3, A.D. 1840" age 56 y 1 m (US veteran marker)
- 9 RAYMOND, Lemuel - "Sacred to the Memory of Lemuel RAYMOND who died the 18 May 1829 in the 70 year of his age" (War of 1812 marker)
- 10 HOLLOWAY, R., d. 1 Nov 1860 age 52 y 10 m 1 d (GAR marker; must be incorrect) (left)
HOLLOWAY, Mary w/o R. HOLLOWAY, d. 14 Jan 1849 age 39 y 9 m 8 d (right)
- 11 PRATT, Attila, d/o F. & H. PRATT, d. 24 Nov 1841 age 5 y 14 d
- 12 PRATT, Martin V.B., s/o F. & H. PRATT, d. 2 Oct 1844 (remainder sunk in ground and immovable)
- 13 PRATT, Herbert F., s/o F. & H. PRATT, d. 19 Mar 1851 age 1 y 6 m 8 d
- 14 HOLLOWAY, Benjamin, d. 22 Oct 1857 age 85 y 6 m 10 d (age corrected by stonecutter)
HOLLOWAY, Susannah, d. 12 Mar 1855 age 78 y 6 m 4 d

Row 14

- 1 SMITH, Simeon, d. 30 Apr 1842 age 52 y 7 d
- 2 LASSELL, Abbey Ann w/o Wm. N. LASSELL, d. 10 Nov 1843 age 20 y 8 m 7 d
- 3 DAVENPORT, Alice V., d/o Francis & Phebe DAVENPORT (remainder underground; d. 1854 according to earlier survey)
- 4 DAVENPORT, Phebe w/o Francis DAVENPORT, died --- (broken; remainder cemented into base)
- 5 ROOT, Phebe w/o Josiah ROOT, d. 12 Jan 1838 age 61 y 11 m 19 d
- 6 COOK, Sophia w/o Wyatt COOK, d. 12 Jan 1852 age 49 y 7 m 9 d
- 7 COOK, Mary Elma d/o W. & Sophia COOK, d. 16 Nov 1854 age 20 y 1 m 26 d
- 8 ASHTON, Edward, d. 5 Aug 1832 age 70 y
- 9 ASHTON, Margaret, w/o Edward ASHTON, d. 25 May 1863 age 84 y 10 m 25 d
- 10 ASHTON, Wm., d. 17 Mar 1890 age 71 y
Sally, his wife, d. 30 May 1872 age 49 y
- 11 ASHTON, Mary A., d/o Wm. & Sally ASHTON, d. 11 Oct 1848 age 3 y 3 m 23 d
- 12 ASHTON, Lewis J., s/o W. & S. ASHTON, d. 30 Jan 1862 age 7 y 3 m 19 d
- 13 ASHTON, Harriet (sic) E., d/o W. & S. ASHTON, d. 18 May 1862 age 8 y 9 m 8 d
- 14 PERRY, Daniel S., d. 5 Aug 1866 age 51 y
- 15 PERRY, Elizabeth D., w/o Daniel S. PERRY, d. 10 Jan 1866 age 53 y 3 m 2 d
- 16 PERRY, Libbie G., d/o D. & E. PERRY (broken and eroded)
- 17 RUGGLES, Henry, d. 19 Jan 1901 age 85 y
Florinda T., his wife, d. 23 Apr 1897 age 79 y

Row 15

- 1 ---- "C" ? (footstone on ground)

Row 15

- 2 --- (footstone with no inscription and no marker in front)
- 3 LASSELL ? - "A.A.L." (footstone probably for Abbey Ann LASSELL)
- 4 COLE, Experience (sic), w/o David COLE, d. 27 Mar 1842 age 45 y 6 m 23 d
- 5 COLE, Vanrenslaer, d. 12 May 1842 age 25 y 5 m 7 d
- 6 ROOT, Margaret, w/o Simon ROOT and d/o Daniel HOWE, d. 3 July 1866 age 63 y 5 m
- 7 ---- (footstone, no inscription)
- 8 HORN, Allice (sic) Otelia, d/o C.A. & A. HORN, d. 24 Feb 1867 age 2 m 25 d
- 9 RYERSON, George M., d. 12 May 1903 (earlier survey said 1900) age 79 y 2 m 2 d (front)
RYERSON, Sarah C. EDSALL, w/o George M. RYERSON d. 4 July 1877 age 53 y 11 m 11 d (left)
RYERSON, Elizabeth d/o George M. & Sarah C. RYERSON, d. 12 June 1853 age 5 y 3 m 24 d (right)
RYERSON, Hannah HARRISON, w/o George M. RYERSON, d. 10 May 1933 age 96 y 2 m 29 d (rear)
RYERSON, Susan Agnes, d/o G.M. & H.H. RYERSON, 1880-1937
- 10 RYERSON - "Agnes"
- 11 RYERSON - "Mother"
- 12 RYERSON - "Mother" (leaning on next stone)
- 13 RYERSON - "Father"

WILSON CEMETERY

Located in Peru Twp., in Sect. 4, Twp. 3, Range 23, on the north side of Peru West Sectionline Road one-half mile west of SR99. It is 300 feet from the road with no road access. The cemetery was copied 29 Mar. 1958 by Marjorie Cherry and again on 16 Nov 1990 by Ruth A. Reed.

Row 1

- 1 KILE, A. Maria, d. 1815 (illegible; no doubt is actually 1845)
- 2 KILE, Malinda, d. 1842 (illegible)

Row 2

- 1 TOLLES, Alma E., w/o ---- TOLLES, b. 6 Oct 1838; d. 19 Oct 1861
- 2 ELLIS, Elbert M., s/o E.O. & S.T. ELLIS, d. 10 Jan 1895 age 17 y 1 m 14 d
- 3 ELLIS, Sarah L., "killed in the ----" (broken stone), b. 18 Sept 1845; d. 8 Jan 1881
- 4 ELLIS, Adelbert D., s/o E.O. & H. ELLIS, d. 5 Oct 1865 age 11 y 8 m 14 d
- 5 ELLIS, Hannah, w/o E. O. ELLIS, d. 23 Oct 1862 age 50 y 6 m ----
- 6 ELLIS, Madison M., s/o L. & A. ELLIS, d. 13 Feb 182 ? , age 31 y (illegible)
- 7 ---- (base only)
- 8 ELLIS, Lyman, d. 11 Nov 1864 age 67 y 10 m 22 d (GAR marker) ?
ELLIS, Anna, his wife, d. 26 May 1883 age 85 y 4 m 26 d

Row 3

- 1 COY, Henry D., d. "4,12,1892"
Marium, w/o Henry COY, d. 11 May 1879 age 75 y 9 m 2 d
- 2 WILSON, Asa, d. 1865 age 90 (GAR marker ???)
(War of 1812 veteran - 23rd Reg NY Militia)

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Row 3

- 3 --- (base only)
4 SMITH, Ellen Amelia, d. 1861 age 6 y 11 m
Willet Mory, d. 14 Aug 1864 age 6 m 21 d

Row 4

- 1 COY - "M.C." (footstone)
2 STEVIN, Rose Althea d/o H & -- STEVIN, d. 1861
3 SMITH, M.P., d. 5 Apr 1893 age 60 y (GAR marker)
L. K. COY, his wife, b. 1 Nov 1829; d. 3 Jan 1905
4 SMITH, Alice E., w/o Ambrose B. SMITH, d. 30 July 1879 age 23 y 9 m 15 d
5 SMITH, Harriet N., d. 1855 age 2
Frank E., d. 1862; children of M.P. & L.K. SMITH

Row 5

- 1 YOUNG, Lefa WILSON, w/o Jonah YOUNG, d. 1 Oct 1889 age 80 y
2 YOUNG, Jonah, d. 17 Sept 1876 age 76 y
3 SMITH - "O.A.S." (footstone no doubt for Olive Ann SMITH)
4 SMITH - "F.S." (footstone perhaps for Franklin SMITH)
5 SMITH, William E., d. 1877 (GAR marker)
Olive Ann w/o Wm. E. SMITH, b. 21 May 1827; d. 23 July 1903
SMITH children
Addison, d. 1873
Franklin, d. 1868
Mathew, d. 1864 (broken stone; leaning against base; could have been more information)
6 SMITH - "O.M.S." (perhaps footstone for Mathew SMITH)
7 SMITH - "A.E.S." (perhaps footstone for Addison SMITH)

Row 6

- 1 REED, Walter s/o L. & M.A. REED, d. 15 Oct 1891 age 25 y 3 m 15 d
2 REED, Clyde A., s/o L. & M.A. REED, d. 9 Dec 1891 age 20 y 21 d

Two additional stones were found in Marjorie Cherry's transcription that are not found today:

- SMITH, Hulda, w/o ----- (illegible)
WILSON, Lydia, w/o Asa WILSON (no stone)

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The cemetery is located on the east side of Sand Hill Road, a quarter mile northwest of SR99, three miles south of Monroeville, in Range 23, Twp. 3, Sect. 3. It is referred to as Pontiac Cemetery in the OGS publication, Ohio Cemeteries. The present wooden church, at the south edge of the cemetery, with the church name in blue glass above the door, was established in 1859. The tombstones were originally copied in March 1958 by Dora Stein, Marie Schwobel and Marjorie Cherry. Ruth Reed re-copied it in 1991 and checked stone inscriptions against the church burial records, kept in the first house to the north. Burials without stones are therefore noted as such and are from these

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church records. Many of the inscriptions are in German. Please refer to the key at the front of the book for translations of the more common German burial terms.

Row 1

- 1 BAKER, George P., 6 May 1840 - 19 Sept 1907
Elizabeth MILLER, his wife, 27 Jan 1853 - 1926
2 LINDER - "Father"
3 LINDER, George, 1 Jan 1850 - 5 Aug 1926
Caroline M. SCHILD, his wife, 3 Sept 1855 - 21 June 1926
LINDER, Louise, their daughter, 23 Feb 1886 - 7 July 1905
4 LINDER - "Mother"
5 LINDER - "Louise"
6 SCHOLL, Katharina 1798 - 1861 Grandmother
7 MARGARAF, Conrad Heinrich, 2 May 1841 - 7 July 1861
8 HILDEBRANDT, Frederick, 28 Feb 1803 - 12 Aug 1861
9 BENDER, Frederick August, s/o Carl & C. BENDER, b. 17 Feb 1851; d. 11 Sept 1861, age 9 y 8 m 23d
10 SEIBEL, Friedrich, d. 20 Sept 1861 age 26 y (no stone, from burial records)
11 SEIBEL, Wilhelm, d. 22 Sept 1861 (no stone, from burial records)
12 SCHEIDT, Maria Wilhelmina, 18 June 1837-21 Dec 1861
13 KRAMER, Dorothea KLEENER, d. 13 Feb 1861 age 54 years (no stone, from burial records)
14 SCHEIDT, Elizabeth Catherine, Dec 1795 - 23 Dec 1862
15 HIMBERGER, J. Wilhelm, gest. 7 Sept 1863; alter 49 j 8 m 2 T.
16 DEUTESFELD, Jacob, gest. 3 Juni 1865 Alter 42 j 7 m 23 T
17 SCHEID, Anton, geb. 18 Juni 1801; gest. 3 Oct 1865 Alter 64 j 3 m 15 T
18 SCHMOGROW, Friederike Wilhelmine Aurora, d. 26 Dec 1866
19 KRAEMER, Eva UNGELBACH, d. 1867 age 42 y (no stone, from burial records)
20 THORN, Johannette C., Tochter von V. C. THORN, b. 3 July 1853; d. 9 Nov 1867
21 LINDER, Maria Magdalena, Chefrau von Lorenz LINDER, gest. 20 Marz 1869, 72 j 2 m 20 T
22 KNOLL, Johan Christian, 1 Sept 1818 - 9 Jul 1869
23 BECK, Susanah w/o Isrial BECK, b. 10 Dec 1853; d. 28 Mar 1871 age 18 y
24 BRAUNWARTH, Johann, d. 1872 age 69 y (no stone, from burial records)
25 LINDER, Conrad, gest. 13 Juni 1874; alter 90j 9 m 11 T
26 MOHR, Conrad, gest. 30 Nov 1871 age 75 j 2 m 20T
27 LINDER, Katherine M. Wilhelmine, Tochter von G. & C. LINDER, d. 6 Marz 1875 alter 21 j 6 m 6 T
28 BACH, J. C. Wilhelm gaboren SABERJTACT, Chefrau von Ph. Christ. BACH, b. 8 Jan 1814; d. 22 Nov 1873, age 61 j 10 m 11 T
29 UTHE, --- Peter, b. 4 Juli 1810; d. 13 Jan 1878
30 SCHEID, Katherine M., w/o Anton SCHEID, geb. 1 Nov 1807; gest. 14 Marz 1882, alter 74 j 4 m 14 T
31 LINDER, Johann Lorenz, geb. 5 Aug 1795; gest. 2 Feb 1883, alter 87 j 3 m 28 T
32 LINDER - "G.L." (footmarker)

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Row 1

- 33 LINDER, Georg, geboren den 14 Mar 1820, gestorben den 20 Mai 1883 alter 63 Jahr 2 Mon und 6 Tage
- 34 BOEHLER, Minnie d/o Wm. BOEHLER, b. 27 Feb 1883, d. 8 May 1904; Forget me not. (unusual small metal stone)
- 35 BOHLER, Johann Philipp, geboren den 7 ten November 1823 zu Ketternschualbach Nassau, gestorben den 13 ten Mai 1897 alter 73 Jahre 6 Monate 26 Tage
BOHLER, Margaretha gattin des Philipp BOHLER, geboren den 14 ten April 1830 zu Holzheim Nassau, gestorben den 22 ten Juny 1883 alter 53 Jahre 2 Monate 8 Tage (large metal monument)
- 36 HORN, Wilhelm, geboren den 27 Apr 1819 in Kirberg, amt Limburg Nassau, gestorben den 27 Oct'r 1883 alter 64 Jahre und 6 monate
HORN, Margaretha, geb. 15 Februar 1821 in Ketteruschwalbach amt Wehen Nassau, gest. 10 ten Marz 1904 alter 83 yahre und 24 Tage
- 37 URBAN, Margarethe, b. 5 Marz 1814; d. 25 Dec 1883 alter 89 j 9 m 12 T
- 38 SCHEIDT, J. Wilhelm, b. 7 Jan 1818; d. 30 Nov 1902
- 39 BEILSTEIN, Anna Katherine w/o BEILSTEIN, b. 22 June 1825; d. 19 Apr 1885
- Row 2:
- 1 SCHEID, Johann Jacob, 19 Jan 1831 - 23 Apr 1919
Anna Barbara BEILSTEIN, his wife, 2 Feb 1841 - 28 Feb 1916
- 2 LINDER, Henry 1883 - 1930
- 3 LINDER - "Father"
- 4 LINDER, J. Lawrence, 19 Sept 1855 - 16 Jun 1931
Margaret HERNER, his wife, 11 May 1856 - 13 Oct 1912
- 5 LINDER - "Mother"
- 6 SEEL, Heinrich, 17 Sept 1860 - 23 Oct 1861
- 7 DUETESFELD, Henrietta 1860 - 1861
- 8 HIMBERGER, Louise, tocten von Wilhelm & Mina HIMBERGER, 1856 - 1862
- 9 SCHEIDT, Johann Wilhelm, d. 1862 age 4 m
- 10 HAMM, Jacob, d. 19 Oct 1861 age 36 y (no stone, from burial records)
- 11 OSTERLE, Heinrich, b. 22 Dec 1855; d. 5 Feb 1863
- 12 KRAMER, Johann Adam, d. 1862 aged 61 y (no stone, from burial records)
- 13 FURNISE, F. Wilhelm 1859 - 1863
- 14 FUHR, George Peter, d. 1863 aged 2 y (no stone, from burial records)
- 15 MULLER, Philipp Daniel, d. 1864 aged 2 y (no stone, from burial records)
- 16 HOFMANN, child unbaptized, 1864 (no stone, from burial records)
- 17 UTHE, Johann H., 1855 - 1864
- 18 UTHE, Philipp 1858 - 1865
- 19 UTHE, Johann P., 1860 - 1865
- 20 SCHUG, Friederich 1864 - 1865
- 21 RAUH, Christina 1859 - 1865
- 22 KRAMER, Theodor, d. 1866 aged 19 d (no stone, from burial records)
- 23 RAUH, Louise Catharine, d. 1866 aged 6 m (no stone, from burial records)
- 24 KNOLL, child, s/o Christian KNOLL, 1866 (no stone, from burial records)
- 25 COLE, Julia Elizabeth, age 1 y (no date, no stone, from burial records-probably 1866)
- 26 MULLER, Philipp, b. 1865; d. 11 July 1866

Row 2

- 27 SCHEID, Amanda 1867 - 1867
- 28 HORN, Hermine, d. 1868 aged 11 m
- 29 MILLER, Johanette Margarethe, d. 1868 aged 9 m (no stone, from burial records)
- 30 SCHUG, Johann 1868 - 23 Mar 1869
- 31 BECK, Melinda 1867 - 17 Sept 1869
- 32 THORN, Johann J., 1869 - 8 Mar 187__
- 33 MILLER, Vitus, d. 1871 aged 6 d (no stone, from burial records)
- 34 HEGI, F. Wilhelm, b. 29 June 1871; d. 17 Feb 1872
- 35 HEYMANN, Anna Caroline, d. 1872 aged 9 m
- 36 HOENER, Jacob, d. 1874 aged 3 y
- 37 SCHWAN, Johann Wilh., d. 1874 aged 2 d
- 38 MULLER, Ludwig, 3 Mar 1875 - 9 Mar 1875
- 39 HILDEBRANDT, Kasper, d. 1885 aged 5 m (no stone, from burial records)
- 40 SCHEIDT, Mathilde, 12 June 1872 - 9 Oct 1877
- 41 HOFMANN, Karl Otto, 15 Jan 1877 - 23 Oct 1877
- 42 ZELLER, Barbara Elizabeth, d. 1877 aged 2 m (no stone, from burial records)
- 43 ZELLER, Margaretha A., d. 1877 aged 2 m (no stone, from burial records)
- 44 BACKER, Wilhelmine, 7 Oct 1877 - 12 Aug 1879
- 45 OSTERLIN, Maria Cath., 1878
- 46 BACKER, Carl, 1879 (space on either side)
- 47 BACKER, Minnie, b. 7 Oct 1877; d. 12 Aug 1879 (small metal marker)
- 48 BACKER, Carl, b. & d. 12 July 1879 (small metal marker; see #46)

Row 3

- 1 KUEBELER, Christian, 16 Oct 1860 - 27 Dec 1915
- 2 HOERNER - "Mother" (see Row 4)
- 3 HOERNER - "Father" (see Row 4)
- 4 BOEHLER, Wm., 1852 - 1924 Father
- 5 BOEHLER, Mary 1854 - 1911 Mother
- 6 GROFF, Anna E., 1881 - 1908 d/o Wm. BOEHLER
- 7 HORN, Henry 1858 - 1937
- 8 HORN, Mary K. w/o Henry HORN, 1861 - 1908
- 9 SCHILD, Charles P., 1860 - 1908
- 10 SCHILD, Katherine 1867 - 1941
- 11 LINDER, s/o Lorenz & Margaretha LINDER, 14 Sept 1882
- 12 HOFMAN, Ludwig, gest. 22 Aug 1885 alter 49 j.
Maria, gest. 5 Mar 1904 alter 64 j.
- 13 LINDER - "Vater"
- 14 LINDER, Lorenz, 25 Aug 1812 - 22 Mar 1896
- 15 LINDER, Anna Catharina, 19 Sept 1828 - 20 Dec 1885
- 16 LINDER - "Mutter"
- 17 SCHEID, Johanna C., gattin (?) des (?) S. SCHEID, geb. 23 Nov 1862; gest. 21 Nov 1886
- 18 HILDEBRANDT, Rosina, geb. 25 Nov 1799; gest. 14 Nov 1887
- 19 LINDER, Katharina, Chefrau von Conrad LINDER, gest. 11 Marz 1888, age 91 j 2 m 16 T
- 20 UTHE, Henrietta M., geb. 24 Mar 1830; gest. 11 Apr 1888
- 21 MEYER, Margaretha 1844 - 1888
- 22 MEYER, Stephen, geb. den 1 Marz 1835; gest. den 23 Juni 1910
- 23 ---- "Moter"
- 24 SCHWAN, Jacob J., gest. den 8 Mai 1903, 63 j 6 m 4 T
SCHWAN, Anna Maria, gattin des Jacob J. SCHWAN, gest. 5 Marz 1889 alter 52 j 5 m 23 T

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Row 3

- 25 ---- "Father"
 26 KLEINKNECHT, Jacob John, 5 May 1825 -16 Mar 1890
 27 KLEINKNECHT, Anna Mary Barbara, w/o J.J. KLEINKNECHT, 22 June 1826 - 15 Feb 1899
 28 KLEINKNECHT - "Mother"
 29 SCHUG - "Father"
 30 SCHUG, Jacob, geboren den 10 Mai 1821, gestorben den 6 Aug 1905
 SCHUG, Margareth, ehefrau von Jakob SCHUG, geboren den 8 Dez 1828; gestorben den 2 Sept 1891
 31 SCHUG - "Mother"
 32 SEEL - "Father"
 33 SEEL, Philip C., 1843 - 1892
 Louise 1853 - 1925
 KNOLL, Elizabeth M., 1827 - 1901
 34 KNOLL - "Elizabeth"
 35 OESTERLIN, Jacob 1823-1895 Father (GAR marker)
 Christina 1828-1909 Mother
 36 LINDER - "Vater"
 37 LINDER, Johann Georg, geboren den 25 Febr 1822 zu Ungheim; gestorben den 13 Mai 1897
 LINDER, Ma. Elizabeth SCHWAN, ehefrau von J.G. LINDER, geboren den 9 Febr 1831 zu Ungztein; gestorben den 29 Juni 1912
 38 LINDER - "Mutter"
 39 THORN, Joh. Ph., geboren den 15 Juli 1829; gestorben den 10 Sept 1898
 THORN, J. Catharine SCHOLL, seine gattin, geboren den 22 Feb 1827; gestorben den 7 Feb 1899
 40 LENZ, Balthasar, b. 21 Mar 1850; d. 4 Mar 1931
 Elizabeth A. MILLER, his wife, b. 28 Apr 1860; d. 5 Dec 1899
 41 KLEINKNECHT, William F., b. 10 Dec 1866; d. 22 Dec 1899
 42 HERNER, Vitus, b. 7 Aug 1832; d. 1 Jan 1905
 Mary Magdalene, his wife, b. 15 May 1832; d. 1 June 1903
 43 SCHEID, Anna Philippine, 10 Oct 1834- 17 Nov 1904

Row 4 (actually seems to be part of Row 3)

- 1 HOERNER, George 1841 - 1911
 Barbara, his wife, 1845 - 1914
 2 BOEHLER (large stone for Row 3)
 3 HORN (large stone for Row 3)
 4 SCHILD (large stone for Row 3)

Row 5

- 1 SPRINGER, Joh. Philipp, geb. 30 Marz 1859; gest. 30 Aug 1859
 2 HOERNER, Louise, d. 1862 aged 1 y (no stone, from burial records)
 3 HOERNER, Charlotte Mathilda, tochter von ___ & M. HOERNER, gest. 30 Marz 1889 alter 6 j 6 m 2 T
 4 SCHILD, Edward L., d. 30 Oct 1891 aged 10 d; Baby; son of ----- (illegible)
 5 FURNISS, Karl, d. 1891 aged 14 d (no stone, from burial records)
 6 HERNER, Lela Ruth d/o H. & M. HERNER, b. 26 June 1895; d. 23 Feb. 1896
 7 BOEHLER, Elmer s/o Wm. & M. BOEHLER, 9 May 1891- 27 Sept 1891 Baby
 8 SCHEID, son of L. & L. SCHEID, d. 10 Apr 1895 (no stone, from burial records)
 9 LINDER, Mabel Marie, d/o P. & J. LINDER, 28 Mar 1898 - 5 Feb 1899
 10 SEEL, dau. of P. & L. SEEL, 1894 Baby (no stone; from burial records)

Row 5

- 11 SCHEID, Edwin J., Infant s/o W.C. & I.M. SCHEID, 21 Apr 1901 - 22 Apr 1901
 12 BOEHLER, Gertrude Clara, infant d/o P. & L. BOEHLER, 22 Nov 1909 - 12 Mar 1910
 13 SCHEID, Earl W., s/o W.D. & H.F. SCHEID, 26 Dec 1911 - 6 Feb 1913
 14 HERNER, Donald, infant s/o F.J. & M.C. HERNER, 28 Apr 1913 - 2 May 1913
 15 BAKER, Harlan, d. 1927 age 6 m
 16 SCHEID, Vera Anita, infant d/o R.H. & D.E. SCHEID, d. 24 July 1933

Row 6

- 1 LINDER, George 1852 - 19___
 Anna 1852 - 1917
 2 LINDER, Lawrence, 14 Feb 1847 - 4 Jan 1928
 Margaret KRAMB, his wife, 3 Apr 1850 - 24 Apr 1918
 3 SCHWAN, John 1877 - 1957
 Laura M. LINDER, his wife, 1887 - 1918
 4 BECK, Solomon 1850 - 1919
 Lena SCHILD, 1853 - (buried elsewhere)
 5 BAKER, August 1876 - 1920
 Anna CHRIST, his wife, 1872 - 19___ (buried elsewhere; metal Huron Aerie marker)
 6 SCHEID, August 1858 - 1941 Father
 Amelia M. HEYMAN 1857 - 1928 Mother
 Henrietta 1860 - 1945 Sister
 7 BAKER, George W., 1874 - 1929
 Myerl R., 1884 - 1965
 8 KUEBELER, Wilhemina 1855 - 1931
 9 HERNER, Philip 1862 - 1932
 10 LINDER, Albert C., 21 Nov 1889 - 14 May 1932
 11 LINDER, Philip 1859 - 1943
 Jennie 1866 - 1938
 12 HERNER, Vitus Jr., 1859 - 1949
 Magdalena M., 1853 - 1932
 13 SCHILD, George P., 1858 - 1935
 Elizabeth A., 1865 - 1951
 14 SCHEID, Henry J., 1868 - 1937
 Anna Rose 1874 - 1947
 15 GRINE, Daniel 1876 - 1938
 Anna 1884 - 1964
 16 MEYER, Katherine T., 1871 - 1939
 Rose J., 1866 - 1947
 George E., 1876 - 1942
 17 SCHEID, George A., 1874 - 1940
 Emma K., 1865 - 1948
 Minnie B., 1871 - 1949
 Fred W., 1878 - 1959
 18 HERNER, Charles M., infant s/o Earl & Mae HERNER, 13 Apr 1943
 19 SMITH, Marie SCHEID, 1878 - 1927
 20 WILLIAMS, August 1866 - 1927
 Minnie SCHEID, his wife, 1868 - 1924
 21 SCHEID, Charles 1842 - 1923
 Elizabeth OPPERMAN, his wife, 1848 - 1921
 22 SCHEID, Anna E., 1879 - 1944
 23 SCHEID, Amelia Caroline 1876 - 1973

Row 7

- 1 LINDER, Carl F., 1967
 John O., 1963
 Caroline, 1978
 2 HERNER, Earl L., b. 1902; d. 20 Mar 1989; m. 4 Feb 1925 (continued next page)

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Row 7

- 2 HERNER, Mae, b. 1907 (living); (Am Legion Aux. marker)
 FIFE, Joanne HERNER, dau., b. 1932; d. 3 Mar 1988
- 3 SCHRAMM, Milton H., 1899 - 1984
 Mary K., 1905 - 12 May 1988
- 4 SCHEID, Willard H., 1912 - (living)
 Eleanor L., 1913 - 1986
- 5 SCHEID, Harold J., 1906 - 1979
 Helen M., 1911 - (living)
- 6 HERNER, Arthur F., 1907 -
 Gaynell M., 1909 - 1979 (lettering on stone in Mr. & Mrs. Herner's own handwriting.)
- 7 HERNER, Raymond C., 7 Nov 1904 - 10 Dec 1984
 Margaret E. HOMERICK, 20 Mar 1908 - 6 June 1977
- 8 SCHEID, Ralph, 1892 - 1977
 Doris, 1903 - 27 May 1990
- 9 GRIME, Arthur J., 1909 - 1975
- 10 SHONDEL, Frederick E., 1915 - 1983
 Jeanette A., 1925 -
- 11 SCHILD, Clayton G., 1898 - 1974
 Laura A., 1902 - 1982
- 12 SCHEID, William A., 1899 - 1972
 Arineta M., 1905 - ; m. 8 Mar 1928
- 13 SCHEID, Clara E., 1902 -
- 14 SCHEID, Walter A., 1885 - 1964
 Florence H., 1896 - 1980
- 15 SCHEID, Alfred T., 1894 - 1960 (WWI marker)
- 16 SCHEID, William D., 4 Mar 1874 - 11 Nov 1959
 Hattie F., 2 Feb 1880 - 16 Sept 1960
- 17 SCHEID, Karl Anthony, 1886 - 1967
 Martha KNOLL, 1890 - 1982
- 18 WILLIAMS, Paul S., 1889 - 1962
 Gladys 1922 -
- 19 MELLEIN, Dorothy M. HERNER, 21 Jan 1912 - 13 Nov 1966
 MELLEIN, Howard J., 15 Jun 1914 - 8 Sep 1955
- 20 REINHOLD, Charles 1897 - 1955 (US marker)
 Martha M., 1899 - 1972
- 21 SCHEID, John C., 1876 - 1958
 Gertrude L., 1886 - 1949
- 22 KRAMER, Amil 1876 - 1963 (WWI marker)
- 23 KRAMER, Anna CHRISTIANSEN, w/o Amil KRAMER, 1872 - 1949
- 24 SCHEID, Elmer L., 1892 - 1971
- 25 SCHEID, Lena K., 1870 - 1950
- 26 ----- (space promised to Vernita SCHEID)
- 27 HEPNER, Thomas D., 1878 - 1948
 Annie E., 1885 - 1970

The 1958 transcription of the above gravestones is quite different from the 1991 work, and may be inaccurate. Some additional items were noted in 1958 and are listed here separately under row and stone number in case they might help someone. Use this information with great care.

- 1,7 identifies Conrad Heinrich MARGARAF as HURIAL and gives dates 1812-1861 with birth at Burton, Kurhessen
- 1,18 Friederike Wilhelmine Aurora SCHMOGROW birth given as 1813
- 1,20 says Johanette C. THORN d/o Ph. & C. THORN
- 1,21 says Maria Magdalena LINDER'S maiden name was STETZLER
- 1,29 says name was V. Peter UTHE
- 1,38 says J. Wilhelm SCHEIDT born in Asbach, Darmstadt

- 1,39 states is Anna Katherine w/o J. Wilhelm SCHEIDT born 1827 Khlgothn, d. 1887; not BEILSTEIN
- 2,6 says Heinrich Adolf SEEL s/o T. & M. SEEL
- 2,7 says Henrietta C. DEUTESFELD d/o Jacob & Philippina DEUTESFELD
- 2,13 says F. Wilhelm FURNISE s/o J. W. FURNISE
- 2,17&18&19 notes that all three UTHE'S are sons of J.P. & U.S. UTHE
- 2,20 says Friederich SCHUG s/o J. & M. SCHUG
- 2,21 says Christina RAUH d/o U. & R. RAUB not RAUH
- 2,24 stone was then there for Ludia KNOLL d/o C. & C. KNOLL, d. 1866 age 1 y
- 2,26 says Philipp MULLER s/o J.K. & H.E. MULLER
- 2,27 says Amanda SCHEID infant of C. & E. SCHEID
- 2,31 says Melinda d/o I. & S. BECK
- 2,32 says Johann J. THORN d. 1870 age 1 y, s/o G. & N.C. THORN
- 2,34 says is Hegl WILHELM Jr., s/o J.E. & Johanna WILHELM, d. 1877 age 7 (months?)
- 2,37 says Johann Wilh. SCHWAN s/o J. & A. SCHWAN
- 2,38 says Ludwig MULLER s/o M.W. & C.H. MULLER
- 2,41 says Karl Otto HOFMANN, s/o L. & M. HOFMANN, b. 1873
- 2,45 says Maria Catherine Louise, d/o A. & M. OESTERLIN, b. 1876; d. 1878
- 3,17 says Johanna C. SCHEID d/o J. & B. SCHEID, not wife of anyone.
- 3,21 says Margaretha MEYER w/o Stephen MEYER
- 5,2 notes that there was then a stone for Louise HOERNER d/o Bihns & M. HOERNER
- 5,4 says name is Howard L. SCHILD instead of Edward L. SCHILD
- 5,7 Elmer BOEHLER's stone says 1894 - 1894
- 5,10 was a stone there then for Hilda SEEL d/o P. & L. SEEL, died age 1 day, probably the baby in the church records.

The following two additional stones were noted in 1958 and do not seem to match up with anything copied in 1991:

- 1 GERIG, John, s/o J. & M. GERIG, d. 1860 age 1 y
- 2 OPPERMAN, Lorenz s/o S.E. & W. OPPERMAN (no dates given)

All the other stones from 1958 seem to match up although the spellings are often poorly interpreted. The 1991 transcriptions do not indicate any illegible lines where the above information might fit. Use the information with caution and visit the cemetery and review the church records yourself.

Missing in Row 7 between stones 20 & 21:

- HERNER, Charles 1873 - 1953
 Margaret 1879 - 1973

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ADAMS FARM CEMETERY

Adams Farm Cemetery is located in Sect. 1, Twp. 3, Range 23, Peru Twp., on the south side of Snyder Rd. between Peru Center and Hettle Roads, just a tenth mile from Peru Center Road in the middle of a field. The farmer plows all around the cemetery. It measures about 4' x 8' with four fenceposts at the corners. The name "Adams Farm Cemetery" is given in the Ohio Cemeteries book. This may be the cemetery referred to in the WPA grave registration cards as the "Old Alonzo West Farm Cemetery" where Civil War soldier Timothy Foot was buried. Copied by Ruth Reed, 1992.

- 1 TURNER, S., d. 30 Mar 1842, age 57 y
- 2 ----, Lucy, d. 20 Sep 1841, age 67 y (no last name on stone)
- 3 ---- (GAR marker)

VANTINE CEMETERY

Vantine Cemetery is located in Twp. 3, Range 23, Peru Twp., on Peru Center Road, between Geiger Road and Peru West Section Line Road, on the present Melvin Scheid farm. All stones are in pieces and are simply in a stack. We do not know the true name of the cemetery, and have simply called it Vantine Cemetery because of the surnames found there. Copied by Ruth Reed, 1992. We have numbered the pieces, and some of these may fit together.

- 1 "Daughter of S. & E. VANGILDER, died"
- 2 "VANTINE"
- 3 "James V. VANTINE"
- 4 "died Feb. 10, 1828"
- 5 "--am died Oct. 11, 1851, age 35 y 10 m 10 d"
[this stone matches piece #2]
- 6 "June 19, 184-, age 54 y 9 m 18 d"
- 7 "Jan. 25, 1841, age 16 y 1 m"
- 8 "Charles VANTINE, died Apr. 24, 1823, age 72 y"
- 9 "Eliza, wife of S. VANGILDER, died"
- 10 "died May 3, 1865, age 37 y 2 m 11 d"

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1 B. Watkins	2 Simon Smith	3 Alonzo Tilton	4 Jacob Hines Sen	5 L. E. Simmons	6 Daniel Hines	7 L. P. Simmons	8 A. W. Dimes	9 Alonzo Clark	10 C. W. Sanford	11 "Old Gate" Balance of lot to S. & J. West of Board	12 Mary Cook	13 Geo. Zeller Sen	14 Joseph Rostick	15 John E. Morse	16 Levi R. Surran	17 John A. Patterson	18 Charles Goodrich	19 George Rostick	20 James A. Easten	21 Perry Easten	22 Gideon Easten	23 W. Easten	24 Richardson Easten	25 Abraham Easten	26 John G. Easten	27 Wm. Shroyer	28 Joseph Boston	29 D. Perry	30 Ransom Wallace	31 W. Atkinson	32 E. Brown	33 H. Johnson	34 H. D. Truman	35 Thomas Tilton
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1 Vacant	2 Wm. Best	3 James Smith	4 Vacant	5 Vacant	6 Daniel Urban	7 Vacant	8 Vacant	9 Vacant	10 Vacant	11 Rienced Gardner	12 Nathan Hatfield	13 C. W. Hagan, Albert Tenor	14 E. P. Snyder	15 Cyrus Simmons	16 Vacant	17 Pax Perry	18 Thomas Dixon	19 Lawrence Goodrich	20 John Rickard	21 Wm. Gentry	22 M. Cushman	23 Geo. Benton	24 Henry Adams	25 H. F. Reynolds	26 Joseph Perry	27 Marion Perry	28 H. A. Reynolds	29 Vacant	30 John H. Hill Sen	31 F. E. Wilcox	32 G. R. Brown	33 Henry Terry	34 John Hurdley	35 S. Stevens	36 Mr. Geo. Wells	37 W. Hillard	38 H. D. Bennett	39 A. Easton
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