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* * * STAFF CHANGES * * *

The Center for Archival Collections underwent administrative changes on July 1, 1983. Paul V. Vona was promoted to Director of the Center, and Ann M. Bowers was named Assistant Director. Gloria E. Scott, formerly of Tempe, Arizona, has been named Northwest Ohio Regional Coordinator for the Ohio Historic Preservation Office of the Ohio Historical Society. She replaces Ronald Burdick.

* * * GRANT RECEIVED * * *

The Center was awarded a $10,000 Historic Preservation Fund Matching Grant in aid from the Ohio Historic Preservation Office to survey and inventory structures in Findlay, Ohio's commercial district. The project will be initiated in August, 1983, and will result in a nomination to the National Register of Historic Places. The project is also being locally supported by the Historic Preservation Guild of Hancock County, The Hancock Historical Museum Association, The Findlay Area Arts Council, and The Courier.

* * * OLD YET NEW * * *

Manuscript acquisitions for the 1982/83 year totaled 120. Twenty-two of these collections were from northwest Ohio churches. These collections consist generally of baptismal, confirmation, marriage and death records, pastors registers and minutes, dating as early as the 1820s. Thirty-five collections document women's activities in northwest Ohio especially within clubs and organizations. A few collections noteworthy in their research potential are highlighted below:

Engles and Krudwig Wine Company, Sandusky, Ohio 1936-1952
Business records of family-owned and operated lakeshore industry.

Utah Gospel Mission, Cleveland, Ohio c. 1900-1930s
Lantern slides, glass plates, publications of this anti-Mormon Society.

George Washington Cable Collection 1880s-1920s
Cable's published works and correspondence and manuscripts generated as editor of Scribners.

ADDITIONAL ACQUISITIONS RECENTLY RECEIVED:

Weaver, Florence Grow
GROW FAMILY HISTORY, APPROXIMATELY 1731-1982

Thompson, Sarah Lettie
OUR FIFTY YEARS IN THE OIL FIELDS OF OHIO, ILLINOIS AND KANSAS AND THE FRIENDS WE HAVE KNOWN

Blinn, Jane
HOSEA BLIN OF LITCHFIELD, CONN. AND EDINBURG, OHIO

Lucas County. Board of Elections:
- CORRESPONDENCE/EXPENDITURE BOOKS 1910-1928
- OHIO OFFICIAL ROSTER BOOKS 1920's-1970's
- OHIO STATISTICS/STATE ANNUAL REPORTS 1902-1949, 1952
- BOARD MINUTES 1986-1950
- REGISTER OF VOTERS 1929
- LIST OF REGISTERED VOTERS 1887-1950's
- CERTIFICATES OF NATURALIZATION 1839-1960
- ABSTRACT OF VOTES 1900-1950

Washington Township Cemetery Board of Trustees (Van Wert, County):
- RECORDS 1859-1917

Seneca County. Clinton Township:
- MINUTES OF TRUSTEES 1890-1943
- SCHOOL FUND ACCOUNTS 1890-1917
- DITCH RECORD 1882-1915
- ROAD RECORD 1900-1920
- SUPERINTENDENT'S ROAD RECORD 1907-1913
- TOWNSHIP CLERK'S ACCOUNTS 1881-1905
- TOWNSHIP TREASURER'S ACCOUNTS 1881-1905
- POOR RECORD 1888-1932

Wood County. Auditor's Office:
- LAND SALE RECORD 1829-1836
- REAPPRAISALMENT - MIDDLETON TWP. 1900
- SECTION 16 RECORD 1870-1872
- BRIDGE AND CULVERT RECORD 1904-1909
- ACCOUNT BOOK - ENGINEERS 1893-1902
- ACCOUNT LEDGER 1836-1858
- TAX LIST (EARLY) N.D.
- TOWNSHIP SCHOOL RECEIPTS 1878-1885

Shiloh United Methodist Church (Helena, Ohio):
- RECORD BOOK 1822-1895

St. John's United Church of Christ (Tiffin, Ohio):
- RECORD BOOKS 1836-1903; 1945-1982
- RECORD BOOK OF THE TRINITY EVANGELICAL CHURCH. SFENCE TWP. 1807-1944