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### ORANGE COUNTY GENERAL

#### **THE CIVIL WAR DRAFT OF OCTOBER 1863 FOR THE DISTRICT COMPRISING ORANGE AND SULLIVAN**

**COUNTIES OF NEW YORK** by **Daniel H. Burrows**. Daniel H. Burrows has provided the Orange County Genealogical Society with a new work titled "The Civil War Draft of October 1863 for the 11<sup>th</sup> District comprising Orange and Sullivan Counties of New York" utilizing newspapers published in Middletown, New York. Dan's transcription includes an alphabetical combined listing of Orange County Draftees copied from the October 8, 1863 Middletown Mercury and Sullivan County Draftees copied from the Middletown Whig Press. A town by town listing of Orange County and Sullivan County Draftees follows. The Middletown Mercury and Goshen's Independent Republican reported on the draft proceedings with differing views and these articles have been included in this 82 page booklet. **\$7.50**

**FORTY YEAR QUARTERLY COLLECTION CD** created by **Joseph DeLorenzo**. Forty years of our publication, "The Orange County Genealogical Society Quarterly", has been digitized in PDF format containing Volumes 1 – 40 covering the years 1971 through 2010. The first 40 years CD is packed with queries, answers to queries, will abstracts, church records, revolutionary soldier sketches, letters, account books, entertaining tidbits, bible records, marriages, vital records, ancestor tables, family essays/histories, 'Where They Went' and "Where They Came From" series, newspaper excerpts, petitions to sell liquor, directories, coroner's reports, 1776 refugees, tax lists, and so much more. This CD is **searchable**. 2012, CD, 2,088 pages. \$45.00

#### **COLEMAN'S ORANGE COUNTY TOMBSTONE INSCRIPTIONS**

by **James Cash Coleman**. James Cash Coleman, grandfather of current member and past president Ben Coleman, spent countless years traveling about the county by any available means to copy tombstone inscriptions into his personal ledgers. The ledgers retained by the family are now in the possession of the Goshen Library and Historical Society [Photocopies at OCGS]. Typed originally by his nephew Charles C. Coleman in 1941 and retyped in recent years by Patricia Waters, the inscriptions fill up 425 pages of information, much of which has vanished through the years. In some cases the cemeteries have disappeared. Annotations are abundant from the ledgers as to cause of death, spouse's names, and other miscellaneous information. Reference to page numbers in the original

ledgers has been typed into this publication to allow examination of Mr. Coleman's original entries – but bear in mind, member Stella Higby not only painstakingly compared the new typescript to the 1941 edition, she also proofed it against the original ledgers. A recent index by Joseph Lieby brings it all together and available for your home research at a reasonable price. 2011 (1941), reprint, soft cover, added index, 484 pages. \$33.00

#### **ORANGE COUNTY JURY LISTS VOLUME ONE 1798 – 1825**

by **Kenneth A. Dunning**. Months of transcribing done in the basement of the 1841 Court House have produced this new and valuable source of genealogical data with **13,265** entries that has been buried for over 200 years in a storage closet under the basement stairway. Hundreds of folded up sheets of Jury lists that the Town Supervisor, Town Clerk, and Town Assessors would put together affirming the competency of individual Freeholders residing in their towns were tucked away and buried in an old cardboard box. County lists were drawn from the ballot boxes where the names were added or removed each year on the authority of the Town Officials. The lists were used to find Jurors to serve on Courts of Common Pleas, General Sessions of the Peace, Circuit Courts of Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery. What has been organized and transcribed are: 1. Town lists of qualified Jurors whose names were deposited in the boxes at the County Clerk's Office **AND** 2. County panels of Jurors drawn from the names in these boxes used to find Jurors to serve on Courts of Common Pleas, General Sessions of the Peace, Circuit Courts of Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery. 200, soft cover, 268 pages. \$22.00

#### **ORANGE COUNTY JURY LISTS VOLUME TWO 1826-1837**

by **Kenneth A. Dunning**. The much anticipated Volume 2 of "Orange County Jury Lists" is now available. Kenneth A. Dunning's transcription is a new and valuable genealogical resource beginning in 1826 ending with 1837. In addition to Ken's contribution, Daniel Burrows' eighteen page 'Juror Sources' points researchers to the original document where a name appeared. Town officials originally prepared these lists to locate jurors to serve on the Court of Common Pleas, General Sessions of the Peace, Circuit Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery. The lists are arranged alphabetically by surname and most entries include occupation and town residence. 2013, soft cover, 305 pages. \$22.00

#### **DEATH RECORDS [ORANGE COUNTY, NY] FROM THE MORTALITY RECORDS OF 1850, 1860, 1870, AND 1880**

by **Kenneth A. Dunning**. The four schedules abstracted in this book contain a total of 3,244 death records. Questions were asked by the Census takers concerning deaths that had occurred in the household within the previous year – meaning June 1<sup>st</sup> through May 31<sup>st</sup> as indicated in this book. The subtitle page at the beginning of each section lists the questions that were asked such as age, month of death, occupation, where born etc. The 1880 records have a two page spread of information put in a format that is easy to

follow. A true treasure trove of genealogical information and a definite must have for Orange County research. An every name index created by Dan Burrows makes this book easy to use. 2006, soft cover, indexed, 146 pages. \$16.00

**ORANGE COUNTY MARRIAGES AND DEATHS FROM THE NEW YORK STATE 1865 AND 1875 CENSUSES** Compiled by **Dan Burrows** and edited by Barbara DiMunno. At the end of family enumerations for each district in the towns and cities of New York State, the 1865 and 1875 Census takers asked questions relating to *marriages and deaths* that occurred in the previous year beginning June 1<sup>st</sup> 1864 ending May 31<sup>st</sup> 1865 and again June 1<sup>st</sup> 1874 ending May 31, 1875. This information was recorded for each election district in the towns. There is also an additional 5 year bonus of death records of soldiers who died in, or of causes related to the Civil War between 1861 and 1865. These death and marriage records were abstracted from the census microfilms by Dan Burrows and listed in the original order by Township and Election District. An every name index was also compiled which includes the maiden names of females when known. 2004, soft cover, indexed, 146 pages. \$15.00

**OFFICIAL VITAL RECORDS FROM THE VARIOUS TOWNS OF ORANGE COUNTY, NY --- BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES 1847 - 1849 WITH A SUPPLEMENT OF ADDITIONAL MARRIAGE AND DEATH RETURNS** by **Jeanne and Lee Krish**. The New York State legislature passed a law in 1847 requiring school district clerks to send vital record information to the Secretary of State via their local town clerk. Copies of these records were then forwarded to the county clerks. It appears that only statistical information was supplied to the State and the actual vital records remained with the town and county clerks. The law was difficult to enforce, and most school districts stopped doing this by 1852. Unfortunately Orange County stopped this practice in 1849. From various correspondence found with the records, it appears that many school district clerks did not file any returns to the town clerks. One town clerk actually supplied the names of the district clerks who failed to do their job. *Therefore, many vital records were never recorded.* Several years ago a drawer full of Vital Record Returns for the years 1847 through 1849 filed from the 15 towns (all those existent in 1847) of Orange County, New York were rediscovered by an OCGS member. Jeanne Krish saw the need for these records to become easily accessible to the public and recruited her husband Lee to help create this monumental database. A true genealogical treasure enhanced by an every name index of 13,776 names of those who were born [including parents' names], married, or deceased along with any other names mentioned of genealogical value. A separate index of Marriage Officials has been added. 2003, soft cover, indexed, 288 pages. \$22.00

**ORANGE CO. CONNECTIONS from the Frederic G. Mather's 1913 Book "THE REFUGEES OF 1776 FROM LONG ISLAND TO CONNECTICUT"** abstracted by **Rachel Tefft**. The above named book has many Orange County references and Rachel

Tefft culled through the hundreds of pages and typed up this booklet full of Orange County connections. A list of the major surnames is included. The original book found in most NY genealogical libraries has an every name index for further research. 2004 partial reprint, soft cover, 50 pages. \$6.00

**EARLY ORANGE COUNTY WILLS (1731 - 1830)** Two volumes in one, this photo duplication of the two most widely used Orange County NY research aids puts 450 pages of solid genealogy at your fingertips. Vol. 1 (63 pages) is an abstract of all names found in Orange and Ulster County wills filed in New York City between 1731 and 1788. It includes an index of wills and an every name index. Vol. 2 (387 pages) contains abstracts of all names and relationships found in wills that were filed between 1787 and 1830 in the Orange County Surrogate's Office. An every name index is included and Revolutionary Soldiers are noted. Two appendixes are included listing unfiled wills at the Surrogate's Court and a few wills proved in the Court of Common Pleas. 1997, soft cover, 470 pages. \$35.00

**EAGER'S (1847) HISTORY OF ORANGE COUNTY** by **Samuel W. Eager**. The earliest of the three major histories has been reprinted by the Orange County Genealogical Society after revising the every name index to now include almost 4,000 more entries than any previous version. This handsome volume will include this index as well as a slightly revised subject index to bring the total pages to 768. This reprint will make an excellent complement to the Society's other two major histories that we also offer for sale. 1995 (1847) reprint, hard cover, indexed, 768 pages. \$30.00

**A HISTORY OF ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK (with illustrations and biographical sketches of the pioneers and prominent men)** by **E. M. Ruttenber and L. H. Clark**. This photo duplication reprint of the original 1881 volume is crammed full of Orange County history and genealogy. Each town is thoroughly discussed as well as many other subjects relative to the history of Orange County. A separate every name index is sold separately below. 2000 (1881), reprint, hard cover, 820 pages. \$79.00

**INDEX TO RUTTENBER AND CLARK'S HISTORY OF ORANGE COUNTY, NY** by the **Orange County Genealogical Society**. This every name index will work equally well with the reprint above or the original 1881 edition. 1979, hard cover, 262 pages. \$24.00

**PORTRAIT AND BIOGRAPHICAL RECORD OF ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK** by the **Chapman Publishing Company**. This long overdue reprint contains over 1,100 biographical sketches of Orange County families taken in the late 1800's. The first 116 pages have been omitted in this 3 volume reprint as they merely contain Presidential biographies used as filler in many such volumes throughout the country. An every name index has been added. 1995 (1995) reprint, soft cover, 3 vol., c1,475 pages. \$89.00

**THE HISTORY OF ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK** by **Russel Headley**. Originally published in 1908, this work contains over 1,260 pages of history, biography, portraits and illustrations. The original oversized book has been reprinted into a convenient 2 volume set plus a matching index sold separately below. The extensive history section discusses localities and events in great detail. This is followed by a large biographical section with many references to earlier generations. Portraits and illustrations are located throughout the book and a brief listing of subjects, biographies and portraits is located at the end. 1993 (1908), reprint, 2 volume set, hard cover, 1,262 pages. \$59.00

**INDEX TO RUSSEL HEADLEY'S 1908 HISTORY OF ORANGE COUNTY, NY** by the **Orange County Genealogical Society**. A matching volume to the above reprint and also works with the 1908 original edition. 1993, hard cover, 126 pages. \$10.00

**\*SPECIAL\*** **HEADLEY'S HISTORY OF ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK and MATCHING INDEX** as a set. 1993 (1908), reprint, 3 volume set, hard cover, 1,262 + 126 pages. \$65.00

**GENEALOGICAL HISTORY OF BLACKS IN ORANGE COUNTY -- VOLUME ONE** by **Robert Brennan** Records from the 1800 census, the 1870 census, and the 1900 census of Orange County and a compiled a list of black marriages 1908 -1928 from County records are gathered here. Also added are family genealogies of many black families in Orange County from various sources. A great resource for black research. 2001, soft cover, 226 pages. \$17.50

**GENEALOGICAL HISTORY OF BLACKS IN ORANGE COUNTY -- VOLUME TWO** by **Robert Brennan**. A second volume of Orange County records pertaining to its black families and Bob has continued to gather more and more information from census, records, obituaries, orphan records, from the Alms House, church weddings and other sources to make a great second volume. 2002, soft cover, 216 pages. \$17.50

**GENEALOGICAL HISTORY OF BLACKS IN ORANGE COUNTY -- VOLUME THREE** by **Robert Brennan**. by Robert W. Brennan. The 3rd book in this series contains African American Obituaries, Persons of Color in the 1930 Federal Census, miscellaneous items, WWI letters from black soldiers, Underground Railroad opinions, and other items. 2003, 224 pages, soft cover. \$17.50

**GENEALOGICAL HISTORY OF BLACKS IN ORANGE COUNTY -- VOLUME FOUR** by **Robert Brennan** A fourth volume of Orange County records pertaining to its black families. Bob has continued to gather more and more information from obituaries and other sources to make a

great fourth volume. Migration patterns are noticed in this volume. 2004, soft cover, 228 pages. \$17.50

**GENEALOGICAL HISTORY OF BLACKS IN ORANGE COUNTY -- VOLUME FIVE** by **Robert Brennan** A fifth volume of Orange County records pertaining to its black families. Bob has continued to gather more and more information from obituaries and other sources to make a great fifth volume. 2005, soft cover, 228 pages. \$17.50

**GENEALOGICAL HISTORY OF BLACKS IN ORANGE COUNTY -- VOLUME SIX** by **Robert Brennan** A sixth volume of Orange County records pertaining to its black families. Bob has continued to gather more and more information from obituaries and other sources to make a great sixth volume. 2006, soft cover, 212 pages. \$17.50

**\*SPECIAL\*** **6 VOLUME SET GENEALOGICAL HISTORY OF BLACKS IN ORANGE COUNTY -- VOLS 1 - 6** 2001 - 2006, soft cover, set. \$100.00

**PROCEEDINGS TO DETERMINE BOUNDARIES OF THE WAWAYANDA AND CHEESECOCKS PATENTS HELD IN 1785 AT YELVERTON'S BARN, CHESTER** from original records (Now Lost!) in the Clerk's Office of Orange County. This work was originally published in 1915 and contains testimony of many people living in Orange County in 1785, sometimes giving age, birth date, or length of residence in Orange County. This is also just plain interesting reading. 1915, photocopy, 35 pages, index. \$6.00

**THE HISTORY OF THE 124TH REGIMENT, NEW YORK STATE VOLUNTEERS** by **Charles H. Weygant** Also known as the "Orange Blossom" Regimental History, this is a long awaited reprint of one of the most widely used and sought after volumes for Orange County Civil War research. Col. Weygant had promised his men upon disbanding in June of 1865, that he would see to it that a history of the regiment was written. It would be a history in which not only the sufferings and deeds of its noble dead, but of its surviving members who fought at Chancellorsville, Beverly's Ford, Gettysburgh, and other battles would be truthfully recorded. 1995 (1877) reprint, hard cover, 460 pages. \$45.00

**THE WHIG PRESS MARRIAGE NOTICES 1851 - 1865** by **George and Virginia Gardner**. The Whig Press was the first local paper printed in (but not limited to) Middletown, NY and it became The Orange County Press in 1866. Over 15,000 entries are alphabetically arranged containing the date and place of marriage, issue of the newspaper where found, and many cross references. 1986, soft cover, 234 pages. \$18.00

**THE WHIG PRESS DEATH NOTICES 1851 - 1865** by **George and Virginia Gardner**. The Whig Press covered a large area of Orange County before it finally became The Orange County Press in 1866. Over 10,000 entries

alphabetically arranged listing all genealogical information and also the issue of the newspaper where found. 1978, soft cover, 158 pages. \$18.00

**GOSHEN INDEPENDENT REPUBLICAN MARRIAGE NOTICES VOLUME ONE 1866 - 1883** by **Robert W. Brennan**. Anyone who has used the Whig Press Marriages or Deaths books compiled by Virginia Gardner will find this continuation of Orange County area marriages compiled here an invaluable tool. Almost 5,200 abstracts of the newspaper notices are listed. In addition to the bride and groom and date of marriage other useful information such as residence, minister (for learning religion) and other assorted tidbits are included. Listed alphabetically by groom, a bride cross index is added to aid your search. 2003, 284 pages, soft cover, bride index. \$22.00.

**GOSHEN INDEPENDENT REPUBLICAN MARRIAGE NOTICES VOLUME TWO 1884 - 1903** by **Robert W. Brennan**. Almost 5,200 abstracts of the newspaper notices are listed. In addition to the bride and groom and date of marriage other useful information such as residence, minister (for learning religion) and other assorted tidbits are included. Listed alphabetically by groom, a bride cross index is added to aid your search. 2006, 272 pages, soft cover, bride index. \$22.00.

**1850 Map of Orange Co. Northeast Quarter** \$4.00

**1850 Map of Orange Co. Northwest Quarter** \$4.00

**1850 Map of Orange Co. Southeast Quarter** \$4.00

**1850 Map of Orange Co. Southwest Quarter** \$4.00

**1840 Map of Orange and Rockland Co.'s** \$4.00

#### BLOOMING GROVE

**WHERE IS CRAIGVILLE?** by **Helen R. Predmore**. A description of an industrial center located in Blooming Grove between Chester and Washingtonville. Many families of the area are discussed along with the area's development. Schools and churches with lists of members given. 1962, photocopy, 32 pages. \$5.50

**BLOOMING GROVE, NEW YORK -- 1865 CENSUS AND RELATED AREA OBITUARIES** by **Robert Brennan**. The census taker for the first district of the Town of Blooming Grove in Orange County, New York decided to list the maiden names of over 300 wives in the 1865 New York State Census. Mr. Brennan also added a comments column for the census to add information available at OCGS from other sources about the individuals. Area obituaries are also transcribed here from area newspapers from the very late 1800's and early 1900's. 2002, soft cover, 170 pages. \$17.50

#### **1864 Map of Hamptonburgh and Blooming Grove Townships** \$4.00

Note: Same map listed under Hamptonburgh

#### CHESTER

**DURLAND'S CHESTER BRIEF-LETS** being 2 great pamphlets by Frank Durland combined here for convenience and economy. **EARLY CHESTER AND IT'S SETTLEMENT** -- the original pamphlet from which this is copied contains an outline history of Chester, New York and a brief history of Chester School and the Old Chester Academy. **YELVERTON INN** This pamphlet is a perfect complement to Mr. Durland's other work about Chester. It contains a brief history of this famous inn (still standing) in Chester which was the scene of the trial of the notorious Wawayanda vs. Cheesecoaks case held during May to October 1785. 1934 & 1926, photocopy, 28 pages, index. \$5.00

**CHESTER, NY ---- A HISTORY** by **S. J. Levy**. This popular detailed history of the Chester area has been out of print for over 50 years. Hundreds of names were omitted in the original index which has been totally replaced by a complete version. This is a must have for anyone researching this area of Orange County. 1999 (1947) reprint, 130 pages, soft cover, index. \$12.00

**CEMETERIES OF CHESTER, NY** by the **Orange County Genealogical Society**. The first in our series of cemetery inscriptions and records with an index, location maps, and directions. 1980, soft cover, 142 pages. \$14.00

#### CORNWALL

**BEACH'S CORNWALL [IN ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK]** by **Lewis Beach**. Originally printed in 1873, this fact filled account of the historic township has been reprinted for the first time. Its major focus is the geography, resources, and other attributes of this township from its earlier times to the contemporary 1873. Cornwall originally included today's Cornwall, Highlands, Blooming Grove, and Monroe, and parts of Chester and Hamptonburgh making the early history encompass much of the county. Now indexed. 1998 (1873), reprint, soft cover, 210 pages. \$19.50

**CORNWALL, NEW YORK -- IMAGES FROM THE PAST 1788-1920** by **Janet Dempsey, Collette C. Fulton, and James I. O'Neill**. This book is full of pictures and associated stories continuing the gleanings of Cornwall's place in history with information and sources that were unavailable to Lewis Beach when he published his 1873 book. Beginning with a chapter on Cornwall before 1870 the story stops after WWI. 1988, hard cover, indexed, 148 pages. \$25.00

**CORNWALL REVISITED** by **Janet Dempsey**. By popular demand Newspaper articles by the author have been

collected and published in one book. Anyone who has ever read one of Janet's articles regarding Cornwall's history is sure to want this collection. Besides photographs of Cornwall, the author has categorized the articles into 5 major subjects: The Cornwall newspapers, places, events, changes, and people. 1997, soft cover, indexed, 93 pages. \$25.00

**1864 Map of New Windsor and Part of Cornwall Townships \$4.00**

Note: Same Map listed under New Windsor

**1873 Map of Cornwall Township \$4.00**

**CRAWFORD**

**1863 Map of Crawford Township \$4.00**

**DEERPARK**

Including City of Port Jervis

*See also Minisink*

**IMAGES OF AMERICA -- PORT JERVIS** by **Matthew M. Osterberg**. The author has assembled a photographic history of this historic city beginning in the 1880's that is a must have for any one with interest in this area or Orange County. 2001, soft cover, 128 pages. \$20.00

**IMAGES OF AMERICA -- DEERPARK** by **Brian J. Lewis**. The author has assembled a photographic history of this historic town that is a must have for any one with interest in this area or Orange County. Education, hotels, homesteads and industry are covered. 2001, soft cover, 128 pages. \$20.00

**THE HISTORY OF DEERPARK** by **Peter E. Gumaer**. Originally published in 1890, this is one of the best sources of Deerpark history and genealogy. The old families of the early settlements are covered in detail by an author living close to the source. An all new and revised index has been supplied by the Society. 1994 (1890), soft cover, 221 pages. \$23.50

**MINISINK VALLEY: REFORMED DUTCH CHURCH RECORDS** by the **New York Genealogical and Biographical Society**. This covers the years 1716 - 1903 and includes part of the records of the Minisink, Walpeck and Machackemack Churches that were transcribed in the very early part of the century and published around 1913. It includes baptisms, marriages and lists of church members. 1997 (1913), reprint, soft cover, 395 pages. \$30.50

**1875 Map of Town of Deerpark Property Owners \$4.00**

**1875 Map of Port Jervis Property Owners and Businesses \$4.00**

**GOSHEN**

**THE EARLY RECORDS OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN GOSHEN, N.Y. 1767 - 1885** by **Charles Coleman**. This reprint is one of the most widely used church references for Goshen and the surrounding area. It contains some of the earliest existing Orange County church records. 1990 (1935), reprint, soft cover, 215 pages. \$23.50

**EARLY RECORDS OF ST. JAMES EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF GOSHEN, N.Y.** by the **Orange County Genealogical Society**. This work contains more than 1,200 Baptisms (1799-1911), 300 Marriages (1814-1911) and 600 Funerals (1817-1911). A surname index is included. 1992 (1985), comb binding, 195 pages. \$20.00

**1861 Map of Goshen Township \$4.00**

**1843 Map of Town of Goshen \$4.00**

**HAMPTONBURGH**

**CEMETERIES OF HAMPTONBURGH, NY** by the **Orange County Genealogical Society**. This is the second in our series of cemetery records and inscriptions with an index, maps and directions. 1980, soft cover, 80 pages. \$5.00

**1864 Map of Hamptonburgh and Blooming Grove Townships \$4.00**

Note: Same map listed under Blooming Grove

**HIGHLANDS**

**1880 Map of Hudson Highlands Land Owners \$4.00**

**MINISINK**

*See also Deerpark*

**HISTORY OF THE MINISINK REGION** by **Charles E. Stickney**. The Minisink Region includes the present Towns of Minisink, Deerpark, Mt. Hope, Greenville and Wawayanda, New York. This book was originally published in 1867. It gives a general outline history of the region and devotes a section to each of these towns and some of the early families. An absolute must for anyone doing research in this area. 1989 (1867), reprint, hard cover, index, 211 pages. \$22.50

**CEMETERIES OF THE TOWN OF MINISINK, NY** by the **Orange County Genealogical Society**. Third in our series of cemetery records and inscriptions with an index, maps and directions. 1988, soft cover, 150 pages. \$14.00

**MINISINK -- A BICENTENNIAL HISTORY** by the **Town of Minisink Bicentennial Commission**. A great local history publication containing fifteen well researched chapters totaling over 340 pages complete with index. This book contains photos, line drawings, and maps. A limited supply was discovered and made available for sale. These are first edition books with dust jacket and there are no plans to reprint these. 1988, First edition, hard cover, indexed, 340 pages. \$35.00

### MONROE

**CHRONICLES OF MONROE IN THE OLDEN TIME** by **Daniel N. Freeland**. A reprint of the original 1898 publication with additions, corrections, and notations that have now been placed at the end of the text. An every name index has been added which also includes these additions. This long awaited reprint is a necessary research aid for those researching this area. 1997 (1898), soft cover, 270 pages. \$22.00

**HISTORY OF THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, MONROE, NEW YORK** edited by **Mrs. C. Arthur Brooks**. Originally published in 1956. Marriages, baptisms, membership lists, church officers and other details are included from 1784 through 1951. This is an exact reproduction of the original work to make this valuable research tool more readily available to researchers. 1994 (1956), comb binding, 424 pages, index. \$27.00

**MONROE, ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK 1865 CENSUS AND RELATED AREA OBITUARIES AND DEATHS** by **Robert W. Brennan**. The Town of Monroe was divided into three townships being Monroe, Southfields, and Highland only to be again consolidated in 1865 after the census was taken. The 1865 census for this temporary Town of Monroe is included here. Various area obituaries are then transcribed followed by Official Deaths from the Town of Monroe 1881-1913, noting that in 1889 the Towns of Tuxedo and Woodbury were taken from the Town of Monroe. A must have for anyone with an interest in this area. 2002, 220 pages, soft cover. \$19.00

### MONTGOMERY

**1850 CENSUS OF THE TOWN OF MONTGOMERY, NEW YORK** by **Ralph H. Weller**. A complete transcription of the National Archive film of the Census Records, complete with an every name index. An absolute must for those researching Montgomery in this time period. 1992, comb binding, 124 pages. \$12.00

**ABSTRACTS OF RECORDS FROM THE MONTGOMERY, BRICK REFORMED CHURCH** by **Jean Worden**, and with her permission now reproduced in quantity by the Orange County Genealogical Society. This long time popular book contains Baptisms 1734 - 1840 and Marriages 1734 - 1849

with a full name index. soft cover, 8 1/2 by 11 paper, 214 pages. \$20.00

**EARLY RECORDS OF THE GOODWILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF MONTGOMERY and CHURCHYARD RECORDS OF THE GOODWILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH** reissued and indexed by the **Orange County Genealogical Society**. The original Church records from which these were extracted in the 1930's are no longer available. These were originally presented in a journal called Early Settlers of New York State, Their Ancestors and Descendants by **Janet Wethy Foley** and are shown here exactly as they were published at that time. They included members admitted 1797 - 1813, burials at the church 1770 and 1771, baptisms performed 1759 - 1817 and marriages performed 1769 - 1815. We have also added the booklet published in 1959 by the Church being the result of copied church records combined with tombstone records in 1909. An every name index has been supplied. 2001 (1934) (1959) reprint, soft cover, approx 60 pages. \$7.50

**IMAGES OF AMERICA -- MONTGOMERY** by **Robert L. Williams**. The author, historian for the Town of Montgomery, has assembled a photographic history of this agricultural and historic town spanning from the 1870's to the present. 1999, soft cover, 128 pages. \$20.00

**IMAGES OF AMERICA - WALDEN AND MAYBROOK** by **Marc Newman**. The author, has assembled a photographic history of industrial and historic villages spanning from the 1800's to the present with Historic Sites and other memories covered. 1999, soft cover, 128 pages. \$20.00

### NEW WINDSOR

*See also Newburgh*

**HISTORY OF THE TOWN OF NEW WINDSOR** by **Edward M. Rutenber**. After the death of Mr. Rutenber, the Historical Society of Newburgh Bay and the Highlands edited his manuscript history of this very historical town. It covers the years up to 1870, even though it was published in 1911. Besides the fact filled history, this work contains biographical sketches of prominent citizens and civil lists. The original subject index has been revised and the original incomplete name index has been replaced with a new every name index unlocking much information that has been inaccessible for 85 years. 1997 (1911), soft cover, 224 pages, index. \$22.00

**1864 Map of New Windsor and Part of Cornwall Townships \$4.00**

Note: Same Map Listed under Cornwall

### NEWBURGH

**HISTORY OF THE TOWN AND CITY OF NEWBURGH, NEW YORK INCLUDING A GENERAL HISTORY OF THE COUNTY OF ORANGE** by **Edward M. Rutenber**. One of the rarest

editions of this comprehensive history of this famous historic city and town on the Hudson River. Mr. Ruttenber published a history of the Town and City of Newburgh in 1859. In 1875 he published a revised and expanded edition, and about 1887 he again revised it and added to it many historical addresses, perhaps a small quantity to account for its rarity. The Orange County Genealogical Society has created a 12,000 + every name index to this all important publication. Aside from the extensive history of Newburgh and the outline History of Orange County, this volume is loaded with area genealogies which are now unlocked by this new index. This edition is a must have for any Orange County researcher having ties to this area. We reprinted only 500 copies so supplies will not last forever. Owners of previous editions will want to purchase this edition for the corrections, additions, and especially the index. ca 1887 (2002 reprint), 496 pages, hard cover, illustrations, general index, index to photos and illustrations, every name index. \$35.00

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### WARWICK

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read it from cover to cover. 2010, soft cover, 168 pages. \$16.50

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**WARWICK REFORMED CHURCH - THE RECORD OF TWO CENTURIES** edited by **Kathy Randall**. Reprinted and added to - it has been 100 years since the "*Record of a Century*" was printed for the Reformed Dutch Church of Warwick. In recognition of its 200<sup>th</sup> anniversary, the Church has reprinted the original book with all its members for the period 1804 - 1904 plus other lists and histories. To this, the Church has added the history of the next century making this a two hundred year combined history. An every name index has been added to make this a valuable research tool or coffee table book for those with roots to this church or community. 2004, 274 pages, soft cover, indexed and illustrated. \$30.00

**HISTORY OF THE AMITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH** by **Carrie Timlow Feagles**. Originally published in 1945, this useful work has been long out of print. It contains a History of the Church, baptisms and lists of members up to about 1864 and much other useful genealogical information. An added index by Helen Benjamin now gives you easy access to its contents. 1994 (1945), comb binding, 122 pages, index. \$12.00

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## WAWAYANDA

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Grounds of Sharon CT and Amenia and Northeast NY by L. Van Alostyne] 1924 (2000) reprint, hardcover, 405 + 26 pages. \$49.00

**OLD BURYING GROUNDS OF SHARON, CT, AMENIA AND NORTHEAST (IN DUTCHESS COUNTY) NY** by **L. Van Alostyne**. This is a supplement to "*Old Gravestones of Dutchess County*". Originally published in 1903, this indexed reprint fills in the gaps left by Poucher and Reynolds Dutchess County Inscriptions. 1903 (1983) reprint, hardcover, 200 + pages. \$15.00

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**THE HISTORY OF ULSTER COUNTY, NY** by **Alphonso T. Clearwater, LL.D.** Finally an indexed reprint of this long sought after book. The first half of this work is a general history of Ulster County with separate essays on the history of each town. The county history section includes location and topography, pioneer settlements and patents, and a great deal of military and regimental history. Religion, medical profession, bench and bar, and newspapers are some other topics covered. The second half of the book is biographies. 2001 (1907), 2 volumes, soft cover, new index, 815+ pages. \$59.00

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