

Miscellaneous Info.

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John's will was dated Mar 6, 1833, and probated Sep 24, 1833 in Clark Co, IN.

Text of will found in Jeffersonville, Clark Co, IN Courthouse Wills book Vol 5

page 150.

Deed found - from John Pettit to Daniel/Lydia Stoner, 55 acres in S-2, dated

29-Jan-1829.

Note:

John and Catharine were two of the four organizers of the first

Evangelical church within the state of Indiana. The location was on Owen

Creek, about 5 or 6 miles east of where Charlestown, Clark Co, IN is now
located. From the records of the church
is the following: "November 22, 1798. The Constitution. We, the church of
Christ, on Owen Creek, in the County of Knox, and Territory northwest of
the Ohio river, in the Illinois grant, was constituted as a church on the
principles of the Baptist
confession of Faith adopted in the year of our Lord 1765. Being
constituted by Brother Isaac Edwards, we have here unto set our hands
this day and date above written. Signed, John Fisler, Sophia Fisler, John
Pettit, Catharine Pettit." The church
was called "Fourteen Mile Church". The constituent membership
consisted of four persons, two men and their wives.

Note: Isaac Edwards was a Baptist minister from Kentucky.

Note: John and Catharine, from Knox Co, IN Territory, bought 100 acres in Grant #225, in Knox Co, IN, part of the Illinois grant in 1801 from John Armstrong, Esq. and his wife Tabitha, of Hamilton Co, OH, as recorded in Clark Co, Deed Book 1, p. 54/55.

Note: Later the same year (1801) this portion of Knox Co became Clark Co. Note: John and Catherine bought 100 acres, Letter E. of Grant #57 on 3-Apr-1804 from Jacob and Elizabeth Crum of Jefferson Co, KY. This property was on Owen Creek in Charlestown Twp, Clark Co, IN.

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