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The most enlightening of these deeds is recorded in Vol. F. Pg. 93 of the Land Transfer Records in New Lexington, and is dated October 8, 1832. It is quoted herewith:

"This deed made this 8th day of October, 1832, between John Wolf, Sr. and Elizabeth, his wife—Peter Overmier and Mary, his wife—Peter Strohl and Sally, his wife—Michael Dittoe and Barbara his wife—and Nancy Overmier and Levi Overmier and wife, all heirs of George Overmeyer, deceased, late of Jackson Township of Perry County, Ohio, parties of the first part, and John Wolf and James Palmer, parties of the second part. Witnesseth; That whereas George Overmeyer died seized in fee simple of the NW ¼ Section 10 Jackson Township leaving a widow and eleven (11) children, heirs to whom the same descended at law as tenants in common, of which quarter section John Wolf and wife, Elizabeth, in right of his wife, daughter of said Overmeyer of his wife, Sally, formerly Sally Overmier, to 1/11; Michael Ditto and Barbara, his wife, formerly Barbara Overmier, to 1/11; and by purchase from John Overmier, Jacob Overmier, Jacob Emerich and wife Eve, formerly Overmier, and Mary Overmier, heirs of George Overmeyer, Sr. aforesaid to 4/11 and Nancy Overmier and Levi Overmier entitled each to 1/5 of 1/11 as each one of five (5) heirs of George Overmier, Jr., deceased, who was a son of George Overmeyer, Sr. aforesaid intestate. Now therefore, the parties of the first part in consideration of \$300.00 to them paid by John Wolf and James Palmer, of the second part aforesaid, have given, granted, bargained and sold and by these presents do give unto John Wolf and James Palmer and their heirs in fee simple all right, claim and title in aforesaid quarter section of land.

Signed by: John Wolf	his	her
her	Peter X Overmier	Barbara X Dittoe
Elizabeth X Wolf	mark	mark
Mark	her	
her	Mary X Overmier	Peter Strohl
Nancy X Overmier	mark	her
Mark	Michael Dittoe	Sally X Strohl
		mark

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proper handwriting subscribed his name was at the time of taking such acknowledgment and now is an acting Justice of the peace in and for said County of Allegheny duly commissioned and sworn to all which and as such acknowledgments are and of right ought to be given throughout the United States & elsewhere.

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said County at Pittsburgh in the said County this 18th day of September in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty three and of the Sovereignty and Independence of the United States of America the fifty eighth.

Witness my hand & seal this 18th day of September 1833. (J. M. Casper, J.P. &c.)

Witness my hand & seal this 14th day of October 1839, at West Hill, Allegheny Co. Pa.

This Deed made this 8th day of October 1832 between John Hoff, Senr and Elizabeth his wife Peter Overmire and Mary his wife Peter Stroh and Sally his wife, Michael Dittus and Barbara his wife and Nancy Overmire and Lou Overmire and their wife heirs of George Overmire and Cole of Jackson Township Perry County Ohio and of the one part and John Hoff Senr and Simon Dittus of the other part witnesses that whereas George Overmire deceased and seized in fee simple of the North West 1/4 of Section Ten, Township 15 Range 16 in Perry County Ohio bearing a certain lot or lots now bearing and known children heirs to whom the same descended and as tenants in common of which said quarter Section John Hoff Senr and wife in right of his daughter of said Overmire are entitled to one eighth, Peter Overmire the son of said George to one eighth; Peter Stroh in right of his wife Sally formerly Sally Overmire to one eighth; Michael Dittus and Barbara his wife in right of his wife formerly Overmire and by purchase from John Overmire Jacob Overmire, Jacob Overmire and wife formerly Overmire heirs of George Overmire aforesaid to four eighths; and Nancy Overmire and Lou Overmire entitled each to one fifth of one eighth as each one of five heirs of George Overmire Senr and who was a son of George Overmire & aforesaid the estate. And therefore the parties of the first part in consideration of their hundred dollars to them paid by John Hoff Senr and Simon Dittus aforesaid have given granted bargained and sold and by their presents do give grant bargain and sell unto the said John Hoff and Simon Dittus and their heirs in fee simple all their right title claim demand and interest of in and to said quarter Section of Land and improvements as hereinafter and set forth and mentioned as aforesaid. To have and to hold as aforesaid in fee simple to the said John Hoff Senr and Simon Dittus and their heirs and assigns, In Testimony Whereof they have hereunto set their hands and seals the day above written.

Signed, sealed and witnessed in presence of us

John E. Linn & Michael Dittus per Overmire & wife	+ John Hoff, Senr
John E. Linn & George Overmire per P. Stroh & wife	+ Elizabeth Hoff
John Hoff & wife and Nancy Overmire	+ Nancy Overmire
John E. Linn & Simon Dittus per M. Dittus & wife	+ Peter Overmire
	+ Mary Overmire
	+ Michael Dittus
	+ Barbara Dittus
	+ Peter Stroh
	+ Sally Stroh

State of Ohio }
 Perry County }
 before me a Justice of the peace for said County
 the within names John Hoff Senr and Peter Overmire, Peter Stroh, Michael Dittus & Nancy Overmire and acknowledge the foregoing and within conveyance to be their voluntary act and deed, Also appeared Elizabeth wife of John Hoff, Senr Sally wife of Peter Stroh, Mary wife of Peter Overmire and Barbara wife of

said Willm who being examined each sepurly and apud from their
 husbands and the contents of this Deed being by me made known to them
 by reading they did severally declare that they did voluntarily sign, seal
 and acknowledge the same and that they are still satisfied therewith &
 I do further certify that I am satisfied from personal knowledge that
 the persons making this acknowledgment are the persons they represent
 themselves to be, & Taken and Acknowledged this day of 1838
 Witness my hand & Seal this day of 1838
 Received April 7. 1834. Geo.
 Received April 14. 1834, Attest St. J. Modder Esq.

This Indenture made the 24th day of March in the year of our Lord
 Eighteen hundred and thirty four between Peter Spies and David Spies Ex-
 ecutors of the last will and testament of Philip Spies decd of the County of
 Perry and State of Ohio of the first part and Peter Spies of the County of Perry,
 State of Ohio of the second part Witnesses that the said party of the first part
 for and in consideration of Five hundred and forty dollars to them paid or
 secured to be paid have granted bargained sold aliened conveyed con-
 veyed and confirmed and by these presents do grant bargain sell alien
 convey and confirm unto the said party of the second part and to his
 heirs and assigns forever the following land situated in the County of Perry
 and State of Ohio viz. the West half of the South East quarter of Section No
 Seven of Township No. Twelve of Range No. Twelve of the Census of the United
 States directed to be sold at Chillicothe. Do Give and to hold the above
 mentioned granted Land to the said Peter Spies and to his heirs and assigns
 forever together with all and singular the improvements thereon and every of
 the appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining, And the said
 party of the first part do for themselves their heirs and assigns forever, covenant
 to and with the said party of the second part and to his heirs and assigns
 forever by these presents; that at the time of the delivery of this and the said
 granted premises are free of all incumbrances whatever and that the said party
 of the first part have good and perfect title thereto and as such do by these
 presents warrant and will defend the same to the said party of the second part
 and to his heirs and assigns forever against all lawful claims. In Testimony
 whereof the said Peter Spies and David Spies have hereunto set their hands and
 seals this day and year first in this indenture written.

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Witnesses present }
 C. C. Wood }
 W. H. Oltu }
 Peter Spies Esq.
 David Spies Esq.
 The State of Ohio }
 Perry County } Personally appeared before the un-
 derdesignated Justice of the peace within and of said County the above signed,
 Peter Spies and David Spies and acknowledged the foregoing to be
 their voluntary act and deed. Taken and acknowledged this 24th
 day of March 1834.
 Received April 8. 1834
 Received April 14. 1834, Geo. W.
 Attest, (William H. Modder, Justice,

-----Original Message-----

From: Sandy Walkenhorst [mailto:sjwalken@msn.com]

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1. I have the deeds where George Overmyer's (b. 1755) estate is settled (stating that Levi and Nancy were two of five heirs of son, George Overmier, who was by then deceased) in 1832.
2. I have the deeds where his son, the above George Overmier, bought three lots in Middleton or Middletown (later Somerset), Fairfield (later Perry) County, Ohio in 1812.
3. I have the deed where these same lots in Somerset, Perry Co, OH were sold, showing his 5 children and spouses signing along with Catherine and Frederick Heck in 1834.
4. I have a deed where Catherine Heck, widow of Frederick Heck, sold property to George Overmyer in 1849.
5. I also have a deed showing that on the same day George and Susan Overmyer sold the property to someone else. (This would be my George Overmier and Susannah Houtz, youngest of George Overmyer and Catherine Emerich's five children.
The above deeds are readable - they tire the eyes, but they are readable.
6. I have Patsy's partition record, which shows that Catherine Heck was Catherine Emerich.
7. Evelyn sent me a deed (poor copy) which shows that Frederick Heck and wife Catherine sold property to John Heck in Perry Co in 1825.

Does anyone have a copy of the marriage record of Catherine (Kitty) Overmier to John Henry on 2 Jul 1815? Fairfield Co records in Lancaster, Ohio - the 1803-23 Vol. pg. 94

Does anyone have a copy of the marriage record of Catherine Henry to Frederick Heck on 25 Mar 1828? Vol 1, pg. 94 - records in New Lexington (is this Perry Co, OH?)

I originally got these deeds because my goal is to somehow prove this lineage to DAR - their standard of proof is very high. I just don't know if it will work when we don't have a birth record for George or a marriage record for him and Catherine Emerich. However, thanks to all of you my arguments are getting stronger. I will have to wait for Catherine's other marriage records, however. I have about 10-15 other Revolutionary War direct ancestors, but I just really want to do this line first, since it is my patriarchal line. Overmier was my maiden name.