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NEWS RELEASE – NEW BOOK

The History of Franklin in the Great Miami Valley 2nd Edition, 2004

Harriet E. Foley, Editor Published by the Franklin Area Historical Society

This book provides a comprehensive, authoritative source of information about the town of Franklin and its heritage. About 30% of the 2004 edition is new material while retaining 90% of the original 1982 book. An every name index is provided. Chapters include:

- 1. Prehistory to Settlement
- 2. Religion
- 3. Education
- 4. Transportation
- 5. Communication
- 6. Government
- 7. Business
- 8. Industry

- 9. Happenings
- 10. Landmarks
- 11. Sports
- 12. Culture
- 13. Memories
- 14. Military
- 15. Doctors and Lawyers
- 16. Families

This 489 page book is richly illustrated with numerous photos plus maps from 1796, 1837, 1875, 1903 & 2000

About the Editor

Harriet Foley is a native of Warren County living in Franklin. She is a retired Carlisle School librarian who has been active for many years with the Franklin Area Historical Society, Daughters of the American Revolution and the Warren County Genealogical Society where she has served as the Treasurer for many years. Harriet has done extensive genealogical research both in the United States and Ireland and is the editor of two other books:

"Carlisle, The New Jersey Settlement in Ohio 1800-1980" "The Foleys from County Clare, Ireland"

Harriet also serves as the editor for the "Heir Lines" newsletter published by the Warren County Genealogical Society.

TO ORDER:

The book is available from the Warren County Genealogical Society for \$46.73 plus 7% sales tax (Ohio Residents). For mail orders, add \$2.00 for shipping and handling.

Copies can also be purchased at the Harding Museum, Fitzgerald's Flowers (both in Franklin) or directly from the editor, Harriet Foley, at 513 423 7977.