



Key to Images on Cover

1. The Wright brothers' plane – Constructed by Dayton bicycle shop owners Wilbur and Orville Wright, this craft was the first ever to fly, at Kitty Hawk, North Carolina, in December 1903.
2. Chillicothe – The first statehouse (later the first Ross County court house) was located in this city. Chillicothe was the seat of Ohio's government from statehood in 1803 until 1810. The capital was moved first to Zanesville in 1810 and then to Columbus in 1816.
3. Skyline of Cincinnati.
4. Annie Oakley (1860-1926) – A noted sharpshooter in Buffalo Bill Cody's Wild West Show and later the subject of a Broadway musical, she was born Phoebe Moses in Darke County.
5. Skyline of Cleveland.
6. Ohio Canal – One of many built in the state, it ran from Cleveland to the Dover/New Philadelphia area in the 1830's, expanding trade and stimulating economic growth and prosperity along its route.
7. Paul Lawrence Dunbar (1872-1906) – Born in Dayton, he was the first African-American to gain notoriety as a poet. Dunbar worked as an elevator operator to pay the publisher of his first book of poems.
8. Skyline of Columbus.
9. Neil Armstrong (1930-) – Born in Wapakoneta, he was the first man to walk on the moon. Armstrong was a test pilot before becoming an astronaut and later taught at the University of Cincinnati.
10. Marblehead Lighthouse – In continuous operation since 1822, this structure at the tip of the Marblehead Peninsula on Lake Erie is the oldest lighthouse on the Great Lakes.