



## Centennial Historical Sketches of Greenfield and Vicinity: July 4th, 1876 (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*.Excerpt from Centennial Historical Sketches of Greenfield and Vicinity: July 4th, 1876 With prophetic vision they penetrated the future and saw their cherished bunting grounds disappearing before the devastating hand of civilization, and often repelled the encroachments of the pale face with the tomahawk and scalping knife. In July, 1797, Adams county was organized and embraced in its boundaries most, if not all, of what is now Highland, and was the fourth county organized in the State. At that time there were but two white people residing within the present limits of this county. John Wilcoxon being the first settler near Sinking Spring in 1795. In August, 1798, Ross county was organized and the territory now constituting Highland, detached from Adams and included in Ross, and continued so until May 1805, when Highland was formed from Ross, Adams and Clermont, and embraced within its boundaries about half of Fayette and two thirds of Clinton. The county was then divided into four townships; New Market, Brushcreek, Liberty and Fairftjeld. Madison was then a part of Fair-field and the...



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