

Biographies of West Virginia statehood leaders were prepared by Marshall University Humanities Program graduate students enrolled in Dr. Billy Joe Peyton's Fall 2010 "Historical Studies" class at Marshall's South Charleston campus.

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**Reuben Martin:**

Born in Ohio County, Virginia on December 28, 1802, Reuben Martin was a merchant and farmer in Wetzel County. (Biographical Publishing Company.) He represented his home county at the Second Wheeling Convention. He died on June 20, 1890 and was buried in New Martinsville, Wetzel County.

"Ancestors of Terrance Lee Weinberg". 2006. 12/02 2010.

Biographical Publishing Company. *Men of West Virginia*. 2 vols. Chicago,: Biographical publishing company, 1903. Print.