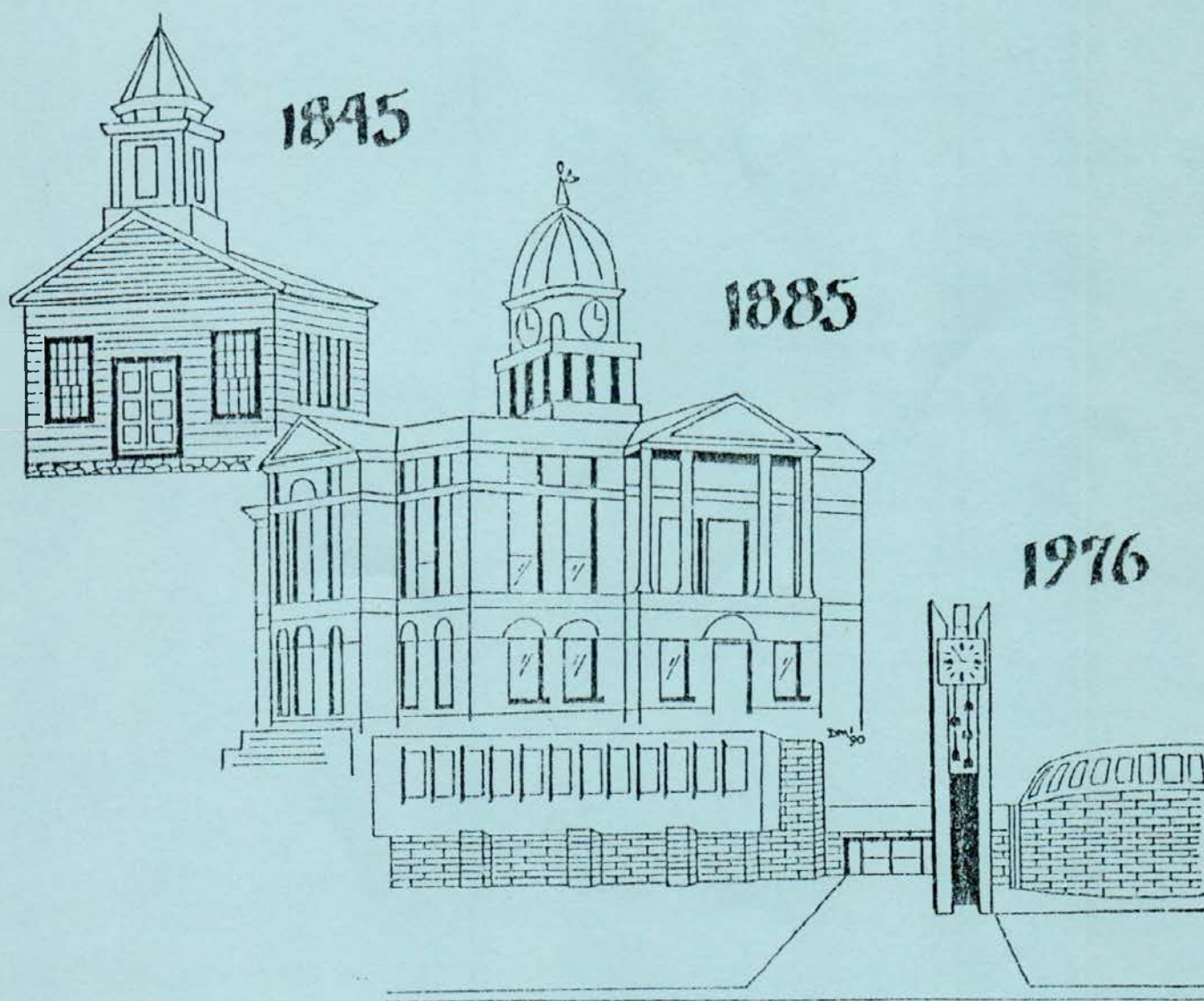


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Hulett Orlo P (Mary S) retired h 328 Prairie  
Hultz P A (Lida) P A Hultz & Co 219 S Cochran Av h 204 Harris Av  
Willard bkkpr res 202 W Harris Av  
Howard farmer res 204 W Henry  
Mina Mrs h 204 W Henry  
Wm emp Sanitarium res 204 West Henry  
Hunt Electie E wid Jonas h 203 East Shaw  
Hustleby James emp plano facty rms 307 S Cochran  
Hutchinson Emma clk res 137 Pleasant  
Julia wid Andrew h 137 Pleasant  
Hyatt Charles (Olle) clothing clk h 122 State  
Gertrude student res 122 State

**I**

Iliff Erastus W (Eliza) retired res 126 S Sheldon  
Inglidue Lewis retired res 341 Pleasant  
Ives Frank A (Celia) furniture and undertaking 213-215 S Cochran Av h 334 E Lovett

**J**

Jackson Albert (Emma) farmer h 216 S Lincoln  
Andrew (Cynthia) retired h 501 S Cochran Av  
Elmer F farmer res W Lawrence Av R F D No 7  
Frank painter res 501 S Cochran Av  
Hazel res 216 S Lincoln  
Henry A (Anna) farmer h W Lawrence R F D 7  
Walter V (Florence) machinist h Shaw nr Merritt  
Jacobs Charles (Edith) emp Beach Mfg Co res 202 E Henry  
Wm (Winifred) foreman Beach Mfg Co h 660 N Sheldon  
Jacobson John A (Hattie) merchant h 525 Merriett  
Jacques Burton student res 114 East Lovett  
Jaquett Frank (Cora) mason h 1010 S Cochran Av

Jarvis Chas H mechanical draftsman res 526 W Lawrence Av  
James H (Ella) chief engr electric light plant h 526 W Lawrence Av  
**JENNINGS H K** (Bessie M) cashr Merchants Natl Bank h 344 S Cochran Av  
Lucy M wid C Marion res 344 S Cochran Av  
Jessup George (Jane) retired res 325 State  
Jickels Lillian domestic 215 W Harris Av  
Jiles Elizabeth res 614 S Cochran Av  
Johnson Bess student res 303 N Cochran Av  
Burwick (Julia) retired h 217 S Clinton  
Charles (Ida) mason h 325 Prairie  
Charles L S (Leona) clk Lamb & Spencer h 303 N Cochran Av  
Charles S (Elizabeth) retired h 423 Maclure  
Clyde res 328 State  
Cora phone opr res 519 Horatio Av  
George E (Jennie C) dairymen h 328 State  
Jordan retired res 230 S Cochran Av  
Laura photographer res 519 Horatio Av  
Maggie nurse 430 W Lovett res do  
Mary wid Horace h 236 S Bostwick Av  
Orlana student res 519 Horatio Av  
Otis (Ida) laborer h 519 Horatio Av  
Jonas James (Edith) com trav h 220 N Sheldon  
Jones Charles (Grace) carrier P O h 122 E Shaw  
Dudley (Olive) paper hanger and painter h 128 Pearl  
Edith A student res 320 S Cochran Av  
Ella emp laundry res 223 S Oliver  
Martha wid L J h 223 S Oliver  
**JONES ROLLIN C** (Jones R C & Co) h 320 S Cochran Av see adv  
**JONES R C & CO** dry goods 139 S Cochran  
Sylva C wid Jerry V h 418 S Sheldon  
Jordon Mary clerk res 430 W Henry  
Wm (Jane) retired h 218 E Lovett  
Winfield S (Mabel) mach hand h 735 W Seminary

**K**

- Karcher Donald (Agnes) retired h 45 N Sheldon
- \* Kauffman Arthur (Della) foreman h 421 Foote  
Fannie student res 308 Pleasant
- \* George (Emma) finisher h 317 Johnson  
Lena milliner res 218 Pleasant  
Margaret wid Benjamin res 415 Foote  
Peter (Annie) tailor h 218 Pleasant  
Ralph emp Charlotte Mfg Co res 308 Pleasant  
Scott W (Emma) tailor 308 Pleasant h do
- \* Kay J D (Ida) Kay & Tolbert h 314 S Cochran  
& Tolbert (J D Kay and M A Tolbert) 142 S Cochran  
Keith J H (Allie) postal clk. h 345 Pleasant  
Kelley Allen student res 303 Warren Av  
Charles foreman res 234 N Cochran Av  
Doris student res 303 Warren Av  
George retired res 318 S Sheldon  
Hortense student res 303 Warren Av  
John A (Miranda) carpenter h 412 W Shepherd  
Lewis (Jennie) clk h 303 Warren Av  
Marie student res 234 N Cochran Av  
Kellogg Henry (Louise) carpenter h 618 Pearl  
Mark finisher bds 317 Johnson  
Sarah wid Osro res 424 W Lovett  
Sara H res 112 W Stoddard  
Kennedy Mike M supt piano factory bds 323 Johnson  
Kent Minnie phone opr rms 429 N Clinton  
Kerr I Thomas emp Hancock Mfg Co res 602 E Henry  
Rebecca wid Z T h 602 E Henry  
Thomas machinist Hancock Mfg Co  
Kesler Alonzo H carpenter h 220 W Harris Av  
Kate M music tchr res 220 W Harris Av  
Kidder Ethan A (Hill & Kidder) bds 417 N Sheldon  
Kilmer Bert (Lillie) laborer h 517 State
- \* Kimball Isaiah (Susan) laborer h 314 State
- \* Kimmel Fred (Laura) emp Charlotte Mfg Co h 533 N Cochran Av  
King Inez stenog res Seminary Av cor Clinton  
Isaiah J (Etta) carpenter h Seminary Av cor Clinton  
Jay finisher res Seminary Av cor Clinton  
Theresa wid Frank h 538 State  
Kingman Opal res 534 Forrest  
Pearl res 534 Forrest  
Ruby res 534 Forrest  
Sabert (Mary) stat engr h 534 Forrest
- Kinne Myrintha milliner res 146 S Bostwick Av  
Kinsman Boyd student res 435 N Clinton  
Cecil student res 435 N Clinton  
Wm (Cetta) clk Bryans h 435 N Clinton
- \* Kiplinger Clarence clerk res 355 Horatio Av  
Grant (Ida) F B Pierce & Co h 335 Horatio Av  
Jonas retired h 442 Prairie  
Kittie res 335 Horatio Av  
Sherman (Erma) clk Lamb & Spencers h 421 S Cochran Av  
Kirby Reuben (Rosina) retired h 441 Prairie  
Klaiss Alice M wid Asher P h 238 State Road  
Archie student res 417 N Clinton  
Estella policy clk res 238 State Rd  
Estella wid Wm h 417 N Clinton  
Ethel res 417 N Clinton  
Ora A bkkpr res 238 State Road  
Klann Wm (Nellie) emp piano factory h 707 Warren Av  
Klocke Charles (Grace) drug clk h 215 S Bostwick Av  
Mary wid Peter h 317 N Washington
- Knight Brinkerhoff Piano Co (W T Brinkerhoff secy W B Brinkerhoff v pres Frank A Knight pres)  
E Henry cor Merritt  
Flavius J (Jessie H) physician h 236 S Cochran Av  
Frank pres Knight Brinkerhoff Piano Co h 354 S Cochran Av  
Lola res 354 S Cochran Av



Knowes Fred (Effie) stat engr h 115 S Sheldon  
 Roy teamster res 115 S Sheldon  
 Knowles Bernice stenog Charlotte Mfg Co res 605 N Sheldon  
 Claude sta engr h 605 N Sheldon  
 O S emp Charlotte Mfg Co  
 Koon Adelia M wid Addison res 112 Amity  
 Krebs Ernest A plumber res 201 Upland Av  
 E A (Krogman & Krebs) 229 South Cochran Av h 201 Upland Av  
 H H (Blanche) Krebs H H & Co 227 S Cochran Av res 349 do  
 Jessie milliner res 201 Upland Av  
 J S (Estella) pianos organs and millinery 203 S Cochran Av h 201 Upland Av  
 Krogman L J (Krogman & Krebs) 229 S Cochran h do  
 & Krebs (L J Krogman and E A Krebs) 229 S Cochran  
 Kunkle Howard laborer res 312 West Shaw  
 Jacob (Jane) stone mason h 312 W Shaw

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La Fountain Edwin (Flora) laborer res 205 E Henry  
 Jacob (Louise) laborer res 205 East Henry  
 John (Nora) blksmith h 205 E Henry  
 Lall Katie wid Jacob h 230 S Washington  
 Lamb C B (Orell) Lamb & Spencer 144 S Cochran Av h 319 E Lawrence Av  
 & Lawrence 144 S Cochran  
 George R (Mary) emp Bennett Furniture Co h rear 460 S Cochran Av  
 Glenville student res 325 E Lawrence Av  
 Mabel bkkpr res rear 460 S Cochran Av  
 Wm day clk Phoenix Hotel res 628 N Sheldon  
 Lambert Curtis G (Martha E) retired h 215 Warren Av  
 Lamis Wm emp Charlotte Mfg Co  
 La Mont Archibald (Marjorie) farmer h 428 E Lovett  
 Lewis (Fronie) wood wkr h 519 N Washington

LAMSON MORRIS J salesman for W C Vosburg Mfg Co Brooklyn N Y h 121 W Seminary  
 Lane Charles (Minnie) city fireman h 115 S Washington  
 Emery (Esther) emp Beach Mfg Co h 717 N Sheldon  
 H M tinner Hancock Mfg Co  
 Jay M (Mae) teamster h 729 Forrest  
 Laura teacher res 711 Warren Av  
 Mary Mrs h 514 Pearl  
 Lang Arthur (Olive) emp bending wks h 321 Foote  
 Lansing Lucy wid Dow res 214 North Cochran Av  
 Lapeer W emp Charlotte Mfg Co  
 Laughery Isaac (Alice) teamster h 121 W Henry  
 Lauritzen Albert foundry foreman rms 311 N Bostwick Av  
 Laverty Earl student res 118 State  
 Sarah wid Hiram h 118 State  
 Lawhead Tom (Lillie) laborer h 619 W Henry  
 Leak James (Verda) barber Cochran Av h 346 Pleasant  
 Lechler Jennie phone opr res 327 Prairie  
 Lee Alonzo (Ora) carpenter h 520 Horatio Av  
 Bert S (Arvilla) laborer h 438 Hall  
 Leedy A emp Beach Mfg Co  
 Leggett Martha wid A G res 212 East Harris Av  
 Lehman Henry emp piano facty  
 Lennon John (Minerva) drayman h 307 W Lawrence Av  
 Lulu res 307 W Lawrence Av  
 Leonard Frank P (Kate) carrier P O res 510 S Cochran Av  
 John H cooper h 617 W Henry  
 Mary E dressmkr 617 W Henry res do  
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 Lepard Bertha student res 338 South Sheldon  
 Earl R R fireman res 333 S Sheldon  
 Wesley (Edna) teamster h 333 S Sheldon  
 LeRoy Charles (Addie) barkpr h 753 W Seminary  
 James (Cora) machinist h 427 Hall  
 Margaret wid Eber h 749 W Seminary



<p>Le Suer F A (Le Scur F A &amp; Co) 119 S Cochran Av h 338 do  Frank (Nellie) teller First Natl Bk h 338 S Cochran Av  F A &amp; Co 119 S Cochran  Henry retired res 146 S Bostwick Av  Levi Henry retired res 337 S Sheldon  Lewis Charles B (Bessie) piano finisher h 315 Warren Av  Harley emp piano facty  Vergil emp piano facty  Wm (Lou) h 506 N Cochran Av  * Lightner Edward (Lula) laborer h 206 E Stoddard  Lindsley Ira (Rose J) carrier P O h 420 E Henry  Ling Anna wid John res 631 W Henry  Lamott (Bessie) barber h 209 West Shaw  Lintz Louie clk res 431 Sheldon  Lipsey James (Mary) farmer h 419 E Lovett  Lillian res 419 E Lovett  Livingston Louisa wid Henry res 324 Amity  Lloyd E emp Charlotte Mfg Co  John Z (Minnie) machinist h 509 N Clinton  Nelson carver res 509 N Clinton  Ray (Mary) clk Daniels res 509 N Clinton  * Locke Christopher (Eva) farmer h 618 S Cochran Av  Ross (Nellie) carrier P O h 514 S Cochran Av  Lockwood John H (Minnie J) machinist h 528 Pleasant  Joseph emp piano facty  Loftus T emp piano facty  Logan Joseph rms 339 N Bostwick Av  Lohr Edna student res 622 Merriett  Warren (Mary E) machinist h 622 Merritt  Long Bertha bkkpr res 320 E Lawrence Av  Hugh B (Irene) foreman h 626 W Lawrence Av  Martha Mrs h 320 E Lawrence Av  Loomis Adeline (Loomis &amp; Herbst) h 415 W Harris Av  Richard N (Adeline A) marble dealer N Cochran Av h 415 N Harris Av  &amp; Herbst (Adeline Loomis and Jennie Herbst) millinery 245 S Cochran</p>	<p>* Loop Albert (Ethel) carpenter h 436 S Sheldon  Charles S barkpr res 436 S Sheldon  Frank C saloon kpr S Cochran res 436 S Sheldon  Love Amos emp Charlotte Mfg Co  Clair emp piano facty res 702 Warren Av  Clifford (Mary) laborer h 428 West Henry  Homer (Georgia) laborer h 702 Warren Av  Lucius A (Augusta) carpenter h 525 Johnson  M emp Charlotte Mfg Co  Orma nurse res 525 Johnson  Loveland Fred H (Agnes) dry goods Lansing h 240 S Bostwick Av  Harold V student res 240 S Bostwick Av  Lovell Edward paper hanger and painter bds Williams Hotel  Lowe Ena student res 602 E Henry  George emp Hancock Mfg Co res 602 E Henry  Harry waiter res 602 E Henry  Lewis (Alice) laborer h W Lawrence Av R F D 7  Lowie Anna maid 329 S Cochran Av  Luther Frank carpenter h 414 Henry  * Lybrook Wm (Gertrude) station agt Grand Trunk Ry h 419 W Harris Av  Lyon Lorenzo M (Edith) mail clk h 312 N Washington  McArthur Eliza A wid George h 311 S Sheldon  McCall Harriett M student res 235 N Cochran Av  Harry T clk Baughmans res 235 N Cochran Av  * McCall LYMAN H (Jennie M) atty over 102 S Cochran h 235 N Cochran Av see adv  * McCammon James R (Emma P) surveyor h 509 W Lawrence Av  Melvina B student res 509 W Lawrence Av  McCaine Frank (Gertrude) grocery clk res 217 N Oliver  John (Mary) retired h 217 N Oliver  McCarthy Charles (Minnie) com trav h 211 N Oliver  Clara res 211 N Oliver  Katherine coll res 540 Foote  McClain domestic 217 N Oliver</p>
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McClue Abby h 214 W Lovett Edna teacher res 214 W Lovett Hester L teacher res 214 W Lovett McClintick George (Mary) farmer h 201 E Lovett	McGrath Clara wid Fred h 108 Pleasant Earl student res 303 W Lovett Frank student res 303 W Lovett Harry T (Etta) Charlotte Republican h 303 W Lovett
McCONNACK JOY collections and loans and real estate h 212 Prairie see adv	McGregor W emp Hancock Mfg Co McInnis John F (Lena) condtr Grand Trunk Ry res 312 N Cochran Av
McConaughy Wm mason contr h 436 S Cochran Av	McLaughlin Frank E (Evinie) Parker & McLaughlin h 221 Warren Av
McConnell Ethel res 516 Johnson Catherine wid Thomas h 432 Prairie	McManus Maria wid Charles res 221 E Stoddard
Fred (Nellie) emp lubricating factory h 416 Johnson	McMurty Ann res 338 John Mary res 338 John
McConnell Lewis emp Hancock Mfg Co	Thomas (Sarah) night watchman h 338 John
Maria T wid Myron h 315 Prairie Nancy wid James res 222 S Bostwick Av	McNaughton Don A McNaughton Foundry h 312 S Sheldon
McCORMACK JOY (Maud) real est Arcade Blk h 212 Prairie	Foundry mnfrs of printing presses etc 120 N Washington
McDonald Bert (Eva) W U Teleg opr M C R R h 430 N Cochran Av	Hart H McNaughton Foundry h 312 S Sheldon
Frank (Emma) hay dealer 423 Pearl h do	Peter (Eliza) McNaughton Foundry h 312 S Sheldon
Lin Mrs res 354 S Sheldon	McPeck Inez wil J L h 213 W Harris Av
Thomas (Susie) drain contr 515 Johnson h do	McPEEK RUSSELL R (Huggett & McPeck) h W Harris Av see adv
McDougall Charles (H Dyer & Co) h 407 Foote	McPherson Matilda A wid Forbes h 425 Johnson
Wm (Jane) teamster h 319 N Cochran Av	McPhersonal Wm (Zella) com trav h 121 Pleasant
McDivitt Floyd painter res 446 South Sheldon	McRoberts Thomas R Rev (Jennie) pastor Congl Church h 217 W Lawrence Av
Hugh (Minnie) painter and paper hanger h 446 S Sheldon	McRussell W C emp piano factory
McFall John (Rose) retired h 422 Warren Av	McSorley John (Anna E) piano tuner h 220 S Clinton
McGee Edwin N (Matie) field mngr Owosso Sugar Beet Co Lansing h 719 S Cochran Av	John A cashr res 220 S Clinton
McGill James A (Lillian) bicycle re- pair E Lovett h Upland Av cor Horatio Av	McUmbler Charles S (Delia) poultry dealer nr M C R R Depot h 436 Pleasant
McGlocklin Jessie student res 424 E Shaw	Edgar stock buyer res 109 W Shaw
Nellie student res 424 E Shaw	Iva student res 436 Pleasant
Kelly (Flora) mason h 537 N Clinton	Ralph com trav res 109 W Shaw
McGormley George laborer res 634 N Sheldon	Sarah h 109 W Shaw
Ralph (Ella) laborer h 634 N Shel- don	Zora student res 436 Pleasant
	Macumber Grace bookkpr Geddes Tailor Shop res 241 N Clinton
	Mahn Theodore machinist Hancock Mfg Co
	Mann A G emp Beach Mfg Co
	Wm D (Bessie) carpenter h 432 Forrest

Mapes Andrew (Dell) laborer h Sump- ter nr Spring	Maxon Ida res 501 S Cochran Av
Benjamin (Edna) laborer h 627 For- rest	Mae E dressmkr 229 Pleasant h do
Frank (Maud) emp bending works h Sumpster cor Spring	Orlo (Blanche) carpenter h 615 Pleasant
Gladys H student res 119 S Clinton	Roswell (Maye E) farmer h 229 Pleasant
Ramiro (Elizabeth H) retired h 119 S Clinton	Wilbur (Maria) retired h E Semin- ary cor Prairie
Mariam Ella emp laundry res 225 S Oliver	Maxwell Lucille 205 N Cochran Av
Markham Caroline A wid O J h 411 S Sheldon	May John P (Sue) retired h 307 S Sheldon
Emily wid Arnold res 417 S Coch- ran Av	Maynard Horace S (Lizzie) attorney Lockard Blk h 134 S Bostwick Av
Marks Ethel student res 210 S Lin- coln	Horace S jr clerk res 134 S Bost- wick Av
Glenn W freight handler res 210 S Lincoln	Vera W student res 134 S Bostwick Av
John (Matilda) painter h 210 S Lin- coln	Meade Jennie Mrs milliner 216 S Cochran Av h 222 S Bostwick Av
Marlin George emp piano facty	Meich Adeline wid Lawrence h 630 N Cochran Av
Marple A C clerk res 219 W Harris Av	Mellon Jennie B clk Jones res 412 Foote
Frank D (Nell) confectioner 106 S Cochran h 219 W Harris Av	Merchant D (Lucy) machinist h 629 S Sheldon
Marguerite student res 310 N Shel- don	Grace res 629 S Sheldon
Rollo student res 219 W Harris Av	<b>MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK A</b> D Baughman pres H K Jennings
Wm (Maude) baker h 310 N Shel- don	cashr S Cochran Av
Marsh Norman D (Harriett H) retired h 317 John	Merrick E Marie typewriter res 418 Brackett
Martain Charles (Sadie) farmer h 517 Pleasant	Rufus R (M Antoinette) machinist h 418 Brackett
Frederick (Harriett) laborer h 527 S Sheldon	Merrill F emp Beach Mfg Co
Wm (Mary) postal clk h 324 S Shel- don	John laborer res 207 N Oliver
Martin Albert A printer h 215 S Oli- ver	Nettie ladies furnishings Cochran Av h 207 N Oliver
A W Mrs res 215 S Oliver	Sarah wid Hiram h 413 Pearl
Charles A (Amanda) building contr h 441 W Lawrence Av	Merritt Charles (Hattie) livery stable h 220 N Bostwick Av
Charles C (Mary E) Shaver & Mar- tin h 213 N Oliver	Ellen wid Frank res 101 Pleasant
Dorr R student res 441 W Lawrence Av	Gale student res 101 Pleasant
George (Angie) emp piano facty h 422 Johnson	Parthenia wid Charles A h 122 W Harris Av
Henry (Hannah) teleg opr h 733 High	Wm W (Edna J) retired h N Oli- ver
Mason Maria wid Christopher h 329 N Bostwick Av	Wm R (Lena) plumber h 405 W Shaw
Matteson Adaline res 402 S Cochran Av	Merwin John W (Della) com trav h 714 N Sheldon
Matthews Leola student res 229 Pleas- ant	Messenger Clarence (Minnie) machin- ist h 321 E Seminary
	Clyde emp piano facty res 321 E Seminary
	Lulu milliner res 321 E Seminary
	Metzinger Wm (Carrie) retired h 203 N Oliver
	Mewth Libbie h 239 Pleasant



- Michel Jacob (Laura) cigar manfr S Cochran h 312 W Henry  
 Middleton Ray (Mary) painter h 235 S Clinton  
 Miers George W (Susan) farmer h 529 State  
 Mikesell Frank (Deone) retired h 417 W Seminary  
 • Howard student res 409 W Lawrence Av  
 • Jacob E (Vina) owner city electric light plant h 409 W Lawrence Av  
 Jane wid Joseph h 222 S Bostwick Av  
 • Jerry (Dellie) mnfr furniture N Sheldon h 203 W Seminary  
 Zoe telephone opr res 417 W Seminary  
 Miles Etta res 602 N Cochran Av  
 Millburn Thomas (Esther) mason h 422 Foote  
 Wm wagon mkr bds 413 Forrest  
 • Millenbacher Christian (Mary) blacksmith S Washington h 312 W Seminary  
 Mabel canvasser res 312 W Seminary  
 Miller Charles (Kate) night watch h 522 Prairie  
 Charles F soldier U S A res 221 E Stoddard  
 Genevieve student res 310 E Lovett  
 Georgia milliner rms 327 N Sheldon  
 John L (Amanda) harness shop Cochran h 221 E Stoddard  
 Joseph retired farmer res 401 Warren Av  
 Marshall K (Mina D) carpenter h 617 N Cochran Av  
 Myron E (Minnie) lumber dealer N Cochran h 310 E Lovett  
 MILLER M E (Miller & Hamilton) h 310 E Lovett see adv  
 Nina B milliner res 221 E Stoddard  
 O B (Harriett) farmer h 1060 S Cochran Av  
 Rebecca wid Andrew J res 915 N Cochran Av  
 Vena Mrs res 425 N Washington  
 Wesley D (Mary D) farmer h 323 N Lincoln  
 Wm B (Rhoda) laborer h 313 W Harris Av  
 Wm (Mary) retired h 522 Prairie  
 MILLER & HAMILTON (M E Miller & H A Hamilton) lumber and coal N Cochran Av  
 • Mills Benjamin emp piano facty bds 323 Johnson  
 Milton John A (Sarah S) gardener h 614 Pearl  
 Mitchell David M (Laney) carpenter h 523 S Cochran Av  
 Goldie teacher res 523 S Cochran Av  
 Reed bds 318 N Washington  
 Willard Z (Emily A) retired h 329 S Cochran Av  
 Mock Susan wid Wm M h 711 N Cochran Av  
 • Moll Earl emp piano facty res 413 N Washington  
 • George (Alta) mngr Moll & Thompson Elevator Co h 315 E Lawrence Av  
 Glenn mach hand res 413 N Washington  
 Henry (Carrie) laborer h 413 N Washington  
 Henry (Louisa) cooper h 322 Railroad  
 Theodore (Emma) elevator foreman h 117 State  
 • Thompson & Co grain elevator Hall cor Oliver  
 Monroe Charles M (Ada) carpenter h 401 Warren Av  
 Moore Elsie student res 340 S Sheldon  
 G A emp piano facty  
 G W emp piano facty  
 James R (Catherine) barber S Cochran h 340 S Sheldon  
 Julia res 340 S Sheldon  
 Mary wid John h 627 W Seminary  
 Mary wid Alanson res 223 N Cochran Av  
 • Morehouse Hiram (Iva) postal clk h 315 W Seminary  
 • Morey Edwin (Clara) emp Charlotte Mfg Co h 237 N Bostwick Av  
 Ethel res 237 N Bostwick Av  
 • Fred clerk res 237 N Bostwick Av  
 Glenn clerk res 237 N Bostwick Av  
 Morgan Charles E (Alice) dry goods merchant S Cochran h 238 do  
 Edwin B dry goods store S Cochran Av res 238 do  
 Edwin N (Fidelia) com trav h 614 S Sheldon  
 Edwin R Jr student res 614 S Sheldon  
 Howard student res 415 Prairie  
 Lewis B (Nancy A) laborer h 415 Prairie

- Morgan  
Waite emp piano facty res 415 Prairie  
Morrell E Frank (Mabel) harness mkr h 344 S Sheldon  
James A (Lettie) retired h 315 S Oliver  
Madeline res 344 S Sheldon  
Minnie stenog res 315 S Oliver  
Morris Maude res 116 E Henry  
Morrow Frank D (Laura B) laborer h 749 W Lawrence Av  
Raymond emp piano facty res 749 W Lawrence Av  
Morse Orrin D (Ella C) retired h 518 S Sheldon  
Moser Edith B teacher res 210 S Bostwick Av  
Jackson (Mary) retired h 210 S Bostwick Av  
Mount James laborer h 816 N Sheldon  
Munteer Wm retired res 219 W Harris Av  
Mouser Lena res 225 Prairie  
L J billiards and pool 101 S Cochran h 225 Prairie  
Moyer Allen (Martha) physician S Cochran Av h 120 S Oliver  
Boyden P (Blanche) county clk h 432 S Cochran Av  
Dorr (Jessie) bkkpr h 642 W Henry  
Henry A (Myrtie) retired h 431 S Cochran Av  
Howard (Dora) com trav h 334 John  
Mulhollan Nora domestic res 212 E Harris Av  
Sarah h 622 1-2 W Lawrence Av  
Wareham (Leah) retired h 751 W Lawrence Av  
Munch Lawrence carriage mkr res 210 E Stoddard  
Otto J (Ida) cabinet mkr h 210 E Stoddard  
Munger D F (Jessie) Munger & Son h 414 S Cochran Av  
J W (Mary) Munger & Son h 414 S Cochran Av  
& Son hardware implements S Cochran Av opp P O  
MUNSON M L (Grace) confectionery and cafe 205 S Cochran Av rms 219 W Harris Av
- Murray Albert (Minnie) boots and shoes 110 S Cochran Av h 306 E Lawrence Av  
Augusta wid V D h 327 E Seminary  
Charles A (Nellie) teamster h 513 N Clinton  
Eldorado (Capitolie) real estate h 460 S Cochran Av  
Frank (Kate) painter and decorator res 422 N Washington  
Franklin H (Alma) stat engr h 240 N Sheldon  
MURRAY FRED (Jessie L) Fred Murray & Co h 121 W Seminary  
MURRAY FRED & CO boots and shoes 126 S Cochran Av  
Irene res 327 E Seminary  
Marjorie student res 306 E Lawrence Av  
Rae (Blanche) cashr M C R R h 206 N Oliver  
Verton A farmer res 327 E Seminary  
Mygrants Augustus S (Elizabeth) retired h 330 John  
Maud res 330 John
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- Needham Alonzo (Cora) section foreman G T Ry h 516 W Lawrence Av  
Ed (Bertha) section hand h 409 W Henry  
Nelson Arthur M (Belle) retired h 422 Hall  
David W (Nettie) laborer h 225 S Clinton  
Joseph emp piano facty  
Neugent John retired bds Williams Hotel  
NEW CHARLOTTE GAS CO E J Ellis secy H L Babcock v pres E E App pres J W Sawyer supt 223 S Cochran Av see adv  
NEWARK WALLACE E physician and supt Charlotte Sanitarium 121 E Seminary res do see adv  
Elmer (Mabel) repair shop W Lawrence Av h 229 N Clinton  
Newcomb Morrell E (Anna) county surveyor h 314 W Henry  
Newell Fred (Ora) emp Charlotte Mfg Co h 521 N Washington

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INFORMATION USEFUL FOR YOUR GENEALOGICAL PURSUITS IN EATON COUNTY

DATES OF FIRST RECORDS

EATON COUNTY

Marriages: 1838

Deaths: 1867

Circuit Court: 1847

Births: 1867

Probate Court: 1835

Register of Deeds: 1835

NAMES & ADDRESSES OF

EATON COUNTY VILLAGE, CITY & TOWNSHIP CLERKS,

& COUNTY OFFICES

FOR COUNTY OFFICES, i.e. Probate, Register of Deeds, County Clerk, address your inquiry to the desired office, 1045 Independence Blvd., Charlotte, MI 48813 (phone 543-7500).

IF YOU VISIT IN PERSON, the Eaton County Courthouse is open from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. They DO NOT close at lunchtime. You will find the staff extremely friendly and helpful. (To find Independence Blvd., take Cochran Street, which is the main street through downtown, to the north edge of Charlotte until you reach Beech Street. Turn left. The Government Complex is located about 3 blocks down Beech Street.)

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Sunfield Twp.	Robert G. Overholt	7325 Grand Ledge Hwy. Sunfield, MI 48890 517-566-8767
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Vermontville Twp.	Janice L. Baker	470 E. Main St. Vermontville, MI 49096 517-726-0257
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NAMES & ADDRESSES OF

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Lehman-Shaw Funeral Home  
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Bellevue, MI 49021  
616-763-9511

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Charlotte, MI 48813  
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Eaton Rapids, MI 48827  
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517-627-2147

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134 S. Main Street  
Olivet, MI 49076  
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SUNFIELD:

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Sunfield, MI 48890  
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Vogt Funeral Home  
188 E. Main Street  
Vermontville, MI 49096  
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#### EARLY EATON COUNTY INDENTURES

(Compiled by Joyce Liepins, 2 March 1992)

The following original indentures are located in our collection, at the 1885 Historic Eaton County Courthouse. These documents are found in folders 90.106.1 through 90.106.21. If you wish to view the document or obtain copies, please include the folder number when you write or stop in.

**Frederick Mortimer Hults-** #90.106.1

Superintendents of Poor and Jason Rice. This document indentured Frederick Mortimer Hults, county pauper, aged three years, to Jason Rice until twenty-one years of age, as a domestic servant. Signatures: A.D. Shaw & L.H. Ion (Superintendents of Poor), Jason Rice, I.E.C. Hickok (Co. Clerk). Dated 12 June 1866.

**Susan A. Mathias-** #90.106.2

Superintendents of Poor to John Shaw. This document indentured Susan A. Mathias, county pauper, aged 6 years, to John Shaw of the township of Chester, County of Eaton, until the age of eighteen, as a domestic servant. Signatures: L.H. Ion & H. Hutchings (Supt. of Poor), John Shaw, Orrill Sprague, E.H. Barber (Co. Clerk). Dated 1 August 1863.

**N. Lagrange Bouton-** #90.106.3

Superintendents of Poor to Henry Baker. Bound N. Lagrange Bouton, county pauper, aged thirteen years, to Henry Baker of the town of Eaton Rapids, until twenty-one years of age, as a domestic servant. Signatures: L.H. Ion & A.D. Shaw (Supt. of Poor), Henry J. Baker, I.E.C. Hickok (Co. Clerk). Dated 28 July 1868.

**Lydia A. Mathias-** #90.106.4

Superintendents of Poor to Franklin White. Bind Lydia A. Mathias, county pauper, aged eleven years, as a domestic servant to Franklin White of Carmel township, until the age of eighteen. Signatures: L.H. Ion & H. Hutchings (Supt. of Poor), F. White, Orrill Sprague, Ed. W. Barber (Co. Clerk). Dated 1 Aug 1863.

**Emma Peck-** #90.106.5

Superintendents of Poor to Morris Rager. Emma Peck, county pauper, aged two years, bound to Morris Rager of Carmel township, as a domestic servant until the age of eighteen years. Signatures: L.H. Ion & A.D. Shaw (Supt. of Poor), Morris Rager (his mark), I.E.C. Hickok (Co. Clerk). Dated 5 June 1868.

**Julius Jerome Taylor-** #90.106.6

Superintendents of Poor to William Boyer. Julius Jerome Taylor, county pauper, aged nine years, bound to William Boyer of Sunfield township as a domestic servant, until the age of twenty-one. Indenture dated 27 February 1868. Signatures: L.H. Ion & A.D. Shaw (Supt. of Poor), William Boyer, I.E.C. Hickok (Co. Clerk).

An attached statement sworn by Samuel P. Bliss and Joshua Henery before Ionia County Justice of the Peace E. (S.?) Carpenter, dated 18 January 1869, states the mother, Mrs. Taylor, took Julius away from Boyer "without any cause or provocation." Notation made by T.D. Green (Clerk of the Superintendents of Poor), dated 9 February 1869, states that as Julius' whereabouts are unknown, William Boyer is released from the contract.

**William Henry Mathias- #90.106.7**

Superintendents of Poor and John S. Dodge. Bound William Henry Mathias, a county pauper, aged thirteen, to John S. Dodge of Benton township, for eight years, as a domestic servant. Signatures: L.H. Ion & A.D. Shaw (Supt. of Poor), D.P. Sagendorph, J.S. Dodge, Ed. W. Barber (Co. Clerk). Dated 6 September 1864.

**Charles Smith- #90.106.8**

Superintendents of Poor and Daniel S. Miller. Bound to Daniel S. Miller of Carmel township, Charles Smith, county pauper, aged three years, as a domestic servant until the age of twenty-one. Signatures: L.H. Ion & A.D. Shaw (Supt. of Poor), Daniel S. Miller, E. Hayden (Deputy Co. Clerk). Dated 5 January 1864.

**Everline Strang- #90.106.9**

Apprentice's indenture, Everline Strang, aged seven years, with the consent of her mother, Elvira E. Strang of the town of Eaton, has voluntarily bound herself to Samuel Waltersdorf of the town of Carmel, as a domestic servant, to serve until she is eighteen, or becomes married, whichever comes first. Indenture dated 29 December 1860. Signatures: Elvira E. Strang, Samuel Waltersdorf, L.H. Ion, E.A. Foote (Co. Clerk).

A sworn statement, also dated 29 December 1860, from Elvira E. Strang follows, stating that her late husband, James J. Strang died 9 July 1856 in the state of Wisconsin. Signatures: Elvira E. Strang and Henry Robinson (J.P. in Eaton Twp.)

**James Andrew Williams- #90.106.10**

Superintendents of Poor and James Andrew Williams. Binding James Andrew Williams, a county pauper, aged nine years, as a domestic servant to James Clark of Clarence, Calhoun County, until the age of twenty-one years. Signatures: L.H. Ion & A.D. Shaw (Supt. of Poor), James Clark, E. Hayden (Deputy Co. Clerk). Dated 11 June 1864.

**Sela Ann Flagler- #90.106.11**

Superintendents of Poor and Russell Walker. Bound Sela Ann Flagler, a county pauper, aged five years on the 4th day of March 1859, to Russell Walker of Benton township, as a domestic servant until the age of eighteen years, or until married, whichever comes first. Signatures: Russel Walker, John Morris, Charles L. Sabin, E.A. Foote (Co. Clerk). Dated 9 June 1859.

**Noah W. Boughton- #90.106.12**

Superintendents of Poor and Joseph W. Shaver. Bound Noah W. Boughton, a county pauper, aged eight years, to Joseph W. Shaver of Chester township, as domestic servant until the age of twenty-one, or until married, whichever comes first. Signatures: A.D. Shaw & L.H. Ion (Supt. of Poor), Joseph W. Shaver, I.E.C. Hickok (Co. Clerk). Dated 9 September 1865.

**Margaret Williams- #90.106.13**

Superintendents of Poor and Margaret Williams. Bound Margaret Williams, a county pauper, aged six years, as a domestic servant to John Ogden of Kalamo township, until the age of eighteen, unless married within that time. Signatures: L.H. Ion & A.D. Shaw (Supt. of Poor), John Ogden, E. Hayden (Deputy Co. Clerk). Dated 6 June 1864.



**Andaletta Brandeberry- #90.106.14**

Superintendents of Poor and Daniel Galahar. Andaletta Brandeberry, a county pauper, aged seven years, is bound to Daniel Galahar of Chester township, as a domestic servant, until the age of eighteen or unless married within that time. Signatures: L.H. Ion & A.D. Shaw (Supt. of Poor), Daniel Galahar (his mark), H. Baughman, I.E.C. Hickok (Co. Clerk). Indenture dated 29 July 1867.

Amendment made, by L.H. Ion on 28 September 1868, which states the indenture is cancelled from that date by consent of all parties.

**Napoleon LaGrand Boughton- 90.106.15**

Superintendents of Poor and James Fishburn. Bound Napoleon LaGrand Boughton, a county pauper, aged nine years, to James Fishburn of Kalamo, as a domestic servant, until age twenty-one or until married, whichever comes first. Signatures: A.D. Shaw & L.H. Ion (Supt. of Poor), James Fishburn (his mark), I.E.C. Hickok (Co. Clerk). Dated 7 September 1865.

**Lovina M. Flagler- 90.106.16**

Superintendents of Poor to Russel Walker. Binds Lovina M. Flagler, a county pauper, aged seven years on 27 July 1859, to Russel Walker of Benton township, as a domestic servant until the age of eighteen, unless married within that time. Signatures: E.D. Lacey (Supt. of Poor), Charles Sabin, Russel Walker, E.A. Foote (Co. Clerk). Dated 9 May 1860.

**James J. Strang- 90.106.17**

Apprentice's Indenture- Elvira E. Strang to David A. Greer/Grier. James J. Strang, of the town of Eaton, aged four years, by and with the consent of his mother, Elvira Strang, has voluntarily bound himself to David A. Greer of Carmel township, to learn the art, trade and mystery of farming, until the age of twenty-one which he will be on the 22d day of January 1877. Signatures: L.H. Ion, Elvira E. Strang, David A. Grier, E.A. Foote (Co. Clerk). Indenture dated 29 December 1860.

Statement given by Elvira before Henry Robinson, Justice of Peace in the township of Eaton, says James J. Strang, her late husband, died 9 July 1856 in the state of Wisconsin. Statement dated 29 December 1860, signed Elvira E. Strang and Henry Robinson.

**Jacob L. Mathias- 90.106.18**

Superintendents of Poor to Vickers Heston. Jacob L. Mathias, a county pauper, aged four years, is bound as a domestic servant, to Vickers Heston of Carmel township until the age of twenty-one or unless married within that time. Signatures: L.H. Ion & A.D. Shaw (Supt. of Poor), Vickers Heston, E. Hayden (Deputy Co. Clerk). Dated 15 March 1864.

**George Walch/Walsh- 90.106.19**

Superintendents of Poor and Nathan D. Stowell. Bound George Walch/Walsh, county pauper, aged twelve, to Nathan D. Stowell of Benton township, as a domestic servant until the age of twenty-one, unless married within that time. Signatures: L.H. Ion & H. Hutchings (Supt. of Poor), N.D. Stowell, Ed. W. Barber (Co. Clerk). Dated 30 November 1863.

**William Smith- 90.106.20**

Superintendents of Poor and Thomas L. Curtis. Bound William Smith, county pauper, aged four years, to Thomas L. Curtis of Carmel township, as domestic



servant until the age of twenty-one or married, whichever comes first. Signatures: L.H. Ion & A.D. Shaw (Supt. of Poor), Thomas L. Curtis, E. Hayden (Deputy Co. Clerk). Dated 12 Jan 1864.

Charles Strang- 90.106.21  
Superintendent of Poor Order for Bond by Joseph Perkey for binding Charles Strang. Signed L.H. Ion (Supt. of Poor), E. Hayden (Deputy Co. Clerk). Dated 9 April 1864.

The following is a postcard from 1946, submitted by Debra Eddy, who found the item at an antique shop in Grand Rapids, Michigan.

#### ATTENTION PLEASE

The government's restricted flour extraction directive makes it impractical to send the regular monthly recipes as we have been doing for over three and one half years.

The mailing of these recipes will, therefore, be discontinued with this issue.

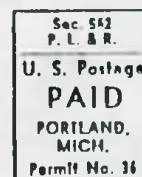
The new order compels all mills to manufacture this new type of flour starting March 1 for the duration of the emergency.

Watch your newspapers for Lily White recipes when we can again furnish high type white flour.

We do not believe this drastic order is necessary in order to feed the people of Europe.

If you don't like dark flour and still want to help the European countries, write your congressman and suggest a cut in mill production rather than a cut in quality.

Valley City Milling Co.  
Portland, Michigan



Mrs. Elva Keuster  
1106 Sheldon S.E.  
Grand Rapids, Mich.

#### FAVORITE WHITE CAKE

1 cup whipping cream  
3 egg whites  
1 tsp. vanilla  
1/2 cup water

2 cups sifted Lily White Flour  
1 1/2 cups sugar  
3/4 tsp. salt  
3 tsp. baking powder

Whip cream stiff. Fold in beaten egg whites and vanilla. Add water; then add sifted dry ingredients carefully. Bake in two nine inch layer pans. Bake at 375 degrees about 25 minutes.

Recipe No. 44

February, 1946

EATON COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS RECORDS

April 14, 1838 - July 28, 1849

(Continued from #5 ECQ, pages 23-39)

Copied by Joyce Liepins, 3 March 1992

Spelling, punctuation, and words/phrases crossed out, are as they are found in the actual record.

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Resolved that the Clerk be authorized and directed to charge the town of Eaton \$7.15, the town of Tom Benton \$13.75, the town of Eaton Rapids \$11.51, the town of Brookfield \$4.86 and the town of Tyler \$11.89 on account of taxes rejected or charged back, which sums are to be raised in the several towns in the year 1845 and paid to the county; also that there be given the town of Bellevue a credit of \$5.10, the town of Kalama \$0.69, the town of Windsor \$214.91, the town of Oneida \$153.75 and the town of Sunfield \$5.57 on account of the same

Resolved that, the resolution passed yesterday allowing N.P. Frink \$10.00 for keeping Prisoner, James McQueen, be and the same is hereby rescinded

Resolved that the Court House in contemplation and under contract to be built, shall be put on the Court House square, two rods east of the West line, in the centre North & South

Resolved that the Clerk be authorized and directed to take such surity of Mr. Millett and Mr. Scout, for the performance of the contract to build the Court House, as he shall deem sufficient for the safety of the county.

Resolved that the Clerk be authorized and directed to draw an order on the Treasury for the sum of two hundred and seventy dollars, payable the first day of June next without interest, to make payment in part for building the Court House, and sell the same for two hundred and fifty dollars, or more if he can get it. (Order made Jan. 10th, 1845 for \$270.00).

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Resolved that the Clerk be authorized and directed to pay the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars which he may receive on an order of \$270.00 as authorized by this board to S.E. Millett and L. Scout on a contract for building a Court House between said Millett & Scout and also the further sum of \$250.00: which sum the Co. Treasr. is hereby authorized and directed to pay to the said Clerk for the purpose of paying the said Millett & Scout on said contract for building Court House to be paid by the 1st day of Feb. next

On Motion adjourned until tomorrow morning 8 o'clock

Jan 8 1845

Board met pursuant to adjournment and proceeded to allow accounts				
order made	allowed	E.H. Barber	for servs. as Supervisor	5.40
order made	Do	G.B. Griffin	Do	4.92
order made	Do	J.W. Hikok	Do	5.28
order made	Do	Robert Wheaton	Do	4.86
order made	Do	N.S. Booth	Do	5.40
2 orders made	Do	John Dow	Do	5.40
order made	Do	Geo. W. Andrews	Do	5.22
order made	Do	B.F. Baily	Do	5.22
order made	Do	Jesse Hart	Do	3.30
order made	Do	Stephen Farnham	Do	5.58
order made	Do	P.S. Spaulding	Do	5.16
order made	Do	Wm. Southworth	Do	4.92
order made	Do	Erastus Fisher	Do	5.70
order made	Do	John D. Skinner	Do	5.70
order made	Do	Remember Baker	Do	5.94
order made	Do	J.M. Collins	Do	5.22

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Whereas an act approved February 10 1841 entitled "an act to amend an act Entitled an act for the destruction of Wolves" will expire on the 10th day of Feby. next.  
Therefore,

Resolved by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Eaton, that the Hon. the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Michigan be respectfully requested to cause an act to be passed at their present session to continue in (----?) the act above specified for four years; and that a copy of this Preamble and resolution be sent to the Senate and House aforesaid for their deliberation, duly certified by the chairman & Clerk

Allowed N.P. Frink as per bill \$8.00

Resolved that the Treas. be authorized to take the State Paper for Six Months and charge the County,

Resolved that the Clerk be authorized to draw orders on the Treas. for all demands audited and allowed at the present session

Resolved that the Supervisors from the towns of Windsor, Tom Benton & Oneida be requested to forward to Co. Treas. the amt. of town tax raised for the year 1844 in their respective towns, to pay balance due the county on account of rejected taxes due from said towns, and the Treas. be directed to charge the amount so forwarded to each of said towns

Resolved that the Board now adjourn without date  
Jan. 8 1845

A.D. Shaw  
Clerk

Jas. W. Hickok ] Chairman

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October 13th 1845

At a Meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Eaton held pursuant the Statute of the State of Michigan, the 13th day of October A.D. 1845; were present the following persons, members of said Board to wit:

<u>Towns</u>	<u>Names of Supervisors present</u>
Tyler	Stephen Farnham
Brookfield	Jesse Hart
Walton	Jas. W. Hikok 2nd da.
Bellevue	N.S. Booth
Eaton Rapids	J.M. Collins
Eaton	Wm. Southworth
Carmel	R.T. Cushing
Kalamo	E.D. Lacey
Windsor	John D. Skinner
Benton	Benjamin Landers
Chester	Robert Wheaton
Vt. ville	E.H. Barber
Delta	Whitney Jones
Oneida	George Strange 2nd da.
Roxand	John Dow
Sunfield	J. Nead

Board organized by choosing John D. Skinner their Chairman

The Supervisor of the town of Oneida not being present with the roll of said town; it was resolved that a messenger be sent to obtain the assessment roll of the said town of Oneida: and thereupon Doct. H.M. Munson was called upon to obtain said roll and forthwith bring the same before the Board, that the same may be equalized according to the Law

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October 13th 1845

Aggreate Valuation of Real & personal property in the County of Eaton, as made by the Supervisors of the several towns in said county, for the year 1845; also as corrected & equalized by the Board of Supervisors for said county at their annual meeting held Oct. 13th 1845

<u>Towns</u>		<u>Footing of Rolls</u>	<u>% added</u>	<u>% deducted</u>	<u>Amt. + &amp; -</u>	<u>Total as Equalized</u>
Tyler	-Real	37.151.70				41.795.70
Do	-Personl.	4.544.00				
Brookfield	-Rl.	20.800.00		15	3.295.-	18.847.00
Do	-Pl.	1.167.00				



Walton	-Rl.	27.559.00		15	4.133-	26.569.00
Do	-Pl.	3.146.00				
Bellevue	-Rl.	44.024.48		8	3.521.95	47.405.53
Do	-Pl.					
Eaton Rapids	-Rl.	38.379.00		12	4.605.42	40.407.52
Do	-Pl.	6.634.00				
Eaton	-Rl.	28.877.00				31.493.00
Do	-Pl.	2.616.00				
Carmel	-Rl.	29.184.00		12	3.502.00	27.632.00
Do	-Pl.	1.950.00				
Kalamo	-Rl.	26.052.71				28.574.71
Do	-Pl.	2.522.00				
Windsor	-Rl.	19.052.57				20.186.57
Do	-Pl.	1.134.00				
Benton	-Rl.	21.255.94				22.659.94
Do	-Pl.	1.404.00				
Chester	-Rl.	29.257.44				31.409.44
Do	-Pl.	2.152.00				
Vt.Ville	-Rl.	25.868.71	10		2.586.87	29.038.47
Do	-Pl.	581.76				
Delta	-Rl.	33.802.46		25	8.450.50	26.640.50
Do	-Pl.	1.289.00				
Oneida	-Rl.	27.325.43				29.905.43
Do.	-Pl.	2.580.00				
Roxand	-Rl.	20.055.00				20.300.00
Do	-Pl.	245.00				
Sunfield	-Rl.	20.512.87	2		410.25	22.094.12
						\$464.958.93

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Apportionment of moneys raised in the county of Eaton For State and County purposed for the year 1845

Town	State Tax Raised	County Tax Raised
Tyler	104.50	250.77
Brookfield	47.12	113.08
Walton	66.42	159.41
Bellevue	118.51	284.43
Eaton Rapids	101.02	242.44
Eaton	78.73	188.96
Carmel	69.08	165.79
Kalamo	71.44	171.44
Windsor	50.47	121.12
Benton	56.65	136.00
Chester	78.62	188.45
Vt.Ville	72.60	174.23
Delta	66.60	159.84
Oneida	74.76	179.43
Roxand	50.75	121.80
Sunfield	55.23	132.56
	\$1162.48	\$2789.75

In the matter of the assessment of damages for laying a Highway from the main road South through the Village of Vermontville to Willard Davises in said town,

It was resolved by the Board that the damages assessed by the Jurors called for that purpose be reduced to twenty dollars; and that George S. Browning be entitled to eight dollars of the same, and Lucy Dwight twelve dollars; also that the Supervisor of said town be authorized to insert the said \$20.00 in the tax roll of said town for the year 1845

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Oct. 1845

The following persons were allowed the sums set opposite their names respectively, at the annual session of the Board of Supervisors for the county of Eaton for the year 1845 held October 13th 1845

120	George W. Coddington, wolf certificate	14.00
121	Luther Philips Do	8.00
122	Addison Hayden Do	8.00
123	Addison Hayden Do	14.00
166-7	Addison Hayden Do	14.00
order	Addison Hayden Do	14.00
order	Luther Philips Do	8.00
	Isaac D. Hixon Do	14.00
186	Elias Eddy Do	14.00
187	Elias Eddy Do	14.00
134	Isaac Turner, County Canvasser 1844	3.18
245	P.S. Spaulding, Associate Judge & c	20.00
124	John Boody, County Canvasser	3.60
195	Seth Lewis, for publishing report of 1844	5.00
161-2	O.D. Skinner, Associate Judge	28.00
188	F.F. White, for Book Binding	2.67
184	S.E. Millette & Co., charges on Box Books & c	0.63
192 )	G.F. Rood, for Deed Book as per bill	16.00
192 )	G.F. Rood, for General Index Book "	16.00
order made	Hosey Hovey, for Seal & Press for Probate Office	10.00
136	Barney Williams, servises as constable	5.00
185	Lewis B. Canniff, for assisting officer to	
	arrest prisoner	4.40
orders made	N.P. Frink, for building chimney in Court House	6.69
orders made	N.P. Frink, for servises as Sheriff & c	37.65
orders made	N.P. Frink, Do	27.90
orders made	N.P. Frink, Do	57.73
orders made	N.P. Frink, Do 1842	11.75
183-4	W.S. Fairfield Do 1841	100.00
126	S.H. Gage, for coroners Inquest on John Henderson	7.50
189	H.M. Munson, for obtaining Oneida assmt. roll	1.00
191	G.F. Rood & Co., for Probate office Books	20.00
137	Caleb A. Robinson, for attending court of Special	
	Sessions	1.00
125	Uri Shapley, for servises as constable vs Butler	7.00
242	Osmyn Child, for table for Probate office	4.00
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		\$504.70

Carried forward

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	Brought forward-----	504.70
135	J.M. Collins, J.P., examination of Pronr., per bill	5.49
190	Wm. Johnson for making fetters by order of jailor	2.00
reconsidered	Wm. Stoddard, jailor, keeping Ira Austin	81.36
182	Ezra Ridout, for servises as constable:vs: Butler	4.50
127	A. Darrow, Junr., J.P., examination of D. Spencer	7.12
128	D. Mason, constable	3.44
129	A. Darrow, Junr., J.P., examination of Wm. Butler	3.17
130	Samuel H. Gage, for testifying in case of W. Butler	.31
131	Joseph Dusenbury, Do Do	.31
	Hiram Butterfield Do Do	.97
	Lewis Belcher Do Do	.97
order 228	Wm. Johnston, for extra Bugles & c	1.50
orders made	M.S. Wilkinson, Prosecuting Attorney	75.00
orders made	Martin S. Brackett, Do Do	75.00
132	Joseph Dusenbury, for Postmaster examination & c	35.00
133	S.H. Gage, for viewing & returning Inquisition Mrs.	
	Boody	7.00
194	H. Williams, for Stationary as per bill	31.48
no order to issue	Receipt for finishing vault in part	18.00
193	H.H. Gale, servises as Superintendent of Poor	11.02
7 orders made	William Stoddard, for keeping Ira Austin, a prisoner	66.00
163-4	Wm. Stoddard, for Servises as Superintendent of Poor	6.00
orders made	A.D. Shaw, for servises in part; as Clerk of the	
	County	150.00
orders made	H. Williams, in part, for servises as Treasr. of	
	the County	300.00

147-8	Stephen Farnham, for servises as Supervisor		8.58
151-3	Jesse Hart,	Do	7.80
169-72	James W. Hickok	Do	8.28
138-9	N.S. Booth	Do	8.44
173-4	James M. Collins	Do	8.22
149-50	William Southworth	Do	7.92
165	Rolla T. Cushing	Do	7.68
144	E.D. Lacey	Do	7.98
4 orders	John D. Skinner	Do	8.70
157	Benjamin Landers	Do	7.80
142-3	Robert Wheaton	Do	7.86
160	E.H. Barber	Do	8.40
168	Whitney Jones	Do	8.82
154	George Strange	Do	6.84
141	John Dow	Do	8.40
140 & 146	J. Nead	Do	8.75
152	Jesse Hart	Do	1.50

Total \$1422.95

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A move being made and suported, to erect a belfry upon the Court House, a question arose as to the expedincey of making any such outlay at present, and after having arguing the question for some time, the ayes and naves were called for, and answered by towns as follows, to wit:

Tyler	naye	Carmel	aye	Delta	aye
Brookfield	aye	Kalamo	naye	Oneida	naye
Walton	aye	Windsor	aye	Roxand	naye
Bellevue	naye	Benton	naye	Sunfield	naye
Eaton Rapids	naye	Chester	aye		
Eaton	aye	Vt.Ville	naye		

naves 9 ayes 7 - - lost

A motion being made and supported to finish the inside of the Court House, it was opposed by some, and after having argued the question for some time, the ayes and naves were called for, and answered by towns as follows, to wit:

Tyler	naye	Carmel	aye	Delta	aye
Brookfield	aye	Kalamo	naye	Oneida	aye
Walton	aye	Windsor	aye	Roxand	naye
Bellevue	naye	Benton	naye	Sunfield	naye
Eaton Rapids	naye	Chester	aye		
Eaton	aye	Vt.Ville	aye		

naves 11 ayes 5 - - when it was declared that we adopt some method to have the Court House finished

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OCTOBER 1845

W.S. Fairfield presented an account for servises as Sheriff of the county of Eaton, during the year 1842, which was objected to by some, whereupon the ayes and naves were called, and they voted by towns as follows, to wit:

Tyler	aye	Carmel	naye	Delta	aye
Brookfield	naye	Kalamo	aye	Oneida	---
Walton	---	Windsor	---	Roxand	aye
Bellevue	aye	Benton	aye	Sunfield	aye
Eaton Rapids	naye	Chester	aye		
Eaton	aye	Vt.Ville	aye		

aves 10,- naves 3- Blank 3- when the account was declared to be allowed at one hundred dollars, as recorded on another page

An account being presented in the name of Joseph Dusenbury for Postmortum examination upon the body of Mrs. Boody &c as per bill, the ayes and naves were called, and voted by towns as follows, to wit:

Tyler	naye	Carmel	naye	Delta	aye
Brookfield	naye	Kalamo	aye	Oneida	aye
Walton	aye	Windsor	aye	Roxand	aye
Bellevue	naye	Benton	aye	Sunfield	naye
Eaton Rapids	naye	Chester	naye		
Eaton	aye	Vt.Ville	aye		



Nays 7 - Ayes 9 - whereupon the account was declared to be allowed at thirty-five dollars as recorded on another page

October 14th 1845

Adjourned until tomorrow morning 8 o'clock

October 15th 1845

Board met pursuant to adjournment

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October 15th 1845

Resolved by the board of Supervisors that the Register of Deeds be directed to make, or complete, a general index of all conveyances heretofore made in the county of Eaton, agreeably to the Statute, and charge the county for the same

Resolved that the Sheriff be directed to purchase for the use of the county two dozen common kitchen chairs and charge the county

Resolved that the Treasurer be authorized and directed to furnish the Sheriff with funds from the county Treasury, to purchase all necessary stoves, stove pipe, chairs, tables and other necessary furniture for the Court House

Resolved that the Supervisor of the Town of Tyler be directed to assess upon the town \$20.19 and \$7.10- on the same lands, being taxes rejected by the Auditor General as appears by statement of Co. Treasr. on file

Whereas it appears from Statement made by the Treasurer of this county, that the Auditor General has charged the county with the taxes on lands heretofore bid in by the State for the purpose of retaining the amount of township and county taxes collected for the years 1843 and 1844, -- Therefore

Resolved that in the opinion of this Board, the county is entitled to all moneys collected for County or Township taxes by the State or County Treasurers for the years 1843 & 1844: and if the Auditor General, on examination of the Books of his office, shall refuse to pay over such moneys, the county Treasurer would be justified in retaining so much of the moneys collected in the county as will make up that amount

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October 16th 1845

Resolved that the Supervisors of the several towns in this county be authorized and directed to re-assess upon the same lands; also upon the towns at large, the several amounts, as stated below: the particular description of which lands, which were rejected by the Auditor General for taxes of 1843 & other years, and which is hereby required to be re-assessed, will fully appear, reference being had to Statement in writing, duly certified to this board by the Treasurer of this county; and which are on file in the Supervisors office of the respective towns also to the books in the Treasurers office of this county

<u>Towns</u>	<u>Amount To Be Assessed Upon The Town At Large</u>	<u>Amount To Be Reassessed Upon The Same Lands</u>
Tyler	20.19	7.16
Brookfield	6.57	
Walton	31.61	
Bellevue	14.40	9.44
Eaton Rapids	17.92	
Eaton	9.93	
Carmel		
Kalamo	53.20	
Windsor	18.36	193.65
Benton	111.52	112.77
Vt. Ville		
Delta	9.51	24.54
Oneida	73.13	152.46
Roxand	5.80	
Sunfield	2.29	
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	374.43	500.02

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October 16th 1845

The ayes and naves being called on the question to reconsider the vote passed the 14th inst.; allowing Wm. Stoddard \$81.36 for keeping Prisoner, Ira Austin: the towns voted as follows, to wit:

Tyler	aye	Carmel	aye	Delta	aye
Brookfield	aye	Kalamo	aye	Oneida	naye
Walton	naye	Roxand	aye	Sunfield	aye
Bellevue	aye	Benton	aye		
Eaton Rapids	aye	Chester	aye		
Eaton	aye	Vt.Ville	aye		

when it was declared that the said vote be reconsidered

Resolved that William Stoddard have leave to amend his account for keeping Ira Austin a Prisoner

Resolved that Wm. Stoddard be allowed sixty-six dollars for keeping Ira Austin as per bill this day allowed and recorded on another page

Resolved that two hundred dollars be raised for the support of the Poor of the county

Resolved that the citizens be permitted to build a belfrey on the Court House in this place if they deem it proper to do it without charge to the county

Resolved that the Clerk be authorized and instructed to contract and agree with Mr. Scout & Mr. Millett to make such alterations in finishing their contract for building the Court House as he shall deem necessary provided that no additional expense be incurred

Resolved, that an appropriation be made from the county fund to purchase blanks for the several towns in this county; such as Bonds, orders, receipts, contracts & c to be equally divided between the several towns in this county

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Resolved that the Treasurer be authorized and directed to see that the Court House be properly banked up; to prevent the action of the frost upon the wall, so as to injure, and pay for the same out of the county Treasury

Resolved that a committee of two be appointed to examine the Books and papers in the Treasurers office, to settle with the Treasurer and report to this Board at its next meeting; and J.W. Hikok ad J.M. Collins were appointed said committee

Resolved that a committee of two be appointed to receive proposals for finishing the inside of the Court House; said committee are to draw a plan of the manner to have it finished, and if they cannot agree upon the plan, they are authorized to choose a third person, provided they choose one of the Supervisors of this county. They are to report to this Board at its next session

Resolved that James W. Hickok and J.M. Collins be the committee to draw a plan and receive proposals for finishing the Court House as required by the above resolution

Board adjourned until tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock

October 17th 1845

Board met pursuant to adjournment

Resolved that the Clerk be authorized to procure for each town in this county the following described blanks; and draw an order on the County Treasurer for funds to pay for the same, at the rate of fifty cents per quire, to wit:  
---Three qr. town orders, three qr. coms. contracts & bonds, three qr. coms. orders, half qr. Coms. bonds, for town, half qr. Constables bonds, half qr. Treasr. Bonds, half qr. School Inspectors Bonds and half qr. of Bonds for Directors of the Poor--also to distribute the same

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October 17th 1845

Resolved that the Clerk be authorized to draw orders on the Treasurer of this county for all accounts allowed at the present session of this Board

Board adjourned until the first Monday in January next

John D. Skinner Chairman



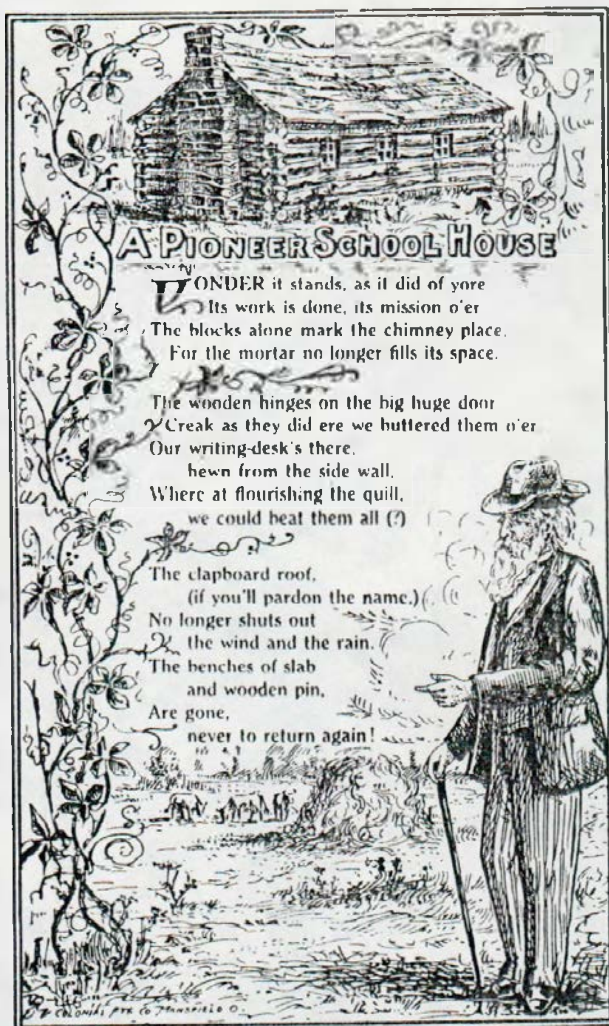
A.D. Shaw Clerk

Eaton County ss.

In accordance with the provisions of an act to provide for taking the census for the year 1845 approved March 19 1845; Wm. B. Hibbard was appointed assistant Marshall to take the census in this county, and having taken the same, & and made oath to the correctness of the return made by him, I did make the calculation & ascertained the amount due the said Hibbard for taking the census as aforesaid to be sixty-nine dollars and nineteen cents: and made orders on the Treasurer to that amount

A.D. Shaw Clerk

(TO BE CONTINUED IN #7 ECQ)



## Wilcox School

District No. 3

Brookfield Township,  
Eaton County, Mich.

— 1910-11 —

WALKER McCONNELL, Teacher

### PUPILS

Clara Logan	Georgie Brininstool
Esther Miller	Naomi Williams
Demus Jennings	Howard Nevills
Arthur Clough	Doris Collins
Ina Baker	Ira Ball
Clark Baker	Hazel Ball
L. G. Morey	Eulah Wiseman
Beulah Wiseman	Vera Thuma
Marion Baker	James Brininstool
Albert Clough	Ethel Kirby
Irene Nevills	Hazel Betz
Wynetta Miller	Alvin Hopkins
Winnie Collins	Richard Miller
Victor Terwilliger	Dorr Swan
Ruth Brininstool	Vesta Brininstool
Myrtle Shultz	Cecile Wiseman
Frank Waltz	Gay Swan

### SCHOOL OFFICERS

Dell Swan	John Miller
Harry Brainerd	



**Ancestor Chart**

Name of Compiler L. (Gilly) Willbur  
 Address P.O. Box 76-274 Rust Lane  
 City, State Myrtle Creek, OR 97457  
 Date 25 October 1989  
 and 23 March 1991

Person No. 1 on this chart is the same person as No. \_\_\_\_\_ on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_

Chart No. \_\_\_\_\_

16 Edwin WILLBUR/WILBUR  
 b. in NY, 1808  
 m. \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 1858, Barry Co., Mich.  
 17 Eunice S. BELLOS/BELLOWS  
 b. 1810, NY  
 d. 1887, Barry Co., MICHIGAN  
 18 Jerome COMAN/COOMAN/COLMAN  
 b. \_\_\_\_\_  
 m. \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 19 Sophia SHEPARD  
 b. \_\_\_\_\_  
 m. \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_

8 Flavius Josephus WILLBUR  
 (Father of No. 4)  
 b. 28 May 1842  
 p.b. Florence, Oneida, N. York  
 m. 9 Oct 1866, Barry Co., MI  
 d. 3 September 1934  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_, Barry, Michigan

9 Amelia Mandana COMAN/COOMAN/COLMAN  
 (Mother of No. 4)  
 b. 1815  
 p.b. Howard City, Pennfield, MI  
 d. 9 January 1916  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_ Michigan

10 Benjamin Franklin THOMAS  
 (Father of No. 5)  
 b. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.b. \_\_\_\_\_  
 m. \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

11 Myra/Maria C. FISHEURN  
 (Mother of No. 5)  
 b. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.b. \_\_\_\_\_  
 m. \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

12 BALDWIN  
 (Father of No. 6)  
 b. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.b. \_\_\_\_\_  
 m. \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

13 Dennis Monro BALDWIN  
 (Father of No. 3)  
 b. 11 Oct 1863  
 p.b. \_\_\_\_\_  
 m. #2, 1947  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.d. Battle Creek, Calhoun, MI

14 WOODS  
 (Father of No. 7)  
 b. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.b. \_\_\_\_\_  
 m. \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

15 PERKINS  
 (Mother of No. 7)  
 b. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.b. \_\_\_\_\_  
 m. \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

16 Edwin WILLBUR/WILBUR  
 b. in NY, 1808  
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 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 1858, Barry Co., Mich.  
 17 Eunice S. BELLOS/BELLOWS  
 b. 1810, NY  
 d. 1887, Barry Co., MICHIGAN  
 18 Jerome COMAN/COOMAN/COLMAN  
 b. \_\_\_\_\_  
 m. \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 19 Sophia SHEPARD  
 b. \_\_\_\_\_  
 m. \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_

20 THOMAS  
 (Father of No. 10,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 21 \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Mother of No. 10,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 22 FISHEURN  
 (Father of No. 11,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 23 \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Mother of No. 11,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 24 BALDWIN  
 (Father of No. 12,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 25 \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Mother of No. 12,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 26 \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Father of No. 13,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 27 \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Mother of No. 13,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 28 WOODS  
 (Father of No. 14,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 29 \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Mother of No. 14,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 30 PERKINS  
 (Father of No. 15,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)  
 31 \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Mother of No. 15,  
 Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

4 Earl Alfred WILLBUR  
 (Father of No. 2)  
 b. 7 March 1883  
 p.b. Assyria Twp, Barry, MI  
 m. 25 August 1909, Michigan  
 d. 23 May 1950  
 p.d. Battle Creek, Calhoun, MI

2 Duane Thomas WILLBUR  
 (Father of No. 1)  
 b. 22 Sep 1910  
 p.b. Assyria Center, Calhoun, MI  
 m. \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. 15 Nov 1981  
 p.d. Battle Creek, Calhoun, Mich

5 Elsie M. THOMAS  
 (Mother of No. 2)  
 b. 19 June 1889  
 p.b. Barry, MICHIGAN  
 d. 7 September 1953  
 p.d. Battle Creek, Calhoun, MI  
 buried Barry Co., Michigan

1 Richard Thomas WILLBUR, Senior  
 b. 4 October 1943  
 p.b. Battle Creek, Calhoun, Michigan  
 m. #3, 4 July 1981, Myrtle Creek OR  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

3 Myrtle Irene BALDWIN  
 (Mother of No. 1)  
 b. 15 Jan 1915  
 p.b. \_\_\_\_\_ Michigan  
 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

7 Carrie Virginia WOODS  
 (Mother of No. 3)  
 b. 2 May 1889  
 p.b. \_\_\_\_\_  
 d. Oct 1957  
 p.d. Battle Creek, Calhoun, MI

#3, Lisbeth Ellerslie GILLY  
 (Spouse of No. 1)  
 b. 30 Nov 1944 d. \_\_\_\_\_  
 p.b. Iowa p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

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# Ancestor Chart

Name of Compiler L. (GILLY) Willbur Person No. 1 on this chart is the same  
Address P. O. Box 76-209 Laurel Av. person as No. \_\_\_\_\_ on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State Myrtle Creek, OR 97457  
Date 3 December 1991

Chart No. \_\_\_\_\_  
**WRIGHT**  
(Father of No. 8,  
Cont. on chart No. \_\_\_\_\_)

4 (BIRTH) **Jadson WRIGHT**  
(Father of No. 2)

b. \_\_\_\_\_  
p.b. \_\_\_\_\_  
m. before 1941  
d. \_\_\_\_\_  
p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

b. Date of Birth  
p.b. Place of Birth  
m. Date of Marriage  
d. Date of Death  
p.d. Place of Death

**Kenneth Eugene ANDERSON's birth**  
grand parents were **Jesse GARDNER and Eva Inez ANDERSON**. His adoptive parents were **John Edwin ANDERSON and Myrtle Grace COLBY**. John Edwin ANDERSON and Eva Inez ANDERSON were brother and sister

2 **Kenneth Eugene ANDERSON**  
(Father of No. 1)

b. 10 September 1942  
p.b. Lansing, Ingham, Michigan  
m. #1, 6 October 1962, Mich.  
d. 8 January 1992, (Cancer)  
p.d. Eaton Rapids, Eaton, Mich

5 **Elsie Norrine GARDNER**  
(BIRTH) (Mother of No. 2)

b. 20 August 1924  
p.b. Ingham Co., Michigan  
d. \_\_\_\_\_

(1) **Barbara Jean ANDERSON**  
born 18 Dec 1963  
**Robin Renee ANDERSON**  
born 15 Dec 1964  
**Grace Marie ANDERSON**  
born 10 Feb 1966  
**Theresa Lee ANDERSON**  
born 22 Feb 1967  
All 4 born Eaton Rapids, Eaton, Michigan

6 **Charles Louis GILLY**  
(Father of No. 3)

b. 20 August 1911  
p.b. Fairfield, Jefferson, Iowa  
m. 14 Jan 1938, Sep 1953  
d. 14 April 1970  
p.d. Traverse City, Michigan

3 **Lisbeth Ellerslie GILLY**  
(Mother of No. 1)

b. 30 November 1944  
p.b. Fairfield, Jefferson, Iowa  
d. \_\_\_\_\_  
p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

7 **(Elizabeth) Lisbeth Ellerslie DIDDLE**  
(Mother of No. 3)

b. 5 October 1914  
p.b. Jacksonville, Duvall, FLA  
d. 10 May 1984  
p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

(Spouse of No. 1)

b. \_\_\_\_\_  
p.b. \_\_\_\_\_

p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

8 **WRIGHT**  
(Father of No. 4)

b. \_\_\_\_\_  
p.b. \_\_\_\_\_  
m. \_\_\_\_\_  
d. \_\_\_\_\_  
p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

b. \_\_\_\_\_  
p.b. \_\_\_\_\_  
d. \_\_\_\_\_  
p.d. \_\_\_\_\_

10 **Jesse (Shorty) GARDNER**  
(Father of No. 5)

b. 14 September 1897  
p.b. Merrill, Michigan  
m. \_\_\_\_\_  
d. Thurs., 28 Feb 1957  
p.d. Lansing, Ingham, Mich.

11 **Eva Inez ANDERSON**  
(Mother of No. 5)

b. c1901  
p.b. Rimrock, Ohio  
d. Thurs., 1968  
p.d. Lansing, Ingham, Mich

12 **Louis Warren GILLY**  
(Father of No. 6)

b. 13 January 1886  
p.b. Hebron, Thayer, Nebraska  
m. 4 Mar 1911 & 1919  
d. 6 July 1962  
p.d. Fairfield, Jefferson, IA

13 **Edith Lorraine FISHER**  
(Mother of No. 6)

b. 25 February 1886  
p.b. Fairfield, Jefferson, Iowa  
d. 13 April 1920  
p.d. Fairfield, Jefferson, Iowa

14 **William Dallas DIDDLE**  
(Father of No. 7)

b. 20 January 1880  
p.b. Fairview, W. Virginia  
m. #2, 1905  
d. 29 May 1929  
p.d. Jacksonville, Florida

15 **Mary Elaine WALLACE**  
(Mother of No. 7)

b. 19 January 1881  
p.b. Apopka, Florida  
d. 20 August 1962  
p.d. Jacksonville, Florida

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Articles of Association  
 of the  
 "Town Line Church" of Brookfield  
 and Walton.

Whereas, George W. Sherman,  
 Ellen A. Sherman, Thomas  
 Sherman, and Catherine M.  
 Sherman, then of Walton, Eaton  
 County, Michigan, did by a  
 Lease dated March 2nd A. D. 1878  
 and recorded in the office of  
 the Register of Deeds in and for  
 said County on page 389 of  
 Liber 61 of Deeds, lease the land  
 therein described for the term  
 of Ninety Nine years to Henry  
 Mahan, Philip Croup, Smith  
 M. Troutner, Jason Bryan,  
 Jesse Hall and Marcus Hall  
 as Trustees of the "Town Line  
 Church" and to their successors  
 in office; said land to be  
 occupied for the purpose of  
 erecting thereon and main-  
 taining a house of worship  
 to be known as the "Town  
 Line Church" to be open to  
 all religious denominations  
 free of charge, and under  
 the control of the Trustees  
 aforesaid and their successors  
 in office.



Now therefore, for the purpose of carrying out the purpose and object of said lease, viz: the erecting and maintaining a house of Worship upon said land as aforesaid, and with a view of complying with the provisions of An Act of the Legislature of the State of Michigan entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of associations, conventions, conferences, or religious bodies, for literary, religious, or other benevolent purposes," Approved March 27, 1867. We the undersigned residents of said County of Eaton, do hereby associate ourselves in a body corporate, to be known as the Townline Church Association.

1st. The object of this Association shall be the erecting and maintaining a house of Worship upon said land to be known as the "Townline Church" and to be open to all religious denominations, free of charge and to be under the control of the Trustees named in said lease and

of their successors in office.

2nd. The Trustees of this Association until their successors shall be elected and qualified, shall be the Trustees named in said Lease, viz. Henry Mahan, Philip Croup, Smith M. Troutner, Jason Bryan, Jesse Hall and Marcus Hall.

3rd. In case of a vacancy in said Board of Trustees, caused by death, removal, resignation or failure for twenty days after election to accept, or refusal to act as Trustees, a majority of said Board shall have power to fill said vacancy by appointment until said vacancy can be filled by a regular election, as hereinafter provided.

4th. The persons signing and acknowledging the Articles of Association in the first instance, together with the Trustees above named, if they so elect and any person who resides within a radius of three miles



from the land leased for said Church, who will subscribe these Articles of Association in a book to be kept by the Secretary for that purpose shall become members thereof and shall be entitled to a vote at all of its meetings.

5th At each Annual Election in addition to filling all vacancies, two Trustees shall be elected for the term of three years, to be the successors of those above named beginning with the first two named in the above section 2. Their places to be filled at the first election hereafter, and so on through the list, in the order they are named, at each Annual Election. But each Trustee shall hold his office until his successor shall have filed his acceptance in writing with said Board. No person shall be eligible as Trustee unless a member of this Association. The Board of Trustees shall each year as soon as may be after the Annual Election elect from their own



number a Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer, who shall be Officers of the Board.

6th. The Annual Meetings of this Association shall be held between the hours of seven and ten P.M. of the first Monday of October of each year, at the Townline Church of this Association, Provided, that the Chairman and Secretary of said Board may, by 5 days written notice, publicly posted, one copy posted on said premises, call said Annual Meetings at the School House nearest to said Town Line Church, and provided farther that in case of failure to hold said Annual Meetings as aforesaid, a majority of said Board may call one by written notice as aforesaid at any other time within thirty days after the time hereinbefore fixed for the regular Annual Meeting.

7th. Said Town Line Church shall during the term of said lease be entirely subject to the control of said

## Board of Trustees.

In testimony whereof we  
have as incorporators and  
members of said Association  
hereunto set our hands  
this            day of February  
in the year One Thousand  
Eight Hundred and Seventy  
nine.

Eli Krebs  
David J. Ripley  
John Braman  
D. C. Kellogg  
Martillo A. Nye  
Frank Mills  
Charles Ritter  
S. R. Miller  
John Lynd  
James Bryan  
Geo. S. Croup  
Rock Roberts  
Michael Tolbert  
Daniel Bryan  
William Scott  
Richard Tolbert  
D. C. Walling  
Simon Bryan  
Homer Brown  
Horace Miller  
John Conberverse  
Robert Kellogg  
William Conberverse



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Eli Leak  
 Sebastian Loun  
 J. B. Barkdull  
 William Powers  
 Harvey Miller  
 Marion Ball  
 Nelson Ball  
 Jesse Sherman  
 W. H. Morse  
 Henry White  
 Lewis Ruber  
 William Conbervse Jr.  
 William Parr  
 A. M. Nye  
 C. E. Miller  
 Jonathan Wells  
 Joshua B. Fart  
 Aaron Sherman  
 Marcus Hall  
 Philip Croup  
 Henry Mahan  
 Jason W. Bryan  
 William Crabbe  
 J. D. Bryan  
 Alongo A. Van Black  
 Henry M. Hall  
 L. C. Miller  
 Charles Bryant  
 Jesse Sherman  
 Geo. W. Sherman  
 W. B. Williams  
 F. Pfister  
 W. M. Bryant  
 A. B. Bosler

Executed  
 and  
 signed.  
 the fore-  
 going artists  
 of Association



H. H. Bryan  
 Ernest Jaquette  
 Ira Angler  
 Anastas Krebs  
 W. J. East  
 Effie Burnett  
 Mary A. Nye  
 Carl M. Nye  
 Paul M. Nye  
 Jesse Krebs  
 Albert Melvin  
 L. A. Parr  
 R. May Vahs  
 Eula Johnson  
 E. H. Mitchell  
 Rena M. Frost  
 W. H. Burnett  
 John S. Southward  
 Carl E. Southward  
 Nick Porras  
 Chas. Lynd  
 Edward Southward  
 Carl Southward  
 Nahum Barnes  
 Maynard Frost  
 Wescor Lynd  
 Mary Angler  
 Mary Krebs  
 Melita Southward  
 Maylie Burnett  
 Carter Johnson  
 Frank Schroth  
 Fred Sharnan

Alta Frost  
 West & Schellenbarger  
 Mabel Lildart  
 Ida Peters  
 Anna Southward  
 Emma Poyers  
 M. Ann Southward  
 Lyle W. Peters

## DIST. NO. 2, WALTON.

FALL TERM—1890. SEPT. 9 TO NOV. 15.

### —PUPILS.—

MYRTLE PATCHIN,	WALTER GALUSHA.
FLORENCE RANSAW.	CLIFFORD HINES,
ANNA HACKSTAFF,	LELE KNAPP,
ORRIE COATS.	ROY STARR.
	GERTRUDE MATTISON.
MERTON CRAMPTON.	LEE REASONER.
LAURA PATCHIN.	ROY GALUSHA.
LULU MATTISON.	NETTIE MATTISON,
AURABELL CONANT.	ANDREW VANDERHOOF.
GRACE GALUSHA.	
FLORENCE GALUSHA.	

"He who has the truest heart is the richest of us all."

ALICE O'NEIL, TEACHER.

This is the beginning of a series listing the Eaton County Genealogical Society's collection. During the year 1991, all items in our library/archives were inventoried and cataloged. The following is a printout of the results. The catalog is divided into three sections: General, County and Township, and contains more than 100 pages of material. We begin the series with Section One: General Sources.

Eaton County Genealogical Society  
100 W. Lawrence Avenue  
Charlotte, Michigan 48813

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- 3) TOWNSHIP RESOURCES

Compiled, Jan 1991-Jan 1992, by Joyce Marple Liepins

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"FRENCH-ENGLISH; ENGLISH-FRENCH DICTIONARY," by Marguerite-Marie Dubois and others, 1973.  
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LIST OF CENSUS FILMS AVAILABLE AT THE LIBRARY OF MICHIGAN, LANSING, MI. (VF252)

LIST OF EATON COUNTY MATERIAL AVAILABLE AT THE LIBRARY OF MICHIGAN, compiled 1990. (VF251)

LIST OF EATON COUNTY MATERIAL AVAILABLE ON MICROFILM THROUGH FAMILY HISTORY CENTER, EAST LANSING, MI. (VF303)

LIST OF FAMILY HISTORY CENTER LOCATIONS IN NORTH CENTRAL STATES. (VF293)

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"EUROPE SINCE 1815," by Charles Downer Hazen, 1910. (100.7)

"THE FRENCH FOREIGN LEGION," by Wyatt Blassingame, 1955. (100.10)

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"MASONIC SOLDIERS OF FORTUNE," by William M. Stuart, Grand Lodge F. & A.M. New York, pub. 1928. (100.11)

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"BEGINNING YOUR FAMILY HISTORY IN GREAT BRITAIN," by George Pelling, 1989. (200.12)

"CATALOGUE OF REVOLUTIONARY WAR PENSION & BOUNTY LAND-WARRANT APPLICATION FILES" American Rev. War Service Records & General Index- Available through the National Archives Microfilm Rental Program. Publication M804. (400.8)

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COMPUTERS AND GENEALOGY, folder containing 1) "Genealogical Computing" 1989 Genealogical Software Directory; 2) Information on bulletin boards. (VF196)

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## MISCELLANY PAGE

### ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1992

Our January meeting was the scene of the election of 1992 officers. Your new officers are:

President-	Jeff Warren
Vice President-	Robert D. Haigh
Corresponding Secretary-	Drouscella Halsey
Recording Secretary-	Debra Eddy
Treasurer-	Nancy Jourden
Publicity-	Betty Jackson
Council Member-	Jeannine Parker
Council Member-	Gary Copenhaver
Council Alternate-	Sandra Mick
Historian-	Sheila Mott

### NEW PROBATE MICROFILMS

We are pleased to announce we have received the order we placed in January for 28 microfilms of the Eaton County Probate Court records. Our goal is to purchase, over a period of time and as money allows, the set of microfilm containing the probate records for 1838 to 1900. As our collection already contains the 'original' packets for 1900 and after, we do not have to purchase the films for those later years. The films just received are for the general probate index (1838-1972) and the records for the years 1838 to 1873 (packet numbers A1 thru A1075).

The cost of the 28 films was \$350.00, through the Genealogical Society of Utah. When we feel we are financially able, we will order another batch. As there are over 100 more microfilms needed to complete the set to 1900, it may take us a while to acquire them all, but at least we have a nice start.

### 1920 FEDERAL CENSUS ON ITS WAY

The 1920 federal census is to be released this month. We put in our order last summer for the reel containing Eaton County, and so should receive it as soon as they are able to start mailing them out. We also ordered a stack of 1920 census extraction forms for your convenience and these are in our library and can be purchased.

We anticipate a flood a mail requests to look up families in this newly released census. We would be most happy to provide this service, but as you know it will be done by volunteers and will be a tedious job because we have no index to this census and the townships will have to be scanned page by page. Therefore we have decided to charge a very small fee for looking up the name. Those of you who live too far away to come in to use the film, but need a name/family looked up, can proceed this way:

- 1- Send the full name of the person you are searching for
- 2- Give the town/township/city that you know or suspect them living in
- 3- Send \$2 per search (\$2 per each individual/family you are searching for; if you are unsure what township the person was living in, you need to send \$2 for each township you want searched.)

### LIBRARY MAP

Now that the inventory and cataloging of our collection is completed, I decided one more thing was needed....a map to show a person where to locate an item after they find its number in the catalog. When using these tools together, a patron should be able to find their resources without much assistance.

### DONATIONS STILL APPRECIATED

After the appeal last Fall for donations to apply towards the photocopy machine loan, we received quite a few responses, for which we are very grateful. We have been making double payments on the loan since November. The members are working hard to produce income to cover all we are trying to accomplish.

Our income comes from:

1. membership dues
2. compilation and production of research material for sale, such as our cemetery series, surname directory, 1840 Eaton Co. census index, etc.
3. annual Spring workshop
4. rummage sales
5. vending at book fair
6. Community Cash program
7. donations

Our expenses are actually of two varieties: necessary and "self-induced". The necessary ones are the typical room supplies, workshop expenses such as speaker's fees, refreshments, advertisement, purchasing archival supplies to protect and preserve some of the more fragile parts of our collection, file drawers, shelving, etc. "Self-induced" expenses are those such as buying new books and microfilms for our library, equipment such as film/fiche readers, and any such purchases that result in expansion.

The growth of the library and archives of our society is of utmost importance. In order to supply researchers with material they are seeking, we need to be able to acquire that material. Some valuable sources come to us by way of donation, but much of what we need is available only through purchase.

We have a few needs currently that we are struggling with. We have been given space by the Historical Commission which would allow us to bring several hundred probate boxes full of packets down from the 3rd floor attic for our patrons to use. Our problem is, we do not have enough money at this time to purchase the shelving units needed to store the probate boxes on. So, until we are able to do that, the probates stay in the attic, useless to anyone. Our second situation is that, with the purchase of about 50 new microfilms during the last year and more patrons using them, we may need to see about purchasing a second microfilm reader. This is not as pressing as the shelving for the probates, but it may become more urgent as time passes.

Please support our society in any way you are able, whether it be by attending our workshops, purchasing our publications, or by sending a small donation periodically. If our income is only sufficient to cover our necessary expenses, it leaves us with very little to apply towards continued growth.

### SPRING WORKSHOP

Our annual workshop will be held May 16, 1992. Our speakers are Loretto "Lou" Dennis Szucs, an Archives Specialist at the National Archives-Great Lakes Region, who will speak on 1) using the Regional Branch Archives; 2) urban



research; and 3) genealogy by correspondence, and Shirley Hodges, a Community Education Instructor, and Guest Lecturer, who will speak on genealogy and genetics. Coffee hour and registration is 8:00 - 10:00, first class starts at 10:00, last class ends at 3:45. Cost is \$12 in advance, or \$15 at the door. Seating is limited so reserve early. Drop us a line if you would like us to send you a registration form.

## QUERIES

Queries are accepted free and will be published in each issue as space permits. If you have a query to submit, please type or print clearly and send it to Joyce Liepins, 326 Lansing Rd., R#7, Charlotte, MI 48813.

VanLIEW  
SWEET  
GILMORE  
WRIGHT  
WELLS  
PHILLIPS  
WHITNEY

Need any info on Amanda VanLIEW b. 1852 Ohio and married John W. SWEET in Saginaw Feb. 1873. In 1860 Salsburg VanLIEW and his family are in DeWitt, Clinton Co., Mich., and John W. SWEET was in Eagle Twp., Clinton Co., Mich. Also would like information on the children of Lydia SWEET and Alfred Joseph GILMORE who lived in Grand Ledge, Eaton Co., Mich. in 1911 when Lydia died. Mary GILMORE WRIGHT, Myrtle GILMORE WELLS, Maggie GILMORE PHILLIPS, Maud GILMORE, Jennie GILMORE WHITNEY, John T. GILMORE, and Charles Edward GILMORE. Would like to find more on Lydia's lineage- her parents were Peleg L. SWEET and Lucy WELLS who married 1845 in Westphalia Twp., Ingham Co., Mich.

OTTO  
SMITH

Also-  
Need information on Stephen OTTO that lived in Sebawa Twp., Ionia Co., Mich. ca. 1900 and later moved to Lansing. He married Hannah SMITH and they had twins Olaf and Ola OTTO. No further info on Stephen or his brother John OTTO.  
Janet Sweet Badder, 3352 Croel Road, Ionia, MI 48846

TRUESDELL  
TRUESDALE  
TROUSDALE

TRUESDELL/TRUESDALE/TROUSDALE- Wish to reach all descendants and researchers to share and exchange information.  
Diane Truesdell Loy, 6551 S. Oakmont, Chandler, AZ 85249

RIPLEY  
STODDARD

Looking for the name of triplets- 1 girl & 2 boys- born to Whitman K. and Mary L. (RIPLEY) STODDARD. They were born in Walton Twp., Eaton Co., Mich. on 24 Jan 1867. The girl died at birth or shortly after. One of the boys died 1 Mar 1867 and one on 2 Mar 1867. Names cannot be made out on their marker in the Olivet Cemetery.  
Shelia Mott, 2613 Bellevue Hwy., Olivet, MI 49076

STEVENS

Seeking information on, and wish to correspond with any interested party of, the STEVENS family of Bellevue township. Their migration pattern was: Stamford, Fairfield Co., Conn. to Caroline, Tompkins Co., New York to New London, Huron Co., Ohio to Bellevue, Eaton Co., Michigan. William H. STEVENS (1818-1863), Lewis L. STEVENS (1823-1905), and their half-brother Edwin C. (1833-1897). Who was the mother of William H. and

Lewis L.? How was William's wife Betsey (nee **STEVENS**) related?  
 What became of her parents Weed and Susan **STEVENS**?  
 Lawrence Templeton, P.O. Box 5524, Mansfield, Ohio 44901

BENTLEY  
 COMSTOCK

Would like any information on Gideon **BENTLEY**, an early pioneer  
 builder of homes and barns in Eaton Co., Mich. from 1854 to  
 1873. Gideon was born 28 Jan 1824 in Ontario Co., N.Y., parents  
 unknown. He married ca. 1845 in New York, Mary Susan **COMSTOCK**,  
 and died 19 June 1924 in Grand Rapids, Kent Co., Mich.  
 Kathey Velting, 5166 Maple Creek SE, Kentwood, MI 49508

GOULD  
 FLETCHER

Looking for siblings of Carrie Estelle **GOULD**. She had a brother  
 whose initials were J.V., another brother and a sister. These  
 were the children of James J. **GOULD**, born 1 Sept 1823, possibly  
 in Tomkins Co., N.Y., moved to Kalamo vicinity in 1850's, died 1  
 Mar 1909 in Eaton Co., Mich., and Adelia L. **FLETCHER**, born 18  
 Aug 1828, probably in New York, married James J. **GOULD** Sept 1845  
 prob. in Tomkins Co., N.Y., died 28 Feb 1890 in Eaton Co., Mich.  
 (Charles, Mary &/or "Lib"/Elizabeth/Libby **FLETCHER** were siblings  
 or cousins of Adelia.)

FLETCHER  
 ALLEN

Also-  
 Early pioneers of Michigan Territory in early 1800's were Moses  
 and John **ALLEN** (brothers), and John W. **FLETCHER**. These pioneers  
 were possibly related to Adelia L. **FLETCHER**.  
 Michael T. Wahl, 4 Todmorden Lane, Wallingford, PA 19086-6729

ANDERSON  
 MCCLINTIC  
 RIPLEY  
 COLBY  
 PANEK  
 GARDNER  
 SCHOENING  
 CUTTER  
 DEWITT  
 BURKWALT  
 MCCOLLUM  
 CARMONDY

Query #1:  
 Would like to know the names of the parents of both Oral Edwin  
**ANDERSON**, born 1876, died March 1941, buried in Bosworth  
 Cemetery on 13 March, Eaton County, Mich., and his wife Laura  
 Mae **MCCLINTIC ANDERSON**, born 1876, died 19 May 1952, buried 21  
 May, also in Bosworth Cemetery. Oral and Laura had at least ten  
 children: Olive **ANDERSON** who married Harry **RIPLEY** on 15 Sept  
 1915 in Charlotte, Eaton Co., Mich.; John Edwin **ANDERSON** who  
 married Myrtle Grace **COLBY PANEK** and died Feb. 1975 in Eaton  
 Rapids, Eaton Co., Mich., and buried in Dimondale, Mich.; Eva  
 Inez **ANDERSON** who married Jesse (Shorty) **GARDNER** and died about  
 1968 in Lansing, Ingham Co., Mich. (my four daughter's line);  
 Amanda **ANDERSON** who married Milt **SCHOENING**; Imogene **ANDERSON**  
 who married Russell **CUTTER**; Ruth Alice **ANDERSON** who married  
 John L. **DEWITT** 1926 and died 31 Jan 1992 in Lansing, Ingham Co.,  
 Mich.; Oral P. (Mike) **ANDERSON** who died 8 Aug 1959 in Olivet,  
 Mich.; Edith **ANDERSON** who married William Henry **BURKWALT** and  
 died 3 Feb 1935; Lewis **ANDERSON** who married Agnes Maxine  
**MCCOLLUM**; and Clara **ANDERSON** who married a **CARMONDY** and died  
 before 1959. Would like to hear from descendants of all the  
 above people.

BALDWIN  
 WOODS  
 WILLBUR  
 WILBUR

Query #2:  
 Would like to hear from anyone who is a descendant of Dennis  
 Monro **BALDWIN**, born 11 Oct 1863 and died 1947 in Battle Creek,  
 Calhoun Co., Mich., and 1st wife, and his second wife Carrie  
 Virginia **WOODS**, born 2 May 1889 and died Oct. 1957 in Battle  
 Creek, Calhoun Co., Mich. Dennis and Carrie had Myrtle Irene  
**BALDWIN**, born 15 Jan 1915 in Mich. Myrtle married Duane Thomas  
**WILLBUR** (son of Earl Alfred **WILLBUR** and Elsie M. **THOMAS**,

THOMAS  
COMAN  
COOMAN  
COLMAN  
FISHBURN  
BELLOS  
BELLOWS  
SHEPHARD

grandson of Flavius Josephus WILLBUR and Amelia Mandana COMAN/  
COOMAN/COLMAN and grandson of Benjamin Franklin THOMAS and  
Myra/Marie C. FISHBURN, gr. grandson of Edwin WILLBUR/WILBUR and  
Eunice S. BELLOS/BELLOWS and gr. grandson of Jerome COMAN/  
COOMAN/COLMAN and Sophia SHEPHARD). Would like to hear from  
people researching WILLBUR, BELLOS/BELLOWS, COMAN/COOMAN/  
COLMAN, SHEPHARD, THOMAS FISHBURN. Edwin WILLBUR/WILBUR, Eunice  
S. BELLOS/BELLOWS and Flavius Josephus WILLBUR all died in Barry  
Co., Mich. Amanda Manda COMAN/COOMAN/COLMAN was born in Howard  
City, Pennfield, Mich., and died in Mich., possibly Barry Co.  
Lisbeth E. Willbur, P.O. Box 76, Myrtle Creek, OR 97457

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WW II  
ORPHANS  
NETWORK

Of Interest-

THE AMERICAN WWII ORPHANS NETWORK, P.O. Box 4369, Bellingham, WA  
98227 (phone 206-733-1678) was established to meet the needs of  
sons and daughters who are searching for information about their  
fathers and who wish to share their experience with others like  
themselves. The network provides a locating service to put WWII  
Orphans in touch with war buddies, friends and family. Their  
goal is to locate every American WWII Orphan and enter them,  
with their fathers, in their data base.

The network also provides information on how to locate  
veterans records, they publish a newsletter, and are attempting  
to locate all memorials across the U.S. which list WWII  
casualties and to make this information accessible to the  
network and the public.

Entry into the data base and the locating service is free  
to all who wish to participate. The network is a non profit,  
non political organization and totally dependent on contribu-  
tions from members and friends.