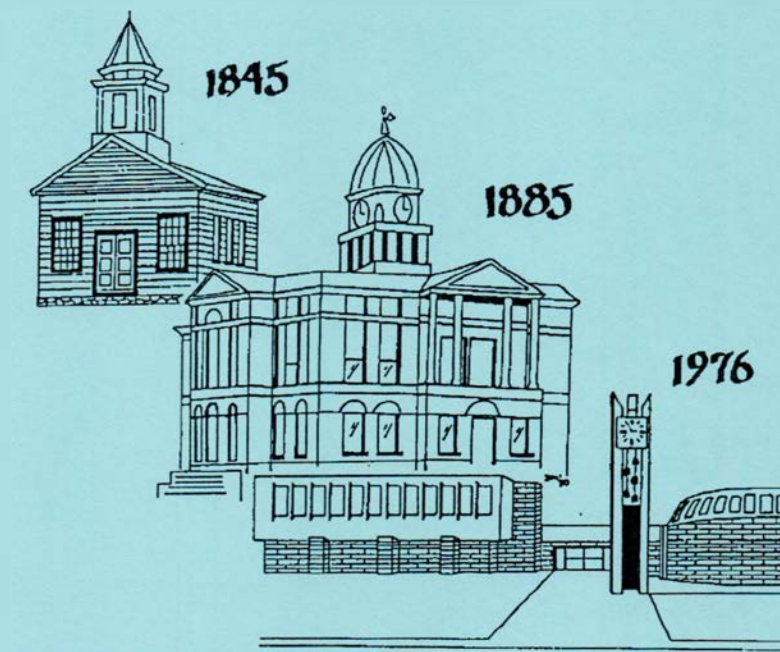


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*Memorial Booklet*  
*honoring the deceased*  
*Virginia F. Sherman Preston - 1875-1896*

Front cover:

IN MEMORY  
OF

*Virginia Preston*

*Asleep in Jesus! far from thee,  
Thy kindred and their graves may be,  
But thine is still a blessed sleep,  
From which none ever wakes to weep.*

Page 1:

*Virginia Preston*

*Virginia F. Sherman Preston was born in Charlotte, Mich., April 25, 1875. She was always a very sweet and good child when a little thing, and as she grew older ever remained so. She had a very strong will, and if she undertook to do anything was sure to succeed. We used to say sometimes that she was stubborn, but it was only firmness; one good thing about her she was always firm in the right. I was never afraid to trust her, for she seemed always to have that right principle about her, that I felt sure would keep her from anything wrong. No one was ever hurt by associating with her, and she had friends among all classes; the old and young, boys and girls alike. Even her young men friends would counsel and consult with Vinnie as they might with an elder sister. How many will remember her kind words. She was very fond of poetry and had written many pieces a few of which are found in this little booklet.*

*She was never very strong, but would not give up to bodily pain when many times it would have been the best to do so. Always busy; even now the neighbors will speak of how she used to fly past to and from her work, rain or shine, she was always ready.*

*She was taken sick in March, and July 28, 1896\*, just after midnight, she left us for a better home. She was not afraid to go. A few days before we had a long talk. I said, "O, Vinnie, you'll come back to your poor old lonesome mother, won't you?" Said she, "I will if I*

can, ma, but it may be so that I can't, but if I cannot come back to you, you and Minnie can come where I am; and even if I cannot come back, I can tell them all how much you have needed them this summer to help take care of me. I am sure I can do that. I shall see them all, pa, and Harry and grandma and all of them." Then she told me what to do with her things. "Give my Bible and set ring to Minnie, and the other ring to Bessie, and my Shakespeare to Ernest and give everyone some little notion of mine, and tell aunt Chloe I want her to dress me and Minnie to fix my hair." It broke our hearts to hear her talk so, but she was so calm through it all. "Don't go about crying for me after I am gone. It is nothing. I am no more afraid than I would be to get up and walk into the other room." Then she wanted me to read the Psalm where it says, "The Lord is my shepherd." When I got to "Yea though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil" she said "He will hold my hand when you let go; but, ma, hold my hand just as long as you can."

Was anything ever more pitiful to break a poor mother's heart? But I will not say more. We think of her only to love her more and more. She certainly did do her share of good while she lived her short life, and even now I feel her presence ever near, and could not do or even think a thing to grieve her. She lived a blameless life and did not die; such sweet spirits never die. We shall see her soon.

\* The death date of 1896 should be 1897 (per d.r./obit.)

M. ADELAIDE PRESTON

*Skipping on to Page 4. Poems written by Virginia Preston:*

You've asked me to write  
For your pleasure tonight  
An essay on something concerning  
The every day facts  
That a book often lacks  
Though written by people of learning.

So now at your call  
I will ask you all  
If you have any patience to show it,  
For here is some verse  
And it couldn't be worse.  
But they're facts by an amateur poet.

For a subject I'll take  
One far famed for her cake  
That fills you with joy if you try it,

It is light, it is nice,  
You want more than one slice.  
(I'm afraid the poor chicks would deny it).

But now I will say  
She is happy and gay  
With a temper that's pleasant and sunny,  
With eyes blue and bright  
And she brings us delight  
For we think she's a real lump of honey.

She is sweet as a rose  
And wherever she goes  
Admirers in plenty are flocking,  
But how sad 'tis to find  
That her absence of mind  
Is the cause of adventures most shocking.



*Both she and her brother  
Have worried their mother  
Till life seems hardly worth living,  
Which falling no doubt  
Has surely brought about  
The facts I am now about giving.*

*And so on one day  
When mother was away  
And Henry had gone out a driving,  
She proceeded to make  
A sweet little cake,  
As such plans she was always contriving.*

*With raisins and spice  
And everything nice  
She hurried about and mixed it,  
But on tasting the dough  
She cried out "Oh! Oh!  
I've used salt for sugar; that's fixed it."*

*"Oh! what a mistake  
With my beautiful cake"  
Cried poor distracted Miss Holden,  
So she took up the pan  
To the hen coop she ran  
Thinking thus to escape a scoldin'.*

*"Here, chicky! chick! chick!  
Come gobble this quick"  
She called to the innocent chickens.  
They came at her call,  
They devoured it all  
But it killed them as dead as the dickens.*

*But she did not wait  
To witness the fate  
Of any duck, chicken or turkey,  
But another fine cake  
She proceeded to make  
With motions quite nervous and jerky.*

*This time 'twas all right  
And a most tempting sight  
As into the oven she shoved it,  
For she knew that her folks  
Though they relished good jokes,  
Far better a good cake they loved it.*

*But alas! for her peace,  
Hens, turkeys and geese  
By this time were all dead or dying,  
For her father came in  
And she heard a great din  
Mother, brothers, all talking and crying.*

*"Oh, what's this about?"  
She managed to shout.  
"What in the world is the matter?"  
Then everyone cried  
"The poor fowls have died  
From eating your salted cake batter."*

*But worst of it all  
Mr. Henry does call  
"Come out to the coop in a hurry."  
So she starts with a pan  
And a shovel in hand  
And proceeds the poor chickens to bury.*

*They proceeded to dig  
A grave wide and big  
For those she had murdered so foully,  
Then she went to the house  
As sly as a mouse  
While her brother was angry and growly.*

*Her nerves were unstrung  
As Claudius Young  
Appeared to console and to cheer her.  
Said he "Do not cry,  
For these troubles will fly,  
And to me you are better and dearer."*

Then she gives a great sigh  
 As she makes the reply  
 "Oh! my handkerchief never is handy."  
 But he finds her his own  
 And gives her the loan  
 Saying, "Take this, for it is a dandy."

Now we leave her alone  
 As she reads "Turkey Tom"  
 And "The Doom of Red Haired Bobby."  
 Though Edith and Maude  
 And Clarence and Claude  
 All disapprove of her hobby.

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There's nothing on earth pleases Rauser so well  
 As the shriek of the whistle and the clang of the bell  
 That awakens the city from slumber at night  
 And calls the boys out a fire to fight.  
 He thinks a big fire the greatest of fun,  
 All coatless and hatless he starts on a run,  
 In the thickest of smoke and the hottest of fire  
 Is his happiest hope and his greatest desire.  
 When the blaze is out and the fire is done,  
 And roll call is over, he's finished the fun.  
 Then he looks at his chum and winks his left eye  
 Saying, "Come on, Jack, I'm very dry,"  
 "I've been to the fire and received my cash,"  
 So down the back alley they start with a dash.  
 But as this is a town where no liquors are sold  
 I suppose they got none in spite of their gold,  
 For I saw them come back with a hop, skip & jump,  
 And take a big drink at the old city pump.

Charlotte, Mich., February 27, 1896

(Editor's note - Mr. Rauser was a newspaper man)

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*A Sleighride Under Difficulties*  
 Sixteen happy faces  
 Gazed out upon the snow  
 On the seventeenth of January  
 For a sleighride they must go.

A good stout team was hired,  
 In the bobs they snuggled down,  
 It was just exactly seven  
 As the load was leaving town.

The sleighing it was very good  
 For the first two miles or so,  
 And then, Oh! then we gazed around  
 Looking for some snow.

Those horses pulled us right along -  
 Scarcely could they be held back,  
 Although the ground most all the way  
 Was bare of snow along the track.

Those merry voices ceased to ring  
 When nine miles out of town,  
 When a sudden stop convinced us  
 The harness had broken down.

A farmer then came to our aid  
 With harness new and strong,  
 And soon the crowd were on the way  
 With merry shout and song.

On, on that team was speeding,  
 The sleigh-bells jingling loud,  
 Many voices were there singing  
 For it was a merry crowd.

"How much longer must we travel?  
 Bellevue surely must be near."  
 "Four miles further," said the driver,  
 "We'll soon be there, never fear."

*Crash! crash! that very moment,  
"Now, what's happened?" they all shout.  
"The runner's broken." someone answered,  
And everyone of us climbed out.*

*In the snow we stood and argued  
Knowing not what we could do,  
When a wagon someone borrowed  
And that wagon took us through.*

*But I haven't told you all, yet,  
A young man got in to drive.  
He said he knew the safest road  
And in Bellevue we'd soon arrive.*

*Seventeen our load now numbers,  
The horses now must rest awhile.  
The boys climbed out, and close behind us  
Up the road they walked a mile.*

*Two miles more those boys must travel  
Down the railroad track they went,  
While us girls rode in the wagon  
And soon in Bellevue we met.*

*'Twas eleven when we reached there,  
All the hotel doors were closed,  
But they soon were thrown open  
The folks waked from sweet repose.*

*The horses were well cared for  
And would have a needed rest,  
While the crowd would make an effort  
To stop the fast train from the west.*

*Our fine supper I must mention  
Ere my story I pursue,  
At twelve o'clock you might have seen us  
Eating of an oyster stew.*

*If you're hungry, just remember  
E.J. Holland clean and neat,  
Will serve you in the latest style,  
And give you everything to eat.*

*About that train I s'pose you're wond'ring,  
Telegrams were sent ahead,  
But those cars whizzed by like lightning,  
And everyone of us was mad.*

*The crowd in the hotel office  
Argued there till four,  
Then two couples started homeward,  
The horses could not carry more.*

*The rest remained till morning,  
And as our train went whizzing by,  
That lumber wagon pulled in town,  
'Twas seen by every eye.*

*Only three of all that crowd  
Had grit enough to work all day,  
With open eyes but sleepy brain  
They passed the weary hours away.*

*My friends, I must advise you  
If you ever for a sleighride go,  
Don't be quite so anxious;  
Bobs run better where there's snow.*

*Charlotte, Mich., May, 1897*

*~~~~~*  
***The Republican Force***

*Charlotte, Mich., Feb. 22, '97*

*Editor Bissell, I've been thinking,  
Down in Ohio you might do,  
But up in Michigan folks know better,  
And you'd better "tumble" too.*



*Mr. Colvin, I've been thinking,  
If your wife does not return  
You will have to do some sweeping  
And to cook you'll have to learn.*

*Bessie, Bessie, I've been thinking,  
If snow does not appear  
That our sleighing will be ended,  
What do you think, Bessie dear?*

*Vinnie, Vinnie, I've been thinking,  
How very hungry you must be,  
So the office has decided  
Oysters is the lunch for thee.*

*Now Bess and Vinnie, I've been thinking,  
At the "game of gab" you're very good,  
But Mr. Bissell does not like it,  
And you'd better not be so rude.*

*Mr. Willison, I've been thinking,  
If Chicago you should see,  
That temptations would be greater,  
Do you not agree with me?*

*Franklin, Franklin, I've been thinking,  
That next time a job you had,  
You would know enough to keep it,  
That's what Brother Bissell said.*

*Freddie Foster, I've been thinking,  
That if Joe does not come home,  
You will be so dreadful lonesome  
You will not know where to roam.*

*Bernard Peters, I've been thinking,  
We would like to have you sweep,  
But of course, we'll have to give you  
Time enough to take a sleep.*

*Now brother printers, I've been thinking,  
How I've wasted precious time,  
And to tell you all my faults  
It would take a longer rhyme.*

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(End of Memorial Booklet)  
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Your editor did a little research on the brief life of Virginia Preston and retrieved the following records: Eaton County Death Record, volume 3, page 60, record #119 ~ Virginia F.S. Preston, died 28 July 1897, female, white, single, age 22 years 3 months 3 days, in Charlotte, of Consumption, occupation: Composition, born: Michigan, parents: Elisaph A. Preston (deceased) and M. Adalaide Preston (residence Charlotte, Mich.). Recorded 29 Aug 1898.

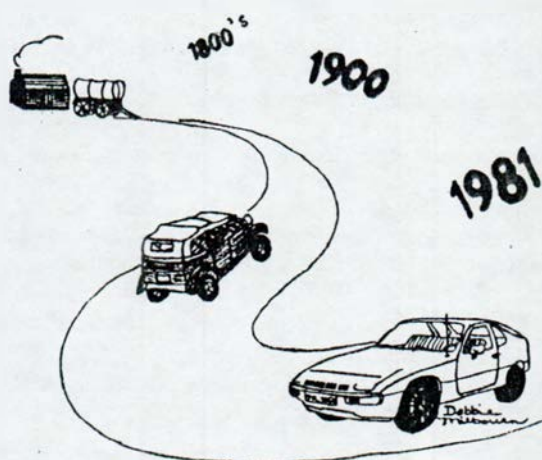
An article in the 18 Dec 1975 Charlotte Republican-Tribune ("Glancing Back," written by Robert B. Collins) concerns a photograph taken about 1893, sent in by George R. Wildren in 1958 showing the interior of the Republican-Tribune newspaper office & 12 employees. Virginia Preston is one of the ladies in the photo. George Wildren (who was an employee in 1893 and is included in the photo) says: "Virginia Preston, called 'Ginnie,' died young. She was the sister of Roy who became a leading Charlotte banker."

Obit., Charlotte Tribune, 28 Jul 1897: PRESTON- at her home, in this city, Wednesday, July 28, 1897, at one o'clock a.m., after a lingering decline following pneumonia, Miss Virginia F.S. Preston, youngest daughter of Mrs. M. A. Preston, aged 22 yrs., 3 mos. and 3 days. The life of our young friend has been spent in this city, where she was well known and beloved for her many graces of spirit. She had been a newspaper compositor for several years, working on the several city papers to the time of her illness. In her various relations in life; in the home circle, at school, among her fellow workers, in church, and young people's societies she lived nobly and formed abiding friendships. Many hearts are sad at this early separation, and the tenderest sympathy is felt for the mother, brother and sister who will feel the loss most. She knew the separation was inevitable, and talked freely and calmly to her mother about it, and gave directions concerning the disposition of personal belongings among her friends, and for her funeral, which will be held at the residence, tomorrow at 10:30 a.m. (End)

The A.S. Williams G.A.R. Post #40 of Charlotte Roster shows: Elisaph Preston, Co. D 7th Mich. Cavalry.

## ~ The Past Well Traveled ~

So many roads that we travel today in Eaton County and I suppose any county, city, or state are named after someone ~ an early settler or prominent citizen of earlier times. Sometimes we know the ancestors of a forebearers for whom a road is named after. However, quite often, depending upon the family lines of migration, they no longer have any living ancestors in the area to remind us of the family.



Let's take Mr. Spice and see who he was. Amos Spicer, and his brother Pierpoint, left Ohio for Michigan about the first of November 1835. Once in Michigan they looked for land adjacent to a stream that would develop enough water power to operate a saw and grist mill. They reached the place where two streams met. Spicer observed this was a wonderful setting for an industrial center and that a town of some prominence would be located there some day. They filed claim on the land they had selected before some speculator could jump the same, and returned to Ohio for supplies and their families. It was about the middle of April when the Spicer family, consisting of Amos, Eunice, Freddie, Ben, Althea and their baby again left for Michigan.

The first thing on Amos' mind was building the saw mill, erecting the dam and excavating the race. Amos had enough men in his employ to work on all projects at one time.

Just why a certain road was named after someone I suppose could tell us quite a bit about that person. Early roads were probably named after many prominent farmers who owned a considerable amount of land, and perhaps even maintained the road to their property. Others were named for merchants, judges, politicians (local, state and county). Eaton County, for instance, was named after John H. Eaton who was Secretary of War in Andrew Jackson's cabinet. The Legislative Council of Michigan passed an act forming the county of Eaton and 12 other counties on the 29th day of October 1829. All these counties were named after members of Jackson's cabinet also.

Eaton County was first a township by the name of Belleville and was attached to Calhoun County for judicial purposes. Eaton became a county before Michigan became a state. Michigan was at first in the Northwest Territory, then Indiana Territory, and in 1805 was organized as Michigan Territory. Michigan was not proclaimed a state until January 1837, some eight years after the county of Eaton was formed.

Some roads named after early settlers were Spicerville (Spicer), Kinneville (Kinne), Ackley, Toles, Peck, Smith, Santee, and Shance. Each time we travel the older Eaton County roads we are traveling on a part of our history, our past. These are the names of earlier men and their families who braved a new world and left a mark for their efforts and hardships.

*~ Written & submitted by Barbara Puffenberger, ECGS member ~*

The following is a continuation of the series on "Eaton County Teachers' Institute Fees And Vouchers- 1889-1905." This segment deals with the Fees and Vouchers for the year 1895.

## Eaton County Teacher's Institute Fees and Vouchers for the year 1895

Copied by Joyce Liepins, 24 Mar 1994

**\*Note- Names are not necessarily alphabetical. I have entered them in the order they're recorded**

Office of Board of School Examiners, Eaton County, Charlotte, Mich., 29 March 1895

To the Treasurer of Eaton County, Mich.:

Herein is a Report of Teacher's Institute Fees collected in this County during the quarter ending 29 March 1895.

You will find enclosed \$92.00, as below specified, which you will credit to the Teachers' Institute Fund of this County. Please file in your office, and fill and sign the three accompanying receipts, of which you will file one with the County Clerk, and return the remaining two to me.

Respectfully,

*J. L. Wagner*, Commissioner, Post Office- Charlotte

<u>Names of Persons Paying Fees</u>	<u>P.O. Addresses</u>	<u>Date of Examin.</u> <u>Cert. or Contract</u>	<u>Grade of Certificate</u> <u>Or write "none"</u>	<u>Date of Expiration</u> <u>of Cert./Contract</u>	<u>Amt. of Fee Pd.</u>
Lena Jones	Charlotte	22 Feb '95	none		.50
Allie Huber	"	"	"		.50
Jessie Huber	"	"	"		.50
Ella McCormac	"	"	3	1896	.50
Stella Garm	"	"	none		.50
Levi Raidle	"	"	3	1896	1.00
Addie B. McConnell	"	"	3	"	.50
Floyd Straight	"	"	3	"	1.00
Della Milbourn	Eaton Rapids	"	none		.50
Harry Kirk	Chester	"	"		1.00
Edson Baker	"	"	3	1896	1.00
Alice Elliot	"	"	none		.50
Martha Baker	"	"	"		.50
Sylvia Briggs	"	"	"		.50
Mrs. F.M. Ames	"	"	3	1896	.50
Perry Remalia	Olivet	"	none		1.00
J.A. Tomlinson	"	"	3	1896	1.00
V.B. Wheaton	Roxana	"	3	"	1.00
Nina Blazier	"	"	3	"	.50
Chas. L. McKinis	Nashville	"	none		1.00
Thomas Mason	"	"	"		1.00
Nettie Walch	Bismarck	"	"		.50
Hattie Smith	"	"	"		.50
Cora Nye Curtis	Kalamo	"	"		.50
Lizzie Fenn	Grand Ledge	"	"		.50
Iva M. Whelpley	"	"	"		.50
Julia Murphy	Sunfield	"	"		.50

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Susie Sackett	"	"	"		.50
J.S. Figg	"	"	"		1.00
Agnes Ferris	Dimondale	"	"		.50
Sarah L. Gilbert	"	"	"		.50
Lucy Seigford	"	"	"		.50
Laura McElvey	"	"	"		.50
Nellie Hecock	"	"	"		.50
Hal Fuller	"	"	"		1.00
Ida Beekman	Vermontville	"	3	1896	.50
Jennie Benedict	"	"	none		.50
Winifred Allen	"	"	"		.50
Kate Clapper	"	"	3	1896	.50
Byron Hollenbeck	"	"	3	"	1.00
Linnie? Hicks	"	"	none		.50
Ida Wells	"	"	"		.50
Millie Rogers	"	"	"		.50
C__? French	"	"	3	1896	.50
Sarah Deuel	"	"	none		.50
B.A. Campbell	"	"	"		.50
Myrtie Lute	"	"	"		.50
Minnie Ball	"	"	3	1896	.50
Etta Dean	"	"	"	"	.50
Herma? Fitzgerald	"	"	none		.50
Myrtie Dean	"	"	"		.50
Bertha Knapp	"	"	"		.50
D.S. Bryan	Olivet College Certificate				1.00
Gertrude C. Treiber	Carlisle	"	3		.50
M.S. Andrews	Nashville	"			.50
H.B. Andrews	"	"			1.00
Orissa Baker	Kalamo	"			.50
V. Maud Baker	"	"			.50
Ransom Bishop	Olivet	"			1.00
Kittie Brace	Grand Ledge	"			.50
Hattie Bosworth	Mulliken	"			.50
Moe Benson	Eaton Rapids	"			.50
Chas. W. Bale	Vermontville	"			1.00
Lizzie Bradford	Eaton Rapids	"			.50
Henrietta J. Coh__?	Charlotte	"			.50
James R. Carberry	Olivet	"			2.00
Maud Clark	Charlotte	"			.50
Harvey J. Carr	Eaton Rapids	"			1.00
A.J. Cullenden	"	"			2.00
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Jno. W. Caffrey	"	"			1.00
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Effie Demott	Bellevue	"			.50
Josie Evans	Eaton Rapids	"			.50
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Jessie FitzGerald	"	"			.50
Von Furness	Nashville	"			1.00
B.F. Gillett	Charlotte	"			1.00
Florence Frace	Ainger	"			.50
Bertha Hance	Potterville	"			.50
P.F. Hines	Charlotte	"			1.00
W.R. Hance	Delta	"			1.00
Lottie E. Hale	Charlotte	"			.50
N.P. Hull	Dimondale	"			1.00
Bertha Hamilton	Bellevue	29 Mar '95			.50
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Earl Stoner	Charlotte	"			1.00
J.E. Smith	Mulliken	"			1.00
Homer Sweet	Eaton Rapids	"			1.00
Lena Sabin	Charlotte	"			.50
May Spafford	Bellevue	"			.50
Eunice Smith	Mulliken	"			.50
J.A. Tomlinson	Olivet	"			2.00
Minnie Thorp	Sunfield	"			.50
Lena Talbert	Charlotte	"			.50
Cora Talbert	Eaton Rapids	"			.50
Sadie Walker	Charlotte	"			.50
Otis M. Wood	Olivet	"			1.00
Ada Webster	Nashville	"			.50
Frank Wells	Grand Ledge	"			1.00
Agnes Welch	Eaton Rapids	"			.50
Mertie Pray	Dimondale	"			.50
Nettie Walch	Vermontville	"			1.00
_____ Ball	"	"			1.00
Mrs. Dora Steele	Charlotte	"			.50
Etta Dean	Vermontville	"			1.00
Hattie Harrington	Olivet	"			.50
Olliver Prescott	Bismarck	"			1.50
Etta Manning	Eaton Rapids	"			1.00
L.D. Dickenson	Charlotte	"			1.00



Office of Board of School Examiners, Eaton County, Charlotte, Mich., 19 June 1895

To the Treasurer of Eaton County, Mich.:

Herein is a Report of Teacher's Institute Fees collected in this County during the quarter ending 29 June 1895.

You will find enclosed \$29.50, as below specified, which you will credit to the Teachers' Institute Fund of this County. Please file in your office, and fill and sign the three accompanying receipts, of which you will file one with the County Clerk, and return the remaining two to me.

Respectfully,

*J. L. Wagner*, Commissioner, Post Office- Charlotte

<u>Names of Persons Paying Fees</u>	<u>P.O. Addresses</u>	<u>Date of Examin.</u> <u>Cert. or Contract</u>	<u>Grade of Certificate</u> <u>Or write "none"</u>	<u>Date of Expiration</u> <u>of Cert./Contract</u>	<u>Amt. of Fee Pd.</u>
Maggie Blumberg	Grand Ledge	27 Apr '95	3	1896	.50
Muriel Birdsell	"	"	none		.50
Merton Clark	"	"	"		1.00
R.J. Clark	"	"	"		1.00
Claud Coryell	"	"	3	1896	1.00
Mary Dann	Milleets	"	3	"	.50
L.W. Ford	Eaton Rapids	"	3	"	1.00
Susie Frith	Grand Ledge	"	3	"	.50
John Hinman	"	"	none		1.00
Sarah Lynn	"	"	3	"	.50
Hattie Lewis	"	"	none		.50
Minnie Soloman	Charlotte	"	3	"	.50
Grace Tinkham	Grand Ledge	"	none		.50
Stella Vogt	"	"	"		.50
Ida Williams	"	"	"		.50
T.A. Conlon	Eaton Rapids City "				1.00
Hattie Mills	"	"			.50
Fannie Collier	"	"			.50
May Mansfield	"	"			.50
Mira Moore	"	"			.50
Nellie Kelch	"	"			.50
Lena Stump	"	"			.50
Mattie Lawrence	"	"			.50
Bertha Hamilton	"	"			.50
Nellie Rolph	"	"			.50
Bertha Sprinkle	"	"			.50
Ella Blacker	"	"			.50
Ada Bentley	Vermontville	State Normal Cert.			.50
Amy Bentley	"	"			.50

Office of Board of School Examiners, Eaton County, Charlotte, Mich., 30 September 1895

To the Treasurer of Eaton County, Mich.:

Herein is a Report of Teacher's Institute Fees collected in this County during the quarter ending 30 September 1895.

You will find enclosed \$116.00, as below specified, which you will credit to the Teachers' Institute Fund of this County. Please file in your office, and fill and sign the three accompanying receipts, of which you will file one with the County Clerk, and return the remaining two to me.

Respectfully,

*J. L. Wagner*, Commissioner, Post Office- Charlotte

<u>Names of Persons Paying Fees</u>	<u>P.O. Addresses</u>	<u>Date of Examin. Cert. or Contract</u>	<u>Grade of Certificate Or write "none"</u>	<u>Date of Expiration of Cert./Contract</u>	<u>Amnt. of Fee Pd.</u>
Mary L. Andrews	Kalamo	16 Aug '95	none		.50
Maud Allen	Grand Ledge	"	"		.50
Lillean Alleman	Sebewa	"	3	16 Aug '96	.50
Chas. Appleton	Grand Ledge	"	3	"	3.00
Mrs. F.M. Ames	Chester	"	2	1898	1.00
Mabel Armstrong	Roxana	"	3	1895	.50
Sara Allen	Vermontville	"	none		.50
Phila Allen	Mulliken	"	2	"	1.00
Wesley I. Boyers	Charlotte	"	3	"	1.00
Daniel Bateman	Dimondale	"	3	"	1.00
Eva Bosworth	Olivet	"	none		.50
V. Maud Baker	Kalamo	"	3	"	.50
Birdie Blodgett	Eaton Rapids	"	3	"	.50
Lois Bradley	Ainger	"	none		.50
Dot Bradley	Olivet	"	"		.50
Edward Brigstock	"	"	"		1.00
Ransom Bishop	Dimondale	"	"		1.00
Lillean Bentley	Eaton Rapids	"	2	1898	1.00
Grace Bellows	Kingsland	"	2	"	1.50
Jessie Bellows	"	"	2	"	1.50
Mamie E. Boynton	Eaton Rapids	"	3	1896	.50
Mattie K. Bromeling	Charlotte	"	none		.50
Orissa Baker	Kalamo	"	"		.50
May Bowen	Battle Creek	"	3	1896	.50
Maud Crooks	Charlotte	"	3	"	.50
Cortez F. Cushing	"	"	3	"	.50
Cora Curtis	Kalamo	"	3	"	.50
Grace M. Clark	Charlotte	"	3	"	.50
Jennie Campbell	Vermontville	"	3	"	.50
Maud Clark	Charlotte	"	none		.50
Myrtie Cowan	Eaton Rapids	"	3	"	.50
Elva Johnson	Bellevue	"	3	"	.50
John M. Caffrey	Eaton Rapids	"	3	"	1.00
R.J. Clark	Grand Ledge	"	none		1.00
Minnie Durham	Nashville	"	"		1.50
Effie DeMott	Olivet	"	3	"	.50
Fannie E. Derringer	Olivet	"	3	"	.50
Marie C. Drury	Eaton Rapids	"	3	"	.50
Lizzie Dravnsdt	Sunfield	"	3	"	.50
Della Dunbar	Potterville	"	none		.50
Bessie Dunbar	"	"	"		.50
Josie Evans	Eaton Rapids	"	"		.50
Hattie Eaton	Charlotte	"	3	"	.50
Florence Ervay	Charlotte	"	3	"	1.50
E. Krebs	Charlotte	"	3	"	1.00
Mattie J. Flaherty	Eaton Rapids	"	3	"	.50
Edith Fancher	Kingsland	"	3	"	.50
E.B. Fox	Eaton Rapids	"	3	"	1.00
Eddie Flaherty	"	"	none		1.00
Eliza FitzGerald	Bellevue	"	3	"	.50
Gye M. Fox	Eaton Rapids	"	3	"	1.00
E. Bel Gensterblum	Ingersoll	"	3	"	.50

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Iva Griffin	Charlotte	"	none		.50
Grace Green	Olivet	"	"		.50
Artilla Orman	Ainger	"	"		.50
Florence Galusha	Olivet	"	3	"	.50
Stella Garm	Chester	"	none		.50
Lill V. Green	Potterville	"	"		.50
Edna Hendrick	Ainger	"	3	"	.50
Musetta Holland	Bellevue	"	none		.50
Allie M. Huber	Charlotte	"	2	1898	1.50
Jessie Huber	"	"	2	"	1.50
Cassie Helms	Roxana	"	none		.50
Bertha Hance	Potterville	"	"		.50
B.B. Hunsiker	Bellevue	"	3	"	1.50
Etta Halsey	Potterville	"	3	"	1.50
Sophia Hornberger	Lansing 721 Walnut	"	3	"	.50
Chas. Huber	Charlotte	"	none		1.00
Bertha Hayward	Eaton Rapids	"	3	"	1.50
K.C. Inselman	Bellevue	"	3	"	1.00
Mrs. Dora Steele	Charlotte	"	3	"	.50
Mae Lovell	Dellwood	"	none		.50
Hattie Lewis	Grand Ledge	"	"		.50
Anna E. Lester	Olivet	"	3	"	.50
Mae McGregor	"	"	2	1898	1.50
E.H. Mendell	Potterville	"	2	"	2.00
Pearl Munson	Millets	"	none		.50
C.C. Mishler	"	"	"		1.00
Minie McGee	Vermontville	"	"		.50
Bertha A. Miller	Eaton Rapids	"	3	1896	.50
Rena McClintic	Brookfield	"	none		.50
Julia Murphy	Sunfield	"	3	"	.50
Anna Markham	Eaton Rapids	"	none		.50
Mabel May	"	"	3	"	.50
Emma Josephine Mattice	"	"	3	"	.50
Homer L. Mattice	Mulliken	"	3	"	2.00
Sara L. Polmanteer	Eaton Rapids	"	3	"	.50
Mrs. M.S. Philips	Gresham	"	3	"	.50
Mertie Pray	Dimondale	"	2	1898	1.50
Sade Packer	Grand Ledge	"	2	"	1.50
Bertha Reynolds	Lansing	"	none		.50
Iska Smith	Eaton Rapids	"	3	"	.50
William Spear	Brookfield	"	3	"	1.00
Lina M. Skinner	Grand Ledge	"	3	"	.50
Bertha Simon	Bellevue	"	none		.50
Zelma L. Swift	Olivet	"	3	"	.50
Minnie Solomon	Charlotte	"	3	"	.50
Jessie Shaw	"	"	2	"	.50
Maud Southwick	"	"	3	1896	.50
Mabel Southwick	"	"	3	"	.50
May Spafford	Bellevue	"	3	"	.50
Luella Sprague	Vermontville	"	none		.50
Ida Schrader	Charlotte	"	none		.50
Floyd Straight	"	"	3	"	3.00
C.A. Sprinkle	Eaton Rapids	"	3	"	1.00

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H.R. Sherwood	Bellevue	"	3	"	1.00
Grace Tinkham	Grand Ledge	"	none	"	.50
Coe Tilson	Charlotte	"	3	"	1.00
Ella E. Tabor	Grand Ledge	"	2	1898	1.50
Mabel Talbert	Eaton Rapids	"	none	1896	.50
Cora Talbert	"	"	3	"	1.00
Weta Wilkinson	Nashville	"	none	"	.50
Willis Wheaton	Charlotte	"	3	"	1.00
Otis Wood	Olivet	"	3	"	1.00
Agnes E. Welch	Charlesworth	"	3	"	.50
Bert C. Whitmore	Charlotte	"	3	"	1.00
Jennie Wheaton	Roxana	"	none	"	.50
Edith Wool	Sunfield	"	"	"	.50
Lena Wade	Charlotte	"	2	1898	1.50
Neva Wells	Vermontville	"	2	"	1.50
Mrs. Jennie Wade	Olivet	"	2	"	1.50
Nelie Wade	Charlotte	"	2	"	1.50
L. Mae Whelpley	Hoytville	"	3	1896	.50
Carrie M. Williams	Charlotte	"	3	"	.50
Ida Wheaton	"	"	3	"	.50
Kate Wilcox	Eaton Rapids	"	3	"	.50
Florence Wilson	Lansing	"	3	"	.50
J.F. Wood	Charlotte	"	3	"	1.00
Mabel D. Field	Eaton Rapids	"	none	"	1.50
Floyd C. Huddleston	Grand Ledge	"	2	1898	1.50
Edith Green	Charlotte	"	none	"	.50
Effie M. Barr	"	"	3	1896	.50
Minnie Sturdevant	Grand Ledge	"	Normal	"	.50
E.E. Johnson	Bellevue	"	2	1898	4.00
Hattie Harrington	Bellevue	"	2	"	1.50
R.H. Wilson	Dimondale	"	Normal	"	1.00
C.J. Luxmore	Vermontville	"	Normal	"	1.00
Andrew Nickle	Mulliken	"	Normal	"	1.00

Office of Board of School Examiners, Eaton County, Charlotte, Mich., 20 December 1895

To the Treasurer of Eaton County, Mich.:

Herein is a Report of Teacher's Institute Fees collected in this County during the quarter ending 30 December 1895.

You will find enclosed \$14.00, as below specified, which you will credit to the Teachers' Institute Fund of this County. Please file in your office, and fill and sign the three accompanying receipts, of which you will file one with the County Clerk, and return the remaining two to me.

Respectfully,

*J. L. Wagner*, Commissioner, Post Office- Charlotte

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Edith Conklin	Eaton Rapids	17/18 Oct '95	none		.50
Nina Keeler	"	"	"		.50
Hattie M. Corbin	"	"	"		.50
Beula B. Green	"	"	"		.50

Names of Persons Paying Fees	P.O. Addresses	Date of Examin. Cert. or Contract	Grade of Certificate Or write "none"	Date of Expiration of Cert./Contract	Amt. of Fee Pd.
Lena G. Tolbert	Charlotte	"	"		.50
Morris H. Beman	Eaton Rapids	"	3	1896	1.00
Ara Weldon	"	"	none		1.00
Laura Knapp	Charlotte	"	"		.50
Spurgeon Casler	Eaton Rapids	"	"		1.00
Mabel Holden	Charlotte	"	"		.50
Ida Beekman	Vermontville	"	3	1896	.50
Guy M. Fox	Eaton Rapids	"	2	1898	2.00
Chas. Barringer	Lansing	"	3	1896	1.00
Grace Marshall	Eaton Rapids	"	none		.50
A.O. Harned?	Grand Ledge	"	3	1896	1.00
Edson Champlin	Charlotte	"	3	"	1.00
Chas. Ca_r?	Eaton Rapids	"	Special	1896	1.00
Jennie McCrory	Mulliken	"	3	"	.50

.....Vouchers for 1895.....

Charlotte, 9 Aug 1895...Rec'd \$23.15 from C.H. Gurney, Conductor of a Teacher's Institute held in Charlotte....signed by *J.B. Smith*  
Balance returned.....23.15

Charlotte, 9 Aug 1895...Rec'd \$47.66 from C.H. Gurney, Conductor of a Teacher's Institute held in Charlotte....signed by *Hamilton King*  
Services: Instructor, 5 days \$8.....40.00  
Expenses: Board.....6.00  
Olivet to Charlotte & return 1.66  
47.66

Charlotte, 9 Aug 1895...Rec'd \$32.90 from C.H. Gurney, Conductor of a Teacher's Institute held in Charlotte....signed by *J.L. Wagner*  
Services: Local committee, 5 days @ \$2.....10.00  
Expenses: Janitor-School House 6 days @ \$. 6.00  
Janitor-Court House.....1.50  
Expense local com.....15.40  
32.90

Charlotte, 19 Oct 1895...Rec'd \$15.15 from Henry R. Pattengill, Conductor of a Teacher's Institute held in Charlotte....signed by *Richard G. Boone*  
Services: .....10.00  
Expenses: R.R. Fare..4.90  
Hack......25  
15.15

Charlotte, 19 Oct 1895...Rec'd \$31.65 from Henry Pattengill, Conductor of a Teacher's Institute held in Charlotte....signed by *B.A. Hinsdale*  
Services: .....25.00  
Expenses: R.R. Fare Ann Arbor to Charlotte & ret.. 3.90  
Supper......50  
Hack......25  
Printing.....2.00  
31.65

Charlotte, 9 Aug 1895...Rec'd \$74.00 from C.H. Gurney, Conductor of a Teacher's Institute held in Charlotte....signed by *Ada VanStone Harris*  
Services: Instruction, 5 days @\$8.....40.00  
Expenses: Board.....7.50  
Charlotte to Houghton.....26.50  
74.00



Charlotte, 19 Oct 1895...Rec'd \$8.20 from Harry R.

Pattengill, Conductor of a Teacher's Institute

held in Charlotte....signed by *O.L. Miller*

Expenses: Postage.....2.20

Programs.....2.00

Janitor.....1.00

Board of Instructors.....3.00

8.20

Charlotte, 9 Aug 1895...Rec'd \$63.90 from C.H.

Gurney, Conductor of a Teacher's Institute held in

Charlotte....signed by *C.H. Gurney*

Services: Conductor, 5 days @ \$2.....10.00

Instructor, 5 days @ \$8.....40.00

Expenses: Board.....8.50

Hillsdale to Charlotte & return. ....5.40

63.90

.....To be continued in #16 ECQ, picking up with the year 1896

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*For those of you who want to know how your great-grandparents were prepared for the grave around the year 1866 & after read on. For those of you who have a weak stomach, your editor advises you against reading the article ~ not a pretty story!*

## *~ The Way Bodies are Embalmed ~*

*Taken from "Uncle Sam's Almanac For the Year 1866," Philadelphia, PA, published by King and Baird, No. 607 Sanson Street*

*'By embalming people generally are apt to imagine that the modern process consists of saturating, filling and surrounding the dead bodies with spices, gums and other indestructible and preservative substances, as is understood to have been the process practiced by the ancients. Such, however, is not the case. The modern process is about as follows: The blood is drawn off through the jugular vein. An incision is then made upon the inside of the thigh, through which a chemical liquid is injected by mechanical means. This liquid permeates all the veins and arteries, taking the place before occupied by the blood, and in a short time renders the entire body as hard as a stone and as rigid as a statue. A portion of the scalp is removed and the brain scooped out. The chest is opened and the heart, lungs and viscera are abstracted. When the process is completed, the body is reduced to a mere empty shell, having only the outward semblance of the departed individual. How long a body will remain unchanged we cannot say. The process has only been employed for a few years- since the war (Civil War) commenced we believe- so that time sufficient has not elapsed to test the indestructibility of bodies thus prepared.*

**Mr. Truman Johnson, Grand Ledge businessman in 1875, must have been pushed to his limit, because in late July of that year he announced in the Grand Ledge Independent that those who owed him should come forward and pay or he would publish their names in that newspaper. A week or two later, he carried out his threat ~ much to our delight because a bit of information is given about his each of his creditors.**

GRAND LEDGE INDEPENDENT- FRIDAY 6 AUGUST 1875

List of Accounts, &c., which I will sell during the month of August, 1875, at the discounts set opposite each amount. All of the below demands which are bought or paid at discount rates will be publicly noticed through the paper. Said list will be advertised for sale one month in each and every year hereafter, with such alterations and additions as circumstances require. /s/ T. Johnson Grand Ledge, Mich., Aug., 1875:

| <u>Date</u>  | <u>Name</u>                    | <u>Amount.</u> | <u>Discount</u> |
|--------------|--------------------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 27 Sep 1869  | Daniel Birt, left              | .95            | .99             |
| 14 Feb 1870  | J.G. Brant, left               | 1.33           | 99              |
| 27 Jan 1871  | John Brady, left               | 4.64           | 75              |
| 9 Sep 1870   | M.P. Burtch, Esq., Grand Ledge | 62             | 35              |
| 7 Sep 1870   | S.S. Hardenberg, left          | 1.38           | 99              |
| 1 Sep 1870   | Ben Brown of Eagle             | 1.35           | 75              |
| Putrefaction | Wm. Butcher, Watertown         | 15             | 99              |
| 4 Sep 1872   | H.A. Bixbey, left              | 1.71           | 99              |
| 3 May 1869   | Israel Wall, left              | 1.03           | 76              |
| 28 Jan 1873  | Geo. Blaunt, left              | 79             | 99              |
| 4 Aug 1869   | Herman Cramer, left            | 43             | 75              |
| 3 Mar 1870   | Morris DeWitt, Grand Ledge     | 4.77           | 75              |
| 5 Mar 1872   | J.M. Hadenberg, left           | 40             | 99              |
| 21 Sep 1872  | Chas. Hunt, left               | 1.00           | 99              |
| 5 Jul 1872   | Dr. Cannada, left              | 8.00           | 99              |
| 20 Aug 1872  | Arthur Johnson                 | 75             | 75              |
| 1 Jul 1871   | Daniel Osbern, left            | 40             | 75              |
| 22 Nov 1873  | H.A. Pickins                   | 90             | 99              |
| 23 Sep 1871  | James Pollard, left            | 28             | 99              |
| 24 Dec 1869  | Sylvester Rumsey, Potterville  | 1.98           | 75              |
| 4 Dec 1871   | Thomas Richer, left            | 1.50           | 75              |
| 1 Mar 1872   | H.B. Smith, left               | 1.00           | 99              |
| 7 Mar 1872   | S.S. White                     | 1.99           | 75              |
| 22 Jul 1873  | James Wiley, Lansing           | 65             | 75              |
| 20 Jan 1872  | Chas. Winters, left            | 80             | 90              |

|                   |                                       |       |                                             |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------|-------|---------------------------------------------|
| 26 May 1874       | James Rose, Grand Ledge               | 2.68  | 75                                          |
| 1 Jan 1874        | Daniel Rose, Grand Ledge              | 2.89  | 50                                          |
| 19 Jan 1870       | John Rimmon, left                     | 80    | 99 (*next issue= John Kinnon)               |
| 21 Jul 1869       | Isaac Bowers, Railroad                | 69    | 99                                          |
| 10 Mar 1874       | M. Blanchard, left                    | 4.00  | 99                                          |
| 26 Jun 1874       | O. Bates, Eagle or Danby              | 2.30  | 50                                          |
| 30 Mar 1874       | H.B. Campbell, Eagle Station          | 1.58  | 50                                          |
| 11 Dec 1873       | John Condie, left                     | 2.23  | 50                                          |
| 23 Nov 1872       | Wm. Delamater, Grand Ledge            | 91    | 75                                          |
| 4 Nov 1872        | DeWitt Donaldson, Oneida              | 1.01  | 50                                          |
| 21 Nov 1872       | Eugene Griffith, Grand Ledge          | 1.33  | 50                                          |
| 16 May 1873       | Geo. Gordon, left                     | 1.75  | 99                                          |
| 11 Jun 1872       | Joseph Hazleton, Oneida               | 50    | 75                                          |
| 24 May 1874       | Dr. L.E. Haskin, Eagle Station        | 4.19  | 25                                          |
| 15 Sep 1873       | John Kelly, Grand Ledge               | 1.93  | 75                                          |
| 11 Mar 1874       | A.W. Savage                           | 15    | 99                                          |
| 1 Jul 1874        | Samuel Kelly, Grand Ledge             | 75    | 75                                          |
| 28 Jul 1874       | J. Lomis                              | 30    | 50                                          |
| 24 Jul 1873       | J.P. Russell, Grand Ledge             | 1.95  | 50                                          |
| 2 Feb 1875        | A.W. Rogers, gone to Potterville      | 1.35  | 75                                          |
| 27 Jan 1873       | John Stone, painter                   | 1.38  | 75                                          |
| 21 Jan 1873       | Geo. Starr, left                      | 58    | 99                                          |
| 5 Jan 1874        | James Simpson                         | 20    | 99                                          |
| 29 Oct 1873       | Porter Tinkham, left                  | 2.50  | 75                                          |
| 9 Mar 1872        | Joseph Woodruff, Delta                | 2.43  | 50                                          |
| 24 Apr 1872       | Philander Compton, left               | 12.69 | 50                                          |
| 31 Aug 1870       | Wm. McCrumb, Eagle                    | 5.06  | 75                                          |
| Putrefaction      | Jane Hall, judgement                  | 40.00 | 25                                          |
| Black in the face | Addison Peck, Note, York State        | 7.75  | 99                                          |
| 15 Nov 1871       | Henry Christmas, Degarian, Mason      | 5.13  | 99                                          |
| 10 Feb 1874       | W.C. Wood, left                       | 1.70  | 99                                          |
| 30 Oct 1872       | Norman Jones, left                    | 48    | 99                                          |
| 1 Dec 1870        | Chas. Redfield, painter in Greenville | 62.72 | 75 (*next issue says painter in Big Rapids) |
| 11 Apr 1872       | Jacob Santee, Grand Ledge             | 70    | 50                                          |
| Putrefaction      | Abram Shear Jr., left                 | 2.00  | 99                                          |
| 20 Jul 1874       | Chas. McCrumb, Eagle                  | 1.88  | 75                                          |
| 19 May 1874       | John Avary, Wacousta                  | 1.14  | 50                                          |
| 4 Jan 1874        | Thomas Harris, left                   | 4.34  | 99                                          |
|                   | John Webb, coal miner, judgement      | 15.00 | 99                                          |
| 12 Jun 1874       | Nathan N. Bullock, painter            | 5.21  | 50                                          |
| Of bad flavor     | Lewis Watson, Delta                   | 2.10  | 50                                          |
| 14 May 1874       | P.A. Bell, Grand Ledge                | 11.34 | 25                                          |
| 26 Feb 1874       | Warren Hixson, Oneida                 | 3.36  | 25                                          |

|             |                                 |      |    |
|-------------|---------------------------------|------|----|
| 15 Apr 1874 | Geo. Covlin                     | 35   | 75 |
| 3 Dec 1874  | Frank Pierce, in Watertown      | 1.00 | 25 |
| 1 Jun 1875  | Mrs. Henry Brown, G.L. or Danby | 90   | 75 |

*BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION TAKEN FROM  
"THE TABULARIUM" 1899*

*EATON RAPIDS SCHOOL YEARBOOK*

*Copied by Joyce Liepins - 22 April 1994*

Herbert Huffman, *PROPHECY*....after graduating, was so "taken up" with the study of Physics that he entered a college to gain more knowledge in that branch of learning. He left college with his mind full of the thought of some great invention for the uplifting of his fellow men. Acting on this idea, his first invention was a success, and many more followed, until, as the light of Thos. A. Edison's life in sinking out of sight, we see the luminous rays of another destined to be yet greater than he, rising above the horizon. *FACT*....Born Nov. 23, 1880, in Kansas, he has since lived in Buck Prairie, Little Brick Bottoms, Pin Hook, Parker, Montpelier, and Eaton Rapids. Herb is 5 ft. and 1/4 in. tall, weight 165 lbs., and confines his dark brown hair under a 7 1/8 inch hat. He is very fond of base-ball and foot-ball of which he is captain, and does not hesitate to say that he kicks the foot-ball with a number 8 cow-hide.

Charles Long, *PROPHECY*....another one predestined by fate to become noted in his line of business. After leaving school, he was so engrossed with the thought of editing a newspaper that he started a small two page pamphlet of his own, in a little out of the way village. He made such progress in his undertaking that he soon removed to New York, where, before his death, he was conducting one of the best and most popular newspapers in that city. *FACT*.... One member gives his birth as Aug. 27, 1888. We've beaten the record. We have a member in our class who is ready to take up the studies of the 12th grade and only 11 years old. Master Charles Long, sometimes called Shorty Long, was born in Halifax, North Carolina, in 1888, he says, but there are people who say they have known Shorty nearly 10 years previous to that. Well, never mind, Little Charley will probably complete his course "all the samie," and seems to aspire to building an air ship, for he say his future business is shoveling wind off church steeples. He would certainly be good at that for he only weighs 112 lbs and stands 5 ft. high in his number 5 shoe.

Daisy U. Tracy, *PROPHECY*....an illustration of the fact that perseverance wins. After graduating, she taught school for some years through trials and temptations; at last, thinking she had merited a well earned rest, she made a tour to Europe to gain more knowledge in her favorite study, German, than was afforded her in the Eaton Rapids schools. (Miss Daisy once said she intended to be an angel when she died and we sincerely hope she attained her desire when she left this vale of tears.) *FACT*.... Born in Ionia, April 26, 1882, she is 5 ft. 4 in. tall and weighs 116



lbs. Daisy has gray eyes and dark-brown hair. When asked her name in full she said. "D.U.T."

Misses Edith Case & Eula Webber, *PROPHECY*...after graduating, continued their friendship and resolved "never to part." So hand in hand they traveled through foreign countries, visiting all the historic places they had a faint recollection of having heard mentioned by their General History teacher. *FACT*... Edyth Winifred Case first saw light in this city (Eaton Rapids) March 19, 1882. She has been over 17 yrs. acquiring the height of 5 ft. 2 in. and the enormous weight of 98 lbs. Although her black hair denotes an even temper, she often gets wrathly and says, "Oh, Shoot." Eula Emma Webber, our vice-president, was born May 29, 1882 in the city. She has a light complexion, blue eyes, light-brown hair and weighs 110 lbs. She has always lived in Eaton Rapids and attended the public schools. She stands 5 ft. 2 in. above the heel of her number 3 1/2 shoes.

Floyd Gilman, *PROPHECY*...after leaving school, rapidly gained notoriety as an orator and people within a radius of ten miles would flock to hear him. Through every election campaign he was busily engaged in delivering lectures from town to town, and supporting, in his eloquent style, the cause he believed to be right. *FACT*... Lloyd Otis Gilman was born May 2, 1882, stands 5 ft. 7 in. high, weighs 125 lbs., wears number 7 har and number 6 shoe. While his hair is brown his eyes are hazel. His favorite sport is base-ball and riding the sulky plow.

Helen Schurtz, *PROPHECY*...a very ambitious member of the class of 1900, taught school for a time in her own locality and working her way upward, soon became preceptress in a public school. Things went smoothly and Miss Helen was reported to be contented in this lucrative position, until a gallant stranger crossed her path and in course of time she consented to change her name and be content with one scholar. *FACT*... The journalist of whom you will hear so much in the future and who is at present the chief editor of our Tabularium, was born in Mason, Dec. 27, 1883. Helen LaRue Schurtz is 5 ft. 5 in. high and says she weighs 22 lbs. Miss Schurtz's brown hair matches very well with her blue eyes.

Reginald Briggs, *PROPHECY*...after graduating, intent upon attaining his pet dream, that of becoming a doctor, set about to attain his ideal by beginning on a sick chicken, which survived the test and began to run about. Years after, had you been passing by one of the most prominent streets, in a still more prominent city, you might have seen, displayed before one of the neatest abodes, a sign-board, bearing the inscription, "Office of Dr. Briggs." *FACT*... Reginald J. Briggs was born May 28, 1883, at Sand Lake. He is 5 ft. 6 in. high and weighs 130 lbs. His hair and eyes are black and he is the only one of our class that will become a really good physician.

Edna Bostedor & Miss Bertha Rathbun, *PROPHECY*...the good members of the class, who always had their lessons, together attended college, each finishing with due honors. They accepted desirable positions in one of the public schools of the state; the first, as special teacher



of Algebra, and the latter of General History. *FACT...* Edna Belle Bostedor, the youngest of the class, was born Dec. 14, 1883, near Eaton Rapids. She is now 5 ft. 5 in. in height and wears a number 5 shoe. Her eyes and hair are brown and she says she expects to keep house. Bertha Amelia Rathbun was born a little over 17 years ago in Sandusky Co., Ohio. She stands 1.63 meters tall, weighs nine hundred and ten thousand grains and her dainty little foot is incased in a 4 1/2 calf-skin. Miss Rathbun has proven herself an apt scholar and rejoices with the rest that she has so successfully reached a position from which she can see the last mile post.

Dedie Casler, *PROPHECY*....leaving school, was in doubt as to what the Lord had intended to be her mission in life, till, putting aside all thought of entering college, or of material greatness, she decided to reign as mistress over a "Clay" farm that had been offered to her. Here she spent the remainder of her life in blissful contentment. *FACT...* Emma Adelia Casler, generally called Dedie, was born Sept. 7, 1879 in Hamlin and has since lived in Grand Rapids and Eaton Rapids. She makes the shoe-man look for a number 3 kid, above which she stand 5 ft. 1/2 in., her hair is black and she favors the brilliant colors and pink and blue. When asked her future business she said; "Wait and see." May be we could find out through Clay.

Fred Brainerd, *PROPHECY*....having no ambition, other than reviewing to his friend and associates the scenes of his life as a soldier boy and the hardships of a soldier, found pleasure and amusement in that occupation. Also, actuated by the impulse given him in the Junior Public play, remained a bachelor the rest of his days. *FACT...* Fred D. Brainerd, the hero of our class, was born in this city in 1880. He has seen quite a large part of the U.S., having lived in Kansas and having traveled with Co. B. of the 32nd regiment through the southern states to Tampa for a 6 months' drill. Fred is well built for a foot-ball player, being 70 inches tall and weighing about 160 lbs. He aspires to the rank of an electrical engineer on one of our large men of war.

Edith Spaulding, *PROPHECY*....even before graduating, had shown such a liking for poetry, that publishers had already begun to look anxiously for the stray bits of her poetry she often tendered them. After graduating, however, her poetical works grew in volume and in time it was only the best and highest grade magazines that could secure her works. *FACT...* If I could describe our poet as she should be described, I would think my part well done. She has grown only to the height of 5 ft. during the last 16 yrs. but she weighs 118 lbs. Edyth Spaulding is a very bright student and expects to pursue a course in music after graduating. Perhaps she wished to compose music to her verses. When asked the size of her shoe she said: "I don't know, they are marked thirty-two thousand, four hundred and five."

Hattie Chapman, *PROPHECY*....another great and noted member of the class, she devoted her life to the study of music and afterwards became a professional in that line, but took great care, according to advice, not to sing sentimental pieces. *FACT...* Hattie Belle Chapman sung her first song Sept. 22, 1880. Since that day she has attained the height of 64 3/16 inches and

compresses the soles of number 5 shoes with the weight of one thirteenth of a ton. Her hair is brown, her eyes blue, and although she has always lived near Eaton Rapids, as soon as she completes her course in music her voice will be heard around the world.

Lulu Smoyer, *PROPHECY*....after conducting the department of grinds in the Junior Annual, became so interested in the work that she decided she could not find a more amusing occupation than making fun of others and portraying in the worst light the follies and mistakes of human nature. So after her graduation we find her taking up contentedly for her life's work the task of furnishing cartoons and material for the "funny" columns of the newspapers. *FACT*....Sept. 16, 1881 was destined to mark the birth of a popular member in our class. She is fond of jokes and has therefore been awarded the position of grind editor. Lula Jane Smoyer came into this world in Onondaga. She has a fair complexion, blue eyes, light hair, and stands 70 inches high, she weighs 2,080 ounces. Blue seems to be her color, although we think it very inappropriate for a grind editor.

Martha Porter, *PROPHECY*....early showing great talent as a musician, took a special course of study after her graduation and under careful instruction became one of the leading musicians of the time. *FACT*.... Martha Porter was born near Forest Grove, Oregon. Since that time she has lived in Charlotte, Chicago, and a few minutes on the train, but the most of the time in our city, where she has studied literature to quite an extent. Miss Porter is 5 ft. 8 in. high and always stands as straight as a soldier. Her hair and eyes are black.

Charles Belnap, *PROPHECY*....after graduating, could not decide upon what he would make his life's work. Not inclined, however, to hunt for an occupation, he settled down quietly in his own town to wait for some desirable position to present itself. At the time of his death he was still waiting. *FACT*.... Charles Morris Belnap was brought to light in this city, July 1882. He is 5 ft. 8 in. high, weighs 130 lbs., his hair is brown and eyes gray, wears a number 7 hat, and surely must have the largest shoe of the crowd, for both taken together make a number 15 man's size. His favorite sport is tennis.

Fannie Ferris *PROPHECY*....attended college near her own home and afterward made a tour through Europe to complete her education. She gained a vast amount of knowledge by her study and observation and returned to her home an accomplished and popular young lady. *FACT*.... Fanny Ferris was born Jan. 29, 1881, in Onondaga township. She is 5 ft. 8 in. tall, weighs 103 lbs. and wears a number 4 shoe. Her hair and eyes are brown and she always delights in wearing bright colors.

Jennie Taylor, *PROPHECY*....after graduating, entered the cooking department of the State Agricultural College and came back the proud possessor of all the secrets of the culinary department. *FACT*.... Just sweet 16, Jennie Ethel Taylor was born in Hamlin and has, as she

expresses it, never moved. She is 5 ft. 7 in. high, weighs 168 lbs.

Hugh Whaley, *PROPHECY*....upon hearing that Miss Taylor had entered in the Agricultural College, decided that a thorough course of instruction in farming was just what he needed. Accordingly, he entered the Agricultural College and gained many advanced ideas on the subject of farming that proved to be of great value to him in after years. *FACT*....Our class claims one of the pitchers of the high school base ball club. Hugh E. Whaley was born 1 mile west of Dimondale, Jan. 9, 1882. He is nearly 6 ft. tall, weighs a good straight 150 lbs. and throws the ball with marvelous velocity. Hugh's feet are evidently as large as his head, since he wears the same size shoe as hat.

Bessie Rorabeck, *PROPHECY*....after graduating, set up a millinery shop in a small neighboring city. Finding her business increasing and her trade demanding more room, she removed her stock to a larger city and there conducted a flourishing business in the millinery line. *FACT*.... On Dec 24, 1881, 2 miles south of this city was born Bessie Josphine Rorabeck. She is 5 ft. 4 in. high, weighs 116 lbs., and wears a 4 1/2 shoe. Her hair and eyes are brown.

Cecil Dare Hayward, *FACT*.... Just 16 years ago from the 23rd of last February there came into this world a little damsel by the name of Cecil Dare Hayward. Miss Hayward is a very promising student and it is hoped that she will complete a course in some college as have some of her sisters. Her hair and eyes are brown. (Due to pages missing from the booklet, there is no Prophecy for Cecil.)

Florence (Flossy) Jackson, *FACT*....On the 30th day of November, 1881, in this city, was born to Mr. & Mrs. George Jackson a little girl whom they were pleased to call Florence, but whom we know as Flossy, or often Mike. Miss Jackson has black hair, blue eyes and a nose that is as straight as a string. Flossy increases the height of the column over five feet, and the weight one hundred and twenty pounds. She left our school the latter part of November for Jackson, where she now attends school, but expects to graduate with us. (Due to pages missing from the booklet, there is no Prophecy for Flossy.)

Benjamin Reynolds, *PROPHECY*....after graduating, entertained great hopes for the future. He longed to make a name for himself, his chief idea was that of being a mineralogist. Be it also stated he had long carried on a written correspondence with a lady several years his senior. While waiting for the young lady to make a decisive answer to a particular question of his, before he went to win the laurels of fame, he received an epistle from her saying she had seen another she liked better & could write to him no more. Poor Ben had no thought now of making a name for himself & could only be comforted by quoting Tennyson; "*Tis better to have loved & lost, Than to have married & be bossed.*" *FACT*.... Benjamin N. Reynolds was born March 15, 1881 & deems it not necessary for further description, since he stands so prominently before the public as Class Historian.

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PETRAKOVITZ, Vincent aka Vincenz Petrakovicz. Declaration of Intention #411

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## A New Feature:

### Word Search & Crossword

*This Word Search is a little too simple, so just to "rev" it up a bit, clues only to the words you will be looking for are given below. They are all words a family researcher should recognize. Have fun. (Answer in back of issue)*

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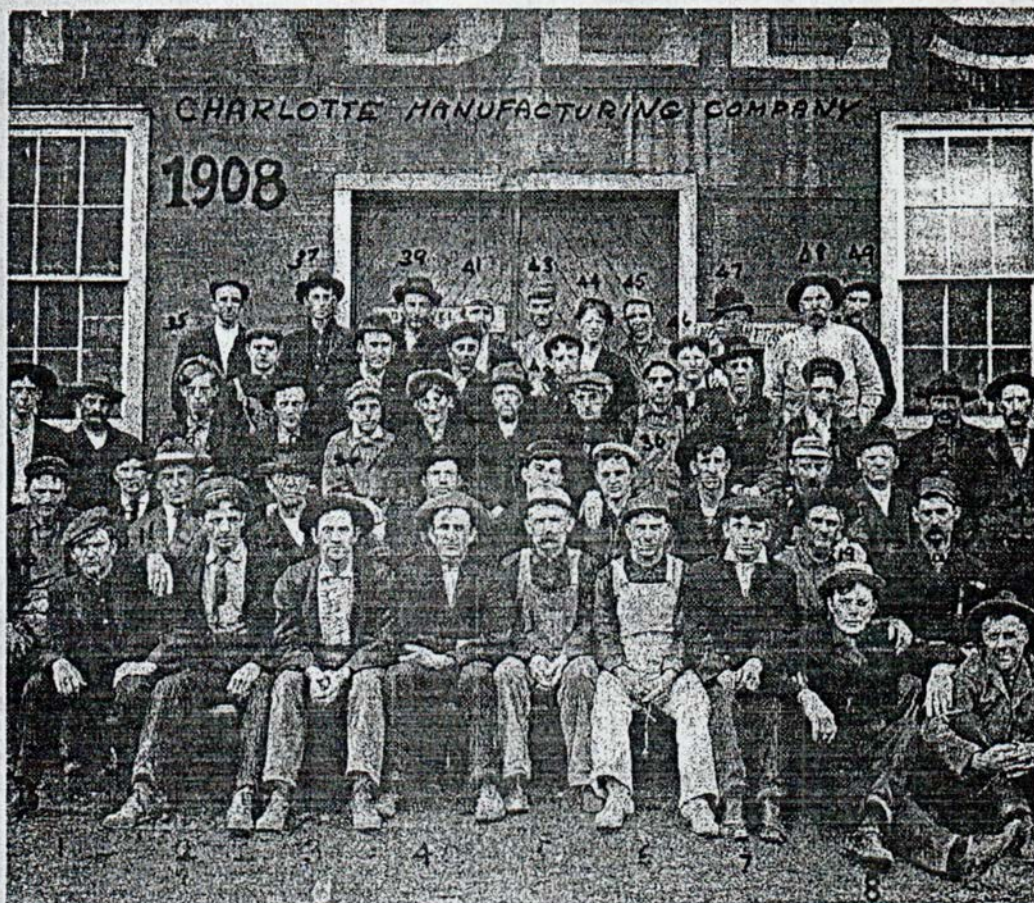
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This photograph can be found in the collection of the Eaton County Genealogical Society in folder P204. Although the quality is not very good in the reproduction for this article, the actual photo is excellent quality. The photo was donated to the Historical Society many years ago by Don R. Olson. He typed the following information: "Charlotte Manufacturing Company (library and dining tables), located just north of the junction of the Grand Trunk and Michigan Central tracks. A picture of those who worked there in 1908, working hours were 6 days a week, 10 hours a day

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| 10. Fred Hummel          | 20. Wallace E. Hauser | 30. Frank Lane      | 40. Jim VanNortrick  |                  |

Unable to guess the identity of 42 through 49. I do know that George Benton & Frank Paine were in the picture.

It is of interest that #20 Mr. Hauser was also the familiar popcorn and peanuts machine operator each Saturday night in front of the Eaton County Savings Bank and every kid around knew him. Later the Charlotte Manufacturing Company became the Charlotte Furniture Company after World War I. During the war they made army wagons. The building later was Wilcox Gay Plant #2. It burned in June 1959."



One of our members, Florence Lembeck, submitted the following poem and alinentafel for publication in the "Quest." The poem brought such a smile to my lips that I had to put it in the very next available issue. I'm sure you'll enjoy it as much as I did. Thanks, Florence.

*Family Trees*  
*by Florence Lembeck*

Family trees are the nicest things I know,  
Though they can do harm as they backward grow,

If they bring shame to some of their kin  
While bestowing pride for others to bask in.

Tracing your roots is the greatest of fun,  
Even if you go back to a son-of-a-gun.

Perchance you'll find in your branches a genius or four  
And in the roots a President or a king of yore.

They give us a hobby of never-ending bliss  
With seldom a cemetery being given a miss.

Finding birth, death and marriage records becomes a  
game,  
As you diligently search for another surname.

"Relict," liber," and "collateral" become part of your  
jargon,  
And your husband asks if there's anything else in your  
noggin.

In quest of your heritage nothing is sacred.  
You look for things that strip ancestors naked.

Tax lists, draft lists, lunacy papers and all.  
Church records, prison lists. You're having a ball.

Look at the list of workers in a House of Ill Fame.  
Whew! That's good! Not one gives a last name.

The census taker before 1850 was a miserable louse;  
No one is listed but the head of the house.

With the 1850 census they list every person, they say,  
But where was my ancestor hiding that day?

Great-great-grandmother Sally was a remarkable  
gal.

Between 1850 and 1860 she aged only 5 years - oh, well!  
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Ancestor Samuel, the Puritan, slept through the sermon  
with an occasional snore.  
He was fined five shillings and didn't snore any more.

Great-great grandfather Tom fell 20 feet from the top of a  
tree.  
The doctor came to help and bled him - for free.

For military, pension and bounty land records,  
For ship passenger lists, our National Archives beckon.

You may find your ancestor from long, long ago.  
Family trees are the nicest things I know.

(With apologies to Harry Behm, who wrote "Trees")  
Notes on some of the references:

The House of Ill Fame is listed on the 1880 census in  
Escanaba Twp., Delta County, Michigan.

The Sally, who aged only 5 years in a 10-year span,  
was Sally Maxon, born ca. 1796, CT., died 12 Dec 1878,  
Roxand, Eaton County, Michigan, wife of Joseph Root,  
born 23 May 1786, Waterbury, CT. They were the parents  
of William Root, born 18 Aug 1837, Dover, Cuyahoga  
County, Ohio, died 11 Jan 1928, Mulliken, Eaton County,  
Michigan.

Samuel, the Puritan, was Samuel Root, born 20 Nov  
1712, Farmington, CT, died 17 May 1778, Waterbury, CT.  
The incident occurred in church when Parson  
Leavenworth called on him by name and told him to wake  
up. He replied, "I am as awake as you are, Parson, and you  
can mind your own business." Some of the congregation  
thought this funny, others didn't find it so, and Samuel  
was arraigned before a grand jury and fined.

Tom, who fell from the tree and was bled by the  
good doctor, was Thomas Sherman, born 1 Aug 1821,  
Delaware, Ohio, died 23 Nov 1888, Walton, Eaton County,  
Michigan. He was trying to shake a coon out of a tree  
when the limb he was on broke.

Submitted by Florence A. Lembeck  
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*To find a person's father, double the person's number. To find a person's mother, double the number and add one.*

1. Florence Adela SPEAR b 20 Jan 1928, Roxand, Eaton Co., MI, m 8 Dec 1946, Mesa, Maricopa Co., AZ.
2. Howard Dale SPEAR b 27 Apr 1903, Charlotte, Eaton Co., MI, m 20 Oct 1923, Charlotte, Eaton Co., MI, d 14 Apr 1970, Susanville, Lassen Co., CA.
3. Mabel Fern ROOT b 24 Sep 1903, Roxand, Eaton Co., MI, d 31 Dec 1992, Mesa, Maricopa Co., AZ.
4. Arthur Delivan SPEAR b 11 Aug 1872, Wolf Creek, Lenawee Co., MI, m 20 Oct 1898, Charlotte, Eaton Co., MI, d 25 Sep 1947, Battle Creek, Calhoun Co., MI.
5. Melissa Elizabeth SHERMAN b 10 Sep 1865, Thamesville, Ontario, Canada, d 14 Apr 1926, Charlotte, Eaton Co., MI.
6. George William ROOT b 27 May 1867, Dover, Cuyahoga Co., OH, m 24 Mar 1897, Potterville, Eaton Co., MI, d 1 Jul 1940, Roxand, Eaton Co., MI.
7. Florence Elma ERVAY b 25 Dec 1875, Fairplains, Montcalm Co., MI, d 8 Feb 1964, Charlotte, Eaton Co., MI.
8. William Henry SPEAR b 22 Jul 1846, OH, m 5 Mar 1871, Lee, Calhoun Co., MI, d 14 (16) Oct 1911, Norville, Jackson Co., MI.
9. Effie Amanda AMSDEN b 18 Jun 1854 (5), Walton, Eaton Co., MI, d 28 Dec 1924, Charlotte, Eaton Co., MI.
10. George Walter SHERMAN b 8 Aug 1844, OH, m 24 May 1863, Brookfield, Eaton Co., MI, d 18 Jun 1900, Charlotte, Eaton Co., MI.
11. Ellen Alvira MCGAHEN b 17 Oct 1844, NY, d 13 May 1905, Vermontville, Eaton Co., MI.
12. William Maxon ROOT b 18 Aug 1837, Dover, Cuyahoga Co., OH, m (2) 29 May 1866, Cuyahoga, OH, d 11 Jan 1928, Mulliken, Eaton Co., MI.
13. Ann Elizabeth INGRAM b 22 Sep 1848, England, d 30 May 1904, Roxand, Eaton Co., MI.
14. Orrin Lorenzo ERVAY b 12 May 1848, NY, m 14 Oct 1874, Fairplains, Montcalm Co., MI, d 13 Apr 1907, Carmel, Eaton Co., MI

15. Mary Elizabeth BARNES b 3 Sep 1854, Nelson, Portage Co., OH, d 17 Apr 1919, Charlotte, Eaton Co., MI.
16. Stewart SPEAR b ca 1802, NY, m ca 1828, d ca 1856, OH.
17. Minerva STRAUS b ca 1808, PA, d 1886.
18. Jared R. AMSDEN b Aug 1827, m ca 1854, d 18 Dec 1901, Cambridge, Lenawee Co., MI.
19. Alice Ann MCGAHEN b 13 Apr 1835, NY, d 30 Jun 1910, Norville, Jackson Co., MI.
20. Thomas SHERMAN b 1 Aug 1821, Delaware, OH, m 6 Dec 1841, Springfield, Richland Co., OH, d 23 Nov 1888, Walton, Eaton Co., MI.
21. Catherine Maine WILLIAMS b 25 Oct 1822, NJ, d 8 Nov 1878, Walton, Eaton Co., MI.
22. John MCGAHEN b 14 Nov 1800, Edinburgh, Scotland, m 15 Mar 1824, NY (?), d 4 Dec 1862, Brookfield, Eaton Co., MI.
23. Sarah Ann HERBET b 15 Aug 1803, Holland (?) Germany (?), d 17 Jul 1870, Brookfield, Eaton Co., MI.
24. Joseph ROOT b 23 May 1786, Waterbury, New Haven, CT, m 6 Dec 1814, Painesville, Geauga Co., OH, d 2 Jun 1865, Dover, Cuyahoga Co., OH
25. Sally MAXON (MAXAN?) b ca 1796, CT, d 12 Dec 1878, Roxand, Eaton Co., MI, bur Coe Ridge Cem, Cuyahoga Co., OH.
26. William INGRAM (INGRAHAM) b Oct 1824, England, m ca 1847, England, d 6 May 1883, Cleveland, Cuyahoga Co., OH.
27. Eliza TEHERAN(?) b 7 Feb 1826, England, d 10 Jul 1906, Mulliken, Eaton Co., MI, bur Maple Ridge Cem, Cuyahoga Co., OH.
28. Daniel ERVAY b Feb 1816, NY, m 28 Aug 1843, Van Buren, Onondaga Co., NY, d 20 Dec 1883, Chester, Eaton Co., MI.
29. Eliza Elizabeth WISE b 12 Feb 1822, Sharron, Schoharie Co., NY, d 1 Feb 1907, Marshall, Calhoun Co., MI.
30. Caleb James BARNES b 14 Oct 1827, Saratoga(?), NY, m 1851, d 8 Jan 1901, Fairplains, Montcalm Co., MI.
31. Lucy Maria JOHNSON b ca 1834, d 18 Mar 1893, Fairplains, Montcalm Co., MI.



32. Alexander SPEAR b 23 Aug 1779, Stoddard, Cheshire Co., NH, m (1) ca 1800, d 23 Sep 1865, Moscow, Hillsdale Co., MI.
38. John MCGAHEN b 14 Nov 1800, Edinburgh, Scotland, m 15 Aug 1824, d 4 Dec 1862, Brookfield, Eaton Co., MI.
39. Sarah HERBET b 15 Aug 1803, d 17 Jul 1870, Brookfield, Eaton Co., MI.
42. William WILLIAMS
48. Joseph ROOT b 22 May 1755, Waterbury, New Haven, CT, m 19 Jun 1777, Waterbury, New Haven, CT, d 12 Oct 1816.
49. Mary RUSSELL b 18 Sep 1757, Wallingford, New Haven Co., CT, d 3 Mar 1846, Dover, Cuyahoga Co., OH.
54. O'Votman TEHERAN(?)
55. Ann ELDRED(?)
56. Philip ERVAY b 1790-1794, NY, m Tioga, PA.
57. Phebe Amy FOGAL b NY.
58. Daniel WISE b 11 Oct 1788, German Flats, Herkimer, NY, m 9 Feb 1812, Schoharie Co., NY, d 20 Apr 1868, bur Gresham Cem, Chester, Eaton Co., MI.
59. Dorothy SHAVER (SCHAEFER) b 1 Dec 1789, NY, d 9 Apr 1890, Chester, Eaton Co., MI.
60. John Lewis BARNES b Eng.
62. Lyman JOHNSON b ca 1804, VT.
63. Elizabeth b ca 1801.
64. Allen SPEAR (SPEIR) chr. 5 Feb 1748, Kilbarchan, Renfrewshire, Scotland, m 1775, Stoddard, Cheshire Co., NH, d 15 Sep 1801, Hopewell, Ontario Co., NY.
65. Elizabeth SCOTT b 1756, Coloraine, Ireland, d 19 Sep 1826, Hopewell, Ontario Co., NY.
96. Samuel ROOT b 20 Nov 1712, Farmington, CT, m 21 May 1740, Waterbury, CT, d 17 May 1778, Waterbury, CT.
97. Elizabeth PRINDLE d 30 Jun 1785, Waterbury, CT.
98. William RUSSELL Dr. b Water Lane, Winchester, England.
99. Abigail CURTIS b 8 Jun 1730.
112. Conrad ERVAY b ca 1750, d 1819, Lansing, Tompkins Co., NY.

113. Juliana
116. Daniel WEISS b ca 1755, Germany, m 4 Mar 1781, Albany, Albany Co., NY, d 19 Apr 1819.
117. Elizabeth STRAUB b ca 1760, d 29 Jan 1843, Volney, NY.
128. Alexander SPEIR b Scotland, d Renfrewshire, Scotland.
129. Katherine STEWART (STUART) b Scotland, d Renfrewshire, Scotland.
130. Alexander SCOTT b ca 1715, d Jun 1787, Stoddard, Cheshire Co., NH.
131. Margaret d bef 1787.
192. Caleb ROOT b Farmington, CT, m 9 Aug 1693, Farmington, Hartford Co., CT d 10 Jun 1712, Farmington, CT.
193. Elizabeth SALMON b ca 1673, Westfield, MA.
194. Ebenezer PRINDLE b 10 Sep 1661, New Haven, CT, m ca 1690, d 1740, Newtown, CT.
195. Elizabeth HOBBY (HUBBY)
198. John CURTIS b 18 Sep 1699, Wallingford, CT, m 17 Jun 1723, Wallingford, CT, d 4 Apr 1775.
199. Jemima ABERNATHY b 29 Aug 1702, d 10 Mar 1771.
384. John ROOTE chr 26 Feb 1608, Bagby, Yorkshire, England, m ca 1640 Farmington, CT, d Aug 1684, Farmington, CT.
385. Mary KILBOURN(E) b ca 1619, Wood Ditton, England, d 1697 Farmington, CT. Arrived on Increase, 1635.
386. Thomas SALMON m 1659 Northampton, MA, d 29 Oct 1675, Westfield, MA. Killed by Indians.
387. Mary
388. William PRINDLE (PRINGLE) b Scotland, m 7 Dec 1655, New Haven, CT, d 1690 New Haven, CT.
389. Mary DESBOROUGH (DISBURROW) d ca 1700.
390. John HOBBY (HUBBY)
391. Sarah GRAY
396. Thomas CURTIS, Ensign, b 14 Jan 1648/9, Stratford, New Haven, CT, m 9 Jun 1674, Wallingford, CT, d 1736 (1706?).

397. Mary MERRIMAN b 12 Jul 1657, New Haven, CT.
398. William ABERNATHY b 23 Jul 1675, Wallingford, CT, d Feb 1728, Wallingford, CT.
399. Mary PECK b 14 Jul 1677, Wallingford, CT, d 1 Jan 1757, Wallingford, CT.
768. John ROOTE m ca 1600.
769. Mary (Ann?) RUSSELL
770. Thomas KILBOURN(E) m 1604. Arrived on Increase, 1635.
771. Frances MOODY
792. John CURTIS b 1611, chr 26 Feb 1614/15, Nazing, Essex, England, m ca 1641, d 2 Dec 1707, Stratford, CT.
793. Elizabeth d 9 Mar 1681/2, Stratford, CT.
794. Nathaniel MERRIMAN b 1614, d 13 Feb 1693/4, Wallingford, CT. Arrived on Whale, 1632.
795. Joan b ca 1628, d 8 Dec 1709, Wallingford, CT.
796. William ABERNATHY (EBERNATHA) m 17 Feb 1673, Wallingford, CT, d 1718.
797. Sarah DOOLITTLE
798. Eleazer PECK
799. Mary BUNNELL
1584. John CURTIS chr 15 Sep 1577, Nazing, Essex, England, m 19 Apr 1610, d 1639/40, Wethersfield, CT.
1585. Elizabeth HUTCHINS d 1658, Stratford, CT.
1594. Abraham DOOLITTLE b ca 1620, m ca 1641, d 11 Aug 1690.
1595. Joan ALLING (ALLEN) b ca 1617, d ca 1661.
3168. William CURTIS b ca 1535, d May 1585. (Buried 17 May).
3169. Agnes
3190. James ALLING (ALLEN) d 1657, Kempton, Bedford, England.

*chr stands for christened.*

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This is a copy of the entries in the birthday book belonging to Mabel Fern Root, 24 Sep 1903 - 31 Dec 1992. The book was started before she married. She resided in Eaton County from birth till 1944 except for a period of about 5 years (1923 to 1928) during which time she lived in River Rouge, Wayne Co., MI.

| <u>JANUARY</u>          | <u>DAY</u> | <u>YEAR</u> |
|-------------------------|------------|-------------|
| Wm. E. ROOT             | 11         | 1902        |
| Kitty HOSEY             | 27         | 1893        |
| Florence A. SPEAR       | 20         | 1928        |
| Dorothy Jean WHITEFIELD | 28         | 1928        |
| Vera HOSEY              | 8          | 1904        |
| Carl BOYER              | 26         | 1890        |
| Eldon HOSEY             | 19         | 1933        |
| Ed VEDDER               | 23         | 1874        |
| Roy BISHOP              | 24         | 1893        |
| Sue BISHOP              | 26         | 1893        |
| Lawrence CRAMER         | 29         | 1913        |
| Lura AUSTIN             | 29         | 1915        |
| Roger HOSEY             | 21         | 1937        |
| Buddy ERVAY             | 14         | 1934        |
| Eileen WALCH            | 4          | 1930        |
| Janet COLES             | 4          | 1930        |
| Shirley ROOT            | 20         | 1924        |

| <u>FEBRUARY</u>       | <u>DAY</u> | <u>YEAR</u> |
|-----------------------|------------|-------------|
| Kay Joan POST         | 13         | 1930        |
| Maxine AUSTIN         | 6          | 1918        |
| Harry HOLBROOK        | 18         | 1894        |
| Myron HOSEY           | 25         | 1890        |
| Weston COMPTON        | 13         | 1933        |
| Beatrice ROOT COMPTON | 13         | 1915        |
| Doyle ROOT            | 16         | 1934        |
| Homer PARISH          | 6          | 1923        |
| Jessie COX            | 5          | 1898        |
| Marguerite COX        | 12         | 1926        |
| Shirley THOMAS        | 24         | 1922        |
| Elizabeth Ann PARISH  | 21         | 1936        |
| Marilyn Elaine GARNES | 9          | 1937        |
| Frank H. SHORTZ       |            | 1941        |

| <u>MARCH</u>         | <u>DAY</u> | <u>YEAR</u> |
|----------------------|------------|-------------|
| Marjorie ROOT PARISH | 29         | 1898        |
| Chas. T. AUSTIN      | 31         | 1882        |
| Mercy AUSTIN         | 8          | 1860        |
| May KNAPP            | 25         | 1877        |
| Beatrice LEAR        | 14         | 1816        |
| Myrtle AUSTIN        | 6          | 1888        |
| Mary HOSEY           | 23         | 1906        |
| Melvin HOSEY         | 13         | 1904        |
| Margaret CRAMER      | 4          | 1923        |
| Philip HOSEY         | 1          | 1900        |
| Harold HOSEY         | 17         | 1927        |
| Buelah MOE           | 10         | 1929        |
| Marion SHEPARD       | 20         | 1937        |
| Mary GROOMS          | 23         | 1859        |
| Robert P. WHITEFIELD | 10         | 1936        |

| <u>APRIL</u>    | <u>DAY</u> | <u>YEAR</u> |
|-----------------|------------|-------------|
| Howard SPEAR    | 27         | 1903        |
| Roger AUSTIN    | 2          | 1922        |
| Lyle THOMAS     | 27         | 1896        |
| Orin AUSTIN     | 16         | 1886        |
| Nelva THOMAS    | 8          | 1924        |
| David J. AUSTIN | 8          | 1937        |
| Dan AUSTIN      | 24         | 1892        |
| Lester HAIGH    | 14         | 1900        |
| Corrine ALLEN   | 29         | 1901        |

| <u>MAY</u>         | <u>DAY</u> | <u>YEAR</u> |
|--------------------|------------|-------------|
| George W. ROOT     | 27         | 1867        |
| Irma BECK ROOT     | 28         | 1911        |
| Thelma HOLBROOK    | 6          | 1918        |
| Lena Mae HAIGH     | 28         | 1928        |
| Dorothy WHITEFIELD | 10         | 1904        |
| Leo DAVIS          | 27         | 1900        |

| <u>JUNE</u>     | <u>DAY</u> | <u>YEAR</u> |
|-----------------|------------|-------------|
| Susie ROOT      | 21         | 1900        |
| Dorothy ROOT    | 22         | 1908        |
| Billie ROOT     | 28         | 1923        |
| Robert HAIGH    | 17         | 1924        |
| R.J. AUSTIN     | 11         | 1886        |
| Howard KNAPP    | 26         | 1900        |
| Chas. COOPER    | 27         | 1862        |
| Wallace AUSTIN  | 27         | 1854        |
| Glada CRAMER    | 4          | 1894        |
| Kate CRAMER     | 4          | 1863        |
| Phyllis HOSEY   | 14         | 1929        |
| Stuart AUSTIN   | 18         | 1935        |
| Glen JACKSON    | 21         | 1897        |
| J. Roderic GARN | 5          | 1935        |
| Erin BROMLEY    | 21         | 1910        |

| <u>JULY</u>       | <u>DAY</u> | <u>YEAR</u> |
|-------------------|------------|-------------|
| Madeline PARISH   | 24         | 1921        |
| Cedric AUSTIN     | 16         | 1913        |
| Kathryn HOLBROOK  | 20         | 1920        |
| Archie HOSEY, Jr. | 23         | 1935        |
| Roy PARISH        | 30         | 1930        |

| <u>AUGUST</u>   | <u>DAY</u> | <u>YEAR</u> |
|-----------------|------------|-------------|
| George L. ROOT  | 13         | 1906        |
| Donald HAIGH    | 19         | 1922        |
| Jerry AUSTIN    | 16         | 1933        |
| Lawrence AUSTIN | 14         | 1901        |
| Florence AUSTIN | 16         | 1908        |
| Edna HOLBROOK   | 22         | 1896        |
| Sarah COOPER    | 22         | 18 ?        |

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|---------------------|----|------|
| Simon CRAMER        | 26 | 1852 |
| Audra HOSEY         | 13 | 1925 |
| Henry CRAMER        | 27 | 1893 |
| Ruby BOYER          | 5  | 1897 |
| Pearl DILLY         | 7  | 1880 |
| Norma THOMAS        | 22 | 1929 |
| Phyllis LEAR        | 30 | 1934 |
| Jennie PIERCEFIELD  | 31 | 1865 |
| Colleen JONES       | 23 | 1927 |
| Monte J. WHITEFIELD | 25 | 1930 |

| SEPTEMBER      | DAY | YEAR |
|----------------|-----|------|
| Melissa SPEAR  | 10  | 1865 |
| Mabel ROOT     | 24  | 1903 |
| Laurence KNAPP | 24  | 1878 |
| James JACKSON  | 25  | 1866 |
| Visa AUSTIN    | 25  | 1893 |
| Frank AUSTIN   | 17  | 1890 |
| Nadine AUSTIN  | 15  | 1919 |
| Thurlow NICOL  | 7   | 1905 |

| OCTOBER           | DAY | YEAR |
|-------------------|-----|------|
| Wayne Haigh       | 10  | 1926 |
| Ardelia HOSEY     | 28  | 1926 |
| Clifford HOUGHTON | 3   | 1896 |

|                  |    |      |
|------------------|----|------|
| Ronald Lee LEAR  | 15 | 1937 |
| Cassie THOMAS    | 11 | 1898 |
| Lloyd B. AUSTIN  | 8  | 1938 |
| Loyal C. AUSTIN  | 8  | 1938 |
| Stanley POST     | 17 | 1906 |
| George R. PARISH | 23 | 1925 |
| Jerry LeRoy ROOT | 4  | 1943 |
| E.A. LEMBECK II  | 28 | 1924 |

| NOVEMBER         | DAY | YEAR |
|------------------|-----|------|
| Dema Sherry ROOT | 2   | 1931 |
| Blake PARISH     | 29  | 1919 |
| Eddie RUSSELL    | 27  | 1930 |
| Elaine DAVIS     | 30  | 1930 |

| DECEMBER             | DAY | YEAR |
|----------------------|-----|------|
| Florence ROOT        | 25  | 1875 |
| Mabel Jane AUSTIN    | 3   | 1931 |
| Linna Mae AUSTIN     | 2   | 1930 |
| Edris AUSTIN         | 28  | 1923 |
| Donald HOSEY         | 8   | 1929 |
| LaVerne PURDY        | 19  | 1917 |
| Marilla AUSTIN       | 13  | 1886 |
| Sally Ann WHITEFIELD | ?   | 1939 |

Submitted by Florence Spear Lembeck



## New On the Bookshelf

Additions to the Collection of the ECGS.  
The following list, combined with the list given in #14 ECQ, concludes the list of new materials acquired during 1993. Issue #16 ECQ will begin with materials acquired since Jan 1994. Thereafter, each QUEST will list additions since previous QUEST.



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|-----|-----|-----|-----|----------|-------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
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| CAN |     |     |     | IGI      | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Acadia              | microfiche |
| CAN |     |     |     | IGI      | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Alberta             | microfiche |
| CAN |     |     |     | IGI      | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for British Columbia    | microfiche |
| CAN |     |     |     | IGI      | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Manitoba            | microfiche |
| CAN |     |     |     | IGI      | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for New Brunswick       | microfiche |
| CAN |     |     |     | IGI      | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for New Foundland       | microfiche |
| CAN |     |     |     | IGI      | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Northwest Territory | microfiche |
| CAN |     |     |     | IGI      | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Nova Scotia         | microfiche |
| CAN |     |     |     | IGI      | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Ontario             | microfiche |
| CAN |     |     |     | IGI      | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Prince Edward Isle  | microfiche |
| CAN |     |     |     | IGI      | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Province Unknown    | microfiche |
| CAN |     |     |     | IGI      | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Quebec              | microfiche |
| CAN |     |     |     | IGI      | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Saskatchewan        | microfiche |
| CAN |     |     |     | IGI      | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Yukon Territory     | microfiche |



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|--------|-----------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| IRE    | IGI             | Complete set of the 1992 IGI microfiche for Ireland, all counties  | microfiche |
| SCO    | IGI             | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Midlothian                 | microfiche |
| SCO    | IGI             | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Stirling                   | microfiche |
| SWE    | General         | "Swedish America- An Introduction," by Nils Hasselmo, 1976         | 100.90     |
| SWE    | IGI             | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Orebro                     | microfiche |
| SWE    | IGI             | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Ostergotland               | microfiche |
| SWE    | IGI             | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Sodermanland               | microfiche |
| SWE    | IGI             | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Stockholm                  | microfiche |
| SWE    | IGI             | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Vastmanland                | microfiche |
| SWE    | IGI             | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Uppsala                    | microfiche |
| USA    | Census          | Official U.S. Census Form- 1990- 20 page form booklet              | VF483      |
| USA    | General         | "Swedish America- An Introduction," by Nils Hasselmo, 1976         | 100.90     |
| USA    | General         | Harry S. Truman, Memorial Tributes Delivered in Congress, 1973     | 100.97     |
| USA    | History         | "American Colonial & Revolutionary History," by Smelser, 1969      | 100.88     |
| USA    | History         | "From Puritan to Yankee- Character & the Social Order in Conn..."  | 100.70     |
| USA    | History         | "Meeting House And Counting House- The Quaker Merchants of..."     | 100.67     |
| USA    | History         | "My Native Land, Life In America, 1790-1870," by Tryon, 1961       | 100.73     |
| USA    | History         | "Our Colonial Heritage: Plymouth And Jamestown," by White, 1980    | 100.64     |
| USA    | History         | "The New England Merchants In The Seventeenth Century," 1979       | 100.68     |
| USA    | History         | "The Pilgrim Way," by Robert Merrill Bartlett, 1971                | 100.61     |
| USA    | History         | "The Quiet Rebels, The Story of the Quakers in America," 1985      | 100.69     |
| USA    | History         | "Wayward Puritans-A Study In The Sociology of Deviance," 1966      | 100.79     |
| USA    | History         | "We Were New England- Yankee Life By Those Who Lived It," 1937     | 100.60     |
| USA    | IGI             | Batch Number Index with Explanations                               | microfiche |
| USA    | IGI             | Parish & Vital Records List                                        | microfiche |
| USA    | Map             | "Hammond's Superior Map of the United States"                      | OS.64      |
| USA    | Map             | "The Making of America-Atlantic Gateways"                          | OS.49      |
| USA    | Military        | "D.A.R. Patriot Index," cpyrt 1967, pub. 1981, 771 pages w/index   | 100.94     |
| USA    | Military        | "John Adams And The American Revolution," by Catherine Bowen 1976  | 100.81     |
| USA    | Military        | "Private Yankee Doodle...A Narrative...of a Revolutionary Soldier" | 100.84     |
| USA    | Military        | "Revolutionary America An Interpretive Overview," by Calhoun, 1976 | 100.71     |
| USA    | Military        | "The American Revolution- 1763-1783- A Bicentennial Collection"    | 100.62     |
| USA    | Military        | "The American Revolution- 1775-1783," by John R. Alden, 1954       | 100.63     |
| USA    | Military        | "The American Revolution-In Notes, Quotes & Anecdotes," 1975       | 100.80     |
| USA    | Military        | "The Civil War Soldiers System"- a project of Nat. Park Service    | VF455      |
| USA    | Military        | "The Glorious Revolution in America," by Hall, Leder, Kammen, 1964 | 100.59     |
| USA    | Military        | Civil War Organizations- List of the organizations, their history  | VF438      |
| USA    | Military        | Discharge records- 1940's 1980's                                   | 400.       |
| USA    | Misc            | 1) photocopy Abraham Lincoln and his family; 2) Frank Fitzgerald   | VF454      |
| USA    | Native American | Complete set of the 1992 IGI microfiche for Native Americans       | microfiche |
| USA    | Organization    | "Some Masonic Symbols"- art. copied from 1993 Early American Life  | VF451      |
| USA    | Reference       | "American Biography- A New Cyclopedia," XXXVII, pub. 1929, 360p.   | 100.57     |
| USA    | Reference       | "Locating Your Immigrant Ancestor," guide, by Neagles, 1975        | 100.93     |
| USA    | Reference       | "New England Cemeteries- A Collector's Guide," by Kull, 1975       | 100.76     |
| USA    | Reference       | "Surname Index to 65 Volumes of Colonial/Revolutionary Pedigrees"  | 100.95     |
| USA    | Surname         | New England families- "One Hundred And Sixty Allied Families"      | 900.42     |
| USA AK | IGI             | Complete set of the 1992 IGI microfiche for Arkansas               | microfiche |
| USA AK | Map             | "The Making of America-Alaska"                                     | OS.49      |
| USA AL | IGI             | Complete set of the 1992 IGI microfiche for Alabama                | microfiche |
| USA AZ | IGI             | Complete set of the 1992 IGI microfiche for Arizona                | microfiche |
| USA CT | IGI             | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Connecticut                | microfiche |
| USA CT | Reference       | "Some Connecticut Nutmeggers Who Immigrated," 1988, 318 pages      | 200.39     |
| USA GA | IGI             | Complete set of the 1992 IGI microfiche for Georgia                | microfiche |
| USA GA | Periodical      | "The Family Tree"- 1993 Apr/May, v.IV #2                           | 500.16b    |
| USA GA | Periodical      | "The Family Tree"- 1993 Jun/Jul, v.IV #3                           | 500.16b    |
| USA GA | Periodical      | "The Family Tree"- 1993, v.IV #4                                   | 500.16b    |

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| USA GA        | Periodical  | "The Family Tree"- 1993, v.IV #5                                  | 500.16b           |
| USA GA        | Periodical  | "The Family Tree"- 1993-1994 Dec/Jan, v.IV #6                     | 500.16b           |
| USA IL        | IGI         | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Illinois                  | microfiche        |
| USA IL        | Periodical  | "Illinois Magazine"- 1989 Jan-Dec, v.28, #1 thru #6 consecutive   | 500.23.2          |
| USA IL        | Periodical  | "Illinois Magazine"- 1990 Jan-Dec, v.29, #1 thru #6 consecutive   | 500.23.2          |
| USA IL        | Periodical  | "Illinois Magazine"- 1991, v.30 #1,#2,#3,#4,#6                    | 500.23.2          |
| USA IL        | Periodical  | Illinois State Genealogical Soc. Quarterly- 1989 Jan-Dec complete | 500.50 go to .54? |
| USA IL        | Periodical  | Illinois State Genealogical Soc. Quarterly- 1990 Jan-Dec complete | 500.50 go to .54? |
| USA IL        | Periodical  | Illinois State Genealogical Soc. Quarterly- 1991 Jan-Dec complete | 500.50 go to .54? |
| USA IL Co Chi | Misc        | Booklet of the Chicago World's Columbian Exposition, 1893         | VF468             |
| USA IL In     | School      | Michigan State University yearbook "Wolverine" 1934               | SC.61             |
| USA IL In     | School      | Michigan State University yearbook "Wolverine" 1956               | SC.61             |
| USA IL In     | School      | MSU- "Michigan State College, 1855-1955... Centennial Wolverine"  | SC.63             |
| USA IN        | IGI         | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Indiana                   | microfiche        |
| USA KY        | IGI         | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Kentucky                  | microfiche        |
| USA LA        | IGI         | Complete set of the 1992 IGI microfiche for Louisiana             | microfiche        |
| USA MA        | History     | "Builders of the Bay Colony," by Samuel Eliot Morison, 1958       | 100.85            |
| USA MA        | History     | "Four Generations:Population, Land, & Family in Colonial Andover" | 100.74            |
| USA MA        | History     | "Genealogies of the Hadley Families," by Lucius M. Boltwood, 1979 | 100.66            |
| USA MA        | History     | "History And Genealogy of the Mayflower Planters," by Hills, 1977 | 100.78            |
| USA MA        | History     | "Journal of the English Plantation at Plimoth," Readex Microprint | 100.83            |
| USA MA        | History     | "Mayflower," pub. 1970, booklet                                   | 100.92            |
| USA MA        | History     | "Saga of the Pilgrims-From Europe to the New World," Harris, 1990 | 100.58            |
| USA MA        | History     | "The Founding of Massachusetts," by Edmund S. Morgan, 1964        | 100.87            |
| USA MA        | History     | "The Mayflower & The Pilgrim Fathers," pub. 1970                  | 100.91            |
| USA MA        | History     | "The Pilgrims And Their History," by Roland G. Usher, Ph.D, 1918  | 100.65            |
| USA MA        | History     | "William Bradford of Plymouth Plantation-The Pilgrims in America" | 100.75            |
| USA MA        | History     | "Winthrop's Boston-A Portrait of a Puritan Town, 1630-1649," 1972 | 100.72            |
| USA MA        | Periodical  | Governor William Bradford Compact Bulletin- Issue #30, Jan 1958   | 500.57            |
| USA MA        | Periodical  | Governor William Bradford Compact Bulletin- Issue #31, Apr 1959   | 500.57            |
| USA MA        | Periodical  | Governor William Bradford Compact Bulletin- Issue #32, Apr 1960   | 500.57            |
| USA MA        | Reference   | "List of Freeman of Massachusetts, 1630-1691," by Paige, 1980     | 200.42            |
| USA MA        | New History | "Patriots & Partisans- The Merchants of Newburyport, 1764-1815"   | 100.86            |
| USA MD        | Periodical  | Maryland Geneal. Soc. Bulletin- 1982, v.23 #1                     | 500.56            |
| USA MD        | Periodical  | Maryland Geneal. Soc. Bulletin- 1988, v.29 #1,2,3,4 complete      | 500.56            |
| USA MD        | Periodical  | Maryland Geneal. Soc. Bulletin- 1989, v.30 #1,2,3,4 complete      | 500.56            |
| USA MD        | Periodical  | Western Maryland Genealogy- 1985 Jan-Dec, v.1 #1,2,3,4 complete   | 500.55            |
| USA MI        | Census      | Index to the 1850 Federal Population Census of Michigan- 1 fiche  | MF.9              |
| USA MI        | Census      | Michigan 1870 Census Index, Vol. 3- soft cover                    | 600.54 ref        |
| USA MI        | Church      | "Trinity Family Album, Lansing, Michigan 1992"                    | 600.58            |
| USA MI        | Church      | 84th Convention of Western Mich. Protestant Epis. Church, 1958    | 300.90            |
| USA MI        | Church      | 88th Convention of Western Mich. Protestant Epis. Church, 1962    | 300.90            |
| USA MI        | Church      | 89th Convention of Western Mich. Protestant Epis. Church, 1963    | 300.90            |
| USA MI        | Church      | 92nd Convention of Western Mich. Protestant Epis. Church, 1966    | 300.90            |
| USA MI        | Church      | 93rd Convention of Western Mich. Protestant Epis. Church, 1967    | 300.90            |
| USA MI        | Church      | 95th Convention of Western Mich. Protestant Epis. Church, 1969    | 300.90            |
| USA MI        | Church      | 96th Convention of Western Mich. Protestant Epis. Church, 1971    | 300.90            |
| USA MI        | Church      | 98th Convention of Western Mich. Protestant Epis. Church, 1972    | 300.90            |
| USA MI        | Guide       | "Michigan Lodging & Tourism Directory" 1993-1994                  | VF453             |
| USA MI        | History     | "Yesterday in Hodunk- Voices from the Michigan Countryside"       | 300.81            |
| USA MI        | IGI         | Complete set of the 1992 IGI microfiche for Louisiana             | microfiche        |
| USA MI        | Military    | "A Guide To Researching Michigan Civil War Ancestors,"by Houghton | VF479             |
| USA MI        | Misc        | Michigan Resident Hunting Licenses (2), back patch, 1938 & 1940   | VF449             |
| USA MI        | Misc        | State of Michigan Special Tributes- All name index                | Misc.23 index ref |
| USA MI        | Periodical  | "Michigan History Magazine"- 1989, v.73 #1 thru #6, consecutive   | 500.28            |
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| USA MI        | Periodical      | "Michigan History Magazine"- 1991, v.75 #1 thru #4 (Jan-Oct)      | 500.28       |
| USA MI        | Periodical      | Northeast Roots & Branches- 1993 Jul- v.1 #3                      | 500.54       |
| USA MI        | Photograph      | Group of ladies, all identified: Faye, Britton, Hall, Hodskis.... | P443         |
| USA MI        | Photograph      | Group of men + article on Albion Three-Quarters-Century Club      | P460         |
| USA MI        | Reference       | "Born in Ohio, Living In Southwest Michigan in 1860 (census)"     | 300.92       |
| USA MI        | Reference       | "Broken Ties- The Scrapbooks of Bessie Townsend- Obits. of....."  | 300.80       |
| USA MI        | Reference       | "Evolution of Michigan Townships,"Occasional Paper Number 4, 1972 | 100.95       |
| USA MI        | Reference       | "Genealogy/American Local Hist. in the Michigan St. Library, 1915 | 100.98       |
| USA MI        | Reference       | "Michigan History Salutes the Mich. Safety Commission" 1991       | 300.45.2     |
| USA MI        | Reference       | "Michigan Tour Guide," Travel Pass Tour Books, 1991, 139 pages    | 300.95       |
| USA MI        | Reference       | Research in Ohio- Lecture Outlines from 1993 ECGS workshop        | VF437        |
| USA MI        | Cad Map         | 1993 city map published in June 1993 newspaper                    | VF469        |
| USA MI        | Gay Guide       | "1993 Travel Planner- Golf, Gaylord, Michigan- Golf Mecca of...." | VF453        |
| USA MI        | Roc History     | "From Sawmill to City-The Long Years Passing.A Story of Rockford" | 300.82       |
| USA MI ?      | Fli Phonebook   | Flint area 1989-1990                                              |              |
| USA MI ?      | MtP Phonebook   | Mt. Pleasant 1988                                                 |              |
| USA MI ?      | MtP Phonebook   | Mt. Pleasant 1989                                                 |              |
| USA MI A1     | Map             | Map of Barry County one side / Allegan County on other side, 1991 | OS.54        |
| USA MI Ba     | Census          | "Index to 1860 Federal Census, Barry County, Michigan," book form | 600.53 ref   |
| USA MI Ba     | Map             | Map of Barry County one side / Allegan County on other side, 1991 | OS.54        |
| USA MI Ba     | Military        | List of Civil War soldiers who were living in Barry Co. in 1894   | VF477        |
| USA MI Ba     | Periodical      | Barry County Historical Society quarterly-v.28 #6 Feb 1993 (sic*) | 500.49       |
| USA MI Ba     | Periodical      | Barry County Historical Society quarterly-v.29 #1 Jan 1993        | 500.49       |
| USA MI Ba Nas | Misc            | Article pertaining to Lyle French and his button collecting hobby | VF457        |
| USA MI Be     | History         | "History of Berrien & Van Buren Counties, Michigan," Ensign, 1880 | 300.94       |
| USA MI Ca Alb | Periodical      | Albion Historical Society Newsletter- v.26 #2,#3- 1993 May & Sep  | 500.2        |
| USA MI Ca BC  | Phonebook       | Battle Creek Area- Feb 1991                                       |              |
| USA MI Ca BC  | Phonebook       | Battle Creek Area- Nov 1986                                       |              |
| USA MI Ca BC  | Phonebook       | Battle Creek-Marshall area 1979-1980                              |              |
| USA MI Ca Mar | Phonebook       | Battle Creek-Marshall area 1979-1980                              |              |
| USA MI Ea     | Atlas           | "Index of Landowners of Eaton County, Michigan, 1873"             | 600.51 ref   |
| USA MI Ea     | Atlas           | 1913                                                              | OS.9         |
| USA MI Ea     | Business        | "Salute To Women In Business," special ed. of Charlotte SG, 1989  | VF474        |
| USA MI Ea     | Census          | 1920 federal census-microfilm                                     | microfilm    |
| USA MI Ea     | Courthouse      | Clipping, 18 Mar 1914 Charlotte Tribune, truck climbing steps     | VF448        |
| USA MI Ea     | Courthouse      | Two flyers detailing the 1885 courthouse, w/photo, ca. 1970-1975  | VF473        |
| USA MI Ea     | Directory       | 1916-1921 Eaton County Rural Directory                            |              |
| USA MI Ea     | History         | "A History of Settlements From 1840-1910, Eaton County," 1993     | 600.52       |
| USA MI Ea     | Landowners      | "First Land Owners of Eaton Co., Michigan," Gray & Williams, 1967 | 600.52 ref   |
| USA MI Ea     | Map             | 1965, School Districts                                            | OS.55        |
| USA MI Ea     | Military        | G.A.R., S.O.V. & Daug. of Veterans, misc. papers dating 1884-1993 | VF431        |
| USA MI Ea     | Misc            | Newspaper clippings, local events, people, for 1975               | VF461        |
| USA MI Ea     | Misc            | Newspaper clippings, local events, people, for 1987               | VF460        |
| USA MI Ea     | Organizations   | Records of the Altruistic Club of Charlotte spanning 1914-1993    | Clubs.12     |
| USA MI Ea     | Photograph      | 2 group photos, Warren family & F&AM, late 1800's, all identified | P461         |
| USA MI Ea     | Photograph      | Identified photos (2), Hattie Finch & Ora Owens, both Charlotte   | P447         |
| USA MI Ea     | Photograph      | Unidentified photos (22), all taken Charlotte, E.R., & L. Odessa  | P446         |
| USA MI Ea     | Plat Book       | (supposed 1943) plat book....All name index compiled by G. Reeve  | 600.47       |
| USA MI Ea     | Plat Book       | 1957, Farm plat book.....All name index compiled by G. Reeve      | 600.47       |
| USA MI Ea     | Postcard        | Courthouse (1885)                                                 | Scrapbook.38 |
| USA MI Ea     | School          | Dimondale High School Commencement Exercises program- 1893 class  | VF497        |
| USA MI Ea     | School          | Eaton County School Directories- 1936-1937                        | SC.45        |
| USA MI Ea     | School          | Map of School Districts                                           | OS.55        |
| USA MI Ea     | Sheriff Records | List- men who have held office of Eaton Co. sheriff 1838-1972     | VF495        |
| USA MI Ea Bel | History         | "Foundations Of A Century Of Progress In Bellevue, MI- 1833-1933" | Bellevue.4   |
| USA MI Ea Bel | Newspapers      | Bellevue Gazette 1976 Oct 6                                       | Newspaper.5  |
| USA MI Ea Bel | School          | "Bellevue Community Schools," pub. 1986, histories/class photos   | Bellevue.5   |

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| USA MI Ea Ben School        | Hovey School Dist. No. 1- Ledger of records, 1886-1944            | SC.64        |
| USA MI Ea Car Cemetery      | "Cemetery Inscriptions and Records of Carmel Twp., Eaton Co., MI" | 300.97       |
| USA MI Ea Cha Directory     | 1962 Charlotte and Eaton Rapids                                   | directories  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Directory     | 1964 Charlotte City Directory                                     | directories  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Directory     | 1968 Charlotte City Directory                                     | directories  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Directory     | 1976 Charlotte & Eaton Rapids City Directory                      |              |
| USA MI Ea Cha Directory     | 1988 Charlotte City Directory                                     | directories  |
| USA MI Ea Cha History       | "Charlotte 1863-1963" published 1963                              | Charlotte.7  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspaper     | Charlotte Republican 21 Oct 1976                                  | Newspaper.5  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspaper     | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 21 Oct 1976                          | Newspaper.5  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspaper     | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 28 Oct 1976                          | Newspaper.5  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 2 Oct 1952                           | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 3 Jun 1910                           | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 4 Aug 1944                           | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 5 Jan 1934                           | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 5 Nov 1959                           | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 8 Oct 1959                           | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 10 Jun 1949                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 13 Aug 1959                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 14 Jul 1965                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 15 Oct 1959                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 17 Sep 1943                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 17 Sep 1948                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 18 Jun 1937                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 20 Jun 1957                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 22 Jul 1949                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 22 Oct 1959                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 23 Mar 1934                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 24 Jun 1971                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 25 Oct 1940                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 26 Aug 1949                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 26 May 1944                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 27 Feb 1931                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 27 Oct 1965                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 28 Jul 1944                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 29 Oct 1959                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 30 Jul 1948                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Republican-Tribune 31 Jan 1941                          | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Tribune 11 Mar 1914                                     | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Newspapers    | Charlotte Tribune 18 Mar 1914                                     | Newspaper.3  |
| USA MI Ea Cha Organizations | G.A.R., A.S. Williams Post #40, large photo of members, 1914      | P458         |
| USA MI Ea Cha Phonebook     | 1992-1993 Charlotte Area White/Yellow Pages                       |              |
| USA MI Ea Cha Photograph    | Large Photo of 14 men, not identified, ca. 1890-1900              | P455os       |
| USA MI Ea Cha Photograph    | Photo of 33 men, women, & children in yard, late 1800's           | P456os       |
| USA MI Ea Cha Photograph    | Photo of large group of men inside cigar store, late 1800's       | P457os       |
| USA MI Ea Cha Photograph    | Rathbun-photocopy of family & home of James & Leona Rathbun, 1911 | P459         |
| USA MI Ea Cha Photograph    | Various scenes of Charlotte, postcards and photographs            | VF432        |
| USA MI Ea Cha Postcard      | Bennett Park, 1912, addressed to J.A. Davis, Mulliken             | VF498        |
| USA MI Ea Cha Postcard      | Congregational Church                                             | Scrapbook.38 |
| USA MI Ea Cha Postcard      | Fountain looking west on Lawrence Ave.                            | Scrapbook.38 |
| USA MI Ea Cha Postcard      | Fountain on Lawrence Ave.                                         | Scrapbook.38 |
| USA MI Ea Cha Postcard      | High School building                                              | Scrapbook.38 |
| USA MI Ea Cha Postcard      | Masonic Temple                                                    | Scrapbook.38 |
| USA MI Ea Cha Postcard      | Masonic Temple, 1912, addressed to Elsie A. Davis, Mulliken       | VF498        |
| USA MI Ea Cha Postcard      | Methodist Church                                                  | Scrapbook.38 |
| USA MI Ea Cha Postcard      | Public Library                                                    | Scrapbook.38 |
| USA MI Ea Cha Postcard      | School- card dated 1909, addressed to Miss Elsie Davis, Mulliken  | VF498        |



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| USA MI Ea Cha Postcard  | Waterworks building                                                | Scrapbook.38       |
| USA MI Ea Cha Postcards | Various scenes of Charlotte                                        | Scrapbook.38       |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | Charlotte High School yearbook- "Delphian"- 1918                   | SC.12              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | Charlotte High School yearbook- "Delphian"- 1919                   | SC.12              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | Charlotte High School yearbook- "Delphian"- 1926                   | SC.12              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | Charlotte High School yearbook- "Delphian"- 1927                   | SC.12              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | Charlotte High School yearbook- "Delphian"- 1928                   | SC.12              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | Charlotte High School yearbook- "Delphian"- 1929                   | SC.12              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | Charlotte High School yearbook- "Delphian"- 1930                   | SC.12              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | Charlotte High School yearbook- "Delphian"- 1931                   | SC.12              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | Charlotte High School yearbook- "Delphian"- 1932                   | SC.12              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | High School- Orange & Black newspaper- v.5 #1-13- 1929-1930        | VF359              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | High School- Orange & Black newspaper- v.6 #1-10- 1930-1931        | VF359              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | High School- Orange & Black newspaper- v.7 #1-11- 1931-1932        | VF359              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | High School- Orange & Black newspaper- v.8 #1-16- 1932-1933        | VF359              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | High School- Orange & Black newspaper- v.9 #1,3,4,5 1933           | VF359              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | High School- Orange & Black newspaper- v.? #1-10- 1928-1929        | VF359              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | High School- Orioles 1992-1993 Winter Sports Program, booklet      | VF458              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | Public School- "Catalogue of the Charlotte Public School for..."   | SC.32              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | Public Schools- Newsletter- "Communicator", v.IV no. 4- Apr 1993   | VF246              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | Public Schools- Newsletter- "Communicator", v.IV no. 6- Jun 1993   | VF246              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | Public Schools- Newsletter- "Communicator", v.V no. 1- Sep 1993    | VF246              |
| USA MI Ea Cha School    | Public Schools- Newsletter- "Communicator", v.V no. 2- Nov 1993    | VF246              |
| USA MI Ea Cha Scrapbook | Manila envelope of newspaper clippings for 1975-1976               | ? haven't assigned |
| USA MI Ea ER Business   | Letter to soldiers, 15 Jul 1918, from Geo. Joslin at Horner Woolen | VF456              |
| USA MI Ea ER Cemetery   | Cemeteries of Eaton Rapids Twp., Occasional Paper No. 3            | 700.4 ref          |
| USA MI Ea ER Directory  | 1976 Charlotte & Eaton Rapids City Directory                       |                    |
| USA MI Ea ER History    | "The Only Eaton Rapids On Earth," by W. Scott Munn, undated        | Eaton Rapids.9     |
| USA MI Ea ER History    | Newspaper article, E.R. Journal, 14 Oct 1970, Charlesworth church  | VF464              |
| USA MI Ea ER Military   | V.F.W. National Home Alumni Association-Membership Directory 1951  | VF484              |
| USA MI Ea ER Photograph | Roberts- Family reunion at Eaton Rapids, ca. 1917, photo           | P454               |
| USA MI Ea ER Postcard   | Clara & John Squires to Philo Squires, 1967, trip to England       | VF463              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | 32nd Annual Reunion Eaton Rapids High School Alumni-silk ribbon    | VF500              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Class photo, 9th grade, of Eaton Rapids class, 1935-6, identified  | P444               |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1942                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1944                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1947                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1948                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1949                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1950                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1952                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1953                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1954                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1955                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1956                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1956                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1957                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1958                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1959                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1960                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1962                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1967                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1968                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1969                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1970                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1971                | SC.17              |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1972                | SC.17              |



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| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1974               | SC.17       |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1976?              | SC.17       |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1977               | SC.17       |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1977-78?           | SC.17       |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1981               | SC.17       |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1983               | SC.17       |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1984               | SC.17       |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1985               | SC.17       |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Eatonian," 1986               | SC.17       |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Mascot," 1916                 | SC.14       |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Eaton Rapids High School- Yearbook "Mascot," 1917                 | SC.14       |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | Graduation announcement, Eaton Rapids High School Seniors, 1940   | VF462       |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | School Dist. No. 18, Eaton Rapids Twp., formerly Tyler, 1848-65   | SC.65       |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | School Dist. No. 18, Eaton Rapids Twp., record book, 1865-95      | SC.66       |
| USA MI Ea ER School     | School Dist. No. 18, ER/Hamlin Twp., record book, 1865-95         | SC.66       |
| USA MI Ea GL Directory  | 1956 Grand Ledge City Directory                                   | directories |
| USA MI Ea GL Map        | (Bird's Eye) View of the Village of Grand Ledge, 1881             | OS.62       |
| USA MI Ea GL Photo      | Group (club?) of young ladies, taken 1887, all identified         | P436        |
| USA MI Ea GL Photograph | Possibly charter members of Grand Ledge Rotary Club? ca. 1900-10  | VF442       |
| USA MI Ea Ham School    | Program, Hamlin Dist. No. 15, Historical Marker Dedication, 1993  | VF478       |
| USA MI Ea Ham School    | School Dist. No. 18, ER/Hamlin Twp., record book, 1865-95         | SC.66       |
| USA MI Ea Ham School    | School Dist. No. 18, Hamlin Twp., record book, 1906-1910          | SC.67       |
| USA MI Ea Ham School    | School Dist. No. 18, Hamlin Twp., record book, 1907-1910          | SC.68       |
| USA MI Ea Ham School    | School Dist. No. 18, Hamlin Twp., record book, 1909-1933          | SC.69       |
| USA MI Ea Ham School    | School Dist. No. 18, Hamlin Twp., record book, 1910-1913          | SC.70       |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Chronicle 1986 Mar 11                                      | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Chronicle 1986 Mar 18                                      | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1974 Mar 6                                           | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1977 Apr 20                                          | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1977 Jul 13                                          | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1977 Jun 29                                          | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1977 Jun 8                                           | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1977 Mar 9                                           | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1977 May 4                                           | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1977 Oct 5                                           | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1978 Oct 25                                          | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1982 Aug 11                                          | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1982 Dec 22                                          | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1983 Dec 28                                          | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1983 Jan 19                                          | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1983 Jan 5                                           | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1984 Apr 4                                           | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1984 Aug 29                                          | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1984 Oct 24                                          | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1984 Sep 19                                          | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea 01i Newspaper | Olivet Optic 1985 Mar 27                                          | Newspaper.5 |
| USA MI Ea Pot Misc      | Celebrate July 4th Potterville Days, July 2 & 3, 1993             | VF459       |
| USA MI Ea Pot Postcard  | Grand Trunk Depot, Potterville, undated, ca. turn of century      | P451        |
| USA MI Ea Rox Cemetery  | Transcription of all Roxand Twp. cemeteries                       | 700.10 ref  |
| USA MI Ea Sun Military  | G.A.R., S.O.V. & Daug. of Veterans, misc. papers dating 1884-1993 | VF431       |
| USA MI Ea Sun Phonebook | November 1992                                                     |             |
| USA MI Ea Sun Postcard  | Scene from Sunfield- man driving buffalo                          | VF432       |
| USA MI Ea Sun Postcard  | Sunfield Main Street, Aug. (67), 1904, photocopy of postcard      | P452        |
| USA MI Ea Sun School    | "Rural Schools of Sunfield Township," compiled 1992 Betty Jackson | Sunfield.4  |
| USA MI Ea Sun School    | Dow School- Photocopy of school souvenir, Apr-Jun 1899            | VF480       |

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| USA MI Ea Sun Scrapbook  | Obituary clippings for Eaton Co. residents, emphasis Sunfield area obit.10 ref |                |
| USA MI Ea Ver History    | "The Vermontville Colony," by Edward W. Barber, 1897, 93 p.                    | Vermontville.  |
| USA MI Ea Ver History    | "Vermontville's Heritage," a pub. sponsored by Ver. Hist. Soc.                 | Vermontville.2 |
| USA MI Ea Ver History    | Vermontville Miscellaneous- folder of misc. material                           | VF435          |
| USA MI EA Ver Newspapers | Maple Syrup Festival 1993- 25nd Annual Souvenir Edition, 20 Apr                | VF239          |
| USA MI Ea Ver School     | Patterson School, 1914-1915 class photo, pupils identified                     | P441           |
| USA MI GT History        | "Old Settlers of the Grand Traverse Region," by Wait, 1918 (1978)              | 300.96         |
| USA MI In Phonebook      | Lansing & Tri-County Area 1990-1991                                            |                |
| USA MI In Phonebook      | Lansing & Tri-County Area- 1991-1992                                           |                |
| USA MI In Phonebook      | Lansing 1985-1986                                                              |                |
| USA MI In Phonebook      | Lansing Area- 1989-1990                                                        |                |
| USA MI IN EL Postcard    | Wells Hall, Agricultural College                                               | Scrapbook.38   |
| USA MI In Lan Directory  | 1976 Lansing Area Doctors Directory                                            | 300.102        |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1956, 1-15 Dec                  | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1956, 16-30 Nov                 | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1956, 16-31 Dec                 | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1958, 1-15 Jun                  | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1958, 16-30 Jun                 | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1959, 1-15 Jul                  | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1959, 1-15 Jun                  | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1959, 16-31 Jul                 | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1961, 1-15 Oct                  | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1961, 1-15 Sep                  | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1961, 16-30 Sep                 | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1961, 16-31 Oct                 | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1963, 1-15 May                  | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1963, 16-30 Apr                 | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1963, 16-31 May                 | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1965, 1-15 Apr                  | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1965, 1-15 Mar                  | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1965, 16-30 Apr                 | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Newspapers | Lansing State Journal- bound volume of papers- 1965, 16-31 Mar                 | Newspaper.6    |
| USA MI IN Lan Phonebook  | Lansing & Tri-County Area- 1992-1993                                           |                |
| USA MI IN Lan Postcard   | P.O. and City Hall                                                             | Scrapbook.38   |
| USA MI IN Lan Postcard   | Union Depot                                                                    | Scrapbook.38   |
| USA MI In Mas Directory  | 1978-1979 Mason City Directory, including Mason rural route                    |                |
| USA MI In Mas Postcard   | 2nd Ward School, Mason, Mich., undated                                         | P451           |
| USA MI Io LO History     | "Crossings- Celebrating 25 Yrs. of Service in Preserving the ..."              | 300.101        |
| USA MI Io LO School      | Lakewood High School yearbooks- "Valhalla"- 1974, 1975 & 1976                  | SC.71          |
| USA MI Io Seb Periodical | "The Sebewa Recollector"- 1990 Oct, v.26 #2                                    | 500.45         |
| USA MI Io Seb Periodical | "The Sebewa Recollector"- 1992-1993, v.28 #1 thru #6 complete                  | 500.45         |
| USA MI Io Seb Periodical | "The Sebewa Recollector"- 1993-1994, v.29 #1, #2                               | 500.45         |
| USA MI Io Seb Periodical | "The Sebewa Recollector"- complete set- v.1 #1 thru v.15 #4                    | 500.45         |
| USA MI Ja Vital          | Copy of Jackson Co. death record ledger, Liber ?, page 317, 1911               | VF496          |
| USA MI Ja Vital          | Copy of Jackson Co. death record ledger, Liber B, page 262, 1898               | VF496          |
| USA MI Ja Vital          | Copy of Jackson Co. death record ledger, Liber C, page 53, 1903                | VF496          |
| USA MI Ja Vital          | Copy of Jackson Co. death record ledger, Liber E, page 195, 1923               | VF496          |
| USA MI Ke GR Phonebook   | Grand Rapids area 1989-1990                                                    |                |
| USA MI KE GR Phonebook   | Grand Rapids Area- 1986-1987                                                   |                |
| USA MI KE GR Phonebook   | Grand Rapids Area- 1991-1992                                                   |                |
| USA MI Kk Periodical     | "Kalkaska Genealogical Society Newsletter"- 1993 Apr, v.4 #3                   | 500.52         |
| USA MI La Periodical     | "Lapeer Legacy"- 1989 Oct, v.7 #4                                              | 500.25.1       |
| USA MI La Periodical     | "Lapeer Legacy"- 1991, v.9 #1 thru #4 consecutive                              | 500.25.1       |
| USA MI La Periodical     | "Lapeer Legacy"- 1992, v.10 #1 thru #4 consecutive                             | 500.25.1       |
| USA MI LE School         | "Lenawee Schools, 1976," history & info. abt. Lenawee Co. schools              | 300.91         |

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| USA MI Mk     | Map        | 1993 county map published in June 1993 newspaper                  | VF469      |
| USA MI MU     | Periodical | Family Tree Talk- quarterly Muskegon Co.- 1993 Mar. v.1           | 500.61     |
| USA MI Mu     | Map        | "Your Own Official Map of Muskegon," street guide & index, 970    | OS.56      |
| USA MI Os     | Map        | 1993 county map published in June 1993 newspaper                  | VF469      |
| USA MI Sa BCy | Phonebook  | Saginaw-Bay City area- 1988-1989                                  |            |
| USA MI Sa Sag | Phonebook  | Saginaw-Bay City area- 1988-1989                                  |            |
| USA MI VB     | Census     | "1860 Van Buren Co., Mich. Census Index," by Glyndwr, 1986, 49p   | 300.100    |
| USA MI VB     | History    | "History of Berrien & Van Buren Counties, Michigan," Ensign, 1880 | 300.94     |
| USA MI VB     | Vital      | "Van Buren County, Michigan- Marriage Records Book A 1836-1866"   | 300.93     |
| USA MI Wa Det | Periodical | "DSGRM"- 1992-93 Fall-Summer, v.56, #1,#2                         | 500.12     |
| USA MI WA Det | Phonebook  | Detroit Area- 1985-1986                                           |            |
| USA MI Wx     | Map        | 1993 county map published in June 1993 newspaper                  | VF469      |
| USA MS        | IGI        | Complete set of the 1992 IGI microfiche for Mississippi           | microfiche |
| USA NJ        | Spa        | Epitaphs, Old Cemetery-1787-1924, 1st Presby. Church, Sparta, NJ  | 200.38     |
| USA NV        | IGI        | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for New York                  | microfiche |
| USA NY        | Misc       | Museums & Historic Homes, Finger Lakes Region- pamphlet, 1991     | VF466      |
| USA NY        | Periodical | "NY Geneal. & Biog. Record"- 1989 Oct, v.120 #4                   | 500.37     |
| USA NY        | Periodical | "NY Geneal. & Biog. Record"- 1990 Apr, v.121 #2                   | 500.37     |
| USA NY        | Periodical | "NY Geneal. & Biog. Record"- 1990 index to v.120                  | 500.37     |
| USA NY        | Periodical | "NY Geneal. & Biog. Record"- 1990 Jan, v.121 #1                   | 500.37     |
| USA NY        | Periodical | "Tree Talks"- 1989 Sep-Dec, v.29 #3,#4 + index to v.29            | 500.46     |
| USA NY        | Periodical | "Tree Talks"- 1990 Mar-Dec, v.30 #1 thru #4 conse + index to v.30 | 500.46     |
| USA NY        | Periodical | Wayne County Historical Society newsletter- 1992 Jun/Jul, v.30 #6 | 500.58     |
| USA NY        | Reference  | "Early New York Naturalizations," abstracts, by Scott, 1981       | 200.41     |
| USA NY        | Reference  | "Lists of Inhabitants of Colonial New York," 1979, 351 pages      | 200.40     |
| USA OH        | IGI        | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Ohio                      | microfiche |
| USA OH        | Periodical | "OR&PF"- 1990 Jan-Dec, v.XXXI #1 thru #4 consecutive              | 500.39     |
| USA OH        | Periodical | "OR&PF"- 1991 Jan-Dec, v.XXXII #1 thru #4 consecutive             | 500.39     |
| USA OH        | Periodical | "OR&PF"- 1992 Jan-Dec, v.XXXIII #1 thru #4 consecutive            | 500.39     |
| USA OH        | Periodical | "OR&PF"- 1993 Jan, v.XXXIV #1,#2,#3                               | 500.39     |
| USA OH        | Reference  | Workshop handout sheets on Ohio research                          | VF503      |
| USA OH ? Cle  | Phonebook  | Cleveland yellow pages 1984-1985                                  |            |
| USA OH ? Cle  | Phonebook  | Cleveland yellow pages 1986-1987                                  |            |
| USA OH Fu     | Periodical | "Fulton Footprints"- 1987 Aug-Sep, v.7 #4                         | 500.51     |
| USA OH Fu     | Periodical | "Fulton Footprints"- 1987 Mar-Apr                                 | 500.51     |
| USA OH Fu     | Periodical | "Fulton Footprints"- 1988, v.8 #1,#4,#5                           | 500.51     |
| USA OH Fu     | Periodical | "Fulton Footprints"- 1987, v.10 #2,#5                             | 500.51     |
| USA PA        | IGI        | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Pennsylvania              | microfiche |
| USA PA        | Reference  | "Maps- Showing The Development of Pennsylvania," pub. 1920        | 200.43     |
| USA SC        | IGI        | Complete set of the 1992 IGI microfiche for South Carolina        | microfiche |
| USA TX        | IGI        | Complete set of the 1992 IGI microfiche for Texas                 | microfiche |
| USA VT        | IGI        | Complete set of 1992 IGI microfiche for Vermont                   | microfiche |
| USA WV        | IGI        | Complete set of the 1992 IGI microfiche for West Virginia         | microfiche |

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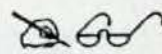


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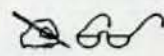


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1) Looking for the parents of my g.g.g. grandparents, Elisha & Anna **MERRILL**. Elisha **MERRILL** born 1772 Conn., died 21 Sep 1850 Benton Twp., Eaton Co., MI; his wife Anna (**DEHART?**) born 1784 NY, died 11 Aug 1857 Benton Twp., Eaton Co., MI. They lived in Batavia, NY before moving to Benton Twp., Eaton Co., MI. and had 10 children: Wealthy b. 1803 NY; John b. 1805 NY; Mary b. 1807 NY; Nelson b. 1809; Susan b. 1813; Hiram b. 1815 NY; Eliza b. 1817 NY; Deloss b. 11 Nov 1821 NY; Edwin b. 1823 NY; Andrew J. b. 27 Sep 1826 NY.

2) Seek info on my g.g. grandmother Elizabeth **Creavy's** parents, John **Creavy**, b. ? in Ireland and Mary **Price** b. ? in Ireland. Came to U.S. in 1834 from Ireland. Had 7 children: Amelia b. ? Ireland; Mary Ann b. ? Ireland; Margaret & Martin (twins) b. ?; Ellen b. ?; boy, name unknown; Elizabeth b. 5 May 1834 on the Atlantic Ocean. They lived in Batavia, N.Y.

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