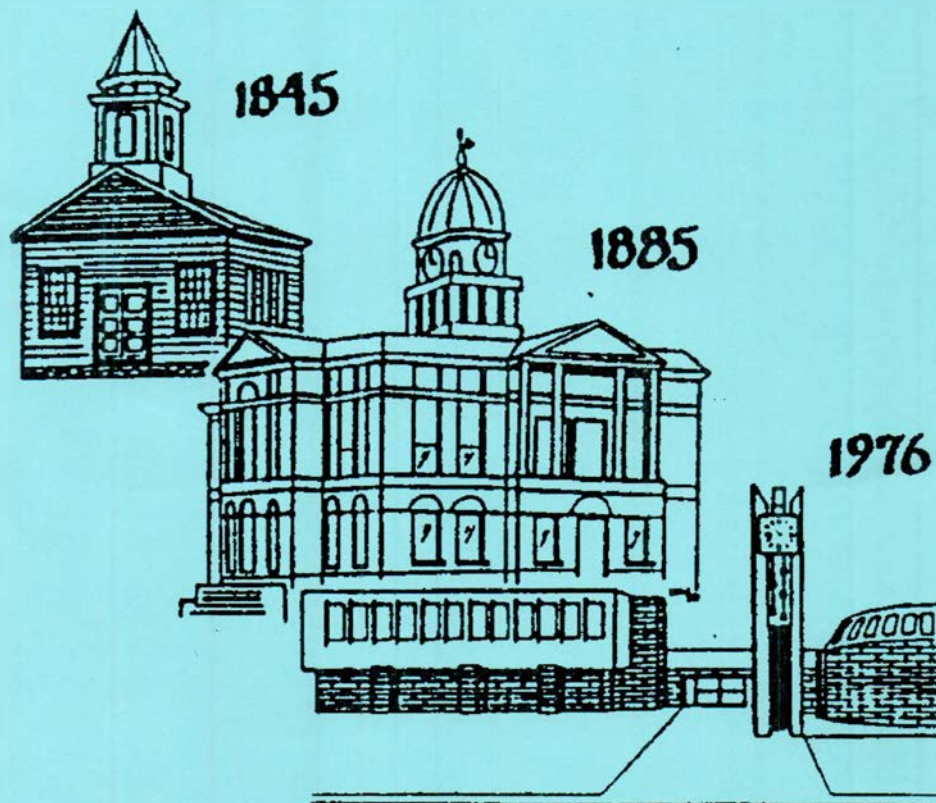


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### INDIANA:

- set of 8 books- *Indiana Source Books I-VIII: Genealogical Material from The Hoosier Genealogist 1961-1992*, by Indiana Historical Society, 1977-1997, a gift from Clarence & Shirley Hodges.....215.14.1-8
- book- *Index To Indiana Source Books* (for vols. I-III), 1983, 406pp., a gift from Clarence & Shirley Hodges.....215.14.3.1
- book- *Peopling Indiana: The Ethnic Experience*, edited by R. Taylor & C. McBimey, 1996, 703pp., a gift from Clarence & Shirley Hodges.....215.15
- book- *Working In The Vineyards Of Genealogy*, by Willard Heiss, 1993, 242pp., a gift from Clarence & Shirley Hodges.....215.16
- book- *Indiana Source Directory And Research Guide*, by Dawne Slater-Putt, 2000, 235pp., a gift from Clarence & Shirley Hodges.....215.17

### MICHIGAN:

- book- *Discovering Michigan County By County*, by Barbara J. VanderMolen, 2013,

616pp., purchased by ECGS in memory of Sheila Mott (1940-2012).....300.108

- 2 yearbooks- *Aurora* (MI State Normal College) 1928-1929, a gift from unknown.....SC.383.YP.1

### Barry County-

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- notebooks- *Fitch H. Beach Airport Planning Documents*, compiled by Mary Jean Baker, includes will of Fred S. BEACH & *Council Proceedings 1943-1944*, a gift from Mary Jean Baker.....Charlotte.53a-b

- book- *Eaton County Rural Route Directory 1925*, 94pp., a gift from Phyllis Whidden.....Directories

- poster- shows Charlotte businesses (not in true-form), a gift from unknown.....M.100.CH.18

- map- shows locations of one-room schools, a gift from unknown.....M.400.EA.27

- notebook- *2012 Eaton County Michigan Obituaries*, in alphabetical order from local newspapers, compiled by Jackie Adams, a gift from Jackie Adams.....Obit.54

- calendar- *Historic Grand Ledge 1996 Community Calendar*, a gift from unknown.....Oneida.23

- 127 photo album pages- no family identified but shows some Eaton Co. locations, 1989-1999 (identified- Burr PARKS & Kevin MERRYFIELD), a gift from Jackie Adams.....OS.49

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- book- *Maurer School* (archaeological report), by David C. Thompson, 2013, 50+pp. (includes photos), a gift from David C. Thompson .....SC.504.MA.2

- 3 scrapbooks- *Tornado Apr. 02, 1977*, compiled by Sheila Mott, a gift from Vicki Mott Friddle .....Scrapbook.94a-c

- photo- Charlotte County Club exterior view (actually a photocopy), from Doug Sherman's collection .....VF.706

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- book- *Pioneer Families and History of Lapeer County, Michigan*, compiled by J. Dee Ellis, 1978, 235+pp., a gift from Clarence & Shirley Hodges.....345.3

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- book- *Naturalization Records for Oakland County, Michigan 1827-1906*, a gift from Clarence Hodges.....365.4

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- book- *A Surname Guide to Massachusetts Town Histories*, by Longver & Oesterlin, 1993, 425pp., a gift from unknown.....222.14

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- book- *New York State Area Key*, by Florence Clint, 1979, 206pp., a gift from Clarence & Shirley Hodges.....233.23

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- book- *History of the Town of Montpelier, Vermont*, by D.P. Thompson, 1995, 324pp., a gift from unknown.....246.3

- book- *The Knowledge of Mankind: The Vermont Journal and the Universal Advertiser 1783-1786*, by Milli S. Kennedy, 1997, 257pp., a gift from unknown.....246.4

### WISCONSIN:

- books- *Madison (Wisconsin), Dane County and Surrounding Town Being A History & Guide*, vol I & II, by Wm. J. Park, 2001, a gift from unknown.....250.8.1-2

### MILITARY:

- book- *The New Loyalist Index* (British Loyalists of the Revolutionary War), by Paul J. Bunnell, 1989, a gift from unknown.....404.16

- book- *Records of the Revolutionary War*, by W.T.R. Saffell, 1999, 598pp., a gift from unknown.....404.17

- book- *The Capture of Teconderoga*, by L.E. Chrittenden, 1997, 131pp., a gift from unknown.....404.18

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- book- *Mayflower Families Through Five Generations (vol.3): George SOULE Families*, 1980, 486pp., a gift from unknown.....108.10.3

- book- *Mayflower Families Through Five Generations (vol.4): Edward FULLER Families*, 1990, 221pp., a gift from unknown.....108.10.4

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  - notebook- George Washington COATS Genealogy (1838-1897), a gift from Phyllis Whidden.....900.CO.06
  - notebook- Descendants of John George DEER, by James G. Weaver Jr., 2013, 588pp., a gift from Richard Deer.....900.DE.05
  - notebook- Descendants of Thomas ESTELLE (& Elizabeth GRAHAM), compiled by unknown, 16pp., from Sheila Mott's collection, a gift from Vicki Mott Friddle.....900.ES.01
  - notebook- The William & Elizabeth MOORMAN Family 1822-1994, by Kathleen A. Brummell, 315pp., a gift from Phyllis Whidden.....900.MO.09
  - folder- Our PENNINGTON Ancestors, 1pp.: Ancestry of the Michigan PENNINGTONs, by Charles E. Colby, 3pp.; John & Nancy (ROSE) PENNINGTON group family photo (photocopy), a gift from Eaton Co. Hospice.....900.PE.06
  - book- Our Maryland Heritage (book 7): The SOPER Families, by William Neal Hurley, Jr., 1997, 179pp., a gift from unknown.....900.SO.02
  - book- Family History of the SQUIRES, DIMON And Related Families, by Francis Squires, 2003, a gift from Francis Squires.....900.SQ.01
  - notebook- WILLIAMS Family research, compiled by Mary Jean Baker, a gift from Mary Jean Baker.....900.WI.14
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  - fishing licence- Max GRIFFIN of Charlotte, MI, 1936 (states physical description), a gift from David & Patti Talik.....VF.707
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- book- Bringing Your Family History to Life Through Social History, by Katherine Scott Sturdevant, 2000, 242pp., a gift from Mary Jean Baker.....101.13
  - book- American Naturalization Process And Procedures 1790-1985, by John J. Newman, 1985, 43pp., a gift from Clarence & Shirley Hodges.....102.11
  - book- Reunion Workbook, 9<sup>th</sup> edition, 2009, a gift from Phyllis Whidden.....500.15
  - book- Reunion Magazine, vol.20, no.1, Aug/Sep/Oct 2009, a gift from Phyllis Whidden.....500.15



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1853	Taylor	Charles	Butler	John	12	293
1853	Tompkins	Wm. M.	Pettys	P. H.	12	302
1853	Trench	Henry A.	Russell	William	12	308
1853	Trumble	George R.	Frank	John	12	418
1853	Taylor	William	McIntyre	Joseph W.	12	429
1853	Tompkins	Moses	Clark	James	12	456
1853	Townsend & Watrous		Bartlett	Enoch N.	12	474
1853	Torry	George	Henry	William	12	479
1853	Turner	Charles B.	School Dist. No. 1 Benton & Eaton		12	504
1853	Taylor	Charles	Neuth	Francis	13	81
1853	Taylor	Wm. H.	Branderbury	Isaac	13	199
1853	Torry	Oliver	Torry	Charles S.	13	176
1853	Toggart	Henry & John I.	Stine	Jacob	13	224
1853	Tillotson & Hayt		Tillotson	Zenas	13	271
1854	Teachout & Lewis		Guyberson	Elizabeth	13	323
1854	Townley	Nicholas	Gallery	George F.	13	332
1853	Tripp	Albro	Sullivan	P. C.	13	341
1854	Torrey	Anar	Torry	Charles S.	13	384
1854	Trench	Henry A.	Hulce	Benj.	13	390
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1854	Thomas	Jeremiah	Verplank	Abigail M.	13	437
1854	Towslee	Orange	Township of Windsor		13	501
1854	Towslee	Royal B.	Hyde	Oliver M.	13	536
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1839	United States		Rudger	Thomas T.	A	492
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1837	United States		Sprague	Chester	2	236
1839	United States		Fitch	Abel F.	2	569
1839	United States		Heath	S.	2	580
1839	United States		Heath	S.	2	581
1839	United States		Lawrance	John F.	3	24
1839	United States		Whitmarsh	R.	3	25
1839	United States		DePeyster	R. G. L.	3	27
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1840	United States		Dibble	Chas. P.	3	246
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1841	United States		Crapsey	Danl. W.	3	438
1841	United States		Henry	Wm.	3	475
1841	United States		Valentine	E.	3	478
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1841	United States		Barber	Hiram	3	501
1841	United States		Loveland	Wm.	3	502
1841	United States		Howland	H. H.	3	502
1841	United States		Swift	Willis	3	522
1841	United States		Fish	Howland	3	532
1841	United States		Turner	Isaac	3	568
1842	United States		Pixley	James S.	3	569
1842	United States		Riley	John	3	576
1842	United States		Brown	Parley W.	3	595
1842	United States		Tucker	Newton I.	3	625
1842	United States		Storer	Isaac	3	639
1842	United States		Gallery	Patrick	4	118
1842	United States		Cuykendall	Jotham	4	148
1842	United States		Whitney	Henry	4	176
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Attorney General	72-17	27	Boy's Vocational School	1947-1958
Children's Institute	65-11	All	Coldwater Home	1871-1959
Children's Institute	65-27	All	Coldwater Home	1871-1875
Commerce	79-29	2-8	Financial Institutions	1953-1964
Commerce	79-92	All	Financial Institutions	1948-1970
Commerce	81-90	All	Financial Institutions	1967-1968
Commerce	84-69	All	Financial Institutions	1970-1976
→ Corrections	80-27	17	Ionia Medical Department	1951-1955
County Sanatoria	80-118	V33	Ingham County TB Sanatorium	1941-1953
County Sanatoria	94-15	All	Ingham County TB Sanatorium	1941-1973
County Sanatoria	67-37	15	Ogemaw County TB Sanatorium	1910-1915
Education	76-121	1-9	Social Work Services	1967-1970
Education	81-110	2-14	School for the Blind	1870-1970
Education	88-153	All	Affirmative Action	1969-1977
?* Lapeer State Home	60-02	All	Training School	1904-1919
Legislature	84-117	All	Prison Disturbances	1975-1983
Legislature	85-20	5	Subcommittees	1980-1981
Legislature	86-10	V1-10	Birth Indexes	1867-1896
Legislature	86-15	2	Personnel/Investigations	1973-1977
Licensing & Regulation	75-38	F2	Examinations	1967
Licensing & Regulation	82-43	All	Medical Diplomas	1946-1975
Licensing & Regulation	83-79	V8-10	Records of Examinations	1905-1970
Licensing & Regulation	84-105	V7-15	Board of Pharmacy	1885-1983
Licensing & Regulation	90-303	All	Medical Registration Cards	1902-1982
Mental Health	All	All	All Records	
Mosher Collection	78-75	All	Photographs of Monuments	Ca. 1975
Newberry State Hospital	56-25	All	All Records	1895-1926
Northern Michigan TB Sanatorium	63-25	1-3	Medical Reports	1937-1962
Public Health	80-133	All	Howell Sanatorium	1927-1962
Public Health	82-137	All	Disease Surveillance	1913-1977
Public Health	85-74	All	Copper Country TB Sanatorium	1926-1967
Public Health	94-424	All	Northern Michigan Sanatorium	1937-1963
Schools	62-40	V4	Aurelius Township, Ingham County	1929-1930

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Schools	77-108	V3-24	Barnes School, Aurelius Township	1927-1955
Schools	78-58	2	Vevay Township, Ingham County	1900-1931
Schools	78-58	V1	Vevay Township, Ingham County	1937-1949
Schools	78-86	V2-14	Collins School, Wellington	1944-1957
Schools	81-31	1	Lapeer County Schools	1900-1925
Schools	82-20	V2-5	Lansing Township, Ingham County	1928-1936
Schools	82-73	All	Traverse Bay Area	1900-1954
Schools	86-107	All	Sebewa Township, Ionia County	1927-1963
Social Services	69-128	All	Children's Institute	1874-1925
Social Services	70-49	5-6	Children's Institute	1936-1960
Social Services	73-28	V28	Boys' Training School	1940-1946
Social Services	73-28	V33-36	Boys' Training School	1940-1961
Social Services	75-50	1-51	Boys' Training School	1944-1965
Social Services	76-01	All	Emergency Relief	1931-1954
Social Services	76-101	All	Girls' Training School	1952-1960
Social Services	79-63	All	Adrian Training School	1884-1971
Social Services	80-89	1	Weekly Census Reports	1973-1974
Social Services	83-13	1	Self-Concept Tests/Profiles	1981-1982
Social Services	88-200	All	Administrative Records	1965-1981
Social Welfare	57-30	All	Selected Case Records	1930-1945
Social Welfare	58-12	All	Welfare Commission	1929-1939
Wayne County	81-111	All	Child Development Center	1926-1969

Permission to see confidential records may be obtained from the following sources:

<p>Blind and Deaf David Sanderson (810) 257-1402 Michigan School for the Deaf and Blind 1667 Miller Road Flint MI 48503</p>	<p>Children's Institute Nanette Salyer (517) 335-6075 Michigan Department of Human Services 235 South Grand Avenue, Suite 412 Lansing MI 48909</p>
<p>Corrections Chester Sugierski (517) 335-7021 Office of the Attorney General 525 West Ottawa, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor Lansing MI 48909</p>	<p>Financial Institutions (517) 373-0220 or (877) 999-6442 Financial &amp; Insurance Services Michigan Department of Labor &amp; Economic Growth 333 South Capitol Avenue Lansing MI 48909</p>



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<p>Public Assistance Records (Welfare)  Jan Williams (517) 335-7508  Michigan Department of Human Services  235 South Grand Avenue, Suite 1518  Lansing MI 48909</p>	<p>Registered Professions (Grades or Scores)  (517) 241-9221  Michigan Department of Labor &amp; Economic  Growth  2501 Woodlake Circle, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  Okemos MI 48864</p>
<p>Training Schools  Margaret Olesnavage (517) 335-1438  Department of Human Services  235 South Grand Avenue, PO Box 30037  Lansing MI 48909</p>	<p>Tuberculosis Sanatoriums  Peter Davidson (517) 335-8173  Michigan Department of Community Health  201 Townsend Street, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor  Lansing, MI 48913</p>
<p>Vital Records  Office of the State Registrar (517) 335-8656  Michigan Department of Community Health  201 Townsend Street  Lansing MI 48913</p>	



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### Circular No. 22 – Infirmaries, Sanatoria and Poor Homes

The State of Michigan, but more particularly the various county governments, used to maintain institutions for the benefit of the indigent ill, tuberculosis sufferers, and the homeless. The following list identifies the records of this genre that are stored at the Archives of Michigan. Some of these records may be confidential, possibly requiring special permission by the creating agency before researchers can gain access to them. The registers received from the county infirmaries and county poor homes are not restricted and permission is not needed from the Department of Human Services to see them. Researchers wishing to access records of a Sanatoria resident must present a copy of the resident's death certificate.

#### Infirmaries

Record Group	Agency	Record Type	Dates
65-17	Social Welfare	Closed County Facilities	1927-1964
71-19	Bay County	Patient Register	1912-1913
82-117	Delta County	Patient Register	1887-1905
80-120	Eaton County	Patient Register	1859-1951
80-135	Gratiot County	Patient Register	1915-1971
63-17	Isabella County	Patient Register	1932-1953
71-49	Kent County	Patient Register	1930-1943
69-46	Presque Isle County	Patient Register	1914-1938
62-22	St. Clair County	Patient Register	1915-1933
89-517	Van Buren County	Patient Register	1929-1958

#### Sanatoria

Record Group	Agency	Facility	Record Type	Dates
78-96	Mental Health	Newberry Hospital	Record of Tuberculosis	1909-1961
77-3	Mental Health	Ionia Hospital	Record of Tuberculosis	1922-1966
63-25	Northern MI Sanatorium	Gaylord	Medical Reports	1937-1962
64-12	Northern MI Sanatorium	Gaylord	Statistical Summaries	1938-1963
67-33	Public Health	TB Sanatorium Community	Commission Records	1940-1963
67-69	Public Health	Northern Michigan Sanatorium	Administrative Records	1944-1963
69-35	Public Health	Southwestern Michigan Sanatorium	Selected Records	1933-1964
85-44	Public Health	Epidemiology	Selected Records	1926-1978
85-74	Public Health	Copper Country Sanatorium	Medical Records	1926-1967
80-133	Public Health	Howell Sanatorium	Patient Records	1927-1962



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Record Group	Agency	Facility	Record Type	Dates
80-133	Public Health	Pine Crest Sanatorium - Oshtemo	Patient Registers	1930-1969
91-466	Public Health	Howell Sanatorium	Patient Records	1907-1961
94-424	Public Health	Northern Michigan Sanatorium	Patient Records	1937-1963
80-118	Ingham County	County Sanatorium	Patient Lists	1941-1953
94-15	Ingham County	County Sanatorium	Patient Records	1941-1973
67-37	Ogemaw County	County Sanatorium	Patient Lists	1910-1915
52-07	Oakland County	County Sanatorium	Correspondence Case Records	1937-1942

**Poor Homes**

Record Group	Agency	Record Type	Dates
35	Social Welfare	Inspection Records	1882-1913
2008-30	Alger County	Records of the Superintendent	1888-1926
71-19	Bay County	Bookkeeping Records	1869-1914
76-74	Branch County	Proceedings of Superintendent	1839-1875
63-29	Benzie County	Minutes of Superintendent	1871-1921
72-85	Charlevoix County	Journals and Ledgers	1912-1923
64-42	Dickinson County	Annual Reports	1910-1940
80-120	Eaton County	Resident Register	1859-1936
80-135	Gratiot County	Resident Register	1886-1974
80-135	Gratiot County	Journals and Ledgers	1886-1921
80-118	Ingham County	Resident Registers	1932-1937
87-133	Ingham County	Financial Records	1866-1886
66-73	Ionia County	Minutes of Superintendent	1919-1930
76-133	Ionia County	Resident Register	1876-1943
76-133	Ionia County	Cash Journal	1920-1948
83-26	Ionia County	Admission List	1906-1967
63-17	Isabella County	Resident Register	1886-1948
79-60	Isabella County	Expense Ledger	1929-1953
71-44	Kent County	Expense Journal	1930-1939
69-55	Lenawee County	Expense Journal	1877-1904
78-68	Livingston County	Expense Ledger	1904-1933
71-115	Luce County	Annual Reports	1888-1934
79-101	Muskegon County	Superintendent Letterbook	1899-1907
63-42	Oceana County	Resident Register	1887-1948
63-15	Roscommon County	Minutes of Superintendent	1879-1914
62-43	Shiawassee County	Expense Ledger	1878-1924
62-43	Shiawassee County	Cost Ledger	1939-1947
62-22	St. Clair County	Minutes of Superintendent	1925-1939
62-22	St. Clair County	Annual Reports	1922-1943
62-22	St. Clair County	Expense Ledger	1935-1939

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Record Group	Agency	Record Type	Dates
67-7	St. Clair County	Expense Ledger	1888-1914
90-157	Tuscola County	Expense Records	1855-1867
89-517	Van Buren County	Resident Registers	1885-1905



Hilding Krusell and Stella (Sederquist) Krusell. This picture was taken early in their marriage as my grandma died in 1939 when my mom was ten years old. They dressed up in each others' clothes on a lark! These are my grandparents. Both are Swede and were born and raised in Milaca, Minnesota on farms. Sher Brown, Quest Editor

Have you got a "funny" or "unique" pic of family members you would like to share? If so, please send them via email to me at [sbrownsf2@gmail.com](mailto:sbrownsf2@gmail.com)



# Thank you!!!!

Dear Members:

We asked for your help and you certainly delivered. Thanks to everyone who helped in any way we had a very successful Frontier's Day Bake Sale.

In addition to our sales we had the opportunity to talk with a lot of people about ECGS and ways that they could preserve their family histories.

It was a delight to see this event become a family project for many. There were several married couples who were there working as teams. We also had a lot of children who were thoroughly committed to making this project a success. The Copenhaver clan complete with many grandchildren made a real impact on the sale. Wilson Hodges was there with his Mom Marcy. It was delightful to see these children being raised in environments where community service was being taught by example.

Again, thanks for responding to our calls and requests for help. You are what makes ECGS successful.

Shirley Gage Hodges  
Bake-sale Coordinator

## Area Drug Stores/Businesses in 1926

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Drugs

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General Merchandise

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## Dolson automobile a featured exhibit in RE Olds Transportation Museum

The Pray family, Friends of the Dolson, and the RE Olds Transportation Museum have agreed on a winter exhibit featuring the 1907 Dolson automobile.

"We are excited that the RE Olds Transportation Museum is eager to show the Dolson for the winter" said Joe E. Pray, one of the owners of the Dolson auto.

"This will make a great exhibit and further our mission of presenting transportation manufactured in and around greater Lansing," said Mr. Bill Adcock, Director of the RE Olds Transportation Museum.

The car will remain on display through early May at the museum along with other notable examples of the Brass Era of automobiles, including REOs and Oldsmobiles.

The Dolson is the only known auto left from the company that manufactured autos in Charlotte from 1902 to 1908. The Dolson family, led by John Dolson and his two sons changed their company from building wagons to auto manufacturing in 1902 when they built their first prototype automobile. They started automobile production in 1903 and produced an estimated 700 automobiles until they were forced to close their doors in 1908 due to financial pressures.

"The car featured a number of components that were found in many other high quality cars of its day," said Manny Dragone of Dragone Classic Motorcars, "it was a well built car."

Many of the advertisements for the Dolson featured its du-

rability, which was proven in at least two well-known endurance tests of its era — the 1906 Chicago Endurance Challenge and the 1907 Round The Kite Challenge From San Francisco to Santa Fe.

The large touring car from the brass era of classic cars features a four-cylinder engine made by Milwaukee Engine Company with a three-speed transmission. Although the Dolson has been restored, it still features its original leather interior.

This particular Dolson was most likely bought by its original owner in Boston in 1907 from the Imperial Motorcar Company, a Dolson Dealership. Then after several years of service an owner sold it to the Garganigo Brothers who owned a scrap yard just outside of Boston. Many early era cars were scrapped after only

a few years. Al Garganigo, one of the brothers decided to save a few of the cars that were more interesting to start an attraction at his filling station to draw people in to buy gas. Fortunately this Dolson was one of those lucky cars saved from the scrap pile. The car was held in the Garganigo collection until it was sold to another museum where it stayed until it was sold at auction in Florida in 1986.

"A group of local people

had chased this car for 35 years to bring it back to Charlotte," said Pray. Twenty-five years ago the original group, Friends of the Dolson, was formed to raise funds to buy the car at auction in Florida. The group was outbid and the car disappeared from the public view until a private collector sold it, along with several other cars, to Mr. Dragone four years ago. It changed hands through one more dealer until Mr. Pray and an interested group

of owners was able to purchase it at an auction in Plymouth, Mich. last August.

The car will appear at local events in the area to promote both the history of the region's automobile history as well as the history of its hometown of Charlotte. The factory where the Dolson was built still stands at the corner of Pearl and Lovett streets in Charlotte.

Article submitted by the Friends of Dolson.

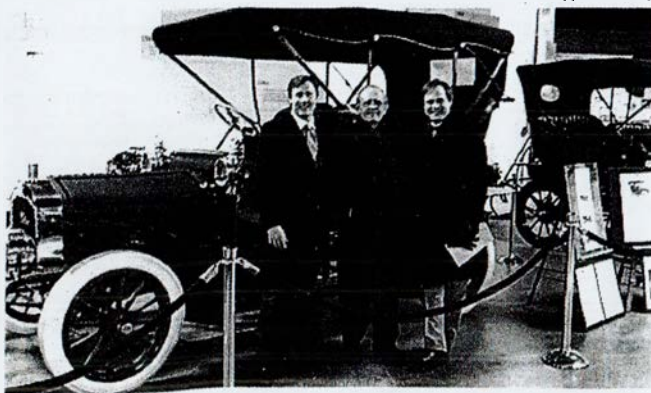


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Joe, Joe E. and Tyler Pray display the Dolson automobile at RE Olds Transportation Museum



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## William and Spencer Moon Said to Have Been Oldest Twins in the United States

Special to the State Journal -- 2-Dec -- 1921-1922



Charlotte, Dec 2 -- One of the oldest pair of living twins in the United States, if not in the world, was that distinction borne by Spencer C. Moon, long-time resident of Eaton County who died recently and his brother, Dr. William P. Moon of Coudesport, Potter County, Pa. who were born September 25, 1825, in Schenectady, N. Y., and consequently are in their 96<sup>th</sup> year.

Spencer Moon lived for years with his daughter, Mrs. Rachel Barker, in Roxand township, but for the past couple of years has been residing in Lansing where he died Friday night after a few weeks' illness. The body was brought to Needmore cemetery. Mr. Moon was the father of three children. Mrs. R. Barker of Lansing and Mrs. C. C. Russell, and John Moon of Colton, Cal.

Dr. William Moon was connected with a hospital in Philadelphia for 20 years, but with advancing age retired to a quiet home in Potter County, Pa. He bears a close resemblance to the late Mayor Gaynor of New York city, for whom he was often mistaken. He has no children.

The Moon twins were both veterans of the Civil war, and their father, Benjamin Thompson Moon, was also a soldier, serving through the war of 1812. Unlike the usual characteristic attributed to twins, they did not in the least resemble each other physically, nor did their tastes run alike. They had not seen each other in many years. (typed exactly as article was written).



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### Riverside Cemetery

Bellevue, Eaton County, Michigan

Politicians buried here:

◆ **William Ira Cargo (1917-2005)** — also known as **William I. Cargo; Bill Cargo** — of Florida. Born in Detroit, Wayne County, Mich., February 27, 1917. Served in the U.S. Navy during World War II; Foreign Service officer; U.S. Ambassador to Nepal, 1973-76. Died, in the Gilchrist Center Hospice, Baltimore, Md., December 13, 2005 (age 88 years, 289 days). Interment at Riverside Cemetery.

☞ *Relatives:* Married to Margaret Grace 'Margot' Ludwig.

☞ *See also* U.S. State Dept career summary

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## Maple Hill Cemetery

Charlotte, Eaton County, Michigan

Politicians buried here:




◆ **Emerson Richard Boyles (1881-1960)** — also known as **Emerson R. Boyles** — of Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich. Born in Chester Township, Eaton County, Mich., June 29, 1881. Republican. Lawyer; Eaton County Prosecuting Attorney, 1913-16; Eaton County Probate Judge, 1921-27; deputy Michigan Attorney General, 1927-28; member, Michigan Public Utilities Commission, 1935-36; legal advisor to Gov. Frank D. Fitzgerald, 1939; justice of Michigan state supreme court, 1940-56; appointed 1940; resigned 1956; chief justice of Michigan state supreme court, 1943, 1950. Congregationalist. Member, Freemasons; Knights Templar; Rotary. Died November 30, 1960 (age 79 years, 154 days). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

☞ *Relatives:* Son of William Bailey Boyles (1853-1933) and Emma (Braybrooks) Boyles (1855-1940); married, June 14, 1905, to Mabel Casler (1884-1953); second cousin five times removed of Samuel Adams (1722-1803) and John Adams; fourth cousin once removed of Daniel T. Hayden.

☞ *Political families:* Chapin-Adams family of Connecticut; Huntington-Chapin-Waterman family of Connecticut; Adams family of Massachusetts (subsets of the Thousand Related Politicians).


☞ *Cross-reference:* Glenn S. Allen, Jr.


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
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◆ **Luren Dudley Dickinson (1859-1943)** — also known as **Luren D. Dickinson** — of Charlotte, [Eaton County](#), Mich. Born in [Niagara County](#), N.Y., [April 15, 1859](#). Republican. [School teacher and principal](#); [farmer](#); member of [Michigan state house of representatives](#), 1897-98, 1905-08 ([Eaton County 2nd District](#) 1897-98, [Eaton County](#) 1905-08); member of [Michigan state senate](#) 15th District, 1909-10; [Lieutenant Governor of Michigan](#), 1915-20, 1927-32, 1939; defeated, 1924, 1932, 1936; [Governor of Michigan](#), 1939-40; defeated, 1920, 1940; delegate to Republican National Convention from Michigan, [1940](#). [Methodist](#). [English](#) and [Irish](#) ancestry. Member, [Grange](#); [Knights of Pythias](#). Died [April 22, 1943](#) (age [84 years, 7 days](#)). Interment at [Maple Hill Cemetery](#).


 Relatives: Married [1888](#) to [Zora D. Cooley](#).

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
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◆ **John M. C. Smith (1853-1923)** — of Charlotte, [Eaton County](#), Mich. Born in [Belfast](#), Ireland (now [Northern Ireland](#)), [February 6, 1853](#). Republican. [Lawyer](#); [Eaton County Prosecuting Attorney](#), 1885-88; president, [First National Bank](#) of Charlotte, 1889-1923; [delegate to Michigan state constitutional convention](#) 15th District, 1907-08; [U.S. Representative](#) from [Michigan 3rd District](#), 1911-21, 1921-23; died in office 1923. [Scotch-Irish](#) ancestry. Member, [Freemasons](#); [Scottish Rite Masons](#); [Knights Templar](#); [Shriners](#); [Odd Fellows](#); [Knights of Pythias](#); [Knights of the Maccabees](#). Died, of [heart disease](#), in Charlotte, [Eaton County](#), Mich., [March 30, 1923](#) (age [70 years, 52 days](#)). Interment at [Maple Hill Cemetery](#).

 Relatives: Married [1887](#) to [Lena Parkhurst](#).

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◆ **Arthur Bruce Williams (1872-1925)** — of Michigan. Born in [Ashland](#), [Ashland County](#), Ohio, [January 27, 1872](#). Republican. [U.S. Representative](#) from [Michigan 3rd District](#), 1923-25; died in office 1925. Died in [Baltimore](#), Md., [May 1, 1925](#) (age [53 years, 94 days](#)). Interment at [Maple Hill Cemetery](#).

 See also [congressional biography](#) — [Govtrack.us page](#)



◆**Edward Samuel Lacey (1835-1916)** — also known as **Edward S. Lacey** — of Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich. Born in Chili, Monroe County, N.Y., November 26, 1835. Republican. Delegate to Republican National Convention from Michigan, 1876; U.S. Representative from Michigan 3rd District, 1881-85; Michigan Republican state chair, 1882-83. Comptroller of the Currency, 1889-92. Died in Evanston, Cook County, Ill., October 2, 1916 (age 80 years, 311 days). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

☞ See also congressional biography — Govtrack.us page

◆**Rosslyn L. Sowers (1864-1951)** — of Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich. Born in 1864. Democrat. Candidate for circuit judge in Michigan 5th Circuit, 1917, 1941 (primary); delegate to Democratic National Convention from Michigan, 1928; Democratic candidate for U.S. Representative from Michigan 3rd District, 1930, 1932 (primary), 1934 (primary), 1936. Died January 9, 1951 (age about 86 years). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

◆**Daniel Brainard Ainger (1844-1913)** — also known as **Daniel B. Ainger** — of Fremont, Sandusky County, Ohio; Bryan, Williams County, Ohio; Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich.; Washington, D.C.; Lansing, Ingham County, Mich. Born in Bellevue, Huron County, Ohio, March 9, 1844. Republican. Served in the Union Army during the Civil War; newspaper publisher; alternate delegate to Republican National Convention from Ohio, 1868, 1876; member of Michigan Republican State Central Committee, 1878, 1894; postmaster of Washington, D.C., until 1882; Adjutant General of Michigan, 1887-91; Michigan state banking commissioner, 1896-97. Congregationalist. Member, Freemasons; Grand Army of the Republic. Died in Lansing, Ingham County, Mich., April 2, 1913 (age 69 years, 24 days). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.


☞ *Relatives:* Son of William W. Ainger and Nancy (Brainard) Ainger; married, November 29, 1866, to Fannie Rhodes; married 1896 to Kittie Rose Savage.

◆**Nahum Burnett (1894-1951)** — of Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich. Born in 1894. Socialist. Candidate for Michigan state board of agriculture, 1935, 1939; candidate for Lieutenant Governor of Michigan, 1936; candidate for Governor of Michigan, 1938; candidate for U.S. Senator from Michigan, 1940; candidate for Presidential Elector for Michigan, 1940; candidate for U.S. Representative from Michigan 3rd District, 1948. Died October 12, 1951 (age


about 57 years). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

◆**Russell Roy McPeck (1876-1945)** — also known as **Russell R. McPeck** — of Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich. Born in 1876. Republican. Eaton County Prosecuting Attorney, 1909-12; circuit judge in Michigan 5th Circuit, 1923-41. Died in 1945 (age about 69 years). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

◆**Murl Holcomb DeFoe (1879-1964)** — also known as **Murl H. DeFoe** — of Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich. Born in Eaton County, Mich., March 10, 1879. Republican. Newspaper editor; member of Michigan state senate 15th District, 1919-20, 1943-46; delegate to Republican National Convention from Michigan, 1936. Died January 24, 1964 (age 84 years, 320 days). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

 *Relatives:* Married to Hazel Kirke (1881-1955).

◆**Homer L. Bauer (1902-1973)** — of Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich. Born in Chester Township, Eaton County, Mich., November 28, 1902. Republican. Lawyer; Eaton County Prosecuting Attorney, 1935-42; candidate in primary for circuit judge in Michigan 5th Circuit, 1941; member of Michigan state house of representatives, 1943-52 (Eaton County 1943-44, Eaton District 1945-52). Member, Freemasons; Knights Templar. Died in Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich., March 17, 1973 (age 70 years, 109 days). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

 *Relatives:* Married 1943 to Marjorie M. Field.

◆**C. Dodge Williams (1879-1945)** — of Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich. Born in Brookfield Township, Eaton County, Mich., October 18, 1879. Republican. Farmer; director, Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Barry and Eaton Counties; member of Michigan state house of representatives from Eaton County, 1935-42; defeated in primary, 1942. Member, Freemasons; Knights Templar; Order of the Eastern Star. Died October 2, 1945 (age 65 years, 349 days). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

◆**Ovid N. Case (1853-1886)** — of Detroit, Wayne County, Mich. Born in Windsor, Ashtabula County, Ohio, November 13, 1853. Democrat. Member of Michigan state house of representatives from Wayne County 1st District, 1883-86; died in office 1886. Died in Detroit, Wayne County, Mich., December 26, 1886 (age 33 years, 43 days).

Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

◆ **Effie Burnett (1896-1973)** — of Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich. Born April 1, 1896. Socialist. Candidate for U.S. Representative from Michigan 3rd District, 1944; candidate for Presidential Elector for Michigan, 1944, 1948. Female. Died in Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich., January 21, 1973 (age 76 years, 295 days). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

◆ **Giles B. Allen (1843-1911)** — of Eaton County, Mich. Born in 1843. Republican. Served in the Union Army during the Civil War; member of Michigan state house of representatives from Eaton County 2nd District, 1895-96. Member, Grand Army of the Republic. Died February 7, 1911 (age about 67 years). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

◆ **John C. Potter (1862-1933)** — of Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich. Born in 1862. Republican. Delegate to Republican National Convention from Michigan, 1912. Died June 16, 1933 (age about 70 years). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

◆ **Agnes E. Spencer (1860-1943)** — of Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich. Born February 4, 1860. Democrat. Member of Michigan Democratic State Central Committee, 1919. Female. Died September 23, 1943 (age 83 years, 231 days). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.


◆ **Eva Ann Stealy (1866-1943)** — also known as **Eva Stealy** — of Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich. Born May 17, 1866. Prohibition candidate for Presidential Elector for Michigan, 1940. Female. Died November 30, 1943 (age 77 years, 197 days). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

◆ **Hazel Kirke DeFoe (1881-1955)** — also known as **Hazel DeFoe; Hazel Kirke** — of Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich. Born in 1881. Republican. Alternate delegate to Republican National Convention from Michigan, 1932. Female. Died March 8, 1955 (age about 73 years). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

 *Relatives:* Married to Muri Holcomb DeFoe (1879-1964).

◆ **Jesse L. Murray (1882-1965)** — also known as **Mrs. Fred Murray** — of Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich. Born in 1882. Democrat. Member of Michigan Democratic State Central Committee, 1939. Female. Died November 4, 1965.

(age about 83 years). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

 *Relatives:* Married to Fred Murray (1875-1955).

◆ **Angus N. MacLeod (1913-1968)** — of Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich. Born in 1913. Democrat. Candidate for Presidential Elector for Michigan, 1956; candidate for circuit judge in Michigan 5th Circuit, 1966. Died January 11, 1968 (age about 54 years). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

◆ **Orville E. Latchaw (1904-1974)** — of Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich. Born October 23, 1904. Democrat. Delegate to Democratic National Convention from Michigan, 1956, 1960. Died December 17, 1974 (age 70 years, 55 days). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

◆ **Rice C. Fowler (c.1902-1996)** — of Charlotte, Eaton County, Mich. Born about 1902. Republican. Candidate for Presidential Elector for Michigan, 1944; delegate to Republican National Convention from Michigan, 1948 (alternate), 1952; chair of Eaton County Republican Party, 1950; member of Michigan Republican State Central Committee, 1957. Died, from a myocardial infarct, December 4, 1996 (age about 94 years). Interment at Maple Hill Cemetery.

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## Delta Center Cemetery

East Saint Joe Highway

Delta Township, Eaton County, Michigan

Politicians buried here:

◆ **Jay William Slaughter (1874-1949)** — also known as **Jay W. Slaughter** — of Lansing, Ingham County, Mich. Born in Michigan, January 14, 1874. School principal; Commonwealth candidate for U.S. Senator from Michigan, 1934; Socialist Labor candidate for secretary of state of Michigan, 1936. Died in Lansing, Ingham County, Mich., November 10, 1949 (age 75 years, 300 days). Interment at Delta Center Cemetery.

 *Relatives:* Son of Lewis Slaughter (1839-1929) and Marian (Stone) Slaughter (1843-1916); married, July 2, 1895, to Nellie M. Drake (1876-1959).

 See also Find-A-Grave memorial

See also Findagrave page for this location.


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## Rose Hill Cemetery

Eaton Rapids, Eaton County, Michigan

Politicians buried here:

◆ **Robert Morris Montgomery (1849-1920)** — also known as **Robert M. Montgomery** — of Pentwater, Oceana County, Mich.; Grand Rapids, Kent County, Mich.; Eaton Rapids, Eaton County, Mich. Born in Eaton Rapids, Eaton County, Mich., May 12, 1849. Republican. Served in the Union Army during the Civil War; lawyer; Oceana County Prosecuting Attorney, 1873-79; circuit judge in Michigan 17th Circuit, 1882-88; justice of Michigan state supreme court, 1892-1910; resigned 1910; chief justice of Michigan state supreme court, 1900-01, 1910; Judge of U.S. Court of Customs and Patent Appeals, 1910-20; died in office 1920. Died in Eaton Rapids, Eaton County, Mich., June 27, 1920 (age 71 years, 46 days). Interment at Rose Hill Cemetery.

 *Relatives:* Married to Theodosia C. Fincher; father of Stanley D. Montgomery (1878-1957).

 *See also Wikipedia article — Find-A-Grave memorial*

◆ **Arthur D. Gallery (1861-1943)** — of Caro, Tuscola County, Mich. Born in Eaton Rapids, Eaton County, Mich., October 28, 1861. Newspaper publisher; Dry candidate for delegate to Michigan convention to ratify 21st amendment from Tuscola County, 1933. Congregationalist; later Presbyterian. Member, Freemasons; Royal Arch Masons; Knights Templar; Rotary. Died, in Caro Community Hospital, Caro, Tuscola County, Mich., October 3, 1943 (age 81 years, 340 days). Interment at Rose Hill Cemetery.

 *Relatives:* Married, June 30, 1897, to Anna Mead.

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## Oakwood Cemetery

Grand Ledge, Eaton County, Michigan

Politicians buried here:





◆**Frank Dwight Fitzgerald (1885-1939)** — also known as **Frank D. Fitzgerald** — of Grand Ledge, Eaton County, Mich. Born in Grand Ledge, Eaton County, Mich., January 27, 1885. Republican. Delegate to Republican National Convention from Michigan, 1924, 1932, 1936; member of Michigan Republican State Central Committee, 1925-26; secretary of Michigan Republican Party, 1929-30; secretary of state of Michigan, 1931-34; resigned 1934; Governor of Michigan, 1935-36, 1939; defeated, 1936; died in office 1939. Member, Freemasons; Shriners; Maccabees; Odd Fellows; Eagles; Knights of Pythias. Died in Grand Ledge, Eaton County, Mich., March 16, 1939 (age 54 years, 48 days). Interment at Oakwood Cemetery.

📖 *Relatives:* Son of John Wesley Fitzgerald and Carrie G. (Foreman) Fitzgerald; married, June 28, 1909, to Queena M. Warner; father of John Warner Fitzgerald (1924-2006); grandfather of Frank Moore Fitzgerald.

📖 *Political family:* Fitzgerald family of Michigan.

📖 *Cross-reference:* Emerson R. Boyles

📖 *See also* National Governors Association biography

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◆**John W. Ewing (1846-1925)** — of Grand Ledge, Eaton County, Mich. Born in 1846. People's candidate for Governor of Michigan, 1892; Democratic candidate for Presidential Elector for Michigan, 1896; member of Michigan People's Party State Central Committee, 1899. Died in 1925 (age about 79 years). Interment at Oakwood Cemetery.

◆**James H. Edgar (1925-2003)** — of Grand Ledge, Eaton County, Mich. Born in Cleveland, Cuyahoga County, Ohio, August 29, 1925. Served in the U.S. Navy during World War II; police officer; lawyer; district judge in Michigan 55th District, 1965-68. Died, in Sparrow Hospital, Lansing, Ingham County, Mich., December 16, 2003 (age 78 years, 109 days). Interment at Oakwood Cemetery.

📖 *Relatives:* Son of James R. Edgar and Edith (Adams) Edgar.

◆**Dean B. Doty (1919-1998)** — of Grand Ledge, Eaton County, Mich. Born in Midland, Midland County, Mich., August 3, 1919. Republican. Served in the U.S. Army during World War II; florist; chair of Eaton County Republican Party, 1956-60; delegate to Republican National Convention from Michigan, 1960; delegate to Michigan state constitutional convention from Eaton District, 1961-62. Episcopalian. Member, Rotary;

American Legion; Freemasons; Odd Fellows. Died August 24, 1998 (age 79 years, 21 days). Interment at Oakwood Cemetery.

 *Relatives:* Son of Mark Doty and Gladys (Walsh) Doty; married to Roberta Bosworth; great-grandson of Philo Doty (1829?-?).


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## Deepdale Memorial Park


Near Lansing, Eaton County, Michigan


Politicians buried here:


◆ **Louis Henry Fead (1877-1943)** — also known as **Louis H. Fead** — of Newberry, Luce County, Mich.; Pleasant Ridge, Oakland County, Mich. Born in Lexington, Sanilac County, Mich., May 2, 1877. Republican. Lawyer; Luce County Prosecuting Attorney, 1901-12; vice-president, Newberry State Bank; circuit judge in Michigan 11th Circuit, 1913-28; resigned 1928; worked with the Red Cross in France during and after World War I; justice of Michigan state supreme court, 1928-37; appointed 1928; defeated, 1937; chief justice of Michigan state supreme court, 1928, 1937. Episcopalian. Member, Freemasons; Rotary; Kiwanis; Lions. Died, from a heart attack while suffering from throat cancer, in the University Hospital, Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County, Mich., February 4, 1943 (age 65 years, 278 days). Interment at Deepdale Memorial Park.

 *Relatives:* Son of John Lawrence Fead and Augusta (Walther) Fead; married, September 19, 1919, to Marion McPherson.

◆ **Seymour Howe Person (1879-1957)** — also known as **Seymour H. Person** — of Lansing, Ingham County, Mich. Born in Howell Township, Livingston County, Mich., February 2, 1879. Republican. Lawyer; law partner of Patrick H. Kelley; member of Michigan state house of representatives from Ingham County 1st District, 1915-20; member of Michigan state senate 27th District, 1927-30; U.S. Representative from Michigan 6th District, 1931-33; defeated, 1932, 1942. Died in Lansing, Ingham County, Mich., April 7, 1957 (age 78 years, 64 days). Interment at Deepdale Memorial Park.

 *Relatives:* Nephew of Rollin H. Person (1850-1917).

 *Political family:* Person family of Michigan.


 *See also* congressional biography — Govtrack.us page


◆ **Billie Sunday Farnum (1916-1979)** — also known as



**Billie S. Farnum** — of Drayton Plains, Oakland County, Mich.; Delta Township, Eaton County, Mich. Born in Saginaw, Saginaw County, Mich., April 11, 1916. Democrat. Steward and international rep, United Auto Workers; candidate in primary for Michigan state house of representatives from Oakland County 1st District, 1944; administrative aide, U.S. Sen. Blair Moody, 1952-54; delegate to Democratic National Convention from Michigan, 1956; Michigan state auditor general, 1961-64; appointed 1961; U.S. Representative from Michigan 19th District, 1965-67; defeated, 1966; member of Democratic National Committee from Michigan, 1967-68; candidate for Presidential Elector for Michigan, 1972. Congregationalist. Member, United Auto Workers; Freemasons; Shriners; Elks; Eagles. Died in Lansing, Ingham County, Mich., November 18, 1979 (age 63 years, 221 days). Entombed in mausoleum at Deepdale Memorial Park.

 Presumably named for: Billv Sundav

 Relatives: Married to Maxine DeCoe.

 See also congressional biography — Govtrack.us page — Wikipedia article — Find-A-Grave memorial

◆ **Frank E. Gorman (1874-1960)** — of Michigan. Born in Sanilac County, Mich., March 28, 1874. Michigan state treasurer, 1919-24. Died in Lansing, Ingham County, Mich., January 7, 1960 (age 85 years, 285 days). Interment at Deepdale Memorial Park.

◆ **Sam Street Hughes (1897-1990)** — of Lansing, Ingham County, Mich. Born in 1897. Republican. Candidate in primary for U.S. Representative from Michigan 6th District, 1936; mayor of Lansing, Mich., 1941-43; resigned 1943; circuit judge in Michigan 30th Circuit, 1957-67; defeated, 1935 (primary), 1948. Died in 1990 (age about 93 years). Interment at Deepdale Memorial Park.

◆ **Ralph W. Crego (1893-1989)** — of Lansing, Ingham County, Mich. Born September 21, 1893. Mayor of Lansing, Mich., 1943-61; defeated, 1942, 1961. Died in Meridian Township, Ingham County, Mich., May 28, 1989 (age 95 years, 249 days). Interment at Deepdale Memorial Park.

◆ **Jack W. Warren (d. 2009)** — of Ingham County, Mich. Republican. Candidate in primary for Michigan state house of representatives from Ingham County 1st District, 1950; circuit judge in Michigan 30th Circuit, 1967-86. Died January 25, 2009. Interment at Deepdale Memorial Park.

◆**Jacob Schepers (1876-1955)** — of East Lansing, Ingham County, Mich. Born in Lafayette, Tippecanoe County, Ind., 1876. Republican. Mayor of East Lansing, Mich., 1914-18; member of Michigan state house of representatives from Ingham County 2nd District, 1947-50; defeated in primary, 1926, 1950. Presbyterian. Died in 1955 (age about 79 years). Interment at Deepdale Memorial Park.

◆**John L. Leighton (1901-1964)** — of Michigan. Born in 1901. Democrat. Candidate for Michigan state senate 14th District, 1940, 1952, 1954; candidate for Michigan state house of representatives from Ingham County 1st District, 1950. Died in 1964 (age about 63 years). Interment at Deepdale Memorial Park.

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## City Cemetery

Olivet, Eaton County, Michigan

Politicians buried here:

◆**Oramel Hosford (d. 1893)** — of Michigan. Michigan superintendent of public instruction, 1865-72. Congregationalist. Died December 9, 1893. Interment at City Cemetery.

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## Benton Township Cemetery

Pottersville, Eaton County, Michigan

See also Findagrave page for this location.

Politicians buried here:

◆**Dwight Backus (1856-1922)** — of Benton Township, Eaton County, Mich. Born in Michigan, January, 1856. Democrat. Farmer; Benton Township supervisor, 1898-1913; chair of Eaton County Democratic Party, 1913. Died in Benton Township, Eaton County, Mich., December 27, 1922 (age 66 years, 0 days). Interment at Benton Township Cemetery.

✎ *Relatives:* Son of Herman Backus (1829-1920) and Eliza Jane (Lown) Backus (1833-1924); married, June 17, 1885, to Sophronie 'Fronie' Edman (1859-1945); third cousin thrice removed of Bartlett Nye (1759-1822). Hezekiah Nye and Thomas Nye.

✎ *Political family:* Nye family of Massachusetts.

 See also [Find-A-Grave memorial](#)

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## Vermontville Cemetery

Vermontville, Eaton County, Michigan

Politicians buried here:

◆ **John Faust (d. 1925)** — of Detroit, Wayne County, Mich. Candidate for circuit judge in Michigan 3rd Circuit, 1917; recorder's court judge in Michigan, 1920-25; died in office 1925. Died in 1925. Interment at Vermontville Cemetery.

◆ **Emma P. Dorman (1885-1972)** — of Michigan. Born in Vermontville, Eaton County, Mich., September 15, 1885. Prohibition candidate for Michigan state house of representatives from Wayne County 1st District, 1946. Female. Died in Marshall, Calhoun County, Mich., September 20, 1972 (age 87 years, 5 days). Interment at Vermontville Cemetery.

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