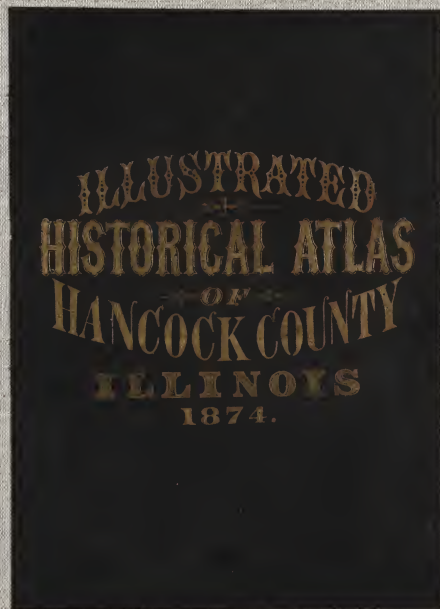


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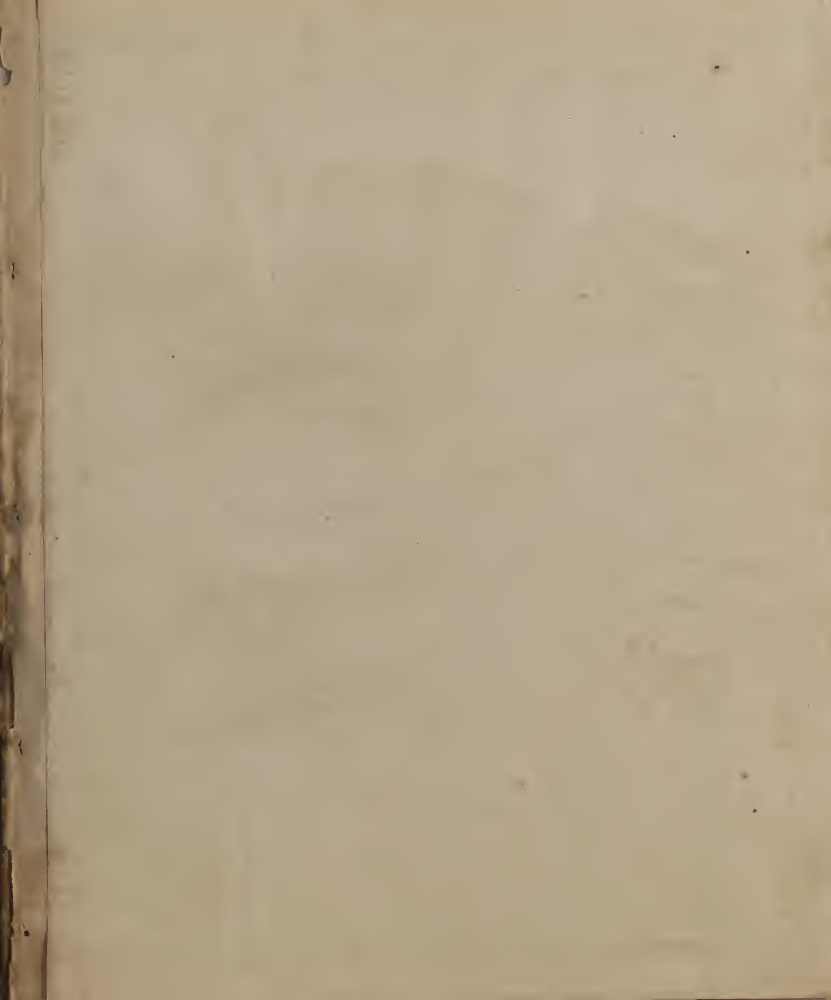
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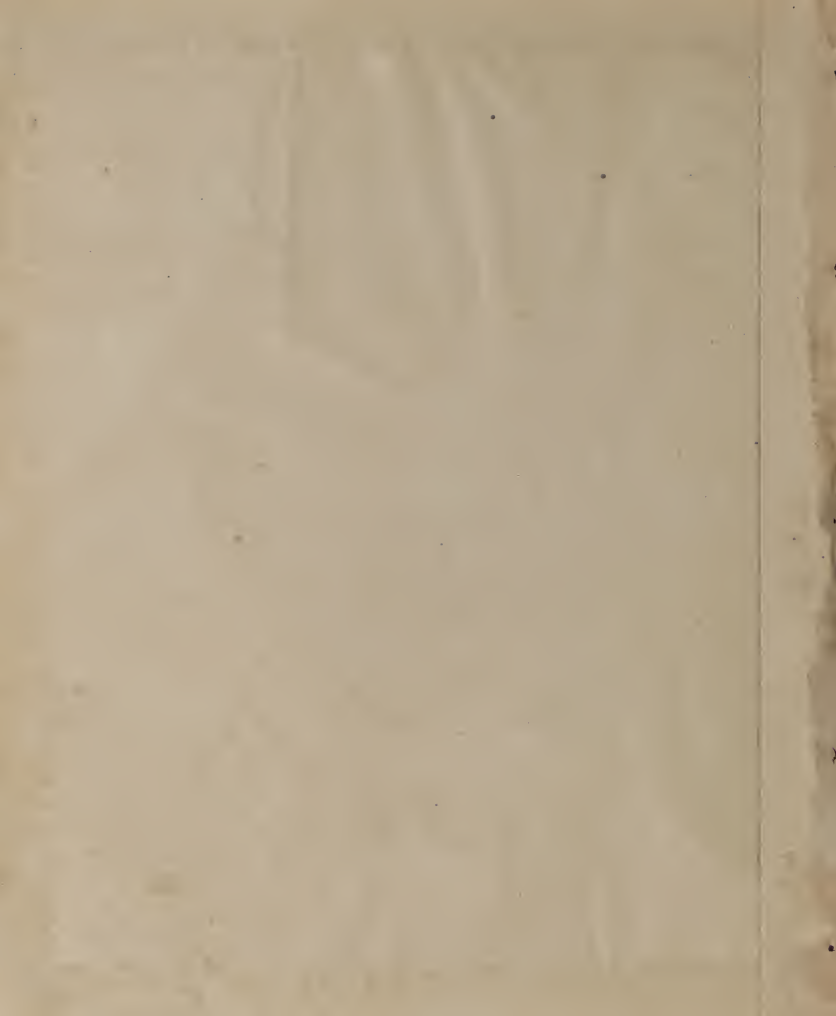
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STATISTICS

OF THE

POPULATION OF HANCOCK COUNTY, ILL.,

BY TOWNSHIPS, WITH ABSTRACT OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTIONS, ETC.

FROM CENSUS OF 1870.

POPULATION BY TOWNSHIP.

TOWNSHIP	TOTAL POPULATION	MALES	FEMALES	COLORED
Appanose	1028	525	503	1018
Augusta	1099	563	536	1074
Bear Creek	1117	559	558	1110
Carthage	1440	732	708	1440
City of Carthage	1440	732	708	1440
Chillicothe	1001	504	497	1001
Durham	1019	508	511	1019
Fountain Green	1475	741	734	1475
Hemilton	1009	504	505	1009
Hancock	980	503	477	980
Harmony	1457	730	727	1457
LaHarpe	1741	863	878	1731
Manvello	1111	574	537	1101
Narvon	1578	804	774	1578
Pine Grove	1187	574	613	1171
Pontiac	1046	524	522	1046
Prarie	1380	709	671	1380
Rock Creek	1301	658	643	1301
Rocky Run	656	308	348	656
Seneca	1495	778	717	1494
St. Albans	1447	731	716	1447
St. Marys	1050	529	521	1050
Walker	1674	845	829	1674
Wilcox	4053	2079	1974	4014
Waraw	1581	798	783	1550
Wythe	1219	609	610	1200
TOTAL	49066	24804	24262	47791

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS.

Improved land	111,417	Acres
Value of Farms	13,135,171	Dollars
Total Value of all Farm Products, including Horses and Addition to Stock	2,611,161	"
Value of all Live Stock	2,392,269	"
Horses	16,115	No.
Mules and Asses	2,955	"
Sheep	9,457	"
Swine	20,539	"
Spring Wheat	181,458	Bushels
Winter Wheat	113,159	"
Rye	113,531	"
Corn	1,510,404	"
Oats	279,599	"
Barley	1,360	"
Wool	74,386	Pounds
Irish Potatoes	92,461	Bushels
Butter	44,275	Pounds
Hay	3,663	Tons

REFERENCES.

Farm House

School House

Church

Mills

Blacksmith Shop

Conductors

Roads

Railroads

Proposed Railroads

Stone Quarries

Live Kilns

Orchards

Timber

Swamp

Creeks

Coal

SCALE, TWO INCHES TO THE MILE.



History of Hancock County, Illinois.

Hancock County, one of the wealthiest in the State of Illinois, contains an area of 311,517 acres of improved land, and 486,400 acres in all. It is bounded on the north by Henderson County, on the east by McDonough and part of Schuyler Counties, on the south by Adams County, while the Mississippi River washes its western boundary for a distance of about thirty miles. It is divided into twenty-four townships, sixteen of which are congressional. Hancock County was, at an early day, a portion of Pike County. The three counties of St. Clair, Gallatin, and Randolph were formed under the territorial administration of Gen. St. Clair. Their exact boundary lines are, at this day, difficult to determine, as the maps of that time are obsolete. These counties, or divisions, were in practice till the 14th day of September, 1821, when the county of Madison was formed by Gov. Edwards. All the territory in Illinois north of a line drawn east from a point on the Mississippi just above Kaskaskia, was the domain of this county. From this territory came Bond County, then Greene, Pike, and Sangamon. The original territorial counties divided, Johnson from Randolph in 1812, Jackson from Randolph and Johnson in 1816, White from Gallatin in 1818, Franklin from Gallatin and White in 1818, Edwards from Gallatin in 1818, Crawford from St. Clair in 1816, Washington in 1818, Clark from Crawford in 1819, Fayette from Bond, Edwards, Crawford, and Clark in 1821. Following the divisions of Madison County, we find that Pike in 1821 contained all the counties now lying west of the Illinois for its whole length, to the northern boundary of the State. This great county was divided as follows: First, Fulton County in 1823, then Calhoun, Clay, Adams, Hancock, McDonough, and Warren—all from Pike—in 1823. The early settlers of this county were men of energy and courage, and came mainly from the Middle and Southern States. They were men of rough manners, but generous impulses. There are very few of them living at present; but their names and the date of their coming to the county are mentioned sufficiently, and at length, in the township histories. They had to encounter the usual vicissitudes and hardships of the pioneers; and were brave participants in the early Indian wars; but, in exactness that they were particularly noted in the Black Hawk and Winnebago wars, the theater of the Indian depredations being more intimately associated in the memories of the early settlers of adjacent counties. The oldest living settler of this county at present is, most probably, I. J. Waggoner, of Montebello Township, who came in 1824. Amos Doolittle, of Appanoose, is the only survivor of the first party. The following will explain the early organization of the county—in its first officers, jury, both grand and petit, and will throw light on about whom were the early and prominent settlers:

STATE OF ILLINOIS, JEFFER JUDICIAL CIRCUIT. } OCT.

Whereas, it has been represented to me, the undersigned, Judge of the Fifth Judicial Circuit of the State of Illinois, north of the Illinois River, that the citizens of Hancock, in the said State, are desirous that the same should be organized, with as little delay as possible; and, it appearing to my satisfaction that the said county contains three hundred and fifty inhabitants, and upwards, I do hereby, in pursuance of the powers vested in me by virtue of the ninth and eleventh sections of the act entitled "An Act Forming new Counties out of the Counties of Pike and Fulton and the Attached Parts thereof," approved 18th day of January, 1825, order, direct, and appoint that an election be held on some convenient house

in Fort Edwards, in the said county of Hancock, on the first Monday in August next, and to continue for one day only, for the following named officers, viz., Three County Commissioners, one Sheriff, and one Coroner, to serve when elected and qualified, in and for said county of Hancock.

And I do hereby nominate and appoint Luther Whitney, James White, and Geo. Y. Cutler judges of the said election, whose duty it shall be to give twenty days' notice of said election, by posting up copies of this order, with such other notice of the same as they may deem necessary, in eight of the most public places in said county, distributing them, as near as practicable, among the principal settlements of the county, to the end that all persons concerned may have due notice.

The election to be *seen* free, and conducted to the best prospect as near as may be in conformity with the laws now in force regulating elections, and the result thereof, when ascertained, to be fairly and legally made out, certified, and returned to the proper department, that commissions may issue without delay to said persons as may be entitled thereto.

And, lastly, it is ordered that Circuit Courts be held in and for the said county of Hancock on the third Monday in June and fourth Monday in October, at such places as may be selected by the County Commissioners of said county, until other regulations shall be made by law, or different times shall be appointed by the judge of said court.

Given under my hand and seal, at Quincy, in the county of Adams, this 15th day of June, A.D. 1825, [SEAL] and of the independence of the United States the fifty-third.

RICHARD M. YOUNG, Judge of the Fifth Judicial Circuit of the State of Illinois, north of the Illinois River.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, HANCOCK COUNTY. }

At a County Commissioners' Court, held in and for said county, at a special term, at Fort Edwards, in said county, on the thirteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-nine; present, James White, George Y. Cutler, and Henry Nichols, County Commissioners.

Ordered, that Wesley Williams be appointed clerk of this court temporarily, until superseded by a permanent appointment; who thereupon came into court, was sworn according to law, and entered upon the duties of said appointment.

Ordered, that Isaac R. Campbell be appointed treasurer of the county, and that he give bond and security according to law, in the sum of one thousand dollars.

The court proceeded to lay off and divide the county into districts, for the election of Justices of the Peace and Constables; whereupon, it is

Ordered, that all that part of the county, lying between the north and Adams County and the line dividing townships four and five north, be erected into a district, to be known and designated District No. 1, and that elections for Justice of the Peace and Constables therein, be held at the house of Henry Nichols, in said district; and that Luther Whitney, Henry Nichols, and John Clark be appointed judges of election therein.

All that portion of the county, lying between the south line of township five north and the north line of said township, be erected into a district, to be known and designated District No. 2, and that elections therein be held at the house now occupied by Wm. Vance; and that Ha-

zen Bedell, Charles Robinson, and John Waggoner be appointed judges of election therein.

All that portion of the county, lying north of the township line between townships five and six north and the northern boundary line of the county, be erected into a district, to be known and designated District No. 3; and that elections therein be held at the house of Alexander White; and that Davison Hibbard, Peter Williams, and Edward White be appointed judges of election therein.

Ordered, that the following named persons be summoned to attend the Circuit Court of this county, at the October Term, to serve as a Grand Jury, viz., Daniel Crumshaw, Luther Whitney, Morrell Marston, John Clark, Leonard L. Ames, Philip Malett, Wm. Clark, Reuben Britton, Thomas Payne, John Sikes, John Johnson, John Harding, Wm. Vance, Isaac Bedell, John Waggoner, Robert Wallace, James Miller, David Hibbard, — Dewey, Samuel Gooch, John Reed, Isaac R. Campbell, Edward White, and Hugh Wilson.

Ordered, that the following named persons be summoned to attend the Circuit Court of the county, at the October Term ensuing, to serve as Petit Jurymen, viz., Horace B. Whitney, John R. Wilcox, Edward Robertson, Sam. Bitterly, James Beatty, Robert Harting, Aaron Harding, Alpha Wilson, Abiel Parsons, Richard Chaney, Benj. T. Tugate, Geo. W. Harper, Charles Robinson, Charles Smith, Patrick Moffitt, William Wallace, Nathaniel Kennedy, John Canfield, Reuben Roberts, Thomas Seely, Enoch Hamlin, Arthur Parry, Abraham Moore, Alexander White, Asa Reed, Wm. Flint, Peter Williams, Dan Van Burkleo, Amos Doolittle, Ezekiel Spillman, Richard Dunn, — Yapis, Sam. Bell, Noah W. Payne, Joseph P. Puyner, and — Lewis.

On reading and filing with the clerk of a number of the citizens of this county, recommending John Johnson as a suitable person to fill the office of Surveyor of this county, it is ordered, that he be recommended and nominated to the executive of this State to be commissioned Surveyor of this county.

Ordered, that until otherwise directed, the courts of this county, be held at the house of James White, at or near the head of the lower rapids.

On the motion of Wesley Williams, it is ordered, that the Clerk of this court be permitted to hold his office at or near the house of Alexander Bedell, near the foot of the lower rapids, for the present, if he chooses.

Ordered, that the Clerk of the court be required to copy the proceedings of the court into the records of this court, when provided, and also to copy the order issued by the Judge of the Fifth Judicial Circuit Court, north of the Illinois River, in relation to the organization of this county.

Ordered, that the court adjourn till court in course. (Signed.)

HERBY NICHOLS, JAMES WHITE, GEORGE Y. CUTLER.

Progress and development marked the course of the county from this on. Emigrants began to pour in. The Blackhawk with other Indian war had not seriously impeded this advancement, and no trouble of moment occurred till a people known as the Mormons had settled the county in large numbers. These people were the followers of a man named Joseph Smith, who professed to have found plates in western New York, that, on being translated by him, through inspiration, contained revelations from God, making him a prophet, and the founder of a new church. He immediately went to work, and soon after the organization of the church, in 1830, the first stake was set at Kirtland, Ohio, and the early converts



VIEW OF HENRY P. HARPER'S BLOCK DEALER IN STAPLE & FANCY GOODS,
WEST SIDE SQUARE, CARTHAGE, ILL.

H. S. FERRIS, DIRECTOR, CARTHAGE, ILL.	HANCOCK CO. NATIONAL BANK OF CARTHAGE, ILL. H. S. FERRIS, PRESIDENT, A. J. GRIFFITH, VICE PRESIDENT, W. H. GRIFFITH, CASHIER H. S. FERRIS, DIRECTOR, J. M. CORRY, DIRECTOR, A. J. GRIFFITH, DIRECTOR, D. E. READ, DIRECTOR, W. H. GRIFFITH, DIRECTOR
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HANCOCK COUNTY COURT HOUSE, CARTHAGE, ILL.



RESIDENCE OF J. M. RANDOLPH, COR. NORTH MAIN AND FAYETTE STS., CARTHAGE, ILL.



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CARTHAGE, HANCOCK CO., ILL.

were there assembled; but it appears that this was not intended as the permanent Zion, for in 1831 Smith was directed by revelation to go on to Independence, Missouri, and there the Lord would point out to them the place for the New Jerusalem. The journey was made, and the Lord pointed out Independence, Jackson County, Missouri, as the central place of the last of posterity, where the saints were directed to erect a temple. To this point the new converts were commanded to direct their steps. But Smith and Rigdon remained at Kirtland, and held the headquarters of the church at that place until 1838, and Kirtland Smith and Rigdon engaged in various business.

The Mormons who had settled at Independence acted on the presumption that the Lord had consecrated the land and other good things around about to the use of his saints, and claimed title thereto by a grant from heaven. As their Gentile neighbors claimed title to the same property from the United States, a conflict arose, which culminated in 1833 in the total expulsion of the saints from Jackson County. They fled to Clay County, where they lived quietly till 1836, when troubles again arising between them and their neighbors, they congregated in a thinly settled portion of the county, which was organized in that county in 1837, called Caldwell County, with Far West as the county seat. Here the main body of them remained until after they were joined by Smith and Rigdon in 1838.

Quits a number of the Mormons had settled in Daviess County, and at an election in that county in the fall of 1838, a fight between them and the Gentiles occurred. When Smith heard of this, he raised a company at Far West and marched into Daviess County for the purpose, as he said, to quell the mob; but there was no mob there. The citizens were exasperated by this proceeding, and gathered in numbers to drive back the invaders. The Mormons were reinforced, and marching against the Gentiles, forced them to retreat. The word then went forth that the property of the Gentiles had been consecrated by the Lord to the use of his saints. The Mormons had possession of the county for about a week, when the militia were called out, who drove them back, arrested Smith and others. The Governor of Missouri, thinking that peace could not be retained, ordered their expulsion from the State. Smith and Rigdon effected their escape, and at the head of their followers set their faces towards Illinois.

They crossed the Mississippi at Quincy early in the year 1839, in a condition of great destitution. Their suffering touched the quick and generous sympathies of the people of Illinois, who received them with kindness and a power to alleviate their sufferings. At this time they were joined by a Doctor Galland, a man of great shrewdness and mental acumen. He soon learned the confides of Smith, who immediately received a revelation that the town of Commerce, of which Galland was principal proprietor, situated at the head of the Des Moines river, should be the place where Zion was to be more rapidly its builders. They immediately moved there, and initiated the building of a city. This site was one of the most beautiful and picturesque on the banks of the Mississippi, and the name was soon changed to Nauvoo, which, according to a revelation which Smith had received, was the Hebrew for "Beautiful City." It grew wonderfully; and with the county soon contained a population variously estimated from twenty-five thousand to thirty thousand.

At this time politicians became aware of the power of the prophet, and aspirants for office in both political parties vied with each other in attention to the leading spirits of the Mormons. The first exciting political campaign after the Mormons became voters was in the summer of 1840. Both the Whig and Democratic candidates became at once the humble servants of Joseph Smith. The Mormons having been driven from Missouri by a Democratic governor, the Whigs in this first campaign in Hancock had a decided advantage, for the prophet had received a revelation inimical to the Democrats.

Up to this time the Mormons and their neighbors had lived in amity; but it was apparent that the political bias presented two kinds of men, the absorption of either having a tendency to induce indignation in the Mormon stomach.

On the 6th day of April, 1841, the corner-stone of the Temple was laid with imposing Masonic and military display. At the session of the Illinois Legislature in 1840-1, Stephen A. Douglas was elected Judge of the Supreme Court, and assigned for circuit duty to the judicial circuit in which Hancock County was situated. He soon appointed John C. Bennett, who was Lieutenant-General of the Mormon soldiery, as Master in Chancery. This was looked upon as a bid for the Mormon vote in the interest of the Democratic party. At Warsaw, the chief commercial town of the county, was published a newspaper, called the "Warsaw Signal," edited by a young attorney, named Thomas C. Sharp. Up to this time the "Signal" had not published a word against the Mormons; but it immediately reprinted Judge Douglas for the appointment of Bennett. This article created throughout the county the most intense excitement. At the election in August, 1841, the Anti-Mormons won the day, being the first and last political victory until after the expulsion of the Mormons.

From this time on, the feeling between the Mormons and Anti-Mormons became more and more intense and bitter. First, venious harangues, in which there was more law than justice, and finally threats, larceny, and murder. The city of Nauvoo was besieged, the prophet, Smith, in jail at Carthage, killed. The Governor, Ford, called on for assistance by both parties, while mob law assumed supreme. In 1846 the Mormons began to depart for their present home in Utah, and in a few months had all left. A little later the magnificent temple that had erected was burned by incendiaries.

We have not the space in this history to give the details concerning the Mormon troubles in this county, and consequently have only endeavored to show that political difficulties were the commencement of their troubles. Whether the Mormons were treated too harshly, or whether the Anti-Mormons were in the main too radical, is not our province to determine. That there were acts committed by both parties in the controversy that were wrong, it is perhaps a matter of opinion amongst all those who were participants or witnesses of the difficulties; but there can be no doubt but that the interests of the county were benefited by the expulsion.

The following are the important towns of the county, settled at an early day:

APPANOOSE.

This town is pleasantly located on the Mississippi River, in the north-west part of the county, and nearly opposite Fort Madison, Iowa. It was laid out by Edward White and Amos Doolittle, July 1st, 1836, on Section 2, Township 7, North Range 8, west of the Fourth Principal Meridian. Distance from Carthage, the county seat, on a straight line, 17 miles north-westerly. It received its name from a chief of the Sac and Fox nation of Indians.

AUGUSTA.

Augusta was laid out in February, 1836, on the south-east quarter of Section 28, Township 5, North Range 5, west, by Joel Catlin, Samuel B. Mead, and Wm. D. Abernethy, and surveyed by James W. Brattle. From Carthage distant 16 miles due south-east. It received its name from Augusta, Georgia.

CARTHAGE.

The county seat of Hancock County is located near the geographical center of the county. It was selected for the county seat by Commissioners appointed by the County Commissioners' Court, and pre-empted for that purpose by the county, and was surveyed and laid off into town lots in 1835. Carthage is located on the north-west quarter of Section 18, Township 5, North Range 5, west. It is distant 12 miles from the Mississippi, 12 miles from the

eastern, and 15 miles from the northern and southern lines of the county. It contains, according to the government census of 1870, about fifteen hundred inhabitants.

CHILLI.

This town is located near the center of the south line of the county, and was laid out in April, 1836, on the west half of Section 30, 3, north and 6 west, by Elisha Worrell—James W. Brattle, surveyor. Distance from Carthage, 13 miles due south.

FOUNTAIN GREEN.

Fountain Green is pleasantly located in a fine section of farming country on the south-east quarter of Section 28, Township 6, North Range 5, west. It was laid out in May, 1835, by James A. Beebe and Stephen G. Ferris—James W. Brattle, surveyor. Distant from the county seat, 16 miles.

LA HARPE.

This town is situated in the north-east corner of the county, on the south-east corner of Section 31, Township 7, North Range 5, west. It was laid out in October, 1836, by Wm. Smith and Marvin Tryon, and received its name from an early French adventurer in Illinois. Previous to this the post-office had been called Franklin. Distance from Carthage, 15 miles.

NAUVOO.

In September, 1839, Joseph Smith, Hyrum Smith, Sidney Rigdon, and Geo. W. Robinson laid out a town and named it Nauvoo, a term from the Hebrew, signifying "Beautiful City." It is located at the head of the rapids, and occupies one of the most beautiful points on the upper Mississippi. Distance, 16 miles north-west of Carthage.

PLYMOUTH.

This town was laid out in January, 1836, on the north-east quarter of Section 36, Township 4, North Range 5, west, by W. Crockett, James Clark, Benj. Terrill, and Amos Cook—surveyed by J. W. Brattle. Distant from Carthage, 14 miles.

PONTOSUEC.

This town was laid out by Benedict Spillman, Marvin Tryon and J. W. Brattle, in April, 1837, on the south-west quarter of Section 4, 7, North 7, west, at the point on the Mississippi known as Spillman's Landing. Distant 16 miles from Carthage. It bears the Indian name of Pitusfield, Man, the former residence of one of the proprietors.

PULASKI.

Was laid out in February, 1836, on the north-east quarter of Section 35, 3, north 5, west, by Alexander Oliver, Wm. McCredy, and Benj. Bacon—J. W. Brattle, surveyor. It lies also in the south-east corner of the county, about 19 miles from Carthage. It received its name in honor of Count Pulaski.

ST. MARY'S.

Was laid out on November, 1835, by Walter R. Hunt and Wesley Williams on the east half of Section 11, 4, north 5, west, and is distant from Carthage, 11 miles south south-west.

WARSAW.

This town is advantageously situated on the Mississippi River, opposite the mouth of the Des Moines, and 4 miles below the foot of the rapids. It was laid out in March, 1834, by John B. Wilson, Geo. M. Aldrich, John Montgomery, and John W. Vineyard—surveyed by James W. Brattle. Distance from the county seat, about 16 miles, a little south of west. About the beginning of the 18th century the French built Fort Johnson at this place; it stood on the point of bluff now where Allen's mill now stands. It is in the middle of the 18th century, during the trouble be-

between the French and English, it was abandoned, because of an expected attack from the latter, via the Great Lakes. In the latter part of the 18th century, P. Edwards, named after Gov. Edwards, of Illinois, was built by Capt. (afterwards President) Zachary Taylor. It stood on the bluff at the foot of Clay street, and was abandoned in 1825, and afterwards used by the Fur Company. The first families that located at this place were Major Morrill Marston, Major John R. Wilcox (both officers in the fort), Curtis Caldwell, John Clark, a French family by the name of Binamette, Isham Cochran, Jarvis Beebe, and Mark Aldrich. All had families, except Major Marston. The first dwelling was built of logs, by Geo. W. Wilcox, in 1827. In 1832, the population was about two dozen. The Warsaw House, first occupied by Calvin Warren, was the first hotel; it was built in 1835. Previous to this, however, the Fort was used as a stopping place for all new-comers. In 1833 a half-breed girl, Louise Mair, and Amos Van Asandall, were married, the first of which we have any account. Two children of Isham Cochran's died in 1830—the first deaths. The first birth occurred in 1826, a daughter of Geo. W. Wilcox; she died in infancy. The first school-house was built of logs, in 1855, on the corner of Summit avenue and Fourteenth street. The first school was taught by Miss Sarah D. Lawton, now Mrs. Thomas Gregg, in a building erected for a store-house, opposite the Warsaw House; she began in the spring of 1835. The first church was built by the Congregationalists in 1836. It stands near Gardner's livery stable, and is now used for an office and dwelling. Dr. Watson, the first physician, came to Warsaw in 1834. The first newspaper issued was the "Western World," published in 1840 by D. N. White, from Pittsburgh. In 1845 the population was 473.

DALLAS

Is a prominent town on the Mississippi River, part in Dallas Township, Hancock County, and part in Dallas Township, Henderson County. It is on the Quincy, Carthage & Burlington Railroad, and is one of the best business towns in that part of the country.

BURNSIDE

Is a thriving town in Pilot Grove Township; is on the T., P. & W. R. R., is surrounded by a splendid country, and does a large local trade.

WEST POINT

Is a promising little town on the Quincy & Carthage Railroad, in St. Albans Township.

FERRIS

At the junction of the T., P. & W. and Quincy, Carthage & Burlington Railroad, in a fine farming region, and is a good shipping point.

HAMILTON

Is a splendid town in Montebello Township, is delightfully located on the Mississippi River, opposite Keokuk; is on the T., P. & W. R. R., and is a place doing a good business, and peopled by the best class of citizens.

STILLWELL

Is a station on the Quincy & Carthage Railroad, in St. Albans Township.

ELVASTON

Situated at the confluence of the T., P. & W. and T. & W. R. R., is beautifully situated on the high rolling prairie, in Prairie Township.

BOWENBURG

Is a station on the T. & W. R. R., in Child Township.

BENTLEY AND DENER

Are small stations on the T. & W. R. R. in Harmony Township.

BASCO

Is a station on the Quincy, Carthage & Burlington Railroad.

LACROSSE

Is on the T., P. & W. R. R.

WEBSTER

Is a village in Fountain Green Township.

ADRIAN

Is a promising little town in Rock Creek Township, on the Q. C. & B. R. R.

COLUSA

Is on the Q. C. & B. R. R., in Pontotoc Township.

BRECKENRIDGE AND TIoga

Are in Walker Township.

EARLY NEWSPAPERS.

In June, 1836, the first newspaper was issued in the county. It was entitled the "Carthagenian," and was printed at Carthage, under the auspices of an association, by Thomas Gregg, editor and printer. It was continued until the spring following, when the stock was bought up by Dexter Gillard, one of the company, and the press removed to Montrose, Iowa, and used in the publication of the "Western Adventurer." A campaign paper, entitled "The Echo," was issued from the office of the "Carthagenian," during the autumn, to advocate the claims of General Harrison. The county was then without a press until the fall of 1837, when the Mormons settled in it, and the "Times and Seasons" was commenced at Nauvoo by Don Carlos Smith and Alpheus Robinson. It was a semi-weekly sheet, issued monthly, at one dollar per annum, and devoted to the dissemination of the peculiar doctrines of the Mormon church. In the spring of 1840, D. N. White, then the editor of the "Pittsburgh Gazette," brought a press to Warsaw, and commenced the publication of the "Western World." This continued for six months, when the office passed into the hands of Thos. C. Sharp, Esq., who changed its name to that of "Warsaw Signal." In 1842, Wm. Smith, brother of the press, arrived at Nauvoo the "Wasp," a small weekly newspaper which was soon after enlarged and called the "Nauvoo Neighbor," by John Taylor, one of the twelve. In the spring of 1844, one number of a new paper, called the "Nauvoo Expositor," was issued by Wm. Law, Wilson Law, Robert D. Foster, Chas. Foster, Francis M. and Chauncey Hygden, seceders from the Mormon church, and edited by Sylvester Edman. During the summer of 1844 a small paper was gotten up in Warsaw, entitled the "Hancock Democrat."

PRODUCTS.

Wheat, corn, and oats are the principal agricultural products of Hancock County; but rye, hemp, flax, barley, beans, potatoes, and turnips are produced. The principal articles of export are beef, pork, lard, hides, tallow, butter, wheat, corn, flour, hams, honey, beeswax, fur, and peltries.

THE GEOLOGICAL STRUCTURE

Of the soil of the Bounty Land tract generally, has been given as follows, by scientific men: First, vegetable mould, from ten to thirty inches deep; second, pure yellow clay, three to eight feet; third, gravelly clay mixed with pebbles, four to ten feet; fourth, limestone rock, two to twelve feet; fifth, shale, covering a stratum of bituminous coal, four to five feet; sixth, sandstone; and, seventh, sandstone.

STREAMS OF WATER.

Rock Creek rises partly in Hancock and partly in Adams Counties, and after meandering through and watering, together with its tributaries, the southern end of the county, crosses the line in three, north eight, west, and enters the Mississippi, fourteen miles above Quincy. Breat's Creek is a small stream in the St. Mary's settlement, emptying into Crooked Creek. Chap Creek in the northern part of the county, empties into the Mississippi, between Appanose and Pontotoc. Clear Creek is a branch of Crooked Creek. Crooked Creek is the principal and important stream in the county. Its western branch heads in the northern and central portions of the county, and, meandering to the south-east, joins the eastern branch in

the neighborhood of St. Mary's, and passing into Schuyler, empties into the Illinois River. Deer Creek, a small stream in the north part of the county. Long Creek meanders just north of Carthage, and is a branch of Crooked Creek. Fradick Creek, east of Carthage, is also a branch of Crooked Creek. Rock Creek empties also into Crooked Creek. Spring Creek, near the line of Henderson County.

INCIDENTS OF EARLY HISTORY.

Hancock County is said to have been the birth-place of the celebrated Indian chief, Black Hawk. Whether such is a fact, of course is unknown; but some of the early settlers have received the tradition from the Indians, and I believe from Black Hawk himself. The place designated is on Camp Creek, in the northern part of the county. The early session of the County and Circuit Courts were held at the head of the Rapids, at which was a post-office named Vance. After Carthage became the county seat, the courts were held in a log cabin on the south-east corner of the public square; the building was also occupied by the several denominations as a church, and by the citizens for a school-house. Richard M. Young was the first judge in the county; the judges following, up to 1846, were Judges Ralston, John Douglas, Thomas and Purple. The first ferry established in this county was by Luther Whitney and Wm. Vance, at Montebello, Dec. 7th, 1829. The first licensed attorney was Robert R. Williams, in 1830. In 1830, Rufus Fosham was licensed to keep a tavern at Fort Edwards. In March, 1831, Geo. Y. Cutler, Luther Whitney, and John Johnson were appointed commissioners by the County Court, to ascertain the geographical extent of the county, and make report at the next term. In June, 1831, John R. Wilcox was authorized to establish a ferry near Fort Edwards. In September, 1832, Edward White and Amel Doolittle were authorized to establish a ferry at Appanose.

FORT EDWARDS

Was situated on the high bluffs overlooking the Mississippi, about a quarter of a mile above Main street, in Warsaw. It consisted of two block houses, a magazine, and four other buildings, and enclosed about a quarter of an acre. It was built soon after the war of 1812, to protect the frontier from the depredations of the Indians. It was evacuated about 1827. In 1830, it was occupied as a hotel.

FORT JOHNSON

Was situated on the high point, two hundred yards below Main street, in Warsaw. It was built before the war of 1812, and had gone to decay in 1827.

The following is the civil list for Hancock County, for 1873:

George Sibley, Judge of Circuit Court.
Andrew J. Davis, Clerk of Circuit Court.
John R. Rise, Judge of County Court.
Geo. J. Rodgers, Clerk of County Court.
John D. Stevens, Sheriff.
Peter Fry, Treasurer.
Bryant F. Petersen, State's Attorney.
Wm. C. Hooker, Master in Chancery.
William Griffin, County Superintendent.
Harriet H. Barnes, Coroner.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Wm. H. Mond, Auditor.
John A. Ross, St. Mary's.
Wm. Root, Hancock.
J. H. Haulich, Fountain Green.
Helen J. Warren, La Harpe.
Eugene R. Davis, Child.
M. G. Browning, Harmony.
M. S. Carey, Warsaw.
Wm. Black, Pilot Grove.
David Byer, Darham.
Hugh Jackson, Appanose.
J. T. Johnson, Warsaw.
John Dornell, Nauvoo.
Bridley Hexon, St. Albans.
J. H. Wozel, Benz Creek.
Wm. R. Hamilton, Prairie.
R. F. Darvall, Rock Creek.
D. Lomberger, Dallas City.
J. W. Maxwell, Pontotoc.
H. H. Shepard, Walker.
F. F. Walker, Warsaw.
Thos. Riegler, Montebello.
Geo. Edmunds, Jr., Sonoma.
A. J. Doughty, Rocky Ran.
Charles Hoppe, Warsaw.



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CITY OF CARTHAGE.

NAME	RESIDENCE	BUSINESS	NATIVITY	When Came to Co.
Alexander, J. K.	Carthage	Grain Dealer	Greene Co., Tenn.	1867
Browning, James M.		County Treasurer	Grundy Co., Tenn.	1835
Baker, Wm.		Retired Merchant	Jefferson Co., Kentucky	1849
Bonde, J. K.		Physician and Surgeon	Clermont Co., Ohio	1854
Black, R. F.		Lumber Merchant	Grand Rapids, Wisconsin	1857
Buckner, Charles P.		Boots and Shoes	Augusta, Kentucky	1869
Bower, Henry		Blacksmith	Cumberland Co., Penn.	1857
Carey, M. S.		Farmer	Chenango Co., N. Y.	1849
Cherry, Adolphus		Clark	London, England	1848
Clark, C. G.		Lumber Merchant	Chicago Co., New York	1866
Cooksey, L. R.		Postmaster	Hillsboro, Kentucky	1851
Cutter, Wm. A.		Family Grocer	Erne Co., New York	1855
Canon, C. T.		Deputy Sheriff	Hancock Co., Illinois	1851
Cherry, John W.		Farmer and Miller	Overton Co., Tenn.	1848
Clugston, William M.		Druggist	Woodford Co., Kentucky	1866
Devoy, J. M.		Ex-Carriage Republican	Madison Co., Illinois	1863
Dale, W. J.		Dr. Goods	Woodford Co., Kentucky	1847
Duan, And.		Farmer	Quebec, Canada	1863
Elder, James		Farmer	Franklin Co., Penn.	1857
Ferris, H. G.		Baker	Stellen Co., New York	1849
Fasch, J. L.		Blacksmith	Washington Co., Md.	1857
Farris, John M.		Atty. at Law & Justice Peace	Champaign Co., New York	1848
Greenfield, D.		Druggist	Hartford, Connecticut	1835
Griffin, Wm.		Supt. of Public School	Onondaga Co., New York	1859
Griffith, A. J.		V. P. Hancock Co. Nat'l Bk.	Hughland Co., Ohio	1848
Hancock Co. Nat'l Bk.		Farmer	Washington Co., Ky.	1843
Head, D. E.		Attorney at Law	Albany, New York	1854
Hocker, W. F.		Dr. Goods Merchant	Urbana, Ohio	1858
Hannan, W. F.		Physician and Surgeon	Wood Co., Ohio	1866
Helfrich, John		Meat Market	Germany Co., Kentucky	1854
Hughes, W. W.		Harness and Saddles	Bourbon Co., Kentucky	1858
Hunsaker, G. T.		Timber and Stove Dealer	Franklin Co., Penn.	1860
Johansen, J. W.		Carpenter and Builder	Putnam Co., Virginia	1847
Kimbrough, Thomas J.		Farmer and Grocer	Graves Co., Indiana	1848
Kirkpatrick, J. H.		Stock Dealer	Adams Co., Illinois	1859
Mac, D. D.		Attorney at Law	Franklin Co., Penn.	1851
McMechan, F. G.		Harness Maker	Pebble Co., Ohio	1865
Manier, W. J.		Attorney at Law	Montgomery Co., Ky.	1848
McCole, E. W.		Carpenter and Builder	Madison Co., Tenn.	1851
Mathews, Eliza		Bus and Delivery Line	Gallia Co., Ohio	1849
Martens, Fred.		Baker & Candy Manufacturer	Monksongery, Tenn.	1857
Madden, Frank	Keokuk, Ia.	Dr. Goods	Rosconmoun Co., Ireland	1856
Nash, Joseph	Carthage	Furniture Dealer	Lehigh Co., Penn.	1860
Newland, Levi B.		Merchant	Lehigh Co., Penn.	1858
Ogline, John		Boot and Shoe Maker	Columbiana Co., Ohio	1854
Patterson, A. F.		Attorney at Law	Montgomery Co., Tenn.	1857
Patterson, W. A.		Pattern House	Putnam Co., New York	1848
Pittman, J. A. W.		Photographer	Gibson Co., Tennessee	1858
Prutt, E. A.		Boots and Shoes	Caroline Co., Virginia	1849
Prenoble, L. F.		Retired	Owego Co., New York	1848
Quincy, Jesse B.		Agri. Implements & Inv.	McClure Co., Maryland	1864
Risse, J. B.		County Judge	Prussia	1847
Rugers, Geo. J.		County Clerk	Albany Co., New York	1853
Randolph, J. M.		Merchant	Bavaria	1857
Robbins, C. C.		Carriage Manufacturer	Brecon Co., New York	1857
Rock, F. E. R.		Stock Dealer	Hill, William	1851
Starr, Thomas		Ex-Carriage Gazette	St. Holly, New Jersey	1848
Shaw, John D.		Sheriff	Greene Co., Illinois	1843
Spiller, A.		Physician and Surgeon	Hausen, Virginia	1851
Swahly, J.		Druggist	Rochbridge Co., Virginia	1854
Shell, Alex.		Hardware	Hartford, Conn.	1854
Sample, James		Furniture Dealer	Lancaster Co., Penn.	1858
Symonds, A. F.		Stock Store & News Dealer	Hillsborough Co., N. H.	1847
Steph, Frank		Grocer and Baker	Bavaria	1857
Scfield, R. B.		Channery at Law	Chattanooga Co., N. Y.	1844
Sternville, John		Farmer	Franklin Co., Penn.	1851
Strayer, J. B.		Groceries and Provisions	Upakar Co., West Va.	1856
Traylor, C. W.		Family Grocer	Garrard Co., Kentucky	1850
Thompson, S.		Physician and Surgeon	Knox, Illinois	1851
Tresler, D. L.		Prof. at Carriage College	Perry Co., Penn.	1851
Williams, C. V.		Merchant	St. Charles, Mo.	1851
Wilson, W. C.		Farmer	Hancock Co., Illinois	1853
Wilson, Allen		Livery and Stage Stable	Adair Co., Kentucky	1849
Wider, R. M.		Farm Machinery	Lehigh Co., Penn.	1857

CITY OF WARSAW.

NAME	RESIDENCE	BUSINESS	NATIVITY	When Came to Co.
Adler, Jacob	Warsaw	Merchant	Germany	1866
Adam, C. B.		Adams House	New York	1868
Apel, Jas. G.		Grain Dealer	Germany	1849
Albers, C.		Merchant and Miller	Germany	1847
Andrews, James Wells		Lumber	Wheat, Illinois	1847
Barr, Joseph		Postmaster	Maryland	1848
Black, Robert		Lumber Dealer	Pennsylvania	1844
Bellersh, George		Concres and Provisions	Germany	1853
Brown, Isaac H.		Capitain	Ohio	1836
Becky, Louis		Merchant	Germany	1863
Beid, Taylor		Restaurant	Kentucky	1841
Blaugstein, H.		Boot and Shoe Manufacturer	Kentucky	1857
Bride, Samuel		Farmer	New Hampshire	1844
Baker, John		Contractor and Builder	Kentucky	1833
Broadbent, Isaac		Contractor and Builder	England	1846
Bouffant, John		Merchant	Pennsylvania	1865
Bullen, John		Saloon	Germany	1857
Berlett, M.		Merchant	Germany	1847
Brentestien, J.		Guns and Sporting Goods	St. Louis, Missouri	1865
Berlin, H.		Merchant Tailor and Ready Made Clothing, Hats and Caps	Germany	1844
Britt, P.		Merchant	Germany	1867
Baker, Geo. S.		Ferrying	Hancock Co., Illinois	1839
Bailey, R. Bradenst.		Stem Engine and Steam Pump	Germany	1853
Baker, Morris		Carpenter	Hancock Co., Illinois	1839
Clark, David		City Marshal	Indiana	1848
Cox, D. H.		Forwarding and Commission	New York	1849
Cole, Calvin		Merchant	Ohio	1848
Cress, William		Salesman	Germany	1854
Cress, George		Wagon and Plow Factory	Germany	1858
Cherry, W. Al.		Wagon and Plow Factory	Germany	1858
Critchfield, J. D.		Bookkeeper	Ohio	1861
Cress, William		Plasterer	Holmes Co., Ohio	1847
Chittenden, H. R.		Real Estate	Guilford, Conn.	1844
Chittenden, H. R.		Editor of "Robin"	Massachusetts	1847
Derry, V. L.		Merchant	France Co.	1852
Dugan, J.		Druggist	Jefferson Co., New York	1866
Dodson, J. W.		Banker	New York	1866
Dorwin, W. E.		Ass't Supt. T. P. & W. R. R.	New York	1866
Eckley, Wm.		City Clerk	New York	1866
Eymann, C.		Wine Grower	Germany	1850
Eymann, A.		Cigar Manufacturer	Germany	1847
Edmondson & Son, J. F.		Hay and Grain Dealer	Germany	1859
Eymann, Peter		Wagon Maker	Germany	1866
Elrod, Robt. F.		Merchant	New York	1867
Gardner, C. H.		Livery	Illinois	1854
Gieseler, Chris.		Blacksmith	Germany	1864
Goddert, Mathew		Saddles and Harness	Germany	1850
Gillham, John		Farmer	Campbell Co., Kentucky	1835
Hill, William		First Nat'l National Bank	England	1867
Halker, Charles		Police Justice	Germany	1850
Hollowsbush, J. W.		Physician	Pennsylvania	1846
Holmes, Charles C.		Butcher	Germany	1856
Hill, Mrs. Charlotte B.		House Painter	Massachusetts	1843
Holmes, Peter		Retired	England	1863
Hunt, M. T.		Hardware	Vermont	1847
Hartman, Joseph		Hay Dealer	Germany	1852
Hill, Walter W.		R. R. Stock Adjuster	North Carolina	1849
Hoffman, William		Merchant	Germany	1852
Holman, Augustus		and Lumber	England	1836
Hill, Mrs. Charlotte B.		Confectioner and Baker	Germany	1853
Holman, Augustus		Furniture Dealer	Washington Co., Penn.	1859
Hill, Henry		House Painter	Massachusetts	1843
Holmes, Charles C.		Retired	England	1863
Holmes, Charles C.		Banker	England	1846
Holmes, Charles C.		Merchant	Maryland	1847
Holmes, Charles C.		Butler	Germany	1852
Holmes, Charles C.		Butcher	Germany	1866
Holmes, Charles C.		Cigar Manufacturer	Germany	1857
Holmes, Charles C.		Hardware	(Organized in 1857)	1859
Holmes, Charles C.		Jeweler	Vermont	1839
Holmes, Charles C.		Furniture	Germany	1853
Holmes, Charles C.		Provisions and Groceries	Germany	1847

OUR SUBSCRIBERS IN HANCOCK COUNTY---CONTINUED.

CITY OF WARSAW--Continued

LA HARPE TOWNSHIP—Continued.

NAME	RESIDENCE	OCCUPATION	NATIVITY	Wm. Co. Ind.
Chapin, Chas. J.	Warren	Provisions and Groceries	Germany	18
Kane, A. A.		Merchant Tailor	Germany	18
Kenney, J. J.	Free Warren	Coal Mill Miller	Germany	18
Kennedy, J. H.		Marble Works	Orange Co. New York	18
Kyle & Puley		Attorney at Law	Connecticut	18
Laurel, E. B.		Physician at Law	Jefferson Co. Virginia	18
Lemon, W. D.		Physician	Germany	18
Lincoln, Alfred		Excavator	Clinton Co. Ohio	18
McDonald & Wood		Livery, Sale and Feed Stable	Organized	18
Marcil & Mathews		Attorney at Law	Organized	18
Muller, J. R.		Sign and Ornamental Printer and Fancy Store	Panama City, Illinois	18
Marsh, B. F.		Engineer	New York	18
Miner, J.		Merchant	Fredrick Co. Maryland	18
Monroe, J. W.		Staple and Fancy Groceries	Organized	18
Milner & Kaufman		Restaurant	Germany	18
Mull, Conrad		Wholesale Liquor Dealer and	France	18
Myer, Charles		Groceries	Germany	18
Piedrit, Fritz		Staple and Fancy Groceries	Germany	18
Purinton, Charles B.		Wholesale Liquor Dealer and	France	18
Roth, Henry F.		Groceries	Germany	18
Keefe, Leon Jules		Engineer	Germany	18
Roemer, A.		Staple and Fancy Groceries	Germany	18
Riesman, J. F.		Stoves and Tinware	Sweden	18
Ross, J. W.		Merchant and Miller	Pennsylvania	18
Ruckstuhl, H.		Berchman	Germany	18
Rez, Geo. W.		Restaurant	Germany	18
Reyer, John F.		Flaming Mill	Adams Co. Penn	18
Reynolds & Bro.		Brick Making	Germany	18
Roberts, E. C.		Brewers	Vermont	18
Smith, Henry J.		Wagon House	Germany	18
Streich, Andrew		Staple and Fancy Groceries	Illinois	18
Schaefer, George		Milling	Ohio	18
Simms, Ed. C.		Grocers and Provision	Germany	18
Stracke, Louis		Livery	Illinois	18
Summons, John K.		Vintner	Germany	18
Sisby, H. B.		Attorney & Real Estate Agt	Ohio	18
Stearns, J. W.		Travelling Agent	Connecticut	18
Schnepp, J. W.		Builder and Contractor	Germany	18
Schnepp, J. W.		Greaser	Germany	18
Warner, Charles A.		Physician and Surgeon	Germany	18
Wernersbach, F. J.		Dry Goods and Groceries	Germany	18
Wolf, Chas.		Saddle, Harness and Leather Store	Germany	18
Wallace, S. C.		Wagon Maker	Germany	18
Walker, Jacob P.		Contractor and Builder	Washington Co. Ohio	18
Walsh, John		Refrigerating	Germany	18
Wilson, Mrs. Ada S.		Retired	Lovington, Kentucky	18
Wallace, John A.	Keokuk	Real Estate Dealer	Knox Co. Tenn	18

NAME	RESIDENCE	BUSINESS	NATIVITY	TO
Edgington, G. W. . . .	The Harpe	Nutrery	Brown Co, Ohio	1867
Swisher, J. S. . . .	The Harpe	Farmer	Putnam Co, Indiana	1867
Gochenez, D. H. . . .	The Harpe	Groceries and Queensware	The Harpe, Illinois	1867
Gatlings, Charles . . .	Section 18	Farmer	Muskingum Co, Ohio	1867
Swisher, J. S. . . .	Section 18	Farmer	The Harpe, Virginia	1867
Gochenez, Chasley . . .	The Harpe	Grain Dealer	The Harpe, Illinois	1867
Swisher, J. S. . . .	The Harpe	Farmer	Hennepin Co, Ohio	1867
Hyatt, H. N. . . .	Section 18	Grain Dealer	New York	1867
Ansley, J. A. . . .	Section 7	Farmer	Muskingum Co, Ohio	1867
Swisher, J. S. . . .	Section 18	Attorney-at-Law	Muskingum Co, Ohio	1867
Kern, S. V. . . .	Section 5	Farmer	Monroe Co, Indiana	1867
Swisher, J. S. George . . .	Section 18	Farmer	Altamaha Co, Penn.	1867
King, E. W. . . .	Section 13	Merchant	Canon, Illinois	1867
Lincoln, H. . . .	The Harpe	Merchant	Hardin Co, Kentucky	1867
Swisher, J. S. . . .	The Harpe	Farmer	The Harpe, Illinois	1867
McVey, J. J. . . .	Section 19	Farmer	Coconino Co, Arizona	1867
Swisher, J. S. . . .	Section 18	Farmer	Worcester Co, Mass.	1867
Miller, John . . .	Section 18	Farmer	Scott Co, Illinois	1867
Manfold, John . . .	Section 19	Farmer	Ross Co, Tenn.	1867
Swisher, J. S. . . .	Section 18	Farmer	Ross Co, Tenn.	1867
Rudd, Farmer . . .	Section 13	Farmer	The Harpe, Illinois	1867
Swisher, J. S. . . .	Section 18	Blacksmith	Brown Co, Ohio	1867
Nudd, J. A. . . .	The Harpe	Farmer	Merrimack Co, N. H.	1867
Otto, George F. . . .	The Harpe	Furniture	Philadelphia	1867
Swisher, J. S. . . .	The Harpe	Attorney at Law	Washington Co, Ohio	1867
Painter, H. R. . . .	Section 4	Farmer	Lawrence Co, Penn.	1867
Swisher, J. S. . . .	Section 18	Farmer	Lawrence Co, Penn.	1867
Peterson, G. C. . . .	Section 5	Wagon Maker	Standsky Co, Ohio	1867
Ross, Wm. L. . . .	The Harpe	Carpenter	Maine	1867
Swisher, J. S. . . .	Section 18	Farmer	The Harpe, Illinois	1867
Ritter, Jared . . .	Section 16	Farmer	Muskingum Co, Ohio	1867
Swisher, J. S. Wm. . . .	The Harpe	Livery Stable	The Harpe, Illinois	1867
Shinn, R. L. . . .	The Harpe	Merchant	Harrison Co, Virginia	1867
Sinton, R. . . .	The Harpe	Physician	England	1867
Swisher, J. S. . . .	The Harpe	Poker Magazine	New Hampshire	1867
Stanford, M. D. . . .	The Harpe	Farmer	Connecticut	1867
Swisher, J. S. A. . . .	The Harpe	Farmer	Connecticut	1867
Sea, S. . . .	The Harpe	Carpenter	Kentucky	1867
Swainwell, John . . .	Section 6	Carpenter	England	1867
Swisher, J. S. . . .	Section 18	Carpenter	England	1867
Smith, W. . . .	The Harpe	Merchant	New Hampshire	1867
Swisher, J. S. C. C. . . .	The Harpe	Boots and Shoes	Ohio	1867
Smith, A. . . .	The Harpe	Druggist	Connecticut	1867
Todd, John . . .	Section 19	Farming	Maryland	1867
Swisher, J. S. . . .	Section 19	State Senator	Maryland	1867
Warren, Phobias . . .	The Harpe	Books and Postmaster	Maine	1867
Swisher, J. S. . . .	The Harpe	Farmer	Philadelphia	1867
Walker, Thomas . . .	Section 8	Farmer	Muskingum Co, Ohio	1867
Swisher, J. S. . . .	The Harpe	Carpenter	Philadelphia	1867
Walker, Jesse C. . . .	Section 18	Farmer	Philadelphia	1867

LA HARPE TOWNSHIP.

CARTHAGE TOWNSHIP

NAME	RESIDENCE	BUSINESS	NATIVITY	Co.
Brundage, Israel	La Harpe	Groceries	New York	13
Butler, N. J.	La Harpe	Physician	Kentucky	13
Brundage, W. C.	La Harpe	Farmer	Morgan Co., Illinois	13
Balmer, W. A.	Section 30	Farmer	Hancock Co., Illinois	13
Bradshaw, W. D.	Section 30	Farmer	Jacksonville, Illinois	13
Bryant, J. J.	La Harpe	Farmer	Washington Co., Illinois	13
Bryant, J. J. & Son, J. A.	La Harpe	Stoves and Hardware	Wales	13
Beckman, H. F.	La Harpe	Millers	Brundswick, Germany	13
Bell, Wm. H.	La Harpe	Hotel	Recklingmire Co., Ky.	13
Burns, H. H.	Section 21	Farmer	Illinois	13
Burns, S. M. & R.	Section 6	Farmer	Mercer Co., Penn.	13
Bolinger, James W.	Section 6	Farmer	Virginia	13
Burkhardt, Joe	Section 21	Farmer	New Tennessee	13
Balmer, W. A.	Section 21	Farmer	Muskumgum Co., Ohio	13
Bowman, H. F.	La Harpe	Livery	Illinois	13
Brown, Wm. A.	La Harpe	Farmer	Erie Co., New York	13
Chapman, A.	La Harpe	Hotel	Kentucky	13
Cofford, George	La Harpe	Locusts and Quarantines	Hennepin Co., Minn.	13
Cogwell, S. L.	La Harpe	Butcher	Zanesville, Ohio	13
Coleman, A. C.	La Harpe	Miller	Bennington Co., Vermont	13
Cassingham, G. B.	Section 7	Farmer	Palmer Co., Pennsylvania	13
Campbell, T. J.	La Harpe	Merchant	Muskumgum Co., Ohio	13
Campbell, W. N.	Section 21	Farmer	Palmer Co., Penn.	13
Conwell, Henry	Section 21	Farmer	Hargreaves Co., Ohio	13
Cornick, John	Section 24	Farmer	Connecticut	13
Cassingham, T. W.	Section 31	Farmer	Waukegan Co., Ohio	13

NAME	RESIDENCE	EDUCATION	NATIVITY	WAS
Austin, F. S.	Section 35	Farmer	Adrian Co. Vermont	18
Bernethy, Robert	Section 19	Farmer	Brown Co. Ohio	18
Bricker, John	Section 19	Farmer	Lancaster Co. Penn.	18
Canham, John F.	Section 25	Farmer	Hancock Co. Illinois	18
Carlson, J. N.	Section 25	Farmer	Mononguery Co. Ala.	18
Dorathy, F. T.	Section 18	Farmer	N. Vernon, Kentucky	18
Edwards, William	Section 18	Farmer	McDonough Co. Illinois	18
Earls, Wm. H.	Section 25	Farmer	Union Co. Virginia	18
Eveng, J. A.	Section 8	Farmer	Floyd Co. Virginia	18
Farmer, J. R.	Section 8	Farmer	Bracken Co. Kentucky	18
Goad, J. R.	Section 23	Farmer	Forrestburg, Scotland	18
Groodrich, J. R.	Section 23	Farmer	Green Brier Co. West Va.	18
Hohari, Norman	Section 17	Farmer	Chittenden Co. Vermont	18
Johnson, J. W.	Section 17	Farmer	Shangpaun Co. Ohio	18
Keyser, John H.	Section 25	Farmer	Page Co. Virginia	18
Mercile, John	Section 29	Farmer	Shangpaun Co. New York	18
McQuay, A. C.	Section 25	Farmer	Carlisle, Illinois	18
Martin, W.	Section 25	Farmer	Barbour Co. West Va.	18
Morgan, J. W.	Section 25	Farmer and Contractor	County of Ireland	18
Regnier, A. R.	Section 31	Farmer	Marquette, Ohio	18
Rucker, Ezekiel	Section 19	Farmer	Grant Co. Kentucky	18
Schick, Wm. W.	Section 21	Farmer	Frederick Co. Md.	18
Sickman, William	Section 21	Farmer	Jefferson Co. Virginia	18
Wilson, Wm.	Section 9	Farmer	Rockcastle Co. Kentucky	18
Worrier, A. C.	Section 5	Farmer	Stamphure Co. Mass.	18
Young, V. C.	Section 5	Farmer	St. Genevieve Co. Mo.	18
Zimmerman, J. W.	Section 13	Farmer	Lancaster Co. Penn.	18
Zetter, G. H.	Section 13	Farmer	Lancaster Co. Penn.	18



FARM RESIDENCE OF J. M. LIONBERGER, DENTIST AND SURGEON, SEC. 12, DALLAS TP, HANCOCK CO, ILL.



RESIDENCE AND STOCK FARM OF S. TURNEY, SEC. 1, ROCK CREEK TP HANCOCK CO, ILL.



RESIDENCE OF
GEN. CHAS. A. GILCHRIST, CARTHAGE, ILLINOIS.

HARMONY TOWNSHIP

NAME	RESIDENCE	DEGREE	NATIVITY	PLANTED IN S. C.
Black, James	Denver	Retired Farmer	Madison Co., Virginia	1850
Browning, Geo. M.	Section 35	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Durham Co., Tenn.	1850
Brown, J. W.	Section 37	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Madison Co., Virginia	1850
Bry, A. W.	Section 17	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Wayne Co., Penn.	1853
Blair, A. J.	Bendley	Blacksmith	Rayette Co., Ohio	1853
Blythe, J. H.	Section 17	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Wayne Co., Virginia	1853
Bates, S. H.	Section 19	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Fayette, Penn.	1853
Barnes, J. W.	Section 17	Farmer	Page Co., Va.	1853
Bates, W. J.	Section 16	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Overton Co., Tennessee	1853
Cannon, E. S.	Section 22	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Hancock Co., Illinois	1853
Canfield, J. R.	Section 17	Farmer	Wayne Co., Virginia	1853
Canham, A. A.	Section 9	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Grant Co., Tenn.	1853
Carpenter, Geo. W.	Section 23	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Wayne Co., Virginia	1853
Carr, J. W.	Section 24	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Providence, R. I.	1853
Craw, K. R.	Section 23	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Drewnshire, England	1853
Crawford, Samuel	Section 23	Farmer	Quincy, Mo.	1853
Flaming, S. R.	Section 28	Farmer	Newcastle, Delaware	1853
Fleming, R. J.	Section 13	Farmer	Hancock Co., Illinois	1853
Fleming, R. M.	Section 13	Farmer	Hancock Co., Illinois	1853
Hugco, Truman	Denver	Hotel	Meigs Co., Ohio	1853
Hedrick, James	Section 17	Farmer	Guilford Co., N. Carolina	1853
Hughes, R. B.	Section 17	Farmer	Montgomery Co., W. Va.	1853
Jones, Geo. W.	Section 15	Farmer	Kouss Co., Tennessee	1853
Johnson, Thomas	Section 15	Farmer	Tennessee	1853
Jones, J. A.	Bendley	Farmer and Physician	Jefferson Co., Indiana	1854
Jenkins, John	Section 14	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Culpeper Co., Virginia	1854
Jones, J. W.	Section 17	Farmer	Grant Co., Tenn.	1854
McNeal, N. H.	Denver	Physician	Clermont Co., Ohio	1854
Mac, S. B.	Section 17	Farmer	Hancock Co., Illinois	1854
Mac, Geo. M.	Section 28	Farmer	Hancock Co., Illinois	1854
McAllister, John	Section 16	Farmer	County Antrim, Ireland	1854
Mac, J. W.	Section 17	Farmer	Adair Co., Kentucky	1854
Malry, J. A.	Section 17	Farmer	Carroll Co., Virginia	1854
Onion, Thomas M.	Bendley	Deputy Postmaster and Rail Road Agent	Hopkin Co., Kentucky	1854
Reuter, J. J.	Denver	Carpenter	Clark Co., Indiana	1856
Reak, S. J.	Section 34	Farmer	Greene Co., Virginia	1856
Ransley, E. R.	Section 24	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Gliffe Co., N. Carolina	1856
Ramsay, S. R.	Section 20	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Clark Co., Delaware	1856
Starcher, Thomas	Denver	Farmer and Merchant	Adair Co., Illinois	1856
Starcher, J. W.	Section 24	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Clark Co., Indiana	1856
Symmonds, L. F.	Section 8	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Butler Co., Ohio	1856
Scott, M. H.	Section 17	Farmer	Brown Co., Ohio	1856
Scott, Sargent	Section 21	Farmer	Ashe Co., North Carolina	1856
Scott, John	Section 21	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Mash Co., Kentucky	1856
Shaw, J. S. Hilott	Section 19	Grain and Hotel Keeper	Polk Co., Iowa	1856
Tucker, B. H.	Section 3	Farmer	Page Co., Virginia	1856
Vance, William A.	Section 19	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Mason Co., Kentucky	1856
Vance, W. H.	Section 19	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Mason Co., Kentucky	1856

MONTEBELLO TOWNSHIP

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MONTEBELLO TOWNSHIP—Continued.

NAME	RESIDENCE	EDUCATION	NATIVITY	When born	When died
Leroy, M. J.	Hamilton	Dry Dealer	France	1849	
Leitch, G. J.	Section 8	Builder	Paoli Co, Ohio	1849	
Miller, A. L.	Section 1	Hay Farmer	Broome Co, New York	1849	
Morrison, Wm. A.	Section 54	Farmer	York Co, Penn.	1850	
O'Brien, A. J.	Section 2	Stone Cutter	London, England	1850	
O'Connell, A. R.	Hamilton	Carpenter and Builder	Washington Co, Ohio	1850	
Orin, J. W.	Section 1	Farmer	Franklin Co, Ohio	1850	
Richey, E. F.	Hamilton	Farmer	Appassone Co, Iowa	1847	
Rindge, D. F.	Section 8	River Side Water Cure	Paoli Co, Ohio	1847	
Roberts, J. W.	Section 8	Attorney at Law	Davis Co, Indiana	1848	
Stewart, W. E.	Section 2	Stock Farmer	Centre Co, Penn.	1848	
Swamp, S. E.	Section 8	Farmer	Madison Co, Kentucky	1848	
Swenson, E. E.	Section 2	Farmer	Cayuga Co, Penn.	1848	
Taylor, J. W.	Section 2	Farmer	Barnum Co, New York	1848	
Sayler, G. J. & D.	Hamilton	Manuf. of Wood and Wagon	France	1861	
Schlegel, Henry	Section 1	Farmer	Prussia	1861	
Shaw, J. W.	Section 1	Farmer	Paoli Co, Ohio	1861	
Trickett, H. R.	Section 5	Farmer	Kentbridge, England	1867	
Trickett, H. J. & Johnhy	Section 5	Farmer	Albany Co, New York	1867	
Wright, John	Section 21	Farmer	Blanchfield, Scotland	1867	
Wright, James	Section 21	Farmer	Blanchfield, Scotland	1867	
Ward, A. B.	Section 2	Farmer	Madison Co, Illinois	1868	
Ward, J. A.	Section 2	Farmer	Hamilton Co, Ohio	1868	
Ward, A. B.	Section 2	Farmer	Lewis Co, Illinois	1868	

CITY OF NAUVOO.

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DALLAS TOWNSHIP.

NAME	RESIDENCE	BUSINESS	NATIVITY	Wt. to City
Avery, Samuel	Section 11	Farmer	Hancock Co, Illinois	1850
Arise, Wm H	Section 24	Farmer	Adair Co, Illinois	1850
Bailey, Wm	Dallas City	Miller	Adair Co, Kentucky	1850
Banks, C W	Dallas City	Miller	McDonough Co, Ill	1850
Bark, Henry F	Dallas City	Lumber Dealer	Kernland Co, Pa	1837
Bart, Wm	Dallas City	Railroad Agent	Kalamazoo, Wisconsin	1850
Brewer, J. D.	Dallas City	Grocer	Wayne Co, Indiana	1855
Brown, J. W.	Section 46	Farmer	York Co, Penn	1850
Budy, J	Colusa	Merchant	Lyncmen Co, Penn	1857
Bar, G W	Section 16	Farmer	Breckinridge Co, Ky	1850
Bell, J. W.	Section 16	Farmer and Notions	Wayne Co, Ind	1850
Carper, J. F	Dallas City	Grocer	Knox Co, Ohio	1850

AUGUSTA TOWNSHIP.

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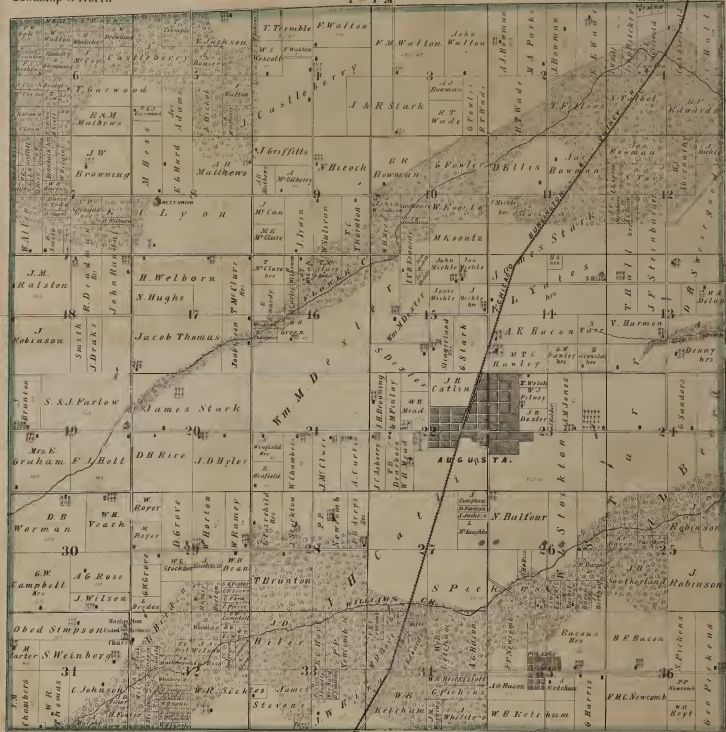
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MAP OF AUGUSTA TOWNSHIP

Township 3 North

4th P.M.

Range 54 West



HISTORY OF AUGUSTA TOWNSHIP.

Augusta Township is situated in the southeast corner of the county. It is bounded on the east by Scuyler County, on the south by Adams County, on the north by St. Mary's Township, and on the west by Chittenden Township. It is a wealthy prairie township. Among the early settlers in this township may be mentioned Wm. H. Mead, who came in

1839; J. H. Cullen, in 1832; A. B. Crooks, in 1836; A. J. Winfield, in 1837; John W. Brownie, in 1834; Wm. M. Dexter, in 1835; F. M. Walton, in 1836; E. A. Lyon, in 1835; A. G. Prosser, in 1835; P. P. Newcomb, in 1836; Emily Jackson, in 1836; and John Griffith in 1838. The population, according to the census of 1870, was 1,992, of which 1,458 were natives, and 534 foreigners; all white but 28.



RESIDENCE OF WILLIAM MALLORY DEXTER SEC. 13 AUGUSTA TWP HANCOCK CO. ILLS



RESIDENCE OF J. H. CATLIN SEC. 20 AUGUSTA TWP HANCOCK CO. ILLS

ST. ALBANS TOWNSHIP.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	CHARGE.	BAPT.	PLAC.
Brown, F. W.	Section 1	Farmer	Champaign, Co., Ill.	1871
Cook, William	Section 1	Farmer	Champaign, Co., Ill.	1871
Clark, Henry	Section 2	Farmer	Adams Co., New York	1871
Clark, Wm. H.	Section 2	Farmer	Marion, Indiana	1871
Emmons, John H.	Section 2	Farmer	Planning Co., Kentucky	1871
Fallmer, F. W.	Section 2	Farmer	Westmoreland, Pa.	1871
Garrett, Wm. H.	Section 2	Farmer	Warren, Stock Dealer	1871
Guthrie, J. J.	West Point	Merchant	Grain Dealer & J. P.	1871
Hart, Wm. H.	Section 10	Farmer	St. Clair, Mo.	1871
Hecox, Bradley	Section 10	Farmer	Meigs Co., Ohio	1871
Hick, Wm. H.	Section 10	Farmer & Breeder	S. H. Cattle	1871
Hilder, J. W.	Section 10	Farmer	Burlington Co., Vermont	1871
Hinkle, Henry	Section 10	Farmer	Franklin, Pa.	1871
Hunt, George	Section 10	Farmer	Lancaster Co., Penn.	1871
Kenneth, Joseph C.	Section 10	Farmer	Franklin, Pa.	1871
Kenneth, J. C.	Section 10	Farmer	Hancock Co., Ill.	1871
Kenneth, J. C.	Section 10	Farmer	Wabash and Stock Dealer	1871
Kenneth, J. C.	Section 10	Farmer	Germany Co., Indiana	1871
McMillan, Joseph	Section 10	Farmer	Hancock Co., Ill.	1871
McClintock, J. C.	Section 10	Farmer	Ireland	1871
Moore, James B.	Section 10	Farmer	Bourbon Co., Kentucky	1871
Moore, James B.	Section 10	Farmer	Lancaster Co., Penn.	1871
Overman, Charles P.	Section 11	Farmer	Marion Co., Illinois	1871
Overman, Charles P.	Section 11	Farmer	Clark Co., Indiana	1871
Richardson, Jesse P.	Section 11	Farmer	Tolland Co., Conn.	1871
Richardson, Jesse P.	Section 11	Farmer	Hancock Co., Ill.	1871

PILOT GROVE TOWNSHIP.

NAME	RESIDENCE	BUSINESS	NATIVITY	Part Census No.
Aleshire, L. V.	Burnside	Druggist	Meigs Co., Ohio	1847
Aleshire, Wm.	Section 10	Farmer	Washington Co., Penn.	1847
Baker, T. B.	Section 10	Farmer	New Hampshire	1837
Cheney, Nathan S.	Section 4	Farmer	Brown Co., Ohio	1837
Cheney, John	Section 37	Farmer	New Hampshire	1837
Cheney, Eljah	Section 37	Farmer	Brown Co., Ohio	1837
Cheney, Robert C.	Section 18	Farmer and Dairyman	Northernburgh Co., Pa.	1841
Conner, J. C.	Section 18	Farmer	Deutsche, New York	1841
Hugh, O. C.	Burnside	Physician and Surgeon	Ross Co., Ohio	1841
Jacob, M. O.	Burnside	Farmer and Merchant	Hancock Co., Illinois	1841
Landrum, J. W.	Section 10	Farmer	Page Co., West Virginia	1841
Landberger, Joseph	Burnside	Miller	Page Co., Virginia	1841
Landberger, Benj.	Section 12	Farmer	Page Co., Virginia	1841
Landberger, J. W.	Section 12	Farmer	Page Co., Virginia	1841
McCullen, J. B.	Burnside	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Brown Co., Ohio	1849
McGinnis, John	Section 10	Farmer	Brown Co., Ohio	1849
McKay, S. O.	Section 21	Farmer	Tyler Co., West Virginia	1851
McConnell, Wm. G.	Burnside	Farmer	Green Co., Kentucky	1851
McGee, J. W.	Section 10	Farmer and Fattier	Green Co., New York	1851
Shure, J. B.	Burnside	Farmer	Green Co., Kentucky	1851
Shinn, J. L.	Section 21	Stock Dealer	Fulton Co., Illinois	1851
Shinn, J. C.	Section 21	Farmer	Franklin Co., Indiana	1851
Wagner, George B.	Section 28	Farmer	Hancock Co., Kentucky	1857
Wagner, Joseph C.	Section 28	Farmer	Hancock Co., Kentucky	1857
Wagner, Jacob	Section 28	Farmer	Hancock Co., Kentucky	1857
Wagner, J. C.	Section 28	Farmer	Miami Co., Ohio	1857

ST. MARYS TOWNSHIP

NAME	RESIDENCE	EDUCATION	NATIVITY	Year of Birth
Bidwell, B. & Bowman	Plymouth	Wagons, Flogs & Agr'l Imp's	Madison Co., Ohio	1855
Brumback, H. P.	Section 16	Hancock, Illinois	Hancock Co., Illinois	1856
Collier, John	Section 16	Plymouth Mills	Hancock Co., Ohio	1856
Currens, C. B.	Plymouth	Plymouth Mills	Adams Co., Pennsylvania	1856
Cox, E. W. & B.	Section 16	Plymouth Mills	Madison Co., Ohio	1856
Cox, Elijah	Section 14	Plymouth Mills	Madison Co., Ohio	1856
Clark, Jesse	Section 16	Plymouth Mills	Madison Co., Ohio	1856
Ellis, R. E.	Plymouth	Hotel and Lumber Dealer	Richland Co., Ohio	1856
Garland, James H.	Plymouth	Physician and Surgeon	Plain City, Alabama	1856
Garland, James H.	Plymouth	Capenter and Builder	Schuyler Co., Illinois	1856
Gillis, M. D.	Plymouth	Dentist	Calhoun Co., Kentucky	1856
Gillis, M. D. & Wm. W.	Plymouth	Dentist	Hancock Co., Kentucky	1856
Holmes, A. J.	Section 17	Farmer	Prince William Co., Va.	1856
Hoyle, John	Section 27	Farmer	Scott Co., Kentucky	1856
Johnson, William	Section 16	Farmer	Boone Co., Kentucky	1856
Linenger, S. P.	Section 20	Farmer	Page Co., Virginia	1856
Mark, Wm. H.	Section 16	Farmer	Licking Co., Ohio	1856
Mark, Wm. H. & H.	Plymouth	Cooper	York Co., Penn.	1856
McIntosh, John	Section 16	Farmer	Licking Co., Ohio	1856
Moore, John W.	Section 9	Farmer	Canada	1856
Monroe, Abraham	Section 16	Farmer	Shenandoah Co., Virginia	1856
Monroe, John W.	Section 16	Farmer	Champaign Co., Ohio	1856
Turner, James H.	Section 14	Farmer	Franklin Co., Ohio	1856
Turner, James H.	Section 14	Farmer	Hancock Co., Ohio	1856
Talbot, Samuel M.	Section 16	Farmer	Hancock Co., Illinois	1856
Walt, Albert	Plymouth	Farmer	Boone Co., Kentucky	1856
Watson, Wesley	Section 16	Farmer	Todd Co., Kentucky	1856
Waters, William John	Section 16	Farmer	Todd Co., Kentucky	1856

RAIRIE TOWNSHIP.

NAME	RESIDENCE	BUSINESS	ACTIVITY	Year
Clark, M. J.	Section 22	Farmer	Levin Co., West Virginia	1864
Couchman, M.	Section 24	Farmer	Bourbon Co., Kentucky	1864
Clark, William	Section 28	Farmer	Adams Co., Ohio	1865
Clark, A. J.	Section 28	Farmer	Washington Co., Ohio	1865
Clark, Wesley	Section 31	Farmer	Niagara Co., New York	1865
Clayton, J. W.	Section 8	Farmer	Maryland	1865
Owling, R. R.	Section 9	Farmer	Brown Co., Ohio	1865
Owling, R. R.	Section 9	Farmer	Walton Co., New York	1867
Jawley, J. W.	Section 23	Farmer	Franklin Co., Conn.	1868
Harsh, J. R.	Section 31	Farmer	Alleghany Co., Penn.	1868
Harsh, J. R.	Section 31	Farmer	Warren Co., Ohio	1868
Harsh, J. R.	Section 14	Farmer	Muskingum Co., Ohio	1868
Harsh, J. R.	Section 14	Farmer	Co. Co., Ohio	1865
Harsh, John	Elevation	Hotel	Owen Co., Indiana	1868
Harsh, John	Elevation	Physician and Surgeon	Hancock Co., Indiana	1868
Harsh, John R.	Elevation	Physician and Surgeon	Beaver Co., Penn.	1868
Harsh, Wm. H.	Section 34	Farmer	Dover Co., Delaware	1867
Harsh, Wm. H.	Section 34	Farmer	Washington Co., Tenn.	1868
Harsh, Thomas	Section 16	Farmer	Carrin Co., Ireland	1865
Gack, Samuel	Section 29	Farmer	Adams Co., Ohio	1868
Garland, D. B.	Section 29	Farmer	Champaign Co., Ohio	1867
Garland, D. B.	Section 26	Farmer	Essex Co., Mass.	1867
Gossberry, Isaac	Section 17	Farmer	Washington Co., Penn.	1868
Gossberry, Isaac	Section 17	Farmer	Essex Co., Mass.	1868
Gossberry, Rev. Jacob	Section 19	Farmer and Minister	Hamilton Co., Ohio	1868
Gossberry, H. M.	Section 27	Farmer	Lancaster, Penn.	1868
Gossberry, H. M.	Section 27	Farmer	London Co., Virginia	1868
Gossberry, H. M.	Section 27	Farmer	Campbell Co., Kentucky	1868
Gossberry, H. M.	Elevation	Merchant	Philadelphia, Penn.	1868
Gossberry, H. M.	Elevation	Merchant	Fauquier Co., Virginia	1868
Gossberry, H. M.	Elevation	Merchant	Cayuga Co., New York	1868

ROCKY RUN TOWNSHIP.

NAME	RESIDENCE	BUSINESS	ACTIVITY	Years Camp No.
Ammons, Mary A.	Section 16	Farmer	Kentucky	1817
Bricker, Henry J.	Section 11	Farmer	Germany	1846
Bricker, John H.	Section 11	Farmer	Kentucky	1846
Bricker, Stephen	Section 13	Farmer	Kentucky	1846
Boat, Joseph	Section 15	Farmer	Pennsylvania	1849
Bolt, Jacob	Section 16	Farmer	Pennsylvania	1866
Calderly, John	Section 13	Farmer	Warren Co. Kentucky	1846
Carl, Joseph	Section 2	Farmer	Pennsylvania	1850
Caughey, Aquila	Section 16	Farmer	Ohio	1846
Chapman, Stephen	Section 13	Farmer	Hancock Co. Illinois	1846
Crook, Robert	Section 28	Farmer	Hancock Co. Illinois	1846
Coley, Samuel	Section 13	Farmer	Virginia	1866
Cretcher, Theodore A.	Section 10	Farmer	Kentucky	1846
Deeder, George	Section 35	Farmer	Hancock Co. Illinois	1846
Dickson, John	Section 13	Farmer	Hancock Co. Illinois	1846
Edwards, Thomas	Section 11	Farmer	Venango Co. Penn.	1846
Emerson, Washington	Section 23	Farmer	Virginia	1846
Emerson, William	Section 13	Farmer	Baltimore, Maryland	1846
Quick, Alfred	Section 13	Farmer	Kentucky	1846
Quick, Fred	Section 13	Farmer	Kentucky	1846
Quick, William	Section 13	Farmer	St. Charles Co. Missouri	1846
Quack, Jacob	Section 13	Farmer	Germany	1839
Smith, George	Section 14	Farmer	England	1850
Stearns, Lewis	Section 13	Farmer	St. Charles Co. Missouri	1846
Wells, Wm. S.	Section 5	Farmer	Pennsylvania	1853
Travertine, George A.	Section 3	Farmer	Germany	1853
Whitington, S.	Section 13	Farmer	Kentucky	1846

WALKER TOWNSHIP.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	BUSINESS.	NATIVITY.	When Born in Co.
Hale, David R.	Section 6.	Farmer	Shelby Co, Indiana	1848
Miller, W. H.	Section 11.	Farmer	Borrlion Co, Kentucky	1851
Bradley, Thomas	Section 10.	Farmer	Nicholas Co, Kentucky	1848
Wayton, A. A.	Section 8.	Farmer	Adams Co, Illinois.	1851
Crawf, John P.	Section 8.	Farmer	Ohio	1856
Wright, J. J.	Section 10.	Farmer	Berrien Co, Ohio	1856
Grant, C. W.	Section 19.	Farmer	Hancock Co, Illinois	1859
Tramm, H.	Section 18.	Farmer	Kentucky	1859
Garrison, James	Section 18.	Farmer	England	1848
Farrison, William	Section 16.	Farmer	England	1844
Tarrison, Joseph	Section 16.	Merchant	England	1844
Farrison, Edward	Section 16.	Farmer	England	1844
Smith, John	Section 6.	Farmer	Caroline Co, Virginia	1833
Farber, James	Section 10.	Farmer	Germany	1833
Shaffer, W. H.	Section 10.	Farmer	Morgan Co, Illinois	1868
Williams, G. C.	Section 10.	Farmer	Kentucky	1849
Walters, George	Section 8.	Farmer	Maryland	1851
Williams, H. W.	Section 6.	Farmer	Kentucky	1851

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CHILL TOWNSHIP.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	BUSINESS.	NATIVITY.	When Settled.
Bennett, E. W.	Section 30.	Farmer & Justice of Peace.	Roland Co., Vermont.	1843
Brown, J. H.	Section 24.	Farmer and Stock Dealer.	Adams Co., Ill.	1857
Bower, George	Section 9.	Farmer	Washington Co., N. Y.	1857
Clayton, T. C.	Section 20.	Hotel.	Burlington Co., N. J.	1863
Chesley, G. W.	Section 20.	Farmer	Holmes Co., Ohio	1854
Davis, Eugene B.	Section 20.	Farmer	Montgomery Co., N. Y.	1863
Evans, J. J.	Section 20.	Merchant	Sussex Co., Delaware	1854
Edwards, R. C.	Section 20.	Farmer	Salem Co., New Jersey	1854
Furley, Samuel C.	Section 20.	Merchant and Miller.	Connetquot Co., Ohio	1854
Frederick, J. L.	Section 7.	Farmer	Holmes Co., Ohio	1854
Finlay, William B.	Section 7.	Farmer	Indiana	1854
Gardner, Shaver	Section 3.	Farmer	Morgan Co., Illinois	1854
Harshbarger, Jesse H.	Section 16.	Farmer	Hamilton Co., Ohio	1854
Hughes, I. A.	Section 28.	Farmer	Warren Co., New Jersey	1857
Kelly, J. R.	Section 28.	Physician	Adams Co., Illinois	1863
Marsh, Chas. C.	Section 13.	Druggist.	Hampshire Co., Mass.	1863
McKim, J. D.	Section 13.	Farmer	Montgomery Co., N. Y.	1863
Nash, Geo. W.	Section 16.	Farmer	Hampshire Co., Mass.	1863
Owen, B. C.	Section 19.	Farmer	Bearson Co., Kentucky	1830
Patchin, Levi G.	Section 16.	Farmer	Dutchess Co., New York	1843
Parker, D. F.	Section 29.	Farmer	York Co., Penn.	1843
Prentiss, W. F.	Section 29.	Merchant	Hampshire Co., Maine	1863
Roundland, John P.	Section 11.	Farmer	Hamilton Co., Ohio	1863
Summers, E. B.	Section 11.	Farmer	Clark Co., Missouri	1863
Sevens, E. B.	Section 18.	Farmer	Fairfield Co., Conn.	1863
Slater, Levi F.	Section 18.	Farmer	Hugate Co., Vermont	1863
Trank, J.	Section 18.	Merchant and Stock Dealer.	Yates Co., New York	1863
Todd, D. G.	Section 30.	Farmer	Franklin Co., Vermont	1863
Turnbull, Joseph	Section 20.	Farmer	Canada West	1863
Warrell, Eliza	Section 30.	Chil.	Delaware Co., Penn.	1863
Ward, J. W.	Section 30.	Farmer	New Jersey	1863
Wadey, J. J.	Section 14.	County Surveyor	Cumberland Co., Penn.	1863
Woods, William	Section 19.	Farmer	Indiana	1863

DURHAM TOWNSHIP.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	BUSINESS.	NATIVITY.	When Settled.
Atwater, Wm. E.	Section 14.	Farmer	White Co., Tenn.	1843
Avory, O. S.	Section 14.	Farmer	Hamilton Co., Ohio	1843
Babcock, Samuel	Section 1.	Farmer	Orange Co., New York	1843
Baker, Samuel B.	Section 13.	Farmer	Washington Co., Penn.	1843
Eckles, Stephen	Section 20.	Farmer	Washington Co., Penn.	1843
Farran, Daniel	Section 4.	Farmer	Ireland	1843
Gitting, William K.	Section 1.	Farmer	Scotland	1843
Gitting, R. B.	Section 2.	Farmer	Washington Co., Ky.	1843
Gitting, Joseph	Section 1.	Farmer	Union Co., Kentucky	1843
Hartzell, J. W.	Section 11.	Farmer	Westmoreland Co., Penn.	1843
Hartzell, N. C.	Section 11.	Farmer	Westmoreland Co., Penn.	1843
Mandell, Jasper	Section 8.	Farmer	Rouse Co., Tenn.	1843
Manfield, E. L.	Section 9.	Farmer	Rouse Co., Tenn.	1843
Mason, Peter	Section 1.	Farmer	Illinois	1843
Noland, T. L.	Section 1.	Farmer	Washington Co., Penn.	1843
Potter, Daniel	Section 14.	Farmer	Adams Co., Illinois	1843
Potter, Wm. L.	Section 23.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Reid, Jacob	Section 23.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Riggins, J. H.	Section 23.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Rice, Henry	Section 23.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Richey, John	Section 23.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Richey, M. V.	Section 23.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Stratton, J. S.	Section 23.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Stevens, A. B.	Section 18.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Tifton, Herbert	Section 18.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Thomas, Robert	Section 18.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Toed, D. L.	Section 15.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Wilcox, E. L.	Section 22.	Farmer	Germany	1843

PONTOOSUC TOWNSHIP.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	BUSINESS.	NATIVITY.	When Settled.
Alexander, Robert	Section 15.	Farmer	Tompkins Co., N. Y.	1843
Atherton, John R.	Section 7.	Farmer	Washington Co., N. Y.	1843
Barker, L. C.	Section 22.	Farmer	Illinois	1843
Gracey, T. M.	Section 22.	Farmer	Illinois	1843
Greene, Jesse	Section 22.	Farmer	Illinois	1843
Hanson, Thos. J.	Section 34.	Farmer	Mississippi	1843
Hancock, C.	Section 20.	Farmer	Licking Co., Ohio	1843
Little, J. A.	Section 20.	Farmer	Hampshire Co., Virginia	1843
Linsberger, W. T.	Section 15.	Farmer	Adams Co., Illinois	1843
Linn, Samuel	Section 21.	Farmer	Virginia	1843
McMurphy, A. H.	Section 8.	Farmer	Warren Co., New York	1843
Marshall, J. H.	Section 21.	Farmer	Warren Co., New York	1843
McKip, Silas	Section 29.	Farmer	Greene Co., Ohio	1843
Rand, H. R.	Section 21.	Merchant and Grain Dealer	Boston, Mass.	1843
Rider, Joseph D.	Section 21.	Merchant	Sweden, Sweden	1843
Schramm, John M.	Section 21.	Postoffice	Bavaria, Germany	1843
Shugart & Wells	Section 21.	Postoffice	Wisconsin Co., New York	1843
Terry, Isaac R.	Section 29.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Tull, John R.	Section 29.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Treadwell, Thomas	Section 29.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Urbig, Philip	Section 29.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Waldemeyer, M.	Section 29.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Wallwork, William	Section 20.	Farmer	Germany	1843

BEAR CREEK TOWNSHIP.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	BUSINESS.	NATIVITY.	When Settled.
Albus, L. U.	Section 14.	Farmer and Railroad Agent	Germany	1830
Anderson, Matthew	Section 23.	Farmer	Holmes Co., Ohio	1843
Anderson, W. W.	Section 23.	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Germany	1843
Bethworth, Charles	Section 13.	Farmer	Holmes Co., Ohio	1843
Brown, Mrs. Nancy	Section 7.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Carhart, Constant	Section 17.	Farmer and Merchant	Germany	1843
Cochran, J. E.	Section 17.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Crawford, C. H.	Section 13.	Farmer and Railroad Agent	Germany	1843
Damon, Wm. P.	Section 9.	Farmer	Pendleton Co., Virginia	1843
Dey & Gordon	Section 9.	Merchants	Hancock Co., Illinois	1843
Francis, Calais	Section 13.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Gard, G. G.	Section 9.	Farmer and Stock Dealer	Green Co., Penn.	1843
Gray, Jacob	Section 13.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Kiefer, Franklin	Section 13.	Restaurant	Germany	1843
Kublan, H.	Section 13.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Kaabe, Christian	Section 13.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Mason, W. W.	Section 13.	Hotel	Buffalo, New York	1843
McGinnis, D. R.	Section 13.	Farmer and Justice of Peace	West Virginia	1843
McGee, A. J.	Section 18.	Farmer and Stock Dealer	McDonough Co., Illinois	1843
McGinnis, J. R.	Section 13.	Farmer and Wine Grover	West Virginia	1843
Mire, S. P.	Section 13.	Farmer	Logan Co., Kentucky	1843
Mason, J. R.	Section 13.	Farmer	Lithographer	1843
Poland, John	Section 13.	Farmer	Hughland Co., Ohio	1843
Robb, John	Section 13.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Scipio, Rev. John G.	Section 13.	Minister	New York City	1843
Steger, Samuel	Section 13.	Farmer	Jefferson Co., Indiana	1843
Stiller, O. G.	Section 13.	Farmer	Germany	1843
Wetzel, J. C.	Section 13.	Farmer	Marion Co., Indiana	1843

ROCK CREEK TOWNSHIP.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	BUSINESS.	NATIVITY.	When Settled.
Akin, David	Section 24.	Farmer and Justice of the Peace	Lorain Co., Ohio	1840
Bair, Elias	Section 1.	Farmer	Columbiana Co., Ohio	1840
Brown, S.	Section 1.	Farmer	Frederick Co., Ky.	1840
Burley, Jas. M.	Section 14.	Farmer	Tennant	1840
Carr, William	Section 11.	Farmer	Virginia	1840
Davidson, Frank H.	Section 11.	Grain Dealer	Northfield, Mass.	1840
Davies, John	Section 11.	Farmer	London, England	1840
Duval, B. F.	Section 15.	Supervisor and Farmer	Todd Co., Kentucky	1840
Ellison, Ralph	Section 17.	Farmer	Yorkshire, England	1840
French, S. W.	Section 3.	Farmer	Jackson Co., Alabama	1840
Hog, W. S.	Section 17.	Farm	Bismont Co., Ohio	1840
Hunter, Elijah	Section 17.	Hotel	Greene Co., Pennsylvania	1840
Hurd, Wm. H.	Section 17.	Farmer	Lawrence Co., Indiana	1840
Jones, William	Section 5.	Farmer	Tennessee	1840
Logan, W. H.	Section 11.	Station Agent and Telegraph Operator	Payette Co., Indiana	1840
Mearns, Elias	Section 16.	Farmer	Hancock Co., Illinois	1840
Perri, W. K.	Section 16.	Merchant	London Co., Penn.	1840
Rice, O. E.	Section 11.	Farmer	Geneva, New York	1840
Rogers, H. E.	Section 10.	Farmer	Rich, England	1840
Shulbary, A.	Section 15.	Farmer	Jackson Co., Missouri	1840
Steger, B. F.	Section 15.	Farmer	Schuyler Co., Penn.	1840
Steger, Jack M.	Section 10.	Farmer	Schuyler Co., Penn.	1840
Taylor, Charles A.	Section 13.	Farmer	Hancock Co., Ohio	1840
Wagner, W. P.	Section 14.	Physician	Montgomery Co., Virginia	1840
Wetzel, J. C.	Section 13.	Farmer	Hancock Co., Illinois	1840

HANCOCK TOWNSHIP.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	BUSINESS.	NATIVITY.	When Settled.
Anderson, Wm. M.	Section 6.	Farmer	Butler Co., Ohio	1836
Boss, Wm.	Section 13.	Physician and Farmer	Woodford Co., Kentucky	1836
Boss, A. G.	Section 13.	Farmer	Boss, Kentucky	1836
Con, Samuel	Section 2.	Farmer	Ontario County, N. Y.	1841
DeWitt, A. T.	Section 4.	Farmer and Mechanic	Holmes Co., Ohio	1841
Dunson, Sr. John	Section 4.	Farmer	Lancaster Co., Penn.	1841
Duffy, Anthony	Section 3.	Farmer	Bavaria, Germany	1840
Edmund, J. H.	Section 3.	Farmer	Hungarian Co., Penn.	1840
Gen, Geo. W.	Section 14.	Blacksmith	Illinois	1840
Hendricks, Lavender	Section 21.	Teacher	Lancaster Co., Penn.	1840
Jones, Geo. W.	Section 20.	Farmer	Lancaster Co., Penn.	1840
Long, Levi	Section 8.	Farmer	Woodford Co., Kentucky	1840
Martin, John	Section 22.	Farmer and Justice of Peace	Woodford Co., Kentucky	1840
Miller, John L.	Section 6.	Farmer	Butler Co., Ohio	1840
Miller, John D.	Section 6.	Farmer	Hancock Co., Illinois	1840
Moore, Anthony	Section 21.	Farmer	Germany	1840
Seid, Andrew	Section 31.	Farmer	Mullin Co., Penn.	1841
Smith, James G.	Section 30.	Farmer	Jefferson Co., Kentucky	1841
Wagler, S. S.	Section 3.	Farmer	Smith Co., Tenn.	1840
Wagler, F. E.	Section 3.	Farmer	Kennett Co., Mo.	1840
Williams, William	Section 14.	Farmer	Green Co., Ohio	1840
Yetter, Martin	Section 5.	Farmer	Hancock Co., Illinois	1840
Yetter, Martin W.	Section 5.	Farmer	Hancock Co., Illinois	1840

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Geo Stark

Geo W Hawley Jr.

Mrs S Dexter
25 a.

J. H. Catlin 54 a.

T Welch
19 a.

W J Pitney
30 a.

J. H. Dexter
30 a.

Romer Wood Jr.
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RESIDENCE OF A. G. BOTT, SEC 35, HANCOCK TWP HANCOCK CO ILL.



RESIDENCE OF W. BOOZ, W D SEC 33 HANCOCK TWP HANCOCK CO ILL.

WYTHE TOWNSHIP.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	BUSINESS.	NATIVITY.	When Born.
Ash, Wm. J.	Section 16.	Farmer	McMinn Co, Tenn.	1844
Aydett, R.	Section 27.	Farmer and Stock Dealer.	Ireland	1839
Beeble, Joseph.	Section 14.	Farmer	Illinois	1836
Bliss, Isaac.	Section 18.	Farmer	Muskingum Co, Ohio.	1848
Bowcock, John W.	Section 21.	Farmer	Idle of Man	1847
Brown, Mrs. Helen.	Section 29.	Farming	Prince William Co, Va.	1852
Benson, T. G.	Section 25.	Physician	Somerset Co, Delaware	1853
Chandler, R.	Section 20.	Farmer	Rutland Co, Vermont	1839
Cochran, James.	Section 16.	Farmer	Westmoreland Co, Penn.	1862
Elder, James	Section 23.	Farmer & Justice of Peace.	Westmoreland Co, Penn.	1866
Thomson, Robert.	Section 17.	Farmer	Westmoreland Co, Penn.	1870
Gray, William	Section 26.	Farmer	Ireland	1851
Gates, G. D.	Section 4.	Farmer	Hancock Co, Illinois.	1857
Hewell, Andrew	Section 8.	Farmer	Muskingum Co, Ohio.	1864
Hammond, Harley	Section 19.	Farmer	Worcester Co, Mass	1846
Hammond, A. C.	Section 19.	Horticulturalist	Worcester Co, Mass	1846
Hill, John B.	Section 29.	Farmer	England	1816
Hise, F.	Section 24.	Farmer and Insurance Agent	Windsor Co, Vermont	1846
Haynie, R.	Section 1.	Farmer	Scott Co, Illinois	1855
Johnson, J. S.	Section 11.	Farmer	Jefferson Co, New York	1844
King, J. W.	Section 22.	Merchant and Blacksmith.	Anderson Co, Tenn.	1844
La Monte, J. P.	Section 9.	Farmer	Scholarie Co, New York	1858
McCune, E.	Section 18.	Farmer	Morgan Co, Ohio	1854
Piggott, R. A.	Section 9.	Farmer	Hancock Co, Illinois.	1854
Petrolaine, C.	Section 18.	Farmer	Litchfield Co, Conn.	1857
Robinson, A. W.	Section 8.	Farmer	Muskingum Co, Ohio.	1851
Rufinsson, Barrall.	Section 7.	Farmer	Muskingum Co, Ohio.	1851
Sanford, A.	Section 6.	Farmer	St. Lawrence Co, N. Y.	1849
Shann, John K.	Section 18.	Farmer	Harrison Co, Virginia.	1849
Smith, S. A.	Section 1.	Farmer	Jackson Co, Alabama.	1857
Smith, John E.	Section 25.	Farmer	Spain Co, Indiana	1859
Walker, G. P.	Section 18.	Farmer	Hancock Co, Illinois.	1847
White, F. S.	Section 10.	Farmer	Bradford Co, Penn.	1837

FOUNTAIN GREEN TOWNSHIP.

NAME.	RESIDENCE.	BUSINESS.	NATIVITY.	When Born.
Aldrich, George H.	Section 14.	Farmer	Allegheny Co, New York	1836
Bullock, John H.	Section 19.	Farmer and Supervisor.	Canada West	1847
Braden, E. M.	Section 13.	Farmer	Illinois	1851
Berry, O. F.	Section 18.	Farmer	McDonough Co, Illinois	1860
Crabill, B. S.	Section 5.	Farmer	Strandash Co, Virginia	1849
Crump, M.	Section 5.	Farmer	England	1855
Curry, James	Section 31.	Miller and Farmer	Huntington Co, Penn.	1857
Fountain, G.	Section 18.	Physician and Surgeon	Chenango Co, New York	1832
Fountain, G.	Section 7.	Farmer	Page Co, Virginia.	1836
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Fountain, G.	Section 20.	Farmer	Franklin Co, Penn.	1836
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Fountain, G.	Section 36.	Farmer	Bedford Co, Virginia.	1853
Fountain, G.	Section 36.	Farmer and Stock Dealer.	Monongahela Co, W. Va.	1846
Fountain, G.	Section 36.	Farmer	Hancock Co, Illinois.	1847
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Fountain, G.	Section 36.	Farmer	Frederic Co, Virginia	1858
Fountain, G.	Section 36.	Farmer	Allegheny Co, New York	1815
Fountain, G.	Section 36.	Farmer	Lancaster Co, Penn.	1850

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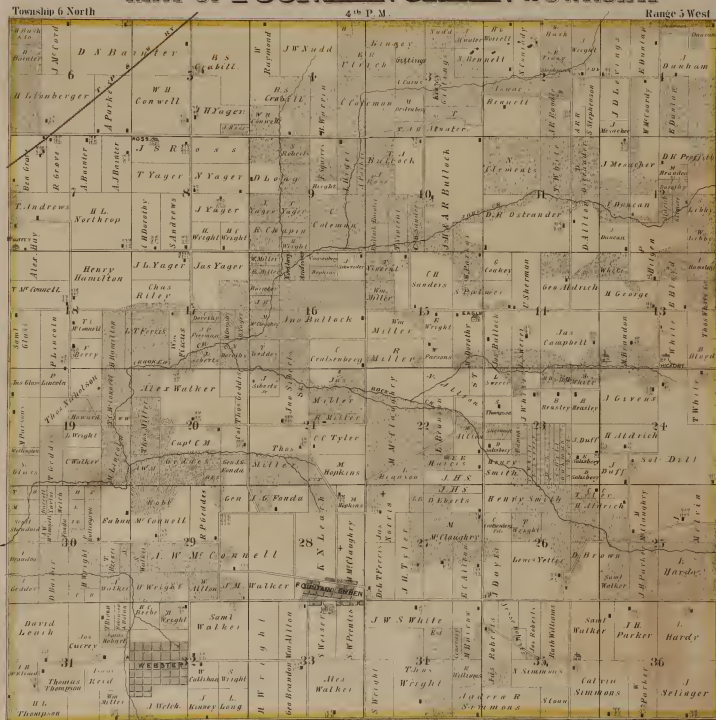
DOLLAR MONTHLY,

AND

OLD SETTLERS' MEMORIAL,

BY TH. CREGG,

HAMILTON, ILLINOIS



HISTORY OF FOUNTAIN GREEN TOWNSHIP.

The first settlement was made in this township by John Day in 1839, on section 26, where his wife now lives. In 1839, Benjamin Mead, Abraham Lincoln and James Beebe, settled in the township, locating respectively on sections 18, 20 and 19. Fountain Green Village was laid out by John Beebe and Stephen G. Ferris in 1835. The latter is still living in Carthage. He came to the township in 1832. Abraham Lincoln was the first Justice in the township. The first white child born was a son of John Day—name not known. The first death was either that of Thomas Lincoln or a man by the name of Perkins. The first school-house was erected at Fountain Green in 1836, though school had been

kept the previous year in a private house. The first regular school teacher was J. M. Ferris. In 1856, Rev. Mr. Lawton of Carthage, a Congregationalist minister, held what is supposed to have been the first religious service in the township. The first post office was established at Fountain Green Village in 1855. James Beebe was Postmaster. In 1860, the town of Webster was laid out. There is one railroad station — La Crosse — in the northwestern part of the township. The township had originally more timber than prairie, but much of the timber land has been cleared. The harrers, or oak openings, are unsurpassed for wheat. The township has been settled by an intelligent and thrifty class of people.



SOCHENOUR & COULSON, DEALERS IN STABLE & FAMILY GROCERIES & PROVISIONS, GLASS & QUEENSWARE
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RESIDENCE OF JOHN WARREN, LA HARPE, ILL.



RESIDENCE OF STODD KIRKPATRICK, LA HARPE, ILL.



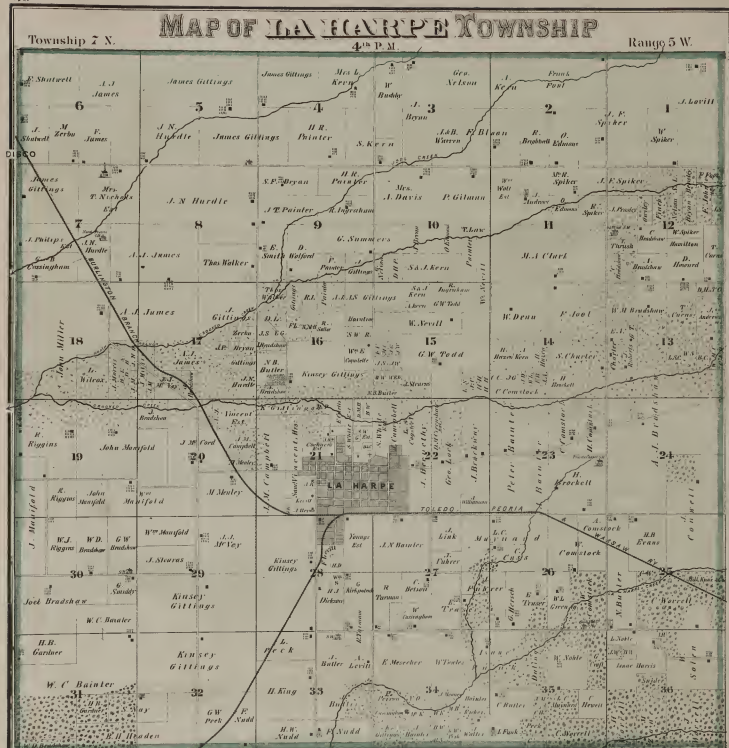
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RESIDENCE AND OFFICE OF DR. L. T. FERRIS, FOUNTAIN GREEN, ILL.



RESIDENCE OF M. M. CLAUGHRY, FOUNTAIN GREEN, ILL.



HISTORY OF LA HARPE TOWNSHIP.

The first settlement was made in this township by Abraham Brewer, about the year 1830. Mr. Brewer erected a cabin and made improvements on the east half of section 27. About the same time, or a little later, Jacob Compton located and built a cabin on the east half of section 30. These were both men of Bufiles. Men Compton, on going out barefooted one day to drive the cows, encountered two huge rattlesnakes, which he heard rattling in the grass, and succeeded in killing them both. In 1831, Major William Smith arrived from New Hampshire, and bought out the improvements of Jacob Compton, converting his cabin into a store for the accommodation of a stock of goods which he brought with him. This was the first store in the township, and Major Smith was the first merchant. Jesse Mayfield entered the first mill on section 25, in 1835 or 1836, which was a horse-mill, and the only one in the township till 1838.

When Messrs. Greenhouse & Carlson erected a steam-mill in La Harpe. The first justice of the Peace and Postmaster was L. B. Chadler. He owned the Mercantile storehouse, and the first girl was known of him he was a midwifery in Australia. La Harpe is situated on section 21 of the township. Major Smith was the original proprietor and founder of the town. He and Martha Tryon bought the land and sold out the town in 1835. The first store house was erected in 1836. John Warren was the teacher for several years, although ——— had preceded him, and had kept a school a short time in Dr. Graham's blacksmith shop. It is quite a notable fact that the first blacksmith shop was converted into a school-house, and the first school-house into a blacksmith shop. For of late the school-house in which Mr. Warren taught has been used by Mr. Harris for the latter purpose. La Harpe is an excellent township of land, and is settled by a thrifty and enterprising class of people.



STOCK YARDS
VIEWS OF THE FARM OF W. C. BAINTEK, SEC 31, LA HARPE TR, HANCOCK CO., ILLINOIS



BARN & STOCK YARDS
VIEWS OF J. N. HURDLE'S PREMISES ON SECS 5 & 8 LA HARPE TR, HANCOCK CO. ILL.

LA HARPE

Located on Pt. N. $\frac{1}{2}$ S. E. 21 T. N. 5 W.

Scale 400 ft. to an inch.





BECKMAN AND OGSWELL, MILLERS AND DEALERS IN THE BEST GRADES OF FLOUR AND MILL STUFF LANARPE, ILL.



RESIDENCE AND STOCK FARM OF A. J. JAMES, SECT. 7 & 18 LANARPE TP., HANCOCK CO., ILL.

OLD SETTLERS OF HANCOCK COUNTY--CONCLUDED.

ago, he left the percentage in New York, and went to Michigan, entering early into the land in Van Buren county. He remained in Michigan one year and then returned to New York, where he remained on the family farm till 1845. He then migrated to Iowa and settled in Van Buren township, Lee county, where he remained as a farmer for two years. He then moved to Seneca township, in this county, and farmed for one season. He then returned to the old farm in New York, where he stayed through the winter. The following spring, in the year 1846, he returned to Hancock, and in company with O. J. Hall and Phineas Kemble, made a trip to California, and remained there on the American and Yuba rivers, engaged in mining for two years. He was successful as a miner, although most of the time having very poor health. He still he returned to Hancock, Illinois, and settled on section 26, Appleton town, where he has since resided, engaged as a successful farmer, and when, on all probability, he will pass the balance of his days. On the 22d day of October, 1846, he was married to Clarissa Anderson, a native of New York, and the third of eleven children, whose father was James J. Anderson, a prosperous farmer of Lee county, New York. She became the mother of two children, one of whom is living. She was a woman of piety and intelligence, and departed this life on the 10th day of May, 1874.

On the 22d day of October, 1845, Mr. Hall was united in marriage to Ruth Briggs, a native of New York, and the mother of six children, whose parents were James Briggs and Tamar Pope. Her father was a prosperous farmer of Lee county, Iowa. Mr. Hall is the father of two children by his second wife. Politically he was a republican, voted for Harrison. He has always been an enemy of slavery, and aided fugitives to freedom. His education for the frontier's landless is narrow. Truly he takes great interest in the education of his children. He has always led a life of morality, and is very much respected for his public spirit. Socially he is very pleasant, hospitable and affable, so frank and so warm in his manners. It is evident that he is a man of law and high morality. He appears to be contented above the median height. Although he has done a great deal of hard work, his constitution is yet robust, and infuses a word and a sound body. Mr. Hall started in life poor, and now enjoys the result of his industry, perseverance and morality in a home and farm that is one of the best in the township. He is one of the solid men of the township, is distinguished for hospitality, liberality and public spirit. His contributions to education, with proper care, years yet of honorable and happy existence. He has always had a life of peace, but when the season was in danger of war

with England, in 1859, on account of the outrages of the Canadians opposite New York, he shouldered his gun and rushed to the border. He was in the service about one month, and received a furlough from the Government for his patriotic duties.

Major LOUIS C. BELAMON--Major Louis C. Belamon, a prominent and influential citizen of Hancock, in this county, was born on the 15th day of January, 1806, in Southfield, Jefferson county, Va. His parents were John D. Belamon, a native of Pennsylvania, and Polly Crum, also a native of Pennsylvania. They were of German extraction. His father was a soldier and business man in Virginia. The Major was one of the early settlers of the county, and resided in Seneca during the Mexican troubles. He finally married the widow of Joseph South. He now resides on the Riverside tract. He is one of the best kept hands in the Hancock valley. The Major has a heavy look and a most pleasant and affable manner. He is one of the most popular men in the county. We predict his long years yet of happy existence.





RES OF J.M. CAMPBELL LA HARPE ILL.



RES OF MRS. JANE MORFORD LA HARPE ILL.



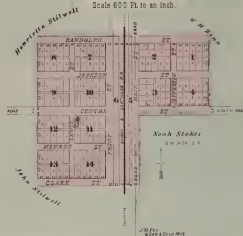
RES OF D.B. BUTLER LA HARPE ILL.



VIEW OF S.F. BOWMAN'S LIVERY FEED & EXCHANGE LA HARPE ILL.

STILWELL

Scale 600 Ft. to an inch.



WEBSTER

and N part S.W. 1/4 Sec 32-6-5
Scale 800 Ft. to an inch



NIOTA

Issued on SEP 10 12 17 PM 1961
Cost \$100.00, or as much



FERRIS

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and part of sec 5th Twp. 16 T 48 N 2 W
Scale 500 Feet to inch.



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BURNS IDE.

Scale 300 feet to an inch

COLOR: RED

J. D. McMillen

ME. MILLENS ADDITION TO BURNSIDE

COLOR: GREEN



M. Pratt

Should Call, Carter
Savoy 17-6-4



FOUNTAIN GREEN. Scale 300 feet to an inch.



MAP OF CICLO TOWNSHIP

Township 3 North

Range 6 West of 4th P. M.



HISTORY OF CHILI TOWNSHIP.

Chili Township is situated in the last tier of townships from the north and second from the east. It is bounded on the north by Harmony, on the east by Augusta, on the south by Adams County, and on the west by St. Albans. Among the early settlers in this township may be mentioned Elisha Worrell, who came in 1810; Levi G. Patchen, in 1815; D.

F. Parker, in 1827; D. G. Todd, in 1833; B. C. Owen, in 1840; and Levi P. Slater in 1854. The population of this township, according to the census of 1870, was 1,601, of which 1,500 were natives, and 99 foreign, and all white but two who are in the census designated colored.

West Point.

Located on Sec. 11, T. 4 N., R. 10 W.
Joseph M. Mullan

HECON Addition to WEST POINT

Located on Sec. 11, T. 4 N., R. 10 W.

Scale 300 ft. to an inch

N 69° 45' E

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Section Cor'd to T. 4 N., R. 10 W.

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Joseph M. Mullan

SOMERSET
 on Sec. 11, T. 4 N., R. 10 W.



ROAD

LOGAN'S ADDITION
 on Sec. 11, T. 4 N., R. 10 W.

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 N 69° 45' E

**BENTLEY**

Located on part of Sec. 11, T. 4 N., R. 10 W.

Scale 300 ft. to an inch

Joe Jones



Joe Jones

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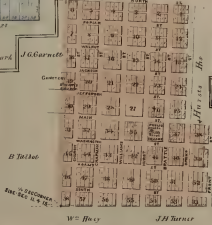
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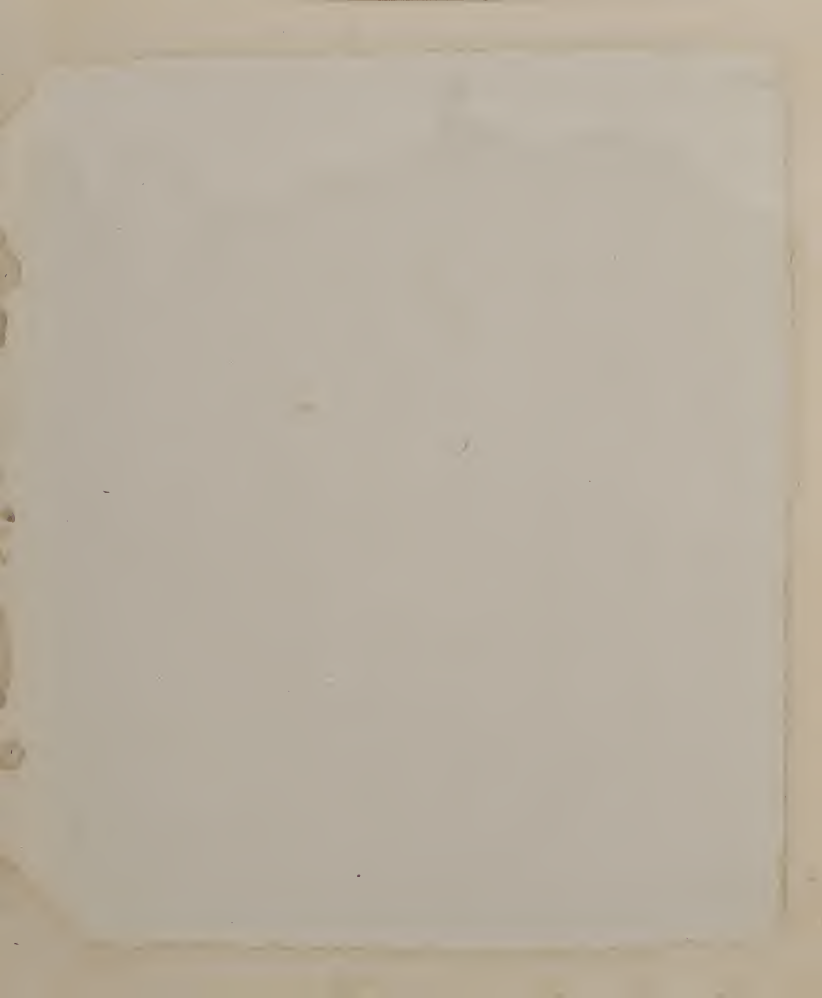


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MAP OF HARMONY TOWNSHIP



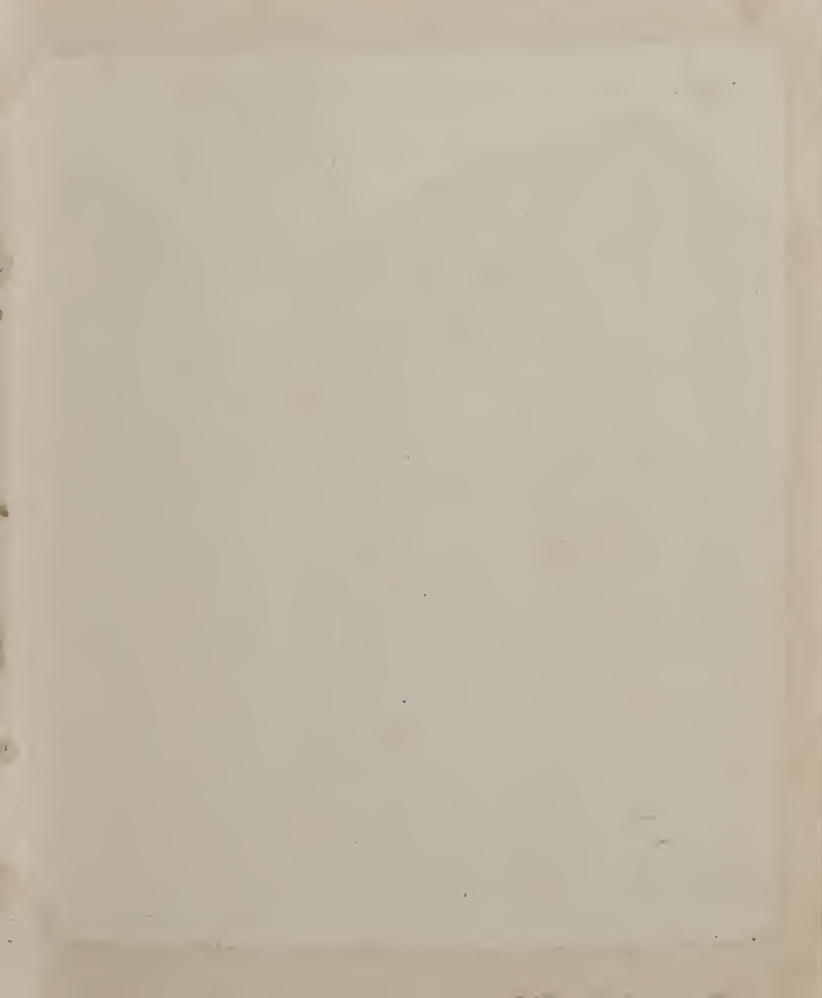
HISTORY OF HARMONY TOWNSHIP.

Harmony Township is situated in the second tier from the east and second from the south. It is bounded on the north by Carleton, on the east by St. Mary's, on the south by Clio, and on the west by Blue Creek. Among the early settlers of this township may be mentioned Geo. M. Brewster, who came in 1824; Thomas Henry, in 1828; E. Ramsey,

in 1835; S. F. Fleming, in 1837; P. C. Crocker, in 1834; G. F. Ramsey in 1838; George H. Walton in 1840; George Langston in 1841; W. F. Tucker, in 1842; Isaac S. Barker, in 1849; and Samuel Dickerson, in 1850. According to the census of 1870, the population of this township was 2,437, of which 1,266 were natives and 91 foreigners.









VIEW OF THE FRUIT FARM OF 'A. C. HAMMOND, SEC 24, WILCOX TP, HANCOCK CO ILL.



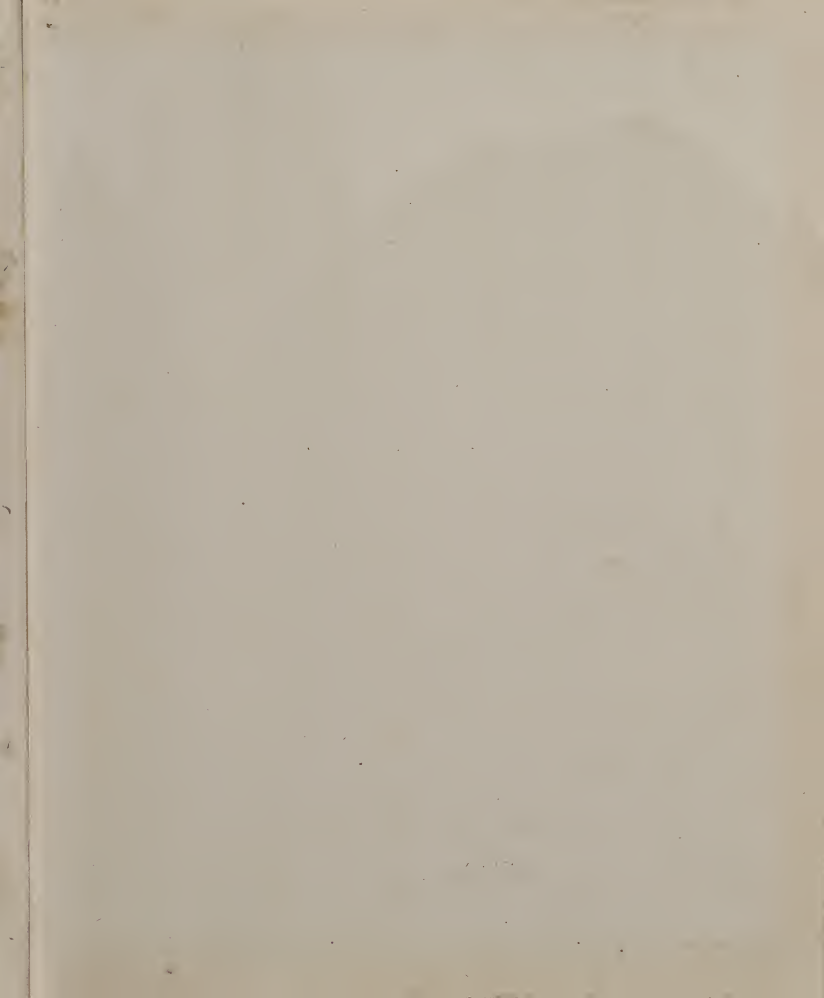
RES OF JOHN J. BLACK SEC 27 HARMONY TP, HANCOCK CO ILL.



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SCOTT & BROTHER, PROPRY WARSAW, ALL THE BEST ARTICLE OF COMMON & LAGER BEER. ALWAYS ON HAND. ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.



VIEW OF J. A. W. PITTMAN'S ART GALLERY SOUTH SIDE SQUARE, CARTRIDGE ILLINOIS.



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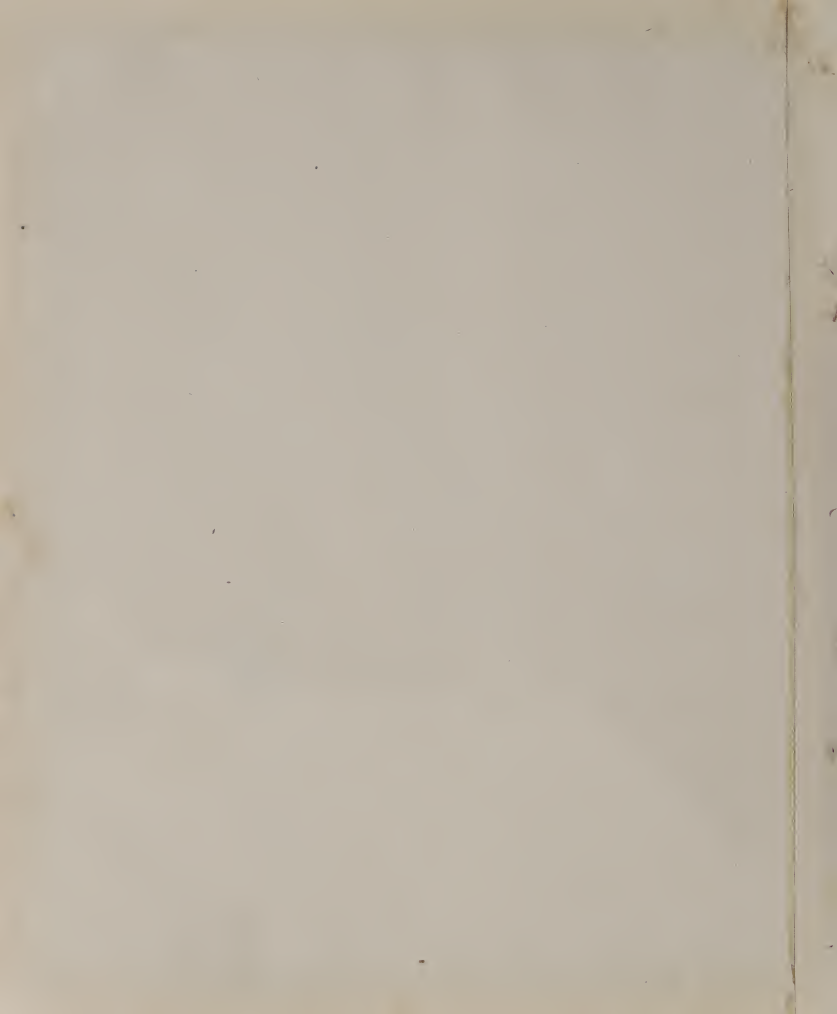
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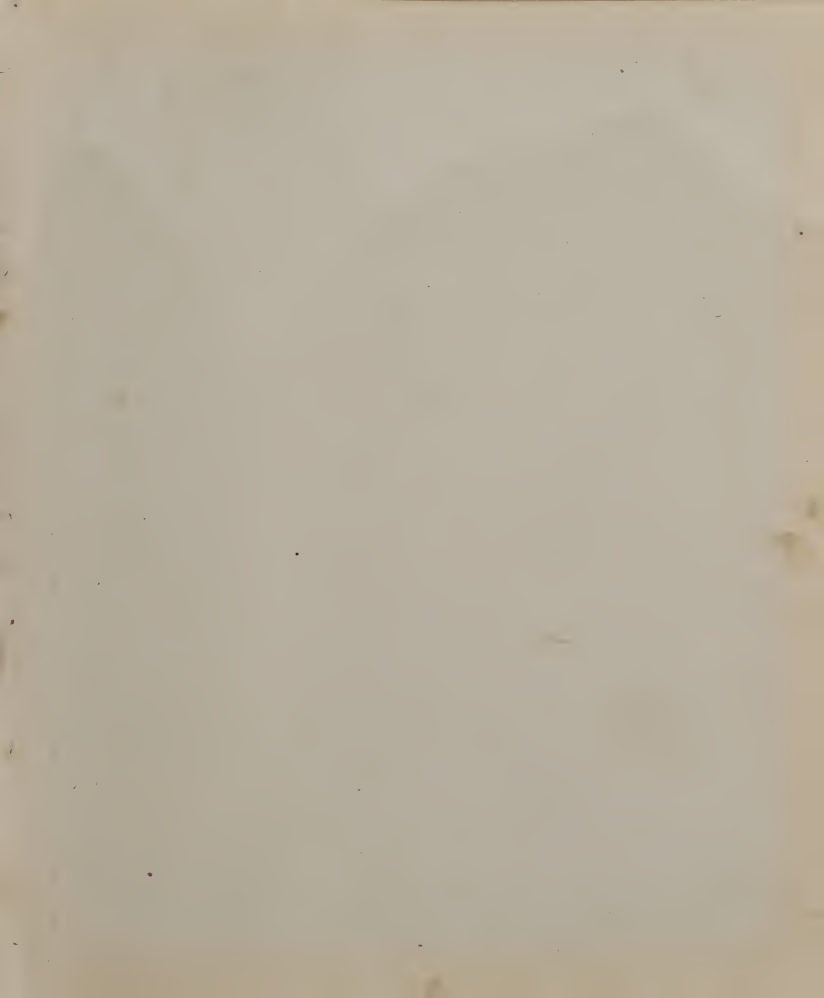
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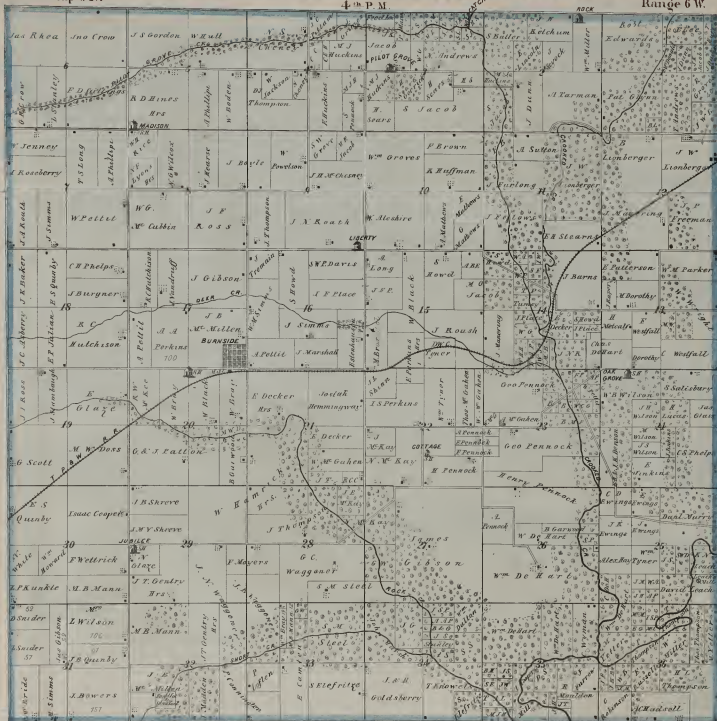


Township 6 N.

MAP OF PILOT GROVE TOWNSHIP

4th P.M.

Range 6 W.



HISTORY OF PILOT GROVE TOWNSHIP.

This township derived its name from a hugely grove which stood on the "old Indian trail" leading across the country, and was a prominent landmark in the early history. The first settlement was made on section 21, by a man by the name of Franklin, in early 1818 or 1819. Another settlement was made about the same time on section 28. John Perkins, from Tennessee, who settled in the State in 1822, moved into the township in 1825, and bought the improvements of Mr. Franklin. The first school house was built on section 27, in 1827, and the first school was taught by

a man by the name of Peckham. The first post-office was at the grove, and was called Pilot Grove post-office. The postmaster was Nelson Andrews. The first mills (saw and grain combined), were built by Joseph Linberger, on Crooked Creek (section 21), in early 1818. The first Justice of the Peace was John Hurling, living on section 4, where he still resides. This is an excellent township of land, settled by an intelligent and enterprising class of inhabitants. Burnside on the T. P. & W. R. R., is the principal village, and is a thriving little town.



FLOURING MILL OF JOSEPH LIONBERGER, DEALER IN THE BEST GRADES OF FLOUR, GRAIN & MILL STUFFS, BURRIDGE ILL.



STORE, HOTEL & WARE HOUSE OF J. K. JACOBS & SONS, BURRIDGE ILL.



RESIDENCE AND STORE C. C. TYLER, FOUNTAIN GREEN TP., HANCOCK CO., ILL.



FARM RESIDENCE OF MARKUS SCHAFER, SEC 26 APPANOOSE TP., HANCOCK CO., ILL.





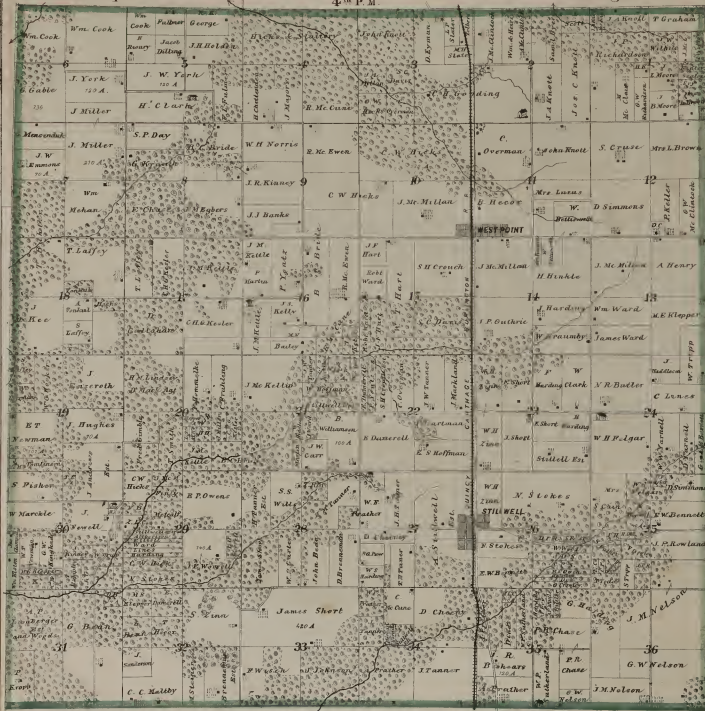
RESIDENCE OF HENRY SECRIST, SEC. 33 HANCOCK TP., HANCOCK COUNTY ILLS



RESIDENCE AND STOCK FARM OF JASPER MANIFOLD, SEC. 8 DURHAM TP., HANCOCK CO., ILLS

MAP OF ST ALBANS TOWNSHIP

Township 3 N Range 7 W 4th P.M.



HISTORY OF ST ALBANS TOWNSHIP.

The first settlement was made by Wm Pike on section 1. he built a log house, and made a few more improvements, and then moved away. The next in order were Abel Hardin, Arthur Morgan, Jos. Slater, Eliza Merrill, Jas. Knott, Jas. E. Moore, and others who came later. The first house was built of logs in 1813 by Mr. Pike on section 1. The first frame house was erected by Eldridge Benson, and the first brick house by Mr. Russell. The first school-house was

built of logs on the northeast corner of section 3. The first church was taught by Sarah With, wife of Gen. Crowley, in 1817. The first church was built in 1818, at Stillwell by the Campbell's. The first sermon was preached in Jas. Knott's house, in 1818 by Peter Akers. The first death occurred in 1818, July 23d—Slary, wife of Jas. Knott. The first marriage was in 1819—Miranda Kinney and Benson Bide. Wm. Owen was the first Justice of the Peace. The township is watered by Bear Creek. Timbered on west and north sides.

MAP OF BEAR CREEK TOWNSHIP

Township 4 N

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Range 7 W.



HISTORY OF BEAR CREEK TOWNSHIP.

The first settlers in this township were Thos. Finken, Jos. Van Winkle, Jos. Tread, Fiske Graham, Wm. Fleming, and others. The first school-house was built of logs on section 36, in 1850. Mrs. Ruth Graham was the first teacher in this building. Miss Mary Pomeroy taught prior to this in a private house. The first church was erected on section 36, in 1850, by the Free Will Baptists. Mr. Sewall was the first who filled the pulpit in this church.

Meetings were held before this, however, at private houses. Wm. Oliver probably preached the first sermon in the township. The first child born (of which we have any record) was Mary Ford, in 1850. The first death was a child of Thos. Smith. The township is well timbered and well watered. The timber has principally in the west and south. Bear Creek and its branches are the principal creeks.







RESIDENCE OF H. P. GRISWOLD, HAMILTON, ILL.



RESIDENCE & STOCK FARM OF WESLEY CHAPMAN, SEC. 8, PRAIRIE TP., HANCOCK CO., ILL.



RESIDENCE OF ROBERT FULTON, SEC. 17, WYTHE TP., HANCOCK CO., ILL.



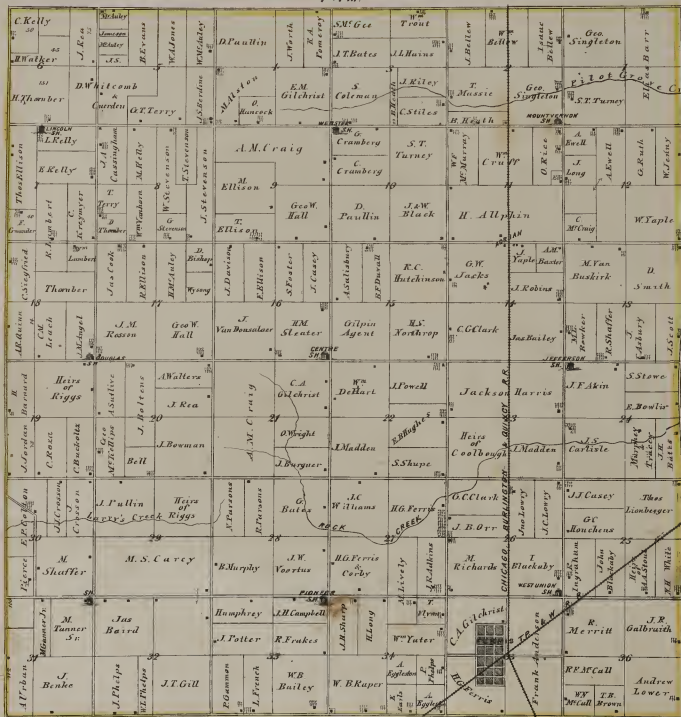
RESIDENCE OF JOHN B. WILL, SEC. 29, WYTHE TP., HANCOCK CO., ILL.

MAP OF ROCK CREEK TOWNSHIP

TOWNSHIP 6N

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RANGE 7 W.



HISTORY OF ROCK CREEK TOWNSHIP.

Rock Creek Township is situated in the second tier from the north and third from the east. It is bounded on the north by Pontonac, on the east by Pilot Grove, on the south by Prairie, and on the west by Socora. Its first settlers were Warren Yagle, who came in 1830; A. Salisbury, who came in 1838; Charles Abbott, who came in 1840; James M. Bailey,

who came in 1833. It contains some fine rolling prairie, but a certain portion of it has been settled somewhat later than the balance, and is now mainly in the hands of renters. Its population, according to the census of 1870, was 1,207, of which 1,085 were natives and 122 foreign.



VIEW-CENTRAL HOTEL, BY MR. S. E. PARKINSON, DALLAS CITY, ILL.



TAYLOR & GILL, DEALERS IN GROCERIES & PROVISIONS & DALLAS CITY, ILL.



BARNARD & WIMMER'S DRUG STORE, ADRAIN, ILL.



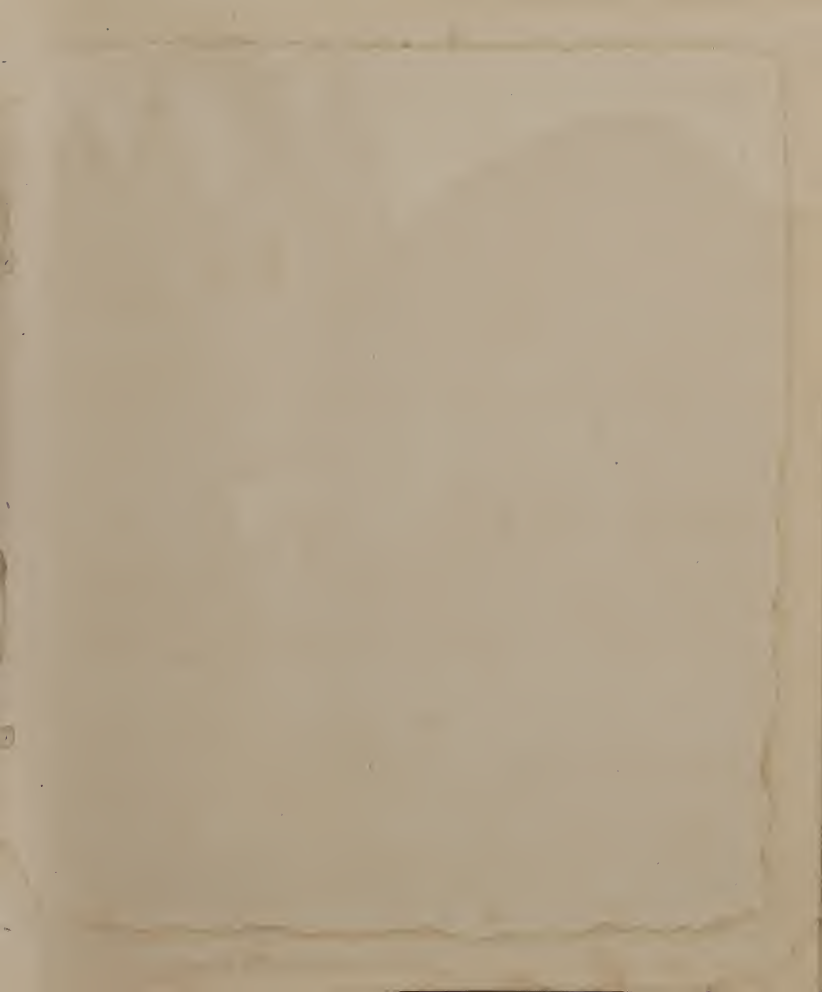
RESIDENCE OF THOS. ELLISON, SEC. 9, ROCK CREEK TP., HANCOCK CO., ILL.



RES. OF JESSE H. HUBBARD, SEC. 10, CHILI TP., HANCOCK CO., ILL.



FARM RESIDENCE OF JAS. S. CARLISLE, SEC. 24, ROCK CREEK TP., HANCOCK CO., ILL.





FARM RESIDENCE OF THOS HAMMOND, SEC. 18, PONTIAC TWP, HANCOCK CO., ILL.



VIEW OF HOT HOUSE FROM THE NORTH

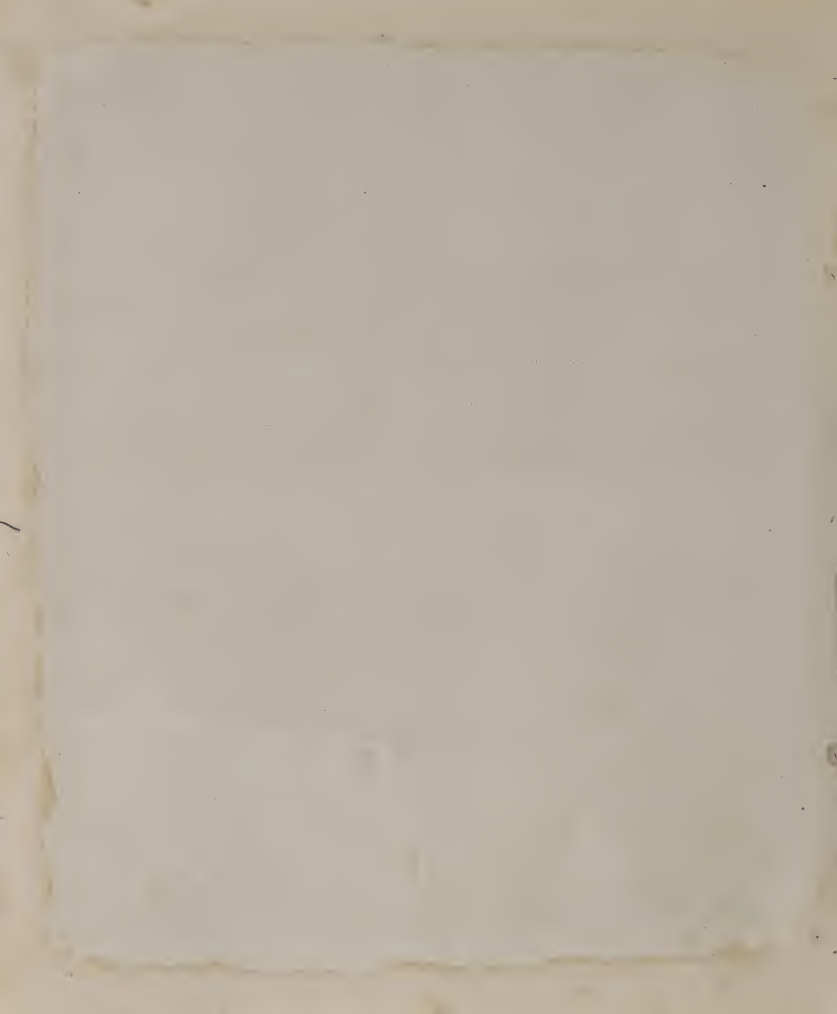


VIEW OF HOT HOUSE FROM THE SOUTH

FRUITLAND FARM



NURSERY & GARDEN OF J. R. TULL, SEC. 2, PONTIAC TWP, HANCOCK CO., ILL.





RES. OF H. F. BLACK, DALLAS CITY, ILL.



H. F. BLACK, WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALER IN LUMBER &c
OFFICE AND YARD ON WATER ST. DALLAS CITY, ILL.



RES. OF MRS. MARIETTA ROLLOSSON, DALLAS CITY, ILL.



FARM RESIDENCE OF F. B. MILLER, SEC. 25 DALLAS TP. HANCOCK CO. ILL.



FARM RESIDENCE OF WILLIAM WALLWORK, SEC. 20, PONTIAC TWP. HANCOCK CO. ILL.



RESIDENCE OF MRS. JOHN HOBBS, SEC. 31, KIRKWOOD TWP. HANCOCK CO. ILL.



FARM RESIDENCE OF J. W. BROWN, SEC. 20, PONTIAC TWP. HANCOCK CO. ILL.

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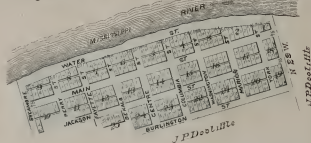
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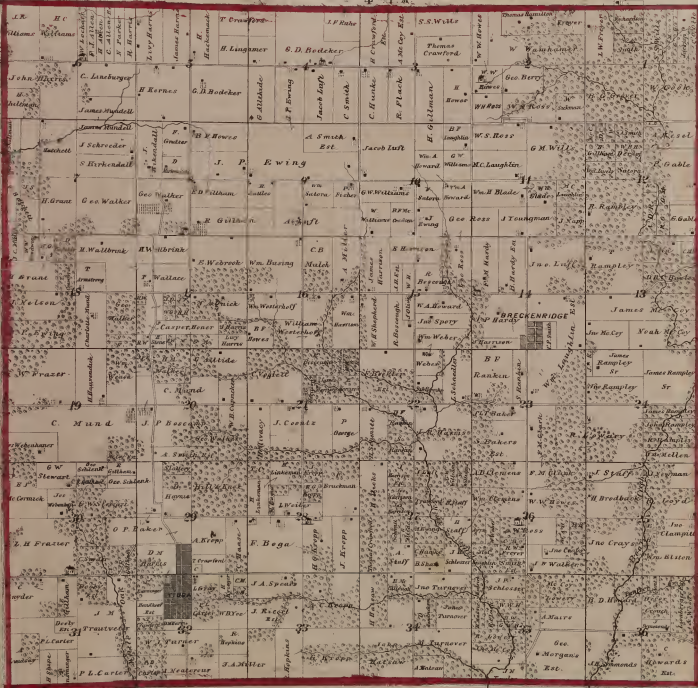
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MAP OF WALKER TOWNSHIP

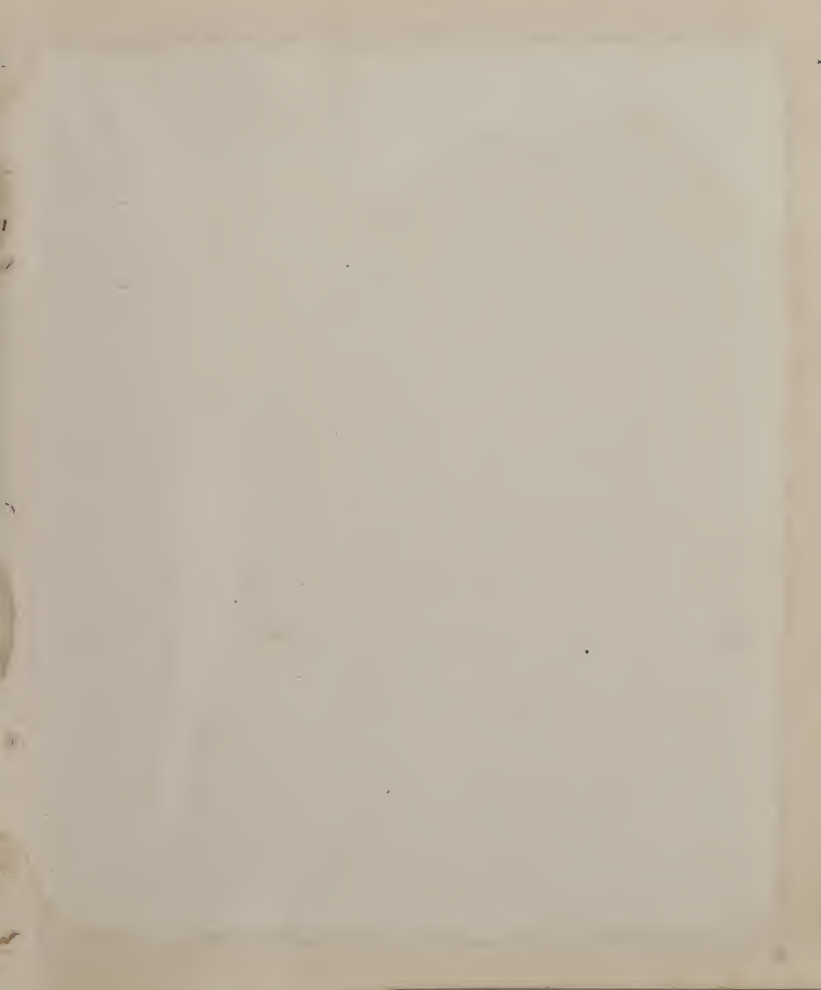
Township 3 North 4th P.M. Range 8 West



HISTORY OF WALKER TOWNSHIP

The first to locate in this township were Colonel Williams, Deaconess Shook, George Walker and Enosh Heakins. The first school-house was built of logs in 1731, on section 1. Jan. N. Hopkins was the first teacher. The first church was built of logs on section 14, by the Baptists. Meetings were held previous to this in school houses and groves. George Walker was the first regular minister in the township. The first couple married were Joseph Pettit and Nancy Horton.

The first child was born in 1735, Jan. E. Walker, son of Geo. Walker. The death of Miss Emily Hunt was the first. Geo. Walker took some wildcat brands out of a pasture in his house to make the cattle. The first chicken was built at Henry Lumb, and his little level land. It is owned by Bear Creek and its tributaries.



MAP OF WYTHE TOWNSHIP

Township 4 N

4²⁹ P. M.

Range 8 W.



HISTORY OF WYTHE TOWNSHIP.

The first settlement was made in 1835, by Samuel Crawford, followed closely by Andrew McClain, Benj. F. Marsh, Samuel Knox, Mark Phelps, and Rodolphus Chandler; the first improvement by Mr. Crawford, who built a house in 1835; McManahan and Marsh built soon after he did. The first church was built on section 10, frame, by the Congregationalist society. Meetings were held, before this was built, in school-houses. The first minister who located in the

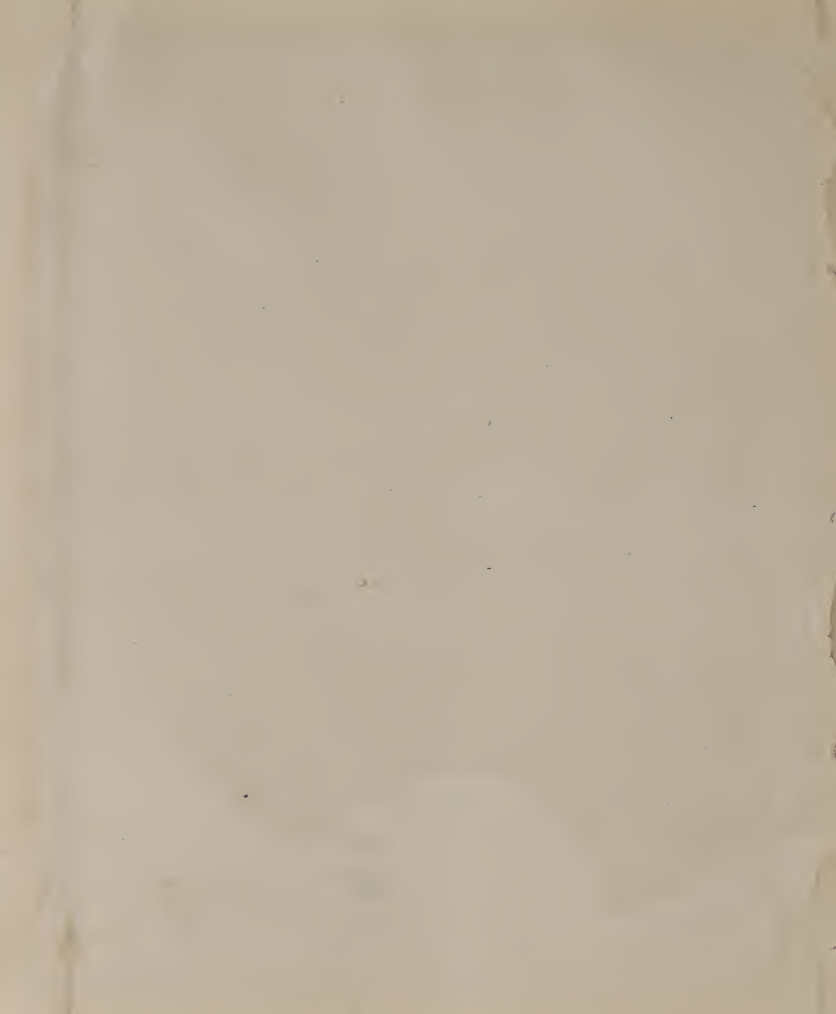
township was a Mr. Ruiz; he preached in the Congregational church. The first school-house was not built until 1846. It was located on section 19; Isaac Bliss taught the first school in the township. Mrs. Marsh died in 1837—the first death. Capt. Marsh, son of B. F. Marsh, born in 1859, the first white child born in the township. The first election was held at the house of Samuel Knox. The township was named in honor of George Wyche, of Virginia. The township is generally level, and contains no timber of any size. It is one of the best improved townships in the county.

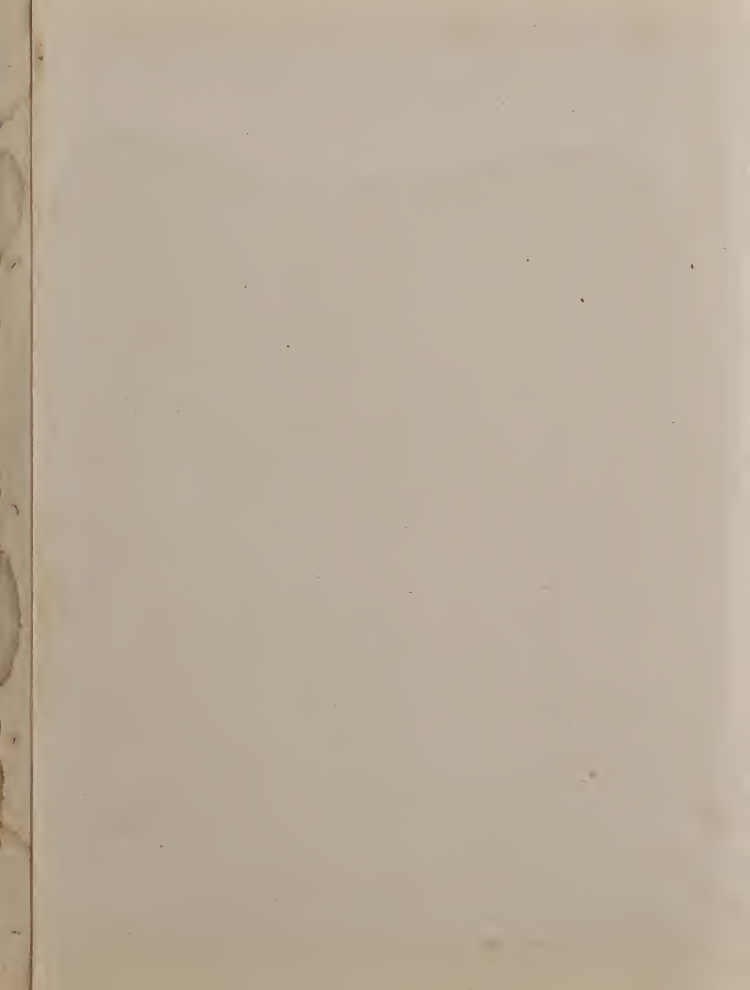


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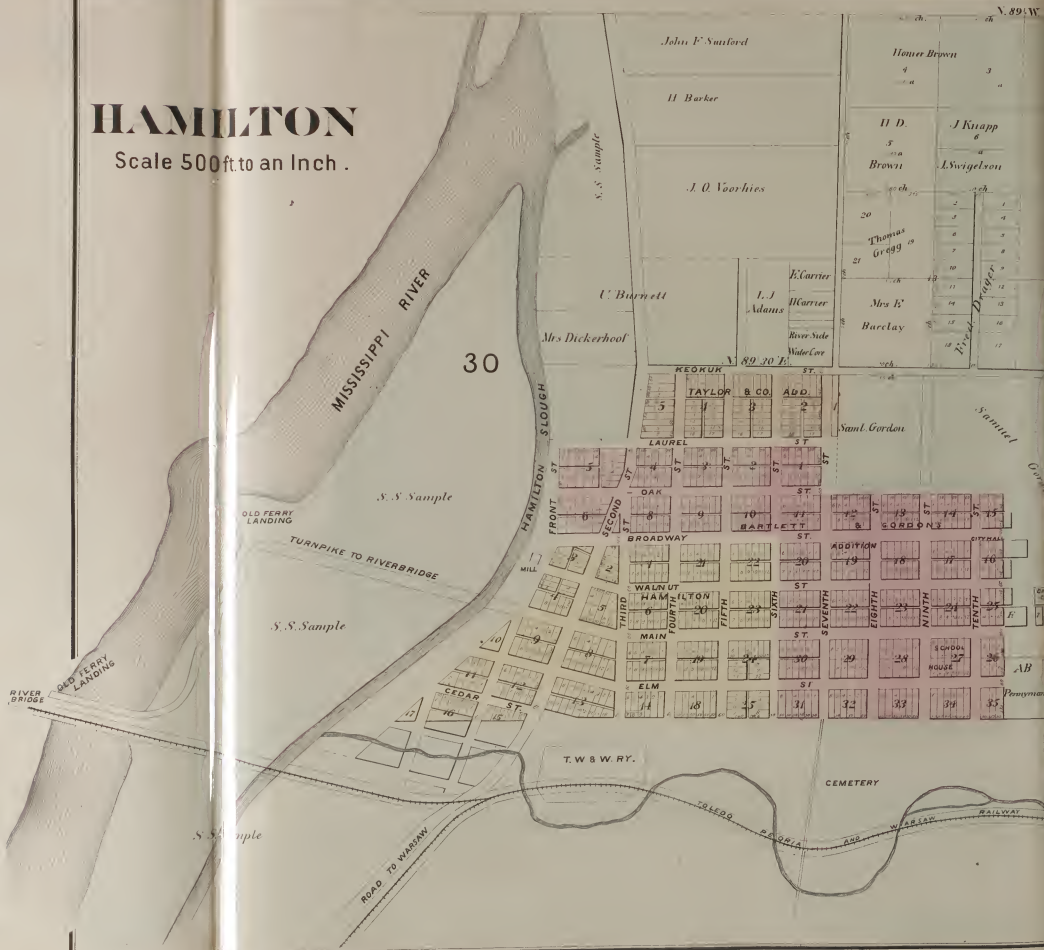


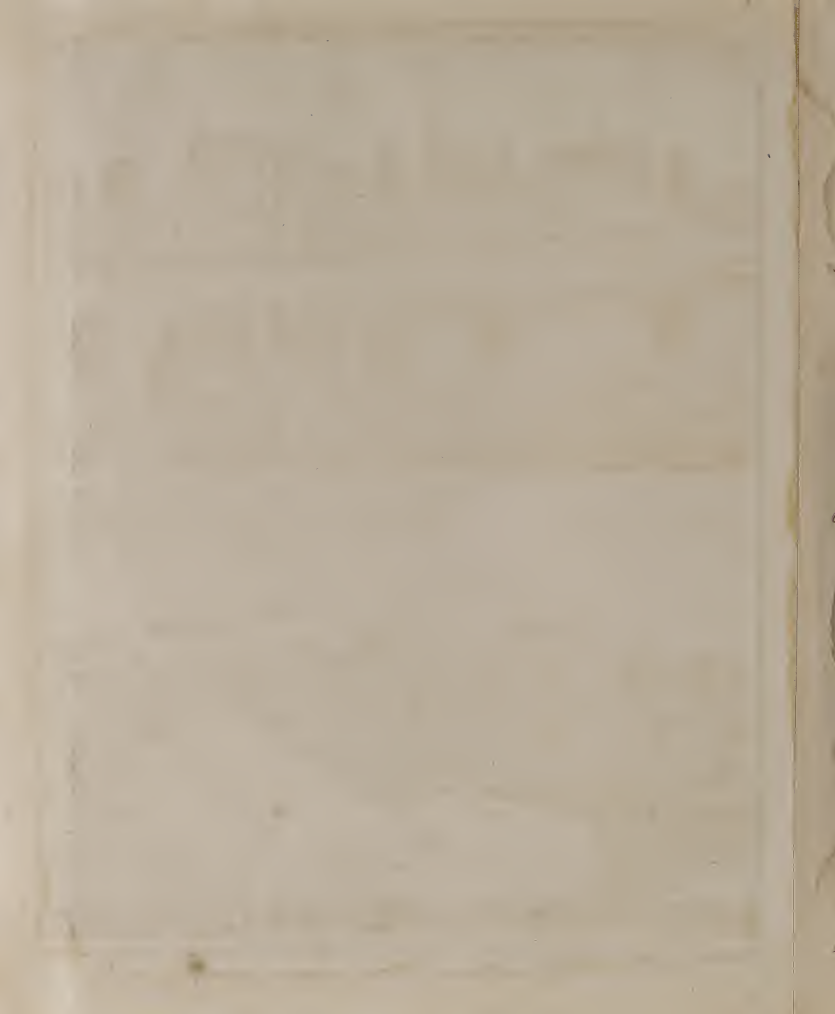
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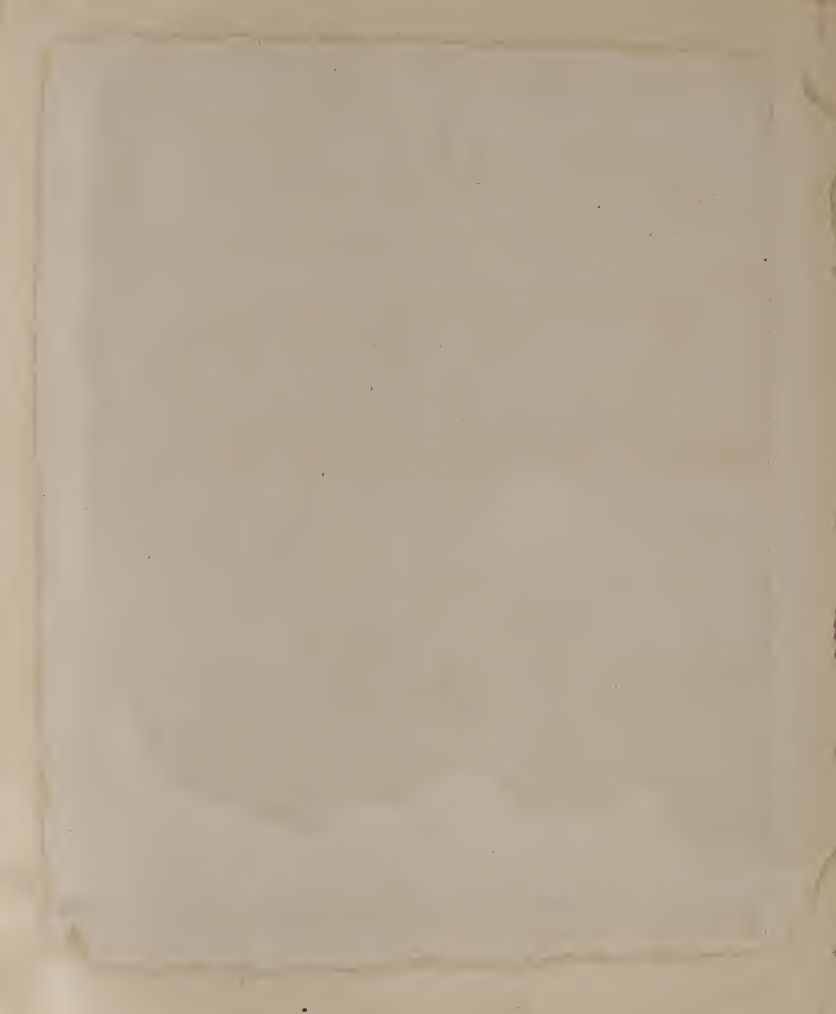


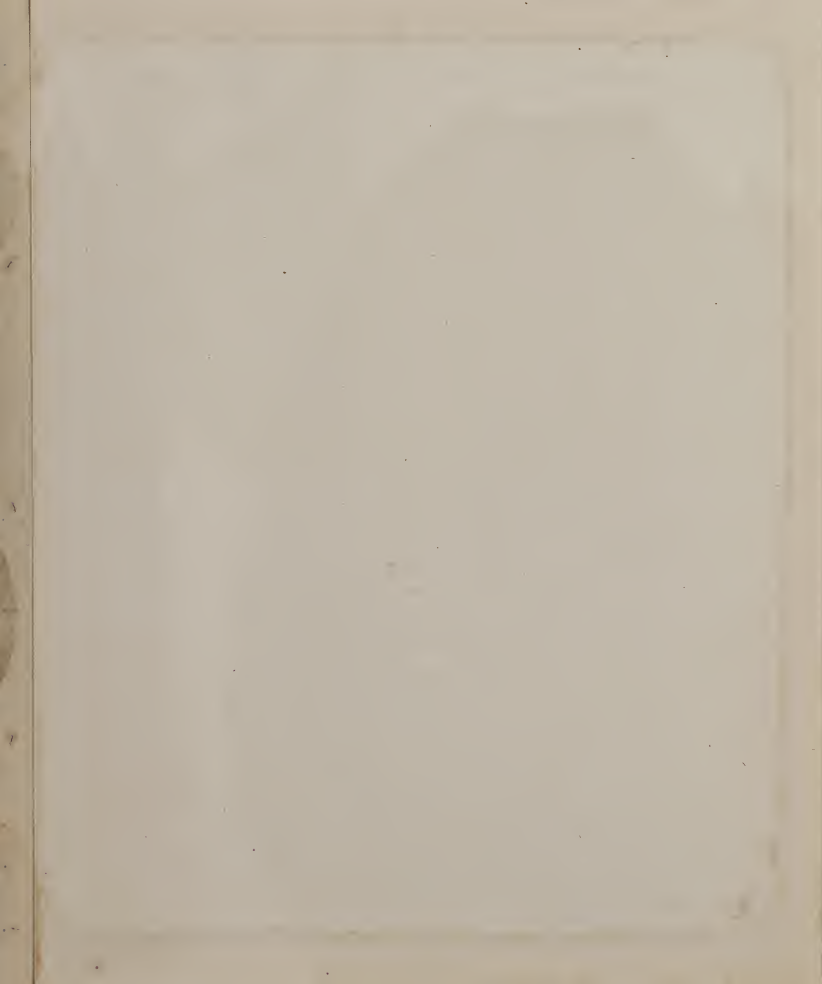


RESIDENCE, FRUIT & STOCK FARM OF E. MT. CUNE, SEC. 18, WYTHE TP, HANCOCK CO., ILL.



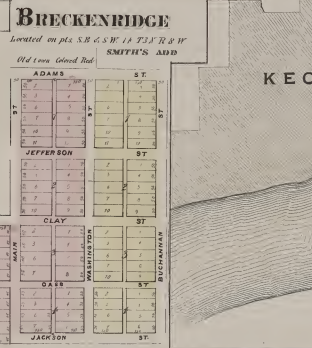
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MAP OF NAUVOO TOWNSHIP

Township 6 & 7 N. Range 9 W.



HISTORY OF NAUVOO TOWNSHIP.
 Nauvoo township is situated in the eastern line of townships and line on the Mississippi. It is surrounded by Appomattox, Seneca and Monticello. It is rather a small township if the city of Nauvoo is not included. Its first settlers were the Mormons. After them may be mentioned Thomas Kinsland, who came in 1831, and Geo. Davis, John Burwell, Ben. Wilson, W. Merrill, John Barker, Adam Barker, Major L. C. Brimmon, Adam Smith, and others. B. W. McKinney, one of the most influential men in the country and a present possessor of Nauvoo, came in 1836. It is a township that contains some of the best families in the country. Its history as regards the Mormons and others will be mentioned in the county history. Its population, according to the census of 1870, was 1,275, of which 1,037 were natives and 237 foreign.

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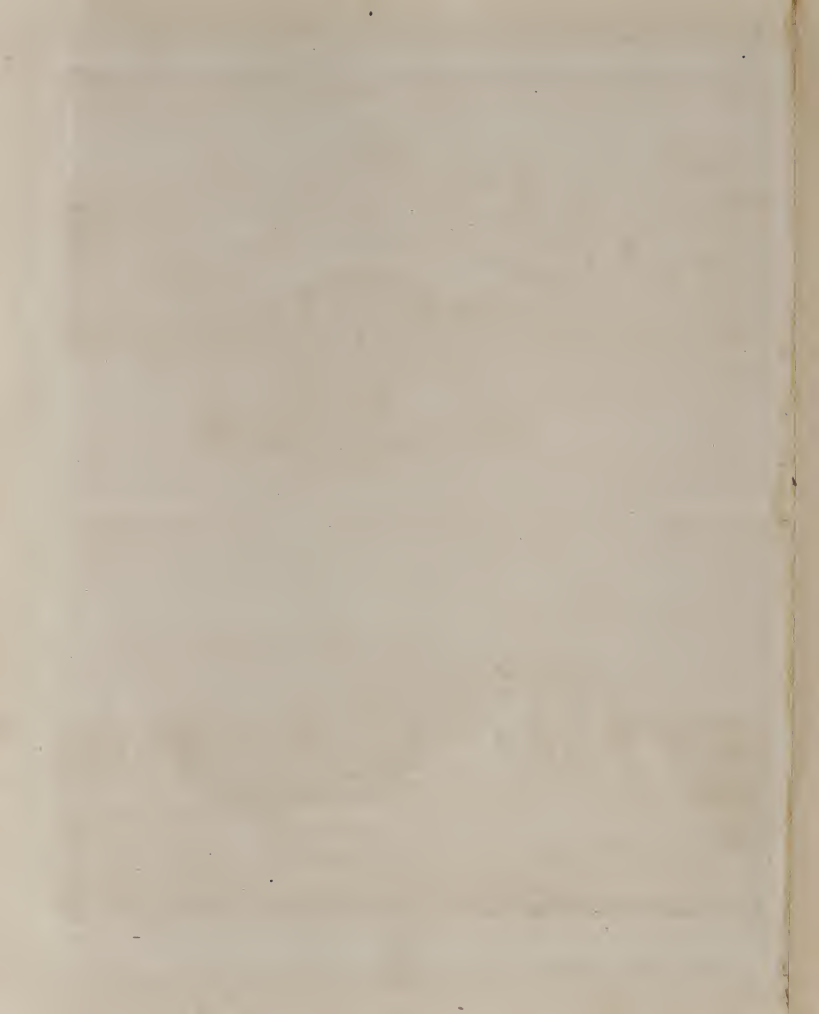
MAP OF MONTEBELLO TOWNSHIP

TOWNS 3 N. RANGE 10 W.



HISTORY OF MONTEBELLO TOWNSHIP.

Montebello Township is situated in the eastern portion of the county. It is the third tier from the north, and fourth from the east. It is bounded on the north by Seneca, on the east by Prince, on the south by Wythe. It is a mostly farming township. Settlers on first census may be mentioned J. N. Waggoner, who came in 1842; Daniel Corbin, in 1843; A. B. Waggoner, in 1845; T. Goff, in 1853; S. C. Corbin, in 1857; H. P. Griswold, in 1857; John Wright, in 1843; W. D. Hanson, in 1847; Wm. Stevens, in 1841; O. J. Loring, in 1842. The population, according to the census of 1870 was 1,112, of which 676 were natives, 437 foreign, while 157 of them were white and 535 colored.

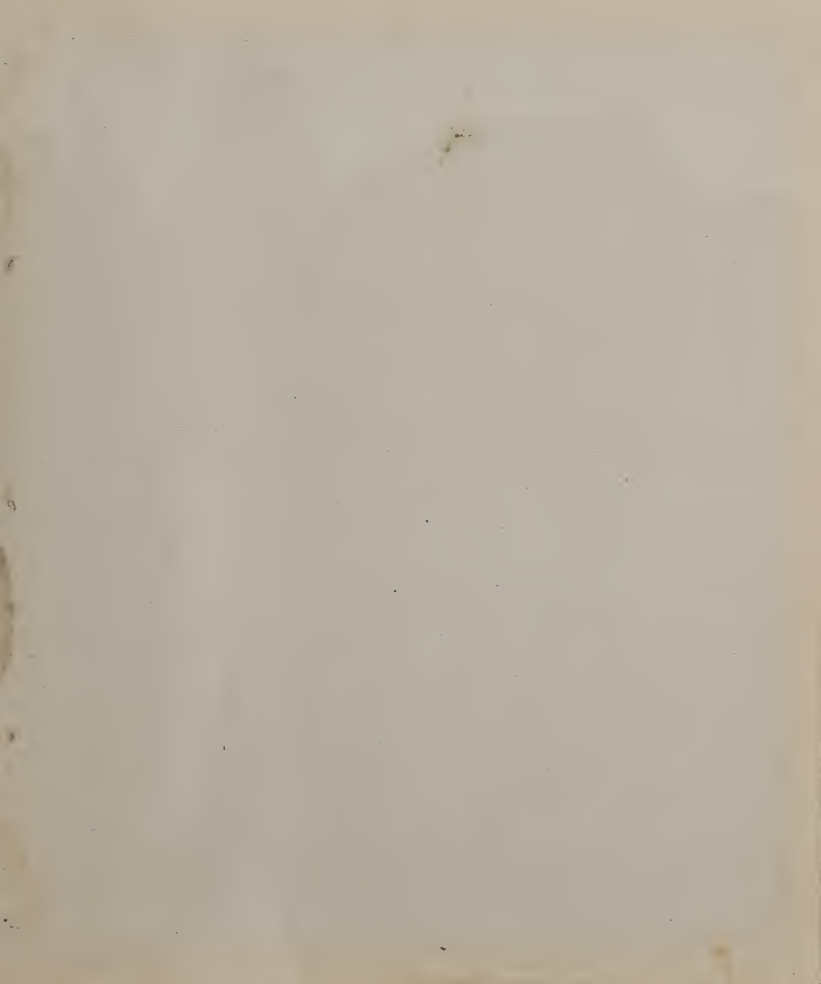




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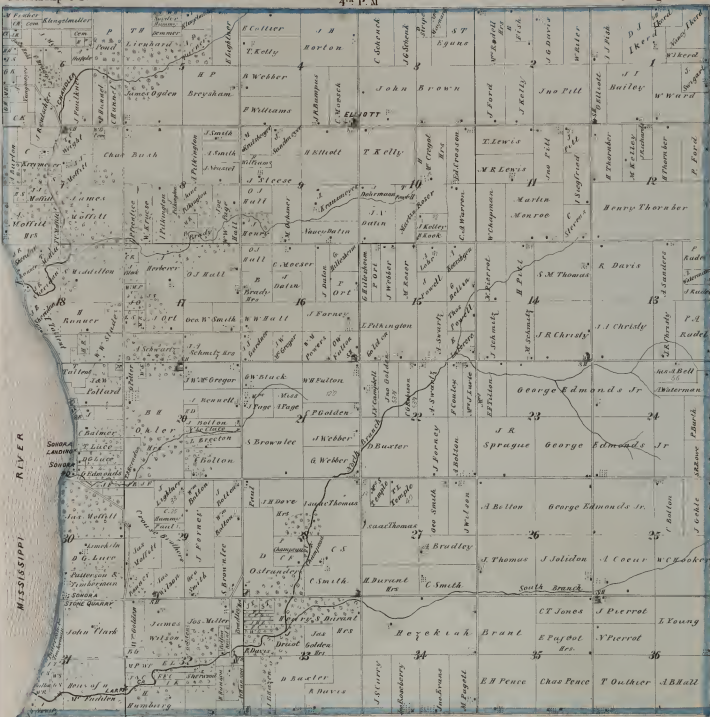


MAP OF SONORA TOWNSHIP

Township 6 N.

4th P.M.

Range 8 W.



HISTORY OF SONORA TOWNSHIP.

Sonora Township is the second tier of townships from the north, and fourth from the east. It is bounded on the north by Appomattox, on the east by Rock Creek, on the south by Horsehead, and on the west by Neuron. There is a great deal of broken and timber land in this township. Its first settlers were John F. Weld, who came in 1837; James

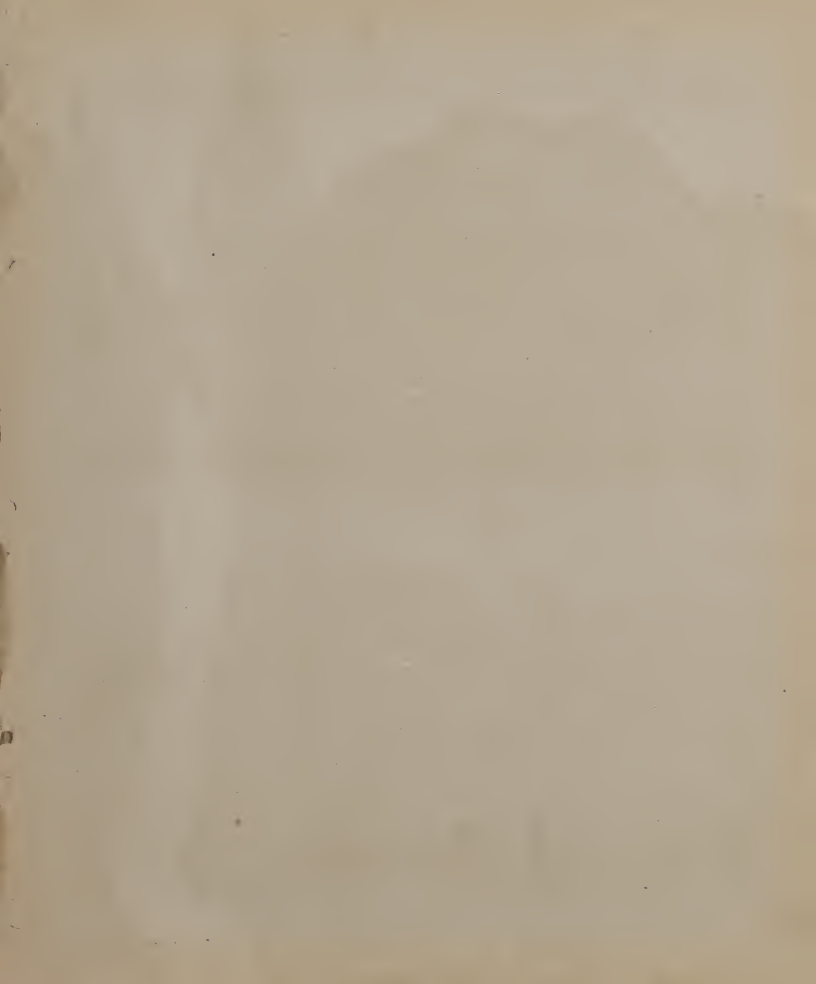
C. Wilson, in 1837; James Melle, in 1839. The father of the last named gentleman came some few years earlier in the boat of a colony from Ireland. According to the census of 1870, it contained a population of 1,485, of which 1,175 were native, 307 foreign; all being white persons but one.



RES OF FREDK BAUM, NAUVOO, ILL



RESIDENCE & STOCK FARM OF JOHN PITT, SEC II, SONOMA TP, HANCOCK CO, ILL





RESIDENCE AND STOCK FARM OF C. W. BALDWIN, SEC. 9 BEAR CREEK TP., HANCOCK CO., ILL.



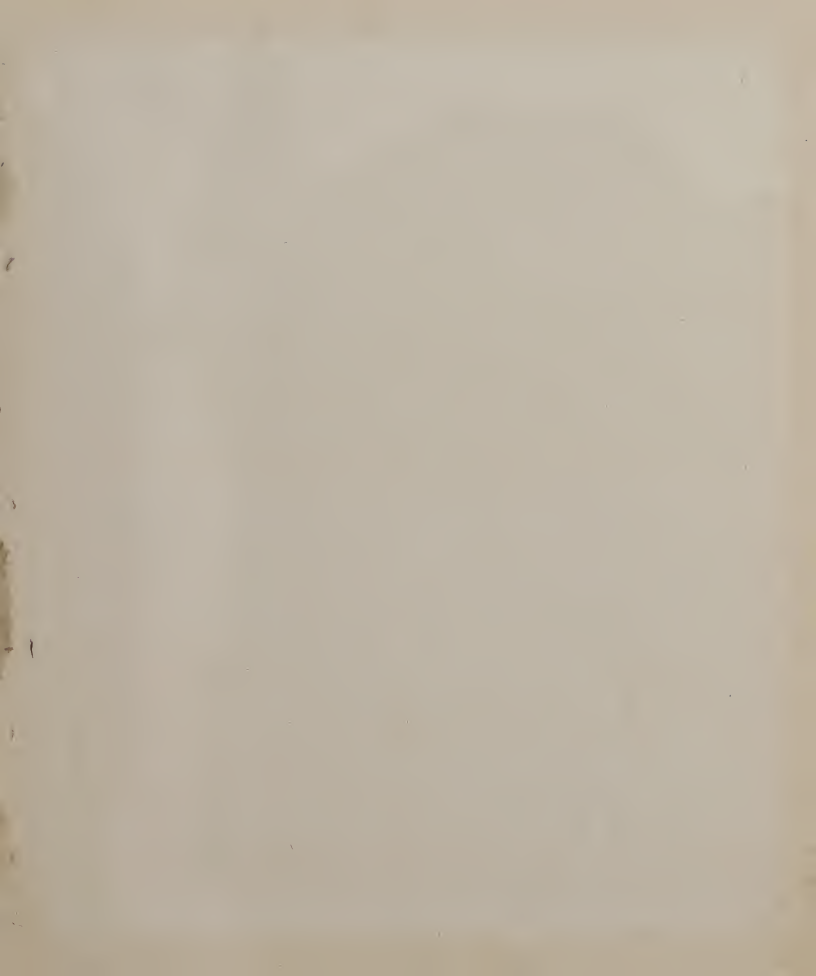
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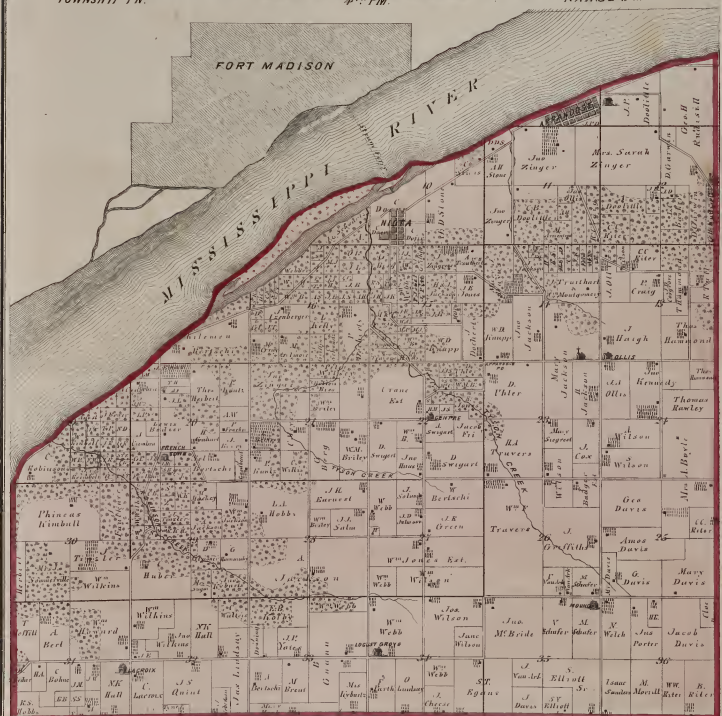


MAP OF APPANOOSE TOWNSHIP

TOWNSHIP 1 N.

4TH PM.

RANGE 3 W.



HISTORY OF APPANOOSE TOWNSHIP.

Appanoose Township is situated in the northwestern corner of Hancock County. It is bounded on the west by the Mississippi River, on the east by Putnam County, on the south by Scott Township. It is a very fertile township, and contains some of the best farms in the county. The first settlers of this township were Amos Doolittle, James White

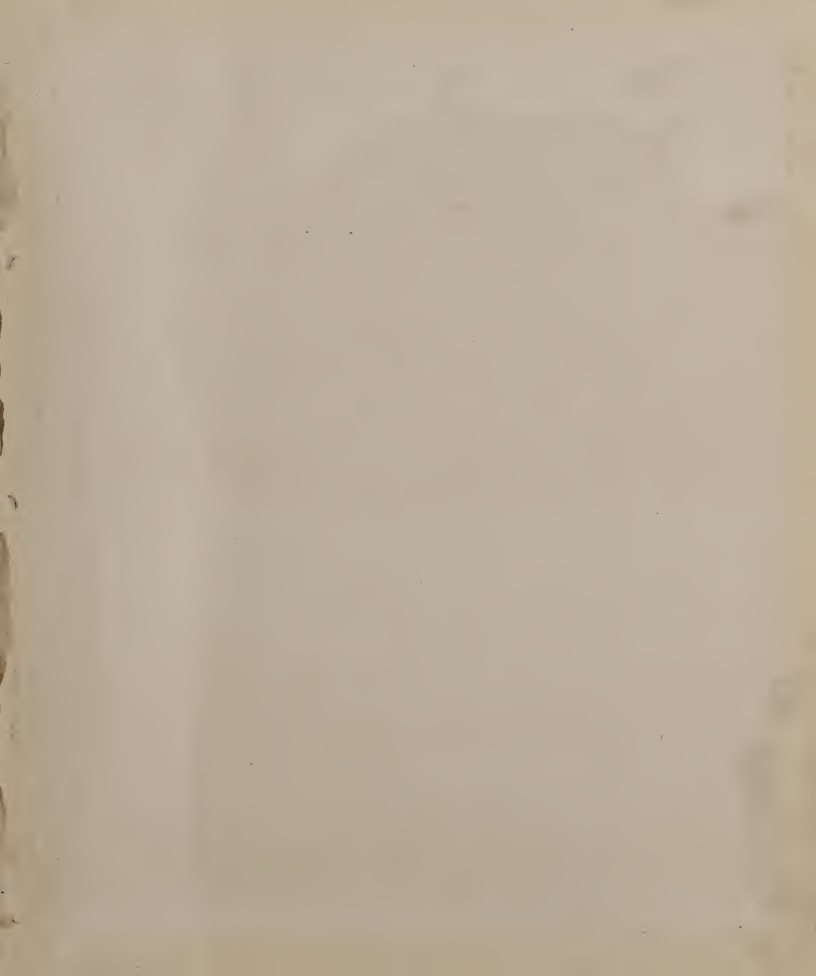
and Zachariah Hawkins. Amos Doolittle and James White came in 1836. The first mill was built by Amos Doolittle in 1837. Amongst the leading persons in this township who took an active part against the Mormons, may be mentioned Peter Wilkey. Its population, according to the census of 1870, was 1,047, of which 825 were natives and 183 foreign.



FARM RESIDENCE OF HUGH JACKSON SEC. 23 APPANOOSE TP. HANCOCK CO. ILL.



RESIDENCE AND STOCK FARM OF WM. D. KNAPP SEC. 14 APPANOOSE TP. HANCOCK CO. ILL.





RES. & STOCK FARM OF JACKSON BROS., SEC. 14, APPANOOSE TP., HANCOCK CO., ILL.



RES. OF W. BERTSCH, FARMER & DEALER IN NORMAN HORSES, SEC. 22, APPANOOSE TP., HANCOCK CO., ILL.



RESIDENCE OF DR THOMAS POWELL, SEC 10, SONORA TP, HANCOCK CO., ILL.



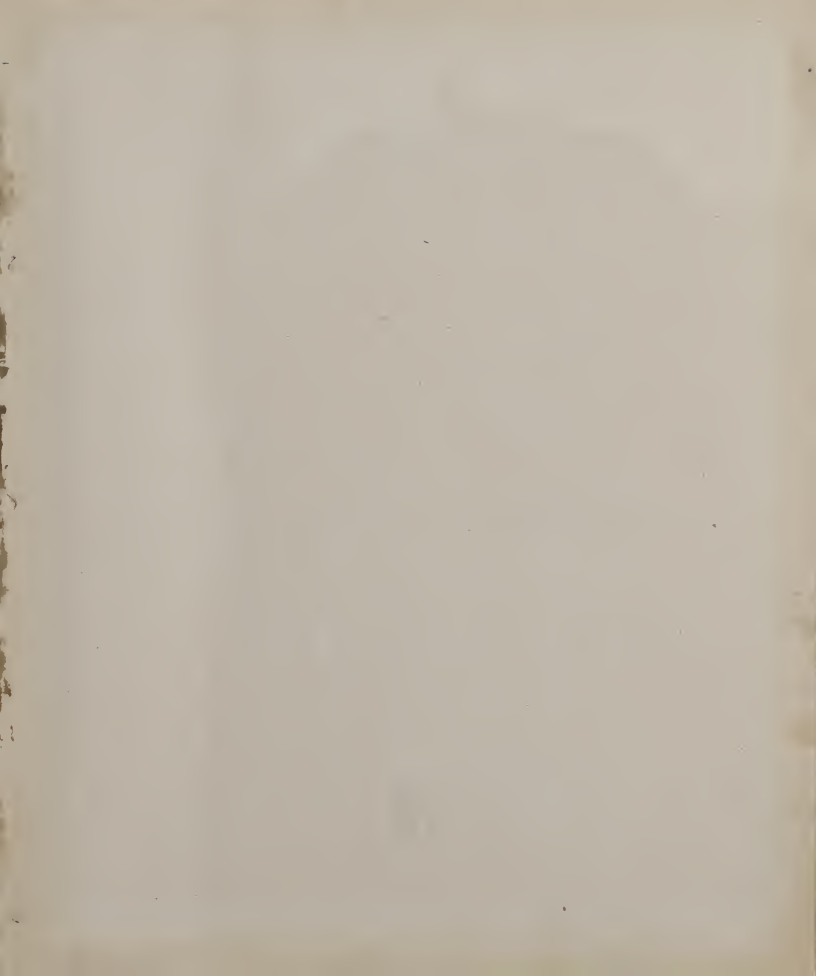
PRIVATE RESIDENCE OF JOHN ENGLER, COR WILLIAMS & PAGE STS
NAUVOO, ILL.



RESIDENCE & MARBLE WORKS OF GEO. W. ROSE, DEALER IN MONUMENTS & TOMB STONES OF ALL VARIETIES, SONORA,
HANCOCK CO. ILL.



RESIDENCE OF CHRISTIAN SCHENCK, SEC 3, SONORA TP, HANCOCK CO., ILL.

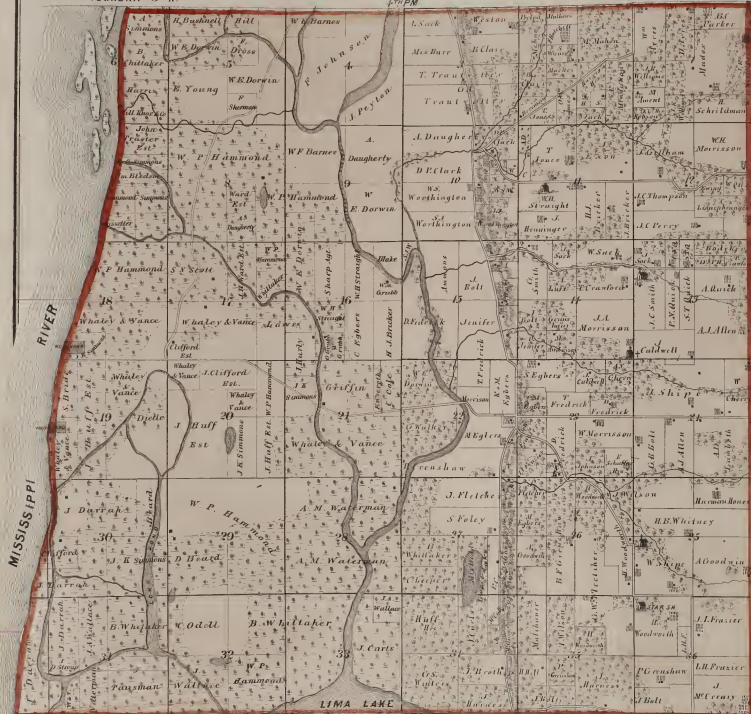


MAP OF ROCKY RIVER TOWNSHIP

TOWNSHIP 3 N.

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HISTORY OF ROCKY RUN TOWNSHIP

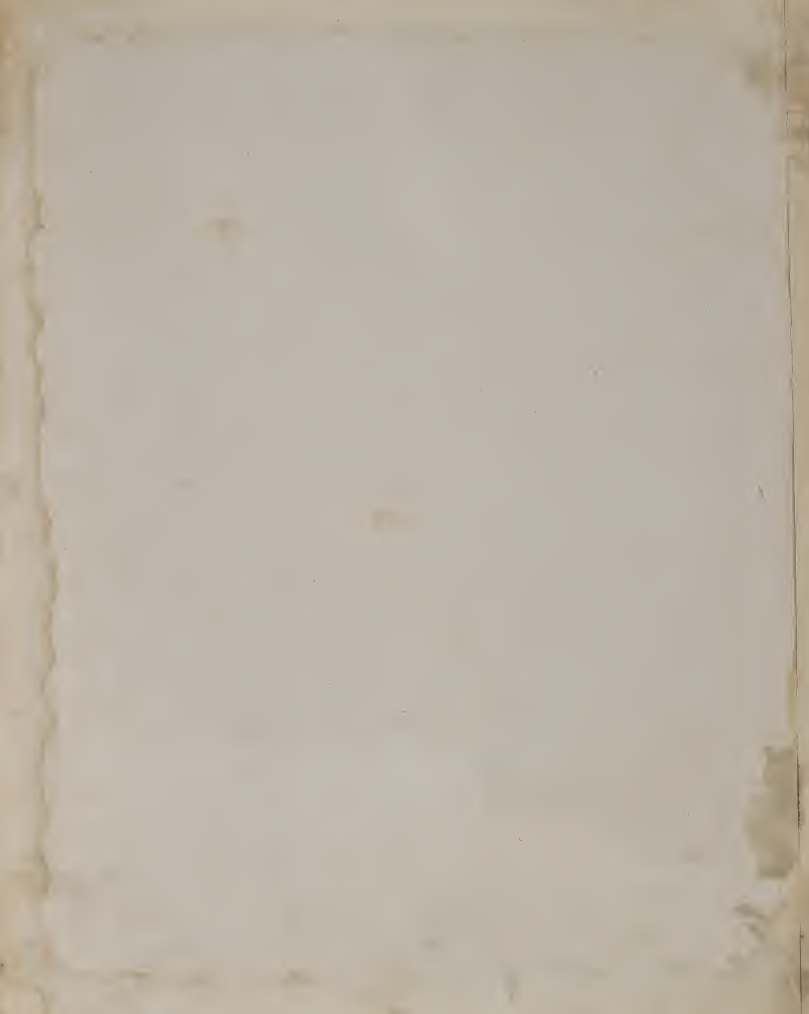
The first settlements in this township were made by Luther Whitney, Henry Nichols, Davis Hill, Daniel Cresshaw, Leonard Abney and Curtis Caldwell and their families. The first house was built in 1822, by Luther Whitney. The first death was that of Lucy Cresshaw, she died in 1823. The first couple married were Henry Nichols and Sophonia Whitney. The first white child born was either Sophonia Nichols or Wm. Cresshaw. The first school in the township

was taught in 1809, it was held in a log cabin belonging to William Whitney. The first school-house was built of logs on section 36 in 1821. The first church, "Hebrew," was built in 1805, by the Southern Methodists, on section 25; the pulpit was filled by Oscar Saxelson. The first sermon at the township was preached by George Walker, of Walker Township. B. F. Zunkow was the first circuit preacher that held services in the township.

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