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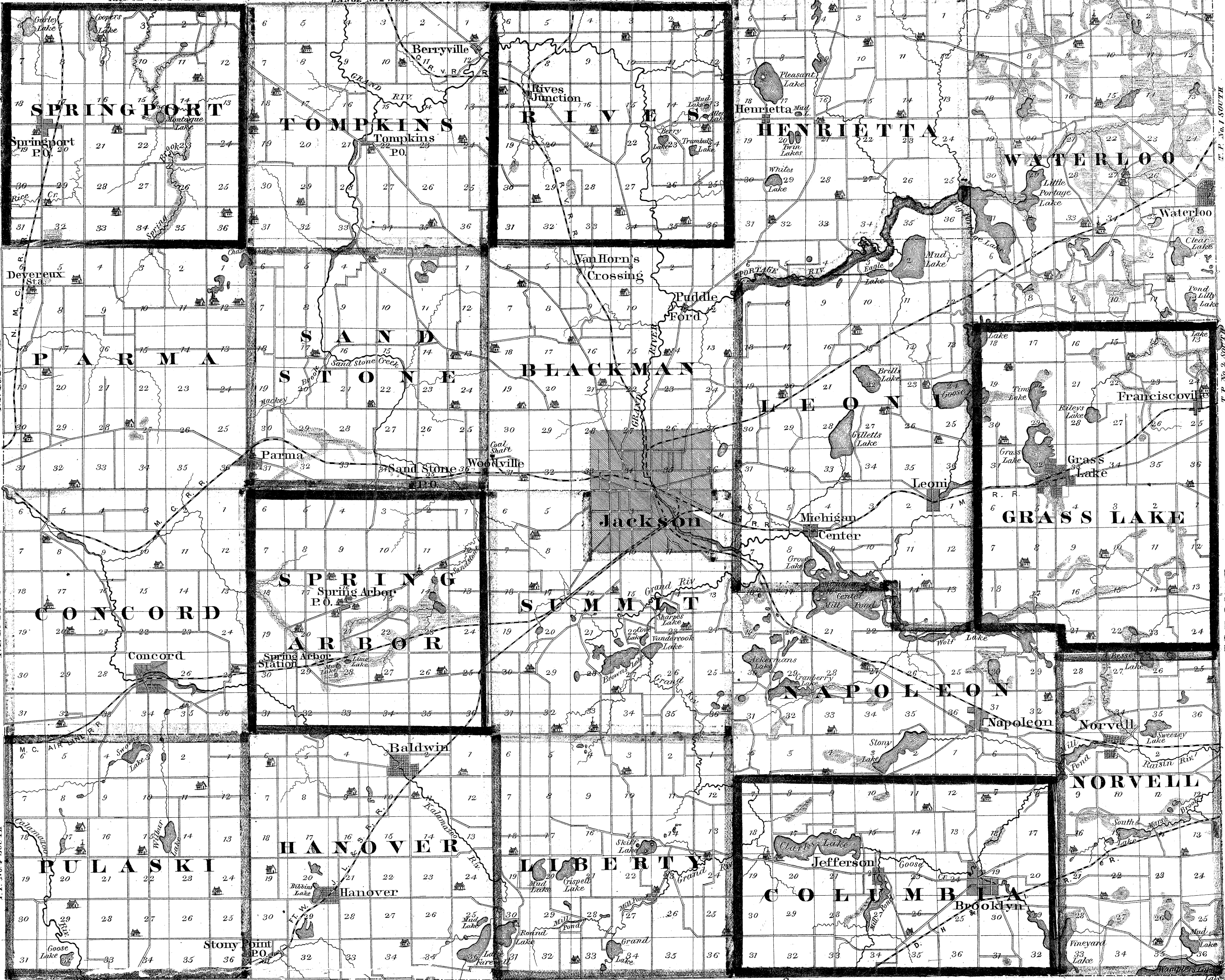
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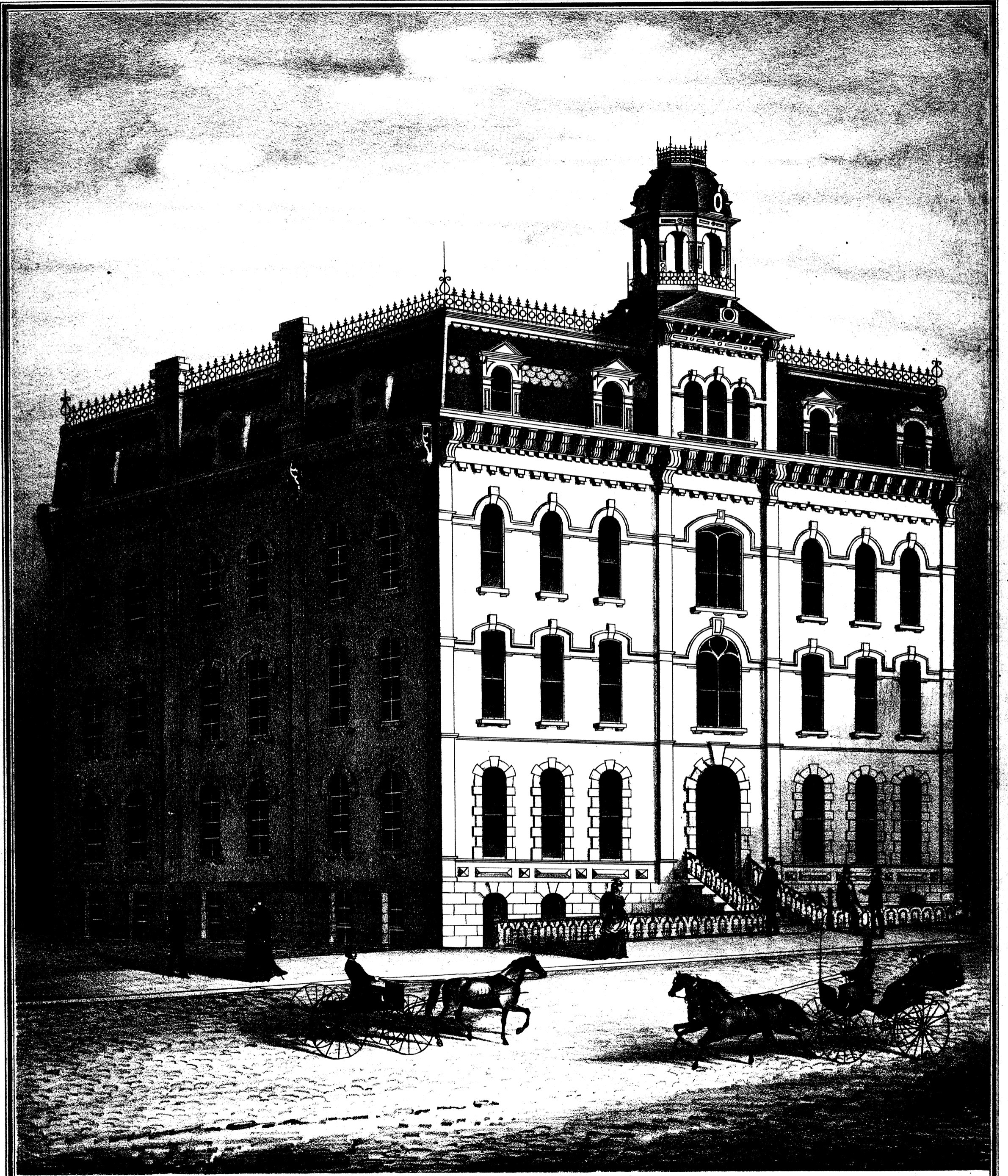
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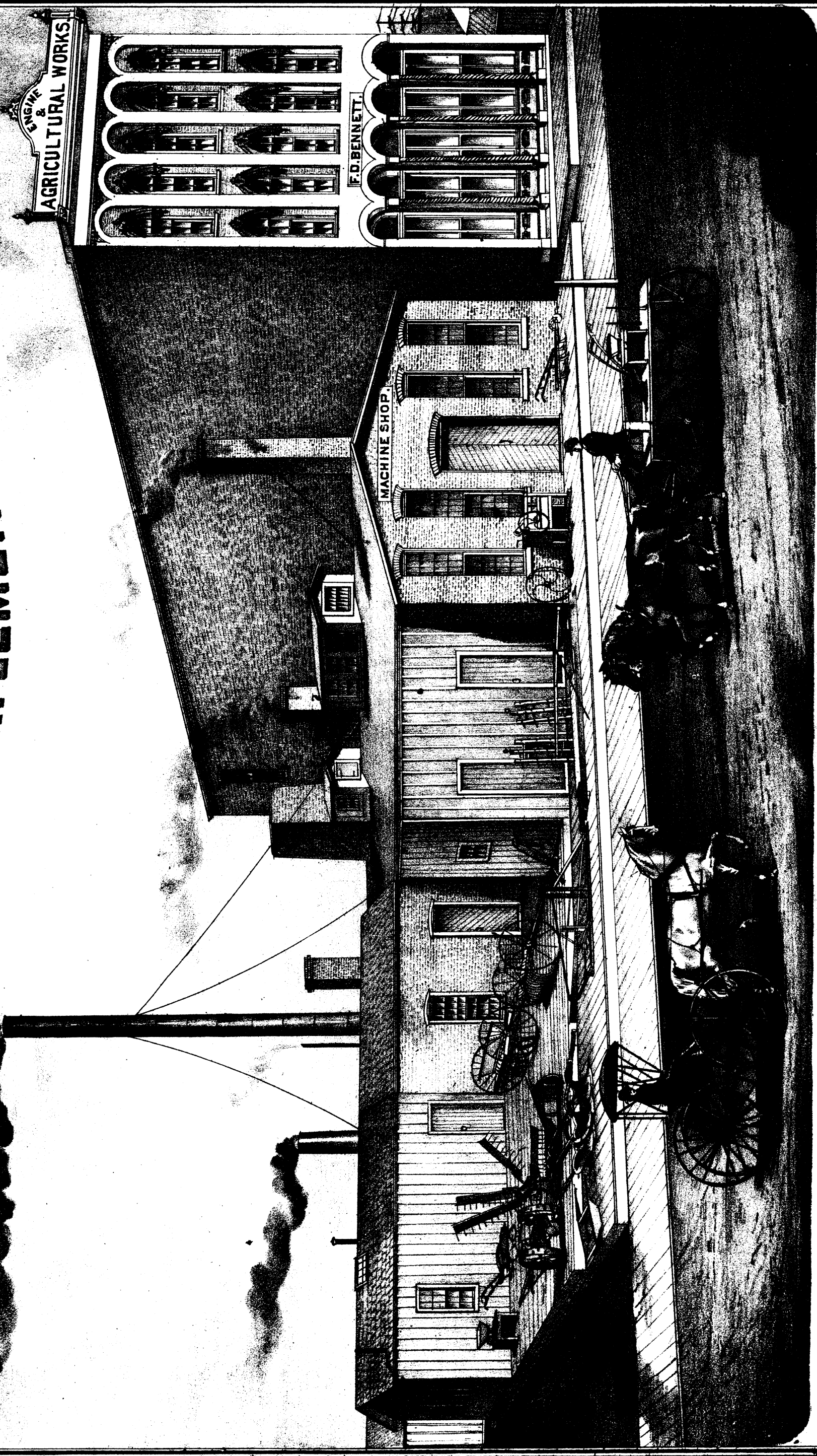
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# HISTORY OF JACKSON COUNTY.

## EARLY SETTLEMENT.

PREVIOUS to the year 1829, there was not a vestige of civilization in Southern Michigan a dozen miles west of the little hamlet known as Ann Arbor. Central and Western Michigan, with all their magnificent resources, were almost wholly unknown, save to a very few, who, in the employment of government, as surveyors, or protectors of the little settlements about Detroit, were sometimes compelled to traverse portions of the interior, or to the adventurous Indian traders, who, however, had little care for aught save their trading-posts and their lucrative traffic with the savage tribes. Occasionally the Governor, with his aids and a few troops, would penetrate the deep recesses of the Territory to make treaties with the Indians; but to the people of the populous Eastern States these fertile lands and richly-stocked mines of mineral wealth were all unknown, and the swarming cities and richly-cultivated farms that now spread over this section of the State were undreamed of by the wildest schemer of the age.

In the latter part of June, 1829, Mr. Lemuel Blackman arrived in the little settlement of Ann Arbor with his son Horace. Mr. Blackman had come from New York for the purpose of finding a location in the West, and having acquaintances in Ann Arbor, then a little village of four or five hundred inhabitants, three or four stores, and two "public houses," he stopped a few days before going into the roadless wilderness to the west of the place. But being taken sick here he was unable to go on farther, and sent his son, Horace Blackman, to select a site for their future residence.

Mr. Horace Blackman gained what information he could from his friends in relation to the interior country, and, having made arrangements for the bold journey, and provided himself with the company and services of Captain Alexander Lavery and Pe-wi-twa, a Potawatamie Indian, he set out on the second day of July, 1829, for his destination, following the Indian trail, being assured by the Potawatamie that in the region of Grand River (Washtenong-sepe) he would find a beautiful and fertile country.

Possessed with an indomitable will and unflagging energy, with all the striking characteristics of an adventurous pioneer, and inspired by the hope and purpose of establishing a home in the wilderness for himself and family, Mr. Blackman was enabled to endure the fatigues of that trying journey, under the scorching rays of a July sun, sometimes wading wet and quaking marshes, fording creeks and rivers, penetrating swamps and morasses, and anon coming upon long stretches of oak openings clear of underbrush, covered with long, waving grass, and strewn with flowers of rich and varied hues.

About six o'clock on the second day they reached the Grand River, the goal of their efforts; crossed the stream at the fording place on the great trail running from Detroit to the mouth of the St. Joseph River, and encamped on the ground near the intersection of Jackson and Trail Streets, on the evening of July 3, 1829.

In this way, forty-five years ago, the first settlement was made in this now thickly-settled county, for these men proved to be but the advance-guard of a vast army of emigrants who were soon to overrun Central and Southern Michigan.

The next morning being the 4th, an impromptu celebration was had, which consisted of a salute from three rifles, a dinner prepared by Captain Lavery for the occasion, and toasts washed down by breakers of river water. The celebration over, the explorers began to take measures to "spy out the land." The more they saw the better were they satisfied, and Blackman's choice was soon made. He "stuck his stakes" upon the southeast quarter of section 34, town 2, south of range 1, west. He discovered that this place was a favorite camping-ground of the Indians, and had been for a great length of time. Some nine or ten trails from different points met here, and not far from where he had pitched his tent, the St. Joseph trail divided: one branch, known as the Washtenaw trail, taking a southwesterly direction, and leading to Chicago, via White Pigeon and the southern portion of the Territory; the St. Joseph trail leading almost due west to Lake Michigan. Evidences of Indian occupation of the soil in the vicinity were apparent. On a piece of ground near the present site of the Congregational Church there had been a cornfield a year or two before. An Indian cemetery was on the west bank of the river, near the fording place of the St. Joseph trail, but the nearest existing village was at Spring Arbor.

Blackman learned from the Indian guide that on the bank of a lake, several miles northeasterly from this place, a half-breed, called Baptiste Boseau, kept a small trading-post for the Indians.

Blackman, after a careful survey of the location, decided that the future county seat of the county next west of Washtenaw would be located here on the Grand River, and even dreamed that it might some day become the capital of the future State. Mr. John T. Durand is at the present day living upon the site selected at this time by Mr. Blackman as his future residence.

After a short sojourn in the wilderness, the party returned to Ann Arbor; and from there Blackman at once went to Monroe to obtain the duplicate for his patent from the government, this duplicate entitling the holder to a deed whenever called for. Horace Blackman was joined at Ann Arbor about this time by his brother Russell, who had come on from New York, and the two, with some hired men obtained at Ann Arbor, came out to "Blackman's location," put up a log cabin, and covered it, preparatory for use the following spring. Blackman then returned to New York, leaving his brother Russell at Ann Arbor to look after matters at Grand River, intending to return in the spring with his family and a colony of settlers.

In the fall of the same year, the initiatory period of our history, two other adventurers found their way to the Washtenaw Valley, and in looking upon this land, found that it was good. These were John Daniels and Isaiah W. Bennett. Mr. Daniels, however, made but a short tarry, and returned to New York, but returned in May following (1830), and purchased 480 acres of land in section 33, town 3, south of range 1, west. Mr. Bennett, however, remained in Ann Arbor, and as he subsequently became one of the original proprietors of the town site, it is supposed that he must have been favorably impressed with the desirableness of the location as the site for a future city.

It was during the winter of 1829-30, that the Legislative Council in Detroit passed an act setting off a new tier of counties along the trails above spoken of, west of Washtenaw County, to Lake Michigan, as follows: Jackson, Calhoun,

Kalamazoo, and St. Joseph. Jackson County was to contain an area of 720 square miles, being twenty-four miles north and south, and thirty miles east and west; and "Blackman's location" was thus brought within one-half mile of the geographical centre of the county, and at the same time within twelve miles of the centre of the Territory of Michigan, according to the United States survey, which seemed to fix it as the site of the future State Capital.

A road was also authorized by the council, afterwards known as the TERRITORIAL ROAD, running through this tier of counties, which opened a route for emigrants, some distance north of but running almost parallel with the military, or, as it was better known, the CHICAGO ROAD, leading from Detroit to the fort on the Chicago River.

This new road branched off from the "Chicago road" at a point then known as "Sheldon's Corners" in Wayne County, and, running westerly, terminated at the mouth of the St. Joseph, on Lake Michigan, very closely following the St. Joseph trail. The Commissioners who were appointed to locate this road were Colonel Orrin White, Jonathan F. Stratton, and Seeley Neale of Washtenaw County.

Mr. Stratton was appointed surveyor. The Commissioners immediately entered upon the discharge of their duties, rightly judging that the winter season would be the most favorable time to make the survey, when the streams and marshes would be frozen over. Accordingly, making ample arrangements for the work, and supplying themselves with tents, tools, provisions, ax-men, a marker and guide, they set out on the first day of January, 1830, to establish that great road, of such immense value to the pioneer, and so soon to be traversed by myriads of emigrants, and dotted with "clearings," farms, hamlets and villages along its entire route—that highway known throughout the country as the "territorial road," which opened a way for the settler to the splendid and fertile lands along its route, and which was of such immense benefit to the territory generally.

Previous to this, there was no road except the Chicago road west of a little distance this side of Ann Arbor, and, therefore, all the region this side of that little hamlet was almost a "terra incognita," surrounded by mythic terrors.

The Commissioners commenced their work at Sheldon's Corners as above stated, and reached Ann Arbor on the 7th of January. Here they were joined by several citizens of the place, among whom were Isaiah W. Bennett, Alexander Lavery, Samuel Von Fossen, William Hunt Russell, Henry Rumsey, Zenas Nash, Jr., and Edward Clark, who volunteered to accompany them as far as the Grand River, and assist in opening the road, removing obstructions, and in doing such work as was practicable at that season of the year. At night great fires were made by felling trees into heaps, firing them, and with tents and blankets they kept themselves warm, though the snow was a foot deep in the woods.

On the morning of the 14th they reached "Blackman's location," and took shelter in the one lone log house put up by Blackman the fall previous. This house was "unchinked" and without doors or windows, but had a roof on, and the party were obliged to cut their way into the primitive dwelling. Tents were hung up to keep out some of the wind and cold. The party remained here two nights, and before the volunteers parted with the Commissioners it was resolved to hold a "convention" and name the "village." Mr. Rumsey was called to the chair (a log), filling the position with dignity and grace; Messrs. White and Stratton were appointed a committee to report a name, and "retiring," after due deliberation, came in and made their report that the village should be called "JACKSONBURGH." The report was accepted, and adopted with nine cheers. Some of the best things in the "Commissary Department" were brought out, and the occasion was duly celebrated until an early hour the next morning.

A little after daybreak the Commissioners made ready their preparations for their western journey, and the volunteers for their return to Ann Arbor. Only a quart of flour was left in the larder of the latter party, and this was the last of their provisions. The idea that they had a tramp of thirty miles before them, through snow over a foot in depth, in order to obtain food, was not a cheering one; but they put their flour into the frying pan, wet it with water, cooked it, and this "unleavened" bread they divided into eight pieces, each one of the party taking one share. The cattle, that had picked up what they could for a living for several days, were yoked to the wagon, the "traps" were loaded in, and with an early start the "train" moved on their weary journey to Ann Arbor, crossing streams, and, after getting so wet and cold that it seemed as though they would perish, they finally reached Clement's and McCarty's, a few miles west of Ann Arbor, late at night, completely worn out with fatigue and hunger. But being more comfortable here, they were enabled to continue their journey the next day, and reached home in good spirits.

The Commissioners continued their work as far west as Kalamazoo, when, their provisions failing, they were obliged to abandon their work, and striking across the country to White Pigeon on the Chicago road, they returned home, and did not complete the survey of the road west of Kalamazoo until the next fall.

In 1830 the population of the little settlement rapidly increased. Early in the spring of that year a company arrived from Ann Arbor, consisting of Isaiah W. Bennett, William R. Thompson, Benjamin H. Packard, E. W. Morgan, and Chaney C. Lewis, who immediately located land. They generally chose the west side of the river, especially that part adjoining the Blackman purchase. In March, 1830, the original plot (Thompson, Bennett, and Packard, proprietors) of the village was laid out on the west side of the Grand River, extending from Trail Street on the north to Franklin Street on the south, and from Mill Street running along the bank of the east to the quarter-post line of sections 33 and 34, and townships 2 and 3 south range, 1 west, containing about 150 acres.

The plan was regular,—all the principal streets crossing at right angles, forming the whole into blocks and squares, and subdivided into lots of 4 by 8 rods. Public alleys one rod in width ran through the entire plan once in eight rods, parallel with the streets, so that every lot was accommodated with a street in front and an alley in the rear. This plan has been fully carried out, and the essential features of the OLD VILLAGE are prominent to-day. In the centre was a public square of 484 rods through which were to run the two principal streets, forming the base and meridian line: Main, or St. Joseph Street, as a base, and Jackson Street as the meridian line, crossing Main Street at right angles in the centre of the square. Only the northwest quarter of this square is open now, the balance having been vacated by order of the Circuit Court.

Horace Blackman, through the agency of his brother, Russell, became a partner in this plot in compromise for some lots which Thompson & Bennett desired to obtain, immediately north of Blackman's purchase on the river, with a view of obtaining the water-power on the river, and involving a portion of Blackman's purchase.

It was the purpose of the Ann Arbor Company to get the start of Horace Blackman, who was expected to arrive soon with a picked company from the East. Thompson & Bennett therefore determined to erect a mill at once, above Blackman's property, and a number of hands were engaged at Ann Arbor, and were soon on the spot. Among those who came for this purpose were Louis Gillett and wife, Jos. Case and wife. Mr. Case was to do the blacksmithing for the colony, and Mr. Gillett and wife to board the hands.

Mrs. Case and Mrs. Gillett were the first white women that came into the County. Mr. John Wickham, millwright, and Mr. Carriff worked on the mills, and Messrs. Hiram Thompson, a brother to W. R. Thompson, George Mayo, S. Town, and Jason Barlow constituted the "gang" employed by Thompson & Bennett.

These people all lived in the Blackman house until they were able to build another, which they did very soon,—this second house being a large double log house with two rooms, and was occupied by Thompson & Bennett for a number of years as a tavern.

The plot of the village having been surveyed by Mr. Stratton, the sale of the lots commenced. They were offered at low figures, with the proviso that the purchasers should immediately build upon and occupy them. Sales were made to Messrs. Stratton, Gillett, Case, Wickham, Carriff, Mills, Prusia, and others, who had lately come in, and the beginning thus made was full of promise to the village proprietors.

Soon after, the Commissioners appointed by the Legislative Council located the County seat of Jackson County in the Village of Jacksonburgh, and the action of the Commissioners was confirmed by Gov. Cass, who issued his proclamation, establishing the County seat.

On the 27th of May, Horace Blackman returned with a company of colonists, consisting of his father's family, Lemuel Blackman, three sons and two daughters, Elizur B. Chapman and wife and brother-in-law, and Wm. R. Deland, wife, and two children. This party came up the lake on the steamboat "Wm. Penn," and were five days in coming from Buffalo to Detroit. There was for a time a good deal of crowding for household room in the new place; but the weather being fine, and the men practiced and full of resources, they were not long in increasing the number of dwellings, and providing roofs and shelter for the incoming population.

About this time settlements were made in other parts of the County, to which we shall allude more particularly as we approach the township histories.

These early settlers lived on the most friendly terms with the Indians, who were for a number of years a great help and support to the people of the new County.

The tribe most numerous among the Indians here were the Potawatamies. These had less of the Indian characteristics than most other tribes of Indians. They were more domestic in their personal habits, less warlike. They, however, took great pride in decking themselves in gay costumes and colors, and their ponies used to be arrayed with bells, ornaments, and fanciful trappings. But though of a domestic turn of mind, and following agricultural pursuits and the excitement of the chase, they were very brave. Their territory extended from the southern portion of Michigan into Illinois and Wisconsin. The Ottawas also held portions of the southern part of the State, and frequently came to Jackson. They are an older tribe of Indians, and have a more conspicuous history. Between the Ottawas and Potawatamies the best of feeling always existed, the latter holding the former in great respect.

Pontiac was an Ottawa, and is said to have belonged to some of the tribes of western Michigan, near the lake. The title of the Indians to their lands in Michigan was extinguished by treaty, several years previous to the time of which we write, though at that date many of the race still lingered around their happy hunting-grounds. In 1840, government removed them west of the Mississippi.

Though the first season was very healthy here, the colony had a supply of physicians. Dr. Samson Stoddard, now of Concord, the first physician in the County, arrived in September, with others, and in November, Dr. Oliver Russ, of Hartland, Vt., arrived. The latter erected a log house on the northwest corner of Van Buren and Jackson Streets soon after he came.

Both Dr. Stoddard and Dr. Russ were intelligent and well-educated physicians, and attended to the physical well-being of the colony. Dr. S. remained a number of years in Jackson, and bore a prominent part in the history of the place, and was elected the first County Clerk.

Dr. Russ is still remembered by all old residents as a kind-hearted, genial, able physician, and an excellent neighbor. We have mentioned about the house he built in 1830. The following spring he erected a log house on the east side of the Grand River for his brother, Nathan Russ, who came with his family in 1831. The doctor was a man full of resources, and ready for any emergency. The boards used for making the doors of this house were carried by the doctor on his back, from Bennett's mill, more than a mile away, he crossing the river at Main Street, on a log bridge. He visited, professionally, every house in the County in 1831-4. In 1832, there being several cases of cholera in the little settlement of Marshall, he was sent for, and traveled there and back on foot. Dr. Russ combined with his professional ability the art of making shoes, and we have it on good authority that he made the first pair of shoes in Jackson County, for little Miss Emeline Thompson. The doctor's modest and unpretending house had one distinguishing characteristic, by which it was known at home and abroad,—the doors were painted red. He continued his practice until his death, in 1846.

The first merchant in Jackson was a Mr. Jesse Baird, who came in the summer of this year, bringing with him a small remnant of a stock of goods which he had had in Ohio. It was a very small affair, and he was not long in selling out. Mr. Hogan soon after came in and opened a store in Mr. DeLand's house, keeping a miscellaneous stock of dry goods, groceries, hardware, etc., such as is usually found in a country store. His first frame store was built in 1831. It becoming necessary that the settlement should have a tribunal of justice, as the population

was so rapidly increasing, a public meeting was held in October, and the citizens unanimously selected Mr. Wm. R. DeLand as a proper person to fill the position of magistrate. Governor Cass sent him his commission in the following February, the commission bearing the date of February 8, 1831—and was the first issued to any officer in Jackson County. The new justice appointed Mr. Horace Blackman as a special constable to serve processes. In the winter of 1830-31 the county was organized into one township, called Jacksonburgh, and attached to Washtenaw County for judicial purposes. Over sixty settlers came in 1830; most of them remained, though but very few are now living, at least in this County.

About twenty houses were erected during the summer and fall. Farms were commenced upon a small scale, and during the season quite a supply of corn and "truck" was raised.

The first ground broken in the county was by the Blackman's, on a flat between Blackman's Creek and Ganson Street. This had been an old Indian cornfield. Messrs. Durand, Laverty, Lewis, Daniels, Pease, and Roberts each cleared up fields, and sowed them to wheat in the fall, which yielded well the following harvest, the product being a great help to the settlement. DeLand, Blackman & Co. cut this season nearly eighty tons of hay on marsh land three miles up the river. In September the dam was completed, and the mill made ready for sawing out lumber.

Mr. A. W. Daniels, who came in September, 1830, erected a log house on the land which his father, John Daniels, had located, and has remained there ever since. This farm is situated just west of the present city limits, on the old Territorial Road. It was one of the first, if not the first farm began in the County. He purchased a yoke of cattle in Detroit, came to Ann Arbor with them, and then hired a wagon, loaded it with provisions and farming implements, and came to Jackson. Subsequently his father, John Daniels, sent him some fruit trees from Bethany, New York. He had to go to Detroit for them, and in returning with the trees, in crossing the river at the ford his load stuck in the mud, and he was obliged to leave the wagon "mired" until the next day, when he obtained assistance to bring it out of its Styxian bed.

It was about this time that the people of Jackson, finding that the "tide of emigration" was on the increase, decided that it was their duty as enterprising citizens to provide for the comfort of the travelers as far as possible, and sent out a party who bridged the several streams to the east, erecting a pole bridge over the Grand River at the Trail Street crossing. And these were the first beginnings of road work in Jackson County. In the village at that time there were no streets, people going about without much regard to right angles.

The stakes of the surveyor had been stuck, and in some places log houses had been erected on a line, but the course of travel was not directed by arbitrary lines. For several years Jackson was a mere huddle of houses in a wide wilderness, encroaching upon the squatter rights of beasts of prey.

There were only two cases of sickness in 1830, viz., Mr. Hiram Thompson and Mr. George B. Cooper. Both were attacked with chill fever, and were the first here to become acquainted with that subsequently almost universal disease known as "fever and ague," the scourge of the new settlement, and which for many years made the name of Michigan synonymous with the disease itself. It was not until a year or two later that the disease became prevalent in the colony.

Before the close of the year 1830, Jacksonburgh was fully established in all the elements, and many of the institutions, of a perfect well-planned colony.

In the fall of this year a post-office was established, Isaiah W. Bennett being commissioned as the first postmaster of the new village. The office was located in a log house, situated near the present site of W. R. & I. C. Reynolds' store. This house Mr. Bennett occupied as an office and residence. The trees and stumps were abundant before all of the buildings, and Main Street west was thickly set with trees and undergrowth.

The mails being light, the duty of distributing and making up did not tax Mr. Bennett's time very much. These mails came in from Detroit once a week, and were at first brought in in a man's hat or coat pocket. Postage in those days was very dear, being twenty-five cents for letters, and even at this rate the postmaster's percentage was very small. Mr. Bennett held the office until 1834, when he was succeeded by Mr. Coleman, who served until his death, in 1836, when he was succeeded by Mr. George B. Cooper. Mr. Cooper removed the office to his store, the ground afterwards occupied by the Porter Block. Subsequently it was removed to a place one door east of the Court House. Mr. Cooper held the position of postmaster until the summer of 1846, when he was succeeded by Wilbur F. Storey.

Soon after the post-office was established Mr. George Mayo made a contract with the government to carry the mails from Detroit to Jackson. He at first went on horseback, but after the road was made passable, drove a coach or wagon of some kind. West of Jackson, through Marshall, Gull Prairie, and Prairie Rouge to White Pigeon, the Government of the United States supplied a mail, for three years from the summer of 1831, once a week, the mail being carried on horseback or on foot; when the streams were high and the roads bad, and when there were no post-offices along the route, the mail-carrier delivered to settlers such letters as were intended for them, and received others in return as he passed along, thus becoming both postmaster and carrier. At first his coat pocket or hat-crown afforded ample accommodations for his trust, mail-bags being unnecessary. A man named Darling, of Mal's Prairie, in Calhoun County, was the first carrier west of Jacksonburgh. He was succeeded in 1832 by Lucius Barnes, of Gull Prairie, the mail being then carried in a covered wagon, the contract specifying that mode of conveyance. Thus was established the first stage line from Jacksonburgh to Kalamazoo and Prairie Rouge, via Gull Prairie, an office having been established at Kalamazoo on the 14th of July, 1832, by an order of Amos Kendall, Postmaster-General. Barnes was bought out in 1836 by W. R. Thompson and Wadsworth, of Jackson.

During the year 1836, so noted for the great land sales, the amount of travel to Kalamazoo increased very greatly. To accommodate this travel, Messrs. Thompson and Wadsworth decided to put on the route a line of coaches, and the summer of this year (1836) the first stage-coach was run through to Kalamazoo. In 1840 Zenos Tillotson succeeded Messrs. Thompson and Wadsworth on the route from Jackson to Kalamazoo. The same year the route to St. Joseph was let to Tillotson, Davis and Patrick.

Patrick was also, from some accounts, interested with Tillotson in the Jackson and Kalamazoo route. Patrick was the local manager of the St. Joseph road, with headquarters at Papaw. In 1838 a line of stages was established between Adrian and Jackson, P. Stone, of Adrian, and Ring and Hibbard, of Jackson, being the proprietors. Their old advertisement may be of interest to the reader:

"Through by daylight. Leaves Jackson every day on the arrival of the western stages, and Adrian every day on the arrival of the cars from Toledo. By this arrangement passengers from Toledo will find comfortable conveyance across to the Detroit and St. Joseph road at Jackson, where they meet the daily line of stages. This is also the best route from the south and east in the Ionia Land office, to Eaton and Ingham County seats, to the rapids of Grand River, to Kalamazoo and the mouth of the St. Joseph River."

The Jackson Exchange was the stage-office of this line. We have not been able to ascertain definitely when the lines east and west became daily, but it was probably in 1836.

John Wickham was the first carpenter who settled in Jackson County, having been employed on Thompson and Bennett's mill; Joseph Case, with his forge in the open air, and his coal the shaggy bark of the hickory tree,—an excellent substitute when charcoal was not at hand,—was the pioneer blacksmith; there were also mechanics, manufacturers, merchants, professional men, and farmers in the little colony. Messrs. Mills and Prusia, of Ann Arbor, established a tannery here in 1830, but, after having continued two or three years, it was abandoned, and Mr. Gavin's brewery is now standing on the original site. Mr. William D. Thompson, of Batavia, New York, opened a boot and shoe store in 1831; Mr. Klein was the first cabinet maker, Lemuel Woolsey the first turner and chair maker. They were succeeded by John Penson, Mr. Collamer, and others. Mr. Collamer did not settle until 1835, but as he engaged quite extensively in the manufacture of cabinet-ware for those times, he is deserving of mention here.

Mrs. John Wellman was the first maker of garments, having come in the colony in 1830, and commenced her business immediately. A Mr. Champion, who came in 1833, was the first regular tailor; we have already mentioned Mr. Hogan, who kept the first regular store in the village.

The first sermon delivered in Jackson County was in October of 1830, and was addressed to a small congregation in a barn, by Rev. John D. Pierce, a Congregational minister. Mr. Pierce was on his way to Marshall, where he was going to settle, being one of the first white men to locate in Calhoun County. Stopping on his way at the house of Mr. Lemuel Blackman, on Saturday night, Mrs. Blackman learned that he was a clergyman and invited him to preach on the following Sabbath. He accepted the invitation, the neighborhood were immediately notified of the fact, and the barn put in order for the meeting, which was joyfully attended by these pioneers, who had not had the pleasure of listening to a sermon for months.

Mr. Pierce afterwards became Superintendent of Public Instruction in the State, and held other prominent positions of trust. Rev. Mr. Pilcher and Mr. Colclazer were, however, the first regular preachers in Jacksonburgh, being appointed by the Methodist Conference in 1830, as circuit preachers, the Methodist denomination being the first to form a church in the village. In September of this year, 1830, the first child, Sarah Chapman, daughter of Mr. Elizur B. Chapman and the present wife of Squire Putnam, was born. The first death which occurred in the County was a son of William R. Thompson, William D., a lad of about twelve years, who was killed by a falling tree. The next death was that of Mrs. Isaiah W. Bennett, in 1832.

The winter of 1830-31 was quite a trying one to the little colony. Food was scarce and high, and the utmost frugality and care were necessary on the part of the citizens to enable them to get through the winter safely. The Indians became a great aid in furnishing venison, game, and fish. Dr. Russ, this winter, paid as high as twenty-five cents apiece for potatoes. Wolves and bears were quite troublesome. Often they would come up to the door-yard. One old settler tells us that the wolves would come into the yard, climb up to the windows and put their paws upon the window panes and look curiously, greedily, at the inmates of the house. The winter, however, had an end, as all things must, and with its passage came spring-time with its new hopes, bright prospects, and season of promise that the danger of scarcity had forever passed away.

The first township meeting was held at the house of William R. Thompson, in the village of Jacksonburgh, 4th of April, 1831. Politics were at this time a good deal mixed, being divided into three or four distinct parties—"Jackson men," "Adams men," and again subdivided into "Masons" and "Anti-Masons," the two latter being especially antagonistic at this time.

The manner of voting in those days was on the old Democratic basis of voting separately for each office or candidate, until there should be a choice made, and then for the next in regular rotation. If no choice was made on the first ballot, a second was taken, and so on until all the offices were filled. This was the "modus operandi" by which elections were conducted in those early days, and by which the fairest expression of public sentiment was obtained. Being without any township organization it devolved, according to the statutes of the Territory, upon the justice of the peace to call the meeting to order and preside until a moderator and clerk should be chosen, who, after being duly sworn, should constitute, with the justice of the peace, a board of inspectors of election. Mr. DeLand called the meeting to order, and Alexander Laverty was chosen moderator, and Hiram Thompson clerk. The first officer to elect was supervisor. The Masons were confident that they had strength enough to enable them to carry their ticket through; while the anti-Masons were equally confident that the choice would preponderate in their favor. The result of the first ballot was as follows: whole number of votes cast, thirty-one, of which Ralph Updike (anti-Mason) received seventeen, and William R. Thompson (Mason) thirteen, Mr. Updike voting for Captain John T. Durand. Mr. Updike was declared elected. The Masons seeing that they had no hopes of carrying their point, proposed that in the infant state of the community it would be best to establish any party distinctions, but to unite in the choice of the township officers, selecting, irrespective of party, those best qualified, trustworthy, and capable of discharging the duties of the office, having no regard to party feelings or preference. This proposition was generously accepted by the anti-Masons, and the township officers were elected without regard to party.

In the summer of 1831, Miss Silena D. Blackman, now the wife of John T. Durand, Esq., opened a school in her father's (Lemuel Blackman's) house, for the instruction of the younger members of her father's family, and four or five other children who belonged to the colony. This school was continued the next summer at the house of Mr. E. B. Chapman, and soon after Miss Blackman taught school in a building that had been used for a store. That first public school was held in the fall of 1832, and the building stood on block No. 11 Main Street.

The first school-house was contracted for by the township authorities in the year 1832, but the person who took the contract ran away without completing the work. Miss Blackman's school was a private one, begun more for the purpose of educating her brothers and sisters than anything else. At the close of her third term she had about twenty scholars.

This was, however, the beginning of the great work of educating the young, which has been carried on so successfully that to-day Jackson schools rank among the best in the State.

The year 1831 was less stirring than that of 1830. Considerable additions were made to the little hamlet, now very widely known by its own christened name of Jacksonburgh, or by its other cognomen, for which it was indebted to the post-office department, Jacksonopolis. This latter name was inscribed upon all letters and newspapers carried in the mail bags for our early settlers, the department finding it necessary to give the new post-office in the wilderness a distinctive appellation to avoid confusion, there being at that time so many towns named after "Old Hickory." The *opolis* and *burgh*, however, were dropped in 1835-6, and simply *Jackson* has since remained, and doubtless ever will, the title of the city.

There were more settlers who came this year to the County for the purpose of locating farms than of the class who preferred village life, consequently many clearings and improvements were made, and the County began to assume a more promising appearance. Jackson, however, lost nothing by this. It was the com-

mercial centre, and all who took up land or made improvements had to report to the village, and pay tribute to the mechanics and merchants there.

The first road recorded as having been surveyed and established was one leading from Jackson to Spring Arbor. Mr. John T. Durand was the surveyor of those days. Roads were from that time on opened and worked as the necessities of travel seemed to demand; though, of course, it took a long time to do the work thoroughly. The Indian trails to the different sections of the County and beyond were the early roads, and nearly all our oldest highways are laid very nearly upon these once deeply-worn and smooth tracks. The absence of township records has prevented our giving data on this point.

In 1832 there were two causes of excitement which agitated the little settlement deeply,—the prevalence of cholera at the east, and even west, the village of Marshall having been afflicted, and the Black Hawk war. By the latter event a company all of Southern Michigan was kept in a state of constant agitation. A company was formed in Jackson, under command of Captain O. H. Fifield, consisting of about thirty men. They rendezvoused at Blackman's tavern, which in this way gained the appellation of Fort Blackman. The news came soon, however, informing the settlers of the death of Black Hawk, and they turned their attention to peaceful pursuits.

The first couple in the County were married by Judge DeLand. The gentleman's name has been forgotten, but the lady was a Miss Riley.

Capt. John T. Durand and Silence Blackman next followed their example, and from that time men have been marrying and given in marriage.

## ORGANIZATION OF COUNTY.

The Legislative Council in January 26th, 1832, among the counties organized that of Jackson, under the following statutes:

Section 1 provides "that the County of Jackson shall be organized from and after the taking effect of this act, and the inhabitants thereof entitled to all the benefits, to all the rights and privileges to which by law the inhabitants of the other counties of the territory are entitled."

Section 2 provides "that all suits, prosecutions, and other matters now pending before the courts of record of Washtenaw County, or before any justice of the peace of said County of Washtenaw, shall be prosecuted to a final judgment and execution, and all taxes heretofore levied, or which may hereafter be levied, for the year 1832, shall be collected in the same manner as though the said County of Jackson had not been organized."

"The act to take effect and be in force on and after the 1st day of August, 1832."

The boundaries and limits were declared some time before this. By an act passed March 5th, 1834, the Courts of the County were established:

Section 6 providing "that the terms of the Circuit Court shall be held in the County of Jackson, on the Tuesday after the first Monday in June and December."

In 1836 the State government did a large amount of preliminary work for the different towns and counties. In an extended act for the laying out of various State roads we find the following concerning Jacksonburgh:

"Section 21. There shall be laid out and established a State road from the village of Adrian, in the County of Lenawee, running northerly to the State road from Clinton to Jacksonburgh, at or near Elba Post-office, in Washtenaw County, intersecting the Chicago Road at or near Nelson's tavern."

"Section 32. There shall be laid out and established a State road from Jacksonburgh, the County seat of Jackson, by the most direct and eligible route, to Howell, the County seat of Livingston County, and that Wm. R. Thompson, Oliver Russ, and George B. Cooper be, and are hereby appointed commissioners for that purpose. That there shall be laid out and established in the County of Jackson a State road through the centres, as near as may be, of the Counties of Ingham and Shiawassee to Saginaw, and that Daniel Coleman, David Scott, and Wm. R. Thompson be and are hereby appointed commissioners.

"Approved July 26th, 1836."

The first court held in the County of Jackson was on the third day of June, 1832, and we find the following from the journal entry:

"At a session of the Circuit Court of the Territory of Michigan, held in and for the County of Jackson, on Monday, the 3d day of June, A.D. 1833, pursuant to law, at the Court House in said County, were present Hon. Wm. A. Fletcher, Presiding Judge, and Wm. R. DeLand, Assistant Judge. The Circuit Court for the County was opened by the sheriff, when the commissions of the presiding and associate judges were read in open court. These commissions were signed by Gov. G. B. Porter and Secretary Stevens T. Mason, of the Territory of Michigan, dated at Detroit, April 23d, 1833. O. Hawkins was appointed district attorney for the term, and S. Stoddart was the clerk."

The first case before the court was that of Abel Millington vs. Sanford Marsh and Daniel D. T. Warner, in action of trespass on the case, which continued in litigation until January 13th, when it was discontinued by the plaintiff, the costs amounting to \$6.31½.

The first criminal case was the United States of America vs. William Savacool, indicted for larceny. The prisoner pleaded "not guilty," was tried by jury and found guilty, and sentenced "to imprisonment in the goal of the County of Washtenaw, at hard labor, for the period of three calendar months from this day, and that he pay the costs of this prosecution, and that he stand committed until this sentence be complied with."

The following persons composed the first Grand Jury: Zenas Fuller, Lemuel Blackman, Jonathan Wood, John Laverty, William D. Thompson, Solomon Brill, Wesley W. Laverty, Samuel Wing, Hiram Austin, Nathan Russ, Abel Barrett, William Pool, Nathan Z. Latimore, Caleb M. Chapel, Isa Kellogg, Timothy Williams, Esq., Kiel T. Critchet, Russell Blackman, James Jacobs, William H. Pease, William P. Warden, Charles Herrington, Elizur B. Chapman. Solomon Brill was appointed foreman.

The first Petit Jury was composed of the following persons: Nathaniel Bayn, Moses Bayn, George Woodworth, Edward Morrill, Aaron Evans, John Daniels, Joseph Case, Alexander Laverty, Isaac Carrier, Joseph Sutton, John Eamon, Ethan Allen, James Fifield, Jeremiah Marion, David Riley, Orrin Gregory, Leander M. Cain, Sanford Marsh, William Worth, Stephen Rowen, Martin Flint, Major D. Mills.

## GEOGRAPHICAL AND TOPOGRAPHICAL.

The County of Jackson is situated on the line of the Michigan Central Railroad, seventy-six miles west of Detroit. It is bounded on the North by Eaton and Ingham Counties, East by Washtenaw, South by Lenawee and Hillsdale, and West by Calhoun. It occupies the highest land in the lower Peninsula, and within its limits flow rivers that run to Lake Michigan on the West, and Lake Erie on the East, the two former being the Grand and Kalamazoo Rivers, and the latter the Huron and Raisin.

It is also the geographical centre of the State, East and West, between the two lakes. There are numerous small streams and quite a number of lakes in the County.

The County is considerably diversified with hills, or rather swells and valleys,

REPRESENTATIVE MEN  
JACKSON COUNTY



*C. Stoddard M.D.*



*L. G. Gauss  
A. W. Buckner*



*S. H. Bristol M.D.*



*L. D. Hawkins*

REPRESENTATIVE MEN  
JACKSON COUNTY



YOURS IN REMEMBRANCE OF THE EARLY DAYS

*A. B. Clark*



*Yours Truly  
J. M. Barber*



*yours Truly  
John F. Parks*



*Yours Truly  
Lewis Snyder, jr*



exhibiting undulations of the surface that are not entitled to the appellation of hills. There are hillocks, swells, and uplands, but they have a longitudinal rather than a vertical projection, and some rich bottom lands. It is in fact a beautiful arrangement of upland and lowland plains. There is still sufficient variety in the irregularity of its surface and the distribution of the water courses, woodlands, plains, etc., to give interest and picturesqueness to its scenery.

The soil is very productive, being a rich, sandy loam, and the altitude of the region embraced in Jackson County, four hundred and eleven feet above the lakes and nine hundred and eighty-nine feet above the sea-level, makes it extremely healthy.

In mineral wealth Jackson is without a rival in the State. Coal, iron, fire-clay, marl, limestone, and other deposits are found in large quantities, and of a superior kind, and these mines of wealth have already added largely to the prosperity of the County. It has twenty townships, and contains a population of thirty-six thousand. Few, if any of the Counties of Michigan, have made such rapid strides in material prosperity as Jackson during the last decade.

Its mineral wealth is being developed, its agricultural resources appreciated, and its grand central position in the Lower Peninsula has attracted to it the best of farmers, the most enterprising of capitalists, and a fine class of inhabitants.

WAR RECORD.

On the receipt of the news of the firing on Fort Sumter, Colonel W. H. Withington, who was at that time captain of a militia company of "Grays," at a public meeting held in Jackson Hall, on Monday evening, April 15, tendered to Governor Blair, who was present, the services of his company for the use of the General Government. The offer was accepted, and the company became a part of the Michigan First, Colonel Wilcox commanding. The company was officered as below:

Captain, W. H. Withington; First Lieutenant, E. B. Griffith; Second Lieutenant, G. C. Lyon; Orderly Sergeant, Newton Haight; Second Sergeant, F. Sharpsteen; Third Sergeant, E. Pomeroy; Fourth Sergeant, M. Webster; First Corporal, George W. Bullock; Second Corporal, J. B. Kennedy; Third Corporal, Marcus Grant; Fourth Corporal, D. C. Welling. The Jackson Grays' Silver Cornet Band became the regimental band of the Michigan First.

September 23, 1861, the "Jackson Blair Cadets," commanded by Captain George Proudfoot,—First Lieutenant, R. S. Cheney, Second Lieutenant, William Minor,—left home for Fort Wayne. The next day, September 24, the Jackson County Rifles left for Fort Wayne, to form a part of the 9th Regiment. They were officered as follows: Captain, Charles V. DeLand; First Lieutenant, Joseph H. Scott; Second Lieutenant, J. Curtis Purdy. Two days after, September 26, the Kellogg Rangers, one hundred and seven strong, left for Grand Rapids, and thence for the front, commanded by Captain J. H. Show; First Lieutenant, M. M. Lattimer; Second Lieutenant, C. E. Brown. Dr. Joseph Tunnicliff became surgeon of the 4th Michigan Regiment.

The latter part of July, 1862, the 20th Regiment was ordered to rendezvous at Jackson. Judge Ficus Livermore was appointed commandant of the camp. The regiment was made up of volunteers from Jackson, Washtenaw, Eaton, Calhoun, and Ingham Counties. It was mustered into service August 19, 1862, and left for the seat of war September 1, ten hundred and twelve strong. This regiment afterwards became a part of the celebrated 9th Army Corps. The 26th Regiment was mustered into service in Jackson, December 12, 1862. These two were the only regiments which were mustered in Jackson, and raised in this section of the State. Several companies, aside from those mentioned above, were sent from here to join other regiments, and no county in the State, in proportion to its population, was more patriotic than Jackson. The total number of men raised by Jackson County during the war is estimated by the adjutant-general to have been three thousand two hundred and thirty-two. The County was represented in every branch of the service,—infantry, cavalry, artillery, navy.

Throughout the war the ladies in Jackson were very active and efficient in giving aid and comfort to the brave men who had left home for "the front." And when the war closed, and Jackson became the rendezvous of many of the returning regiments, the ladies received the weary boys in blue with warm hospitality. The citizens of Jackson will always retain a warm place in their affections for the boys who have suffered so much in defense of the national honor, and the returned soldier will never forget the friendship and kind greetings which he received on his arrival in Jackson from the field of carnage.

All did not return. Many lie on Southern battle-fields, and above the graves of many rest the board with the simple word "unknown." But though they rest in nameless graves, we know that they died in honor, bravely, as soldiers should die, and that their memories can never be forgotten while the nation lives for which they sacrificed their all.

NEWSPAPERS.

The first newspaper, called the *Jacksonburgh Sentinel*, was started in the spring of 1837. It was a very fine, good-looking, twenty-column paper, and set in "Long Primer" throughout, with full-face headings. Was issued every Saturday. There were very few local items of interest in those days. We find, however, in perusing an old copy of this paper, that Jackson was quite a thrifty County as early as 1837. It had 5 grist-mills, 21 saw-mills, 17 merchants; raised 162,599 bushels of wheat, 10 bushels of rye, 63,191 bushels of corn, 93,058 bushels of oats, 3012 bushels of buckwheat; 2702 pounds of flax, 400 pounds of hemp; had 14 493 head of cattle, 971 horses, 889 sheep, and 16,465 hogs.

The first number of the Democratic paper, *The Michigan Democrat*, appeared March 8, 1838. In 1839 there were two semi-monthly publications, in addition to the two weekly papers mentioned above: *The American Freeman* and *Michigan Temperance Herald*. The *Gazette* was started about July, 1841. In 1845 the *Jackson Patriot* was established by R. S. Cheney, and soon after Wilbur F. Storey became its editor. He was appointed postmaster about the same time.

Mr. Storey afterwards became the editor of the *Detroit Free Press*, and is now editor and part owner of the *Chicago Times*. The first number of the *Daily Patriot* was issued in 1848. It did not live long as a daily, however. We find, from the first number, that the telegraphic line was completed through to Jackson in June, 1848.

In September, 1848, the first number of the *Michigan State Journal*, A. A. Dorrance, editor and proprietor, made its appearance. It was a large, handsome-looking sheet, seven columns to the page. The *Jackson Patriot* of May 2, 1849, makes the assertion that it is now the only paper published in the County,—the other papers having all been "starved" out, in all probability. The *Citizen* made its first appearance in August, 1849, A. A. Dorrance and C. V. DeLand proprietors. October, 1850, Mr. DeLand became sole proprietor.

The *Citizen* and *Patriot* have continued to be the leading papers from that day to this, though they have frequently changed hands. The *Citizen*, Hon. James O'Donnell, proprietor and editor, is published in the interest of the Republican party; it is a fine, readable paper, the articles being well written, and the general news carefully arranged and selected. It cannot be called in any sense of the word a sensational paper. Was first issued as a daily in 1864. The *Patriot*, Carlton and Van Antwerp, proprietors and editors, has been issuing both daily and weekly papers for about four years, having been a weekly paper only until that time. It is an able paper, and published in the interest of the Democratic and Liberal parties. Other papers have from time to time started up in various parts of the County, but they have been short-lived and soon forgotten.

SCHOOLS.

Jackson County justly boasts that her public schools are equal to those of any county in the State. Under the able supervision of Professor Irving Bennett, the County Superintendent, the schools throughout the towns of the County have made efficient and praiseworthy progress in the right direction. Still, in some of the towns, a good deal of improvement may be made whenever the people of the districts shall have forgotten that "penny wise and pound foolish" dictum that "it is a saving to hire the cheapest teacher that we can get." The schools in Jackson City, Parma, Grass Lake, and Concord are well graded, and the High School in the former has an extensive reputation for thoroughness and efficiency. We append below a few statistics, gleaned from Superintendent Bennett's last report, which we trust will be of interest to the people of the County.

The College at Spring Arbor, of which mention is made in the history of that township, and a few private and denominational schools in the city, are all that exist at the present time, aside from the above-mentioned public schools.

TOWNSHIP.	Total No. School Districts.	No. Pupils enrolled.	Total No. Teachers.	Total No. Graded Schools.	Total No. School Houses.	No. Districts having Libraries.	No. Vols. in District Libraries.	Total Resources for the year.	Total Wages paid Teachers for the year.	Total Expenditures for the year, including amount on hand.	REMARKS.
Springport	9	302	22	..	9	..	..	\$2,737.81	\$1,770.28	\$2,737.81	Has a very fine Grammar School.
Parma	8	315	17	..	8	3	80	2,516.30	1,651.75	2,516.30	Graded School for the village in Sandstone Township.
Concord	7	414	22	1	7	1	20	5,519.23	2,826.20	5,519.23	High School stands among the best in the County.
Pulaski	7	330	14	..	6	3	..	2,844.42	1,650.25	2,844.42	Free Methodist College located here.
Hanover	6	327	17	..	6	3	137	2,658.34	1,606.75	2,658.34	Graded School includes both Parma and Sandstone.
Spring Arbor	6	188	14	..	6	2	153	1,896.29	981.95	1,896.29	
Sandstone	8	592	16	1	8	2	189	7,947.73	3,416.15	7,947.73	
Tompkins	9	375	24	..	9	3	156	2,636.37	1,394.00	2,636.37	
Rives	9	443	21	..	9	5	221	2,010.50	2,792.89	3,792.89	
Blackman	9	260	17	..	9	5	135	2,692.59	1,119.00	2,692.59	
Jackson City	3	2886	46	2	9	2	1335	30,558.00	25,298.25	30,558.00	Fine High School.
Samont	8	292	17	..	8	..	..	1,826.96	1,102.90	1,826.96	
Liberty	8	292	16	..	8	..	..	2,090.92	1,321.00	2,090.92	
Columbia	7	410	19	1	7	3	269	5,380.50	2,658.95	5,380.50	Graded School in Brooklyn.
Leoni	10	325	15	..	10	..	46	3,360.68	1,603.49	3,360.68	
Henrietta	7	284	15	..	7	3	133	2,208.36	1,207.50	2,208.36	
Washtenaw	11	362	19	..	11	4	193	3,084.84	2,040.00	3,084.84	
Grass Lake	11	496	28	..	11	..	..	6,210.80	5,498.55	6,210.80	Fine High School in village.
Napoleon	6	361	13	1	6	3	197	4,102.08	2,176.00	4,102.08	
Norvell	7	221	13	..	7	..	166	3,102.00	1,128.79	3,102.00	High School in village.

CONDENSED TABLE OF INTERESTING MATTER FROM COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT, JANUARY 1, 1874.

CHURCHES.

We have given in the Township history the various churches in each of the towns, and will only, under this head, mention those that were first organized in and around Jacksonburgh.

The *Methodist Episcopal* is the oldest. It was organized as a class with twelve members in the fall of 1830, under the charge of Rev. E. H. Pilcher and Rev. Mr. Colclazier. They preached once in two weeks for a year, holding their service at the house of William R. Thompson. Services were held at first in the dwellings of the people, and later, in the first school-house which stood on the site now occupied by the Central School building. Later still, and just previous to the erection of their old church, their meetings were held in a little building known as the "pepper-box," built by the Congregationalists. The old church was built in 1851. The society have just completed a new church edifice, which is one of the most costly and beautiful in the State.

The *Congregational Church*. A Presbyterian Church, formed in 1837, was merged into the First Congregational Church, and organized with Rev. Marcus Harrison, pastor, March 6, 1841. This church is one of the finest in the city, and has a very fine organ which cost five thousand dollars, built by Messrs. Hook, of Boston.

The *First Baptist Church*, of Jackson, was organized in 1838, with twenty-five members. Rev. J. Handee was the first pastor. This denomination has also just completed a very fine church edifice on Jackson Street. It is built of brick, with two towers, one of which is surmounted by a tall spire. The church is in a prosperous condition, under the able pastorate of Rev. L. D. Palmer.

The first Episcopal services held in Jackson County were by Rev. S. Freeman and Rev. Richard Berry, in the years 1832-3. From that period until 1838 we have no accounts of any Episcopalian who officiated in this County. The first church edifice was consecrated on the 20th of October, 1840, by Bishop McCoskry, Rev. Charles Fox being rector. The corner-stone of the present church, the *St. Paul's*, was laid 20th of August, 1850, and occupied for the first time, Christmas eve, 1852. This church has been since enlarged somewhat. The *St. John's Church* (Catholic) was erected in 1857. Rev. Father C. Montard is pastor.

The *Universalist Church* and *Hebrew Synagogue* are more recent edifices. There are other denominations in the city who have not yet become strong enough to erect churches for themselves, but who doubtless will in time.

RAILROADS.

The Michigan Central runs directly through the city east and west. The branch of this road called the air line branches off here a little to the south, passing through the village of Concord, while the main line runs through Parma, six miles north of the last-named place. The Michigan Southern (Jackson branch) connects with the main line at Lenawee Junction.

The Grand Rapids and the Lansing roads run on the same track to Rives Junction, and then branch off. The Fort Wayne road takes a southwesterly course, passing through the villages of Baldwin and Hanover.

An extended history of the early completion of some of these roads will be found in another part of this work, connected with the history of Dr. McNaughton.

SOCIETIES.

The City of Jackson has flourishing lodges of Masons, Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, Good Templars, and other kindred societies; the first order instituted in the County being the Masons, in 1838.

There are also lodges in many of the smaller towns of Masons, or Odd Fellows, or both. The new order of "PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY" has only lately sprung up in this County, but there is now a lodge in nearly every town. The following is a list of the granges that has been handed to us:

Sandstone Grange, Sandstone Township; Napoleon Grange, Napoleon Township; Pulaski Grange, Pulaski Township; Norvell Grange, Norvell Township; Springport Grange, Springport Township; Parma Grange, Parma Township; Eureka Grange, Waterloo Township; Champion Grange, Hanover Township; Pleasant Lake Grange, Henrietta Township; Grass Lake Grange, Grass Lake Township; Columbia Grange, Columbia Township; Huton Grange, Concord Township.

The County Council of the "Patrons of Husbandry," organized at Jackson, March 18, 1874, with the following officers:

Allen Crawford, Master; P. E. Pierce, Overseer; A. Avery, Steward; Charles A. Brown, Assistant Steward; A. C. Champlin, Chaplain; J. C. Corect, Secretary; W. H. Smith, Gate Keeper.

MISCELLANEOUS.

We have in the above given as close an analysis of the early settlement and growth of Jackson County as our limited space would allow. A much more extended history could be written from the data which we have had given us by the old settlers and prominent men of the County. Allow us here to acknowledge our gratitude to Captain John T. Durand and wife, Mr. Henry Daniels, Leroy Richardson, Esq., Judge Fenimore, Honorable Austin Blair, Dr. Samson Stoddard, Judge DeLand, Anson Townley, Esq., Joab Bigelow, Esq., Samuel Prescott, Esq., J. P. Wheeler, E. Van Horn, Mr. Austin, and others who have so often aided us with information, without which this history would not have been of great value. We have also gleaned much valuable matter from the County and Town histories published in the directory of Jackson City, by James M. Thomas.

We have aimed in every instance to get simply the facts to present to our patrons, and if errors of dates, names, or incidents have crept in, we can only plead that we diligently sought the truth, and supposed we had found it. Jackson has not yet reached her zenith. There is a glorious future in store for her. Her mineral wealth is far from being exhausted, and the mines around the City of Jackson are destined to be the foundation for the growth of the manufacturing interests of the city, and so of the whole County. And if the citizens of Jackson continue to exhibit the nerve and business enterprise that have characterized the work of the past few years, only time can tell the wonderful progress that will be made in this our beautiful "Central City."

# HISTORY OF THE CITIES, VILLAGES, AND TOWNSHIPS OF JACKSON COUNTY.

## JACKSON CITY.

The early settlement of this City has been minutely described in the County history, and we have only to recount the principal steps that have been taken in an onward direction since the first log house was erected on Trail Street, in 1829.

The history of Jackson is like that of many other towns: slow growth replete with manifold hardships to the pioneers, who had no thought of founding a city, but who were indomitable and untiring in their efforts to clear away the forest, build homes, and make the wilderness bring forth fruit according to its season.

Jackson is beautifully situated on both sides of the Grand River, which runs through the city. It is seventy-six miles from Detroit, and forty miles from Lansing, the State Capital. It is one of the handsomest cities in the West, occupying hills upon the west and east, which easily slope to the river. The business portion of the city is located in the valley, between the hills. The western hills are occupied by splendid residences, with finely-ornamented grounds. The streets are elegant and spacious; the public buildings are the finest to be found in any city of its size in the West, and the business blocks, churches and hotels, manufactories and fine school edifices, evince the fact that the citizens of Jackson have a just pride in their city. In 1860 the population of the city was only about five thousand, while to-day it is not less than sixteen thousand. Six railroads centre here, and as a railroad centre it is without a rival in the State. It has required nerve and prompt action on the part of Jackson business men to secure for their city this preference; but when the hour of action has come, men have always been found who were ready to put their shoulder to the wheel and push the enterprise through.

It was in this way that the "Air Line" road was pushed to completion. The same can also be said of every line that centres in Jackson. The Michigan Central Railroad Company has lately located its shops in the city, and this has brought a large number of people into the place.

Perhaps no city in the State except Detroit can rival Jackson in her manufacturing interests, and in the amount of work in the various branches of industrial art which it turns out. Jackson is rich in mineral, agricultural, and other resources, is admirably located as a manufacturing point, and its natural advantages are superior; being now a great railroad centre, and bound to be the largest in the State, it assures the manufacturers of an extensive range of market, and a ready means of obtaining such supplies as cannot be obtained here.

The Michigan Chemical Company established their works in this city about four years ago; they have fine buildings, are doing a large business, and have added largely to the business interests of the city. Furniture, farming-tools, flouring-mills, tanners and curriers, wagon- and carriage-manufactories, iron-foundries and machine-shops, planing-mills and lumber merchants, marble-works and almost every interest of every branch of business is represented here by active, energetic men, who are establishing a trade for themselves, which not only enriches the proprietors, but is at the same time benefiting the city itself.

In the professions the city is represented at the bar by some of the ablest men in the State. Judges David Johnson, Samuel Higby, Fidus Livermore, and G. Thompson Gridley stand in the very front rank with the leading jurists of the age. Honorable Austin Blair, the war governor of the State, and for years the leading member of the United States House of Representatives from Michigan, has won for himself a world-wide reputation as a pleader at the bar. J. V. Cookingham began business here in the photographic line in 1850, H. A. Steele in 1866; the latter, Steele, has done the photographing for this work, and its execution will commend itself to the favorable notice of all the citizens of the County. Of the public buildings located in Jackson, the Court-House and the New Michigan Central Passenger Depot are worthy of mention; both of these buildings are built of pressed brick. The Court-House is fire-proof, and an ornament to the city. Of the depot we can only say, that in our somewhat extended travels, we have never seen a finer, or one that is a greater ornament to a town.

By an act of the Legislature passed and approved March 3, 1838, the State Prison was located in the northern portion of Jackson. Work was commenced on the prison for the first time in June, 1838; Benjamin Porter was agent, S. W. Stowell, contractor. The first structure known as the "State Prison" was made of tamarack poles, set deeply into the earth, standing upright as thickly together as they could be put, making a continuous and comparatively impassable line around the prison. The only way in which the prison could be reached from the village was by following the course of the river, and stepping from one log to another, and on fallen trees across the numerous small streams. This was the case even as late as 1842. The prison was notoriously known at this time as the "Tamaracks."

Appropriations were made, from time to time, for the completion of the prison, and stone walls about twenty feet in height took the place of the "Tamaracks," and the prison now presents a front five hundred feet in extent, including a three-story centre building, for an officers' and agent's house, and the two wings, containing six hundred and forty cells. The walls of the prison enclose an area of five hundred feet in width and six hundred feet in length, inside of which are erected workshops for the working of convicts at the various manufactures carried on at the prison.

This institution at the present time is all that could be desired for such an institution. The edifice is large, commodious, and good-looking; the main building is of brick, sixty feet front, fifty feet broad, and three stories high, containing offices, etc., with two wings of stone, each two hundred and twenty feet in length, by fifty-seven wide and forty-four feet high. These wings contain cells for the convicts, in four galleries, facing the walls. Back of the east wing is the solitary prison. In the rear of the west wing is the female department.

Furniture, wagons, agricultural implements, boots, shoes, cigars, brooms, etc., are manufactured here in large quantities.

The churches of the City represent almost every known denomination in the world. The Congregationalists, Baptists, and Methodists have new and elegant houses of worship. A short sketch of the churches of the City will be found in the County history, as will also the article on newspapers.

The principal hotels are the *Hurd*, *Hibbard*, and *Union*, while there are numer-

ous other smaller hotels. The old Marion House block is still standing, though it ceased to be a hotel years ago, and has of late been occupied for stores and offices.

A new opera-house has just been completed, which is justly the pride of the citizens. It was erected by Mr. Mosher, the present and popular Mayor of the City, and is called after him, the "Mosher Opera-House."

Jackson is rapidly growing in wealth and prosperity, and will doubtless in a few years become one of the finest and largest commercial inland cities in the West. Nature has done much for the City, and the enterprise of her business men is constantly doing more. There are six banks in the City, all on a firm financial basis, and all doing a good business. The illustrations of business blocks, residences, and stores found elsewhere in this work will give the reader an idea of the thrift and enterprise of the City.

## BLACKMAN.

This Township was for a long time, together with Summit, a part of Jackson, and was only set off into a distinct township on the incorporation of Jackson as a City.

It possesses more mineral wealth than any town in the County. The coal and iron mines near Jackson have been thoroughly tested, and the supply of ore is such as to enable us to say in all safety that the supply cannot be exhausted during the next twenty years. The Town is finely adapted to farming also, and being so near to the Jackson market affords the property-owners in this Town every advantage to market their produce.

Mr. A. W. Daniels, who came into the Town in September, 1830, was the first settler in the Township. Henry Daniels and Wm. R. De Land, now of Jackson, came shortly afterwards. The Township was named after the early settler in the County, Mr. Blackman, and is in its history closely linked with the County history and the history of Jackson City. The same may also be said of the Township of

## SUMMIT.

which lies directly south of Jackson, and which was constituted a distinct Township at the same time that Blackman was.

Summit is justly called one of the finest agricultural regions in the County. Its soil is light, being a sandy loam slightly mixed with clay. It is slightly rolling, has quite a supply of timber, but is mainly under a thorough state of cultivation. The inhabitants of this Town are industrious, thriving, well-to-do farmers, who have by industry and perseverance produced from the rough, stumpy fields which they first occupied, some of the finest farms in the County. Like Blackman, her proximity to the "Central City" gives her inhabitants every opportunity in the world to market their grain and produce.

The Town was first settled in 1831, by some of the early settlers in Jackson, though it is not definitely known just who first located on Summit soil.

## SPRINGPORT.

Ebenezer Brown located the place now occupied by George Landon and known as the "Landon Farm," in 1834, and was the first settler in this Town. Mr. Landon, however, came in, in 1835, and bought the place of Mr. Brown. In the spring of 1835, John S. Comstock and H. Fitz Gerald moved in. Mr. Comstock located his farm in the southeast part of the Town.

The following year the Territory settled up quite rapidly, O. V. Hammond, Edward Ferris, John Oyer, and others finding homes for themselves here. Henry Chase also located the place now owned by Stephen H. Ludlow, either in the fall of 1835 or early part of 1836. Isaiah Whitman located this year (1836) one lot north of the school section. Marcus Harrison built this season the first saw-mill, which was located on Section 26. Among the old settlers who came in about this time or the season following were Isaac B. Gates, David S. Mallery, James M. Jameson, Levi Hoffman, Stephen S. Ludlow, M. S. Brown, and Geo. Landon.

The first Town meeting was held at the house of Isaac B. Gates, on the 2d of April, 1838,—the Township having been organized by act of the Legislature the previous winter. Josiah Whitman was chosen Supervisor, and Wm. V. Morrison Town Clerk.

The first sermon was preached in the Town by Rev. Mr. Harrison, in a large log house, thirty feet square, standing in the road directly in front of the present residence of M. S. Brown.

The first post-office was established in the village of Springport,—"Oyer's Corners,"—in the early part of January, 1838. Augustus Gaylord was the first postmaster. The Cayuga Post-office was established the next spring, and for twenty years Mr. M. S. Brown officiated in that office as postmaster. The Otter Creek and Springport offices are now the only offices in the Town, the former having been opened in 1839, with Daniel Griffith as the first postmaster.

Mr. John S. Comstock, who came, as we have stated above, in 1835, built the first barn that was erected in the Town. He also broke the first piece of land.

Maria J. Comstock, now Mrs. Josiah Whitman, Jr., and a daughter of John S. Comstock, was probably the first person born in the Town.

The first frame school-house was erected in District No. 1, in 1838. The first schools in town were taught by Julia Mallery and Luther H. Ludlow.

The Town is finely adapted to agricultural pursuits, and the farmers throughout the Town have just reason to be proud of their well-cultivated farms and fine substantial homesteads. The soil is a fine sandy loam, slightly mixed with clay in some sections.

The people in the Town take considerable pride in their home institutions and their success in their business, and with a great deal of gratification inform the inquirer that they have neither a grog-shop nor lawyer in Town. The same can be said of the neighboring Town of Tompkins.

## SPRINGPORT VILLAGE,

formerly called Oyer's Corners, is a flourishing little place that has sprung up quite rapidly since the railroad came in. It has some 300 inhabitants, some three dry goods stores, two drug and groceries, a hardware, furniture, agricultural, and a good hotel,—"The Webster House,"—and are all doing a good business.

The Methodist Episcopal denomination has a church here, the only church in

Town, though there are two or three just on the Township lines. There are also two steam mills, and the prospect is good for the future prosperity and growth of this little Village.

We are indebted to S. H. Ludlow, Esq., and M. S. Brown, for much of the information that we have received in relation to this Township history.

## PARMA.

This Township is situated on the line of the Michigan Central Railroad, 86 miles west of Detroit, and ten miles west of Jackson. The Township was organized in 1837 by the Legislature, and named by one of its pioneers from his native village. The first Township meeting was held at the house of John Graham, in April, 1837, at which time John Barnum was elected Supervisor. At a subsequent election, held on the 21st and 22d days of August, 1837, for Representative to Congress, 77 votes were polled in the Township, 41 for Isaac S. Crary and 36 for Hezekiah G. Wells.

What is now known as the Township of Parma was comprehended originally in the district known as Spring Arbor, which included what are now designated the Townships of Pulaski, Hanover, Concord, Spring Arbor, Parma, Sandstone, Springport, and Tompkins. The late Amasa B. Gibson, Esq., of Jackson, was the first, and Hon. Caleb M. Chapel, of Sandstone, the second Supervisor of this portion of Jackson County.

The Township of Parma as it now stands was organized by the Legislature by act No. 31, approved March 11, 1837. Section 37 of said act reads as follows:

"Section 37. All that portion of the County of Jackson designated in the United States survey as Township 2, south of Range 3 west, be, and the same is hereby, set off and organized into a separate Township, by the name of Parma, and the first Township meeting therein shall be held at the house of John Graham, in said Township."

The first land entered in the Township was located by George Ketchum, being the farm now owned by B. F. King, better known as the Barber Place. Here was kept what was known as "Ball's Tavern," the name of the occupant being emblematically made known by a large wooden ball, placed on the top of a tamarack pole. This land was located in 1831, but was not settled upon immediately. The first permanent settler was Elihu M. Gould, who located a farm, now owned by Horace King, in the fall of 1832, and came on with his family June 19, 1833. He was soon surrounded by neighbors, and Parma now took her place among the prosperous and enterprising settlements of Jackson County. Henry Nicholson came in 1835 and located land, and became a settler in 1837.

The first railroad station in this vicinity was opened in 1845, and was known as Gidley's Station.

The surface of this Township is generally rolling, is very well watered, and has a soil unsurpassed in fertility. All crops raised in Michigan are grown here with certainty and in abundance.

The Township is steadily growing in wealth and population, and few towns in the State offer better advantages to the farmer, mechanic, and business man than Parma.

Outside of the Village there is the old Quaker church, which, however, is not now occupied, the sect having become almost extinct in this section, and the Campbell church near the north line of the Town. There are four school districts in the town and six fractional districts.

## VILLAGE OF PARMA.

Parma Village is a pretty and lively place, located mainly on the south side of the Central Railroad, which passes through it. It has a population of nearly 800 people, and is well built-up with excellent private and business houses. It contains three churches, thirteen stores, a lodge of Masons, Odd Fellows, and Good Templars, a Grange, one steam flouring-mill, one sash-, door-, and blind-factory, a splendid union school,—which stands among the best in the State,—and the usual number of shops, etc.

The trades and professions are all well represented, and the place enjoys an excellent reputation as a pleasant abiding-place, and is thrifty, prosperous, and growing.

The Village plat of Parma was made by Mr. James M. Gould, on April 5, 1848. It was first called Groveland. This was, however, changed to the present name in 1849. The Village was not incorporated until December 31, 1864. The first election of Village officers took place in Washington Hall, on the first Tuesday in March, 1865. Parma was for years widely known as Cracker Hill, and even letters for Parma were often so directed.

The first store in Parma was erected by Mr. William Kassick, in 1846. Lyman Warren and Lafayette Fisher were associated in the grocery business, and Mr. Walter Ferguson was also engaged in the same kind of trade at an early day. In 1849 Mr. R. E. Aldrich moved his store here from Gidley's Station, where he had been both postmaster and merchant. J. P. Robbins, Esq., moved his store to Parma the same year, and carried on the manufacture of boots and shoes. Mrs. Zimri Laurence moved in also from Gidley's.

The first warehouse was built by Isaac Cushman, in 1848, the growth of the County in agricultural wealth demanding a place where goods could be stored, and where grain and produce could be exchanged or shipped away.

Levi Summers erected a blacksmith shop in 1849, and Asa Caswell had a shop of the same kind in 1848. The Union church was built in 1851. Dr. R. K. Gibson was the first physician in Gidley's, and Dr. Brown at Parma. Dr. A. B. Crawford and Dr. D. W. Armstrong came shortly after. The Union church mentioned above was owned jointly by the Presbyterians and Methodists, one society occupying the house one week, and the other the next. They continued to worship in this way until 1868, when the Methodists sold out their interest, and erected a very fine brick church. This church is in the Township of Sandstone, as is also the fine High School building. The Baptists have a very good house of worship also.

On the 25th of January, 1866, a great conflagration visited Parma and destroyed much valuable property. The business portion of the Village was entirely destroyed. Since that time, however, the Aldrich Block and other substantial business blocks have been erected, and the place is rapidly growing in wealth and population.

## CONCORD.

Up to 1836 Concord was a part of the town of Spring Arbor, when it was set off into a distinct Township, but included at that date all the territory now comprised within the Townships of Pulaski and Concord. In 1837, the next year, however, Pulaski was made a distinct Town, and the present limits of the Township of Concord were established.

The first settler in the Town was John Acker, who came into the Town in November, 1831, with his family. He remained here alone during the succeeding winter, which soon set in. The following May, Mr. William Van Fossen came and put up his cabin; the following June, Thomas McGee moved into the settlement thus begun, and put up a home for the accommodation of his family. Quite a neighborhood was formed before the close of 1832, and the little colony grew rapidly.

The first Town meeting was held at the store of Ira Jacobs in April, 1836; Thomas McGee was elected Supervisor, and Isaac Van Fossen Township Clerk.

The first school was opened in 1835, and taught by Miss Mary McGee. Mr. Ira Jacobs opened the first store, in 1836. In the fall of 1835, Isaac and William Van Fossen erected and put in operation a saw-mill, and in 1837 started a flouring-mill.

The first tavern was opened by Jerry Reynolds; it was located about one mile east of the present Village of Concord. In 1838 Andrew Brown erected a flouring-mill on the Kalamazoo River, one mile east of the Town. The Town is a fine agricultural region, well watered, rich sandy loam, producing splendid crops of all kinds; it is especially adapted to wheat. There are a good many marshes in the town, though some are under cultivation,—yielding wild grass and a few cranberries in the wild state. There is also quite an abundance of fine timber land.

## CONCORD VILLAGE,

Located on the old stage route midway between Jackson and Jonesville, is a thriving little place of about eight hundred inhabitants. It has grown quite rapidly since the completion of the "Air Line" road, which passes through the place, and is an excellent point for manufacturing purposes. All the various branches of business are represented here, and some of the merchants have a very fine trade. There is also a bank in the Village which is also doing quite a little business. Their public school is well graded, and stands high among the schools of the County. They have also Baptist, Presbyterian, Methodist, and Universalist churches; the two former being organized in 1837.

## PULASKI

Was first settled by Reuben Penogen and Matthias and Enoch Fisher, from Pennsylvania, in 1833. John Wilbur, David Cheesbrok, James Cross, and Joel Fisk came shortly afterwards. In 1836, I. P. Wheeler came into the Town and settled near the centre of the Town. There were at this time not more than ten or twelve families in the place.

The Town was organized into a Township with Concord in 1837, and the following year into its present limits. At the first Township meeting, Jessie Burrows was chosen Supervisor. The present Supervisor, I. P. Wheeler, has held the office for the past six terms.

The territory embraced in this Town is quite rolling, with considerable marsh land. The Kalamazoo River flows through the Town in a northwesterly direction. There is no railroad in the Town, Concord being both the nearest market and the nearest railroad station. There is one M. E. Church in the Town, six full school districts and five fractional districts.

The soil, which is a sandy loam slightly mixed with clay, is well adapted to agricultural purposes, and there are some as fine farms in this Town as can be found in any part of the County.

Only one post-office in the Town, that of Pulaski, located near the centre of the Town.

## HANOVER.

Abiel Tripp was the pioneer settler in this Town, locating in the northeastern part in 1835. The Town was organized in 1838, the first meeting being held at the house of Amos Brown, at which time Daniel Porter was elected Supervisor.

Baldwin's, or, as it is quite commonly known, "Podunk," was the only settlement in the Town up to 1872, when the village of Hanover sprang up almost as by magic. Up to 1837 the only settlements that had been made in the Town were confined to the eastern part, in the vicinity of Baldwin's. J. O. Bibbins, Esq., settled in that year on the territory now occupied by the village of Hanover. We were not able to obtain very reliable information in reference to the early settlement other than that given above, from the fact that the oldest settlers had passed away; and those who had come in in later years were not conversant with the earliest history of the Township. There are now two post-offices in the Town, one at Baldwin's and the other at Hanover Village. Baldwin's, as we have already stated, is the oldest settlement in the Town. It is quite a stirring little place, has fine water-power, and has several mills which are doing a good business. There are also several stores, a church, and a hotel located here. The first post-office in the Town was located here, John Crutender being the first postmaster. The first store was erected in the village of Hanover in 1870, and was used as a grocery. The Fort Wayne Railroad was then in course of construction, and a depot and hotel were erected shortly afterwards. Since that time the Town has grown rapidly, and it bids fair to rival in a short time Parma and Concord. The Village largely owes its present prosperity much to the energy and perseverance of Messrs. Dean and Peabody, who have contributed largely of their means to advance every interest that would tend to build up the Town. There are now ten stores in the place, one sash- and blind-manufactory, one wagon-shop, a very fine church building,—Methodist Episcopal,—and the enterprising citizens have taken measures to erect a school building, which will cost, when completed, not less than eight thousand dollars, and will be an honor to the Town.

## SPRING ARBOR.

This Town is quite intimately connected with the early history of Jackson County. It was here that the Potawatamies had their Indian village. Here also is to-day to be seen the old burying-ground of their young "braves." For a great many years the people of the Town kept this old burying-ground well fenced, but of late years they have forgotten this humane duty, and the traces of Indian occupation are daily growing more and more extinct.

Mr. A. B. Gibson settled in Spring Arbor Township in the spring of 1831. That Township then embraced the eight Townships west of Jacksonburgh. There were three families besides himself at the time he located there, Mr. Isaac N. Swain's, Mr. Smith's, and Mr. Van Fossen's; it is not definitely known which of these three men settled first in the Town, and we shall therefore be obliged to credit each with the honor. At the spring election in 1833, held in Spring Arbor, Mr. Gibson received the full vote for Supervisor, and the entire number of votes cast was eleven. The next year he was elected to the same office, receiving the full vote, which had increased to thirty-one.

The old Indian trail was used for years as the road from Jackson. The present Township was set off in 1838, having also been divided from its first eight Townships into four in 1836. Among the old settlers who were pioneers in this Town are Honorable James Videto, L. W. Douglas, J. D. Crouch, and Louis Snyder, Jr.

The first Supervisor of the Town, after its final organization, was Dr. Connell. In the early settlement of this Town, a child of one of the settlers was stolen by the Indians; his name was Willie Filley. Being only a babe at the time, he lost all connection with his people, and for thirty years lived with the Indians as one of their number, when finally an old dying brave revealed the plot to him, and he returned, after thirty years, to find all trace of his old home swept away by the advancing tide of civilization, and his parents gone also. This is the only instance mentioned by the old settlers of the County where the Indians in any way molested the whites; and we believe that in this case they were led to commit this act by some injury done to them by the parents of this child.

Spring Arbor has a fine rolling territory, is a fine wheat country, and has also good water-power. Spring Arbor Village, which lies quite a distance from the railroad, is the only Village in the Town, and can hardly be called a Village. There is a post-office here, a church, and a college. This college was the nucleus of the Hillsdale College, Presidents Graham and Fairfield having started their school here, and continued it for several years before removing it to Hillsdale. The buildings were erected by a joint-stock company, and the institution was under the special patronage of the Free Will Baptists. For some years after the removal of the college to Hillsdale the buildings were unoccupied, but the Free Methodist denomination has lately opened a school in them, which is now in a prosperous and flourishing condition.

## SANDSTONE.

Some time in May, 1830, Mr. Samuel Roberts and family came into the County of Jackson, and settled on the Territorial Road, six miles west of Jacksonburgh, near Sandstone Creek, and was the first settler in the Township. He was followed by others, and soon quite a settlement sprang up at that place. The Town was organized at the house of Henry G. Whipple, on the first Monday in May, 1836. John Barnum was at the time elected Supervisor. The Township then included Sandstone, Parma, Springport, and Tompkins. In April, 1837, at the second Town meeting, Caleb M. Chapel was chosen Supervisor. The special meeting for the organization of the present Township was held at the house of Frederick Beck, on Wednesday, the 17th day of April, 1839, at which time Captain Chester Wall was elected the Supervisor. Sandstone Village at one time bid fair to rival Jackson, and in 1837 it had two hotels, a bank, and quite a number of stores, but those "wild-cat" days of speculation soon passed away, and the Village of Jackson rapidly increasing in population left Sandstone out in the cold, and the disappointed speculator soon gathered up his effects, and left for more remunerative fields. Samuel Upton, Leroy Richardson, D. D. Trumbull, Caleb M. Chapel, and Mr. Avery may be mentioned as among the oldest settlers of the Town. Most of these men are now living, and much of this little history was given us by Mr. Richardson and Captain Wall.

There are two churches in the Town, a Methodist and a Congregational, the former being in the village of Parma and the latter at Berry, or, as it is now called, Sandstone, though many of the older settlers give it the old name "Berry." The post-office is located here, and is presided over by Mrs. John Haddock, whose husband was postmaster for upwards of thirty years, and at his death his widow was appointed in his place.

Sandstone Creek runs through the Town, flowing in a northwesterly direction, and emptying into the Grand River, in Tompkins Township. There are a number of marshes in the Town; the soil is a rich sandy loam. There are quite extensive sandstone quarries in the southeastern part of the Town, and it was from these that the Town received its present name. There is also quite an extensive coal mine which was operated some four years, and the proprietors realised handsome profits. For some reason, however, it is not being worked at the present time, though it will doubtless be again put into operation at an early date.

Limestone is also found to a considerable extent in the Town. The general surface is rolling. There are eight school districts; the Parma Village school building stands within the limits of this Town.

## TOMPKINS.

Organized in 1838. The first settler in the Town, Mr. Nicholas Townley, settled in September, 1834. The Town was named at the time of its organization Tompkins, after Governor Daniel D. Tompkins, of New York State. Many of the early settlers of the Town, indeed, nearly all, were from Tompkins County, New York, and the name had pleasing associations connected with it of the old home.

The first Town meeting was held at the house of Joseph Wade, on the first Monday in April, 1838. Up to this time, since the organization of the County it had been a part first of Spring Arbor, and then of Sandstone. At the first Town meeting, Nicholas Townley was elected Supervisor, and James Davenport, Town Clerk.

Mr. G. Minard came to the Town in 1835, and built a saw-mill the same year; we believe Mr. Minard did not, however, settle in the Town, simply keeping "Bachelor's Hall" until his mill was completed. Anson Townley came in June, 1835, with his father's family, they all settling on the farm now occupied by Charles Townley. Gardner G. Gould was the next settler; David Adams came on in the following spring.

Mary Hurlburt, now Mrs. Anson Townley, kept the first school, in a little log school-house not far from Mr. Joseph Wade's residence, in what is now District No. 1.

The first church service was held at the house of Mr. Nicholas Townley, in the winter of 1836, by Rev. Mr. Park, of Sandstone, a Presbyterian clergyman. This gentleman was a farmer, who supplied the religious wants of his neighbors on Sunday. Rev. Mr. Charles Harrison was the first regular preacher. He was also a Presbyterian, and preached the Gospel in the school-house and private homes throughout the Town.

The first church was built in 1842, on the Town-line road, and was called the Springport and Tompkins Presbyterian Church. A daughter of the Rev. Mr. Harrison was the first child born in the Town; Miss Ellen L. Townley, born in June, 1836, being the second.

There is a post-office and store at the centre, also a saw-mill. Excepting this, there is no settlement, aside from the farms which are spread over the Town. There is a church of the M. E. denomination, about two miles north of the Presbyterian Church on the Town-line road, called the "Pope Church."

The soil is finely adapted to all the cereals, and is under fine cultivation. The territory is well watered and quite heavily timbered in some parts.

## RIVES,

Formerly a part of Jacksonburgh, was organized into its present limits in 1837. Samuel Prescott and Henry Fifield came into the Town in 1834. Mr. Prescott built the first house that was built in the Town, that season. John Bury came

into the Town in 1835, and settled on the land now owned by Mr. E. Van Horn. Among the early settlers whom we have not named are Samuel Wilbur, Daniel Fellows, and Robert H. Anderson. The Town was organized into its present Township limits in 1837, the first Town meeting being held at the house of Oliver True, who lived on Section 27. E. B. Chapman was elected Supervisor. After they had got together, they found that no one had provided paper, pens, or ink, and one of the men had to walk three miles to the nearest house to procure the requisite articles.

Sarah Prescott, a daughter of Samuel Prescott, was the first child born in the Town. Mr. Samuel Prescott was the first postmaster in the Town, an office being established at his house, and called the West Rives post-office. The present post-office is located at Rives Junction, a small settlement which has sprung up in the woods since the Grand Rapids and the Lansing Roads formed their junction at this place.

The Grand River flows through the Town. The land is generally rolling; the surface somewhat sandy; there is very little timber, and the most of that borders on the Grand River.

## COLUMBIA.

This Township was originally included in that of Napoleon, while it comprised four Congressional Townships (Townships 3 and 4, south; Ranges 1 and 2, east). Was set off as Columbia Township, 1839; at that time comprising forty-eight Sections nearly, in Townships 3 and 4, south; Range 1, east. Now contains forty Sections, part of Township 4, south; Ranges 1 and 2, east. First election for Columbia, held in barn of Mr. Broadhead Du Bois, at Jefferson. This occurred in the spring of 1839. Mr. A. H. DeLamater was elected first Supervisor, and David Peterson, Town Clerk. The first entry of land made, and the first improvements commenced in the present limits of Columbia, were by Elder Calvin H. Swayne, assisted by Mr. Samuel Quigley. This was done near the present site of Brooklyn, at first called Swaynesville, and occurred in 1832.

They commenced by the erection of a saw-mill, which is still in operation. The following season, Elder Swayne, with his family, made a permanent settlement, Mr. Quigley and family at the same time making their settlement at Napoleon. Also, this same season (1833), Mr. Asahel Knight made a settlement in the west part of the Township, followed same fall by Mr. George S. Stranahan, Sr., and his son George, who bought near west end of Clark's Lake. They did the first plowing, and set out the first orchard in the Township; but did not make a permanent settlement till the spring of 1834. Now came A. H. DeLamater, Samuel T. Marsh, and Edward De Lamater, who settled side by side on the south shore of Clark's Lake; the first two still retaining and occupying the same. Also came in this season (1834) Calvin and W. C. Love, Joseph King, and Elijah Webber; and during the next winter, two brothers, Isaac and Anson De Lamater. In the years of 1835 and 1836 a larger delegation swarmed in, viz., Du Boises, Randalls, Aldens, Hewitt, Swartouts, Everys, Weekses, Picketts, Cregoes, Gallups, Palmers, Charleses, C. A. Cray, Ephraim Hitt, Edward Smith, Petersons, John Russell, Josiah A. White, Joseph Townson, V. French, and others. Thus the increase of settlers increased the demand for lumber, and consequently the demand for saw-mills, as it did likewise for the erection of school-houses, grist-mills, places for trade, etc. A second saw-mill was erected in the Village of Jefferson in the summer of 1835, by J. H. and B. Du Bois.

Wheat began to be raised, flour was wanted, and hence a grist-mill called for. Messrs. Tiffany & Copeland responded to the call, and erected one at Brooklyn, now owned and successfully operated by Mr. Hiram Surrhyn. Another was also erected immediately after at Jefferson, by J. H. and B. Du Bois and A. H. and D. C. De Lamater, the same also still operated successfully by E. & J. R. Champlin. Mr. Samuel Quigley was the millwright who superintended the erection of most of the mills, both for sawing and grinding, throughout the country, here at that early day. First school-house built at head of Clark's Lake, in which Miss Selina Henry acted as first teacher.

## LEONI.

This Township was organized in 1836, the first meeting being held at the house of Isaac How. Joel Parks was one of the earliest settlers in this section of the County, settling in 1832. The Town then comprised a part of Napoleon, Grass Lake as well as all to the north of Range 1 and 2, east. The Michigan Central Road runs through the Town, and has stations at both Michigan Centre and Leoni, the only settlements in the Town. There are two churches in the Town, a Methodist and a Congregational. The Methodists had a college at Leoni Village, but it has not been in operation for some time, and the buildings have lately been secured by the citizens, who intend starting a Normal School, to be called the Central Normal School. The Methodists first opened their school about twenty-five years ago. The Congregational Church is located at Michigan Centre. There are two post-offices in the Town, one at the Centre and the other at Leoni. The Township is the largest in the County, including nearly fifty Sections within its limits. The territory is generally rolling, the soil quite sandy; very little timber and plenty of marsh land. The Portage River forms the northern boundary.

## HENRIETTA.

Henrietta was organized into a Township in 1837, the time when all the northern range of Towns were organized, under the name of West Portage, Waterloo being called East Portage, the name being taken from the lakes. When the Township was first organized there were only 14 votes cast, not enough to enable them to fill all the offices without appointing the same persons for two or three different positions.

An Indian half-breed kept an Indian trading-post, and was here as late as 1831. Just when he came or left no one knows. John B. Berard was the first settler in the Town, soon after followed by Alfred Hall, S. Patrick, Thomas Tanner, Rollen Tanner, and John Davidson.

John Davidson was the first postmaster in the Town, and was succeeded by Samuel Prescott, who had moved into the Town from Rives. Mr. Prescott held the office for nearly twenty years. The first season that Mr. Prescott was in the Town he attended a "raising" as often as once a week. These were in the good old times when neighbors would all lend a hand to help their neighbor along, and in some parts of the County the custom is still in vogue, though not so frequent.

The present post-office is located at Pleasant Lake, and is called Henrietta. Pleasant Lake is a little settlement named from the beautiful sheet of water that lies a little to the north of the Village. The place is quite a resort for the country people on festive occasions, being remarkably adapted to picnics and pleasure parties.

There are eight school districts in the Town, part of them are fractional; one church, a Methodist, near the northeast corner of the Town, in a little settlement that is frequently called Gass-ville.

The name of the Town was changed through the influence of Henry Hurd, Esq., and named Henrietta after his native place in New York.

LIBERTY.

This Township was organized on the 3d of March, 1837, the first meeting being held at the house of Salmon Skiff. Ezra Rumery was appointed moderator, and Franklin Pierce, clerk; Ezra Rumery was elected Supervisor. We are unable to

give more than this meagre history of the Town; the first settlers being dead or having gone elsewhere. We give, however, below a list of all of the officers of the Town from its first settlement, prepared by Thomas E. Barkworth. The territory of the Township is quite hilly and rolling. It is, however, an excellent wheat-growing country. The water-power is excellent, and some

of the best farms to be found in the County are situated in this Township. The people are all thrifty, well-to-do farmers. They take an interest in all the modern improvements in farm machinery, and, by using every facility afforded, are surrounding themselves with fine substantial homes, well-tilled farms, and well-stocked barns. The mill of Mr. Fuller is one of the best in the County.

YEAR.	SUPERVISOR.	TREASURER.	TOWN CLERK.	JUSTICES.	HIGHWAY COMMISSIONERS.	CONSTABLES.	YEAR.	SUPERVISOR.	TREASURER.	TOWN CLERK.	JUSTICES.	HIGHWAY COMMISSIONERS.	CONSTABLES.
1837	Ezra Rumery.	Moses Tuthill.	Ampter B. Otto.	J. Bivins, A. Otto, Prosper Lewis, F. Pierce.	J. T. Crout, J. M. Tuthill, J. Sawyer.		1858	R. J. Crego.	Chas. E. Hawley.	Wm. Pettingill.	Samuel Selden.	A. S. Dunn, M. Tut-hill, John Van Schorck.	H. Innis, D. W. Green, J. Howley, L. M. Rhoades.
1838	do.	Eliphas Orvis.	A. W. Knight.	Samuel Selden.	Samuel Selden, H. E. Orvis, Thos. Sawyer, Choate, J. Bivins, J. Glann.		1859	A. Van de Bogart.	Stephen Drake.	Ira Amsbury.	A. Van de Bogart.	Daniel Green.	M. Bennett, H. E. Chapman, D. Green, Geo. Palmer.
1839	do.	J. J. Crout.	J. Van de Bogart.	A. Van de Bogart.	S. Selden, H. Choate, J. Van de Bogart, J. Prosper Lewis.		1860	do.	Thos. A. Wilson.	do.	S. H. Holmes.	M. Tuthill.	H. E. Chapman, Dan'l Green, C. P. Van Allen, S. Lewis.
1840	do.	do.	A. Van de Bogart.		S. Selden, J. Neely, J. Van de Bogart, R. C. George Gates.		1861	S. H. Holmes.	do.	James M. Dubois.	Adam S. Dunn.	Josiah Pond.	N. P. Houghtalin, Dan'l Green, S. E. Kerr, A. Russell.
1841	do.	Hiram Tuthill.	George Gates.	I. S. Knight.	J. Neely, A. Hawley, R. C. Kerr, P. N. Jones, John Lockwood, Charles Lewis.		1862	do.	S. A. Strong.	do.	T. A. Wilson.	D. W. Green.	C. T. Orvis, Oscar Post, P. Sackett, N. P. Houghtalin.
1842	A. Van de Bogart.	R. C. Kerr.	do.	Samuel Selden.	J. Sutfin, J. Neely, J. Sutfin, R. C. Kerr, C. A. Hawley.		1863	do.	do.	S. G. Pettingill.	Hiram Tuthill.	Moses Tuthill.	H. E. Chapman, S. A. Strong, W. A. Freeman, N. P. Houghtalin.
1843	George Gates.	Wm. S. Crego.	R. C. Kerr.	A. Van de Bogart.	J. Sutfin, J. Neely, J. Sutfin, R. C. Kerr, C. M. Tuthill.		1864	do.	Wm. A. Freeman.	do.	Isaac Snyder, N. P. Houghtalin.	C. P. Van Allen.	T. P. Burlingham, D. Green, Hiram Scott, F. Brown.
1844	A. Van de Bogart.	do.	do.	M. Tuthill.	J. Sutfin, J. J. Crout, J. Sutfin, R. C. Kerr, J. M. Tuthill.		1865	A. Van de Bogart.	do.	M. E. Palmer.	A. S. Dunn.	Josiah Pond, Wm. Hutchins.	H. E. Chapman, D. W. Alverson, S. A. Strong, E. Crugar.
1845	do.	do.	R. J. Crego.	George Gates.	S. Selden, J. J. J. Crout, C. Selden, Crout, J. Van de Bogart.		1866	do.	do.	do.	Wm. West, J. P. Sanford.	Moses Tuthill.	E. Crugar, W. A. Freeman, B. F. Brown, L. Neely.
1846	do.	R. C. Kerr.	W. H. Chapman.	Samuel Selden.	M. Tuthill, J. Sutfin, F. Pierce, J. Sutfin, H. A. H. Hawley.		1867	do.	D. W. Alverson.	do.	A. Russell, B. Tuthill.	A. S. Dunn, C. T. Orvis.	D. W. Alverson, L. M. Rhoades, A. Edmonds, E. Crugar.
1847	do.	Wm. S. Crego.	R. J. Crego.	A. Van de Bogart.	W. W. Wetherby, H. C. Selden, H. Innis, J. J. Crout, Henry Mosher.		1868	do.	R. C. Kerr.	do.	Isaac Snyder, M. E. Palmer.	Wm. Hutchins.	J. H. Bell, R. C. Kerr, L. Neely, J. Matterson.
1848	do.	do.	do.	M. Tuthill.	James E. Haynes.		1869	do.	L. M. Rhoades.	do.	A. S. Dunn, A. H. Kipp.	M. Tuthill.	L. M. Rhoades, J. H. Bell, Mel. Shaw, Mr. Kerr.
1849	do.	do.	do.	N. Pettingill.	Charles E. Hawley.		1870	M. E. Palmer.	do.	Wm. A. Freeman.	M. E. Palmer, W. Hutchins.	A. S. Dunn.	L. M. Rhoades, J. Matterson, M. L. Bennett, W. McGraw.
1850	do.	do.	do.	S. Selden, Mark Wesley.	Edwin Smead.		1871	S. H. Holmes.	C. T. Orvis.	do.	J. P. Sanford, W. H. Howlett.	M. Tuthill.	C. T. Orvis, Chas. Foot, F. Brown, L. Neely.
1851	R. J. Crego.	Geo. H. Holmes.	H. G. Pierce.	A. Van de Bogart.	Josiah Pond.		1872	do.	do.	J. H. Bell.	James E. Covell.	S. A. Strong.	C. T. Orvis, G. G. Pond, William McGraw, N. Edmonds.
1852	do.	Stephen Drake.	do.	W. W. Wetherby, J. Chapman.	Moses Tuthill.		1873	William West.	G. W. Youngs.	J. S. Choate.	Adam S. Dunn, S. A. Strong.	A. S. Dunn.	G. W. Young, C. Foot, D. Cornwell, R. Seely.
1853	do.	do.	S. P. Root.	Wm. Herrington.	A. A. Freeman.								
1854	do.	do.	Ira Amsbury.	S. Selden.	Adam S. Dunn.								
1855	M. M. Wells.	do.	do.	A. Van de Bogart.	Wolcott Marsh.								
1856	A. Van de Bogart.	Josiah Pond.	do.	S. H. Holmes, E. R. C. Kerr.	Orvis.								
1857	R. J. Crego.	B. Christopher.	do.	Adam S. Dunn.	Charles Hess.								

WATERLOO.

Hiram Putnam, who was one of the twelve who were the first adventurers to Ann Arbor, was the first white settler in this Township. He took up his residence on Section 1, the same now occupied by Mr. Albert Yocum. This occurred about 1834, and he was immediately followed by his two brothers (all three being single men), Joseph and Guy. Mr. Abram Croman, Sr., from Scio, Washtenaw County, followed next, in the spring of 1835, with his family, his son, Abram, driving the first team into the Township. During this season three other families also came in,—Patrick Hibbard, Earl Pierce, and Andrew Correll. In 1836 quite a number of families came, among whom were Wm. Hall, A. Seidmore, Isaac Smith, Casper Arz, Slocum Sayles, Charles F. Graber, Michael Reithmiller, Jacob Hudler, Wm. Paddock, Solomon and Erastus Nichols, Abram McMelon, Jeremiah Riggs, Leonard Van Horne, John Schneckenberger, Gilbert H. States, Jacob Harr, Jacob Boyer, John, Jacob, and Martin (Jr.) Landis and their father. During the next year or two came Lamech Sweet, David Williams, Jackson Simpson, Harmon Marsh, A. T. and Samuel Gorton, Anson Opdyke, Reuben Croman, Garrett and Jacob Brink, Geo. Ingalls, James Osgood, and Felix Hess; and from this time on, settlements filled in very rapidly.

The Township was first organized by the name of East Portage, in March, 1836, and was changed to its present name in the winter of 1846-7, through the influence of Patrick Hubbard, such being the title of his native place in New York State. The first election was held at the residence of Jeremiah Riggs, when 14 votes were polled, and every elector honored with office. Mr. Andrew Correll (probably) was chosen the first Supervisor, and Earl Pierce the first Town Clerk. A house for school purposes was built in 1837, at the present Village of Waterloo, in which Miss Margaret Paddock taught the first school. The German Lutheran church, three miles southwest of Waterloo Village, was built in 1840, in which Elder Fred. Schmidt, from Ann Arbor, preached the first sermon. He also preached, in the summer of 1836, the first sermon in the Township, at the residence of Abram Croman, Sr.; also the funeral sermon of Martin Landis, Sr., in November, 1839. This was death's first victim in the Township. Elder Hovey (Methodist) was the first local minister in the Town. He preached then at the residence of Patrick Hubbard. The first marriage was Lathrop Hubbard to Miss Christina Croman, in the winter of 1837-8; Frederick, son of Jacob Landis, was the first white child born in the Township, in the fall of 1836; the first post-office was at Waterloo, in 1838, P. Hubbard being the first postmaster; the first militia company organized at Waterloo was in 1836, Abram McMelon being chosen captain; Casper Arz, from Scio, Washtenaw County, was the first blacksmith in the Township in 1836, his shop being situated on the north part of the present farm of Mr. S. Seigfried, and, like most buildings at that time, was roofed with bark. Mr. Abram Croman, Sr., who was the first man with a family settling in the Township, is yet living, and quite vigorous in body and mind. He is the only person remaining who voted at the organization of the Township, and his daughter, Abigail, now Mrs. D. T. Emmons, has been the longest settled of any woman in the Township. Mrs. Zillah Willmore, mother of Mr. Thos. Willmore, is the oldest person (95 years old) now living in the Township. She has been over 70 years a widow. She emigrated from England less than 20 years since, and sews and knits yet very readily without glasses, and has the appearance of being only about 70 years of age.

This Township claims the honor of organizing the first successful "Grange" in the State of Michigan. It started in fractional school district No. 1, B. W. Sweet being chosen master of the same. The organization was completed November 19, 1872. There were 27 members who joined at the organization, and one year later the headquarters was transferred to the Village of Waterloo.

The first saw-mill was built by Patrick Hubbard, in 1836, and with this he sawed lumber with which to build a cheap grist-mill, in 1838, which has since been very much enlarged, and is now owned by Mr. S. Seigfried. The first grist of flour from this mill, which was three bushels, was carried on a wheelbarrow by Mr. Abram Croman, Jr. Besides this mill Waterloo Village contains a store, post-office, wagon-shop, blacksmith-shop, school-house, two churches (Methodist and Baptist,—the former being very fine), and several fine dwellings. There is another small hamlet in this Town, at which is situated the grist-mill of Mr. T. Laubengayer, the store of Mr. S. Seigfried, etc. There are three other churches in the Township,—the United Brethren, Lutheran, and German Methodist, and another of the United Brethren in process of erection. There are ten school-houses, four wood and six brick, all in good repair, in this Township, and a good interest is taken in the schools.

The soil of the Township is well calculated for general farming. The timber is fair and the lakes and marshes are numerous, the latter affording good meadows. The Township is situated in the northeast corner of the County, and is eight by six miles square. It has a large, industrious, and enterprising population. The inhabitants are mainly from New England, New York, Pennsylvania, Germany, England, Ireland, etc. The valuation of the real and personal property in 1843 was \$50,609, and in 1873, \$351,510,—an increase of seven-fold in 30 years.

GRASS LAKE.

This Town is generally level, and of an excellent character for agricultural purposes. The soil is a warm, sandy loam, and is very productive of grain and fruit. The timber is mostly oak, and there are quite extensive bur-oak plains. Near the Grand River there is some heavy timber.

The first settlers in Grass Lake were George C. Pease and son, William H. Pease, from Niagara County, New York, and David Keyes, a cousin to William Pease.

This party came together in the fall of 1829. They found one family of squatters before them, David Sterling's, who had come in the spring. If this is correct, this David Sterling must have been the first settler in the County, and it antedates the Blackman's about two months. Ralph Updike and John Ritchie settled in 1831. Daniel Walker came in 1832, from Vermont; was appointed the following year postmaster, being the first in the Town.

The first Township meeting was held in a log house, the residence of Daniel Walker, Esq., in the spring of 1832. Ralph Updike was elected Supervisor, Daniel Walker, Clerk, and Joab Page, Justice of the Peace.

The first wheat was raised in the town by David Sterling, the earliest settler of Grass Lake. Mr. Updike built the first saw-mill, and also the first store. The first hotel was kept by Joab Page, the genial proprietor and humane justice of the peace. His house was first built of logs, and afterwards an addition was made to it of frame-work. This house stood near the centre of the present Village of Grass Lake, and was for years known through the Territory as the Grass Lake House.

The first school-house was erected in 1834. A school had, however, been taught before that time by Miss Nancy Ritchie, a sister of Mrs. Updike, in a dwelling near her sister's residence. The school-house was built in the west part of the village.

Rev. E. H. Pilcher, a Methodist clergyman, while on his circuit from Ann Arbor to Jackson, preached here once in three or four weeks. His first sermon, and the first in the Town, was preached in a log dwelling owned by George C. Pease, situated about one and a half miles from the centre of the present Village.

Joel Parks, now of Leoni, and Miss Nancy Ritchie were the first couple married in the Town. Mrs. Parks has been dead quite a number of years. Among the early settlers whom we have not yet named were Stephen Watkins, Robert Davis, Jeremiah and Zera Boynton, David Close, Alvin Clark, James Carrier, and Colonel James Faulkner.

The Township was organized by act of Legislature into its present limits in 1835-6.

In 1837 Grass Lake had a flouring-mill and two stores.

The railroad was completed through to this place in 1842. The Indians were plenty here until 1839, when they were removed to a reservation in Iowa, and subsequently into Kansas. A company of militia was organized at an early date, and when Governor Mason called on the people to organize, to defend their Territory from the invasion of the "Buckeyes," in the far-famed "Toledo War," they went to the front. It is needless to say that they all returned without the smell of powder passing over them.

There are two post-offices in the Town at the present day, one at Grass Lake Village, the other at Franciscoville, a station on the Michigan Central Railroad, in the eastern part of the Town. It has several stores, a church, and some very fine residences.

GRASS LAKE VILLAGE

First started up as a Village in 1842, at the time of the completion of the railroad. There are now two hotels, four dry-goods stores, two hardware and two drug stores, two millinery establishments, a grocery, and four saloons.

Three churches, Baptist, Methodist, and Congregational, all of which have good houses, two of which were erected quite recently.

The school building was erected in 1863, is well adapted to school purposes, and in every sense a very fine building. Grass Lake has about a thousand inhabitants. The Mineral Water Cure that has lately been established in the eastern part of the Village is proving quite an attraction to people from abroad, who are flocking into the Town from all sides, for the purpose of trying the benefit of its waters.

The lake, from which both Village and Town are named, is a beautiful sheet of water in the north of the Village, and is quite a resort in summer for sailing parties.

NAPOLEON

Was first settled in 1832, but was not set apart as a separate Township until 1859. The first Township election was held on the 4th of April, 1859, and Roswell B. Rexford was chosen Supervisor, and Elijah Bently, Town Clerk.

Mr. A. B. Goodwin was the first settler in Napoleon Village, coming into the Town in May, 1832. He was an Indian trader, and was led into this part of the country while following his business. He brought his family, a wife and adopted

daughter, with him. His nearest neighbor was Charles Blackman, who had settled on the Chicago Road in Lenawee County a few years previous. Mr. Blackman had taken up land in Napoleon in 1831, but did not settle upon it. Mr. Blackman, Mr. Goodwin, and a man by the name of Bolton, from Coldwater, commenced quarrying stone from the quarry now owned by Morgan Case and William Allen.

Mr. Abram F. Bolton, mentioned above, settled in Napoleon in August, 1832, and built a log house. His daughter, Caroline, born in November, 1832, was the first child born in the Town.

Chauncy Hawley came to Napoleon from Washington County, October, 1832. Mr. Hawley located the southwest quarter of Section 31. Morgan Case came here in company with Mr. Hawley, in 1832, and Horace Dean came at the same time.

Rev. C. H. Swain preached the first sermon in Napoleon, at the house of the trader, Goodwin. Mr. Swain afterward settled in Brooklyn. Among others may be mentioned Henry Hawley, Israel S. Love, Roswell B. Rexford, John T. Ford, Wm. Hunt, Lyman Hunt, Samuel Quigley, and George L. Dinsmore, all of whom came in the spring of 1833. Dr. Benjamin S. King came in the summer of this year, and was the first physician.

Louisa M. Swain taught the first school, in 1833, at the house of Samuel Quigley. The first post-office was opened in December, 1832. Samuel Quigley was postmaster. The Town was named after Napoleon Bonaparte, at the request of Mr. Bolton, who was a great admirer of the "Little Corporal."

The Town embraces some of the finest farming lands in the County. The soil is well adapted to wheat, and the water facilities are such that the farmers have a ready market at home, where the proprietors of the mills are prepared to purchase all that they will sell.

NAPOLEON VILLAGE

Is situated on the Jackson branch of the Michigan Southern Railroad. It occupies a pleasant position upon a plateau, surrounded by a rich and highly-cultivated agricultural section. Stone Lake is one and a half miles from the depot. The growth of the Village was very slow until the railroad was opened to this place, in 1857. It is now in a flourishing condition, and contains two churches,—Baptist and Methodist. A very fine and substantial school-building was erected in 1869. It is brick, and of two stories.

Napoleon sent out her quota at the call of the nation in the defense of her flag. On the 28th of October, 1862, Sergeant Oscar E. Miller, Corporal G. Myron Hawley, and Privates Dwight C. Slack, Alonso D. Palmer, and George D. Peck were buried in one grave with military honors at Napoleon. They fell on the battle-fields of South Mountain and Antietam.

NORVELL

The first settler in this part of Jackson County was William Hunt, who located and settled in this Township in March, 1832. In the following June his son-in-law, Mr. Bickford, came with his wife; a daughter was added to the family shortly after, and was the first child born in the Township. The name given to this child is worthy of mention, it being Dona Maria Casender Rider Bickford. It lived!

Harvey Austin, who settled in this Town among the first settlers, has lived on the same spot ever since he first came into the County, and yet, by the changes that have been made in the Township boundaries, he has lived in five Townships. When he first became a resident of the County, the whole territory was known as Jacksonburgh. The County was then divided into three Towns,—Grass Lake, Jacksonburgh, and Spring Arbor,—and Mr. Austin became a resident of Grass Lake. Again, in 1836-7, a new division was made, the four Towns as they are now being set off into one called Napoleon. Still later a new division was made, and Napoleon had distinct limits assigned to it in 1859, and the Township of Brooklyn was formed, comprising the Territory in the southeastern part of the County. Thus it continued up to 1873, when a new deed was made, and a part of the Territory of Brooklyn given to Columbia Township, a part to Napoleon, and the rest, comprising 32 Sections 4 by 8, was constituted into the Township of Norvell.

Norvell Village has of late been growing quite rapidly. Mr. William Reynolds, who owns the milling interest here, has done a great deal to advance the growth of the Town, and to build it up on a sound financial basis. The only church at the Village, and in the Town, belongs to the Baptist denomination. There are two stores in the Village, a fine school-house, a good hotel, besides the mills owned and operated by Mr. Reynolds.

The Jackson branch of the Michigan Southern Road passes through the Village, and has a depot there. There are seven school districts in the Town, though some of them are fractional.

At the first Town meeting held in the Township in 1873, Mr. A. J. Palmer, who had been Supervisor of Brooklyn for several years previous, was elected to the same position from the new Town.

REPRESENTATIVE MEN  
JACKSON COUNTY



*Mark L. Ray*



*Daniel Mann*



*James Truby  
A. Pomroy*



*Jacob Bigelow*

REPRESENTATIVE MEN  
JACKSON COUNTY



*A. R. Brown*



*James Gould*



*George Lake*



*James O'Donnell*

# BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCHES.

## DR. M. A. McNAUGHTON.

THE city of Jackson, renowned as it is throughout the country for its business enterprise, railroad facilities, and beautiful residences, has just reason to be proud of those citizens who, by their indomitable energy, sterling integrity, and zeal, have done so much to make the city what it is, not only a stirring business centre, but one of the finest towns in the Northwest.

It is universally conceded that the city is largely indebted to the subject of this sketch for its rapid growth and prosperity.

Moses Archibald McNaughton was born in Argyle, Washington County, New York, on the 3d day of January, 1813, being the youngest of a family of eleven. His parents, Robert and Isabella McNaughton, were of Scotch-Irish descent, and were also both natives of Washington County, New York. John McNaughton, the doctor's grandfather, settled in Greenwich, in that county, on the banks of the Batten Kill, about the year 1765, while the Watsons, his mother's family, settled in Cambridge, in the same county, in 1763—both families coming thither from the County Antrim, in the North of Ireland.

Belonging to the Scotch Presbyterian Church, and believing fully in those strict Puritanic teachings which have made the descendants of the early settlers of New England and Eastern New York so distinguished, they early inculcated in the mind of young McNaughton and his brothers and sisters those principles of sterling integrity, honesty, and virtue which form the basis of the character of the man, and which have enabled him to win for himself in life a position of honor and trust.

The McNaughtons were originally from Scotland, residing in Argyleshire, in the western section of the Scottish Highlands. From this same region came the Watsons, his mother's family, the Campbells, the MacNeils, the MacDougalls, and the MacDonnells, with many of whom the McNaughtons were connected by intermarriage. The name was generally written Macnaghten, and we find in Hill's work, entitled "The MacDonnells of Antrim," the following short sketch of the family:

"The Macnaghtens are descended from Ferchar Fada, one of the early Dalriadic Kings of Scotland.

"Several leading families of the clan owned estates in Glenarthy and on the shores of Loch Arve, in Argyleshire, and were zealous adherents of Robert Bruce during the struggle for Scottish independence.

"In 1343, King David II. granted Alexander Macnaghten all the lands that had belonged to his deceased father John, his grandfather Duncan, and his great-grandfather Alexander.

"Between the years 1390 and 1406, David III. confirmed to Maurice Macnaghten a grant of extensive lands on the shores of Loch Arve.

"On a small island, or rather peninsula, at the northern extremity of this beautiful loch, stands the ruins of their ancient fortress or castle, called Froach Elan, the keeping of which was granted to Gillechrist Macnaghten in 1267 on the condition that he or his heirs would keep it in good order, and well furnished for the reception of the king as often as the latter might be disposed to visit it.

"The first of the Macnaghten family who settled on the Antrim coast was John, surnamed *Dhu ór* 'dark-haired,' a nephew of Sorley Boy MacDonnell.

"This John Macnaghten became principal Lieutenant to his cousin, the first Earl of Antrim, and his place of residence was at Ballymagary, in the vicinity of Dunluce Castle. He died in 1630, and was buried near the entrance to the Antrim Vault in Bunnamaigo, where the following inscription in Roman capitals on a slab of red freestone is still legible:

'Heir Lyeth the Bodie of John Macnaghten, first Secretarie to the first Earle of Antrim, who departed this Life in the yeare of our Lord God, 1630.'

"The Antrim branch of the Macnaghtens remaining in Ireland has worthily sustained the ancient family name, and is now represented by Sir Edmund Wortman Macnaghten, Baronet of Dundarrie."

Of the early history of Doctor McNaughton there is but little to mention, save the facts that he attended the district school during the winters, and assisted his father on the farm in the summers, attending church regularly, as he says, "every Sabbath, from the day of his birth till he was fifteen years old." The family resided in a parish under the care of the Rev. George Mairs—who preached there (Argyle) in the same parish for over fifty years. It was from his mother, who was a woman of uncommon mind, that he received much of that early training which has stamped itself indelibly upon his character, and which has marked the general history of his after-life.

At the age of fifteen he struck out in life for himself, going into the western part of New York, and for the following three or four years spending his time during the summer in farm labor, and in the winter teaching school or studying.

He attended the academy at Wyoming, Genesee County, New York, about three years.

In this way he was enabled to pay his way as he went, and in 1832 found himself fitted to enter Union College, which he did, and took a partial course in that institution, not being able to complete his curriculum for want of funds. Union College was then in its palmy days, being under the presidency of Dr. Nott, with Drs. Potter, Proudfit, and men of that stamp as professors, while the brilliant and distinguished Dr. Edward

Savage, a cousin of the doctor's, was also at the time connected with the institution as a tutor.

Shortly after leaving here, the doctor commenced the study of medicine, taking three full courses of lectures at Fairfield, New York, where he graduated in the winter of 1840 with the degree of M.D.

After practicing for a short time in Saratoga County he came to Michigan, and settled in Jackson in the spring of 1841. He continued in his profession for about ten years, when he quit the practice entirely, and has since been engaged in the purchase and sale of real estate, dealing mostly in the city and immediate vicinity. He commenced the purchase of real estate in 1851, and, having faith in the ultimate growth and prosperity of the town, he made all the purchases his limited means would allow, buying large parcels and selling lots, always to any one wishing to improve, for such prices and on such terms as the purchaser could make, oftentimes selling to poor people desirous of making homes for themselves, without any pay down, and giving five, eight and ten years' time. After a few years, when he became able to do so, he assisted persons to build by advancing a part or all the money necessary, and waiting a term of years for his pay. In this way he has helped a great many families to homes that could have acquired them in no other way. His sympathies have always been with the poor and the laboring classes, and he often says, no matter how poor a family may be, they are never the worse for having a home. Unlike most landed proprietors, who will sell on credit only to those who will erect houses worth some thousands of dollars, he always sells to any one, black or white, desiring to purchase, who has a family, and needs a home, and can put a little money or a little labor into a house, and save paying rent.

The doctor now owns several hundred acres of land implatted within the city limits, and a still larger amount immediately outside and adjoining it, and is the proprietor or partial proprietor of several city plats or additions, as the Morgan, Steward, McNaughton, Kennedy, Grand River, North Star, Elm Grove, and McNaughton's second additions; also of an addition outside the city limits, and represented on page 131 of this work, known as "McNaughton's Riverside North."

He has also built and is interested in some of the business blocks of the city, and has at the present time in course of erection a private residence, which, when completed, will be both in beauty of design and finish and in prominence of location, probably the best residence in the city, and one of the finest of the whole Northwest. L. D. Grosvenor, of Jackson, is the architect of this fine edifice (a view of which may be seen on page 117), which certainly does credit to his skill as a draughtsman.

He has also been largely interested in the railroads centring at Jackson, and has in one way or another assisted them all, and ever been their steady friend in everything fair and legitimate; although he has opposed their use of the streets in the city in the arbitrary and improper manner that some of the roads have done, as at once injurious both to the city and the railroads.

Those roads with which his name has been the most intimately connected are the Grand River Valley Road, extending to Grand Rapids, and beyond northwesterly, and the Michigan Air Line Road, with one section connecting Jackson with Niles and South Bend, and another section extending from Jackson eastwardly to the eastern boundary of the State, and but partially finished.

The railroads in the State of Michigan were originally projected to be built by public funds, and three or four great lines were projected across the State, and considerable work done on three of them. They were, however, afterwards sold to companies who built, or finished building three of these great "through lines," one being the Central, which passes through Jackson. At the time the Michigan Southern received its charter it had agreed to build a branch road from its main line to Jackson, but from 1846, the time when the sale of the road was made, to 1853, it had entirely neglected to keep its agreement.

Dr. McNaughton at this latter date was a member of the State Senate, and Hon. Amos Root, of the House of Representatives, from Jackson County. There was at this session of the legislature a strife between the Michigan Southern and the Michigan Central Railroads, the former desiring a general railroad law, and the latter being opposed thereto, the Southern desiring to extend its line from Monroe to Detroit. Taking advantage of this contest between rival roads, the doctor and Mr. Root secured an agreement from Elisha Litchfield, the representative of the Southern road, both in his own name and also that of the company which he represented, that it would fulfill its long delayed promise, and would proceed immediately to build the "branch." It very soon carried out its agreement, and by the completion of this road the citizens of Central Michigan were enabled to enjoy the benefit of two competing lines to New York, an immense advantage to the city and county, and which in reality laid the foundation of all the other roads centring at Jackson, for this took place before any northern road was built, or scarcely thought of. To the judgment, the discrimination, the tact, the decision, and the farsightedness of these two men in this matter, Jackson and the country around it will ever remain indebted in an untold sum, so long as the iron girders unite it to the outside world.

They laid, by this transaction, the corner-stone of Jackson's future greatness, and it was done by careful foresight, prompt action, rigid firmness, and unswerving integrity.

But their enterprise and energy did not end here. Before the Southern company had finished the "branch," and as soon as it was evident it would be built, they, with three other parties, took up the franchises of a company chartered to build a road from Jackson to Grand Rapids, known as the Grand River Valley Railroad Company.

The company made a survey from Jackson to Lansing, it being the intention to build to Grand Rapids by way of Lansing. When money was called for, the three other parties went out of the company, leaving the project substantially in the hands of McNaughton and Root, who, with no railroad capital but their brains, determined to build the Grand River Valley Railroad. They conceived the plan of obtaining "municipal aid," and sought for legislative action, whereby under some law municipalities might vote aid for the project.

This they did mainly because there were very few parties at Jackson or along the line of the contemplated road that had any spare cash to put into a railroad, and also because many of the business men of Jackson had the impression and belief that a railroad extending northwardly would not benefit the town, or rather these men had their various business interests—some were merchants, some millers, some mechanics—and each one had his business connections and his customers, many of whom came from the north five, ten, twenty and thirty miles. These men thought a railroad to the north would injure them, and so they opposed the project, and laughed at its projectors as visionary enthusiasts, or sneered at them as unscrupulous speculators doomed to disappointment.

But it mattered not with these gentlemen; they went steadily forward, slowly of necessity, but surely. Of all the men in Jackson, these were the men that knew no backing out; every move was a move for success, and so they labored and worked, and waited. Various plans were devised, various work done, but still no municipal aid. It was not regarded with favor except by a few, and sundry objections were made, which kept everything "in statu quo" till about the year 1863. That year Hon. H. A. Hayden was a member of the legislature, from Jackson County. He was a miller, and opposed to any railroad to the North as injurious to his interests, but promised that he would not oppose the municipal aid scheme, but would favor it, and agreed to introduce a bill under which aid might be voted.

The session passed on, however, and no news came to Jackson of the introduction of the proposed bill.

On the evening previous to the last day on which new bills could be introduced in the legislature, McNaughton and Root met, and finding that neither had any news of the introduction of their bill, they agreed to go the next day to Lansing. The next morning they took stage, and arrived at Lansing about ten o'clock in the evening, having been delayed by roads so muddy as to be almost impassable, only to find no bill introduced, and, of course, no intention to pass any. It seemed that not only the Jackson member was opposed, but that the Lansing people did not care to have the Grand River Valley Road assisted, fearing it might be built to Grand Rapids, and not touch Lansing, and being otherwise jealous of Jackson interests.

Not to be thwarted, however, in the prosecution of a great public interest, they found the Secretary of the Senate, and gave to him the title of a bill to be sent to the printer with the other business of the day as a bill introduced by title. The bill itself was prepared the next morning, and, to avoid any objections to it on the part of the member from Jackson County, and also on the part of the Lansing people, it was drawn and introduced as a bill to vote aid for a railroad from Jackson to Lansing—no mention being made of the Grand River Valley Railroad Company. It was, as afterward amended, entitled "An act to authorize the city of Jackson, and several townships of Jackson County, to pledge their credit, and the county of Ingham to raise by tax or borrow money to aid in the construction of a railroad from Jackson to Lansing." The bill was passed and became a law, and it formed the basis and was the starting-point of the building of the Jackson, Lansing, and Saginaw Railroad. For, instead of applying it to the Grand River Valley Railroad Company, a new company was immediately organized, with the Hon. H. A. Hayden as president, to build a road from Jackson to Lansing. Steps were soon taken for voting aid, and under the general provisions of the law which allowed the people to dictate the terms, one condition was made that the company receiving the aid (the Jackson and Lansing Company) should so locate and construct its road as to make it convenient to run the cars of the Grand River Valley Road over it for a distance of ten miles, and this they were required to do at the next session of the legislature. An enabling act was passed for the Grand River Valley Road directly, allowing Jackson, Eaton, and Kent Counties either by counties or their municipalities to vote aid for this company; and thus, by the timely introduction of this bill, and its passage as Act 190 of Session Laws of 1863, and which law was, in fact, stolen by the gentlemen who organized the Jackson, Lansing, and Saginaw Railroad Company as the originators expected and desired it should be, a new company was called into life, opponents of a railroad to the North were made its friends, and aid was given to the Grand River Valley project equal to building the first ten miles of its track.

The building of the Grand River Valley Road was then entered upon vigorously. Aid was obtained in various ways, both by subscription and

by the votes of municipalities, and the project soon had many new friends. After doing a good deal of hard labor in this field for several years longer, the doctor left the road entirely in the hands of Mr. Root, and engaged actively in the construction of the Michigan Air Line Road, heretofore noticed.

Of this road he was elected the managing director; and to his skill and indomitable energy is to be attributed, beyond question, the building of every foot of that road that is now finished.

The section from Jackson to South Bend is now in the hands of the Michigan Central Company, and is said to be the best piece of new road in the State of Michigan. The doctor left all active control of the Michigan Air Line about two years ago, in consequence of some disagreement in the Board of Directors, since when, not an additional foot of the road has been completed.

In the spring of 1835 Dr. McNaughton married Miss Sarah Orcutt, of Rutland, Vermont. This union was of short duration, Mrs. McNaughton dying in the fall of 1836, leaving two children, twins, one of whom, a son, is now living. In 1848 he married Miss Mary R. Turner, of Jackson, formerly of Hartford, Connecticut. This union has proved a most happy one, and a family of four children, three of whom are now living, have blessed the "Home Circle." The eldest son, Charles, after taking high honors in his class in Yale, in 1869, and in his twenty years of life endearing himself to all who knew him, was called to the better home in the fall of the same year. Aside from this the family circle is complete.

The doctor is a member of the First Congregational Church, and has been since 1847. In politics he is a staunch Republican, and has been a member of that party since its earliest formation. He was elected in 1853 to the State Senate from his district, running at that time on the Whig ticket. He was also, in 1866 and 1867, Mayor of the city, and during his term of office inaugurated many improvements about the city.

In personal appearance the doctor is a little above the medium height, with light hair sprinkled with gray, and a heavy iron-gray beard, an intelligent and expressive countenance, every lineament of which is an index to the force of character that marks the man. The gray beard and the furrows in the forehead speak of advancing days, but the strong voice and undimmed eye bespeak years of future usefulness.

As a speaker the doctor is a vigorous reasoner, able debater, fluent, quick in perception, and versatile in natural talents. In social life he wields a large influence. The unseen power of any man, even of one whose life is narrowed to a single circle, is great, but with a man occupying the positions in life that the subject of this article does, rising from being a farm-laborer to an independence and a home of ease and comfort, his influence cannot be hedged by the artificial confines and busy routine of society.

A man of energy, he is able to overreach all the obstacles in his path, and find an intelligent sympathy with humanity. With a warm, genial nature, and personal social qualities that endear him to a large circle of intimate acquaintances, he has the respect and esteem of the whole community. His warm, hearty sympathy and friendly counsel have won for him the respect and friendship of all who have been brought in contact with him either in social or business relations.

Much of the good that is done in life is unknown to men. The influence that comes from a godless, unworthy character is dreary and poisonous, but that which comes from the noble and pure is full of blessed power.

May the example of such men encourage others; may it increase respect for small beginnings, and serve as a noble example to coming generations.

W. H. C.

#### SAMSON STODDARD, M.D., CONCORD.

There are few sketches of the representative men of Jackson County that will be read with more interest and pleasure than that of Dr. Stoddard. Settling in the county in the earliest days of its infancy, and growing to middle age, and finally to nearly the allotted age of man, *threescore and ten*, while the county has been growing in wealth and population until it to-day stands as one of the first in the State, we can but reverence this representative of the early history of the county, who to-day, with two companions, Judge DeLand and J. T. Durand, alone remain of the first settlers in the county.

Dr. Stoddard was born at Vienna, Oneida County, New York, February 7, 1806. His parents, Goodwin and N. S. Stoddard, were, at the time of his birth, farmers; but when Dr. Stoddard was about seven years of age his father left the farm and entered the Methodist Episcopal Church as a clergyman. He was afterwards, for many years, the presiding elder of the Eastern District of New York. The ancestors came over from England some time in the seventeenth century, and settled in Connecticut. They were strict Presbyterians,—many of the male members of the family having been clergymen in that denomination.

Dr. Stoddard was the eldest of a family of eight children, of whom but three are now living. As a boy, he was brought up subject to the frequent changes attending the life of a Methodist minister. He enjoyed such facilities for attending school and fitting himself for a life of usefulness as the district schools where he lived could furnish. When sixteen he entered the Wyoming Seminary, in Genesee County, New York. Elder Bradley, the founder of the institution, was then at its head, and the school was in a flourishing and prosperous condition. Dr. Stoddard remained here for some three years, or until he was nineteen years of age,—except one term in the winter, when he taught a district school at the wages of thirteen dollars a month. On leaving Wyoming Seminary he entered Fairfield Medical College, from which institution he graduated in 1828 and 1829 with his degree of M.D. After spending one year in New York, in Steubenville County, in the practice of his profession, he decided to try his fortune on the western frontier. And in the early part of September, 1830, we find him settled in Jacksonburgh, and engaged in the practice of his profession. As there were, at this early date, but few settlers in the county, there was little for a physician to do. The city of Jackson was then but a "nursling," there being only five or six log cabins partly built, and one little frame house put up with studdings and sided

with oak "planks" hewn with an axe, and not a very comfortable residence at that.

Judge DeLand, I. W. Bennett, William R. Thompson, the Blackmans, and Mr. J. T. Durand were at the time the only settlers.

Finding that time was plenty on his hands, and that his practice would not demand his constant attention, the Doctor bought an axe and went to chopping logs for the erection of a saw-mill; it being necessary to complete this mill in order to enable the people to get boards for the construction of their houses and to secure themselves for the winter. Nearly every man in the settlement joined hands in the work. Not having been accustomed to this kind of manual labor, the Doctor felt the effects of severe and unusual labor, but he stuck bravely to his task; did his part towards pushing the mill to a speedy completion. They succeeded in putting the mill in running order that fall, but, winter opening on them, they were not able to do very much sawing. After the work on the mill was completed, they formed a lumber company, of which the Doctor was a member, and they went up the banks of the river and commenced cutting the logs. While engaged at this work, and after the dam had been constructed, causing the water to rise along the banks of the river, they found that they were in need of a boat for transportation, and so forth. Selecting two whitewood logs of good size, they dug them out, and screwing them together, they prepared to launch their boat, which was capable of carrying some six tons burden. Having constructed ways, some six of the men took hold to assist in the launching of the boat,—the Doctor being among the number. Not a word was said; each seemed to be intent upon his work, and lent his shoulder to the craft to hasten its passage to its future element; but when the boat struck the water and floated, as though by common consent every man sprang aboard, the uppermost idea in each man's mind being that "he was going to have the first ride."

We have not here the opportunity to recall only here and there an incident in the eventful life of the subject of this biography. The many incidents that we might record of his experiences and associations in those early days would fill a volume. Often has he crossed the river and intervening streams on buttonwood logs to attend patients in Grass Lake after dark at night. He says that he used to walk the distance in two hours, with the spow two or three inches deep. Sometimes he received a compensation for his services, but more frequently it was gratuitous.

In 1832 the Doctor visited New York, and married Miss Sarah Maria Blake, of Livonia, Livingston County. They had nine children,—five daughters and four sons, seven of whom are now living; Dr. John P. Stoddard, of Albion, Calhoun County, being the eldest. Lois, the oldest daughter, married to Mr. Flemming, and died in California in 1873. Byron Stoddard, acting lieutenant of the 6th Michigan, and the third son, died in the defense of his country's flag, July 17, 1863, before Port Hudson. In July, 1851, death first invaded the family circle, and took therefrom the wife and mother. Mrs. Stoddard had shared many of the trials and privations of the pioneer life with her husband; had been a true companion in her aid and counsel, and, at her death, left in the home circle a vacant place that none could leave who were not, like her, beloved and respected.

Dr. Stoddard contracted a second marriage in January, 1854, with Mrs. Emily Thayer Lathrop, of Concord; a son and daughter have blessed this last union, and Mrs. Stoddard is now living and gracing the family circle.

It was about 1833 that the Doctor, finding that Jackson was prevalent with the so-called Michigan fever, and having suffered severely in his family with the disease, both in his own person and that of his wife, decided to change his residence into a more healthy portion of the county. He in consequence bought some land on Sections 11 and 14 in the present town of Concord, and, though intending to give up the practice of his profession, the frequent demands on his services rendered it imperative that he continue his practice, though he might also carry on his farm at the same time. Such was his daily life until some fourteen years since, when he gave up the practice entirely, and let his two eldest sons have the farm, and bought himself a new place, a mile west of the old farm, on sections 16 and 9. Here he has lived until last April, when he moved out of the county into Albion, and bought himself a fine residence near the college.

When the county was organized, in 1835, Dr. Stoddard was appointed by the Territorial Governor, Porter, County Clerk and County Treasurer, both offices being at that date held by the same party. He continued to hold this position until Michigan was admitted into the Union as a State, and then he declined all further office. He also, in later years, held the office of Supervisor of Concord for two years.

The Doctor cast his first vote in the State of New York, for John Q. Adams, at his first election for President, and has kept in the ranks of the Whig and Republican parties ever since until the last election, when he voted for Horace Greeley.

Doctor Stoddard is a man who has now the universal respect and esteem of his fellow-citizens during the forty years that he has resided in the county. He is a man of sterling integrity, untiring industry, and is strictly temperate in his habits, has a warm, genial disposition, a heart full of sympathy for the suffering and needy, and has won the love and affection of all who know him by his readiness to aid, both practically and otherwise, those who, by their wants and sufferings, present a claim upon his generosity. Few men who have arrived at the age of threescore and ten can present a history more replete with personal honor, and one which reflects greater credit upon the inner life of the man, than that of the subject of this sketch. The lessons of his life should stimulate the rising generation of this county to adopt as their own that which this history shows has been the leading motto in the life of our friend, that "whatever is worth doing at all is worth doing well."

We bespeak for Dr. Stoddard many days of peace and comfort, and in the hereafter may he reap a rich reward as the fruit of his labors!

"We weave ourselves the warp or woof  
Of which the coming life is made,  
And fill our future's atmosphere  
With sunshine or with shade.

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"Ah, yes! we live our lives again,  
Or warmly touched, or coldly dim,  
The pictures of the past remain,  
Man's works shall follow him."

#### JOAB BIGELOW, CONCORD.

In attempting to write a sketch of the incidents and events of the life of a man who has passed the age of fourscore years, we are conscious that it will be impossible, in the space allowed, to more than merely touch on some of the principal features of a life that has been replete with interest, and is well worthy the attention of every man and woman in the county.

Mr. Bigelow was born in the town of Guilford, county of Winham, Vermont, October 22, 1793. His parents, Josiah and Sarah Bigelow, with six sons and three daughters, in 1800 moved from his birthplace far into the wilderness, as it was thought at that day, and settled in Pompey, Onondaga County, New York. They speedily cleared a place for a homestead, erected a log cabin, and went to cultivating the soil, depending thereon, and likewise on their skill in the use of the rifle, for their daily sustenance. At this period of the early history of Mr. Bigelow the home circle was unbroken. It was a happy place. Father, mother, brothers, and sisters living in blissful happiness and content made that frontier cabin almost an Eden on earth. There was a charm that seemed to bind soul to soul. The heart's affections were all aglow with radiance, and youth was exuberant with joy and hope. The earth looked fine and full of promise, and no shadow rested upon their happy group. But death, in 1803, invaded their home of peace and content, and removed the father, and, three years later, the mother was also taken away. From this time the circle was broken, the children were separated to find a home among strangers. And of all that family, the subject of this article is the only living representative to-day.

Mr. Bigelow went to live with an old Presbyterian deacon; the family were highly respected, and he had a home with them for nine years, or until he was twenty-one. During the last three years of his minority, from 1812 to 1815, he was a member of a military company of grenadiers or "minute-men."

On gaining his majority, he left Pompey to ~~carry~~ his fortune in a new home and among strangers. The Genesee country had but just been heard of. Le Roy and Batavia, except along the road leading from Canandaigua to Buffalo, being, in 1812, almost an unknown wilderness.

The Craga tract of land at Le Roy and the Holland purchase at Batavia had, however, just been surveyed, and were in the market. Mr. Bigelow, with nothing but a pack on his back, containing all his worldly goods, and an axe on his shoulder, entered this new domain, built a log hut, and then returned to consummate the contract of conjugal love with Miss Lois Putnam, a descendant of General Israel Putnam, of Revolutionary fame, and daughter of Major Peter Putnam, of Batavia. This was in 1818, two years after he had made his entry of his one hundred acres of land. Previous to this Mr. Bigelow had been employed, in 1815, in April to go to Long Point, Canada, and transact some business for two gentlemen, who had during the late war left their homes on account of disaffection. Their real estate had been confiscated, but learning that they might be able to save some of their personal property, they had employed Mr. Bigelow to attend to the business for them. Having received the proper papers, he started on his trip the 20th of April, on foot, and walked some twenty-six miles, on the Lewiston road, in less than half a day, stopping overnight at a tavern. The next day he pursued his journey to Lewiston, crossed the Niagara River into Queenstown, and thence up the Chippewa River through a wilderness, often going ten or twelve miles without seeing a sign of habitation. Twelve miles from the mouth of Grand River, there was a house kept by a Frenchman named John Delares. It being near night, he got permission to remain over the night. There were some eight Indians and two white men who were, at the time of his arrival, engaged in pitching quoits behind the house. They came in, shortly after his arrival, and called for a pint of whisky, and, after consuming that, for another pint, and even the third, they singing and dancing around. When they discovered that Mr. Bigelow was from Batavia, New York, they used every device that they could imagine to get him out of the house, intending, he afterwards discovered, to knock him in the head, and throw him into the river; but he seemed to be protected by some unseen power, and they were unable to consummate their devices, and about midnight left him in peace. He the next morning pushed on his journey, and, arriving at his destination, transacted the business upon which he was sent, and then returned home the same way, meeting with many thrilling adventures, and receiving hospitality from the hands of the settlers and friendly Indians along the route.

Mr. Bigelow resided on his farm in Batavia for twenty years, and yet not content, and induced by the love of adventure, in 1835, contrary to the advice of friends, who remonstrated and expostulated in vain, he mounted his black charger and pursued his way through Canada to Detroit, and thence to a muddy, inferior-looking place called Jackson, and soon to be the county seat of Jackson County. He tarried for one night at Blackman's hotel, and the next morning started on a tour of observation with the intention of purchasing, if he could find any land that would suit him. Going on to where the village of Concord now stands, he found some land, owned by a Mr. Humphrey, of Batavia, which he was so well pleased with that he resolved to return to Batavia and take a deed of the property.

In the spring of 1836, after twenty-eight days' traveling through Pennsylvania and Ohio, he arrived with his family in Concord, in the then Territory of Michigan, and has lived on the same premises thirty-eight years.

Mr. Bigelow has raised a family of six children, two sons and four daughters, all of whom are now living except the eldest daughter. Josiah, the eldest son, is a farmer, and is now the proprietor of the old homestead; while Franklin, the second son, is a physician in Syracuse, New York.

In October, 1847, his first wife died, and in the following year (1848)



he married Miss Chloe Wells, of Pompey, New York, and a daughter of Judge Asa Wells, of that place, who, after living with him three years, died October, 1851.

Mr. Bigelow has had an eventful life. He has been honored with positions of trust by his fellow-citizens from time to time, and is universally respected and esteemed by his large circle of acquaintances. In early life, in 1823, he was unanimously elected a lieutenant of a company of infantry, 194th Regiment, of New York, and commissioned by Governor Gates. In 1827 he received from Governor De Witt Clinton a commission as captain. In 1838 he was elected, by a universal vote at Concord, a magistrate for four years, and in 1842 and 1846 was re-elected, serving in all twelve years.

Mr. Bigelow, though over eighty-one years of age, is still as hale and hearty as a man of fifty,—active, energetic, and industrious in his daily life, temperate and moral in his personal habits, he has filled out many days of usefulness and bids fair to still live many years.

We cannot do better, in closing the biography of this noble man, than use his own language:

"After all the inconveniences, trials, and dangers of a pioneer life, I am brought to forget or veil the past, to let memory only dwell on the pleasant things, to remember only the good of those who have fallen by the way, only their kind words and deeds; yet, their radiant smiles come up before me, a mist of consecration to hallow all the past. Yet the past is only ours by the shadowy tenure of recollection. The present alone is ours in possession, in which we may, as the hours glide by, redeem the past and plume ourselves for a higher life, which should be the object, aim, and destiny of man."

#### THORNTON N. STRINGHAM.

Mr. Stringham was born in Mamakating Township, Ulster County, New York, April 12, 1812. When only two years of age his parents, who were well-to-do farmers, moved from thence to the township of Owasco, Cayuga County, where he lived until about twenty years of age, when he moved on to a farm in Onondaga County. He remained here about four years, and then came to Michigan, following the tide of emigrants which was at that time, 1836, flocking towards the new country that was holding out such glorious promises of wealth and prosperity to whom would come and till the soil. After reaching Michigan, he settled on a farm in Washtenaw County, where he lived for about five years. In 1841 he moved from Manchester to Eaton Rapids, now known as Hamlin, where he remained for fifteen years. From here, in 1856, he moved into the township of Tompkins, Jackson County, and settled on a farm. Four years later he was nominated on the Republican ticket for the office of Supervisor. The position was entirely unsought and unexpected, and he immediately declined the nomination, and for a long time refused to have his name used in connection with the office; he, however, finally had to waive personal feelings and submit to the will of his fellow-townsmen, and become the party candidate. He was elected by a very strong party vote, and was re-elected to the office the following two terms. He discharged the duties of the office faithfully and honestly, and won the respect of the members of both parties.

In 1861 he sold his farm and moved to Tompkins Centre, where he opened a store. In 1862 he was, at the request of his fellow-townsmen, appointed Postmaster, and held the position thereafter for nearly five years. In 1868 he moved from Jackson County into Ingham County, settling in Onondaga Village, where he is now engaged in carrying on the mercantile business. He is also Postmaster in this village.

Mr. Stringham is a self-made man in the strongest sense of the term. His opportunities for school facilities were meagre, he only attending four terms after he was fourteen years of age, receiving this little instruction only by diligent labor during the summer season, by which he was enabled to earn enough to pay his expenses at the winter school. He has carved out his own fortune, having had no help whatever except a pair of socks given him by a sister when he was about starting out in life for himself.

Mr. Stringham has reared quite a large family of children. He is a strong advocate of the principles of the Republican party, and has always been a warm supporter of the party ticket. As a man he is highly esteemed wherever he is known, as is illustrated by the confidence that his fellow-citizens have shown him from time to time in elevating him to official positions.

#### HON. A. H. DE LAMATER, COLUMBIA.

Mr. De Lamater is a native of the "Empire State," being one of the descendants of Captain Isaac De Lamater, who was probably the progenitor of all who bear the name in this country. The family are able to trace back their genealogy to this "Adam" of their race, who is represented to have belonged to the Huguenot sect, who were so bitterly persecuted by the papacy of France, and who, after the revocation of the "Edict of Nantes," fled to Holland.

There is a cane now owned by Isaac De Lamater, an uncle to the subject of this sketch, which has been handed down from father to son to the present generation, marked, "Capt. Isaac de Lamater, 1656." This was in all probability about the time that he came to America! He was one of the earliest settlers of Ulster County, New York, settling previous to the congregating of the settlers in the stockaded town or village of Esopus (Kingstown), in 1658.

There is another quite distinguished genealogy belonging to this line of the De Lamater family. John De Lamater, the fourth generation from Captain Isaac De Lamater, married Miss Maria Kipp, who was of the fifth generation of the descendants of the famous Anneke Jans of New York City. The genealogical papers, pamphlets, and documents in the hands of Mr. De Lamater show most conclusively that he is in truth a direct descendant of both of these men who were so intimately connected with the early history of New York.

Mr. A. H. De Lamater's father formerly lived in Dutchess County, New York. He, however, moved from there to Pompey, Onondaga County, about the year 1800. Here he married Miss Yoa Eaton, Nov. 13, 1806. Mr. De Lamater was born here April 13, 1811. His father

gave him good opportunities to secure an education, and up to his sixteenth year he spent most of his time in school, finishing his education at the Cazenovia Seminary. About this time (1827) his father removed from Pompey to Sullivan, Madison County, where the son (A. H.) engaged alternately in farming and teaching.

In 1831 he married Miss Ann Alida Adams, of Lansingburg, on the Hudson River.

In the spring of 1834 he quit his native State and sought the wilds of Michigan, accompanied by his cousin, Edward De Lamater, and his old schoolmate and friend, Samuel T. Marsh. From Detroit they went on foot into the almost unbroken wilderness. Arriving at Clark's Lake, they found the country and its surroundings so attractive, and were so favorably impressed with the soil, that they settled on the southern shore of that beautiful lake side by side, and up to the present time they have made this place their home. Here to-day they live in beautiful residences, surrounded by finely-cultivated fields, fruit-bearing orchards, all the result of sturdy industry and skillful management.

Mr. De Lamater had studied the theory of surveying at the East, and had abundant opportunity to put his knowledge into practice, and much of his time was drawn off from farm labor in consequence.

He was elected first surveyor of the county after the organization of the State of Michigan, and was continued in this position for many years. From time to time he was called upon to run out the lines of most of the farms and highways in his own and neighboring township, and more or less throughout the county.

On the organization of his township he was honored with the position of Supervisor, and was successively re-elected for several terms thereafter.

In 1836 and 1837 he entered into a co-partnership with his brother De Witt C. and J. H. and B. Du Bois in the erection of a flouring-mill at Jefferson. It was a first-class water-power, and they received an immense patronage, yet, having become largely involved by the outlay, and the panic of "Wild Cat Banks" rushing in upon them, they became deeply embarrassed, and were only able to liberate themselves by the utmost economy, untiring perseverance, and a manifest intent of meeting their liabilities to their creditors. Mr. De Lamater shortly after sold out his interest in the mill at a great sacrifice, and thus terminated the most unfortunate financial event of his life.

In the fall of 1840 he was called upon to mourn the loss of his wife, with whom he had lived for nine years. His brother, D. C. De Lamater, died the same season. In November, 1842, he contracted a second marriage, with Miss Lydia A. Parmuter, of Steuben County, New York, with whom he is still living. Mr. De Lamater has been especially blessed in his domestic relations, and though no children of his own have "played round the door," he has enjoyed the happiness of a peaceful and agreeable home.

During the winter of 1843 and 1844 he served his county in the State Legislature.

Having become a settler in the county while it was yet almost an entire wilderness, and having been active, privately and officially, in all the progressive developments around him, he has surrounded himself with a numerous circle of friends.

His portrait, in this volume, will be readily recognized among the group from Columbia Township, and from it as well as from the original can be traced the real character of the man. Energy, solidity, and integrity form the basis of that character, and though by nature he is impetuous and high-spirited, yet having put these passions under control, he has a reputation for amiability and kindness, and in his extensive associations with his fellow-citizens, socially, financially, and officially, he has gained their esteem and admiration, and we believe that he barely express the sentiment of the public as we record him among the foremost ranks of the representative men of the county of Jackson.

Although he is now past the noontime of his life, yet we trust that the years of his usefulness may be many, that peace and joy may continue to bless his life, and that when his career shall finally close, his name and example may be commemorated by every citizen of Jackson County, and he find in the hereafter a rich reward for all his labors and efforts of love.

"Sculptures of life are we, as we stand  
With our souls uncovered before us,  
Waiting the hour when by God's command  
Our life-dreams pass before us.

"If we carve them deep on the yielding stone  
With many a sharp incision,  
Its heavenly beauty shall be our own,  
Our own the angel vision."

#### HARVEY BUSH.

Among the prominent men of Jackson County who have risen to places of influence and honor from the smallest beginnings, and who command to-day the respect and admiration of their fellow-citizens, stands the present County Recorder, Harvey Bush, Esq., of Jackson, who was born in Oswego, New York, in 1824. He had in his early years but little opportunity to attend school, and up to his twelfth year had only been able to attend the winter district school a few terms. In the fall of 1836 he came with his father's family to the new State of Michigan. They came overland, and were a long time in making the passage, but finally reached their destination, and settled on a farm in Eckford, Calhoun County, and remained there until 1841, when they moved to Kalamazoo County. Mr. Bush remained here with his parents, working on the farm, until he was twenty-three years of age, except a year (1843) when he attended a branch of the Michigan University at Kalamazoo. In 1847 he went into the wagon business at Kalamazoo, in partnership with Edwin H. Porter, under the firm name of Porter & Bush. Mr. Bush had had no experience whatever in this business, but being a natural mechanic, he was able to readily acquire a skill in the work, and for the next six years the firm carried on the business with great profit to themselves. In the fall of 1853 Mr. Bush came to Jackson as foreman and superintendent of the wagon department of the State prison,—a position which he held eleven

years, or until 1864. In the fall of 1864 he was elected Register of Deeds of Jackson County; and in 1866 was re-elected. He filled the position to the complete satisfaction of all of his constituents. There is, perhaps, no office in the county which demands more constant care and attention than that of Register of Deeds. Mr. Bush proved himself equal to all the duties and trusts of the office, and in again electing him to the same position the people of the county have shown their appreciation of his worth and ability.

From January 1, 1869, when he left the office of Register, he was the State Agent of the Security Fire Insurance Company of New York,—holding the position up to the time of the great Chicago fire, when, the company failing, he took a similar position in the Franklin Company of Philadelphia, which position he held until again elected as Register of Deeds for the county, in September, 1872,—he having received the unanimous nomination from the Republican County Convention for the office.

Mr. Bush was a delegate to the National Convention held in Philadelphia in 1872, when Grant and Wilson were nominated for the highest offices in the gift of the American people. Mr. Bush's choice, as was that of many other of the Western members of the Convention, was for retaining Mr. Colfax for another term; but, as is well known, they were overcome by the members from the New England States, and Mr. Wilson received the nomination in place of Mr. Colfax.

Mr. Bush is Chairman of the Republican County Convention, and during the last campaign he made his first stump speech. He had always been a warm friend and supporter of Governor Blair; but when the Governor "took his departure" and supported Greeley and the platform of the Cincinnati Convention, Mr. Bush, with many others in the county of Jackson, felt that *principles*, not *men*, were at stake, and threw the whole weight of his influence to secure the defeat of the Greeley ticket, upon which Governor Blair was the gubernatorial candidate. It was, without doubt, as much due to the energy and zeal of Mr. Bush as to any one thing that Governor Blair was not able to carry his own county.

In addition to the offices above mentioned, Mr. Bush has received municipal honors from the city of Jackson, having, in 1865, been elected from the first ward as Alderman, which position he held for two years. He was also unanimously nominated by the Republican Convention as Mayor in the spring of 1869, but declined the honor.

Few men have risen to such honorable positions from such frugal beginnings; though only a poor mechanic when he came into the county, he now holds one of the highest positions of trust in the county. At the time of his last nomination, the Democrats nominated, as they supposed, their best man to run against Mr. Bush; but though they expected to receive a majority of twelve hundred, Mr. Bush was elected by a majority of three hundred and five,—a larger vote than was received by any other county officer. Mr. Bush is a man of true, sterling integrity, of a warm, genial disposition, and a friend to the working-man,—hence his popularity. He is the senior partner of the insurance firm of Bush, Brown & Bush, his son being the junior partner.

Mr. Bush married, December 31, 1846, Miss Laura M. Burdick, of Kalamazoo County, and has five children living.

#### HON. SYDNEY T. SMITH,

of Grass Lake, was born in Chenango County, New York, October, 1809, of New England parentage. His parents, John and Lydia Smith, were well-to-do farmers. Lydia was the youngest of eleven children. His father died in his infancy. He was brought up as a farmer until eighteen years of age, when he attended Hamilton Academy for a short time, and taught two winters. He shortly afterwards engaged in the mercantile business with L. D. Hale, in Pulaski, Oswego County, New York. In 1835 he married Miss Harriet B., a daughter of John Wood, of Pulaski. While carrying on his mercantile business, he, jointly with others, engaged in the building of a vessel to be used on the lakes for the transportation of grain,—she running from Oswego to Chicago. The next year (1836) they bought a schooner and went into the lumber trade on Lake Michigan. In 1839 he moved with his family to Michigan, settling on Section 34 in the Township of Grass Lake. Here he opened a store in company with his old partner, Mr. Hale; but when the railroad was completed through the town (1842), finding that their business-stand was going to be too far from the station, they moved their store into the village, where they had previously built a store and warehouse. This latter building was of great service to the community, as, for a long time, the railroad company had no warehouse, and Messrs. Hale & Smith attended to the railroad business until the company erected a depot of their own. The firm engaged, in addition to their business, in the purchase and sale of produce, wool, and wheat; sometimes buying one hundred thousand bushels of the latter in a season. In 1855 he sold out his interest in his business and retired to his farm, about a mile out of the village, where he has since resided.

In the fall of 1856 he was elected by a very large Republican majority to represent his district in the legislature. Was there two sessions.

Mr. Smith was one of the original organizers of the Farmers' Insurance Company, and was for a long time Secretary of that Association. Since he retired from business he has lived mainly on the interest of his money. He owns one of the finest places in the whole county, a view of which will be found elsewhere in this work. During the war Mr. Smith was directly interested to a large extent in raising troops and preventing a draft in his town. He not only contributed his time and influence to secure a full quota from Grass Lake, but also aided largely with his means, and did all that could be done in this way to pull down the rebellion.

Mr. Smith has had eleven children, nine of whom are living at the present time, four being still at home. He is a gentleman of great ability, sterling integrity, and highly esteemed by a large circle of friends. Possessing a warm, genial disposition, fond of society, and having in his business and social life been thrown in contact with a large class of people, his acquaintance is very extended, and wherever he is known he is greatly admired.

## HON. JAMES O'DONNELL.

Probably no sketch in this work will better exemplify the opportunities afforded the youth of our country, and especially of the West, to rise in the scale of social position and usefulness; if, to average capacity and business ability, is added a determination to advance in whatever profession or occupation circumstances may mark out for them, and an honesty of purpose and strict integrity that will lift them above all sordid desires or grasping ambition.

The gentleman of whom we write, though still young, has, by these qualities, with steady, persevering industry, and a courteous, genial bearing, that has always made him friends, but with no startling episode of good fortune or "stroke of luck," already risen to a place among the leading men of our State; and the trusts reposed in him by his fellow-citizens and the universal esteem in which he is held indicate a still brighter and higher career for him in the future.

James O'Donnell, the present editor and proprietor of the *Jackson Daily and Weekly Citizen*, the leading newspaper of the interior in our State, was born in Norwalk, Connecticut, March 25, 1840. Reared by frugal and industrious parents, although not enjoying the advantages of affluence, he early evinced a ready wit and a self-reliance in thought and action, that has since been, in a great measure, the secret of his success.

Removing to Michigan, with his parents, two brothers, and a sister, in 1848, when but eight years of age, and settling in Jackson, then but an unpretending village, the subject of this sketch was thus early in life thrown upon his own resources. For a considerable time he was employed as a clerk in the grocery store of W. Jackson. He had had but little opportunity for schooling, and his education was limited until in 1854, when he was apprenticed to the printer's trade, and entered the "poor man's college," as the printing office has been so aptly termed, in the establishment of which he is now the head, and for a time was engaged in the *Patriot* office. Here he worked at his trade until 1856, when he made a tour through several of the Western States, returning therefrom to Jackson in 1861.

Upon the breaking out of the rebellion, he entered the army of the Republic, being among the first in Jackson to volunteer. On his return, he again entered the office of the *Citizen*, this time in the capacity of associate editor. He was elected City Recorder in 1863, and held that important office through four successive years. In 1864 he purchased the *Citizen*, then only a weekly paper, after having served upon its corps in all the capacities of "devil," compositor, foreman, and editor; and one year thereafter, in 1865, he, in company with Mr. D. W. Ray, established the *Daily Citizen*. Mr. Ray died in the following spring, and left Mr. O'Donnell sole proprietor. Since this time he has edited and published this journal with universal satisfaction to the public and to the Republican party. On the same year of the starting of the *Daily Citizen* he was married to Miss Sarah M. Peterson, of Jackson.

In 1868 Mr. O'Donnell was the nominee of the Republican party for member of the State Legislature from the third Representative District of this county, comprising the city of Jackson and the townships of Summit, Spring Arbor, and Blackman. In this district, well known to be largely Democratic, he was defeated, but by a small majority. In 1872 he was nominated by the Republican State Convention for Presidential Elector, and, being elected by about sixty thousand majority, was chosen as the Secretary of the State Electoral College, and sent to Washington as the National Elector for the State of Michigan; as such he represented the Peninsular State in the National Electoral College, and cast the vote of this Commonwealth for GRANT and WILSON at the National Capital.

In 1878 he was the Republican nominee for Mayor of the city of Jackson, and, though leading his ticket over five hundred, was defeated by an inconsiderable majority.

What other honors as a public servant or a private citizen may yet be in store for him we are unable to say, but that he is deserving of the highest and noblest trusts that may be reposed in him by the people of his State or his more immediate constituents, we can most emphatically testify both from personal acquaintance and a knowledge of the high esteem in which he is held by his fellow-citizens.

The portrait and autograph of Mr. O'Donnell, and also a fine view of his residence on Jackson Street, one of the finest and most substantial in the city, will be found elsewhere, among our illustrations.

## JERRY REYNOLDS

Was born in Wayne County, New York, the 25th of September, 1808. His parents were farmers, and he had little opportunity of attending even the district school. At the age of fifteen he started out in business, and commenced learning the shoemaking and tanning trade; when nineteen he formed a partnership with Messrs. Root & King in Clyde, N. Y., with whom he continued for five years, when he moved to Concord, and bought 640 acres of land, Section 23. He carried on here a large farming interest, and also established a shoe manufactory on the farm, which he conducted up to 1854, when he formed a partnership with Mr. Root, under the firm name of Root & Reynolds, and carried on the business in the village of Concord. Some six years afterwards this partnership was dissolved, and he built a shop and carried on the business again alone for five years. He went on the credit system, and would give his customers all the time desired, and yet, contrary to the rule almost, with such men, he seldom lost anything. At the time of the marriage of the youngest son, W. H. Reynolds, he deeded the farm over to him and took up his residence in the village. The latter years of his life he carried on a brokerage business. He was a member of the Masonic Order. Was a Democrat up to 1848, when he cast his vote for Lewis Cass for President; after that time, however, he became a Whig, and subsequently a Republican.

In 1832 he married Miss Martha Ann West, of New York, with whom he lived up to the time of her death, in February, 1863. They had two children—Albert W. and William H. Reynolds, both of whom are now living in Concord. In 1864 he married Miss Maria Stookey, of Pulaski. For twelve years previous to his death, he held the office of Justice of the Peace in Concord.

He died at his residence in Concord, October 28, 1871, after an illness of only twenty-four hours. He enjoyed, in a large degree, the confidence

of his fellow-citizens, and has always been closely identified with the public interests of his adopted town. He was active and energetic, seldom undertaking anything that he did not in the end accomplish. When he first opened the shoe business in Concord, he used to draw his tanned leather from Detroit with an ox-team, and has many times walked the distance alone with his oxen through the snow or mud—over what would be regarded now as scarcely passable roads. His straightforward dealing with his fellow-townsmen, and his generosity and readiness to lend aid and comfort to the needy, has won for him a high place in the sincere esteem and respect of his fellow-citizens. His son, W. H. Reynolds, owns the old homestead, while the eldest son, Albert W., is carrying on his father's business, as well as overseeing a farm of his own.

## I. P. WHEELER, OF PULASKI,

Is well worthy of special mention as a representative man of Jackson County. He was born August 10, 1817, in Sudbury, Middlesex County, Massachusetts. His parents, Loren and Emma Wheeler, were farmers. His father died, however, when Mr. Wheeler was only five years of age, and he was bound out by his mother to a farmer in the town for his board and clothes until he should be fifteen years of age. He was able to attend the district school a little each winter, though his master gave him plenty of employment about the farm to employ so much of his time as to give him few opportunities to study. After leaving this "home" he worked on a farm for the next four years or until nineteen years of age, excepting one year that he drove a bread-cart in Watertown, Mass.

When nineteen, he resolved to seek a new home in the far West; and we find him, with all his worldly possessions tied neatly in a bundle, and one hundred dollars in money, taking the stage from Boston to Albany, where he took the cars to Schenectady, and from thence he took passage on a canal boat to Buffalo. From Buffalo he went to Erie by stage, and here he found a boat going to Detroit, on which he embarked. From Detroit he walked the distance to Ann Arbor, and from here again by stage to Moscow, from whence he footed it to his present residence in Pulaski. In this age of progress, when by means of steam we are able to traverse the whole of this distance, from Boston to Jackson, in less than forty-eight hours, it is hard to imagine the hardships attending the journey which we have simply outlined. Young Wheeler accomplished the journey in three weeks. Arriving at his destination, he engaged to work out on a farm by the month. A year after his arrival, he purchased 80 acres of land on Section 22, Pulaski, but in the course of two years he traded this farm for a saw-mill in Hillsdale County, and for the next three years was engaged in running this mill.

Marrying Miss Elmira R. Wilbur, of Pulaski, in December, 1841, he returned and bought out his father-in-law, Mr. Wilbur, who has ever since lived with him on the old place.

Mr. Wheeler now owns 408 acres of land on Section 15, and some 80 acres in another section. He has four children: three of his own, and one by adoption.

Mr. Wheeler was for some twenty years the Postmaster in Pulaski; he has also held the offices of Town Clerk, Road Commissioner, and for the past six years has been the Supervisor of the town. He ran on the Democratic ticket one year for Representative, but, being in a largely Republican district, he was defeated.

Mr. Wheeler has secured for himself, by his steady toil and persevering industry, as fine a farm as may be found in the county. He has received from the hands of his fellow-citizens the highest tokens of esteem and regard; and in his dealing with his neighbors, and with the world, he has won the universal esteem and respect of all.

This history, showing what results may be obtained from small beginnings through perseverance and industry, should stimulate every young man in Jackson County to follow so worthy an example.

## MARK L. RAY.

Few men of Jackson County are more deserving of mention than is the subject of this brief article. His life has been marked with no great deeds, nor has there been any special providences to pave his pathway to wealth. What he is, and what he has, is the result of the efforts of his indomitable energy and persevering industry. He is emphatically a self-made man.

Mr. Ray was born in Landgrove, Bennington County, Vermont, in 1814. When he was about six years of age, his parents, John and Elizabeth Langdell Ray, moved to Western New York, taking their family of eight, all their goods, and a very little money, in a one-horse wagon. The subject of this sketch was the youngest of three sons—his eldest brother John being now a resident of Western New York; he had also four sisters, the youngest of whom, Eliza, now Mrs. Charles G. Hide, of Kent County, Michigan, is the only one living at the present time.

On reaching Ontario County his parents selected a homestead in the town of Richmond. When about twelve years old he moved into the adjoining town of Canadice, and lived with his brother-in-law, Richard Walker; here he had his home until twenty-one years of age. Mr. Walker is now living in Armada, McCourt County. While living with Mr. Walker, young Ray was enabled to attend the district schools three or four months each winter, in an old log school-house, where Lindley Murray was the school-boy's dread, and thus, with the summer work on the farm, and the winter schooling, his time was passed until he reached the age of nineteen, when he engaged to teach the winter school himself. The first term he received ten dollars a month for his toil, care, and annoyance,—for there are few more trying positions in which a young man can be placed than that of the district schoolmaster. Mr. Ray taught some seven terms; after this first school, the highest wages that he at any time received being eighteen dollars per month.

When Mr. Ray was twenty-one, his brother-in-law gave him one hundred dollars; he had, in addition to this, saved from his earnings one hundred and twenty-five dollars. He had never seen a town of any size, but he resolved to strike out for himself into a new country; so, taking his little "wealth," he boarded a canal boat some fifteen miles west of Rochester, and took passage to Buffalo. Here he took a boat to Detroit,

and from the latter place footed the distance to Armada, McCourt County, with simply a shirt tied up in his pocket-handkerchief. He bought 160 acres of land on Section 12, paying two hundred dollars for the same; returning home he found that he had just twelve dollars and fifty cents left, having made the entire round trip on twelve dollars and fifty cents.

After this he continued teaching winters and working out farming at twelve dollars a month summers until 1842, when he was married to Miss Elvira J. Hartson, of Livingston County; and, at the same time, he bought a small and poor farm of 60 acres in Canadice for one thousand dollars, paying for it from his earnings and the amount that he realized, five hundred dollars, from the Michigan land, which he sold about this time. He lived on this very poor farm, really earning his daily sustenance by the "sweat of his brow," for eight years. While here he filled the offices of Inspector of Schools one term, and Supervisor one term, being elected to these offices as a Whig in a Democratic town.

In 1852 he moved to Michigan, coming by the lakes with his family of wife, two children, and mother-in-law; he having traded one of his poor farms in New York for his present homestead on Sections 14 and 15, Concord. Mr. Ray found that Michigan soil was very different from his New York home, and has been enabled, by his steady perseverance and frugal industry, to surround himself with one of the finest farms in the county of Jackson. He has now 420 acres of land, a fine residence, and the most complete and perfect arrangement of barns that we have ever seen. A view of this beautiful place will be found elsewhere among our illustrations, together with a portrait of Mr. Ray.

Mr. Ray has been Supervisor of the town of Concord two terms, and during the war he was Enrolling Officer for the town. Whatever bounty he at any time received for his services was invariably given to the soldiers.

Mrs. Ray, who was a lady of culture and refinement, and sincerely beloved by her large circle of acquaintances, died in June, 1859, leaving a place in the home circle that has never been filled.

Mr. Ray has two children, both of whom are living—Frank A. being at home, and the daughter, Emily, Mrs. J. B. Stoddard, living but a short distance from the old home.

Mr. Ray is a Republican in principle, and a man of sterling integrity. He possesses many of the characteristics of one of his distinguished ancestors, General Israel Putnam, who was a brother to his grandmother on his father's side. He has never sought office, but when it has been forced upon him by his fellow-townsmen he has always demonstrated that he was in every way worthy of their confidence and trust.

The history of such men as Mark L. Ray should stimulate every young man in Jackson County to put forth gigantic efforts towards a nobler manhood; and he has clearly shown that a man may be whatever he himself wills that he shall be.

## HON. THOMAS MCGEE.

There are few familiar with the early history and settlement of Jackson County who were not more or less familiar with the subject of this article.

Judge Thomas McGee came to this county from New York in 1832, and settled in that portion of Spring Arbor that is now known as Concord. He was a man of high moral integrity, great industry, and a strong friend to the poor and oppressed. Believing that slavery was a crime against both the laws of nations as well as of God, he was from his earliest year a strong Abolitionist, and, from the date of his settlement in Jackson County, became the station agent of the so-called *underground* railroad. Many a poor hound-hunted slave, coming to his door for shelter, food, and protection, has gone away blessing God that there beat within the breast of Thomas McGee a heart full of love and sympathy for the poor and oppressed.

Mr. McGee was in the fall of 1856 elected by the people of the county to the office of Probate Judge. He filled the position with dignity, and won the universal esteem of all those with whom his official relations closely allied him.

Retiring from the office in 1860, at the expiration of his term, to his farm in Concord, he passed the latter years of his life in the quiet of his home, surrounded by his family and friends. He died on the 6th of July, 1869, leaving behind him a large circle of friends and acquaintances. His son,

## JUDGE MELVILLE MCGEE, OF JACKSON,

Was born in Bolton, Warren County, New York, January 24, 1828, moving to Spring Arbor with his parents in 1832, when but a lad of four years. The country being new, and school facilities few, and those that they had far different from those of the present day, young McGee's opportunities for securing an education were limited. He, however, attended the district school winters, and assisted at home on the farm summers. Aside from one term at the Spring Arbor College, his whole education was acquired in this way.

In 1851 Judge McGee commenced the study of law in the office of Governor Blair, of Jackson, and was admitted to the bar in September, 1853. In the spring of 1854 he formed a partnership with W. K. Gibson, Esq., and they opened an office in Detroit; the succeeding year was a very sickly one in Detroit, and the business of the young barristers very poor, and in the spring of 1855 Judge McGee returned to Jackson and formed a partnership with G. T. Gridley, Esq., under the firm name of Gridley & McGee. Mr. McGee was appointed Deputy County Clerk in 1856 and '57, the whole duties of the office being thrown on his shoulders. In 1864 the people of the county showed him their confidence and esteem by electing him to the office of Judge of Probate—the same position from which his father had retired only four years before. Since this time, in 1868, and again in 1872, he has been successively returned to the same office by a very large majority. Judge McGee is the only man who has held the office more than one term since the organization of the county.

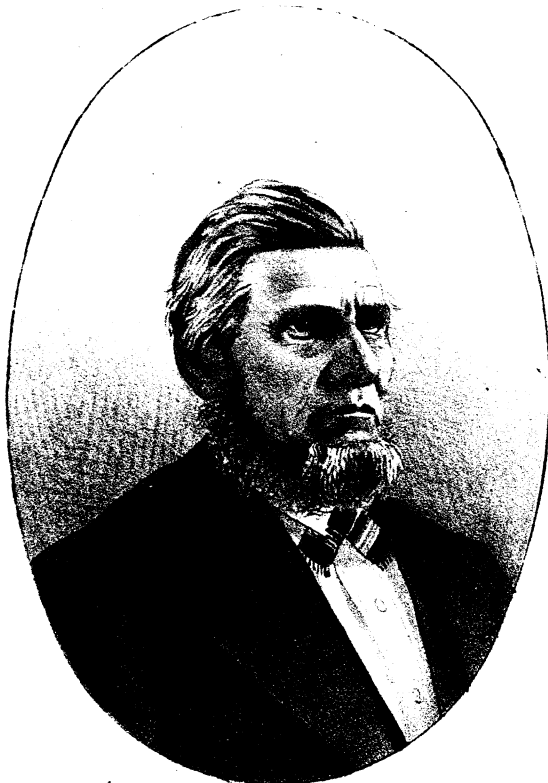
The judge stands high among the foremost members of the county bar; is a ready and fluent speaker, and has always taken an active part in politics.

In 1852 he cast his first vote for Hon. J. P. Hale for President on the old Liberty ticket, and since that time has been an out-and-out Republican.

REPRESENTATIVE MEN  
JACKSON COUNTY



*Uriah H. Densmore*  
BORN, SIDNEY, ME, APRIL 8<sup>TH</sup> 1828.



*John W. Densmore*  
BORN, SIDNEY, ME, NOV. 2<sup>ND</sup> 1816.



*Josiah F. Densmore*  
BORN, SIDNEY, ME, APRIL 8<sup>TH</sup> 1828.

THE DENSMORE BROTHERS.

Abiel Densmore, the father of the gentlemen whose faces appear on this page, was born in Sydney, Maine, February 8, 1787. The mother, Abigail Densmore, was born at Cape Cod, Mass., April 13, 1794, and was married to Mr. Densmore in 1814. They settled in the town of Sydney, Maine, and it was here that their large family of children were born.

John W. Densmore, the eldest, was born October 2, 1816; Charles K. Densmore, January 21, 1827; Uriah H. and Josiah F. Densmore, April 8, 1828; Joshua D. Densmore, July 31, 1831; Moses F. Densmore, July 7, 1834. Aside from these there were five sisters, four of whom are now living in this state, and a brother who died some years since. In 1839 the family moved to Michigan and settled in Hanover, where the father died September 10, 1852. The children have all grown up and married and the sons are all settled on farms in Hanover near each other. Mrs. Densmore is able to number as her own, aside from the ten children who still live, fifty-one grandchildren and thirty-three great-grandchildren, or in all ninety-four now living.

The parents and eldest son were members of the Society of Friends, the other children belong to the Methodist Church. The brothers are upright, honorable men, highly respected by the whole community and esteemed for their worth and integrity. They have always been very exemplary in their habits and use neither liquor nor tobacco in any form. The portraits on this page will form one of the pleasing features of this work and will be viewed with interest by all the patrons.



*Joshua D. Densmore*  
BORN, SIDNEY, ME, JULY 31<sup>ST</sup> 1832.



*Moses F. Densmore*  
BORN, SIDNEY, ME, JULY 7<sup>TH</sup> 1834



*Chas. K. Densmore*  
BORN, SIDNEY, ME, JAN. 21<sup>ST</sup> 1827.

REPRESENTATIVE MEN  
JACKSON COUNTY



*Caleb M. Chapin*  
BORN IN SALEM, NEW LONDON CO. CONN. FEB. 11TH 1797  
SETTLED IN SANDSTONE, JACKSON CO. MICH. JUNE, 4TH 1832.  
DIED, JUNE 14TH 1873.



*Isaac Snyder M.D.*



*J. M. Clapp*



*P. J. Carter*

The judge is still a young man, full of energy, which, coupled with his sound common sense and high moral integrity, will, we doubt not, win for him higher honors than those he has yet received from the hands of his constituents.

#### JOHN LANDON.

John, son of Herman and Betsey Landon, was born A.D. 1833, in Cayuga County, New York. His parents moved to Springport, Jackson County, Michigan, in the year 1835, and built the first house in the town. He was possessed of more than ordinary strength and energy of both body and mind, and being endowed with most excellent judgment and large perceptive faculties, he seldom knew any failure in whatever he engaged, whether it was in the exploits of his youth, in the spearing of fish, the trapping and shooting of wild animals, or the business of maturer years, as an agriculturist and a statesman.

Having pious parents, he was early taught to reverence his Maker, and obey His Word; and, though not a communicant of any church, he, from early boyhood, engaged in family worship, and was punctual in its performance through life. He was distinguished for *honesty, integrity, and purity*. No *lie, profanity, or "filthy conversation"* ever came from his lips. He was also a firm and consistent temperance man, having never in his life tasted of intoxicating liquor as a beverage, and from conscientious principles always abstained from drinking either tea or coffee, or using tobacco in any form.

Naturally kind and generous, he was ever the friend of the poor and the oppressed, and with open purse was ready to assist them. The Gospel and the cause of education shared generously from his contributions. When quite a young man he was elected Supervisor, which office he filled for several years, and it is owing to this faithful performance of its duties that the township of Springport and the flourishing village therein are not now, nor have been for several years, cursed with an open dram-shop. Twice he was elected as representative in the State legislature; and in the latter part of his second term, on the 13th day of March, 1871, after one week of severe affliction, the Lord, as we trust, took him to the better land, and many mourn his loss.

On hearing of his death, the legislature appointed eight of their number to attend his funeral and act as pall-bearers, who were also accompanied by the Speaker and Clerk. Several members spoke in high terms of his character and ability, of which the following are a few short extracts:

Hon. H. Haynes said, "I always found him the same noble, genial man; modest, unassuming, a close reasoner, a careful, thoughtful member, always ready and willing to do what to him seemed right and just, ever equally ready and willing to resist the wrong, no matter from what source it came."

Hon. J. Haynes said, "I esteemed him as one of the best and purest men I ever knew. Possessed of a strong and cultivated mind, he brought to the discharge of his duties a judgment rarely at fault, and an energy equal to the accomplishment of any task that might reasonably be imposed."

#### JOSEPH PERRY

Was born in Northern Pennsylvania in 1813. His parents, Daniel and Mamre Perry, moved, when Joseph was but two years of age, to the town of Batavia, where they settled on a farm on the Oak Orchards Road. They resided here some eight years, and then moved to Jackson County, Michigan, settling on what was known as Moody Hill, where they lived some four years. In 1837 they moved on to Sections 13 and 14 in the town of Concord, the residence being on 14. Mr. Daniel Perry located the land, paying up some ten dollars an acre for 360 acres. Joseph, at the same time, located 80 acres on the same place that he now occupies. In 1836 he married Miss Deidamia Woodworth, of New York State. After settling on Section 14 they lived for a long time in a log cabin.

Mrs. Perry died January 3, 1849, leaving behind her six children,—five boys and one girl,—the eldest being only eleven years of age. Mr. Perry contracted a second marriage with Miss Rachel Teeter, of Lansing, Michigan, formerly of Lansing, New York, July 1, 1849. They have also quite a large family of children—three sons and three daughters.

The two eldest sons entered the army in defense of the national honor, and both sacrificed their lives on the country's altar. The eldest, Wm. Henry Harrison Perry, was born in 1840. He enlisted in Chicago in the 42d Illinois Regiment. He was in the battles of Pittsburgh Landing, Island No. 10; and, at Storm River, he received a bullet through his lungs. Being wounded, he was unable to escape, and, in consequence, was taken prisoner, and died in the enemy's hands seven days after he was shot. He was, at the time of his death, a sergeant, and under appointment as a lieutenant, but was killed before his commission reached him.

The second son, George C. Perry, enlisted in May, 1861, at the age of nineteen, in the Michigan 5th. After participating in the different battles that his regiment was engaged in, he was stricken down with the typhoid fever, and died at Baton Rouge, July 25, 1862. He was also a sergeant. All honor to these brave boys who have given themselves for the preservation of their country. Their names will ever be revered by all who knew them, while their countrymen, grateful for the preservation of the nation, will keep their memory fresh and green through all coming time.

The third son, Charles W. Perry, died at home of typhoid fever in 1867, at the age of twenty-two. All of the rest of the family are still living, and most of them happily settled.

Mr. Perry has been a Justice of the Peace for several terms in Concord, and also a member of the School Board in his district. He is a Freewill Baptist, and a representative man in that denomination. He takes also an interest in politics, being a prominent Republican. His fellow-townsmen, and all of his large circle of acquaintances, hold him in great esteem; and in according to Mr. Perry a place among the representative men of Jackson County, we know that we are but giving justice her due.

#### PETER T. CARTER

Was born in Tompkins County, New York, February 2, 1808. Was the eldest of a family of thirteen children, nine of whom are now living—five sisters and four brothers. His parents, Anthony and Rachel Carter, were well-to-do farmers, and were enabled to give their children as good an education as the district schools of the day would afford. Young Peter attended school off and on, when not engaged in assisting his father on the farm, until twenty-one years of age. When twenty-two he married Miss Sarah Snyder, of Lansing, Tompkins County, New York, and moved into Steuben County, where he cleared up a homestead of 100 acres, for which he had paid twenty shillings an acre. After living here eight years, he moved to the town of Tecumseh, Lenawee County, Michigan. He purchased a farm of 55 acres just over the county line in Washenaw County. In 1846 he moved from this place to the town of Spring Arbor, settling on Sections 21, 22, 27, and 28, owning in all 220 acres. He cleared this up himself, and has made all the improvements that have been made, and erected the buildings, as shown by the view of his place, that may be seen in another part of this work.

He has brought up a family of eight children—four sons and four daughters; lost one daughter—Mrs. Thomas Spencer, of Spring Arbor, in 1868; all of the remaining children are married except three; and he has fourteen grandchildren.

He is a staunch Republican, though up to 1848, when he voted for Taylor, he was a member of the Democratic party. Since that time, however, he has supported the Whig and Republican tickets. He is a man who is highly respected by his fellow-citizens, and has won a warm place in their esteem and affection.

#### DR. DANIEL MANN.

The subject of this sketch was born, May 20, 1803, in Franklin, Delaware County, New York. His parents, Daniel and Polly Mann, had a family of fourteen children, of whom Daniel was the fifth. The family are descendants of Richard Mann, who, as the adopted son of Rev. Brewster, came over in the "Mayflower" at the age of twelve years. Richard Mann settled at Hebron, Conn., and his residence is still in the hands of his descendants. Daniel Mann, the subject of this article, is six generations removed from his illustrious ancestor. His boyhood days were spent at home on his father's farm, and in attendance at the district school. Married Mary Ann Jefferd, of Springfield, Mass., in 1829, and moved directly to Venango County, Penn., where he bought 100 acres of wild land. From this place he moved in June, 1836, to Michigan, and settled on Section 20, Concord, where he made his home up to 1872, when he moved into the village of Concord, and built him a residence. He had two sons by his first wife; she, however, died in 1837, after a long and painful illness, and in 1838 he married Miss Miranda Sears, of Concord, with whom he is now living. They have two children—a son and daughter, both of whom are living.

Dr. Mann is a member of the Presbyterian Church, and one of its staunchest supporters. He is loved and honored by all who know him, and has reared a family who are also doing honor to their father's teachings.

#### DR. S. N. BRISTOL.

Dr. Bristol was born in Chenango County, New York, in June, 1827. When but a year old his parents moved to Ontario County, where he lived until 1857, when he moved to Michigan, and settled at Ceresco, Calhoun County. After a residence there of two years, he moved to Parma, and entered upon the practice of his profession.

Aside from a common-school education, acquired at the district school near his home, the doctor attended an academy one term at Canandaigua, New York. He entered Cleveland Medical College in the fall of 1848; from there he went to the University of Buffalo, and took one course of lectures. After practicing for some eight years, he returned to Cleveland, and graduated in 1859.

Entered the Union Army as assistant surgeon of the 13th Michigan Infantry, and was for some four months stationed in Hospital No. 7, Louisville, Ky. After this, he went with the regiment into the field, until detailed to Hospital No. 7, Nashville, Tenn. From the latter place he was assigned, after a short time, to the Officers' Hospital, where he remained until he resigned, in February, 1862.

Married Caroline E. Hendricks, of New York, January 7, 1852.

Dr. Bristol has a large and extensive practice in and around Parma, and is universally esteemed by his large circle of acquaintances.

#### AUSTIN POMEROY

Was born in the town of Hamilton, Madison County, New York, January 23, 1804. His parents, John and Deborah Pomeroy, were formerly from Talmage, Conn., and settled on the birthplace of young Pomeroy several years before his birth. They were industrious, but found that it took all their daily toil to make enough to support their large family of eight,—five sons and three daughters,—of whom Austin was the youngest son. He was only able, consequently, to receive a common-school education, with the exception of one term at an academy. When twenty-six years of age he went to Lockport, New York, and for the next four years he worked on a farm by the month, and taught district school in the winter season. In 1834 he took a tour through Southern Michigan, but returned home without settling in the State. In the following spring, however, he again came into the State, and located on Sections 29 and 30, Concord, where he has ever since resided.

In the spring of 1836 he married Miss Betsey Randall, with whom he now lives.

He has been a prominent man in his town, and has held, for a number of years, at different periods of his life, the offices of Highway Commissioner, Overseer of the Poor, and, in 1850 and '51, was Supervisor. In 1857 he was elected County Surveyor, and held the office up to 1869, with the exception of two years that he was not in office. He cast his first vote for John Q. Adams for the presidency. Is a strong Republican, and one of the main pillars of the Presbyterian Church of Concord. A man of sterling integrity, and highly respected by his fellow-citizens.

#### RICHMOND BRIGGS, OF SPRING ARBOR,

Was born in Wyoming County, New York, May 9, 1812. His early life was passed at home, at school, and on the farm; his father, Pardon Briggs, had a large family—Richmond being the fourth son.

In 1830 his father moved to Wayne County, Michigan; in 1839 he entered 160 acres of land in Spring Arbor, in the same section where he now resides. Married Miss Caroline Chapman the same year, and had two sons, William C. and George W. Briggs; his wife died in 1842, and in 1844 he married Mary Swift, with whom he is now living, and by whom he has one child. He, in 1847, adopted an orphan girl, five weeks old, whom he has reared as a member of the family. Mr. Briggs settled in this county when there were but few white settlers. He has grown with the growth of the country; has, by his industry and perseverance, been able to surround himself with many of the luxuries of life, and has a fine productive farm of 285 acres that he is still carrying on. His fellow-citizens honored him, in 1872, with the office of Justice of the Peace—which position he still holds. He is a gentleman who commands the respect and love of his neighbors, and is a man of unusual ability and integrity. In 1832, when the whole community were excited over the Black Hawk war, he shouldered his "Queen's Arm," and marched in the ranks.

#### A. M. PARDEE, OF SPRING ARBOR,

Was born in Royalton, Niagara County, New York, December 3, 1827, being the eldest son of Thomas J. Pardee. His parents moved to Spring Arbor when he was only five years of age, and entered 240 acres of land. When twenty-one years of age he bought a farm one mile from his father's residence, where he now lives. He also, at this time, taught a district school some three winters. In 1850 he married Miss Julia La Duc, with whom he is still living. They have three children,—two daughters and one son,—all of whom are living. In 1852 he was made Inspector of Schools, which position he held for a number of years; he was also Town Clerk for some five years, a Justice of the Peace one term, and is now Supervisor.

Mr. Pardee is a gentleman who is highly esteemed by his fellow-townsmen; he is a prominent member of the M. E. Church, and has led the choir in the church for a number of years. In the discharge of the duties in connection with the several offices to which he has been, from time to time, elevated by the suffrage of his fellow-citizens, he has won their universal respect and esteem.

#### MR. JOSIAH A. WHITE, COLUMBIA.

After a few moments' ride to the westward from the stirring and pretty village of Brooklyn, of this county, you arrive at a handsome farm-house. It is the residence of Mr. White, the subject of our sketch.

The present being our witness, ease and plenty has ever nodded homage to his will!

But, no! He came to Jackson County in 1835! His axe has helped to hew down the forest. Step by step has he seen Nature's wilds yield to the force of civilization! He has, indeed, been a victim to privation and hardship! Emigrated from Granville, New York, where he was born (June 13, 1807), with less than three hundred dollars in his purse; and all he now has above that is the result of *effort*,—earned "by the sweat of his brow,"—giving another example of what can be achieved by energy and close application to self-interest. Is still a man of industrious and temperate habits, yet, more willing than able to perform hard manual labor. His fallen cheek and furrowed brow indicate that the prime of life is past; children, he has not, to inherit his estate, and hence, in his declining years, he is quite ready to enjoy the fruits, in part at least, of his sacrifices in earlier life. Has been twice married; first, to Miss Julia Ann Warren, February 2, 1832, of whom death deprived him April 15, 1835—same year he came to Michigan. His present companion—ever true and genial—was Miss Jane R. Hungerford, to whom he was wedded August 28, 1846. Her birth was, March 27, 1808, at Vernon Centre, Oneida County, New York.

Mr. White is one of but few who has a correct knowledge of his origin upon this Continent. He has a book giving the continuous line of genealogy between himself and Elder John White, who came from England to America on board the ship *Lyon*, 1632.

This distinguished ancestor landed at Boston, Mass., on Sunday, 16th September, after a voyage of eight weeks. He was one of the first settlers of Cambridge, Mass; afterwards of Hartford, Conn., and, finally, of Hadley, Mass.

History represents him as having taken a leading part while a citizen of each. From him has descended a race throughout this country, almost numberless, as the record shows, of every rank, and filling all avocations, but principally are tillers of the soil.

Mr. Josiah A. White took his first lessons in agriculture from his father, who was, during life, a farmer at East Haddam, Conn. He is a man never having sought office, and has but few times accepted it, but a man widely known and highly esteemed.

#### MR. WILLIAM WINDLE, COLUMBIA,

Descends from the Quaker element of Pennsylvania, originally from England. His great-grandfather, Francis Windle, emigrated to Chester County, that State, while yet under the control of Great Britain.

His father, Francis Windle, and grandfather, William Windle, were both born and reared in said county, the latter having there died.

At twenty-eight years of age his father removed to Mifflin County, where, same year, he married Miss Eleanor Holt. She not being a Quaker, according to custom he was excommunicated. This proved a final disconnection, and still the plain, peaceful habits of their fathers are retained.

Mr. Windle, subject of our sketch, had seven brothers and sisters, viz.: Betsey, Mary, Dorcas, Eleanor, Rebecca, Francis, and Martha Jane; all have been married and reared families; three (Betsey, Eleanor, and Francis), however, having long since taken their departure from this life.

He has been twice married—first, to Miss Mary McLain, June 16, 1831. She was his devoted companion till March 13, 1849, when death severed the nuptial bond. She had lived to become the mother of seven children, six of whom (Margaret, Francis, William, Jr., Mary Jane, Ellen, and Rosa) yet live, and all well married.

Francis and William, Jr., each served a term of three years as volunteers in the late war, proving thereby their valor and love of country, partaking of the spirit of their ancestors, the Holts, who, during the Revolution, battled for independence.

Mr. Windle's second marriage occurred August 11, 1849. He married his only brother's widow, her maiden name having been Mary Nichols. She was known to be a true woman, who would be a kind mother to his motherless flock, while he could reciprocate by paternal care over her three orphans (James P., Mifflin, and Mercy), the children of his late brother. These, too, are still living, and pleasantly married. Goodwin C., yet at home, is the only child since their present union.

Mr. Windle was born at Newton, Trumbull County, Ohio, January 2, 1808. His early advantages at school were limited. Self-application, however, has given him practical qualifications. His fortune has been to make many shifts. Removed first from his native place, in 1835, very near to Laporte, Indiana, remaining there two years. Then, until 1840, settled at Hebron, Porter County; next two years took up an abode at Michigan City, and, in 1842, returned to his old homestead in Ohio. Here he buried his first wife; here he contracted his second marriage, and here he remained until his removal to where he now resides, on the line between Columbia and Woodstock. Has often been the victim of misfortune, but has borne all with fortitude, with an unswerving integrity; has been buoyed up with hope and energy, at last to acquire a pleasant home of 148 acres. Has never been an office-hunter, and yet has been honored with the trust of Justice of the Peace, Supervisor, etc., and enjoys universal confidence and respect.

A view of his home is illustrated on another page.

#### MR. GEORGE STRANAHAN, COLUMBIA.

This name is of Scotch-Irish origin. America has been their home by adoption about three generations. The subject of our sketch is a namesake of his father. Both are natives of New York. They emigrated to Columbia (then Napoleon) in the spring of 1834. Father and son visited Michigan the fall previous; made a purchase; erected a cabin; cleared, and plowed, and planted the first apple-orchard for miles around.

At time of removal, George was seventeen years of age; eight years thereafter he wedded Miss Caroline Brink, still the amiable companion of his household. Now they retired to a home by themselves. Years rolled on; finally they purchased the old homestead; moved upon it, and ever since have occupied the same. His land is fertile; his farm large; his home pleasant, and has but one real hindrance to happiness and contentment, viz., the ill health of their only son (George Brink), now in California for the improvement of the same.

Mr. Stranahan and father were of the few first settling adjacent to Clark's Lake. They were hardy pioneers. The rude and scanty fare of frontier life did not intimidate or turn their faces backward. Nor did the howl of wolves produce consternation and terror.

But, what a change! Nine years since, that good neighbor, that friend to the needy, that indulgent father, that fearless pioneer,—the recipient of universal respect,—bade farewell to time and earthly scenes! The son yet tarries,—almost the repetition of his father,—a friend to all, and respected by all.

#### MR. W. C. LOVE, COLUMBIA (JACKSON COUNTY).

In this Republican form of government, it is not necessary that a man shall have arisen to lofty rank, or that he should descend from lordly parentage to deserve the appellation, self-made, or otherwise representative!

It is quite enough that he has used well his God-given talents; dispersed immense obstacles; lives an exemplary life; and, by his genius, calculative energies, and tireless perseverance, secured a home surrounded with comfort, a reputation untarnished, and a competence, the guarantee of independence! Such is applicable to him, a sketch of whose life we hereto append.

His opportunities in early life were only of an ordinary character. He cultivated no desire for place or power. Has never held office nor sought public patronage. His father, Calvin Love, was a man of noble qualities, but of moderate means. Of his grandfather, John Love, the same can be said. For himself, he commenced bare-handed; and hence, to conclude the aptness of the above description, we have only to take cognizance of his present condition, and an inventory of his present accumulations.

He was born, January 23, 1813, at Hartford, Washington County, New York. On the 13th day of April, 1834, or about three months after he came "of age," he took the nuptial vow,—receiving as his own, Miss Mary Boyers; and, for forty years, she has proven a faithful helpmate and a devoted companion.

Mrs. Love was born 25th July, 1815; was the daughter of Captain John Boyers, of Erie County, New York,—a wealthy farmer, and a man of prominence in his county. Had served as Captain in the "war of 1812;" while his father had also served as Captain in the war for American Independence.

The spirit of patriotism, as truly as that of a soldier, seems to be a

qualification on both sides; for both Mr. and Mrs. Love had near kindred in the Volunteer Army which subdued the late rebellion. Their only surviving son, John Calvin, served valiantly and faithfully for three years and more, returning safely home at the termination of the war. The brave General Love, son of Judge Love, of Buffalo, and who won historic fame in the Army of the Potomac, was a distant cousin.

Mr. Love emigrated to this part of Michigan with his father, in May, 1834, leaving his young bride at her father's until the following spring; she, too, was then brought to experience the hardships of pioneer-life. Three years after his first arrival, he secured to himself 60 acres of wild land. This he settled on, and began to improve. Parcel to parcel has been annexed, until now 187 acres of excellent land he can call his own, free from incumbrance, and capital ahead. His farm is under first-class cultivation,—fully furnished with labor-saving machinery. His flocks of sheep are not so very large in number, but of splendid quality. His horses are fine and servicable; yet *cattle* are his *pride!* His Durhams are not entirely pure, and yet, for size and form, they are scarcely excelled, if equaled, in the county. The beauty of his residence, and extent of his improvements, can be judged by the illustration herein contained, while the honest, noble, yet unassuming characteristics of Mr. Love himself can be identified by his portrait in the group from Columbia.

#### WILLIAM CLAPP, HANOVER,

Was born in Dutchess County, New York, June 4, 1805. While young, his parents removed to Madison County. Four years later his father died. At the age of eighteen, he went to Macedon, Wayne County. He married Miss Abigail Smith, of Farmington, November 1, 1832. The fruit of this marriage was four children, viz., Levi S., Mary Ann, Lucinda M., and Martha W., of whom the oldest died at the age of ten, and the youngest at the age of twenty-two years.

In May, 1837, he came to Michigan. At Blissfield he saw the first locomotive making its first trip in Michigan on the Erie and Kalamazoo Railroad; stopping there, several gentlemen stepped from the train with their leather buckets, and filled the tender from the River Raisin. In July he moved on the farm he now occupies. In 1841, he set out an orchard of grafted fruit, for which he went to Ypsilanti. In July, 1857, his barn was struck by lightning, and burned, with a loss of six hundred dollars. He was five times elected Supervisor of the town, and once appointed to that office to fill a vacancy occasioned by the resignation of G. W. Kennedy. He served twelve years in the capacity of Justice of the Peace. He gave one thousand dollars and right of way to the Fort Wayne, Jackson, and Saginaw Railroad. In politics he is a Democrat; in religion, a Unitarian.

It is needless to say he is generally esteemed throughout the section in which he has lived so long.

#### ISAAC SNYDER, M.D.,

Was born at Wallace's Station, Steuben County, New York, July 4, 1819. In July, 1834, at the age of fifteen, he came to Jackson County, going on to a farm on Section 32 of the town of Summit. He lived here, working on the farm, until September, 1843, when he commenced the study of medicine with Dr. D. Peck, of South Jackson. In February, 1847, he took his degree at Rush Medical College, Chicago, and has since that time been engaged in the practice of his profession. He moved to Baldwin's, his present residence, in August, 1873.

Dr. Snyder was married to Miss Jane Vunck, of Charleston, Montgomery County, New York, May 11, 1842. She died in 1858, December 15, leaving two sons, both of whom are now carrying on farms in Oakfield, Kent County, Michigan. The Doctor was married to his present wife, Miss Sarah Waite, of Cohocton, Steuben County, New York, November 22, 1860. They have had but one child—a daughter, who is since deceased.

#### EDMOND ROBINSON

Was born on Long Island, New York, in the township of East Hamilton, September 13, 1819. He moved from thence with his parents when only one year old, to Tompkins County, New York. Moved to Michigan in 1837 when seventeen years of age; settled on Lodi Plains. The family moved from thence to Manchester, and a few years afterwards to Sharon.

In 1845 Mr. Robinson married Miss Lucy Dewey. In 1853 they settled in Grass Lake, on Section 25. Here he has, by diligent labor and study and unwearying industry, secured for himself one of the finest homesteads in the county. The buildings are substantial, well adapted to their use, and the farm is in perfect order, and under the highest state of cultivation.

Mr. Robinson has only one son living—having lost a daughter when but four years of age. Mr. Robinson is a man of worth, greatly respected by his fellow-citizens. A view of his beautiful residence, and a portrait of himself, will be found elsewhere among the illustrations of this work.

#### ROBERT H. ANDERSON

Was born in Ireland, in the year 1810. In his seventh year he came to the United States, settling in New York City; from whence he removed to Tompkinsville, Richmond County, New York; and, in 1835, then in his twenty-fifth year, he emigrated to Rives, Michigan, being the fifth family

to locate in the township. He moved into Tompkins in 1836; helped organize the town, and named it after his former home; he was elected Side Judge about 1838, and moved back to Rives Township in 1847. He has also served as Justice of the Peace, and in 1850 was elected member of the Constitutional Convention. He has figured prominently in the local politics of this section, and is now, as he has always been, a Jackson Democrat. He came to Jackson County in its infancy, and has been cognizant of its progress from the days when the country was new and sparsely settled—when there were but three families in what is now the city of Jackson—down to the present time. Mr. Anderson is a farmer, and by industry has attained a competence. He was married in 1832, and of a family of nine children all are living save one—six having settled on farms within a mile of his own home, which is located on Section 32, and a fine representation of which, as well as that of his son, Charles S. Anderson, may be found among the illustrations of Rives Township.

#### CALEB T. FULLER

Was born at Palmyra, Wayne County, New York, March 1, 1815, and resided there until he was eleven years of age, when he went to Monroe County, same State. His ancestry dates back to the Fullers who came over in the "Mayflower," and his father, John, was born in 1787, and removed to Wayne County, New York, when but ten years old. At that time Wayne was an almost unbroken wilderness; but there he married, in 1814, Miss Content Thompson, and resided there until 1826, when he removed to Parma, New York. The subject of this sketch is the oldest of a family of seven sons and seven daughters, most of whom lived to mature years. In the fall of 1835 Caleb T. Fuller came to Michigan, stopping at Adrian, and the same winter taught school in a log house at Baker's Corners, in Fairfield Township. He returned to New York, was married, May 5, 1842, to Miss Mary E. Schram, and immediately returned to Adrian, near which place, on the Raisin, he farmed for five years. In March, 1847, he emigrated to the town of Hanover, in this county. In 1857 (March 22) his wife died, and in July following he was married to Miss I. W. Smith, of Tecumseh, and in 1864 moved to Parma Township, where he now resides, still following the vocation of a farmer, and where he has a fine residence on Section 8 (which may be seen among the views on another page). His family consists of three sons and one daughter. Is a Republican in politics, and was a member of the Convention that first adopted the name of "Republican" in Jackson County. He is a Methodist—having been connected with that church for the last forty years. He is a man generally respected—a worthy scion of Puritan stock—a fair representative of the yeomen of Jackson County.

#### HON. FREEMAN C. WATKINS, OF NORVELL,

Was born in Surry, New Hampshire, March 29, 1811. Taught primary schools in New Hampshire and Michigan from 1829 to 1834. Located the farms now occupied by F. C. and L. D. Watkins in September, 1833. Elected Justice of the Peace in 1835, also in 1871. Supervisor of the Township of Napoleon two years.

Married October, 1836, Miss Fitzgerald, of Manchester, Washtenaw County. Represented Jackson County in the legislature of 1850. A member of the Constitutional Convention of 1867.

Mr. Watkins is fond of literature, loves the researches of history and the charms of the poet. He brought from New England the habits of perseverance, prudence, and industry,—entertains liberal views on politics and theology. Believes in human progress, and the destiny of the great Republic.

Mr. Watkins was one of the first pioneers in the eastern part of Jackson County. What changes came with the circling years! As the first settlers of the peninsular State wended their way to their forest homes, as the smoke from their log cabins curled upwards to the blue heavens, well might the "Genius of Michigan" exclaim, in the language of Whittier:

"I hear the tread of Pioneers,  
Of peoples yet to be,  
The first strong beat of human waves,  
Where soon shall roll a countless sea.  
The rudiments of nature here  
Are plastic yet, and warm;  
The chaos of a mighty State  
Is rounding into form."

#### JACOB R. ENGLISH,

Son of Jacob and Mary English, was born in Burlington County, New Jersey, on the 21st day of April, 1804. He was the youngest but one of nine children. At the age of fourteen his father died; and soon after the family removed to the State of New York. At the age of twenty-nine he married Jane Updyke, and in 1836 removed to Ohio, purchased a farm, and tilled the soil seventeen years. He then sold his farm, and removed to Jackson County, Michigan; purchased the farm on which he now resides in the fine farming township of Leoni. Mr. English is the father of nine children; three sons and six daughters; two sons and five daughters are living; all married except the youngest son and daughter. Mr. English is much respected by his friends and neighbors for his genial and social qualities, and is Uncle Jake to all his younger acquaintances; a hale and hearty old gentleman, a true representative of the honest American farmer.

REPRESENTATIVE MEN  
JACKSON COUNTY



*Very Respectfully*  
*John Landon*  
SPRINGPORT TP.



*Joseph Perry*  
CONCORD



*Joseph Snyder*  
SPRINGPORT TP.



*Jerry Reynolds*  
CONCORD

REPRESENTATIVE MEN  
JACKSON COUNTY



*Yours Truly  
G. S. Godley*



*E. Robinson*



*J. W. Smith*



*W. Merrill*



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*Frank Starbuck*



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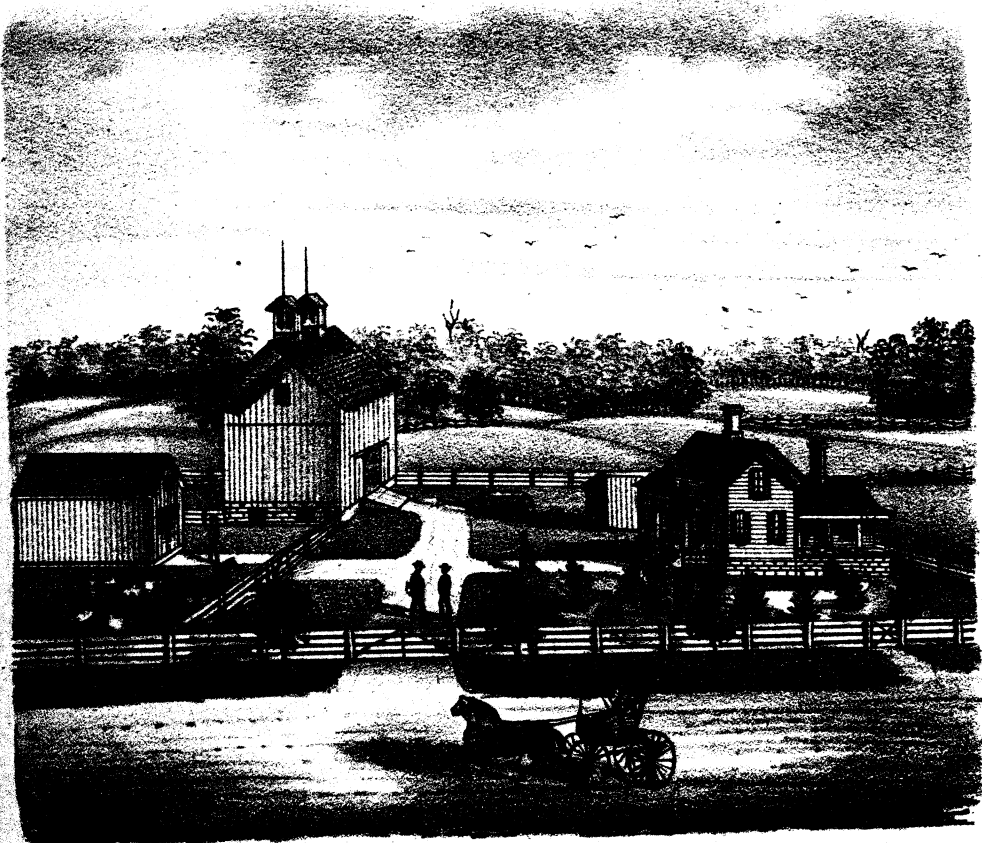
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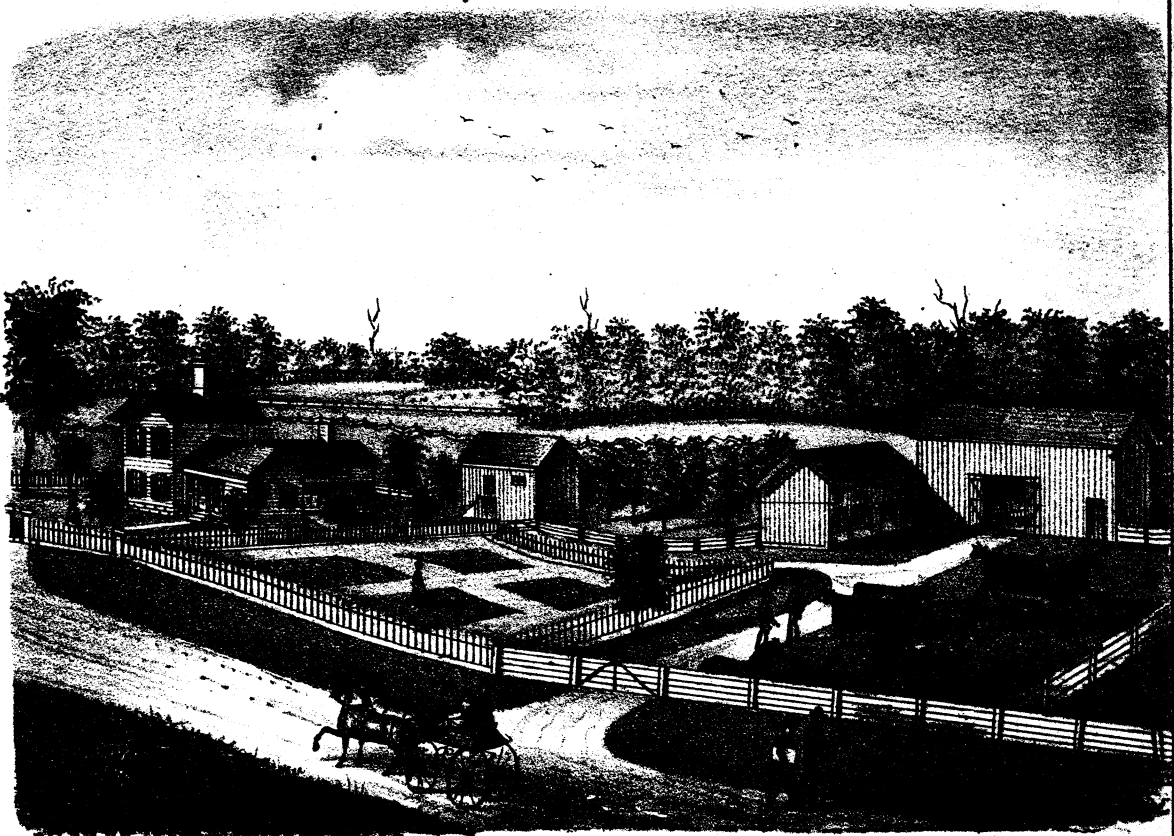


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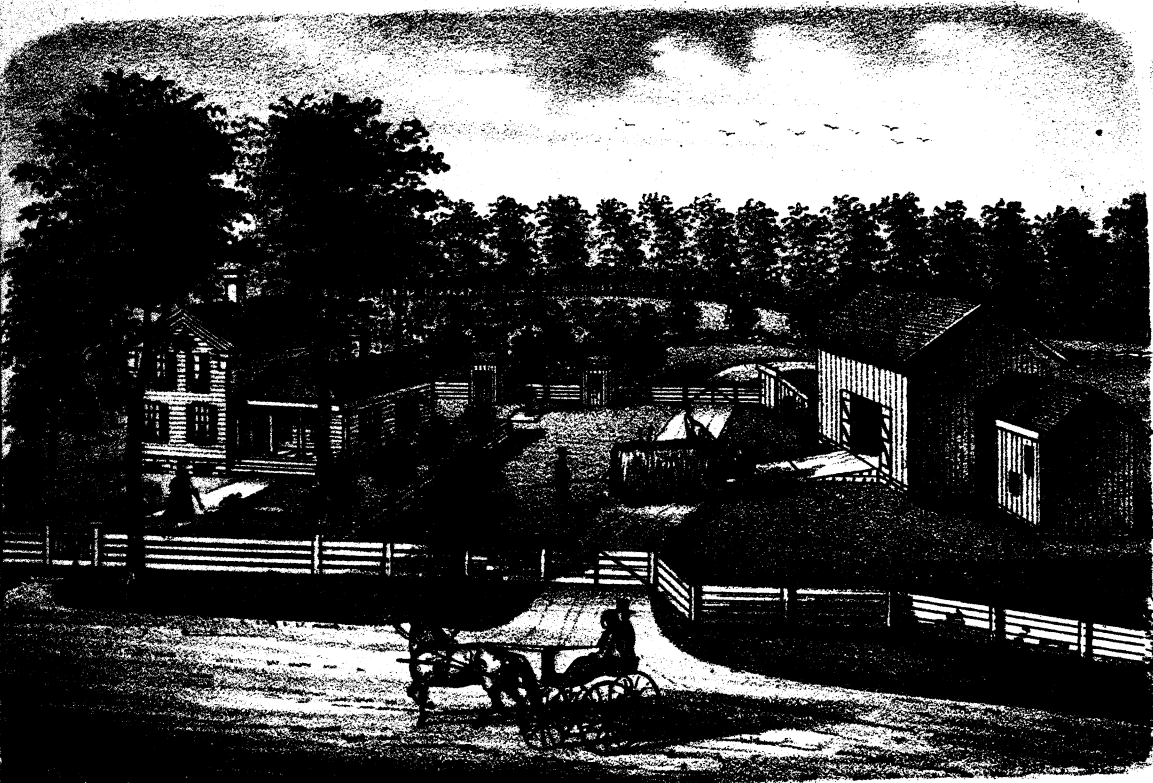
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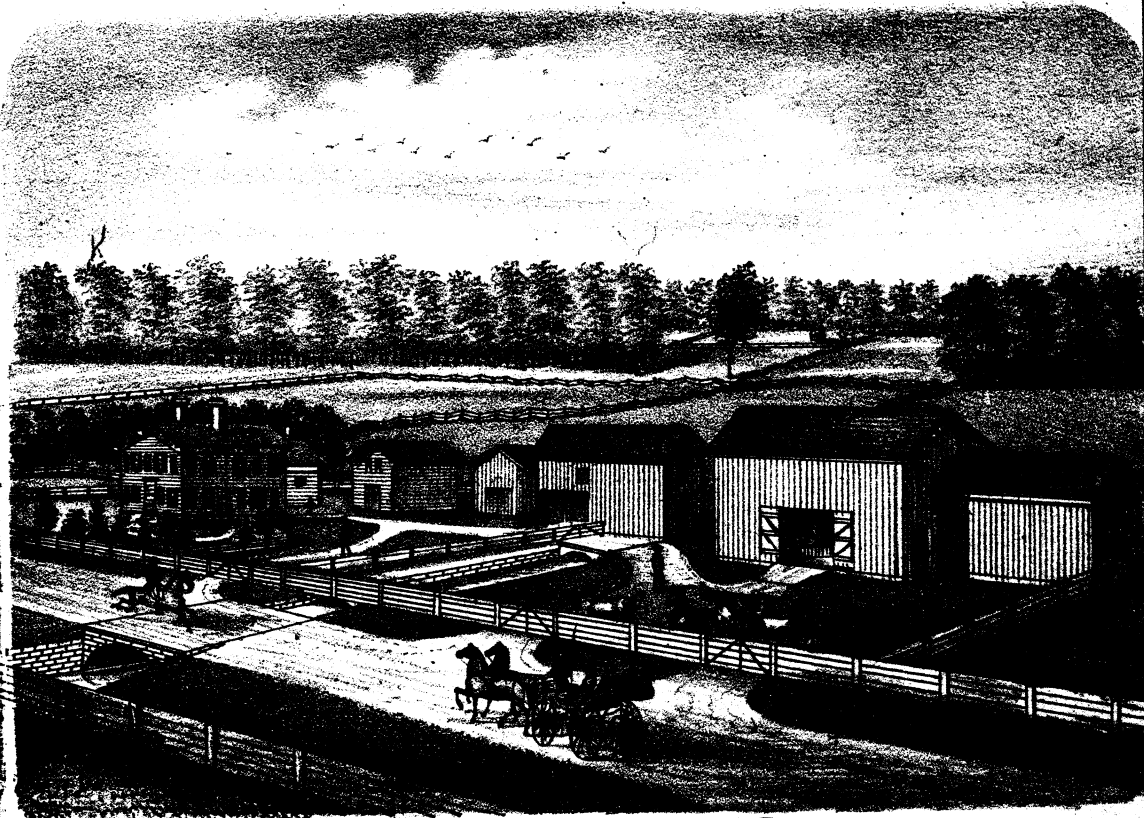
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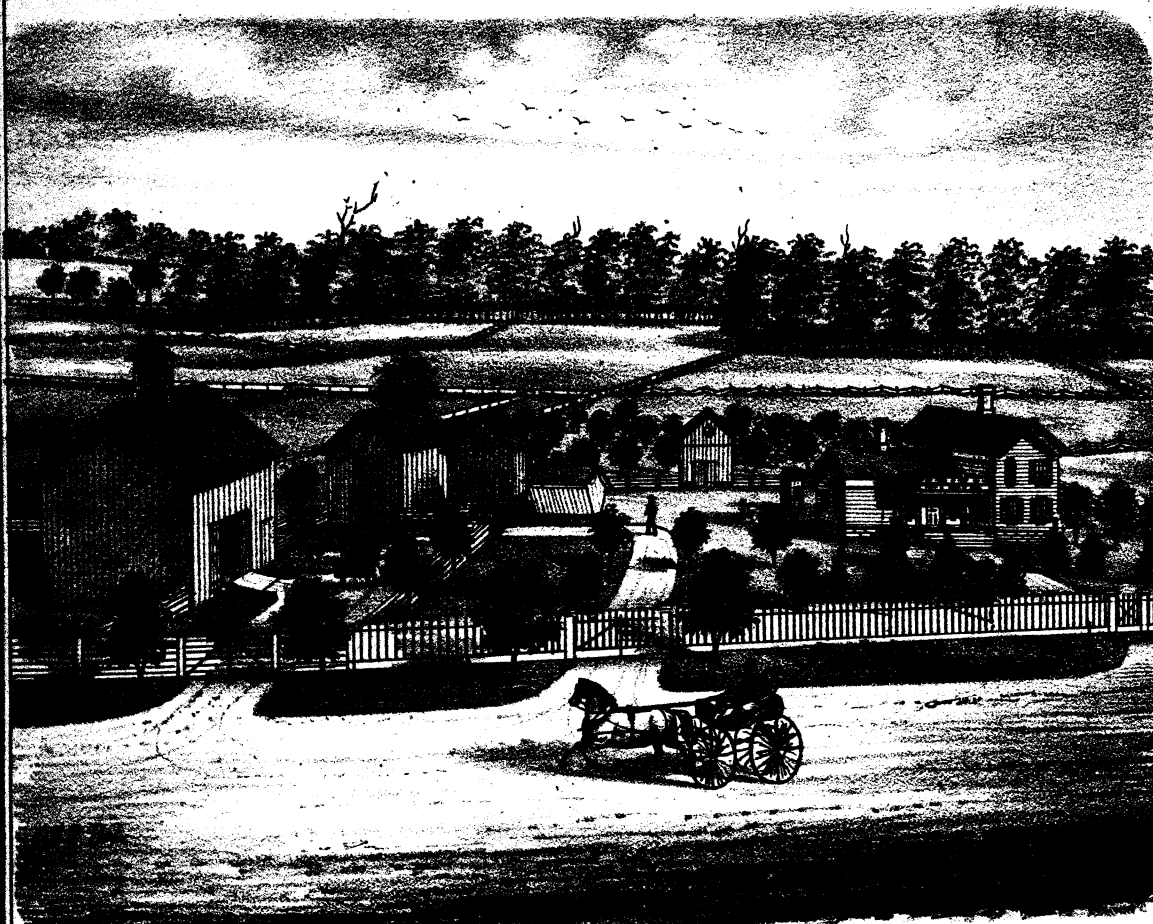
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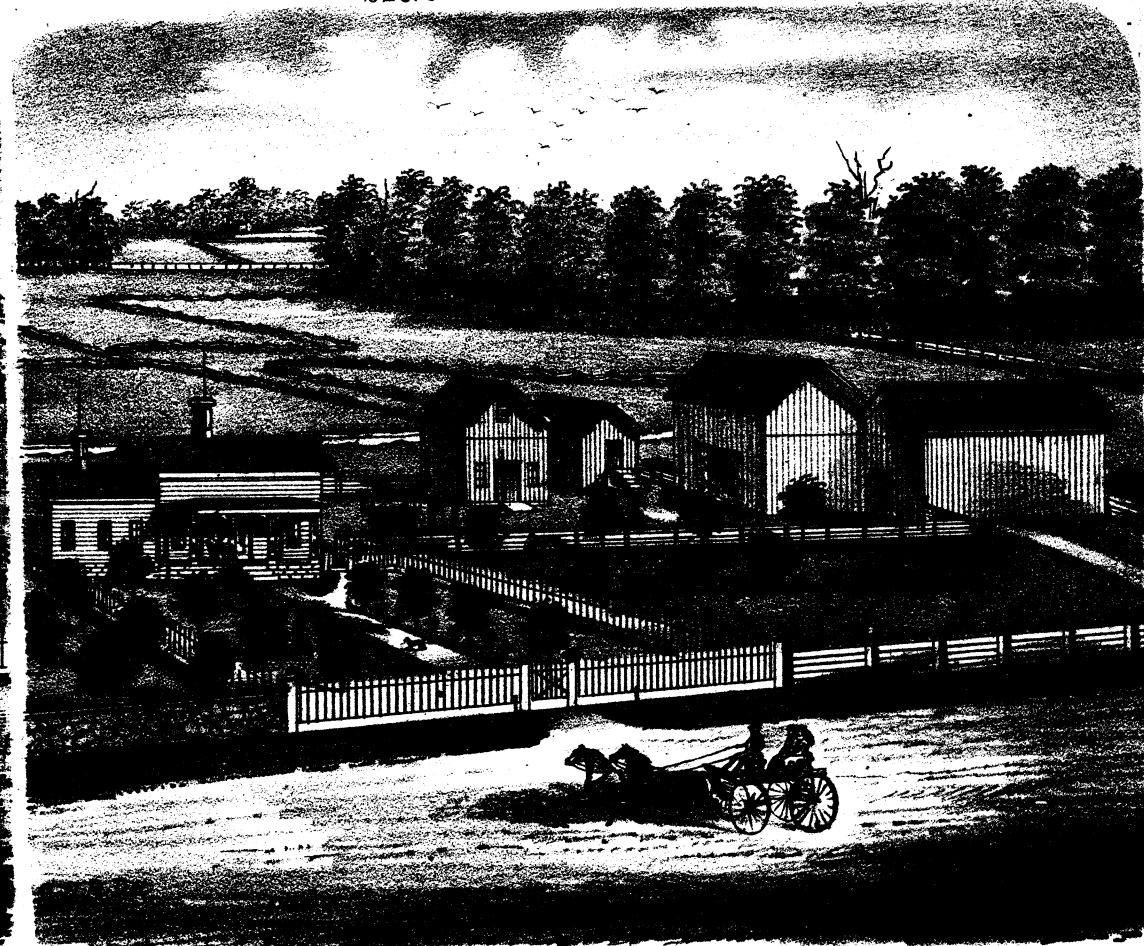
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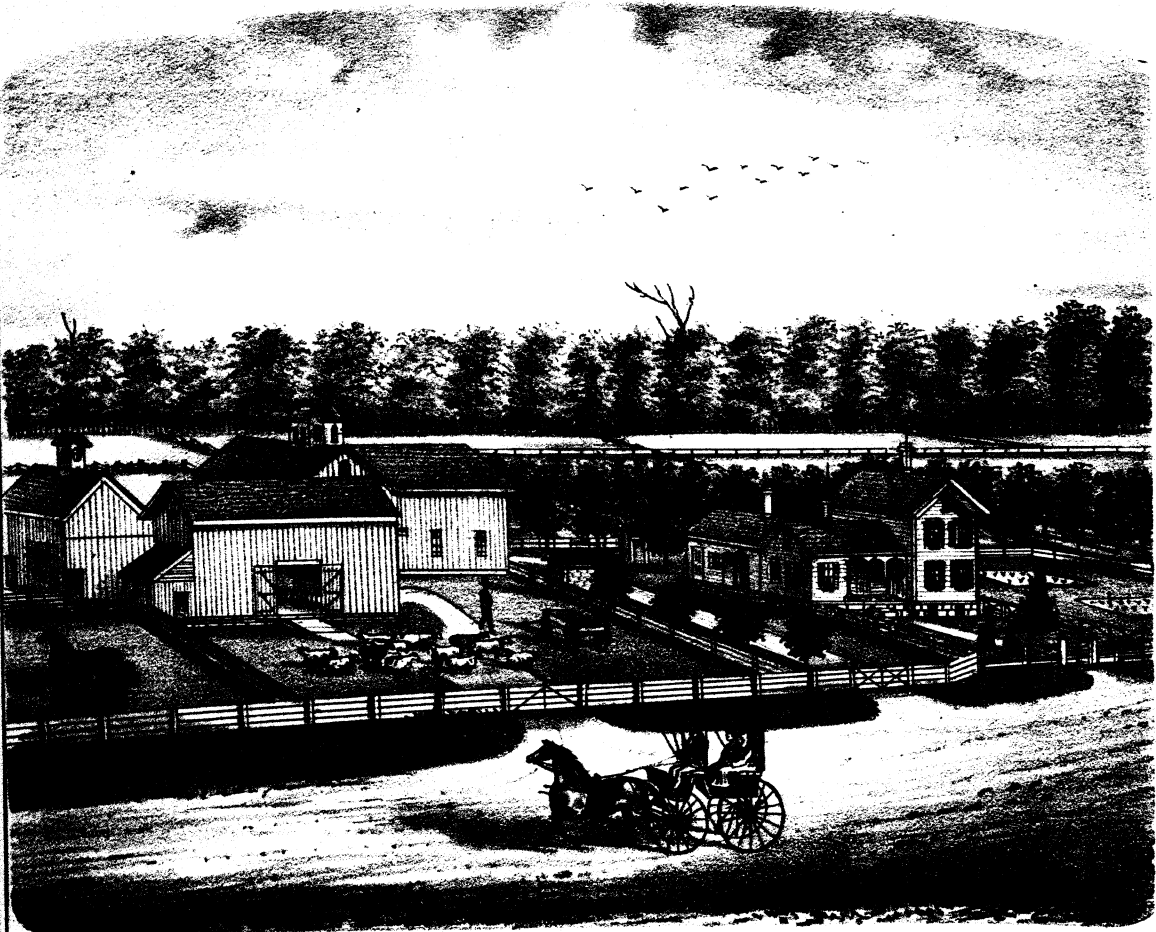


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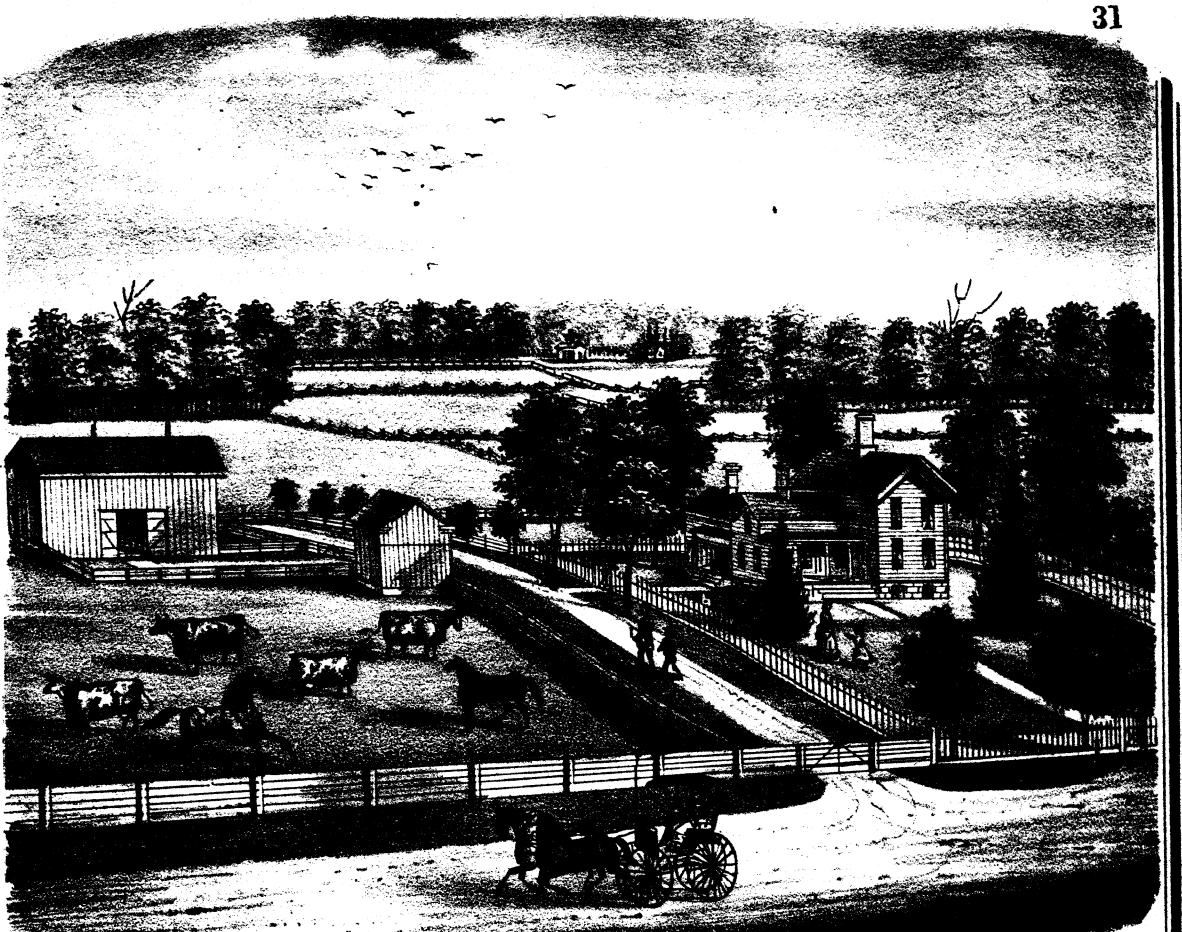


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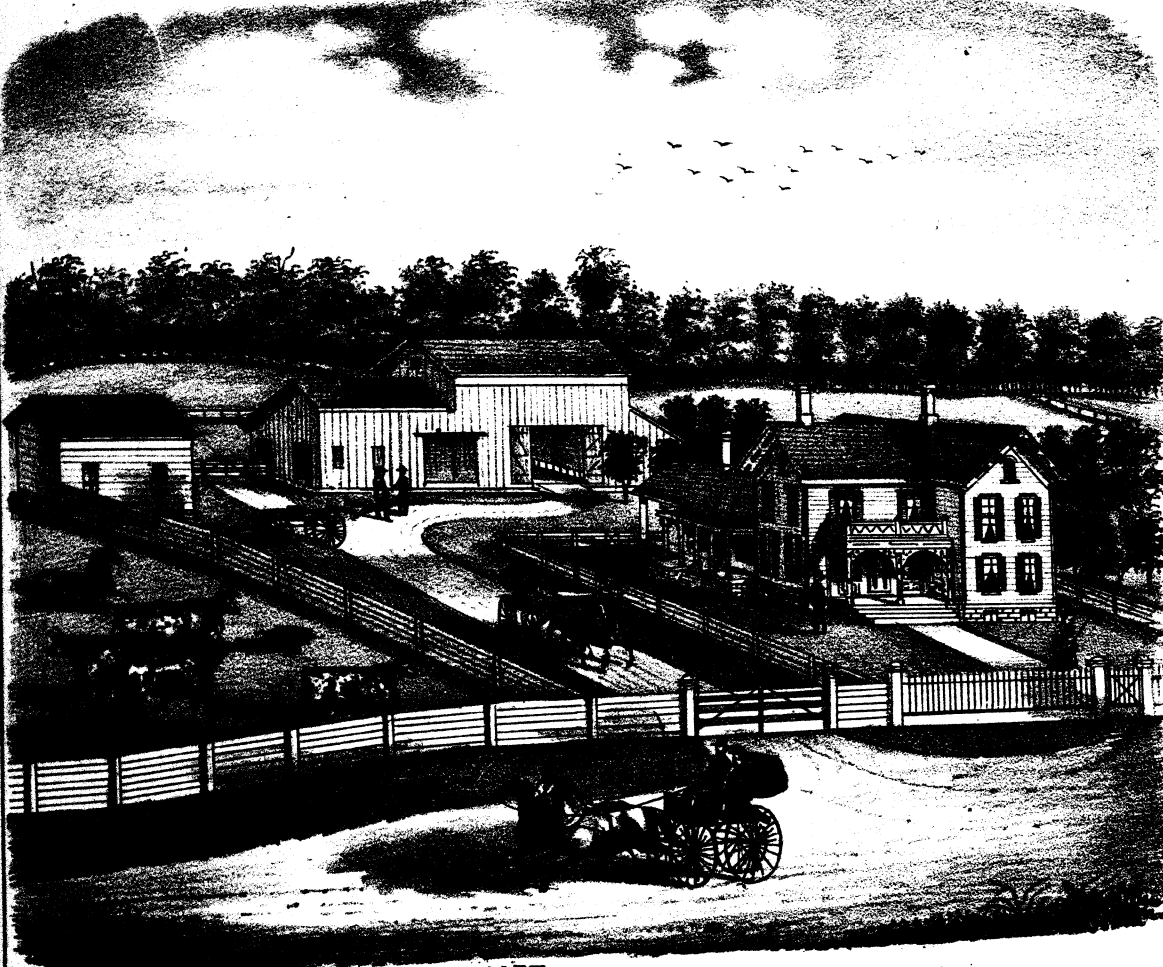




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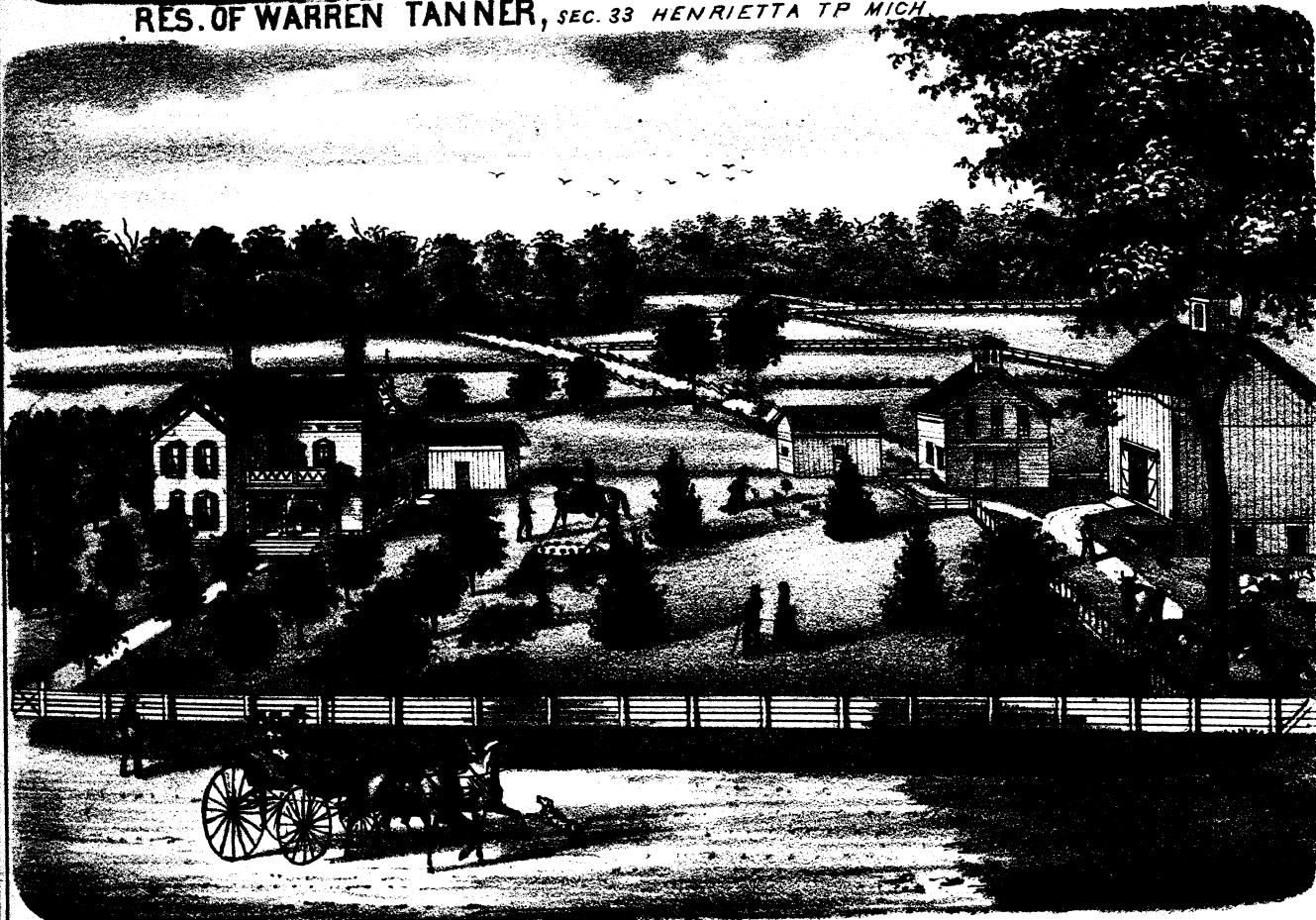
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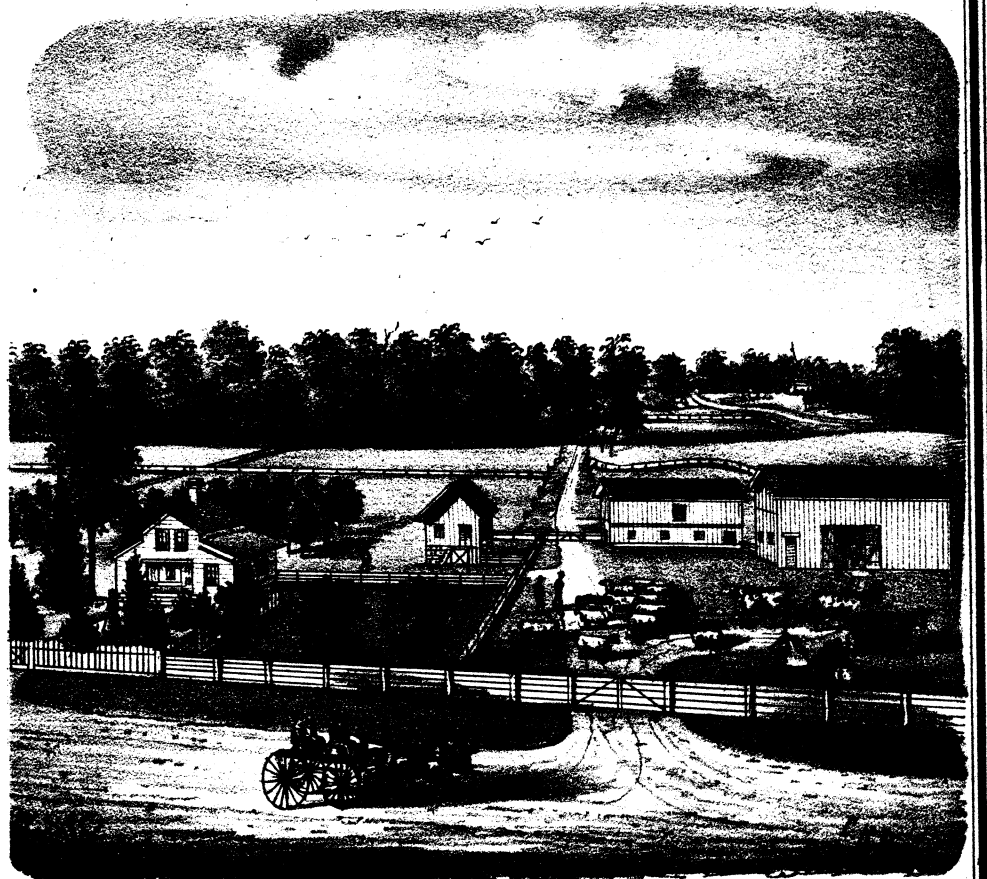
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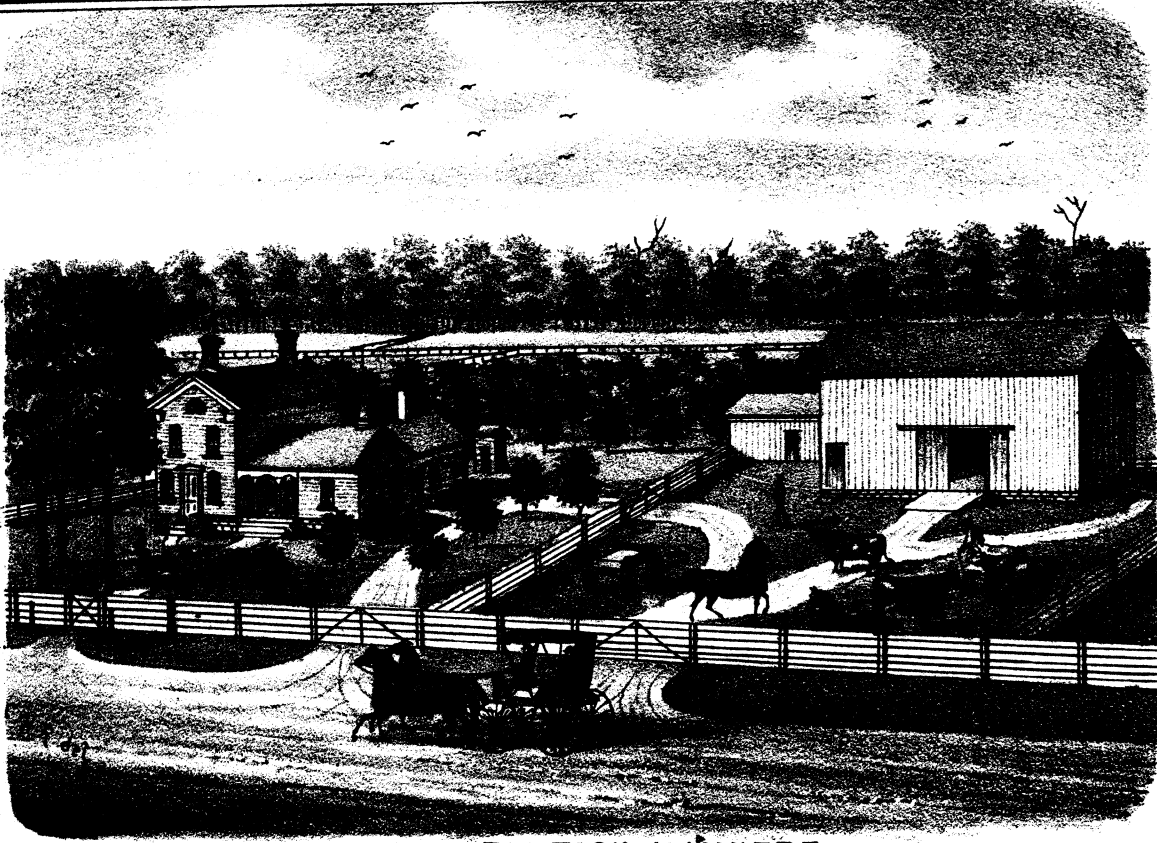
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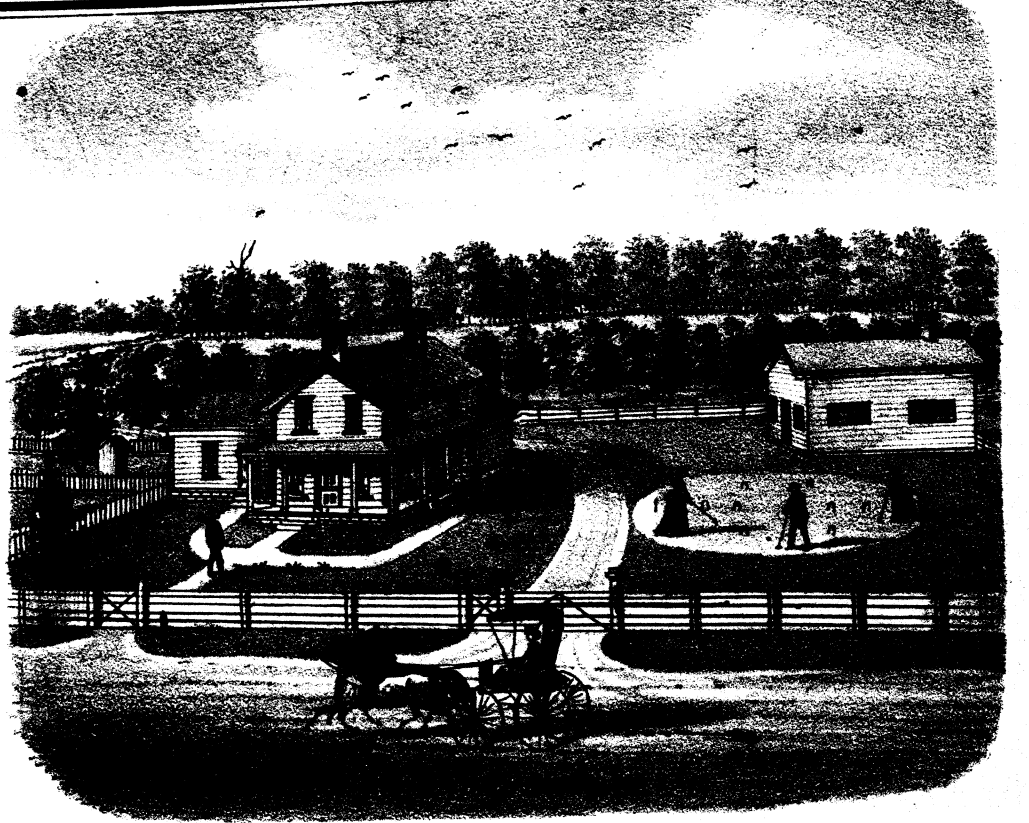
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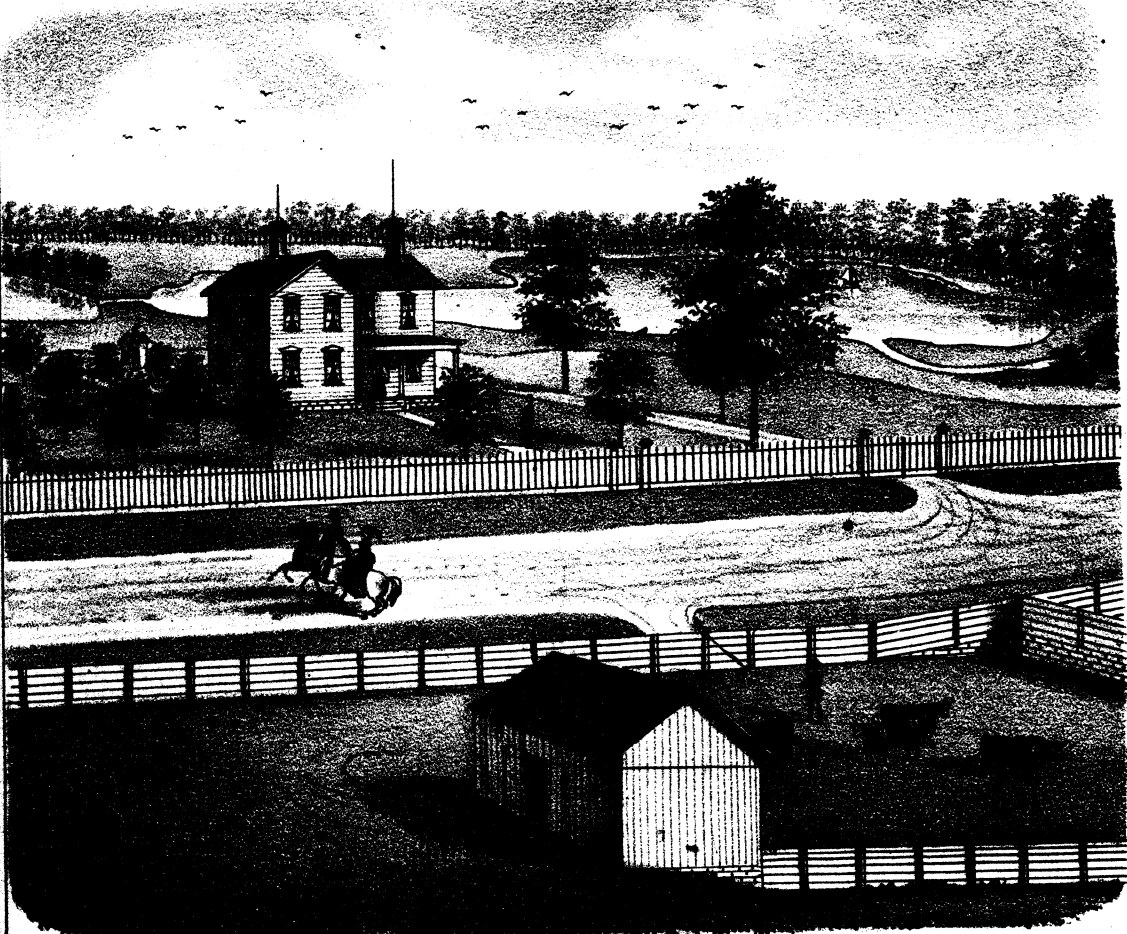
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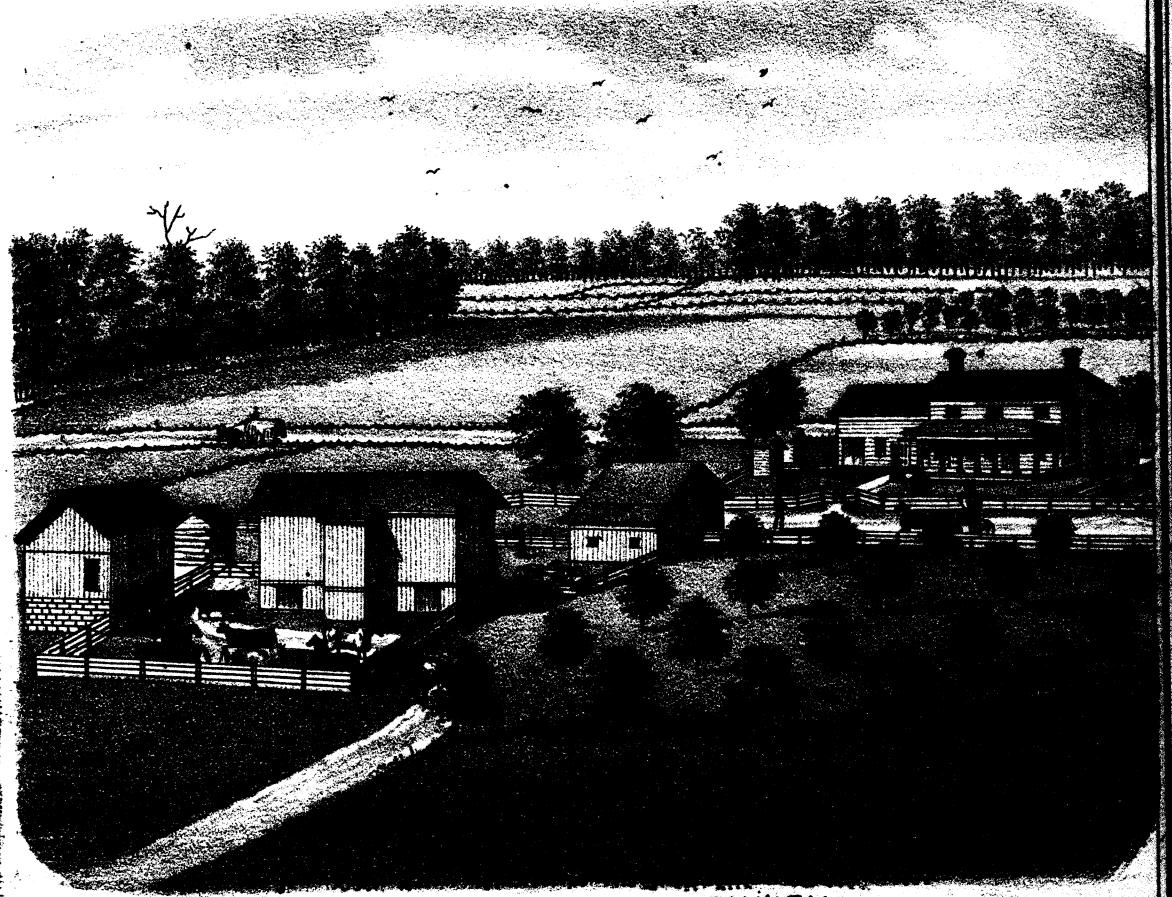
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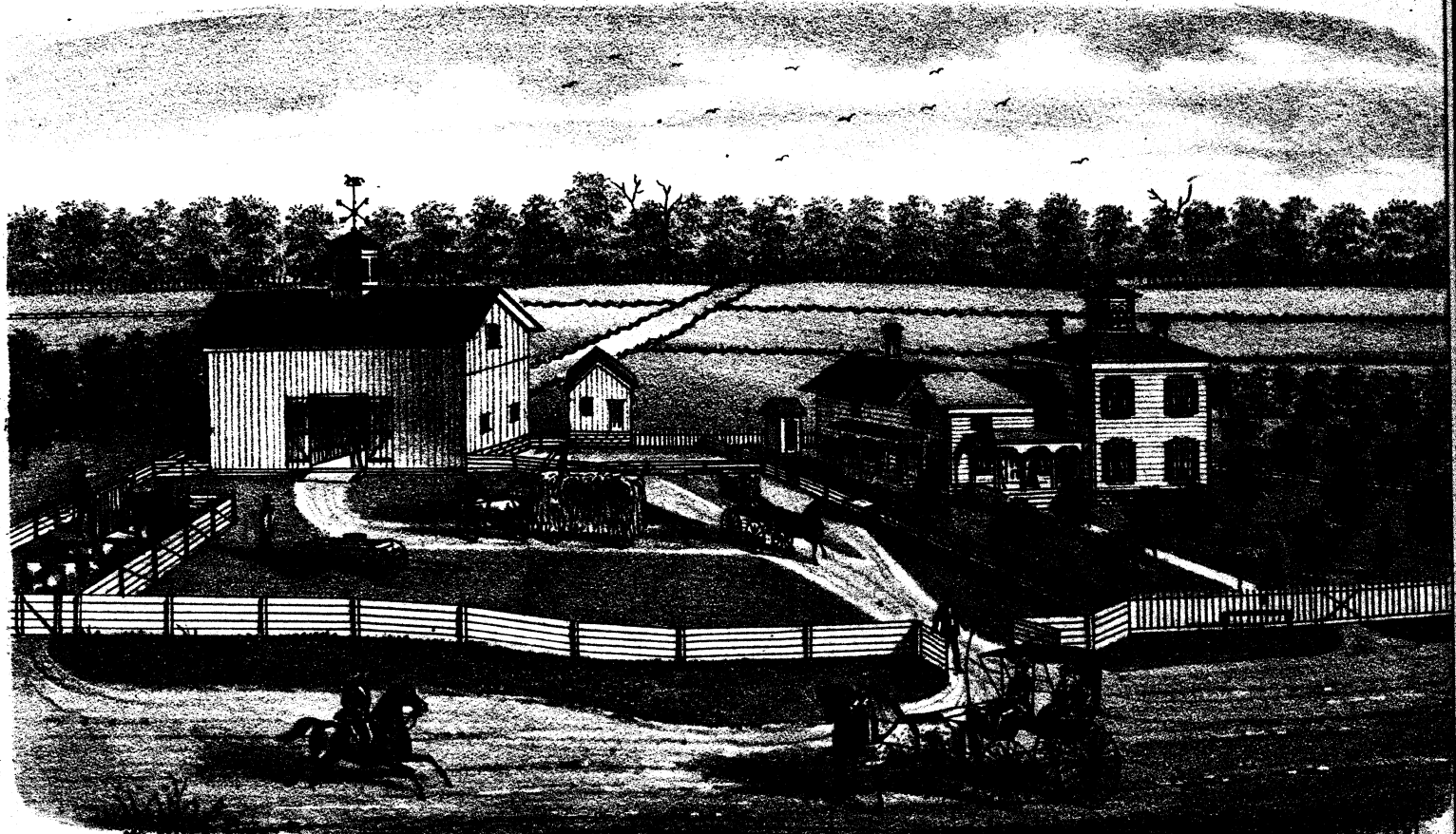
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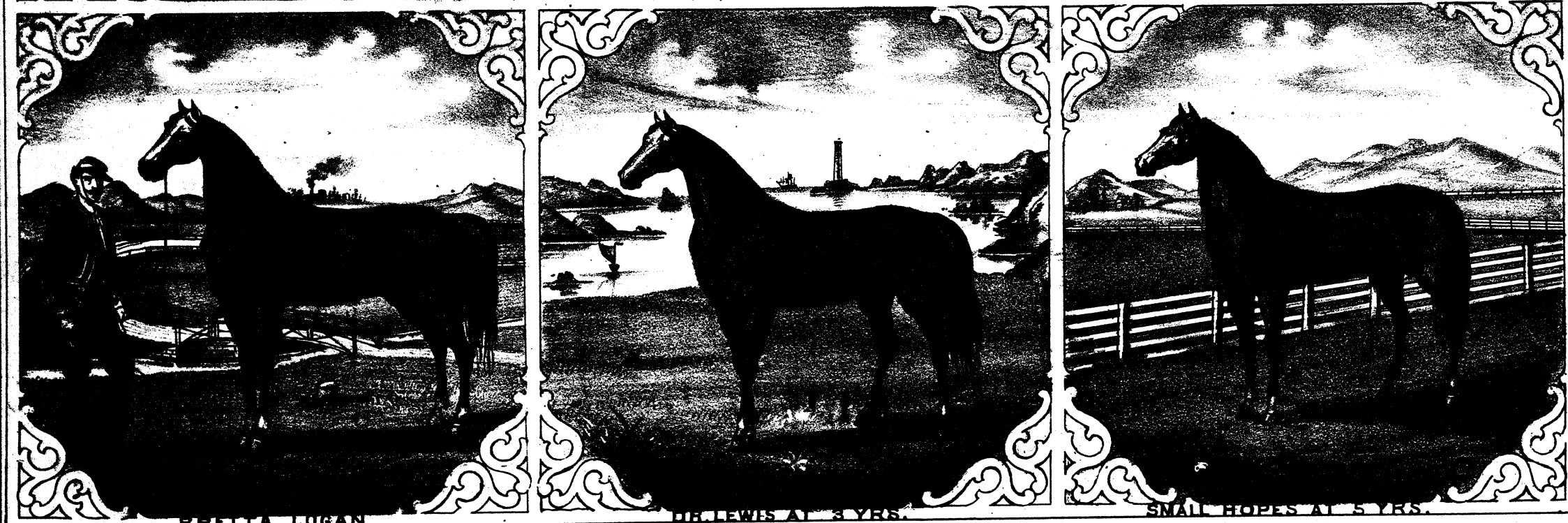
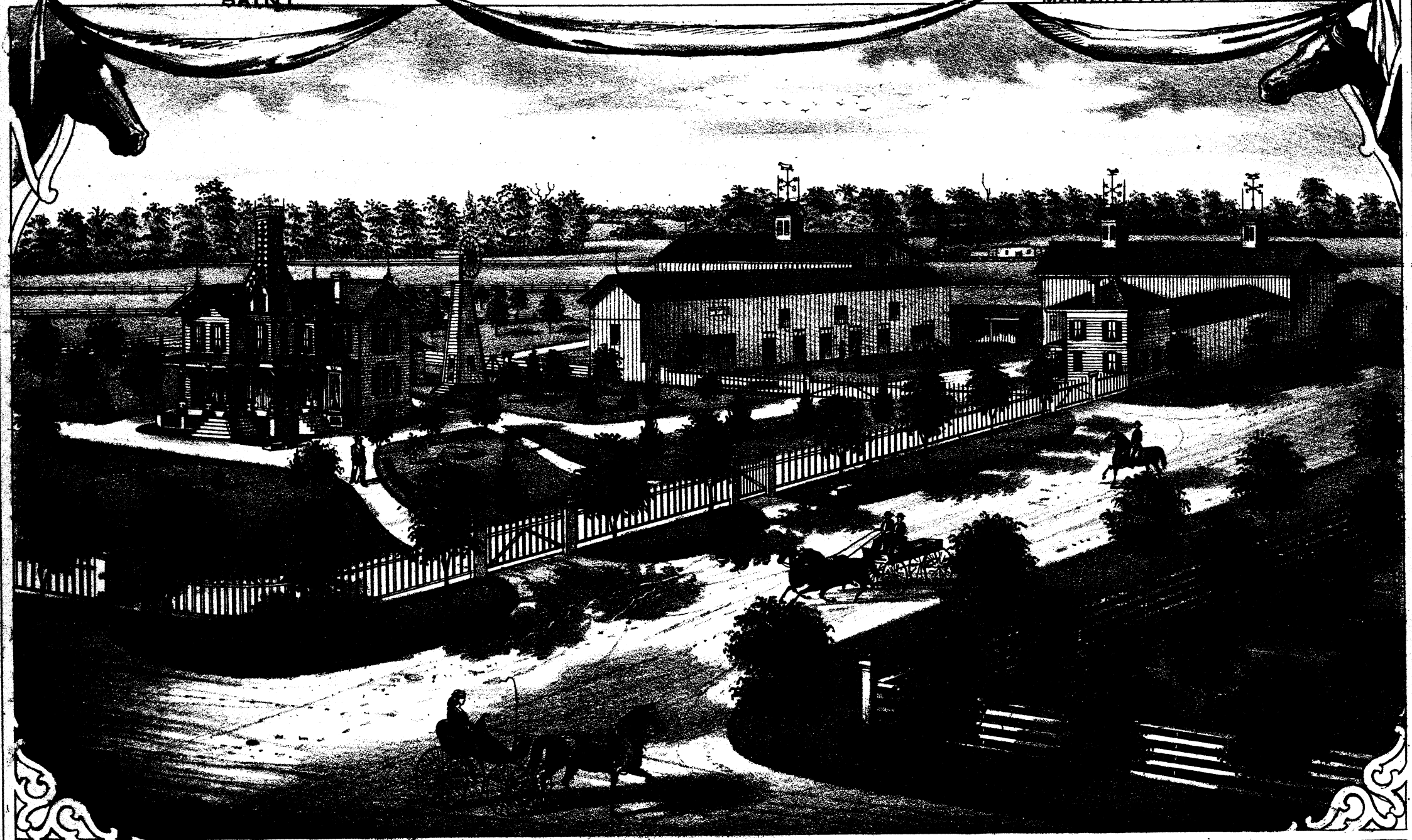


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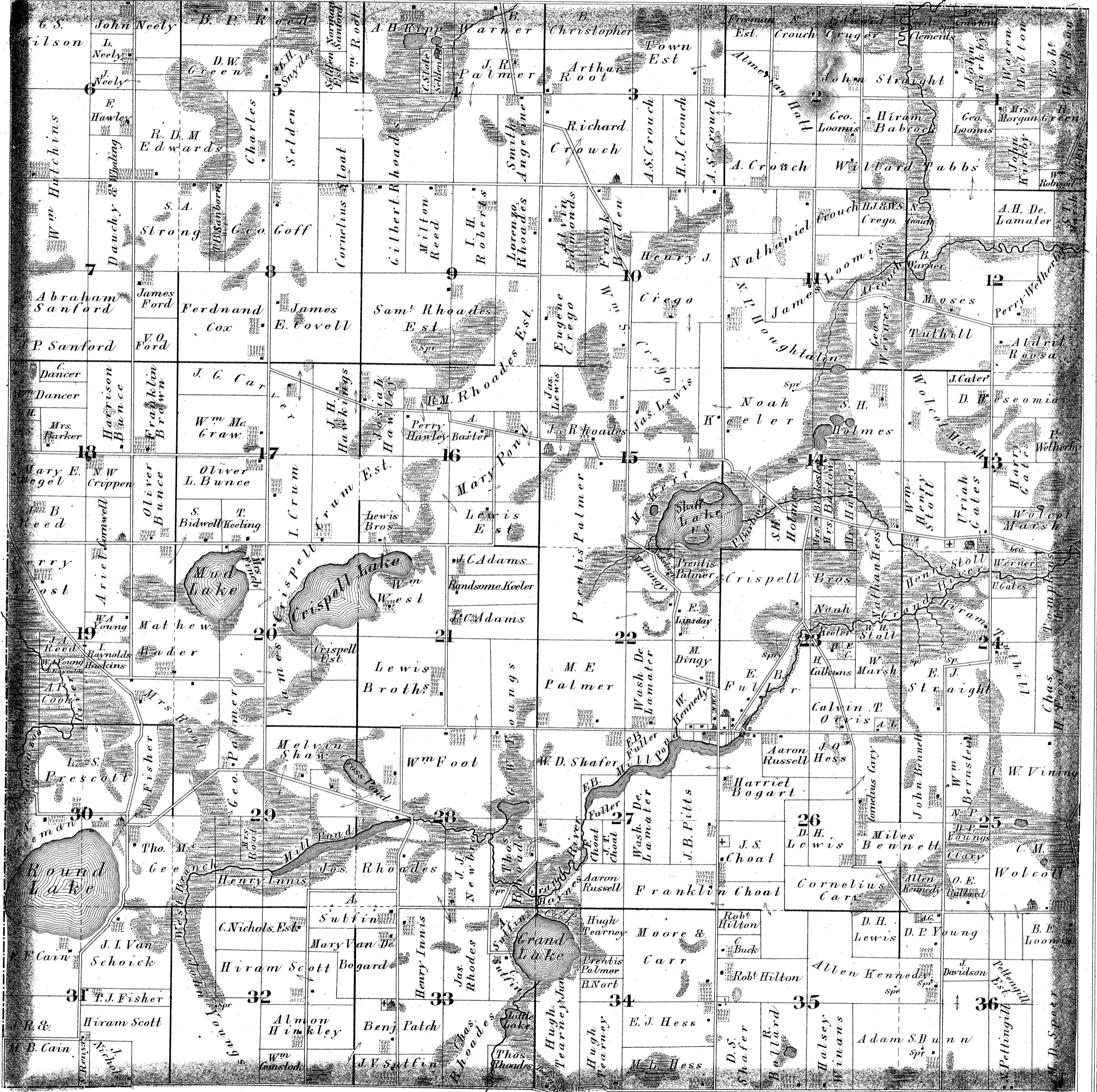
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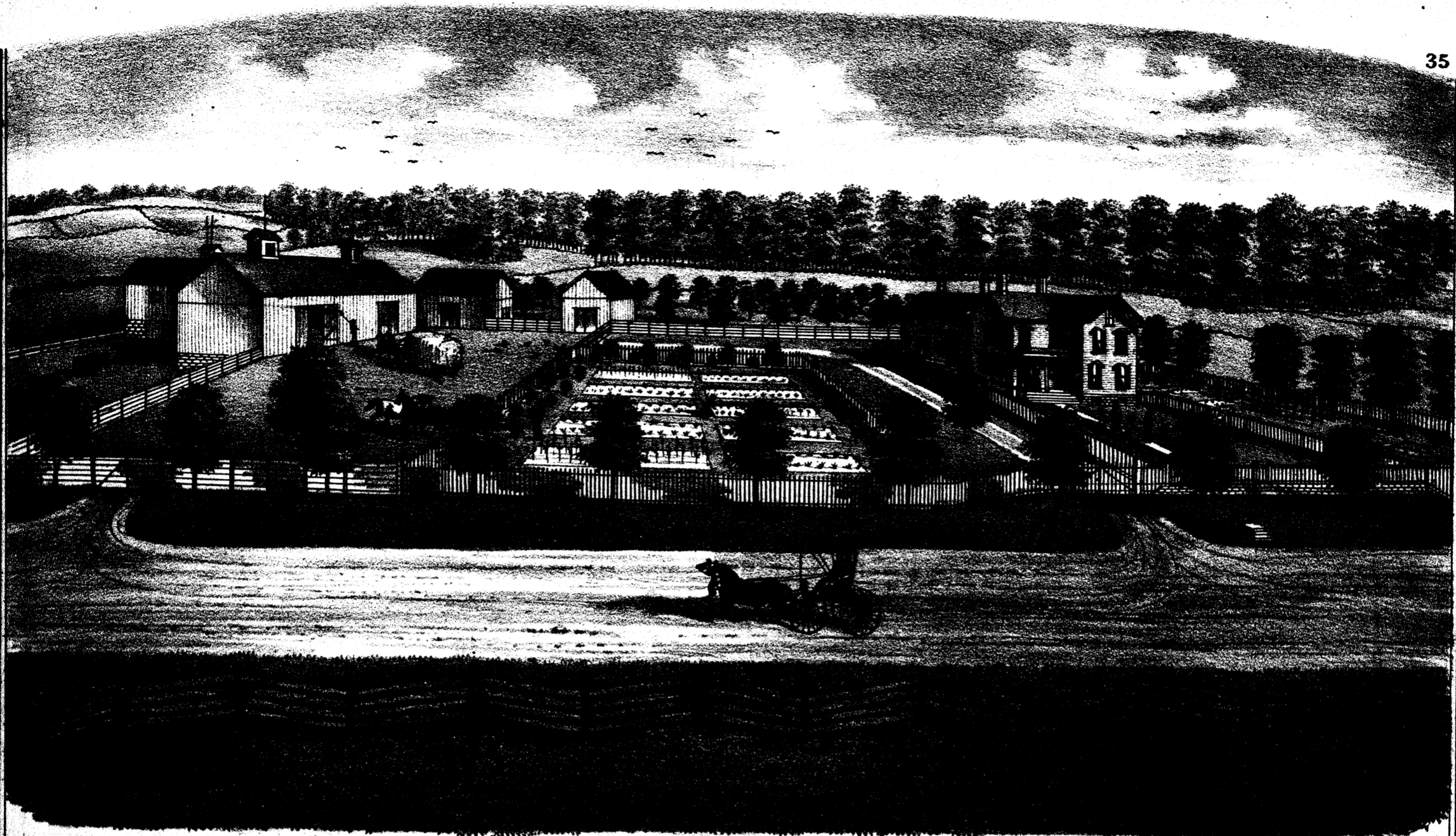
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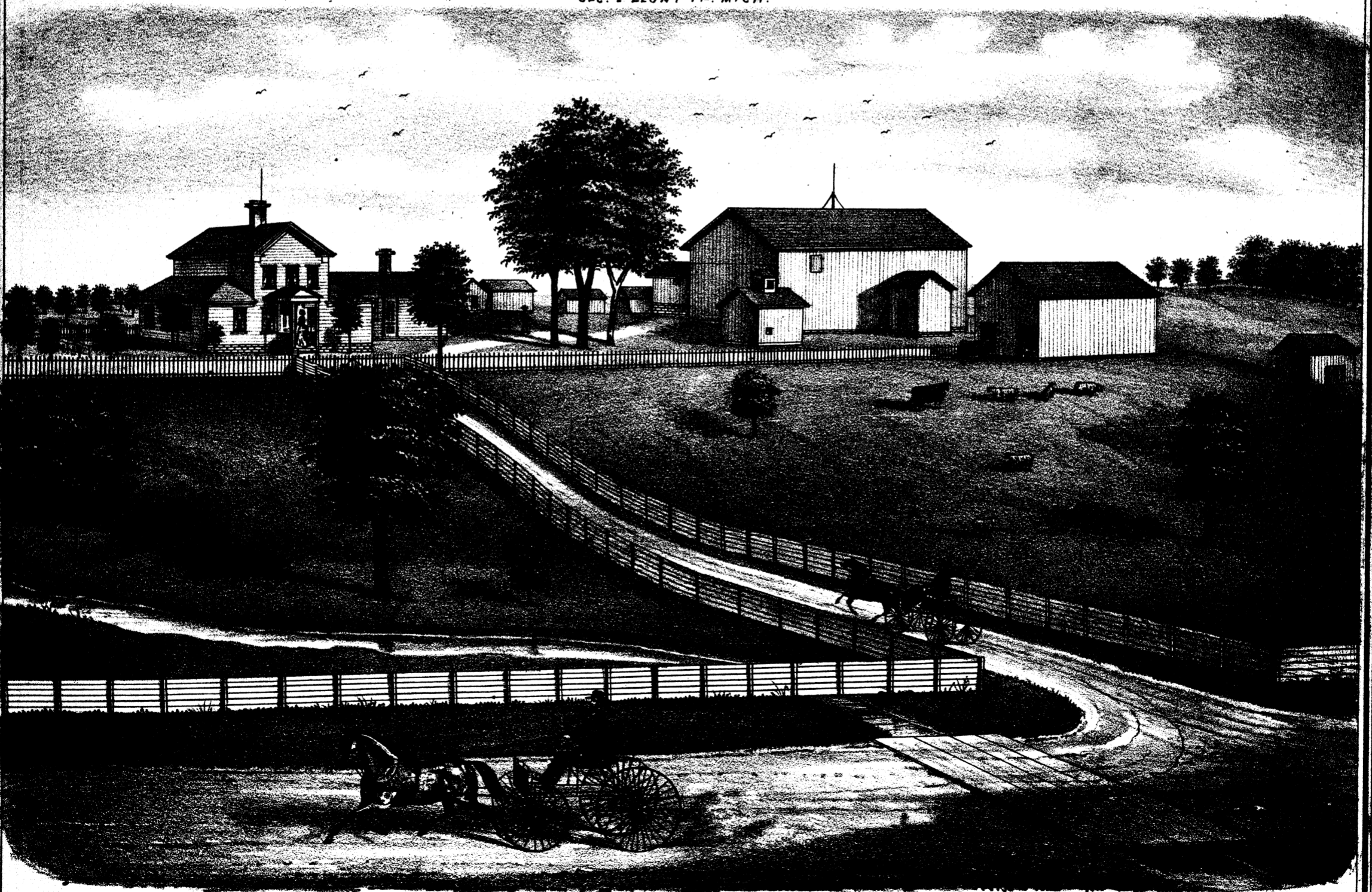


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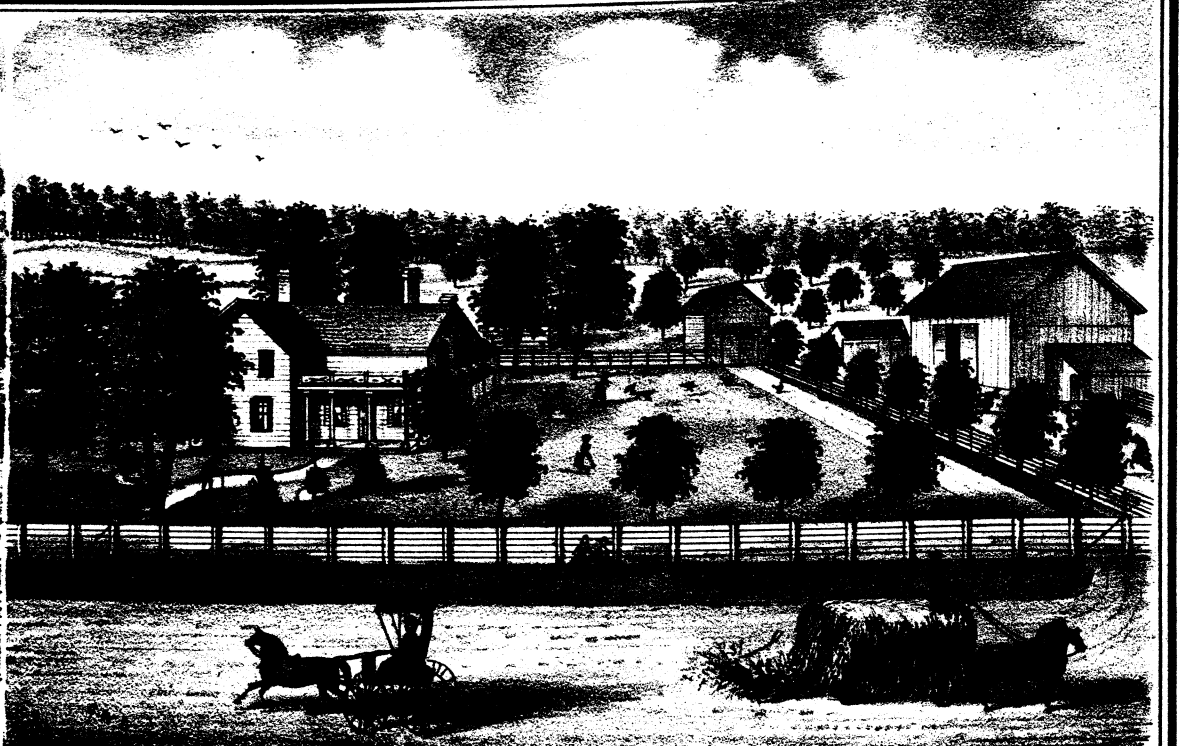
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RES. OF SIMEON WATTS  
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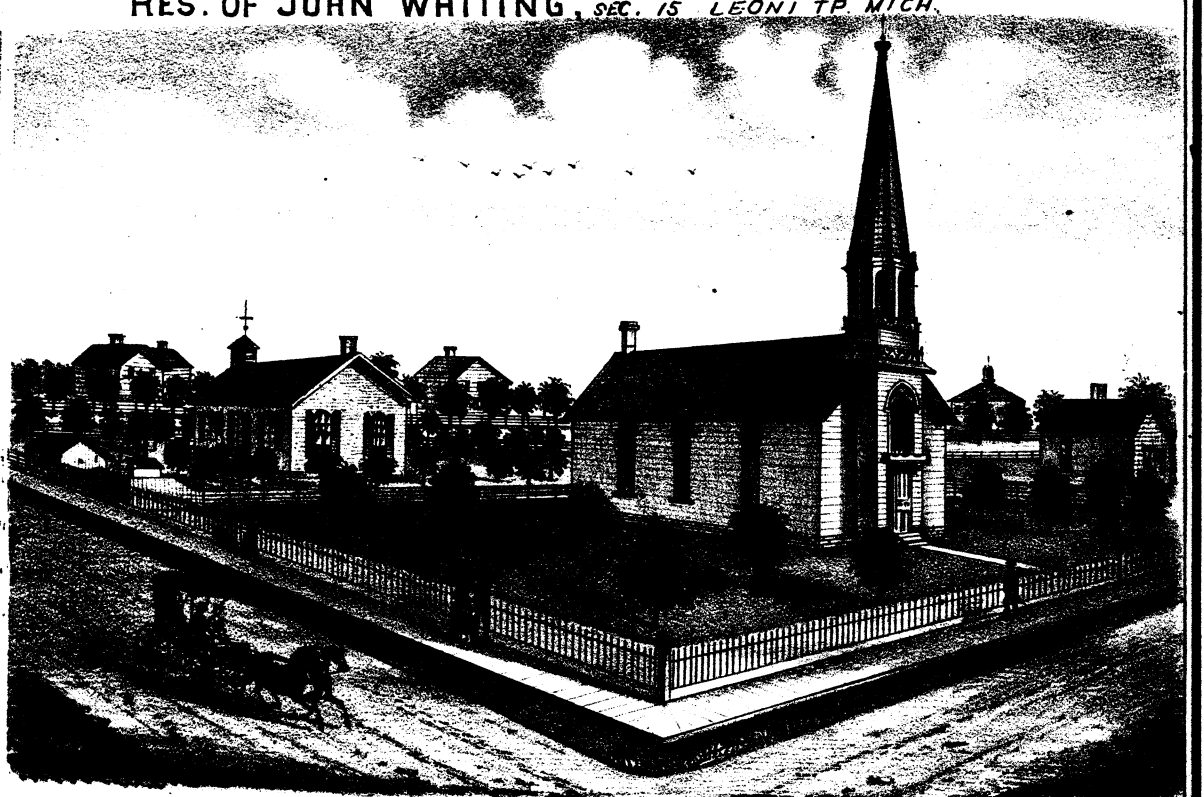
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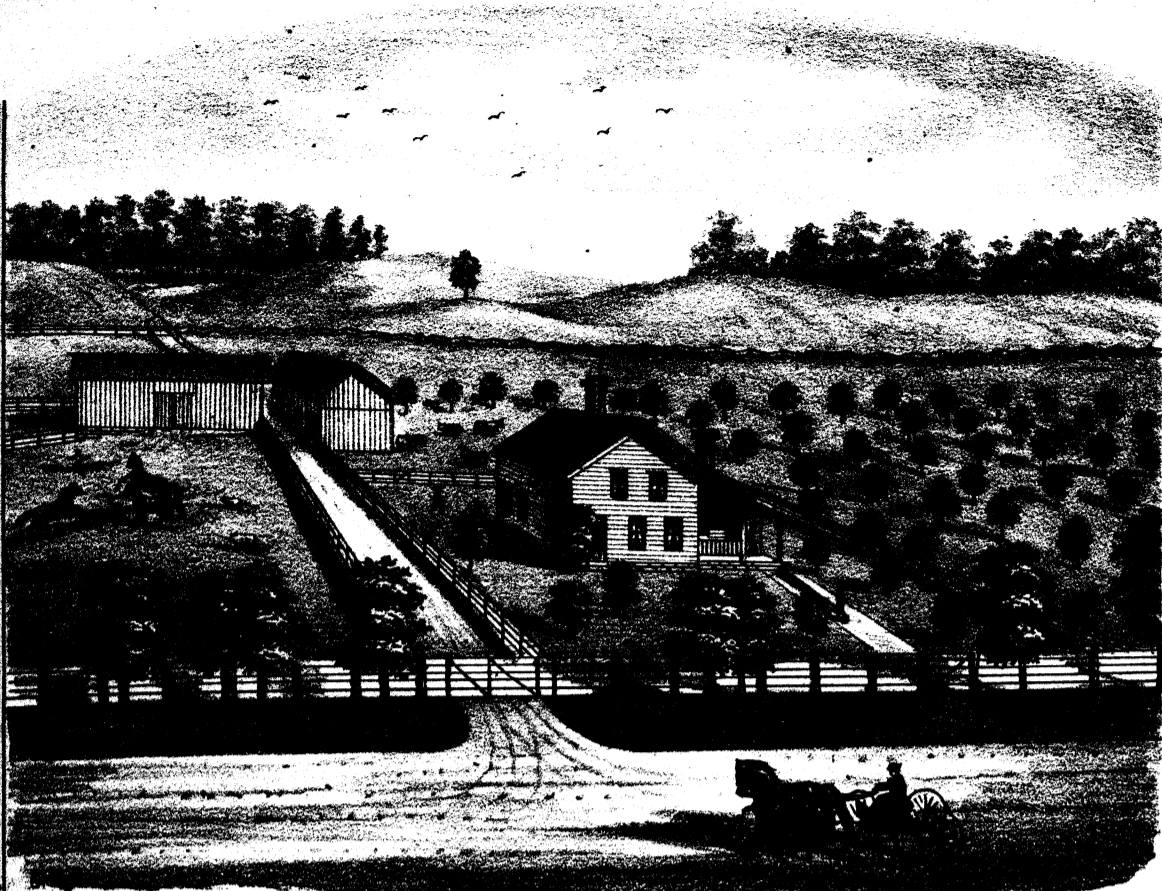
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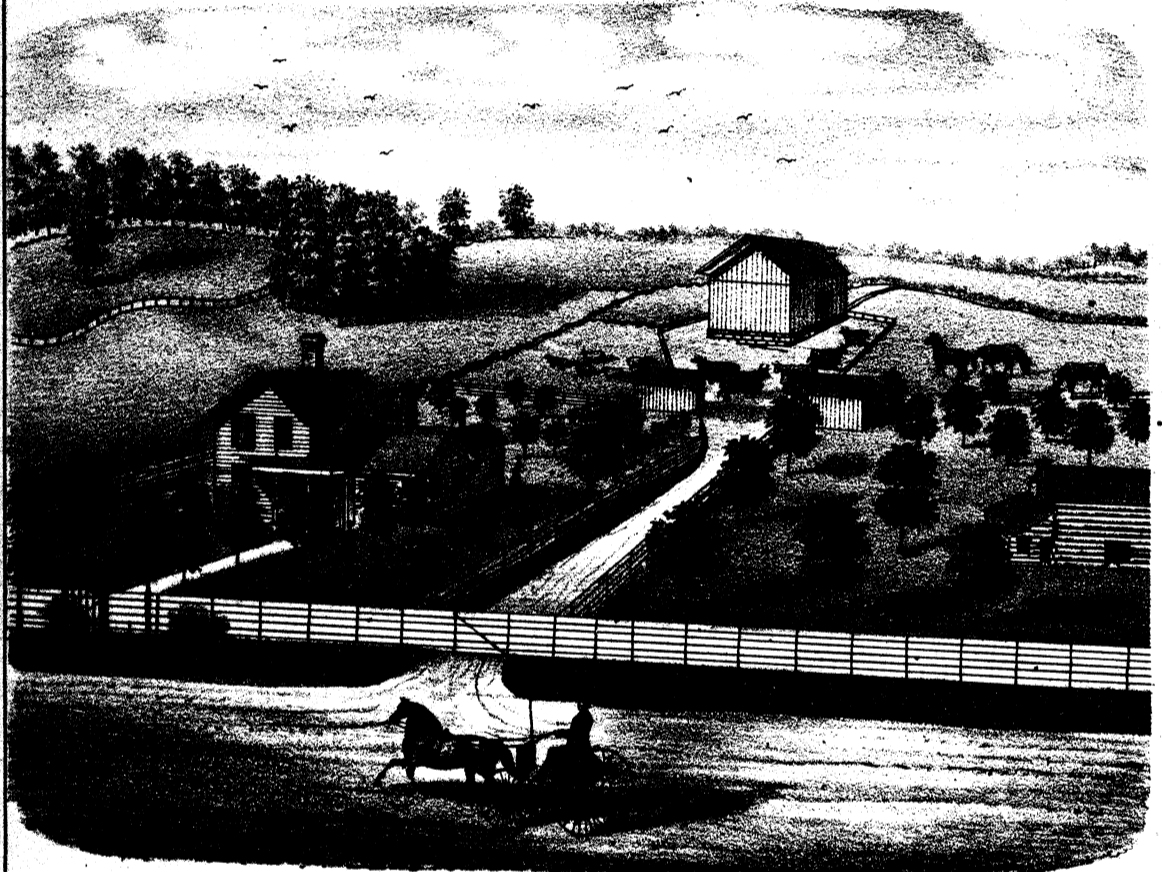
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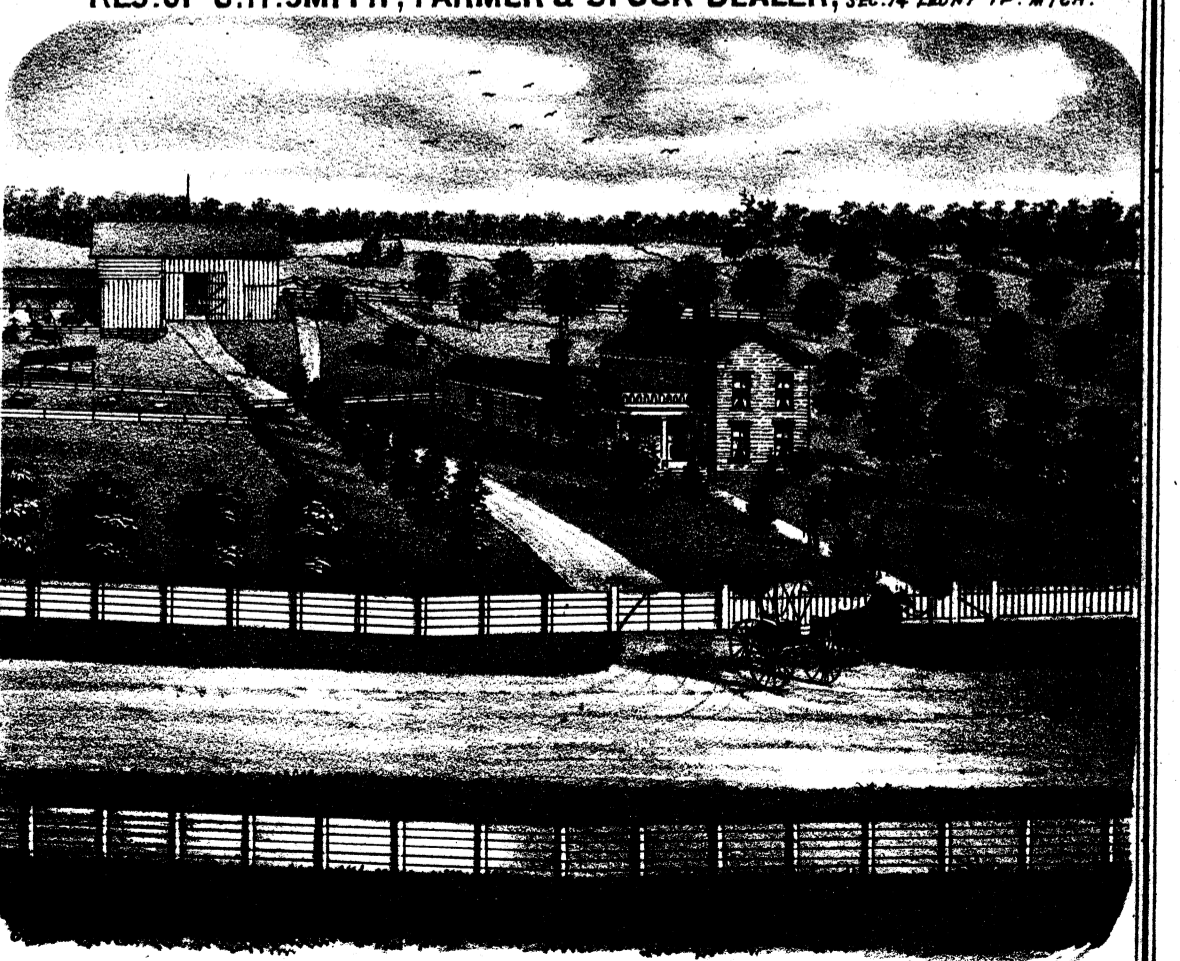
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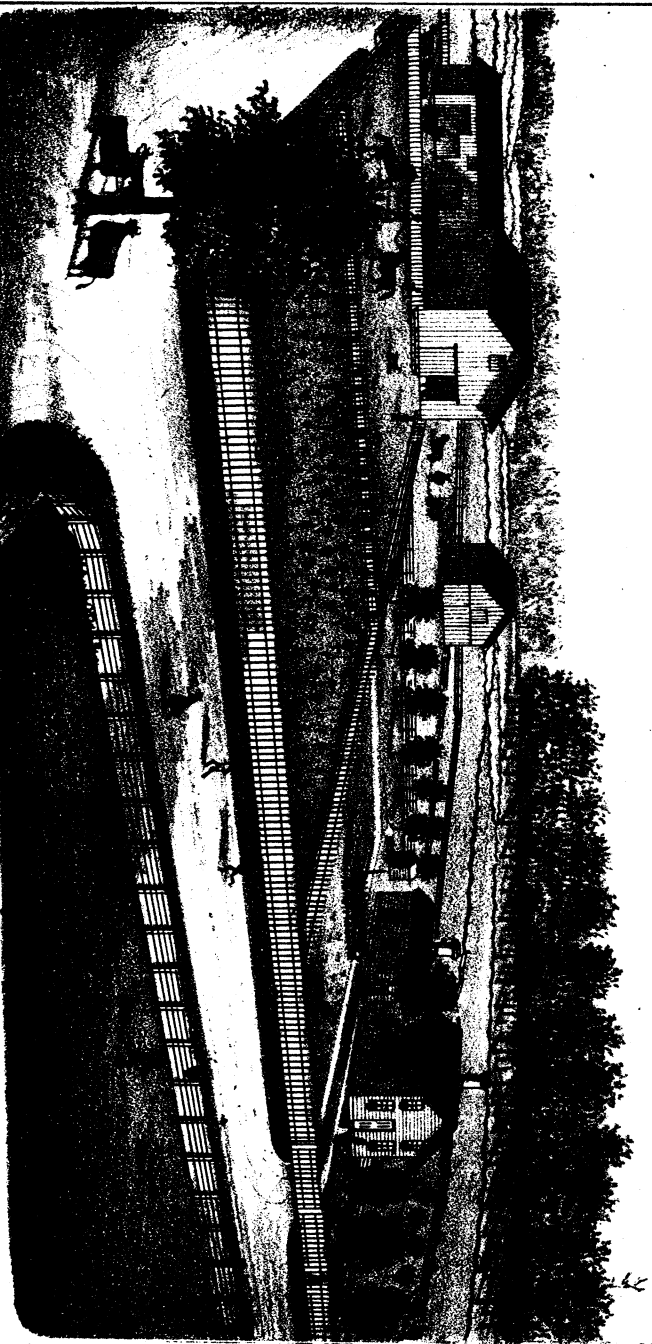
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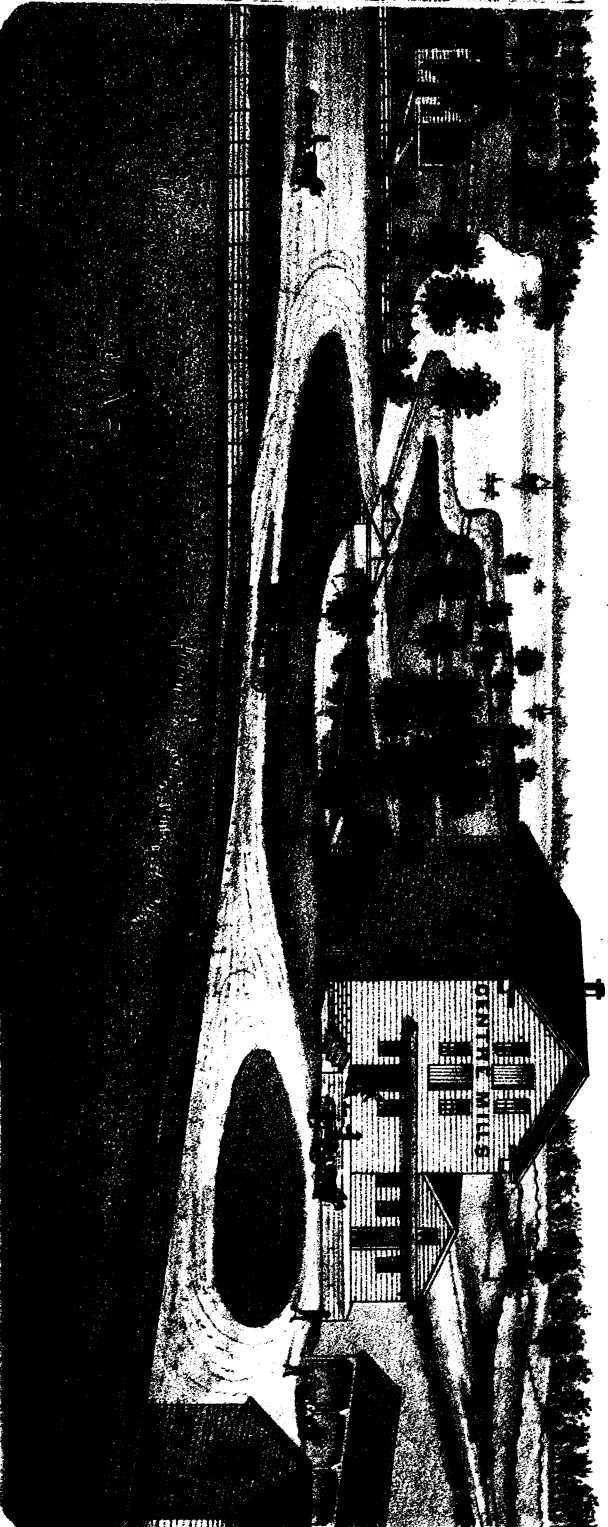
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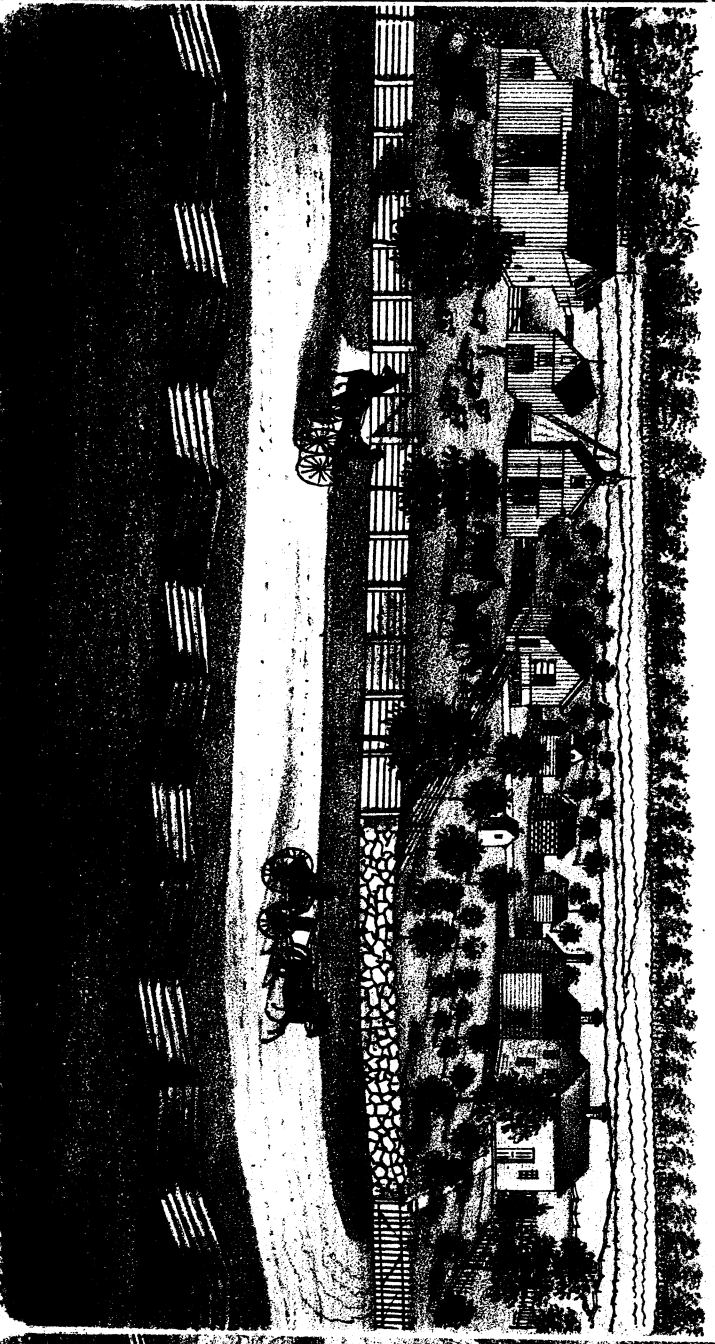
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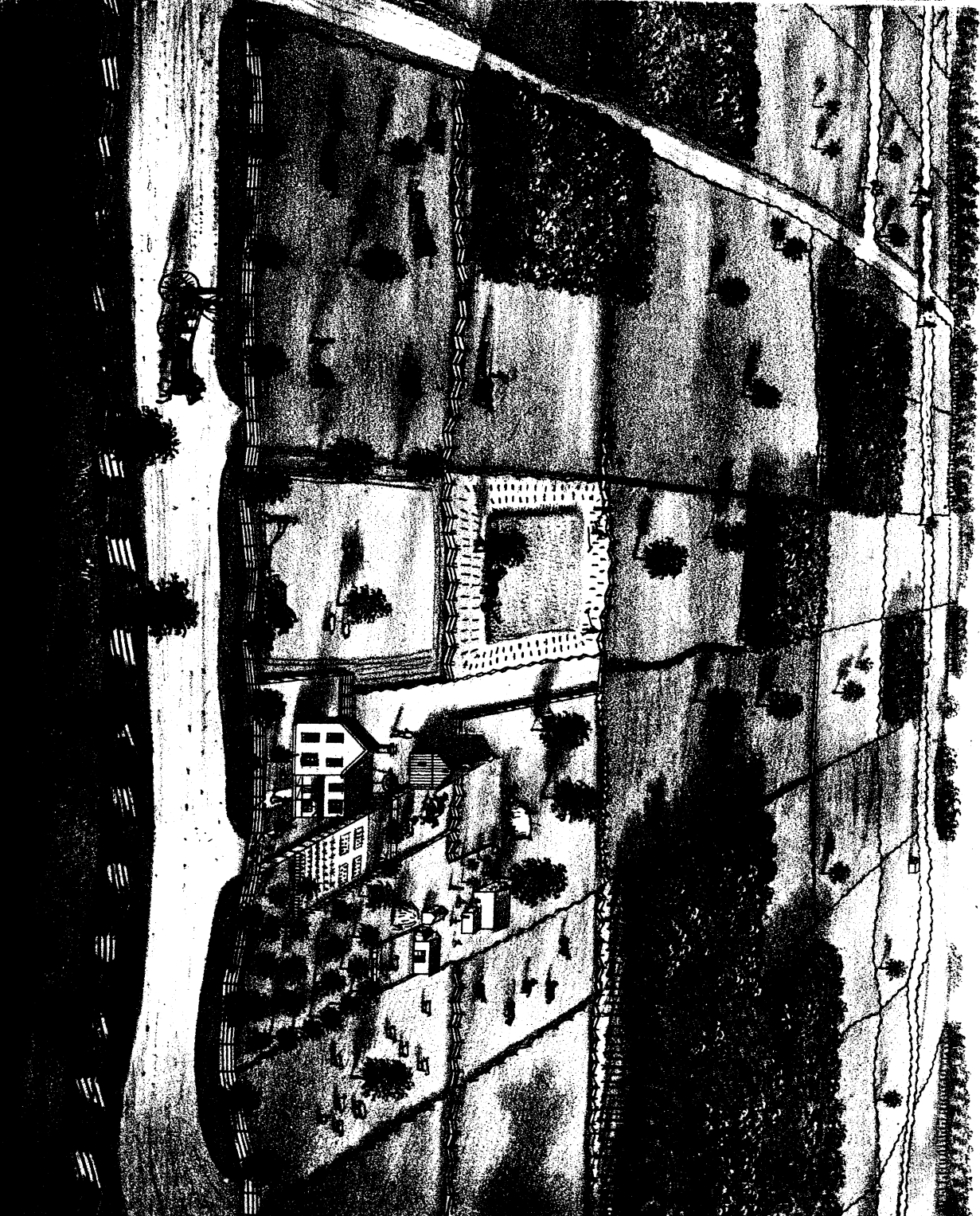
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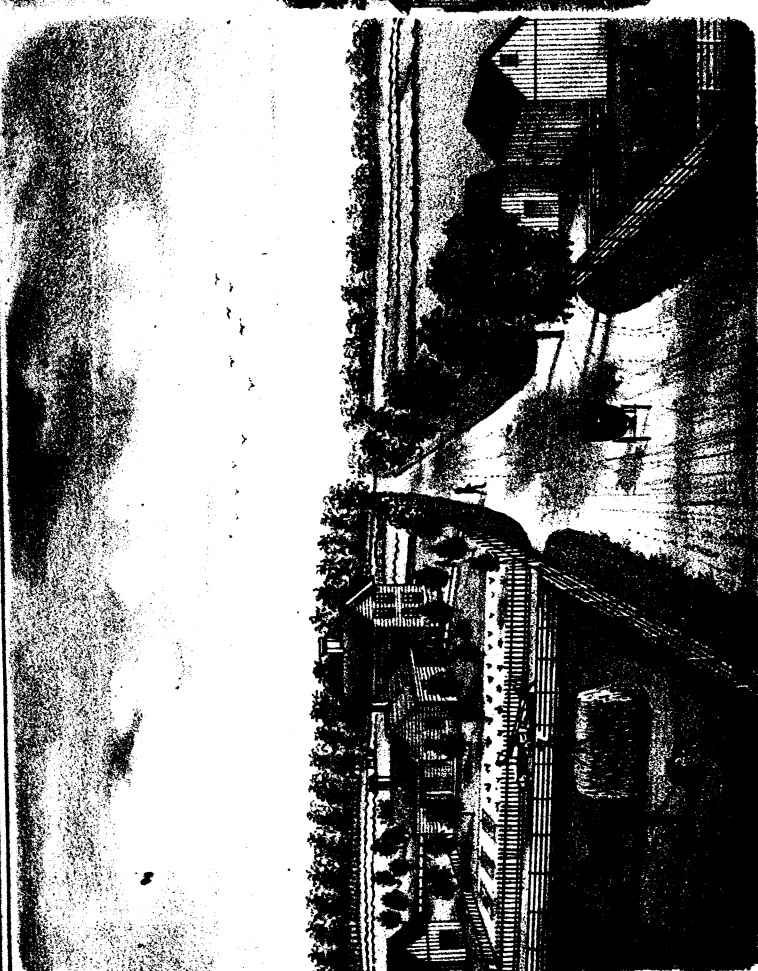
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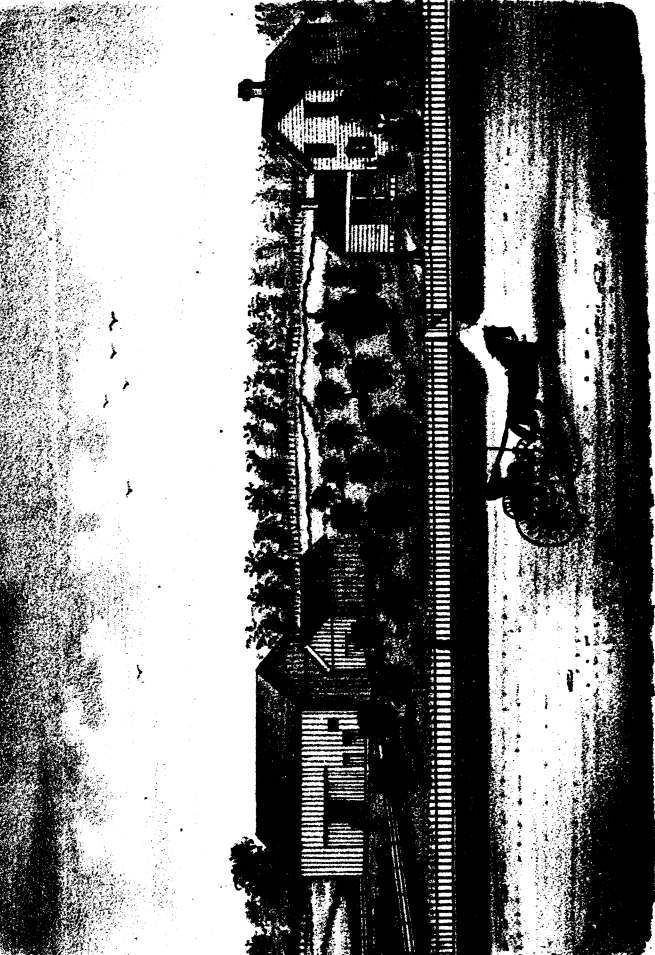
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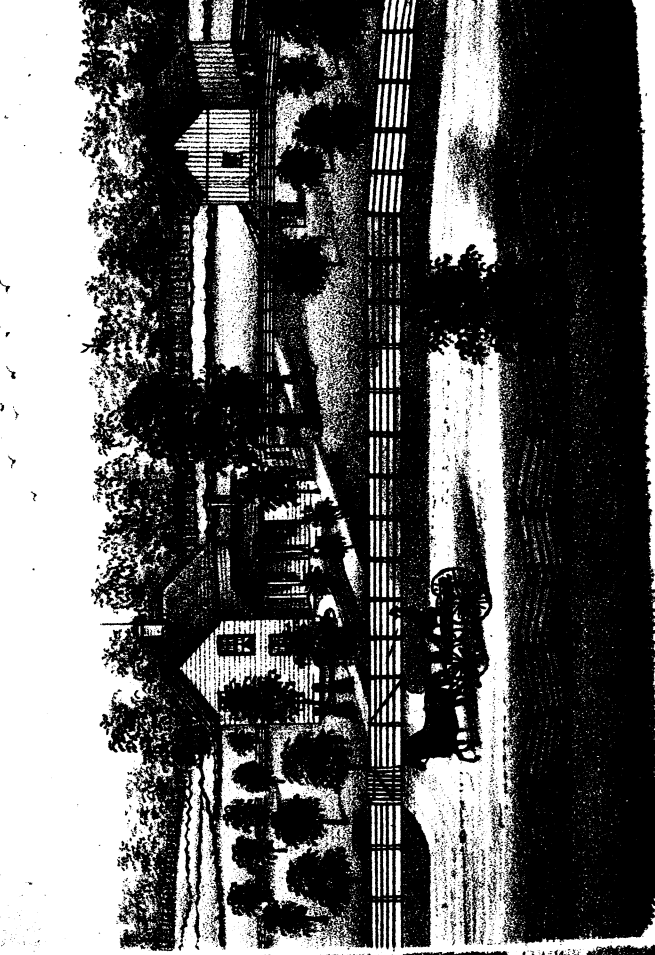
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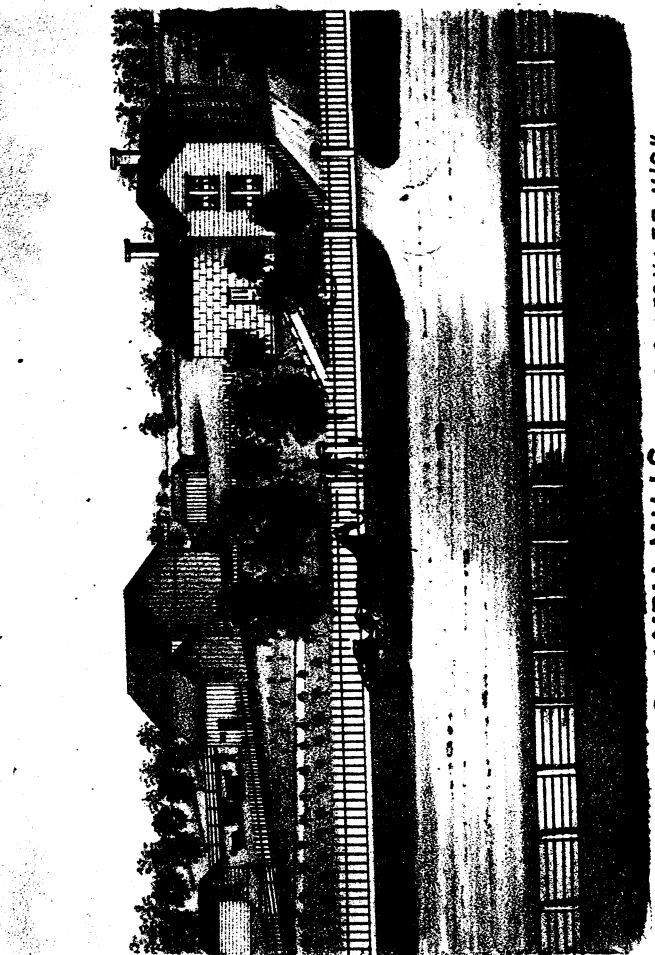
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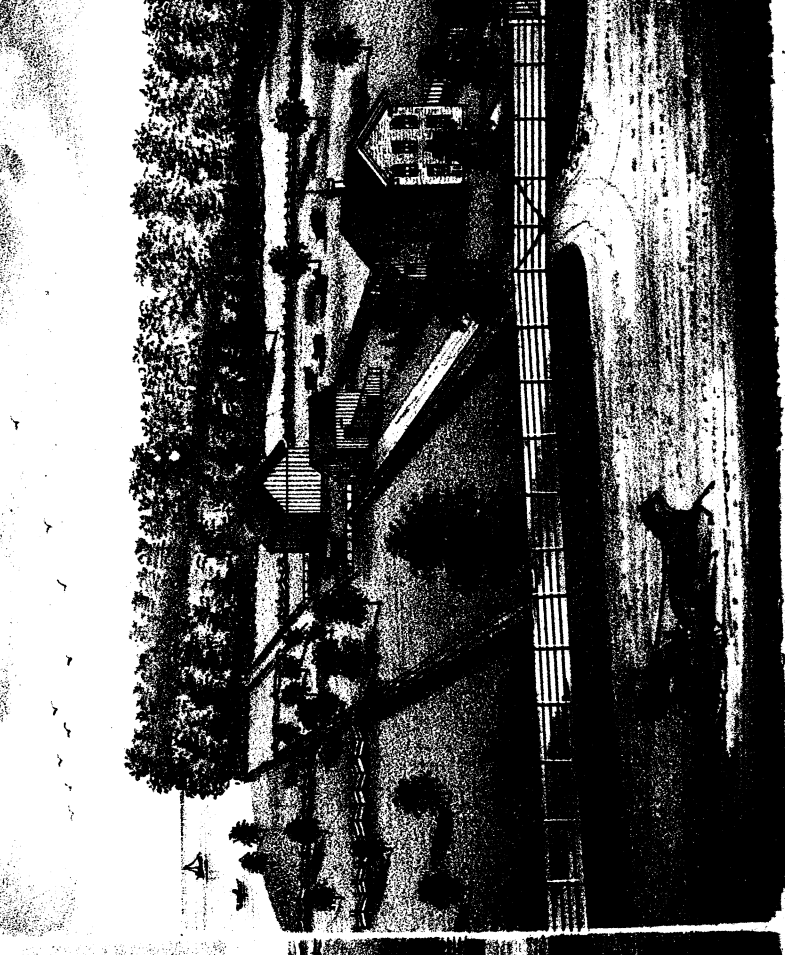
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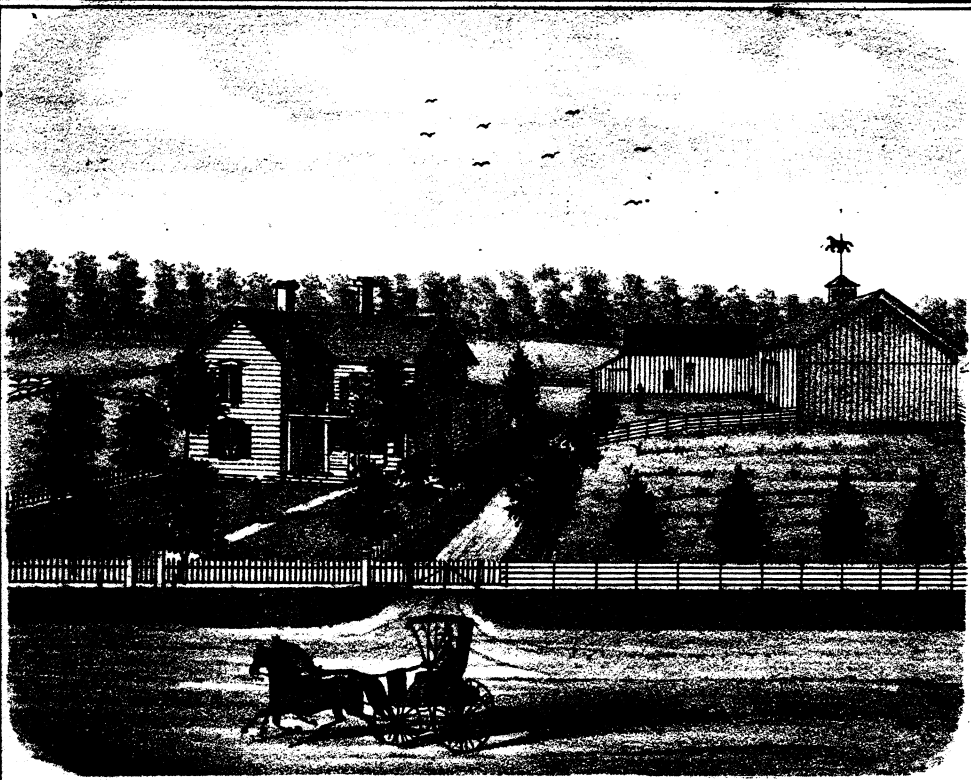
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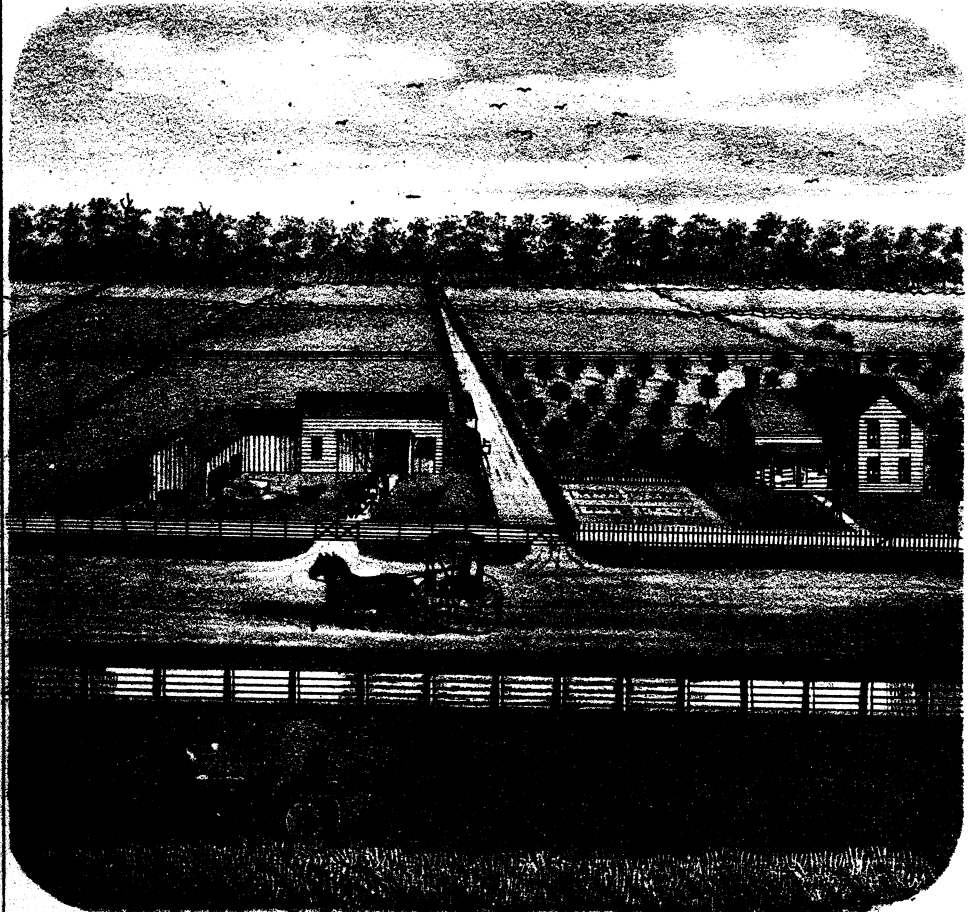
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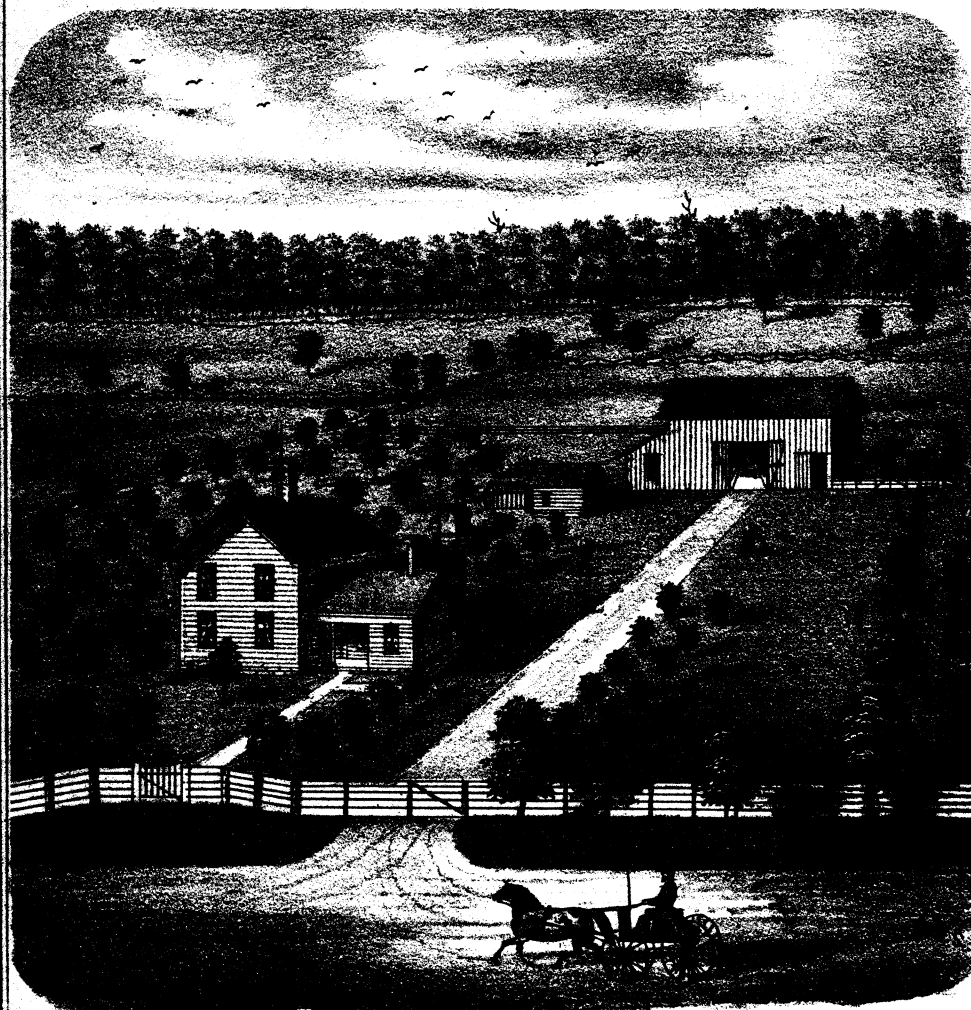
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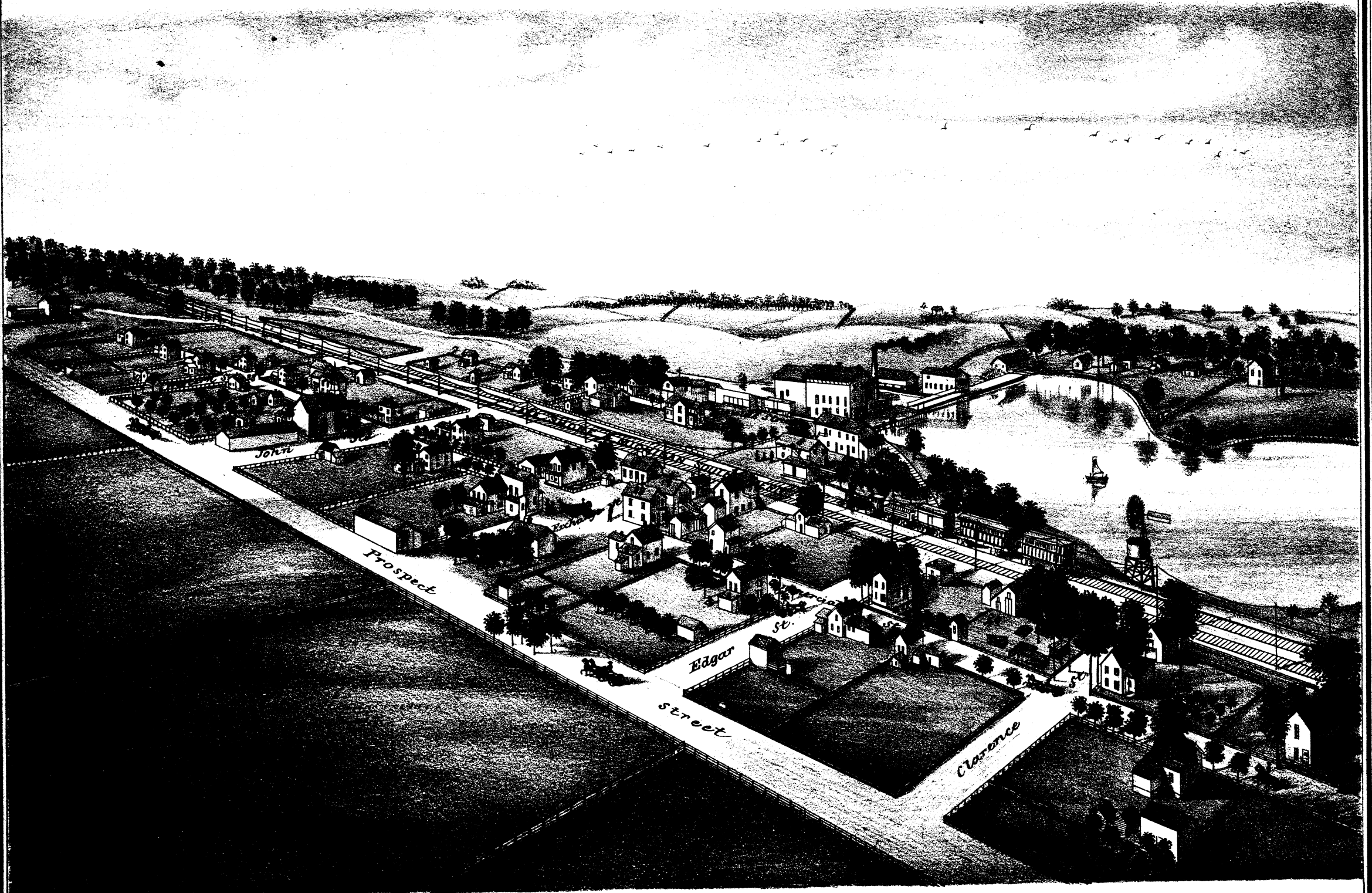
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RES. OF SAMUEL ST. JOHN  
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RES. OF L. D. HAWKINS,  
SEC. 15 SANDSTONE TP. MICH.



**BIRDS-EYE VIEW**  
OF  
**NORVELL,**  
JACKSON COUNTY, MICH.

- 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 46. W. B. Reynolds.
- 8. Depot.
- 9. J. Post.
- 10. J. Greenman.
- 11. D. Beckwith.
- 12. E. V. Sunn.
- 13, 14. W. H. Lown.
- 15. E. C. Thayer.
- 16. W. H. Lown's Blacksmith Shop.

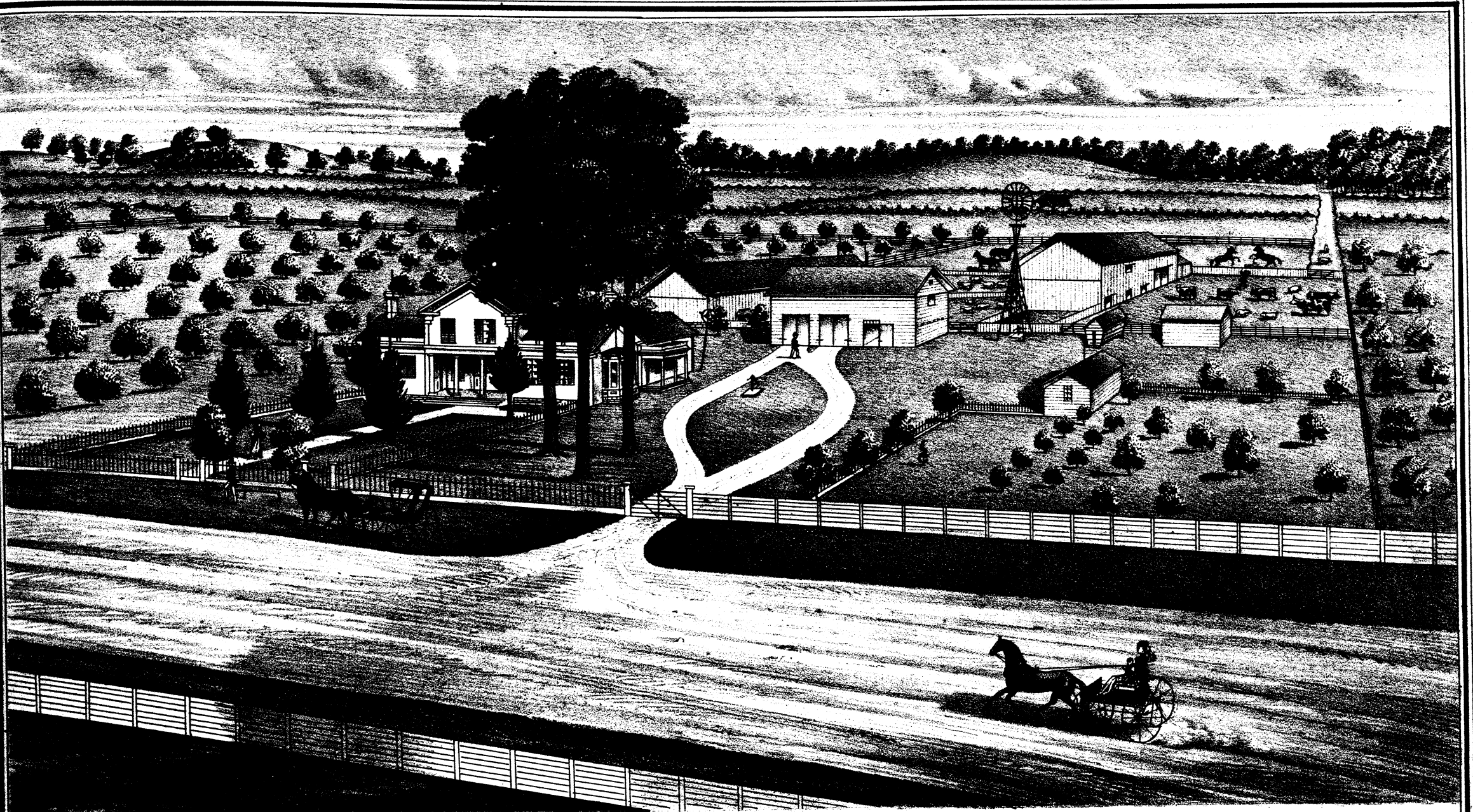
- 17. Tuttle & Yarrington's Store.
- 18. Byron Rogers's Wagon Shop.
- 19. Houson & Karr's Store.
- 20. F. W. Schofield's Carpenter Shop.
- 21. Hotel—Brigham, N. B., Propr.
- 22. B. F. Burgess.
- 23. H. W. Beckwith.
- 24. Baptist Church.
- 25. L. E. Cole.
- 26. A. Converse.

- 27. H. A. Sheffield.
- 28. Wm. Sweesey.
- 29. D. Hyndman, M.D.
- 30. Mrs. M. J. Blanchard.
- 31. Public School.
- 32. F. W. Schofield.
- 33. C. O. Carr.
- 34. J. Walter.
- 35. A. J. Palmer.
- 36. O. Griffith.

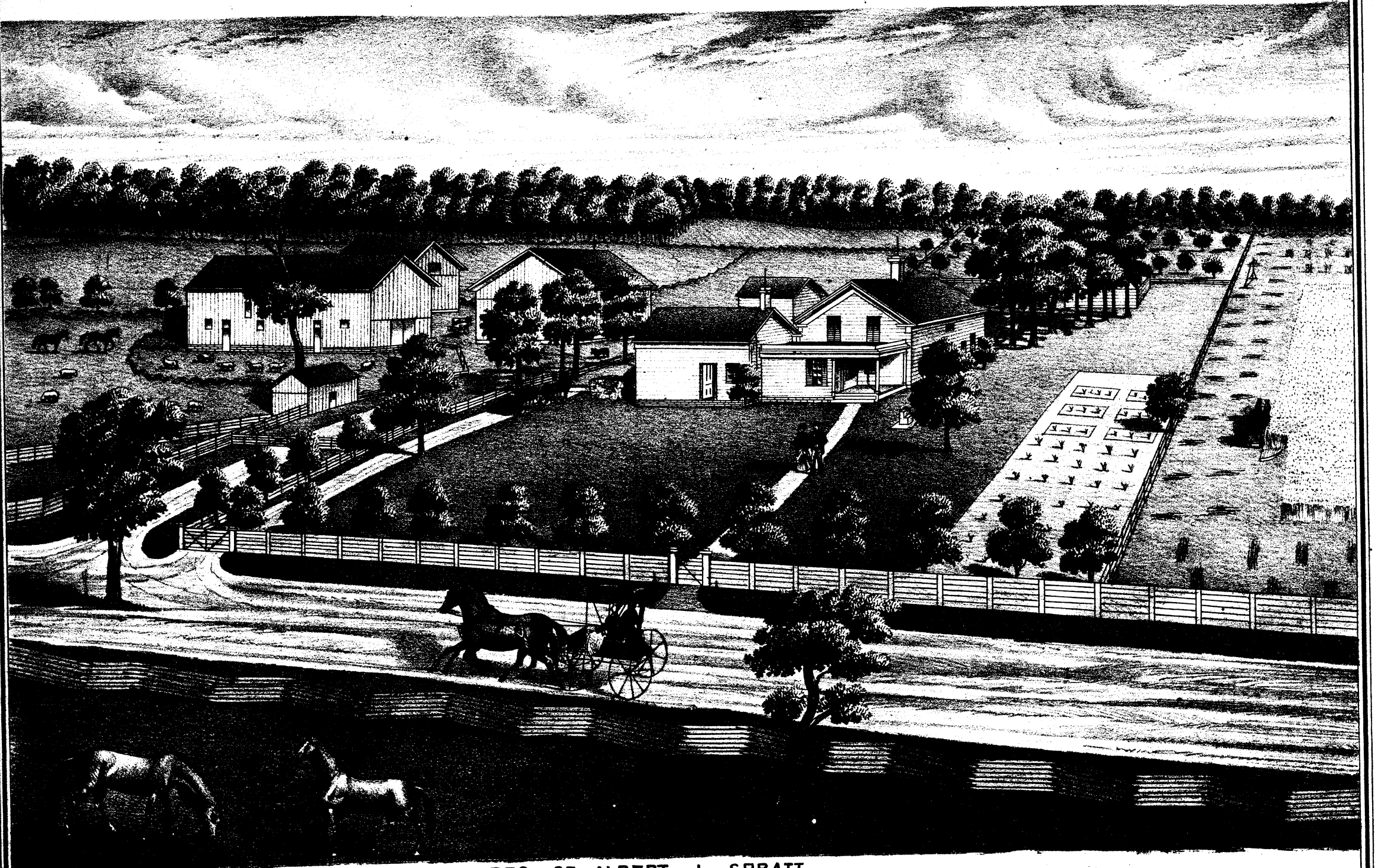
- 37. E. C. Burton.
- 38. T. Rhead.
- 39. Wheaton & Gould.
- 40. E. Dorr's Lumberyard.
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- 42. Mrs. E. S. Luce.
- 43. H. W. Beckwith.
- 44. H. Karr.
- 45. J. Pratt.



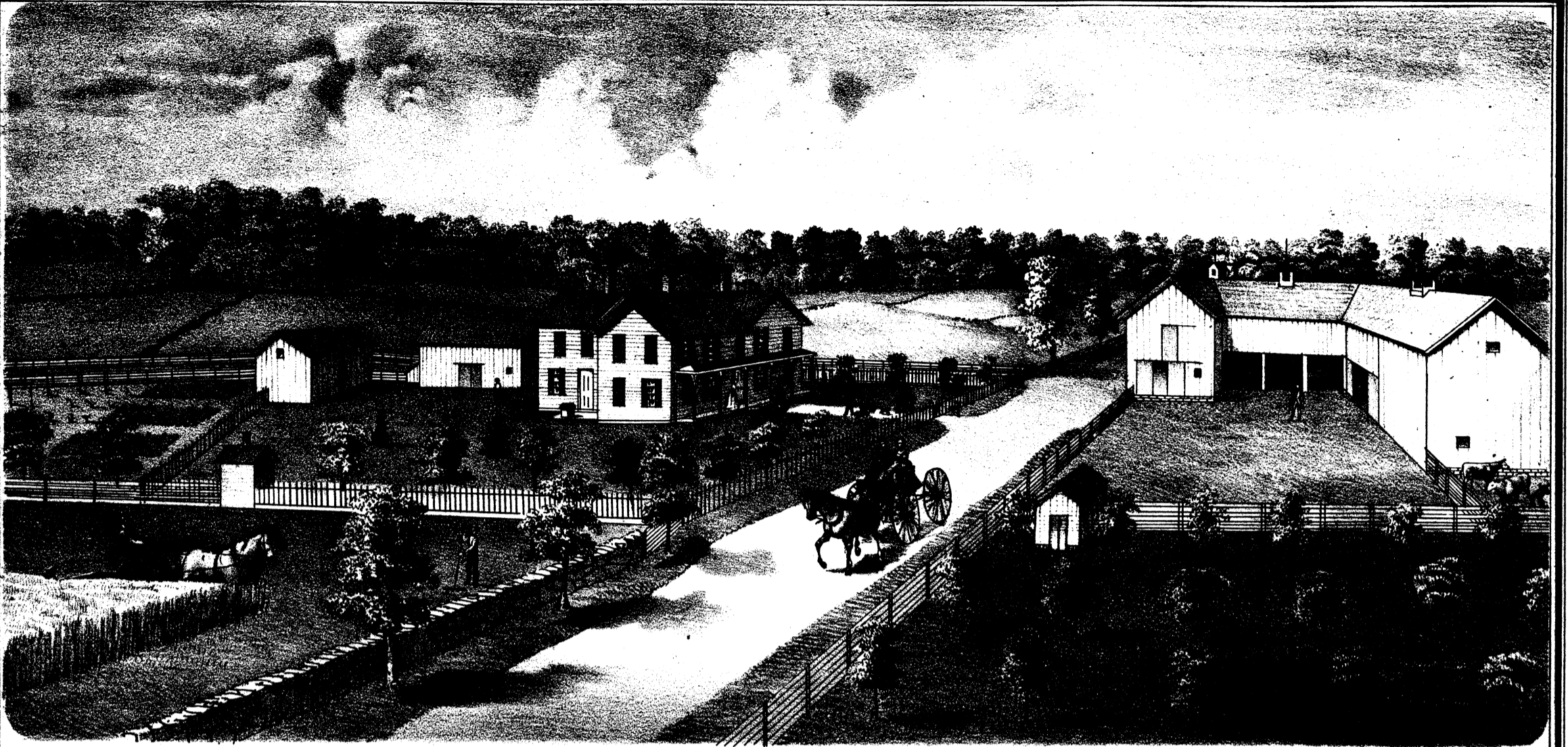




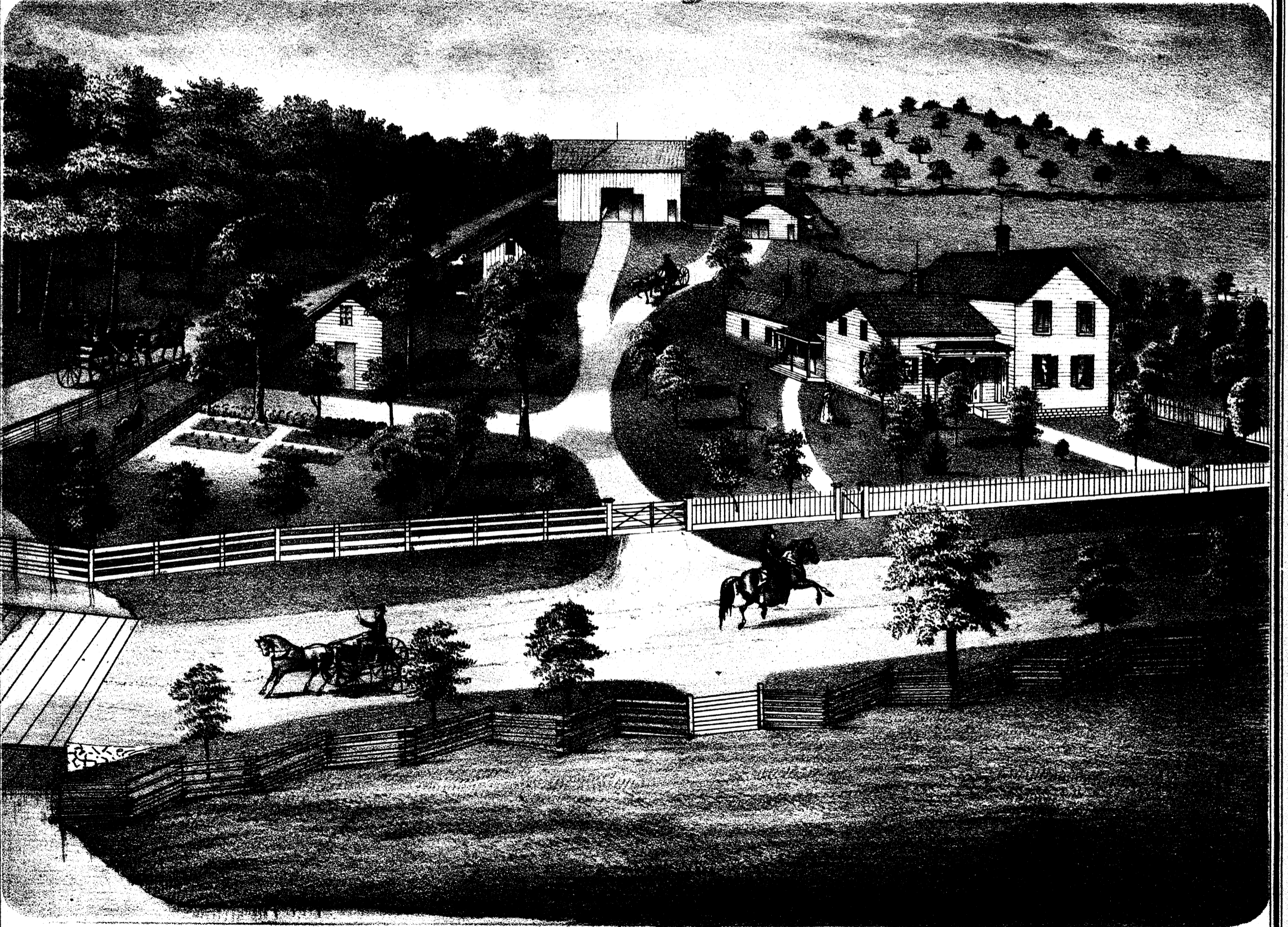
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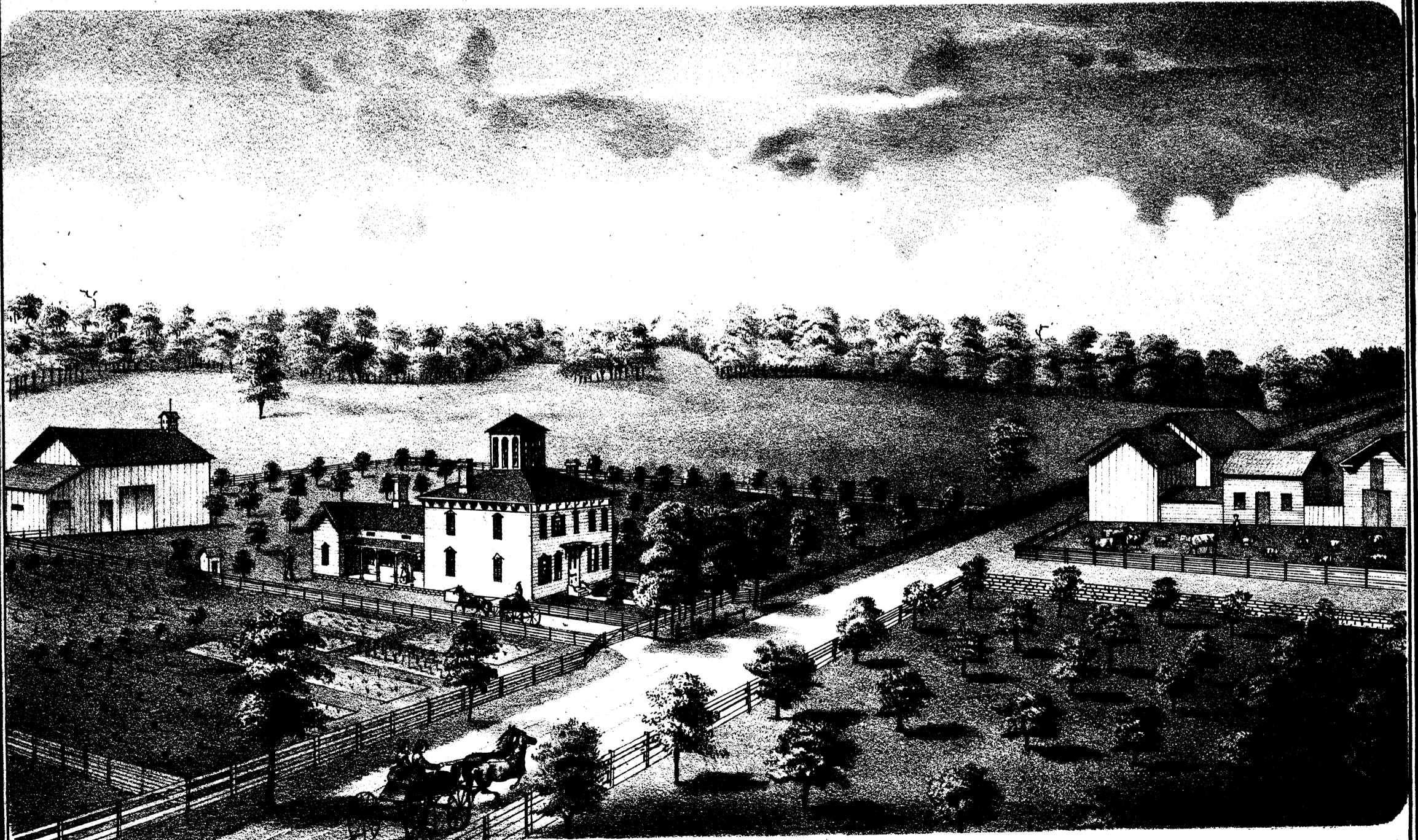


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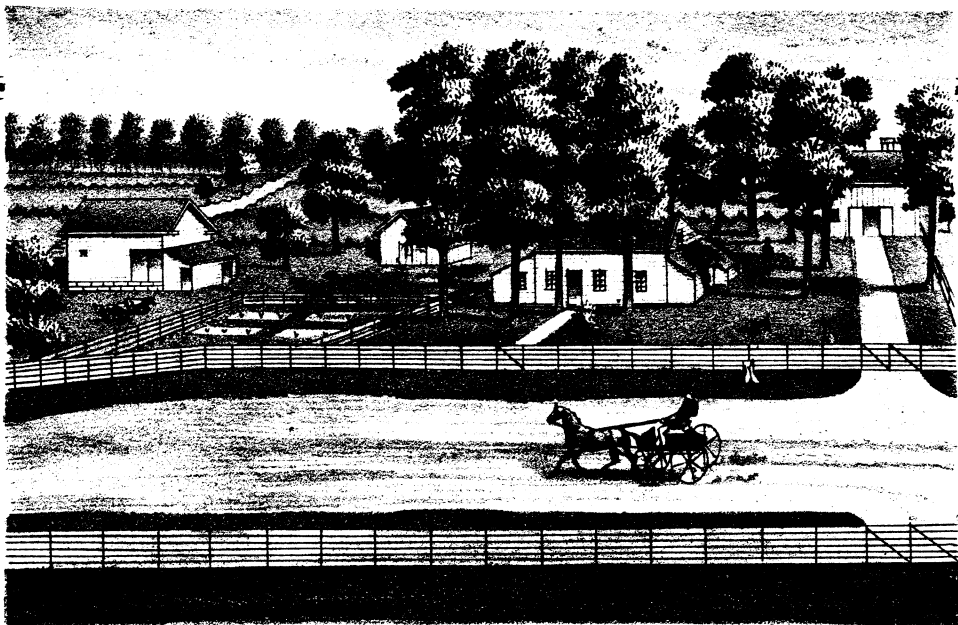


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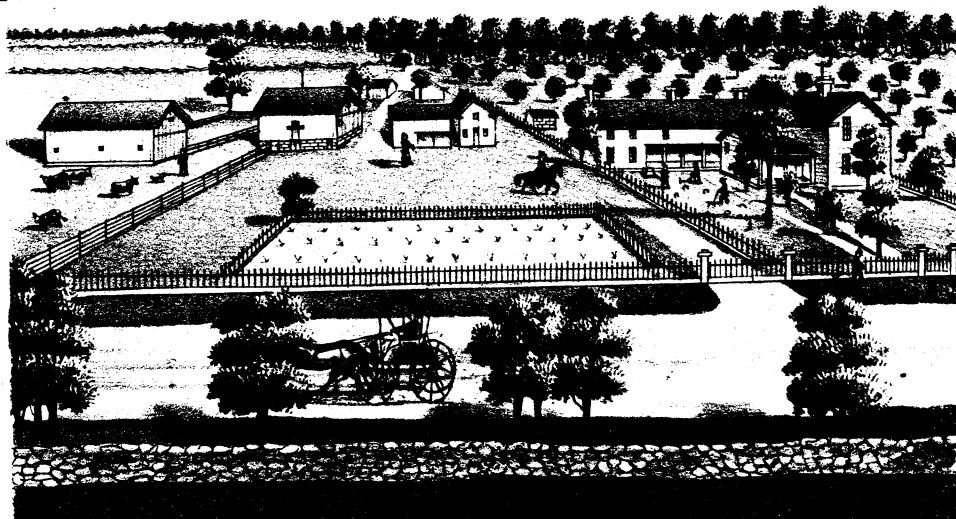
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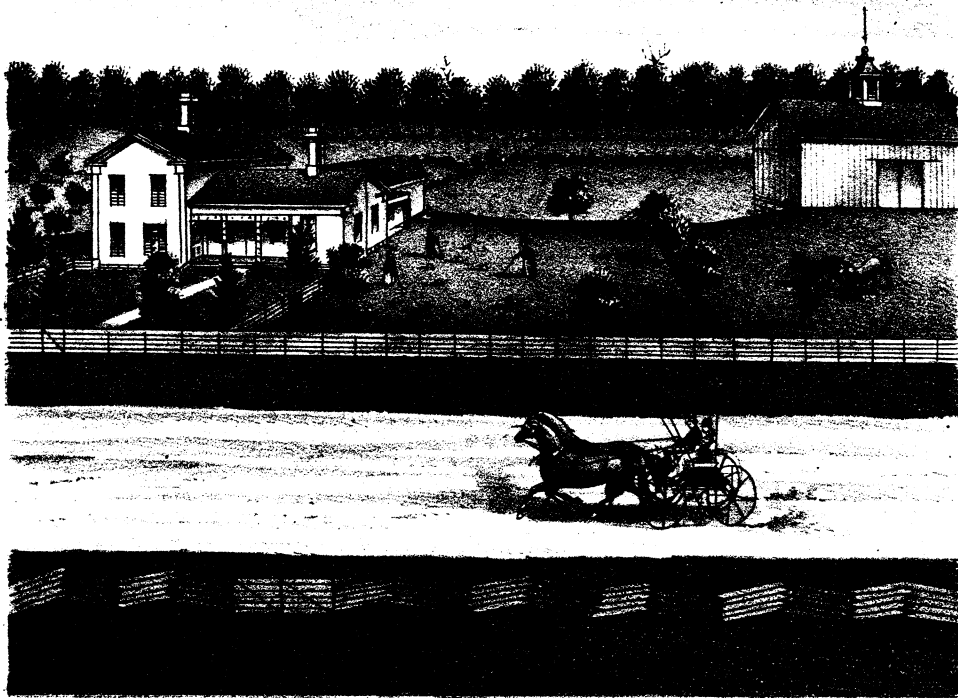
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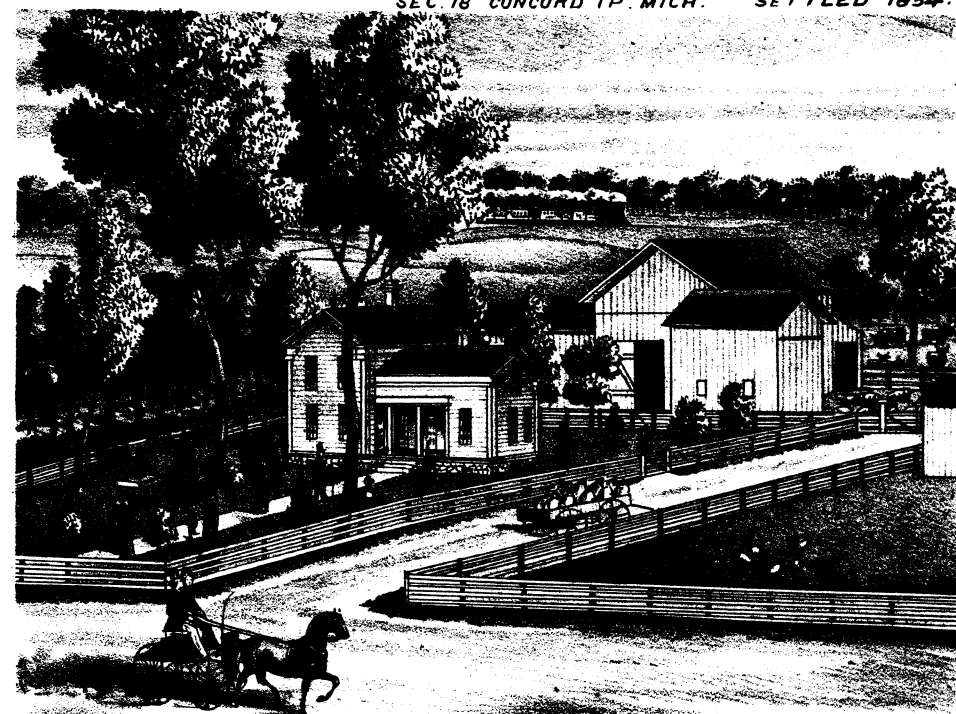
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SEC. 8 CONCORD TP. MICH.



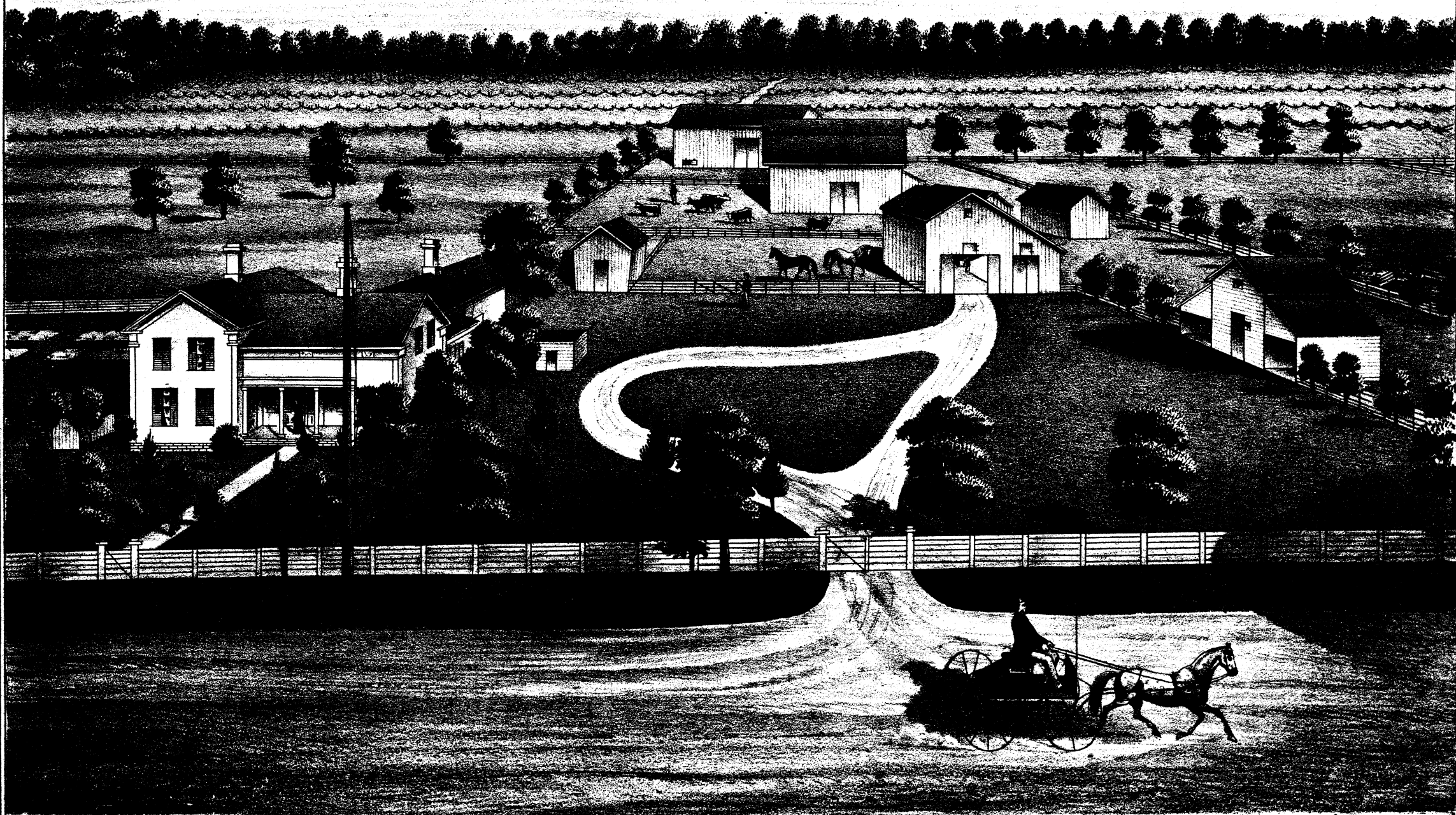
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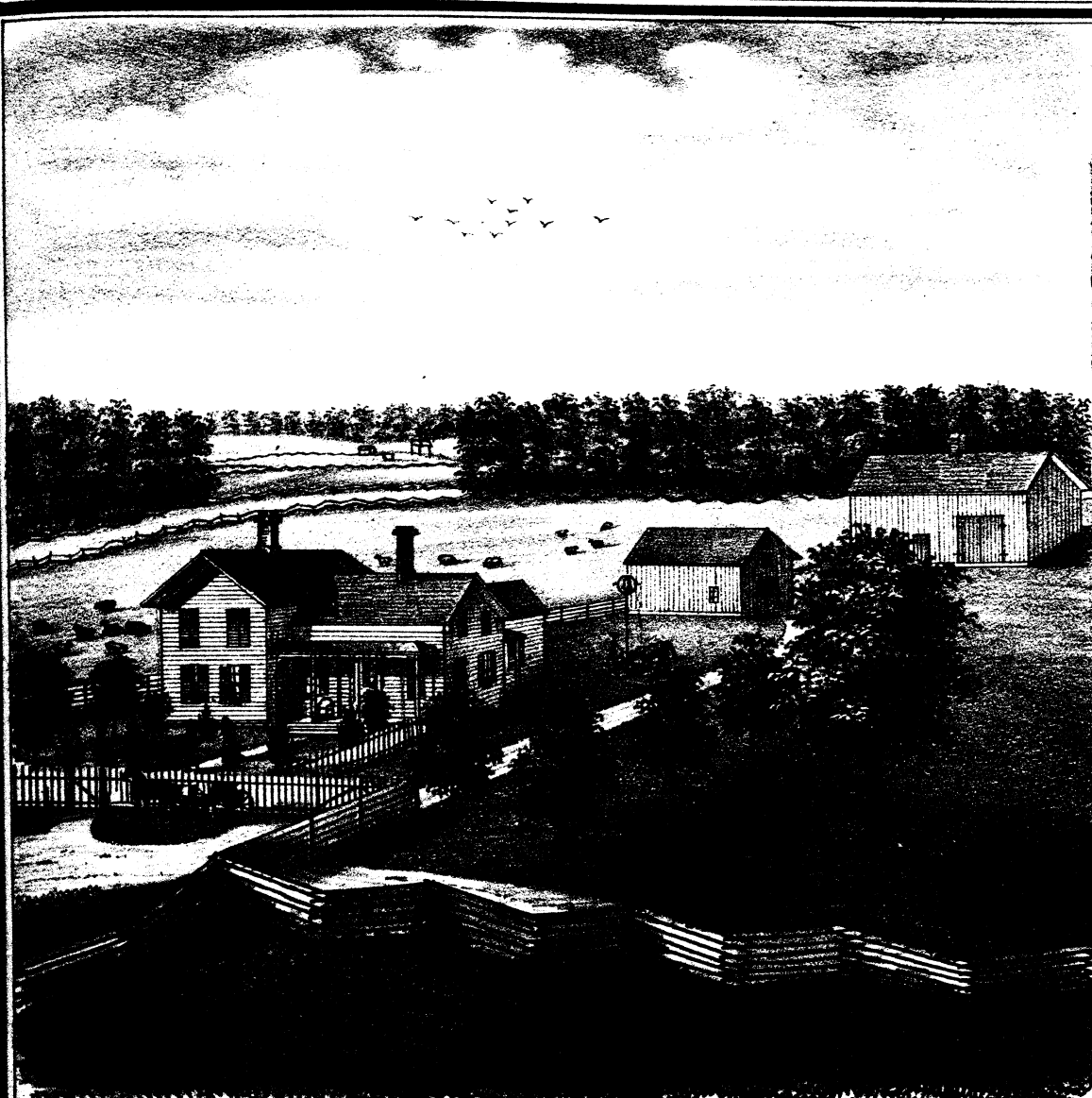
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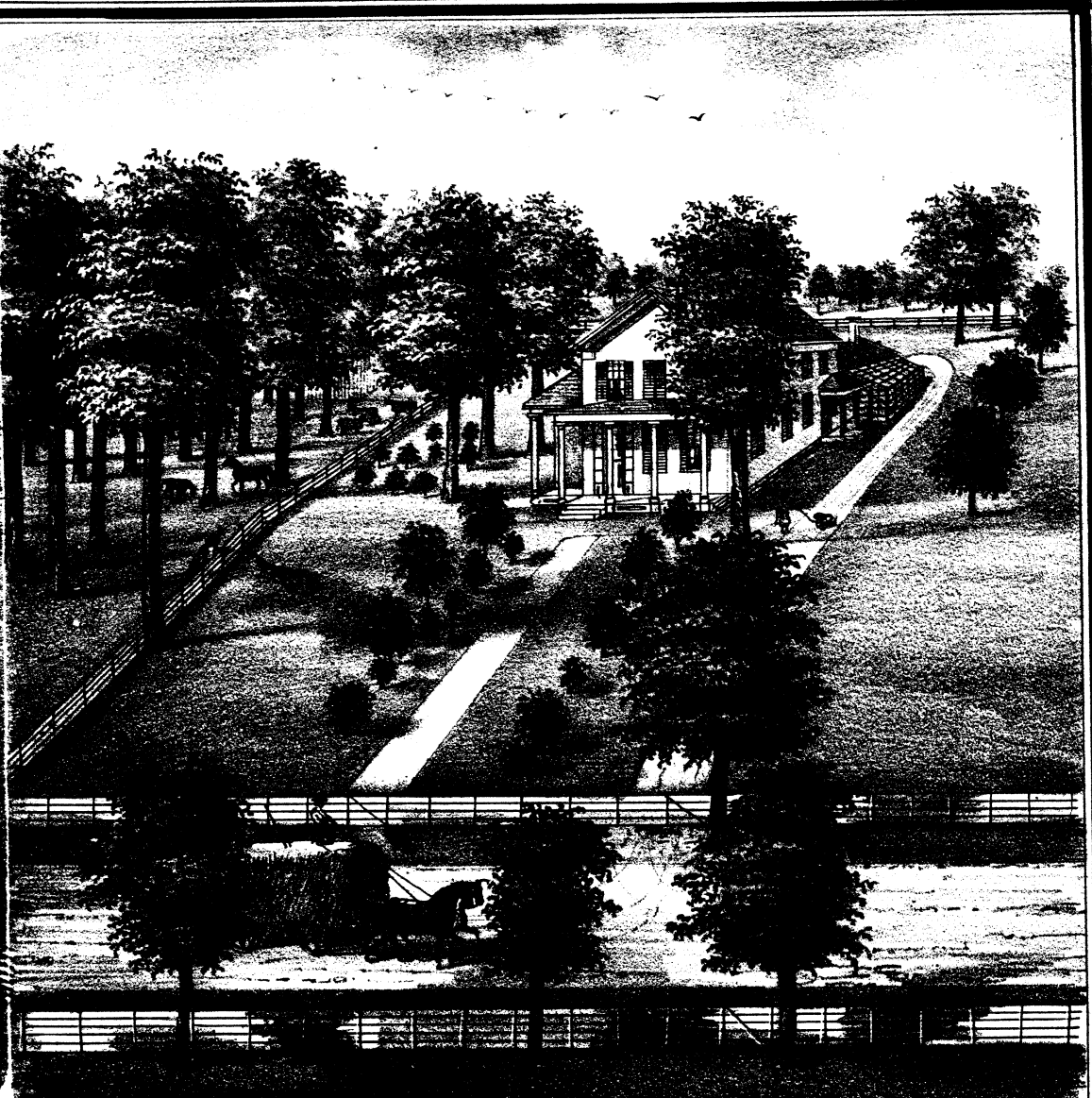
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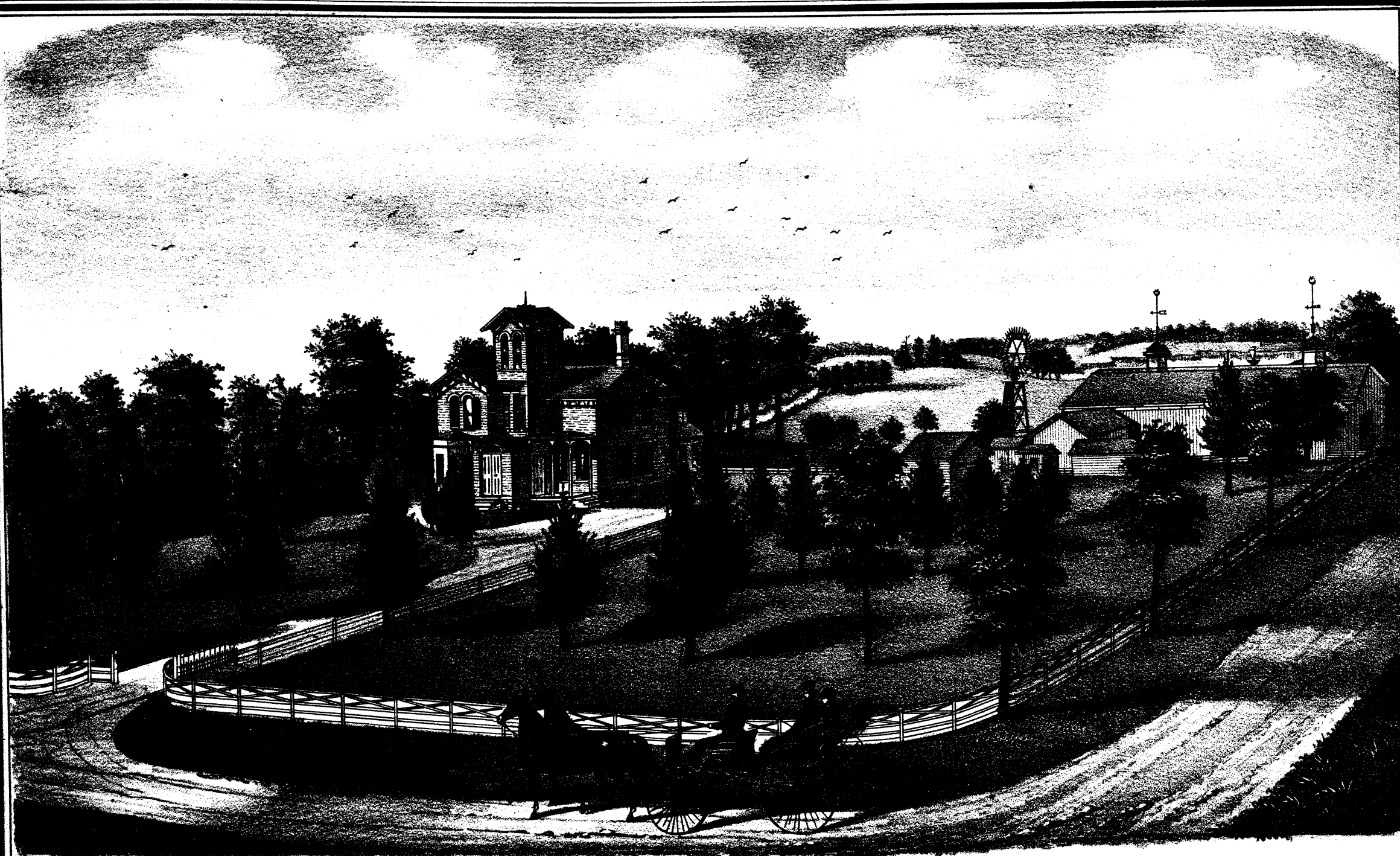


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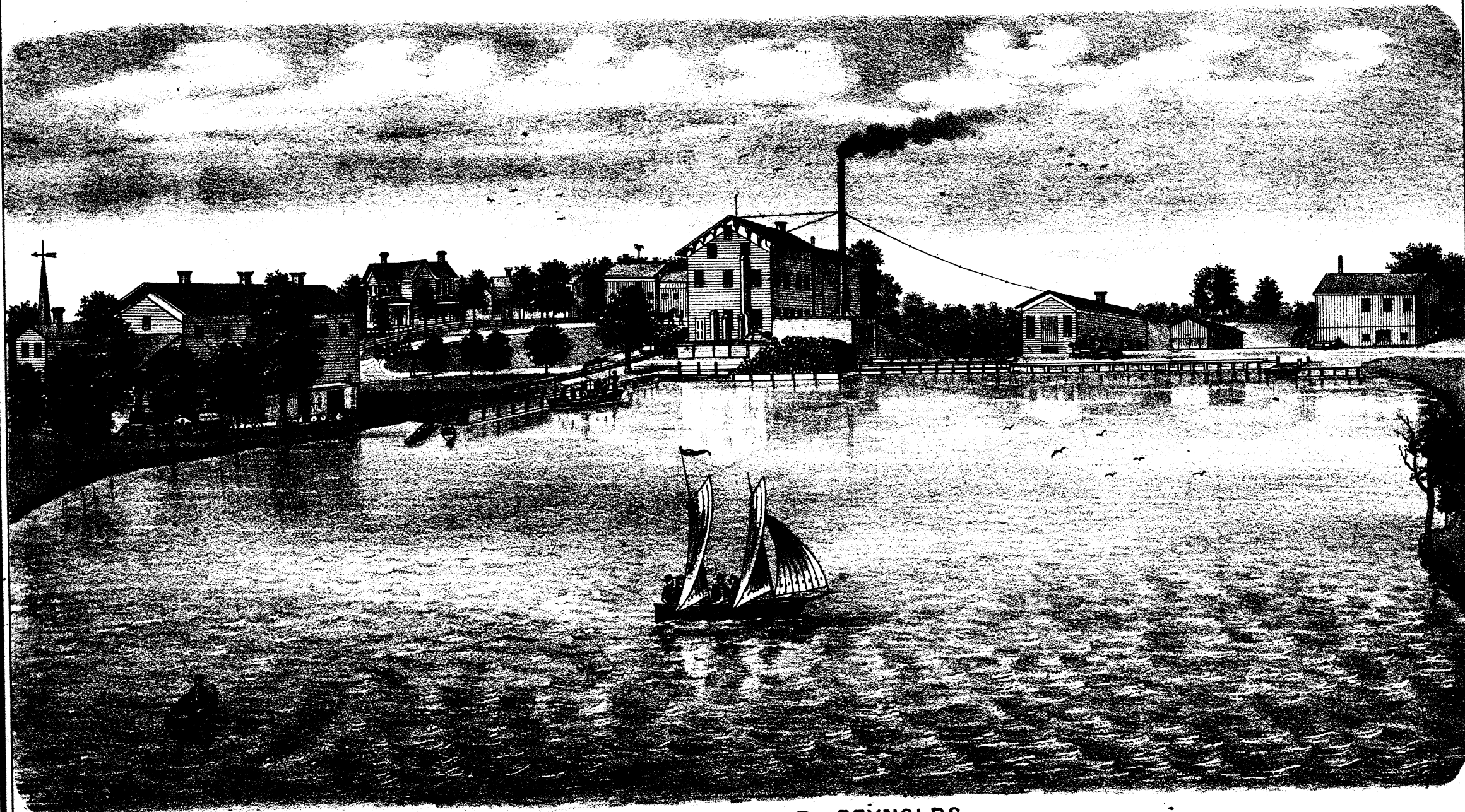


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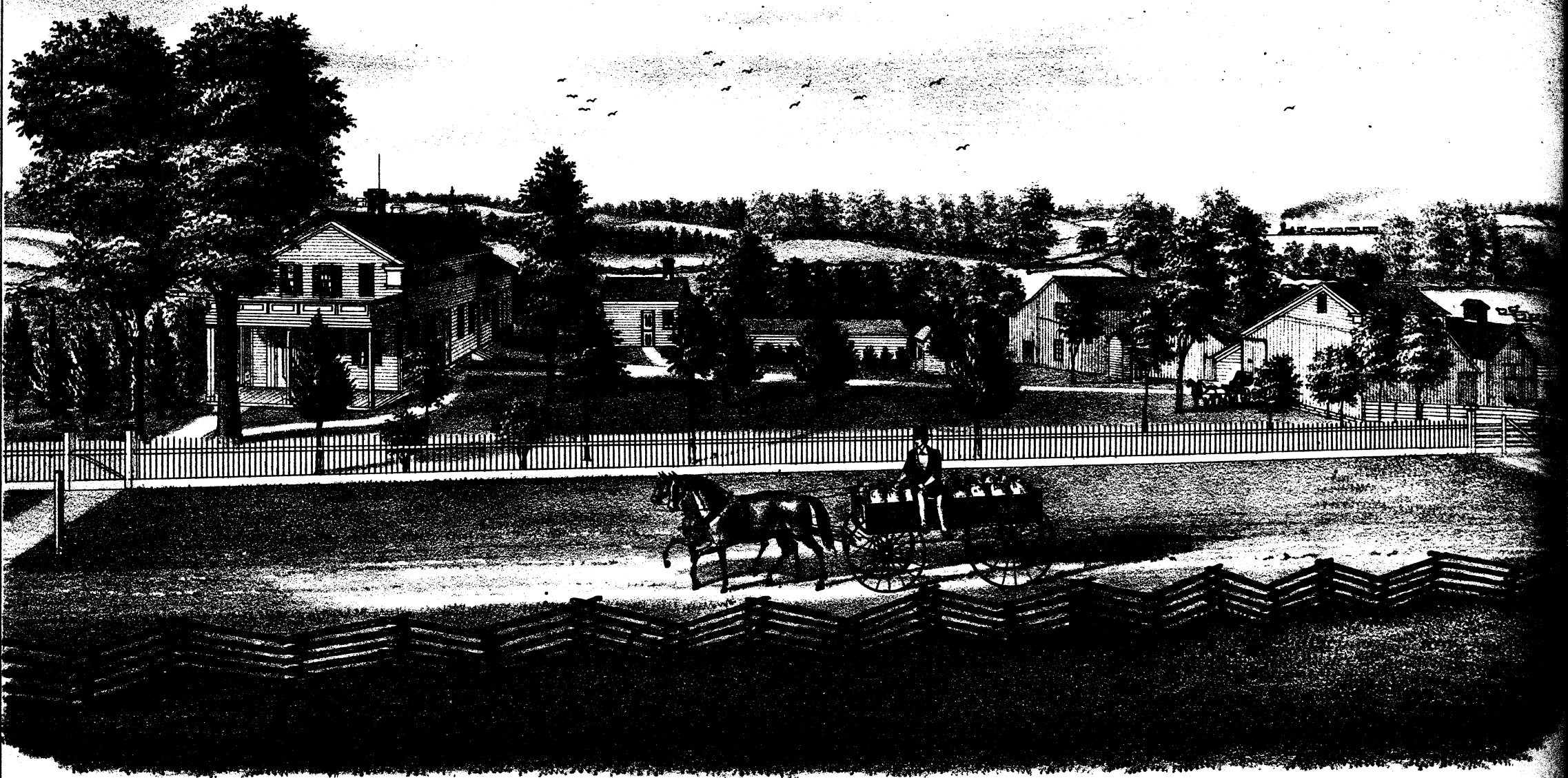




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NORVELL, MICH.

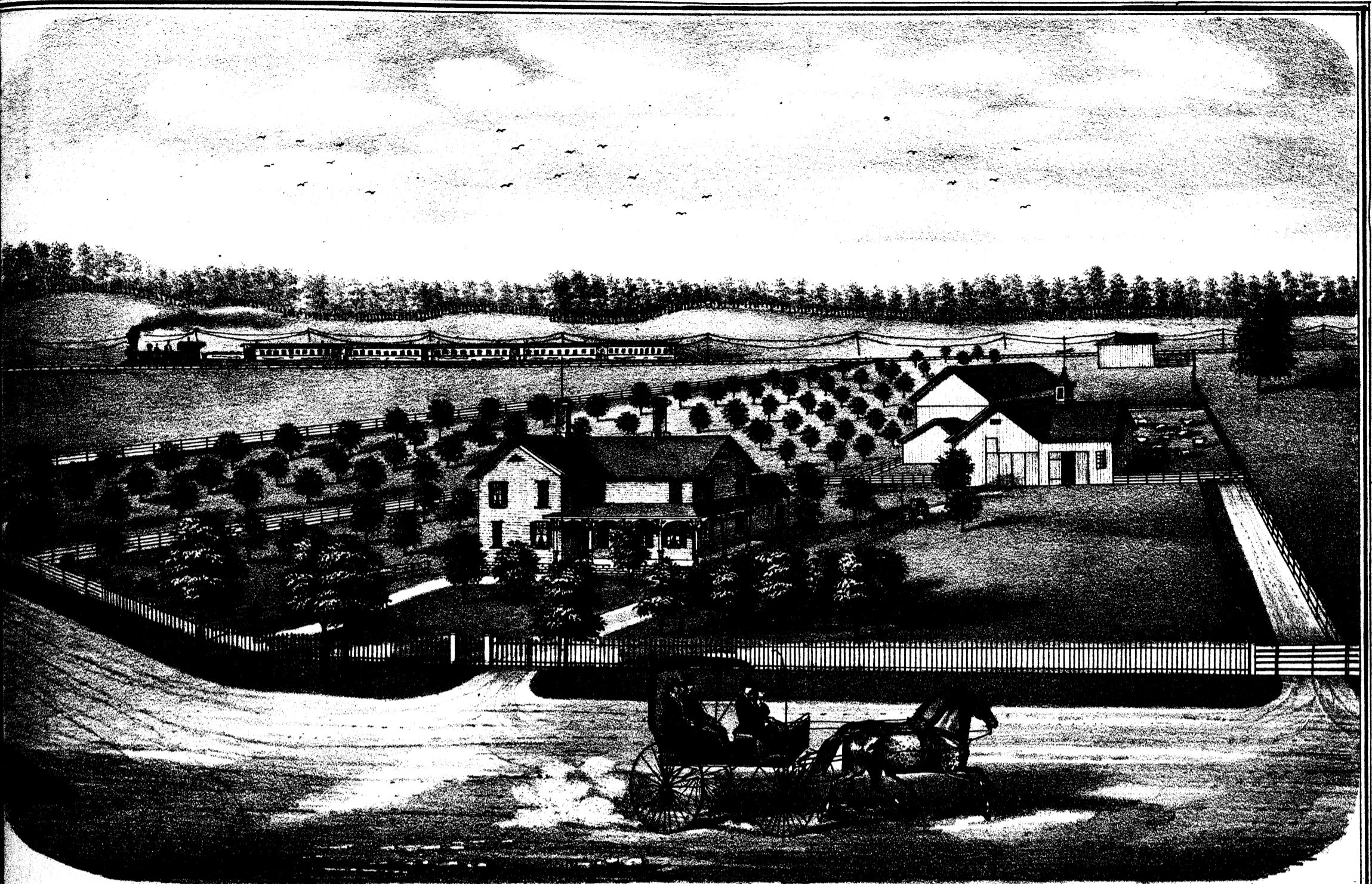


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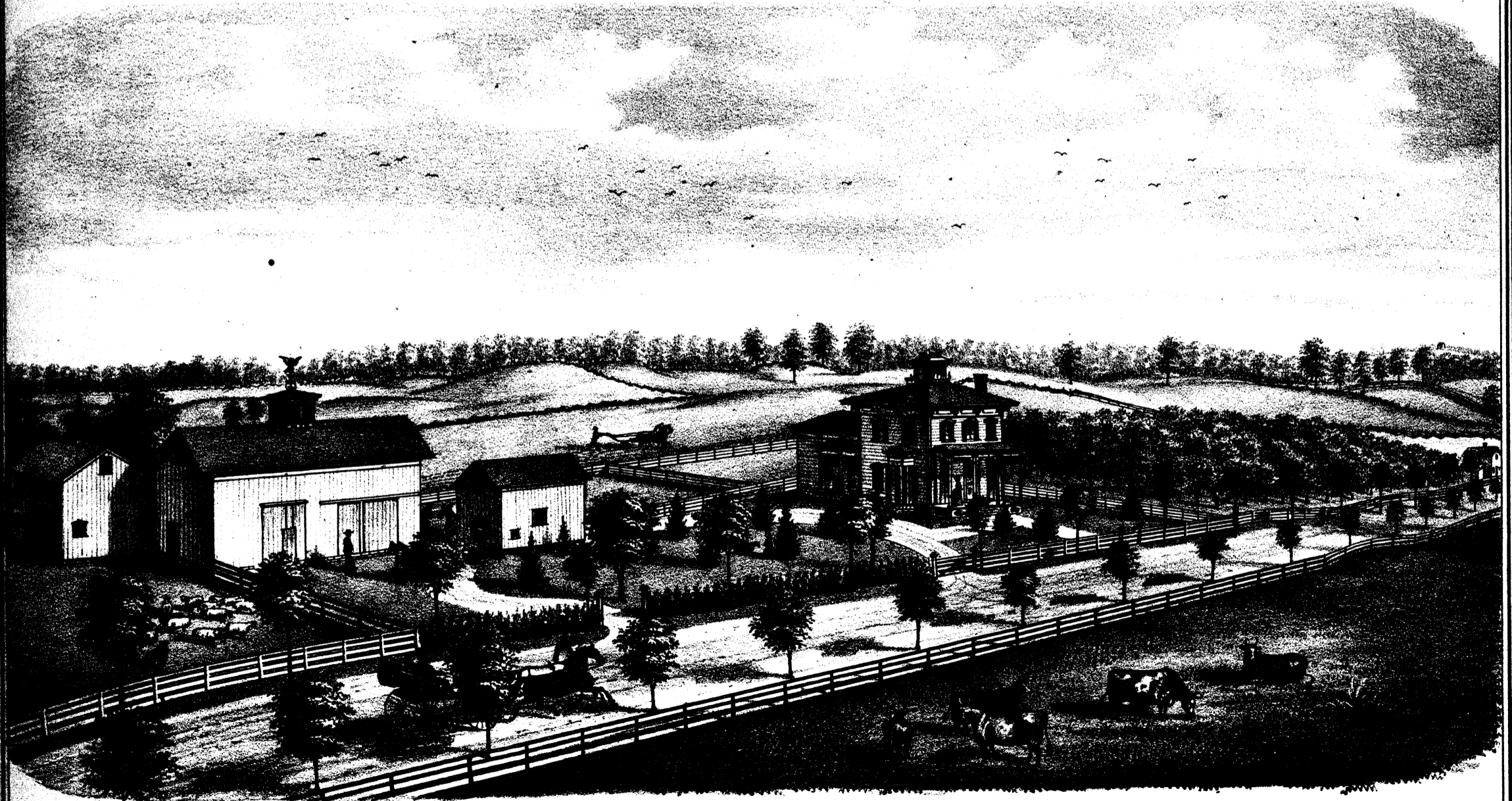


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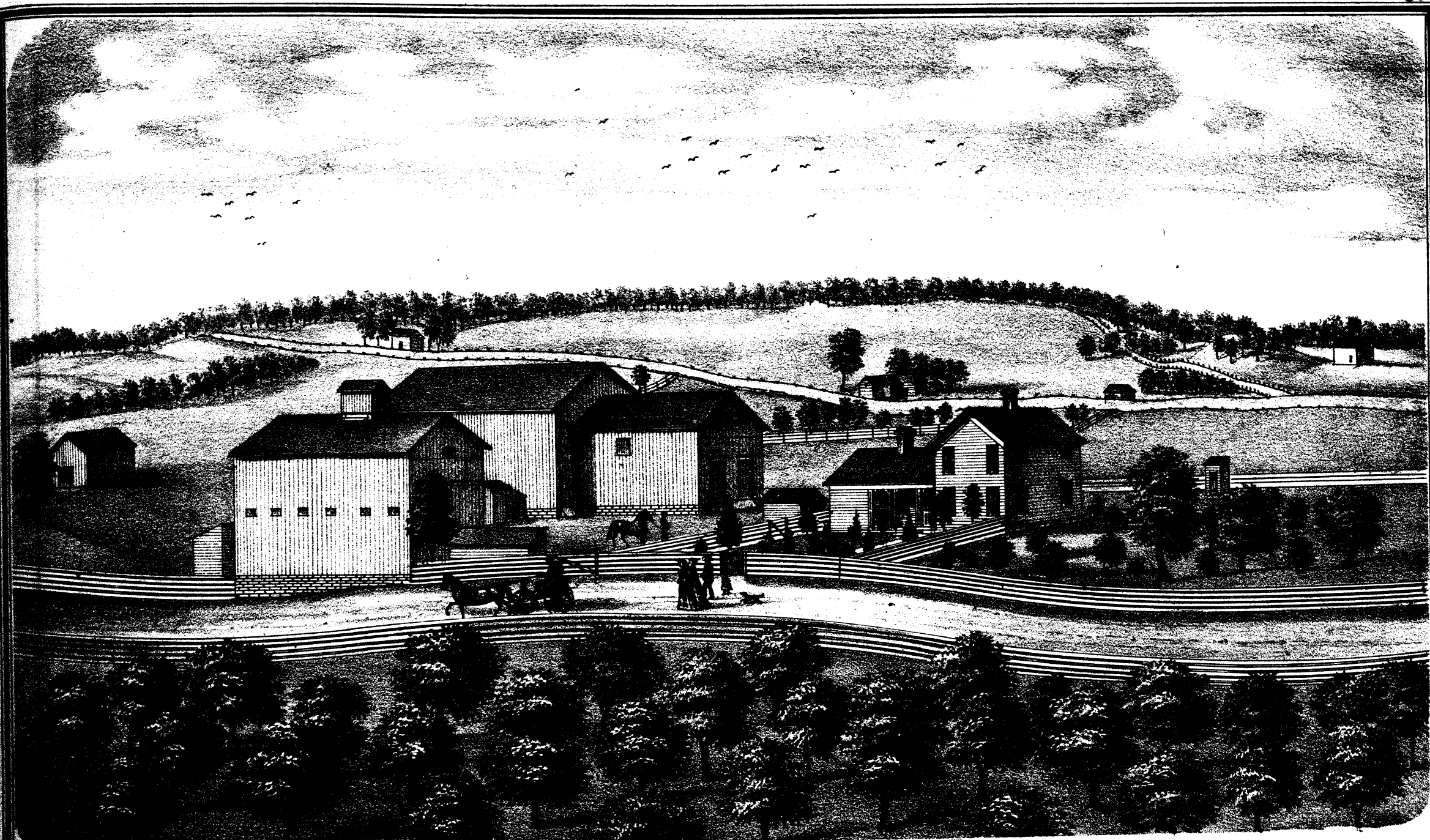


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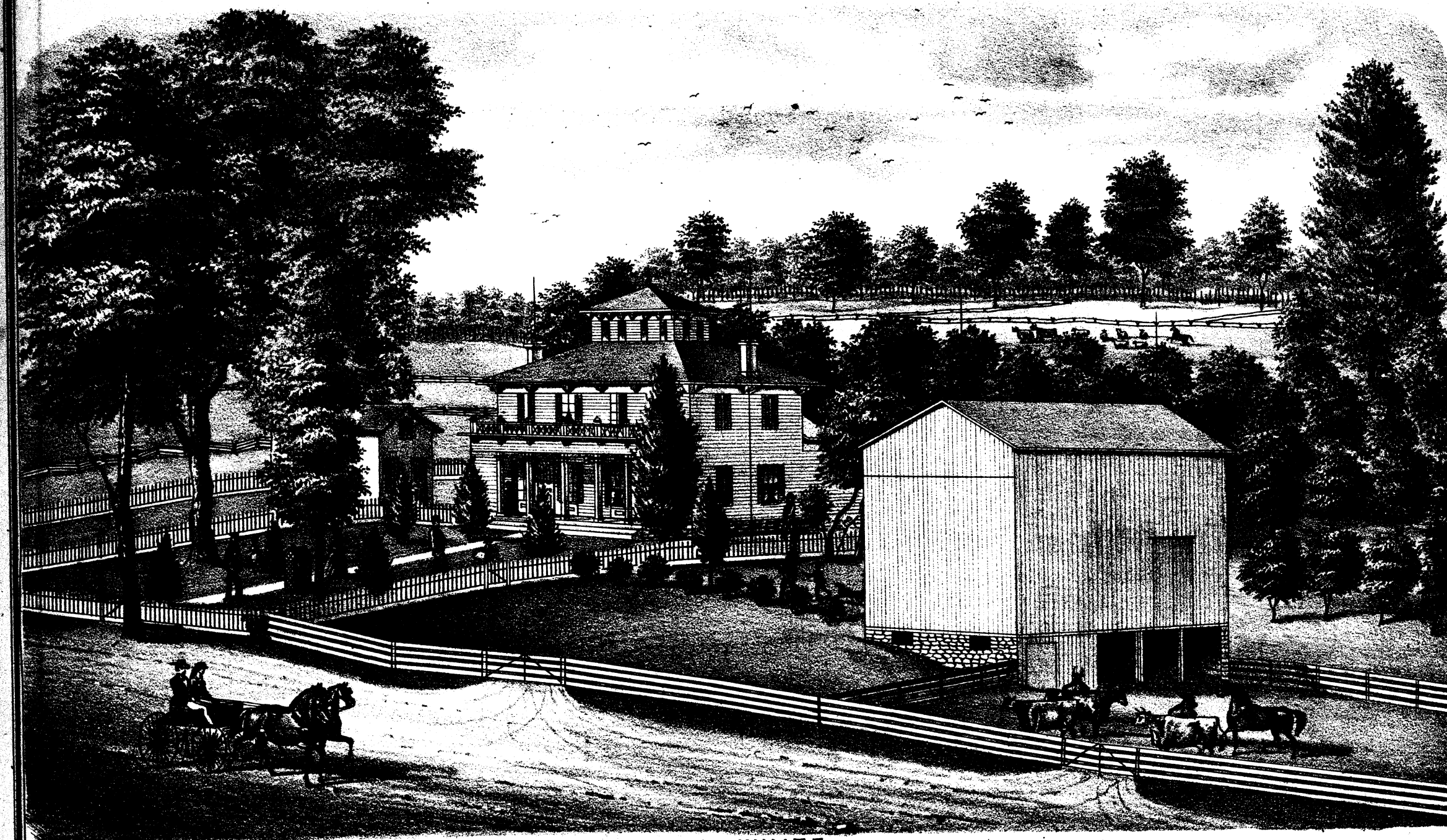


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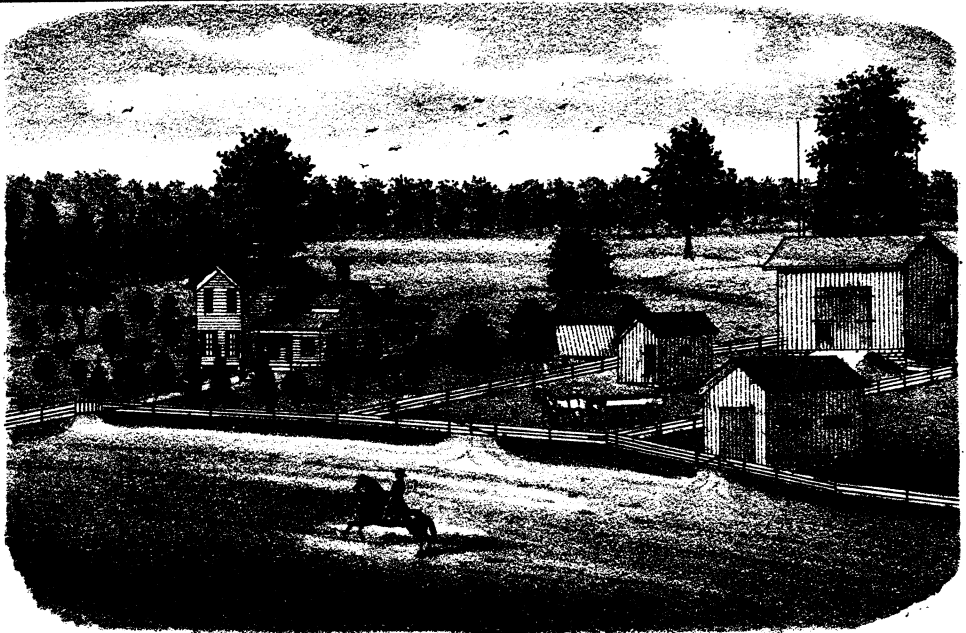




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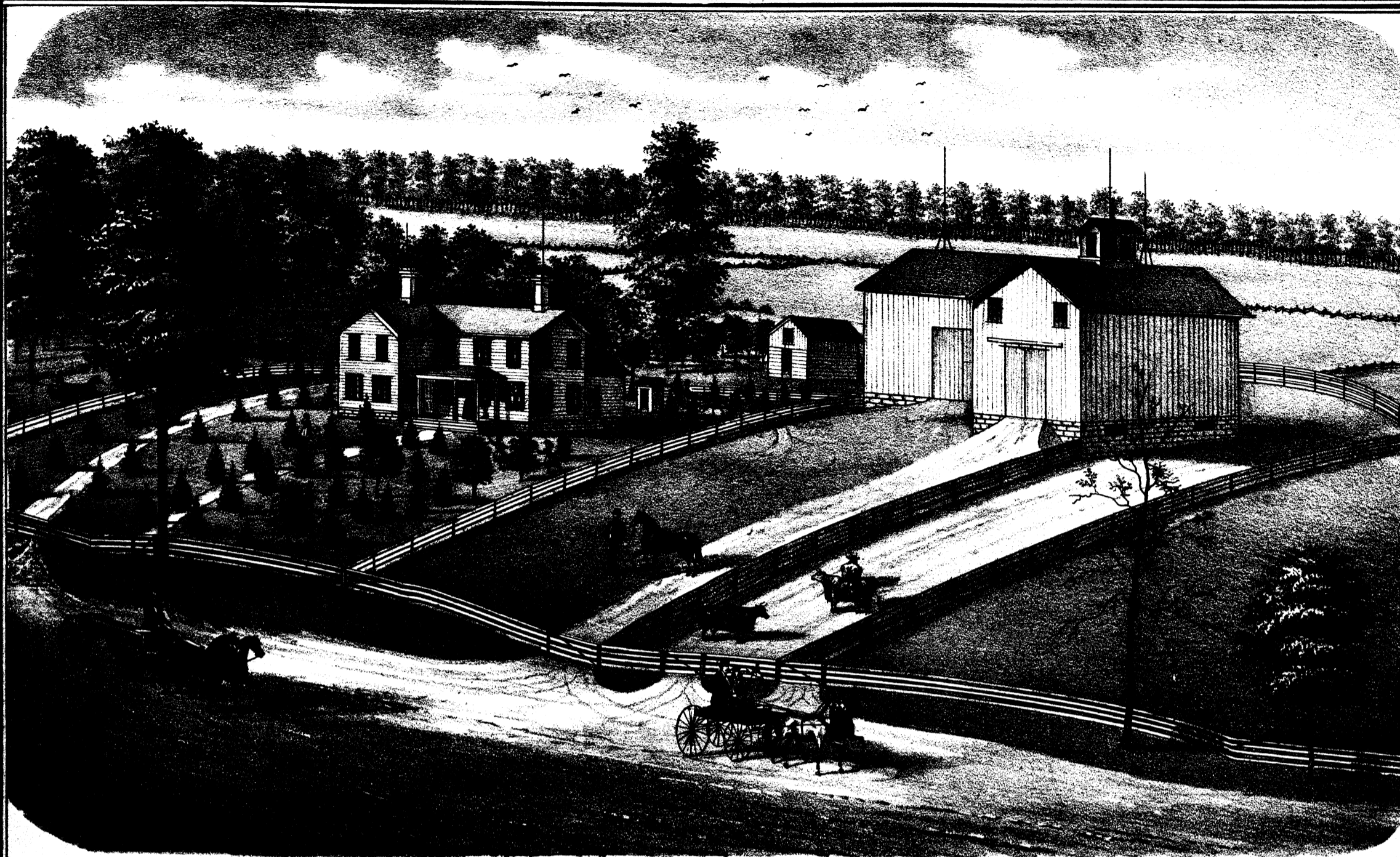
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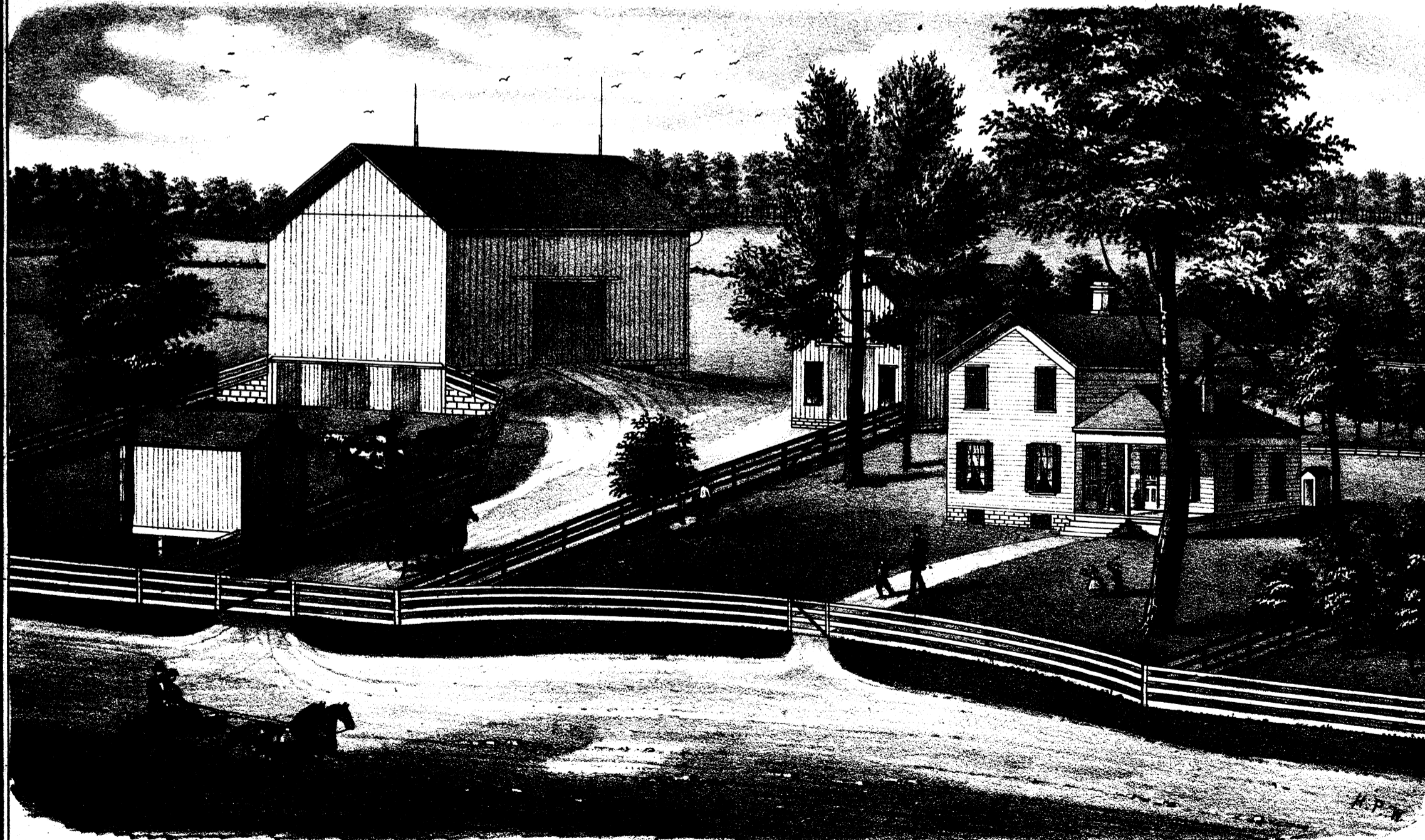
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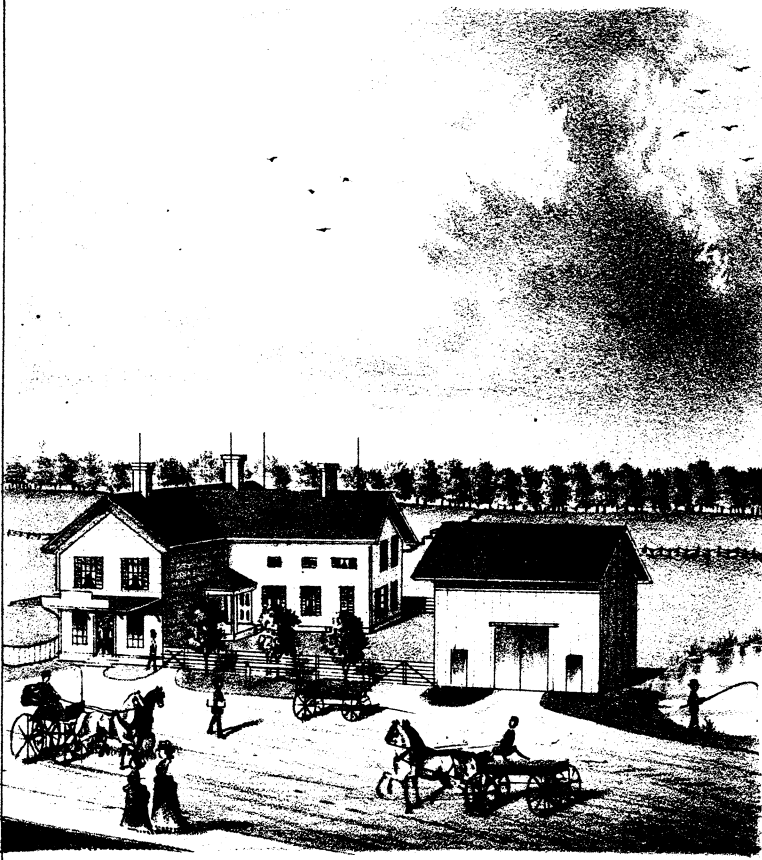
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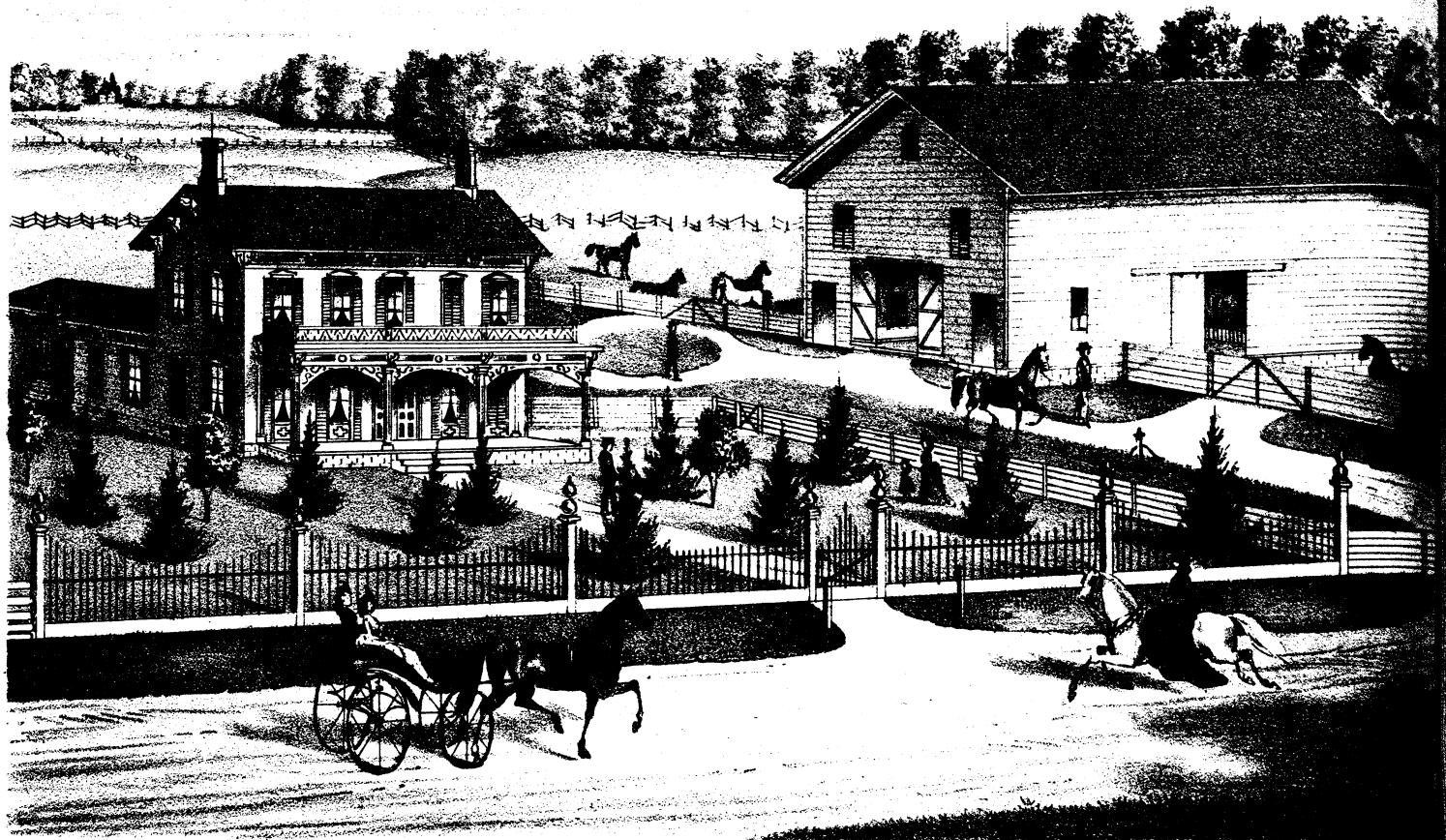
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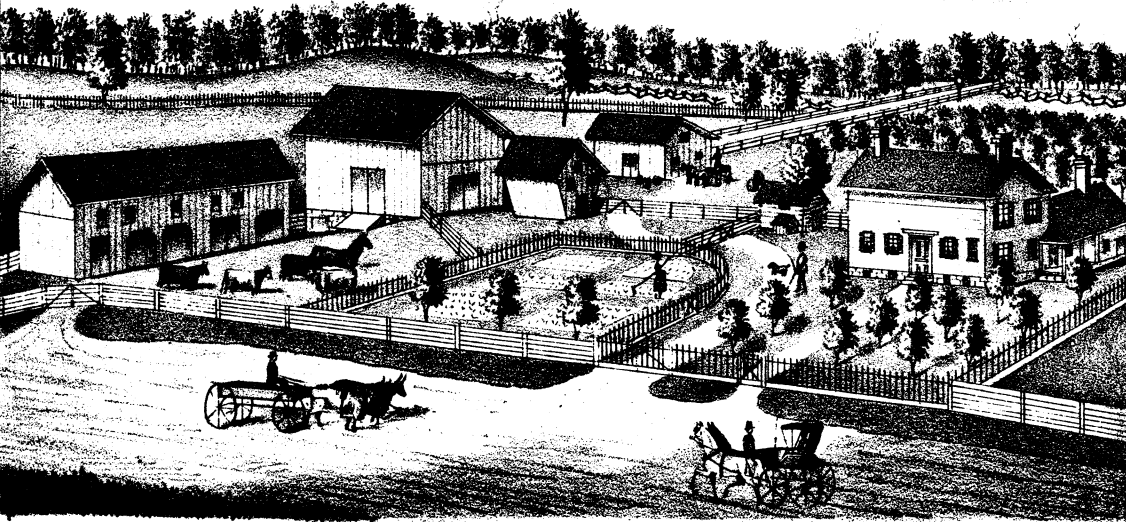
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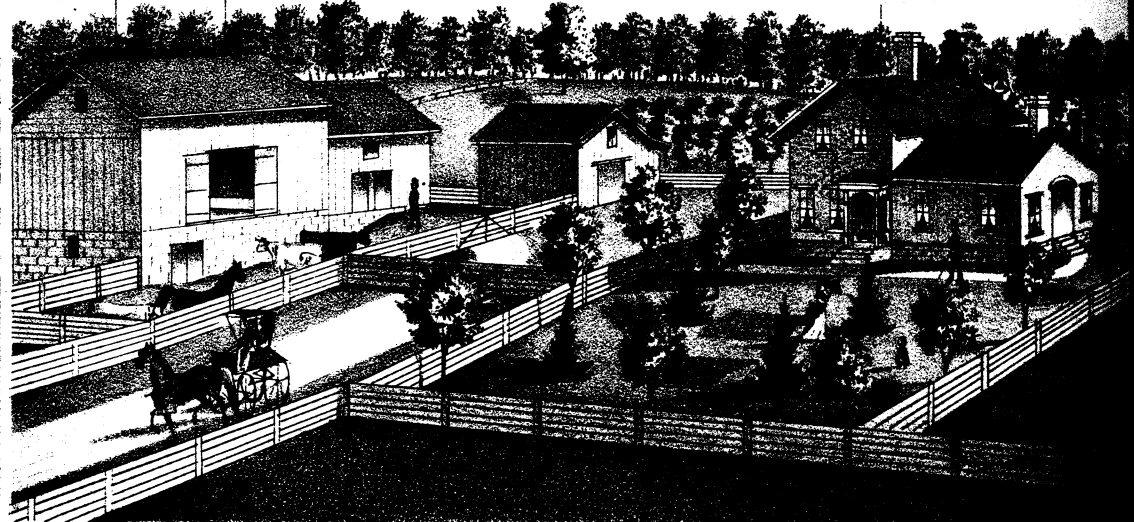
S. SIEGRIST,  
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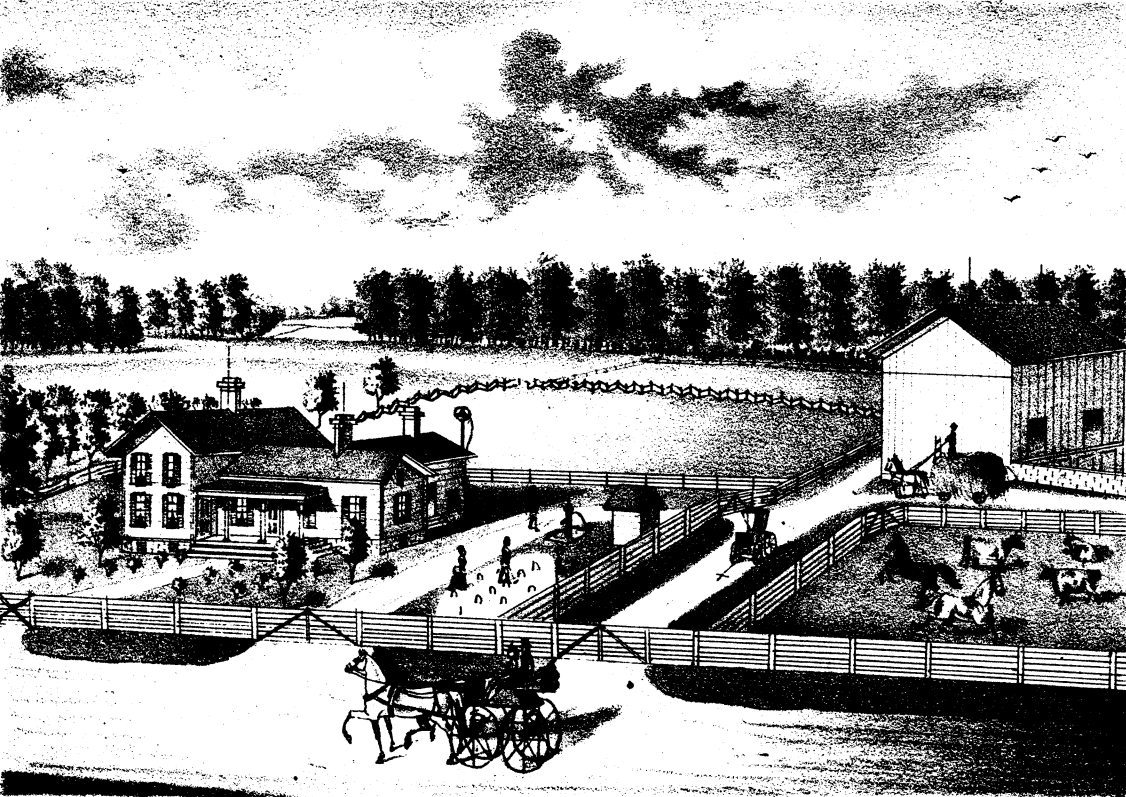
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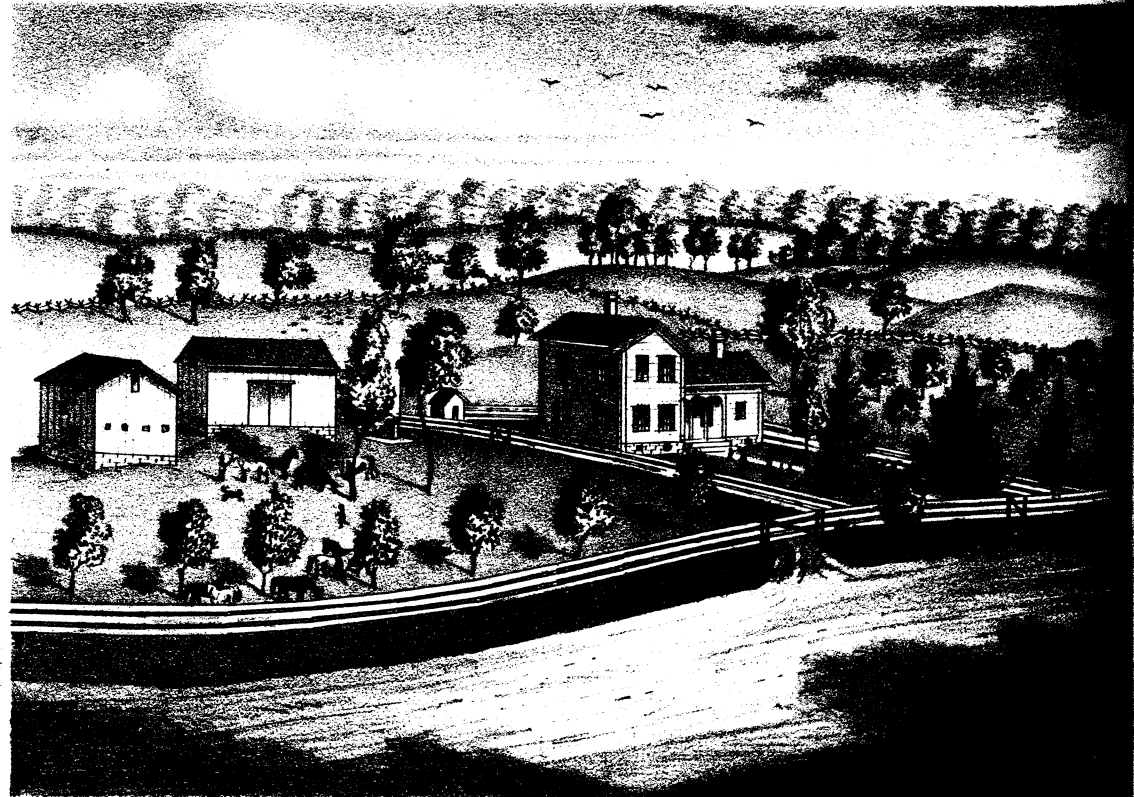
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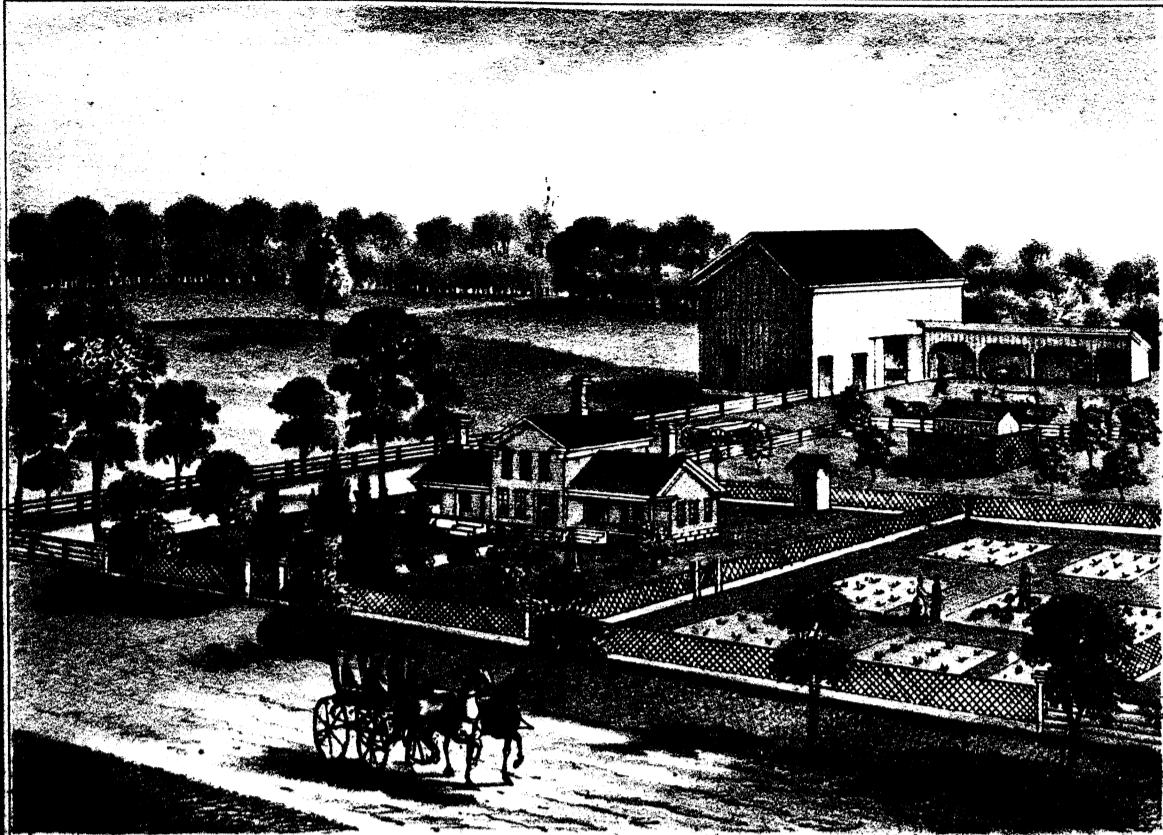
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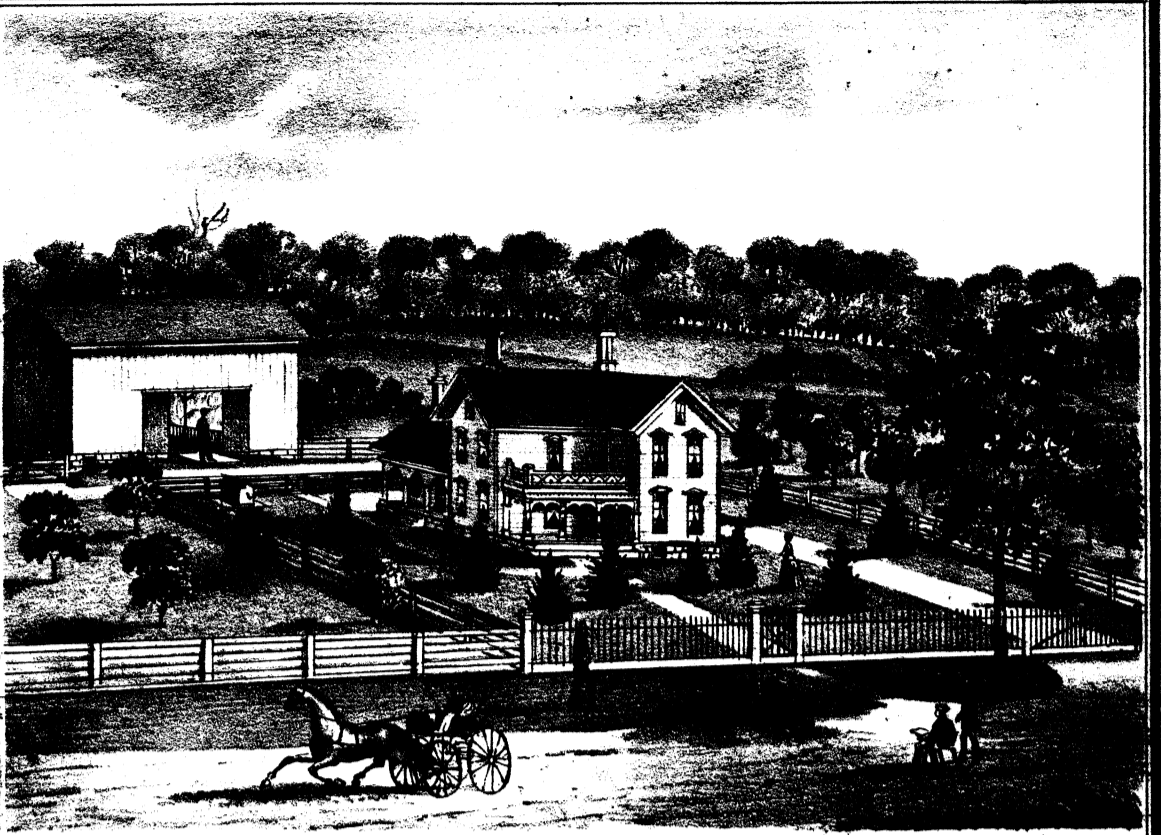
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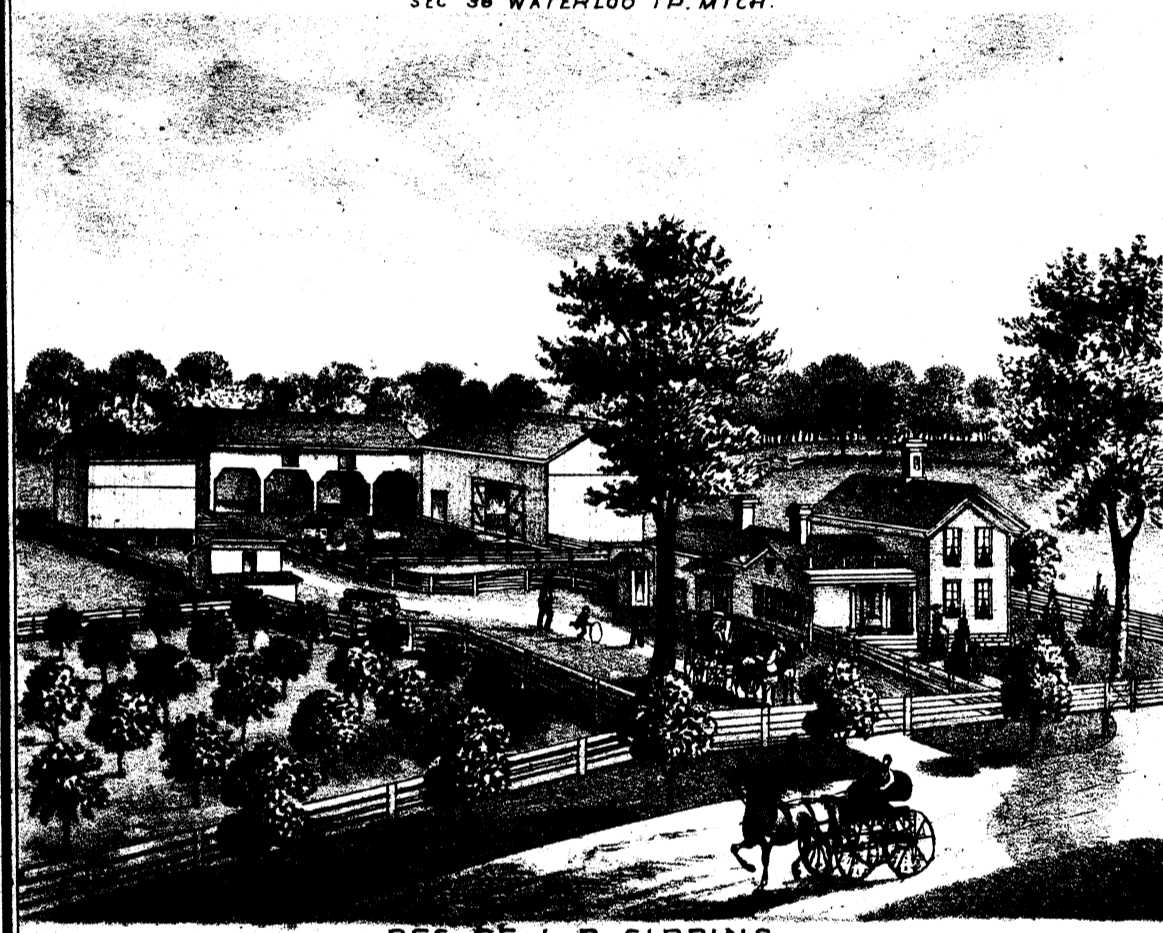
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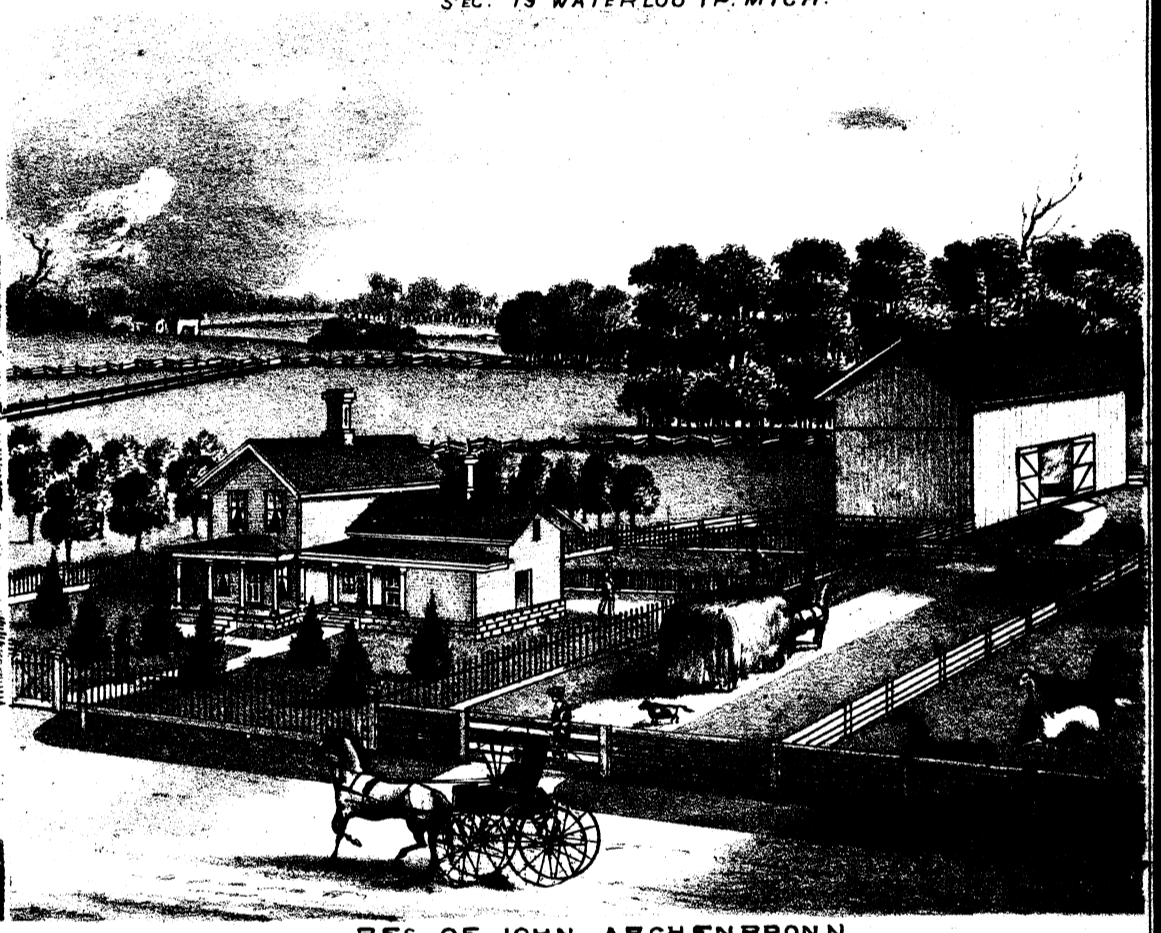
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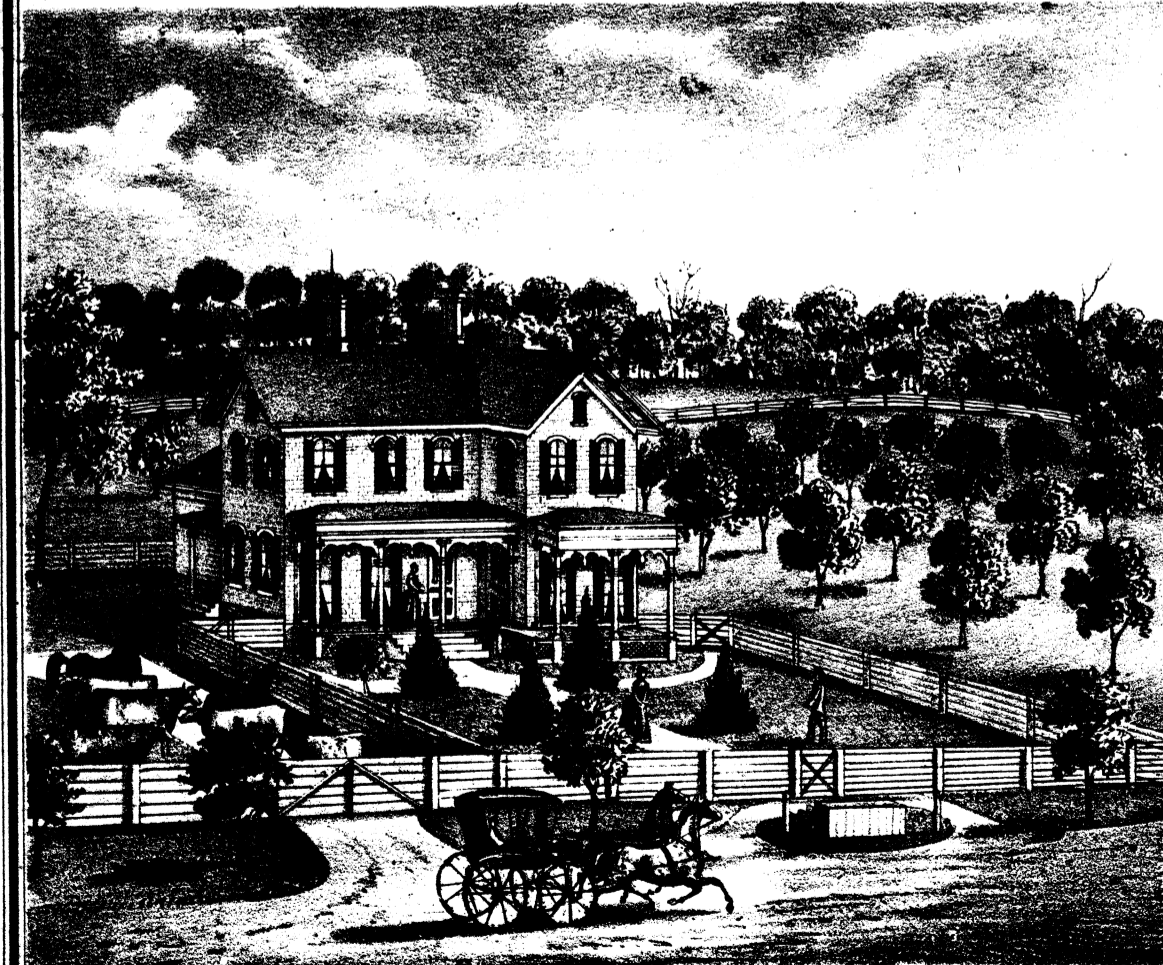
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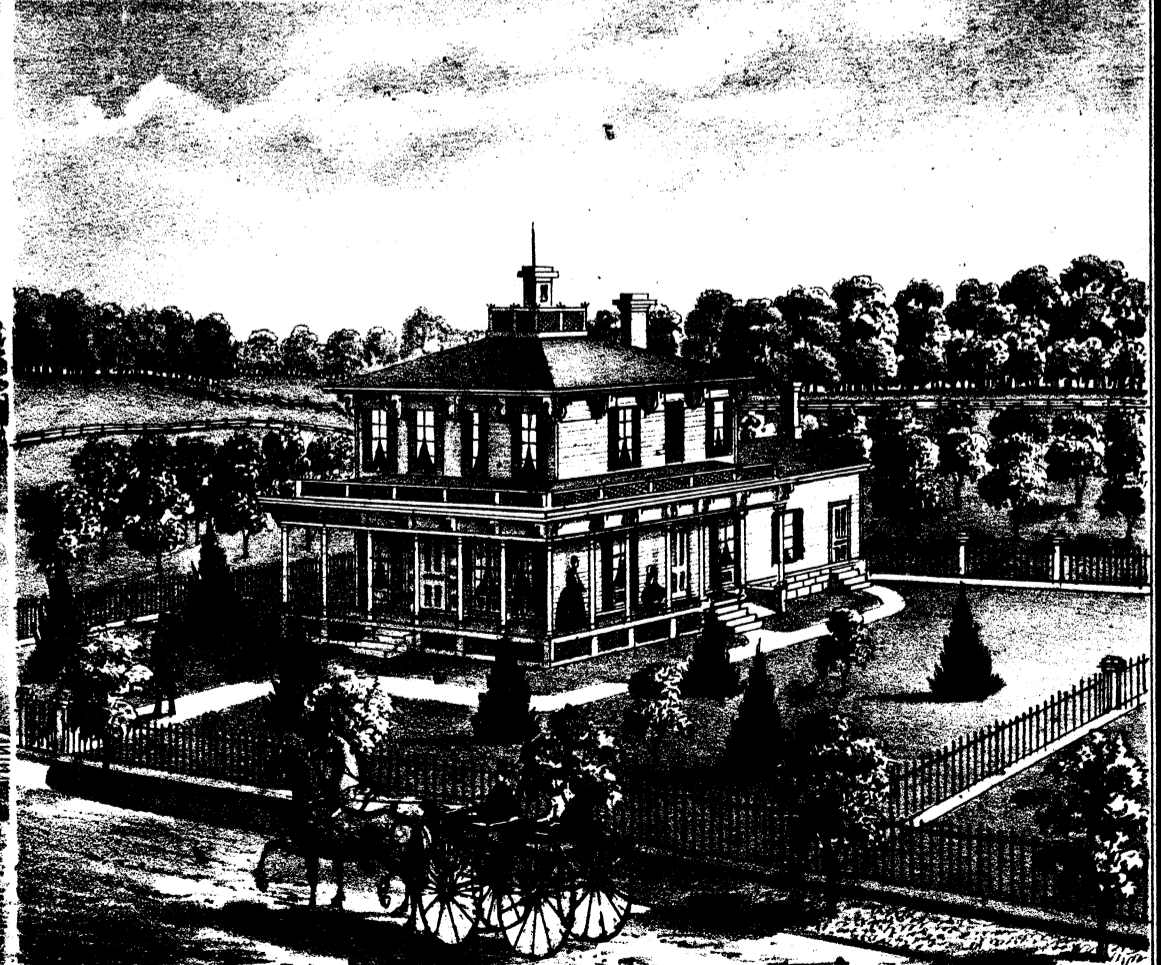
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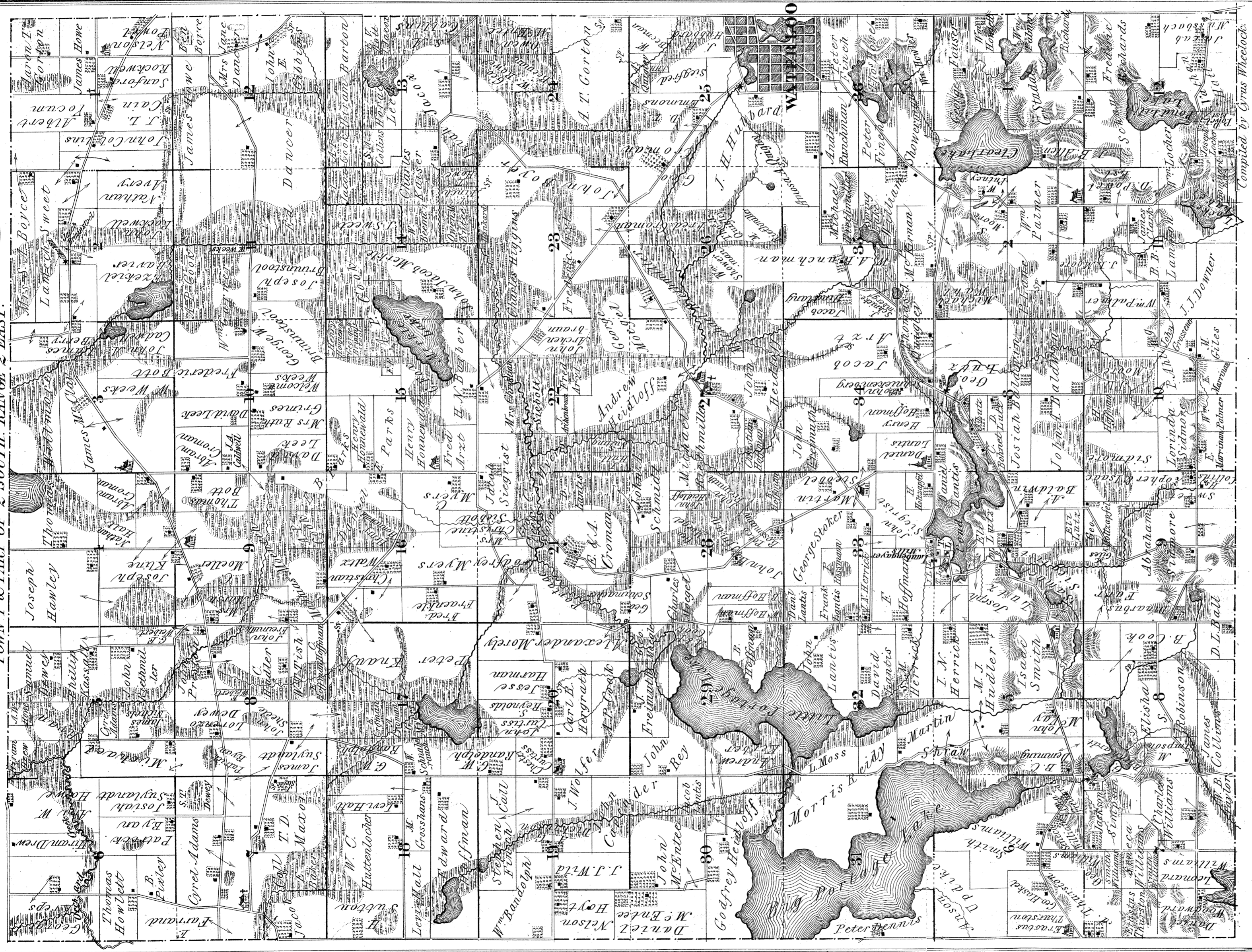
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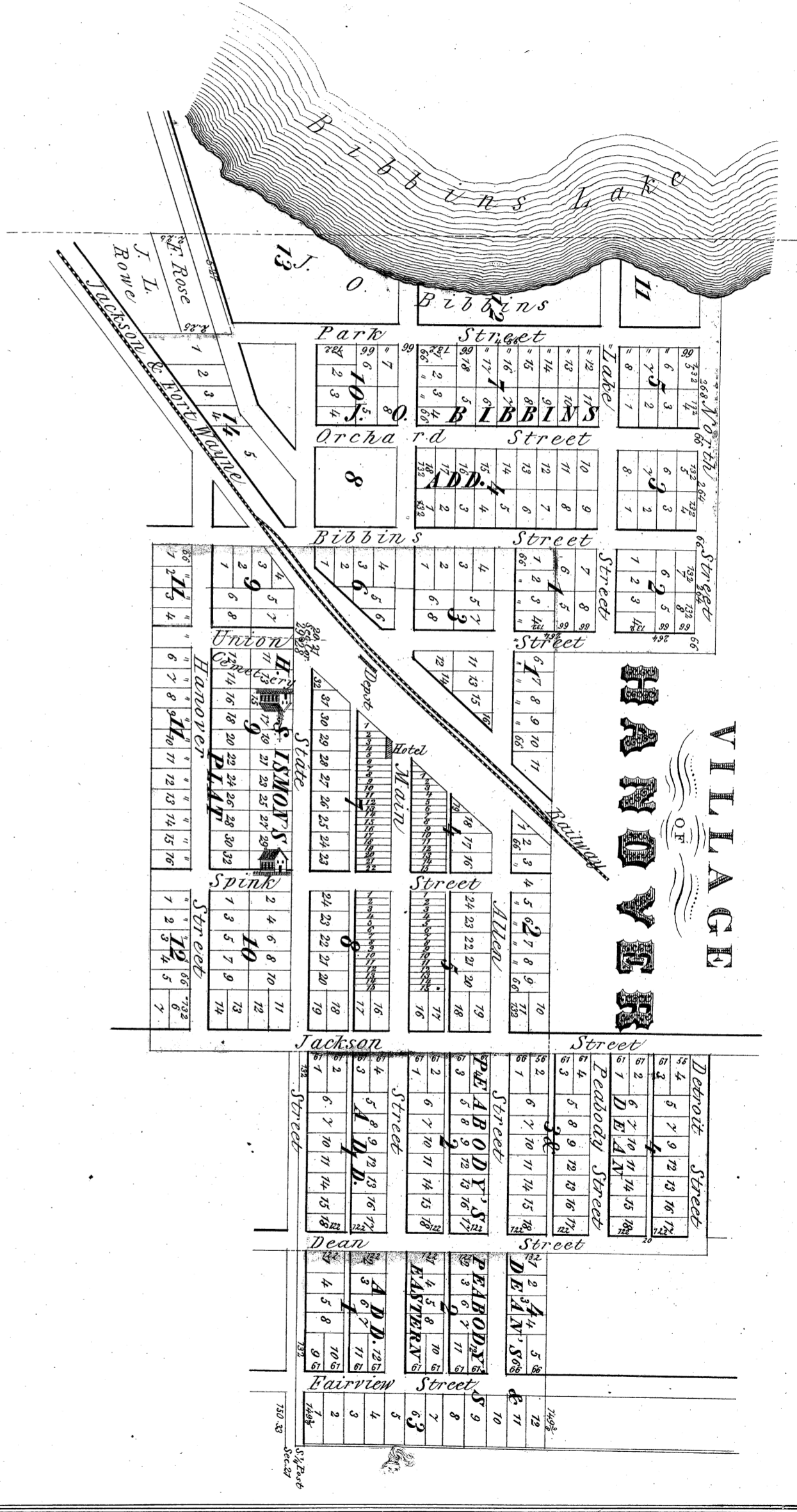
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MAP OF WATKINS TOWNSHIP

TOWN 1 & PART OF 2 SOUTH. RANGE 2 EAST.



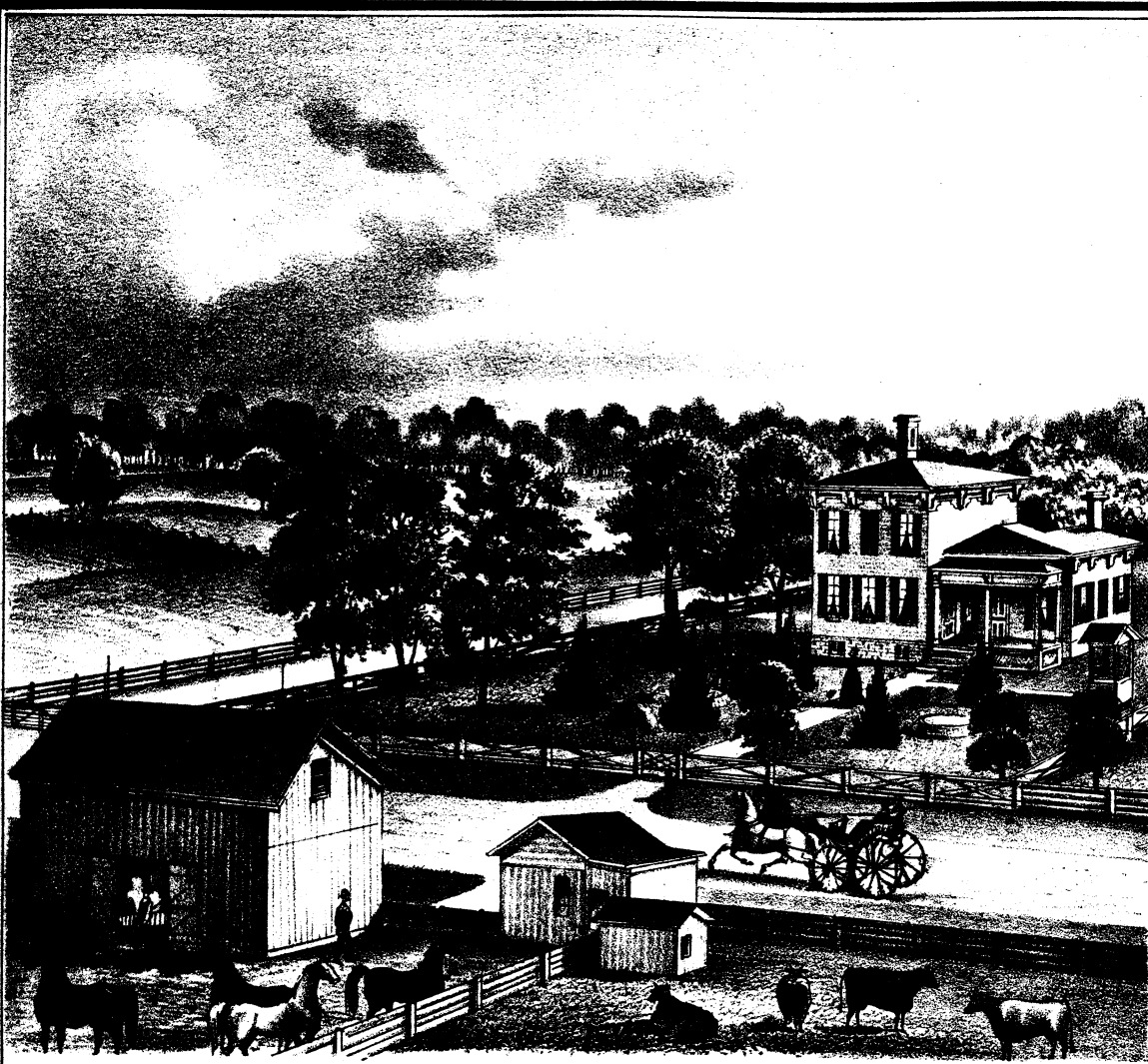
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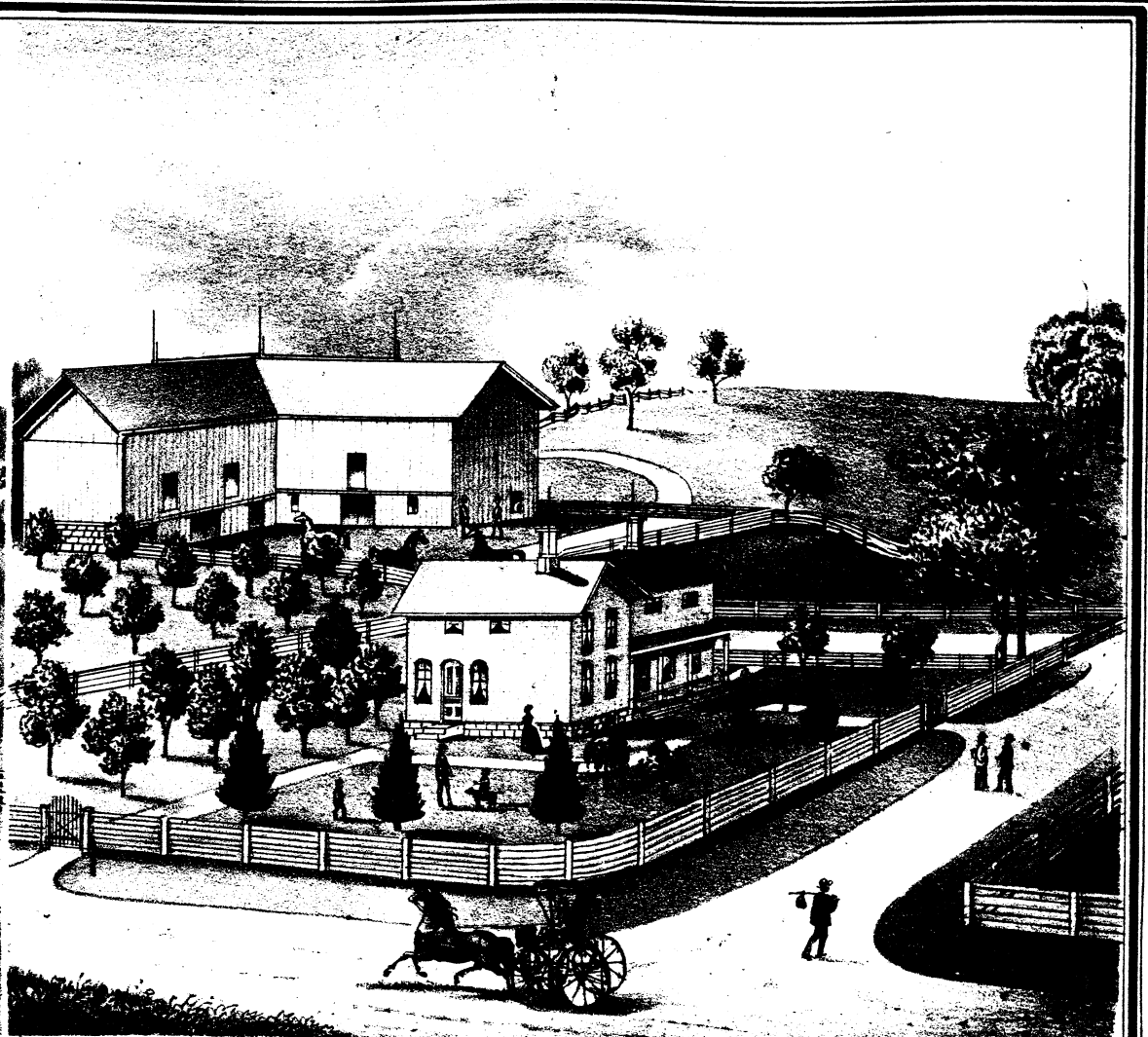
VILLAGE OF HANOVER

Grid system with lot numbers and street names including Bibbins Street, Orchard Street, and Jackson Street.





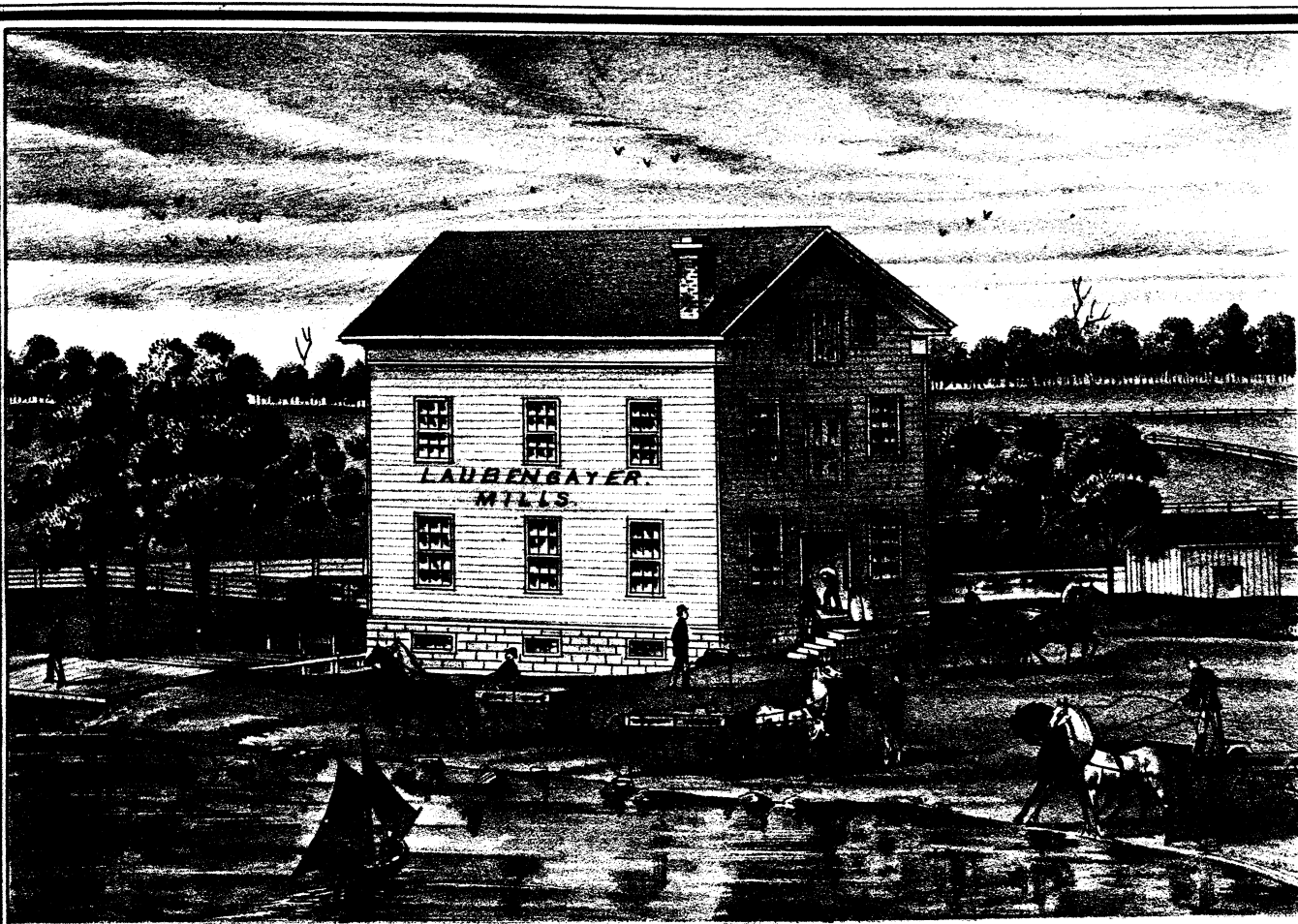
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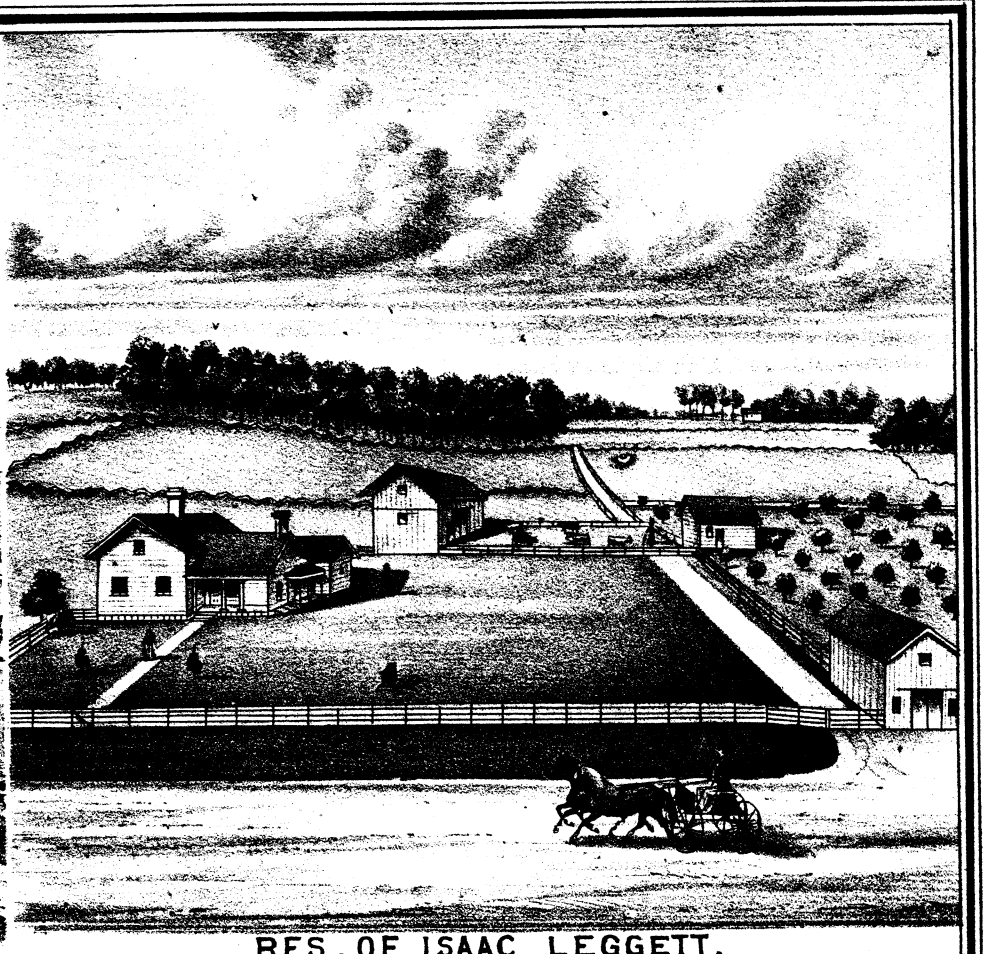
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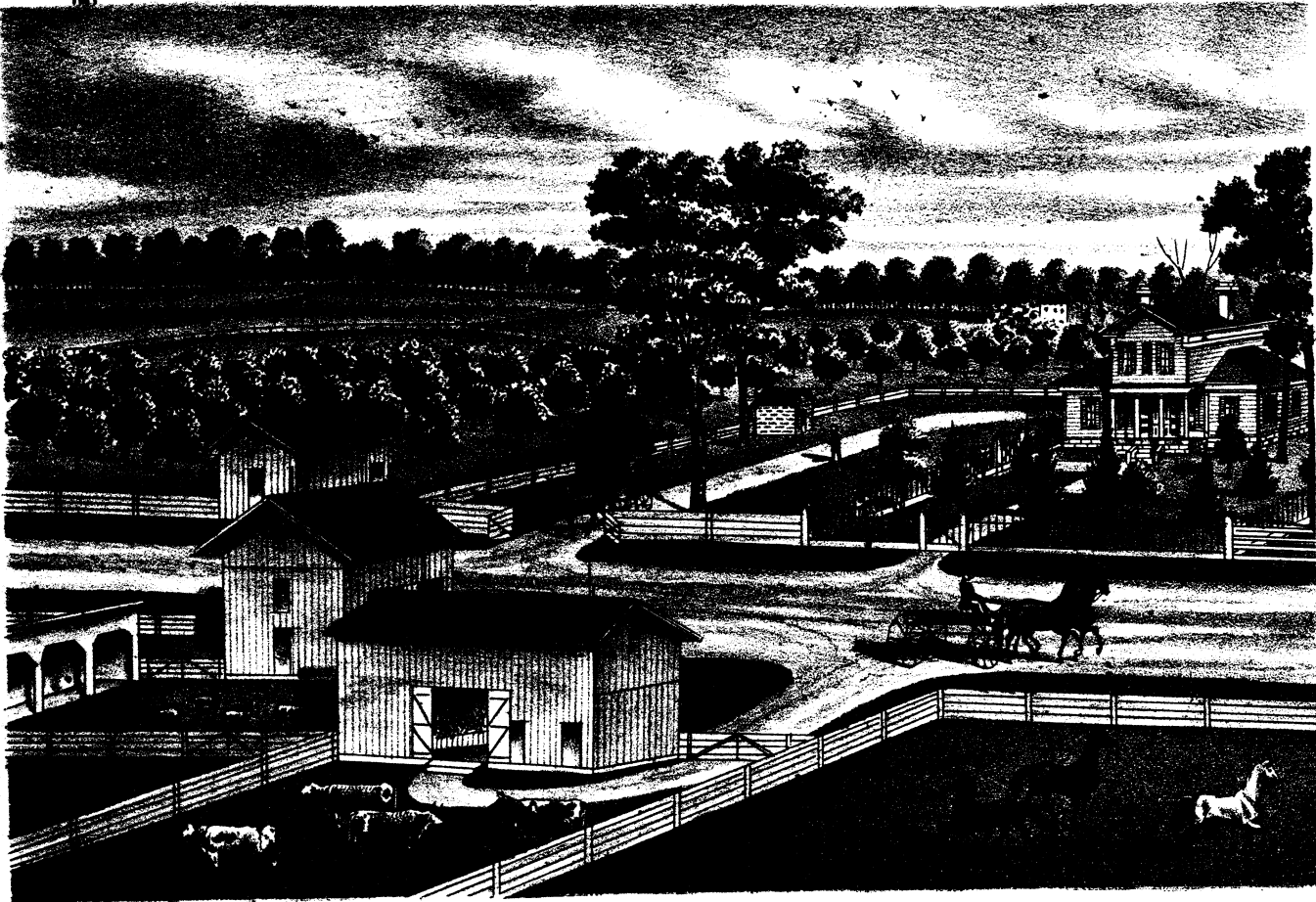
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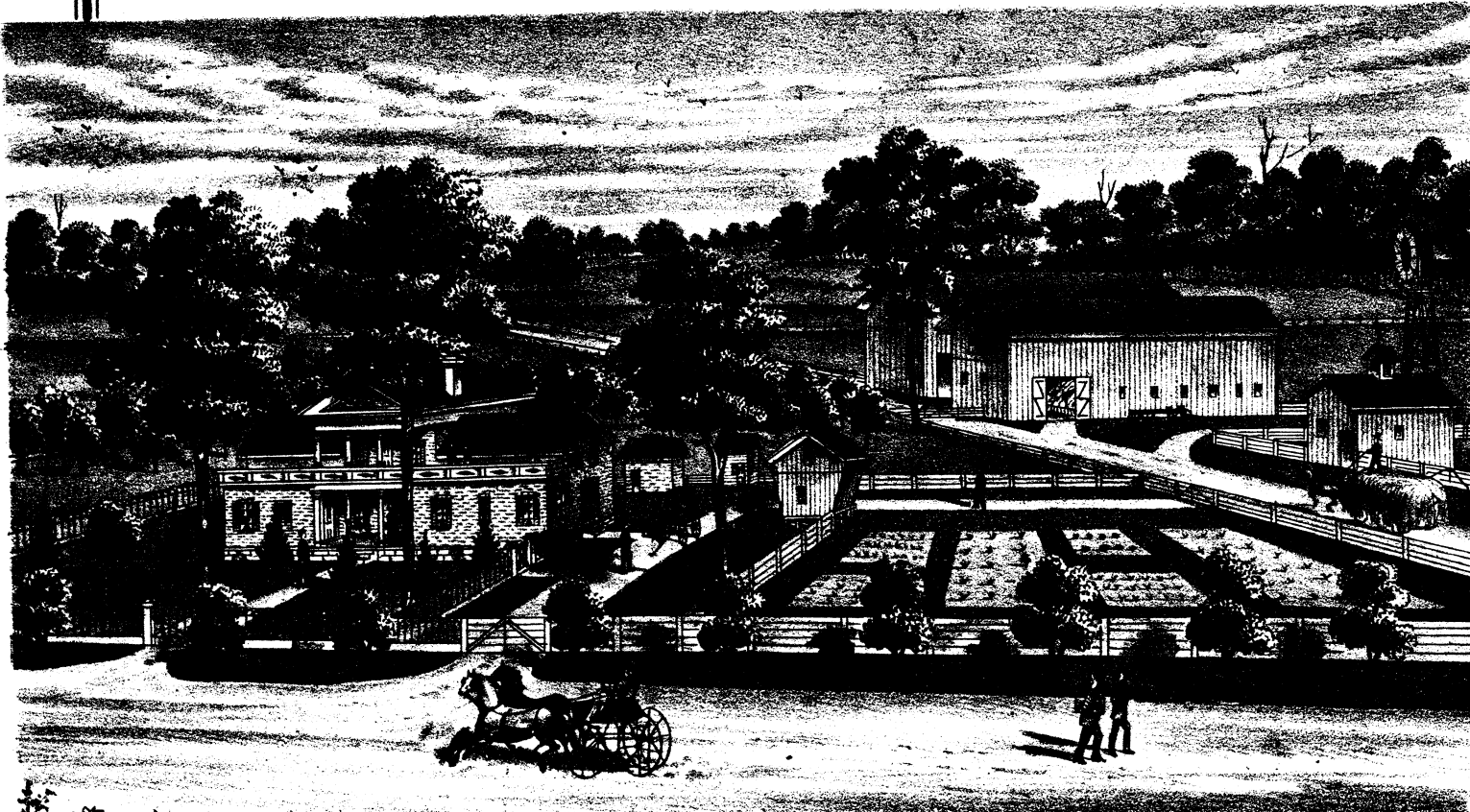
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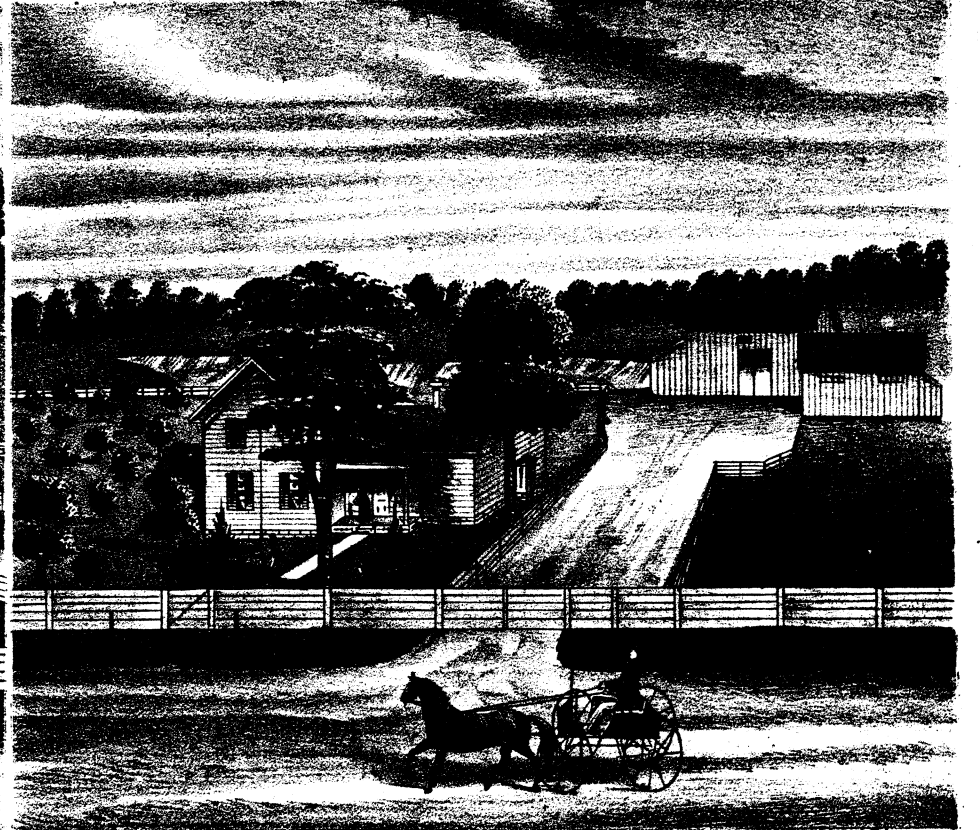
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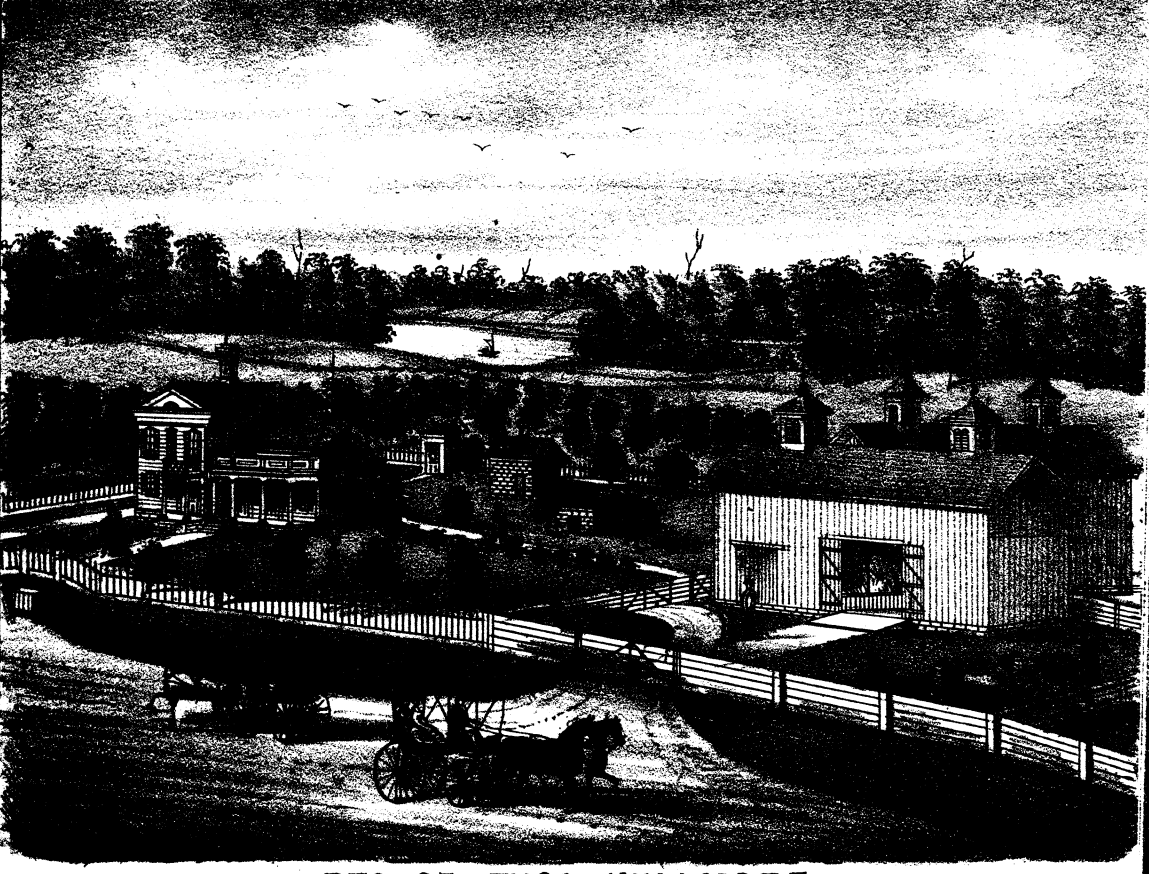
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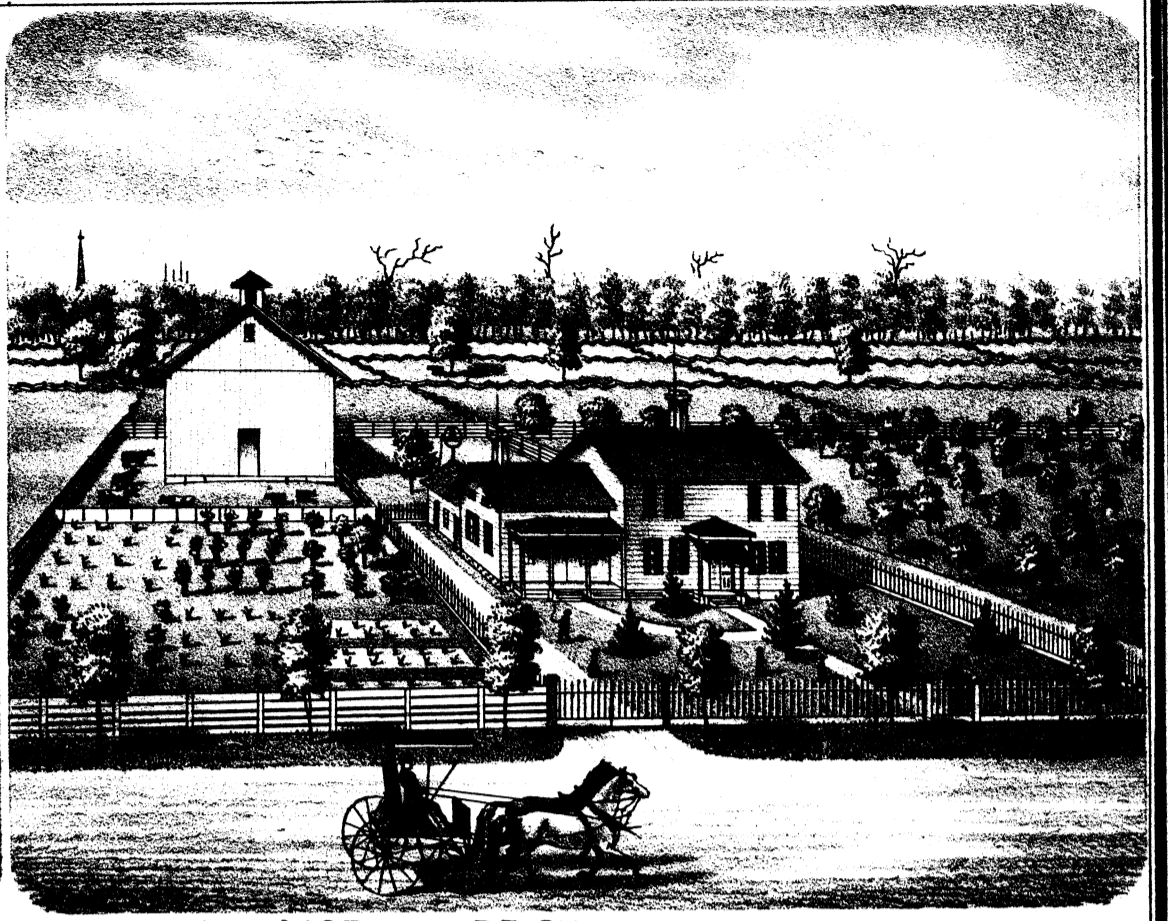
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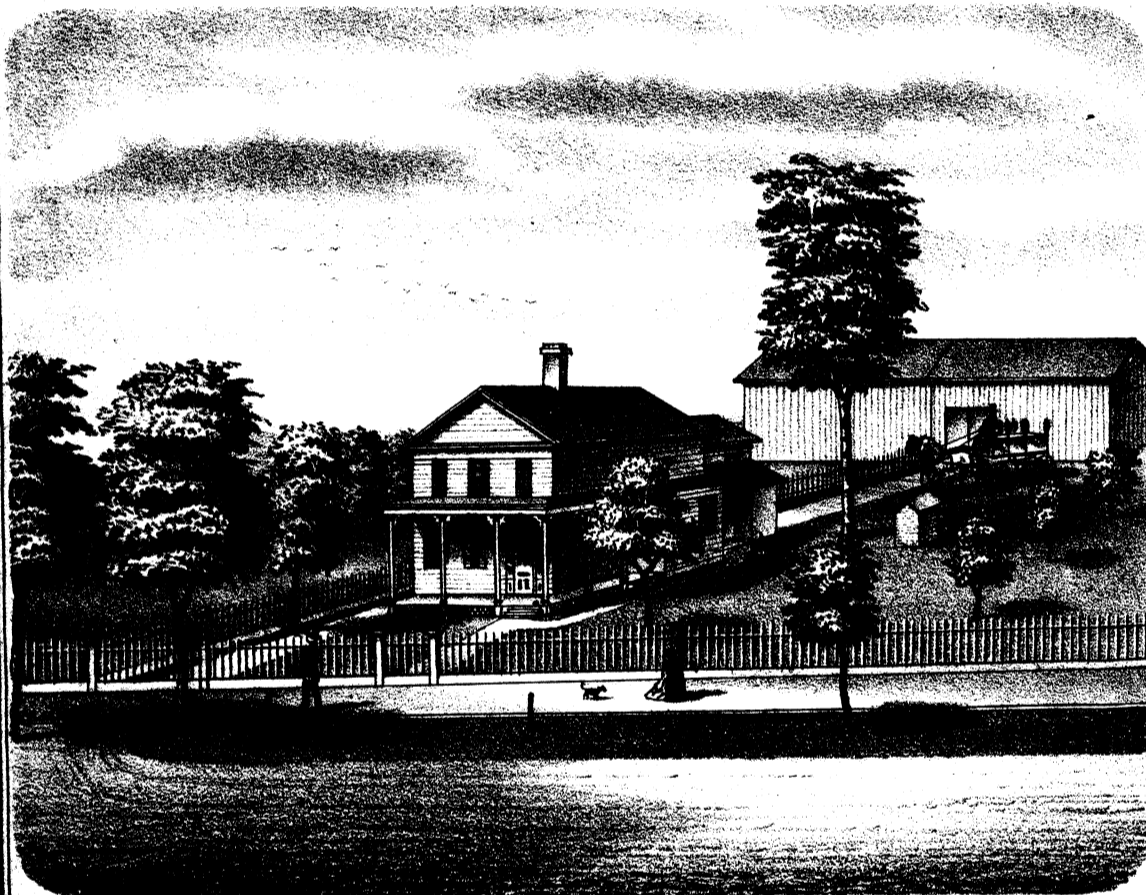
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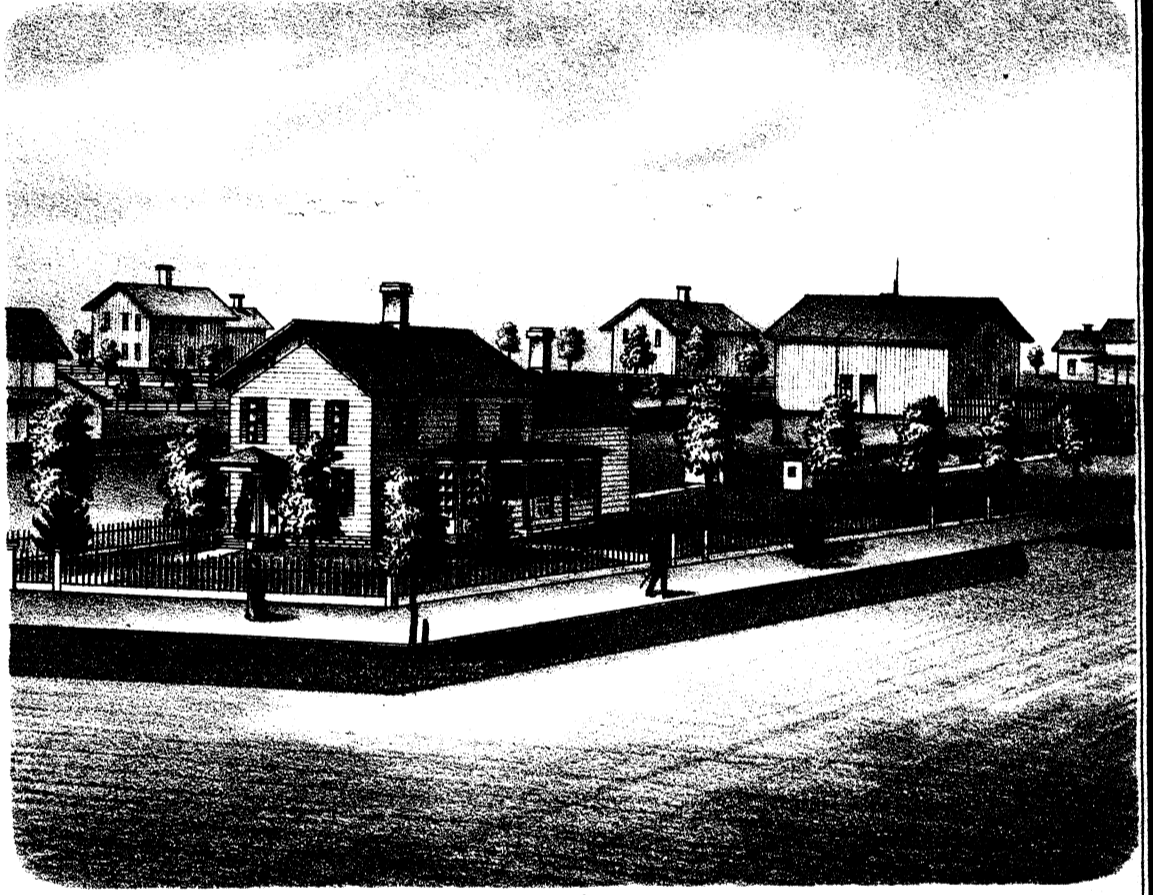
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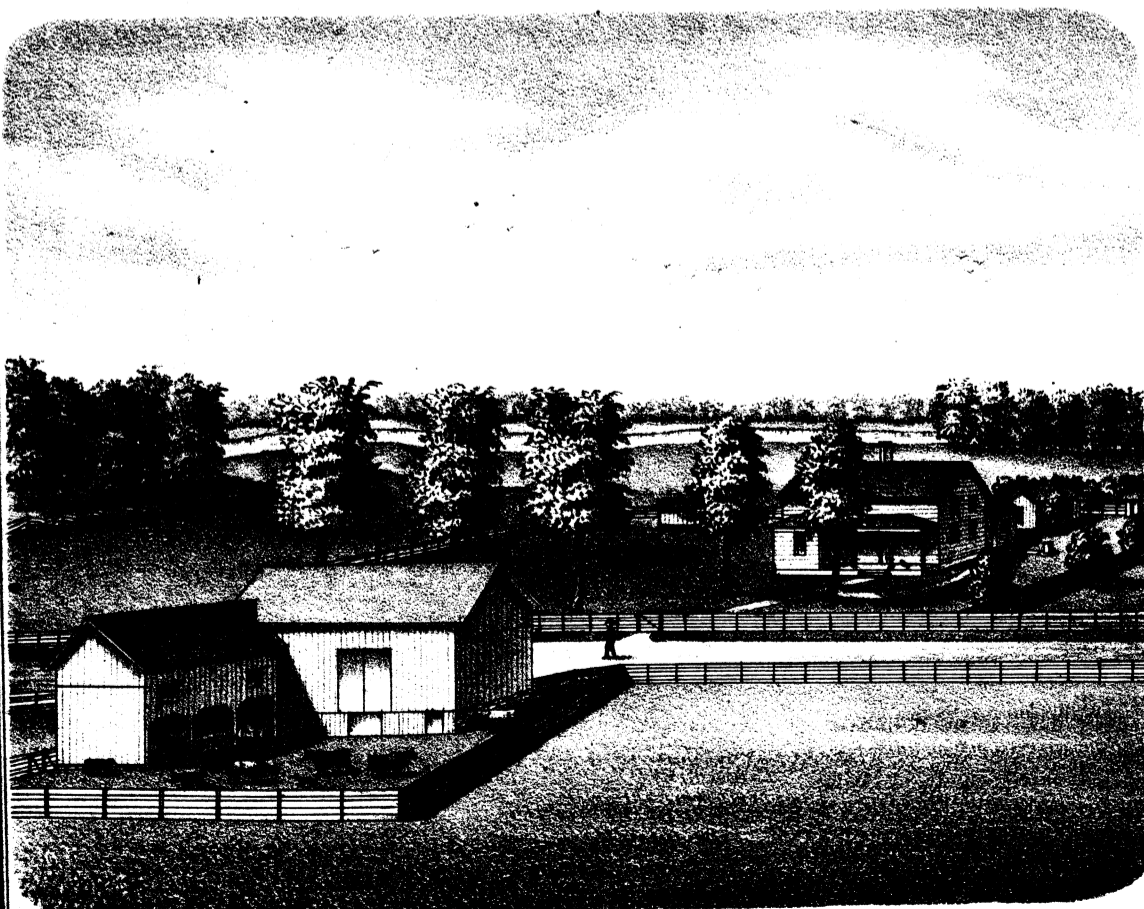
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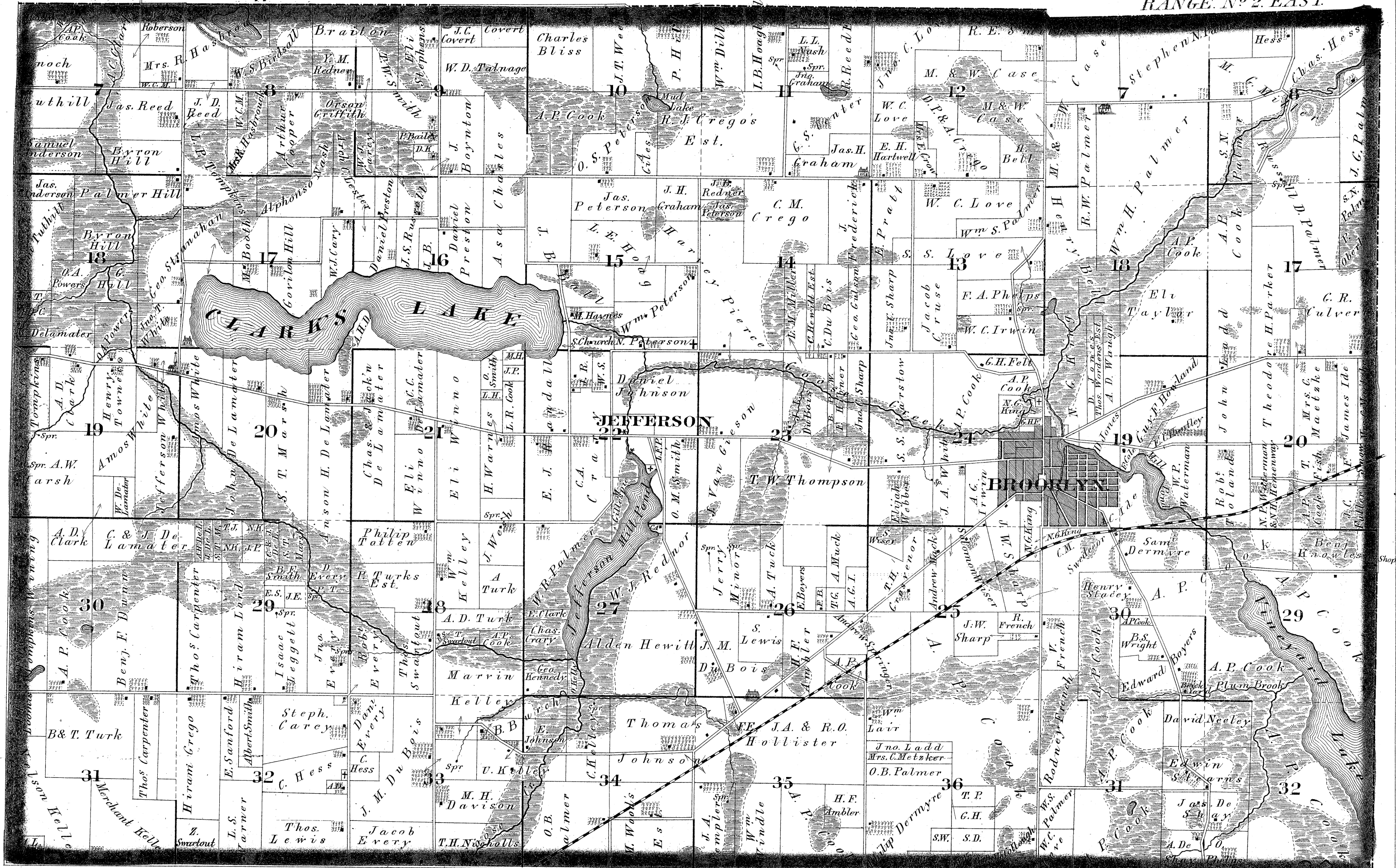


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# MAP OF COLUMBIA TOWNSHIP

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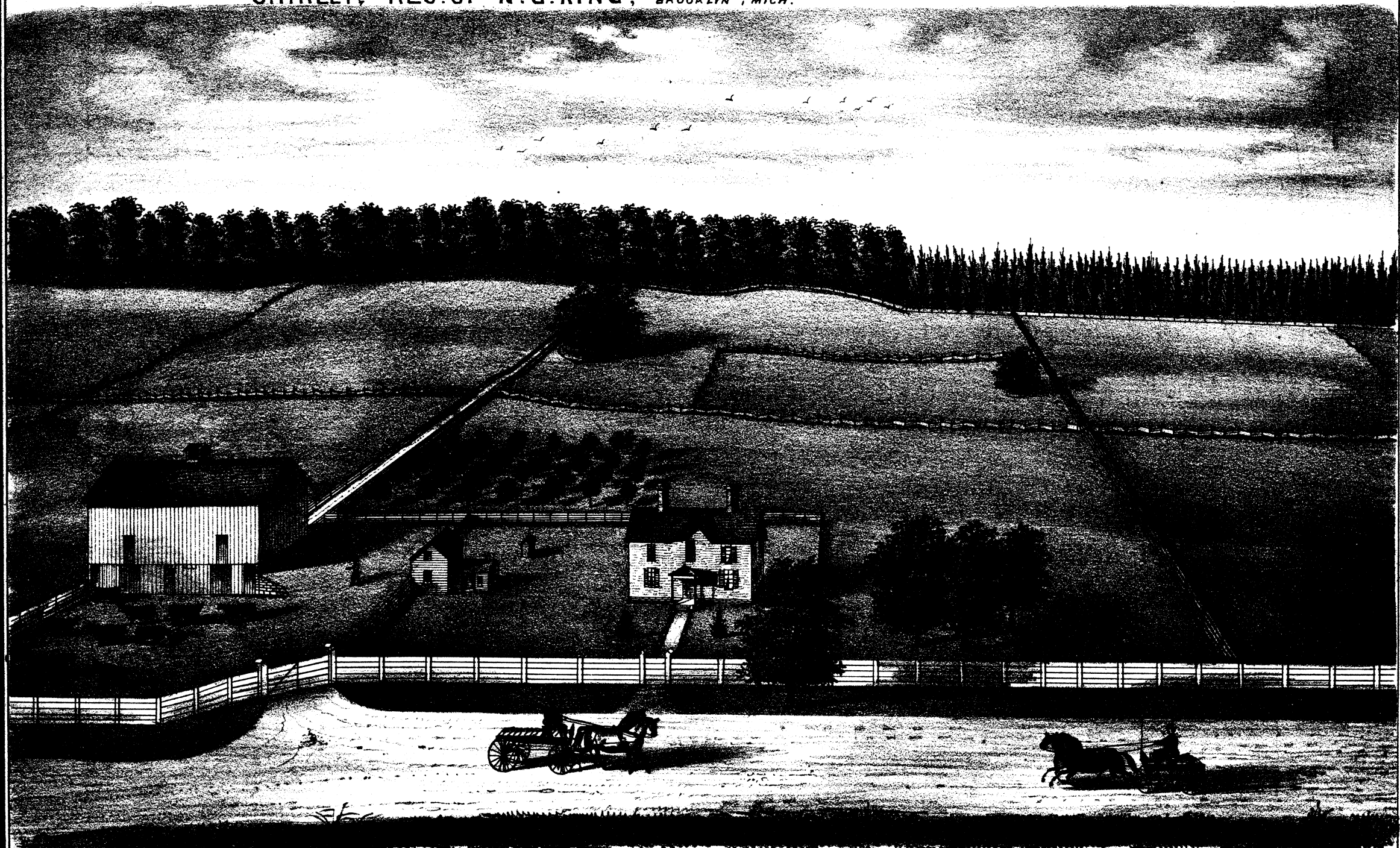
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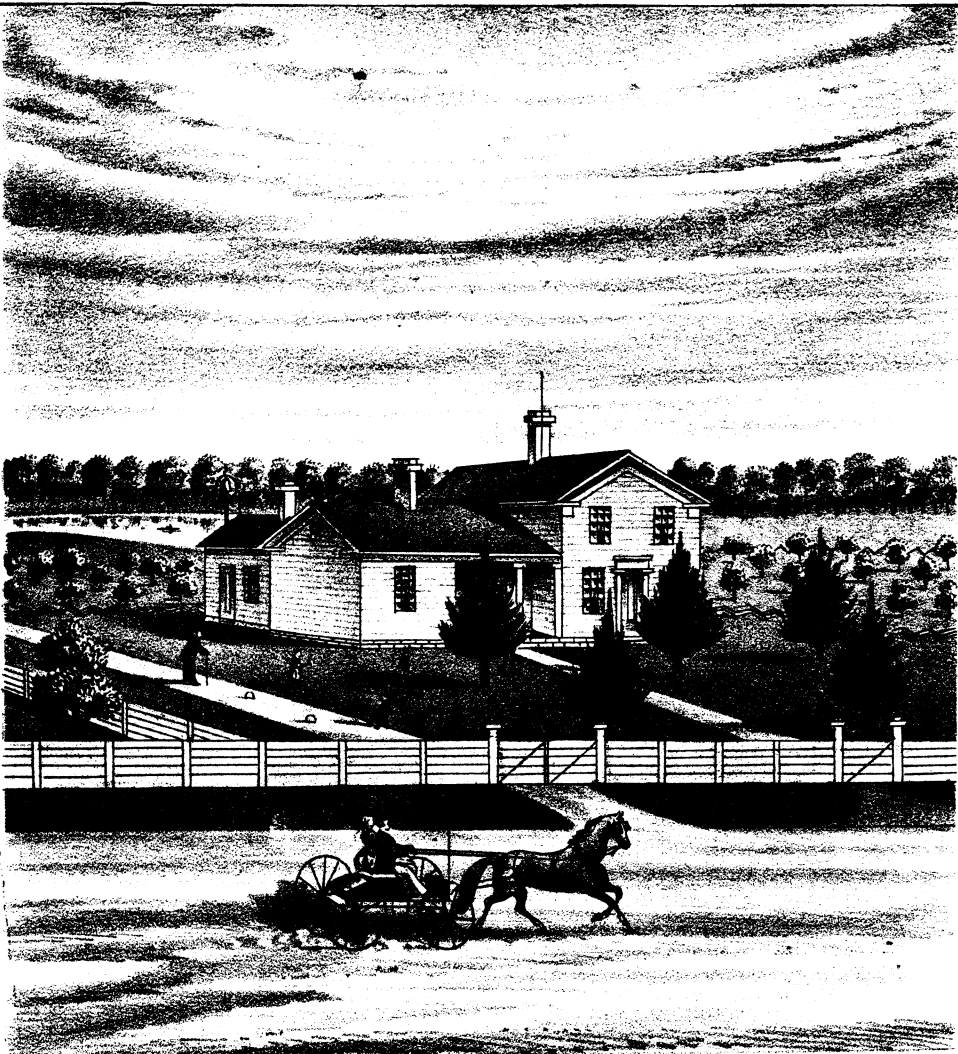
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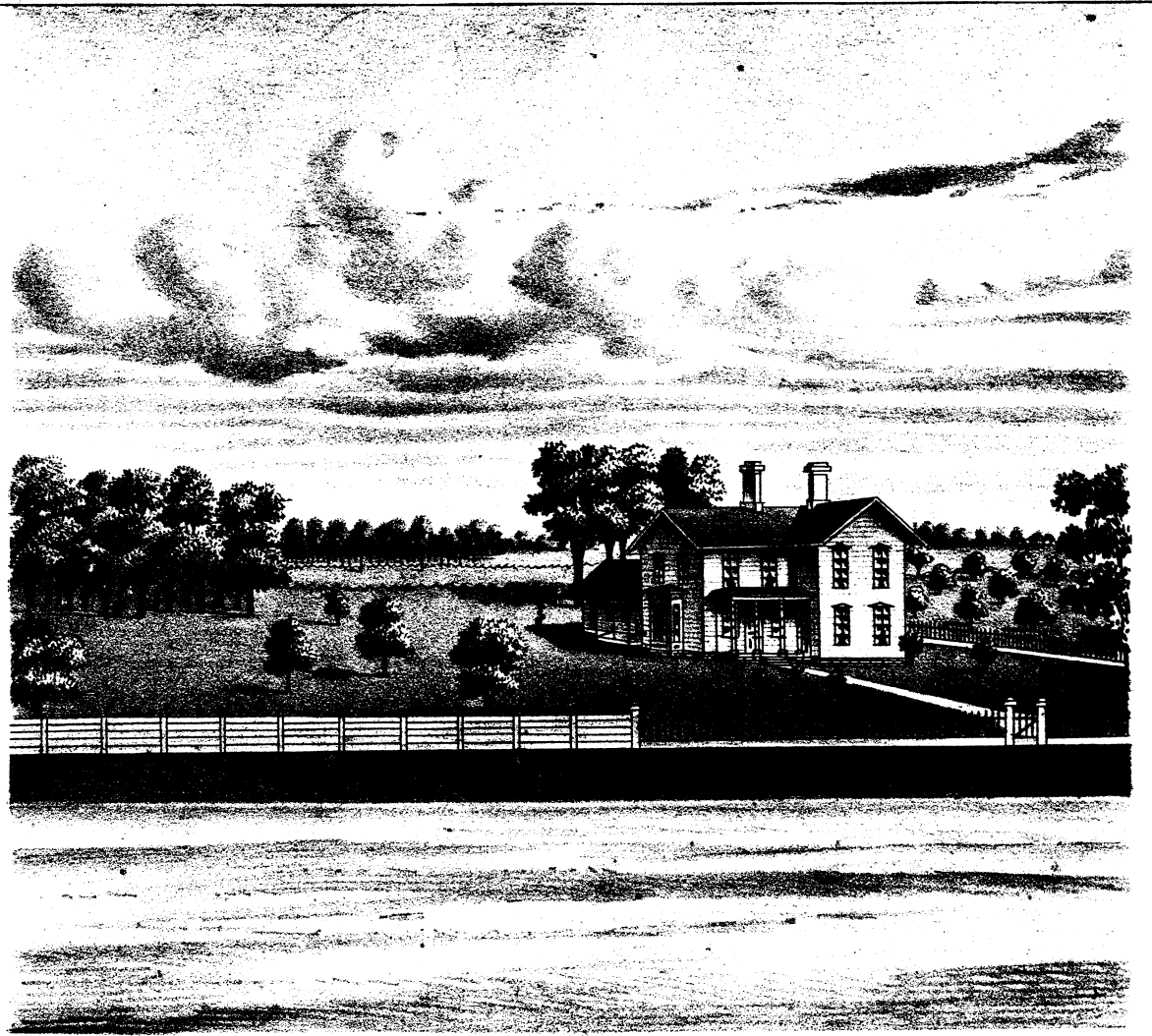
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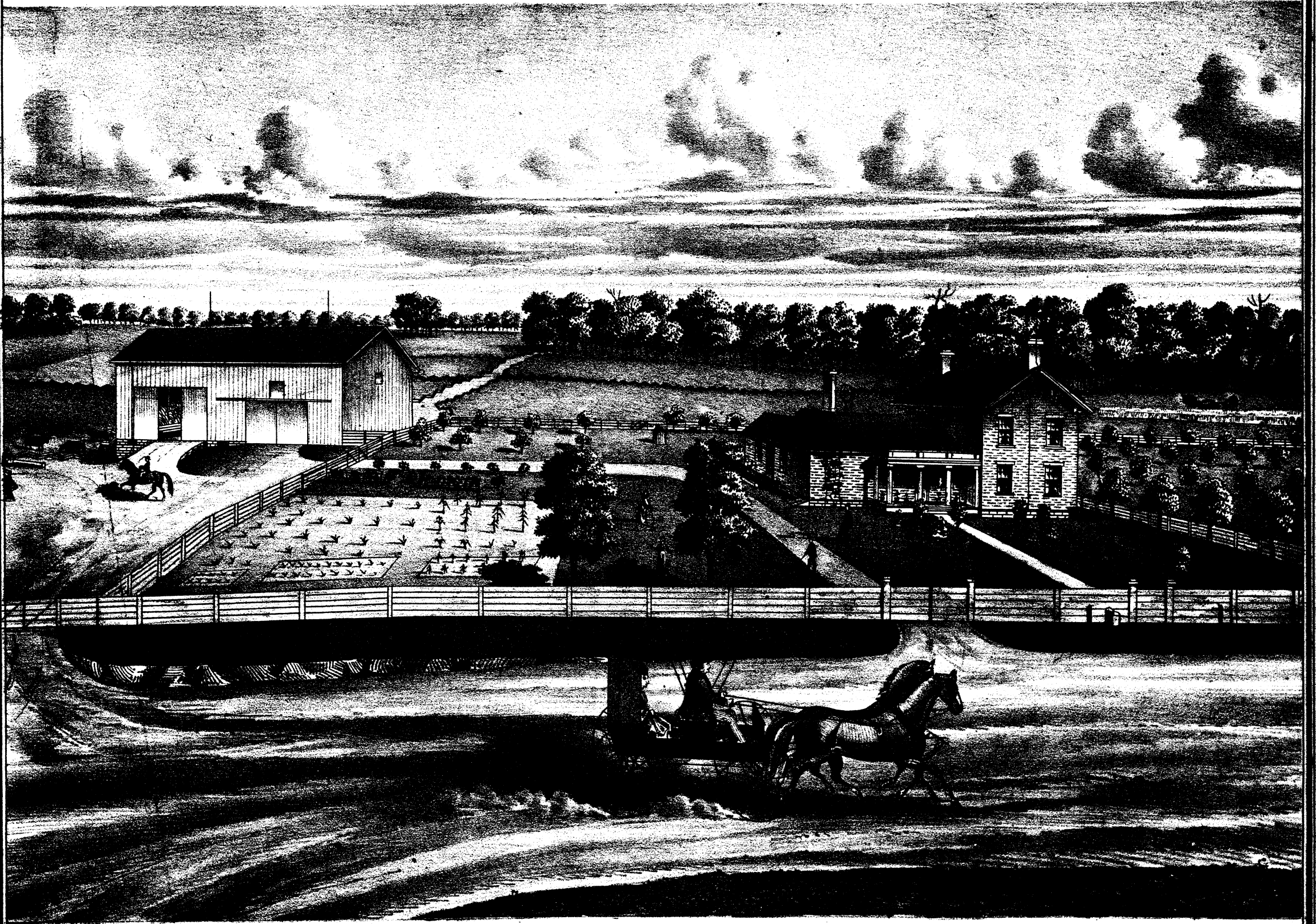
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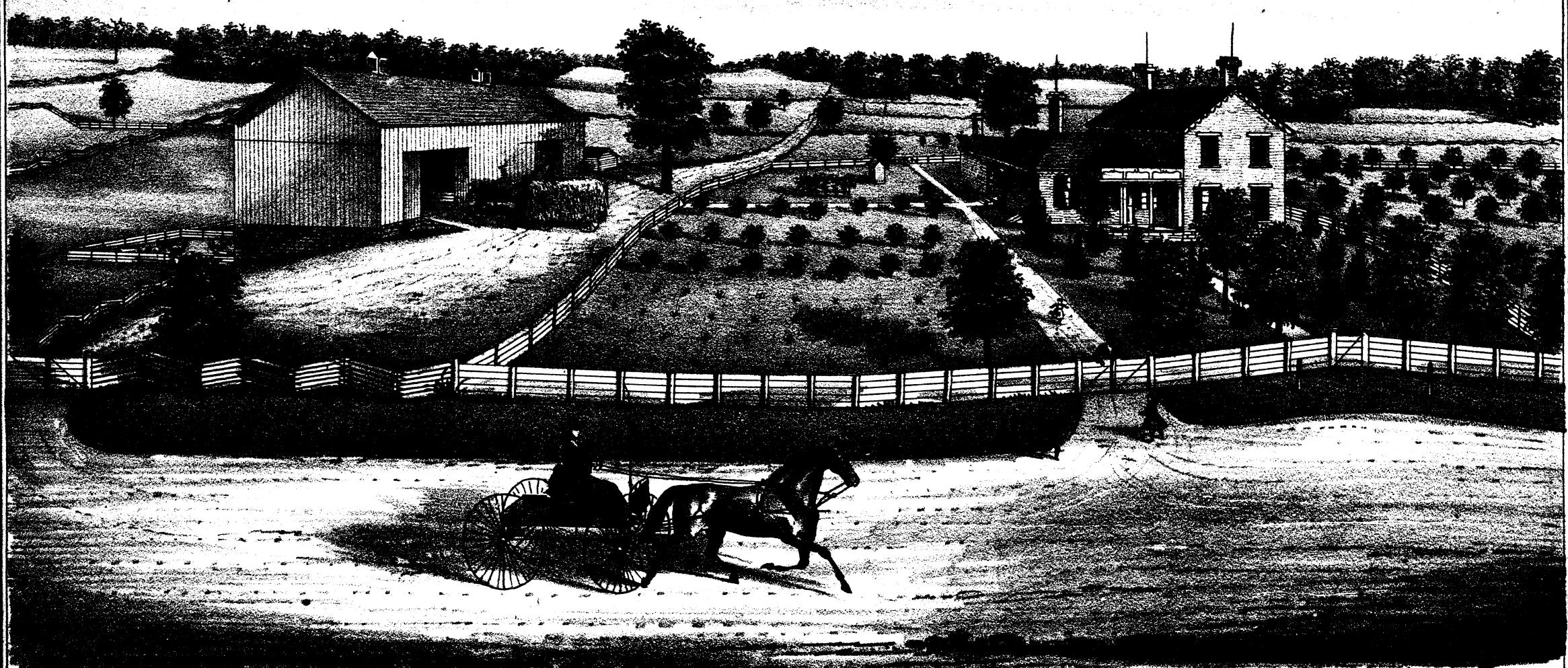
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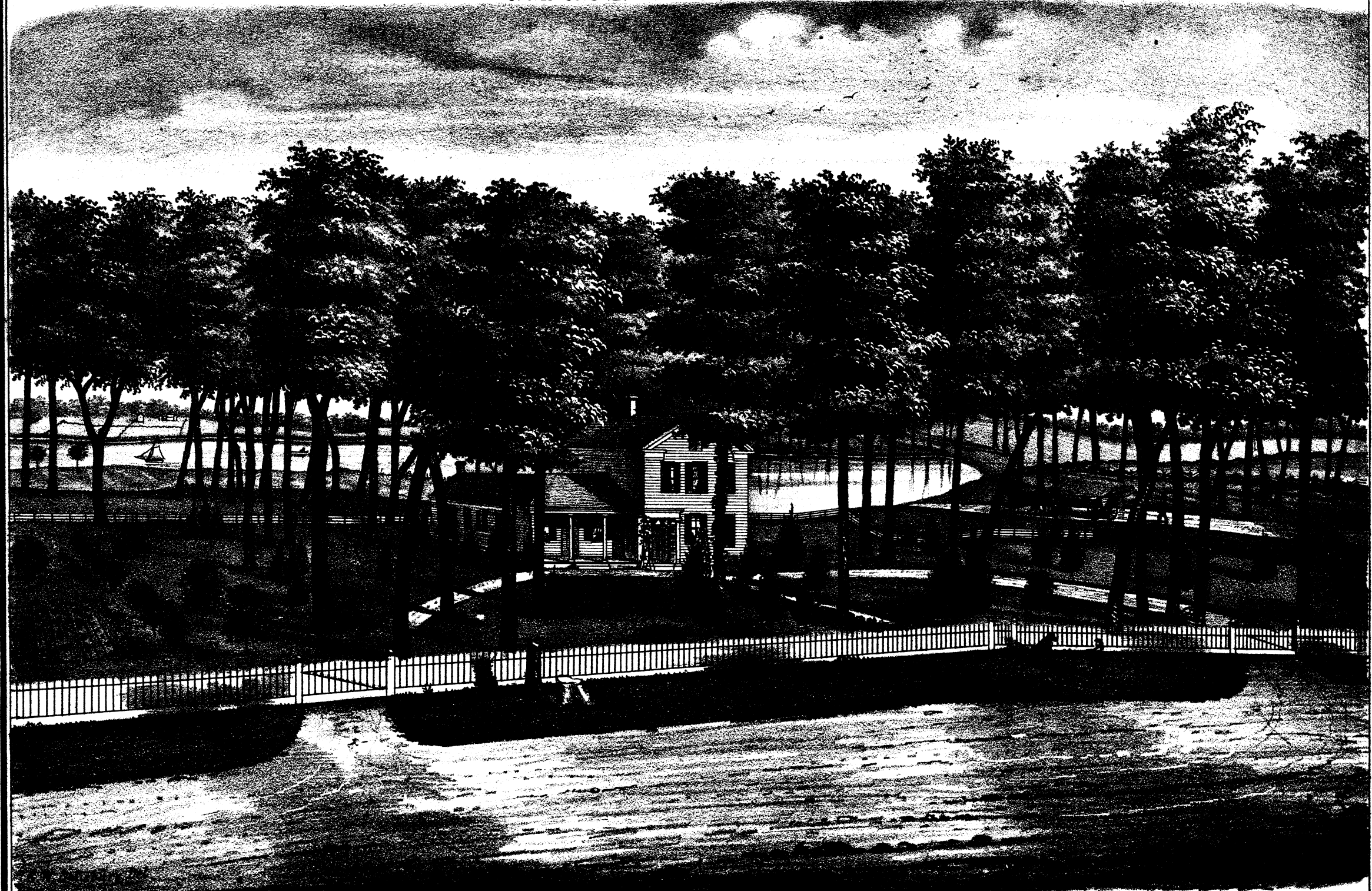
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PLEASANT VIEW. RES. OF S.T. MARSH,  
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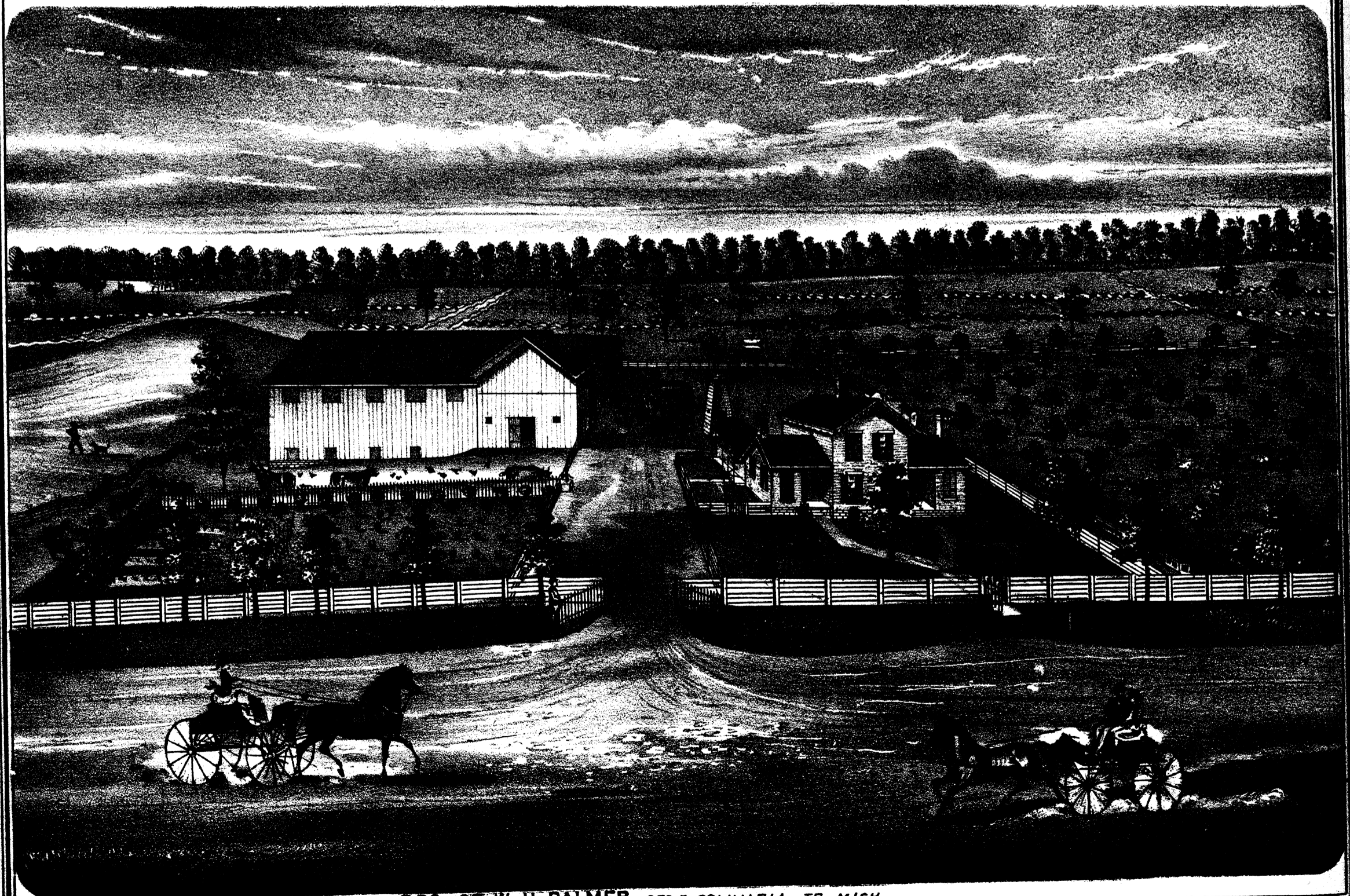




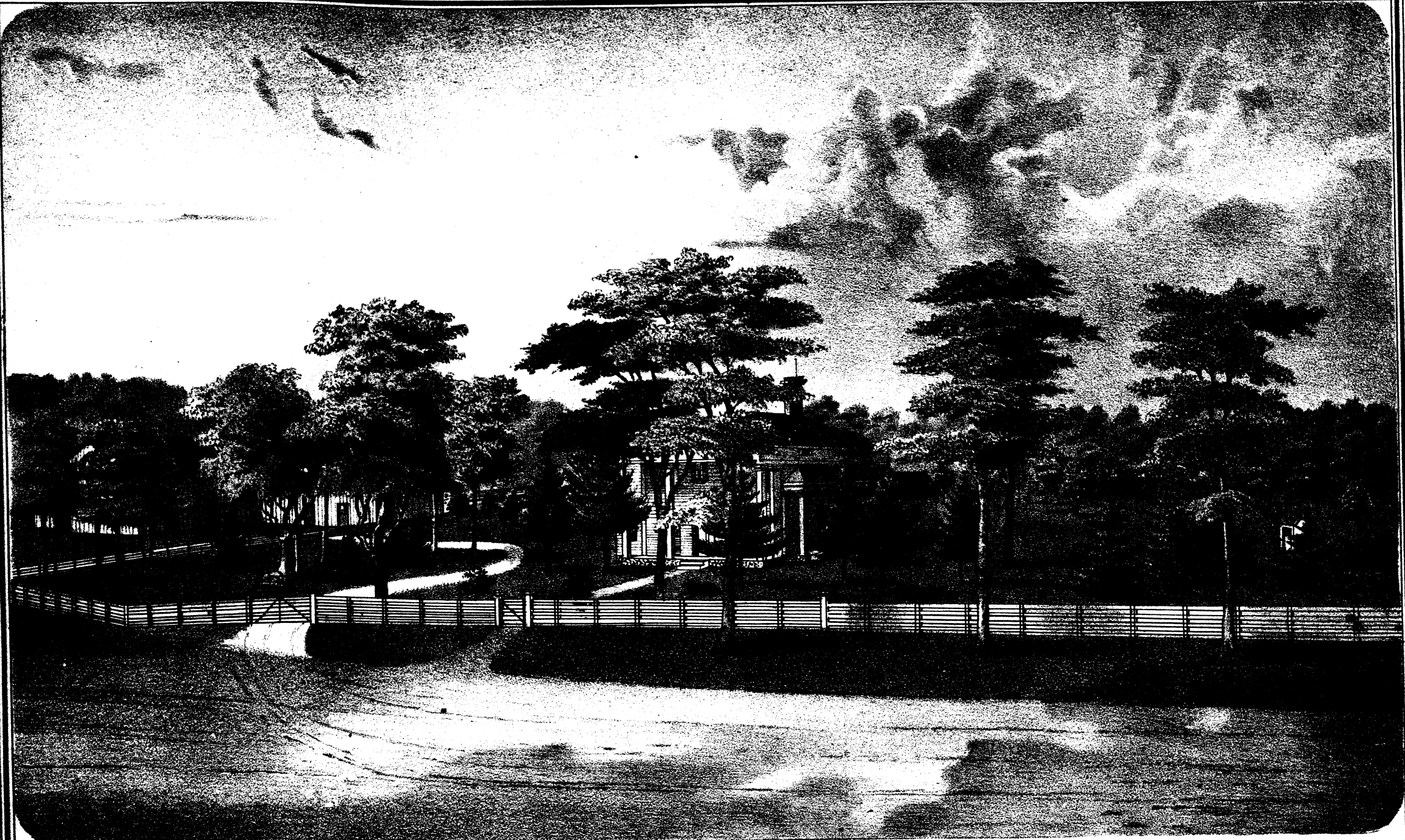
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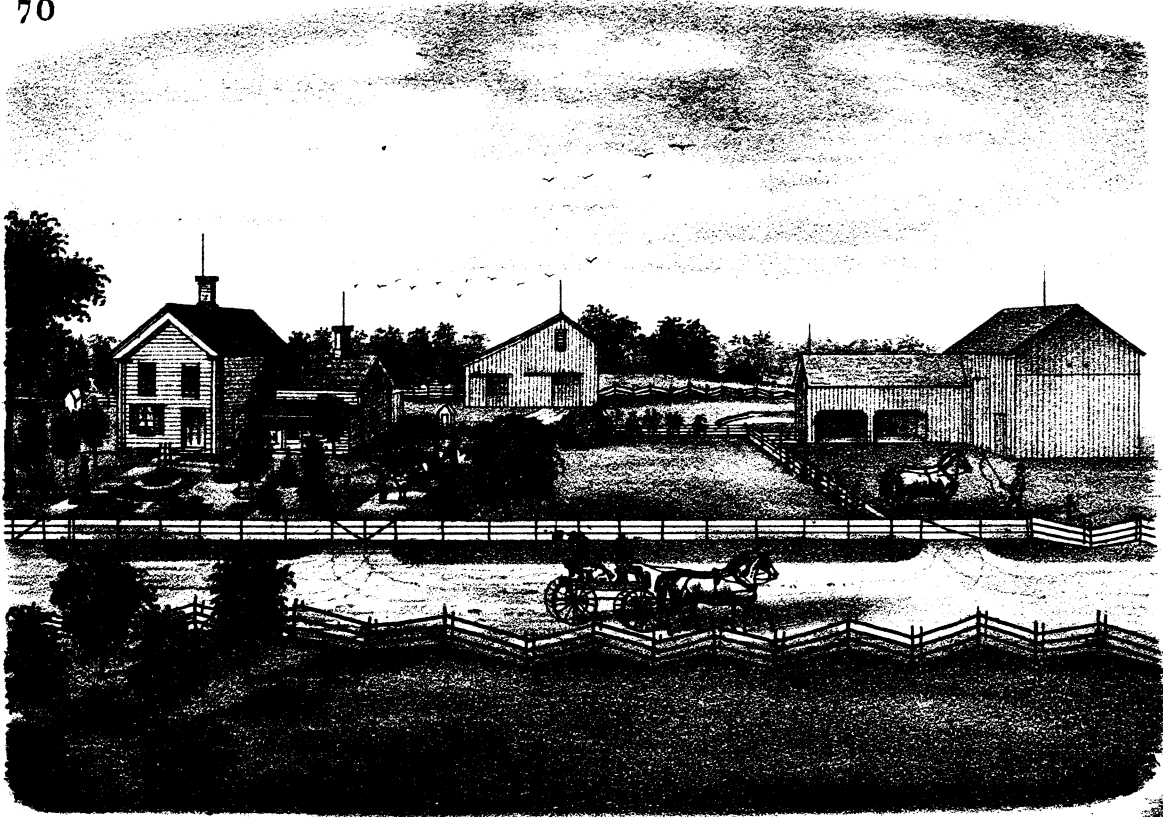
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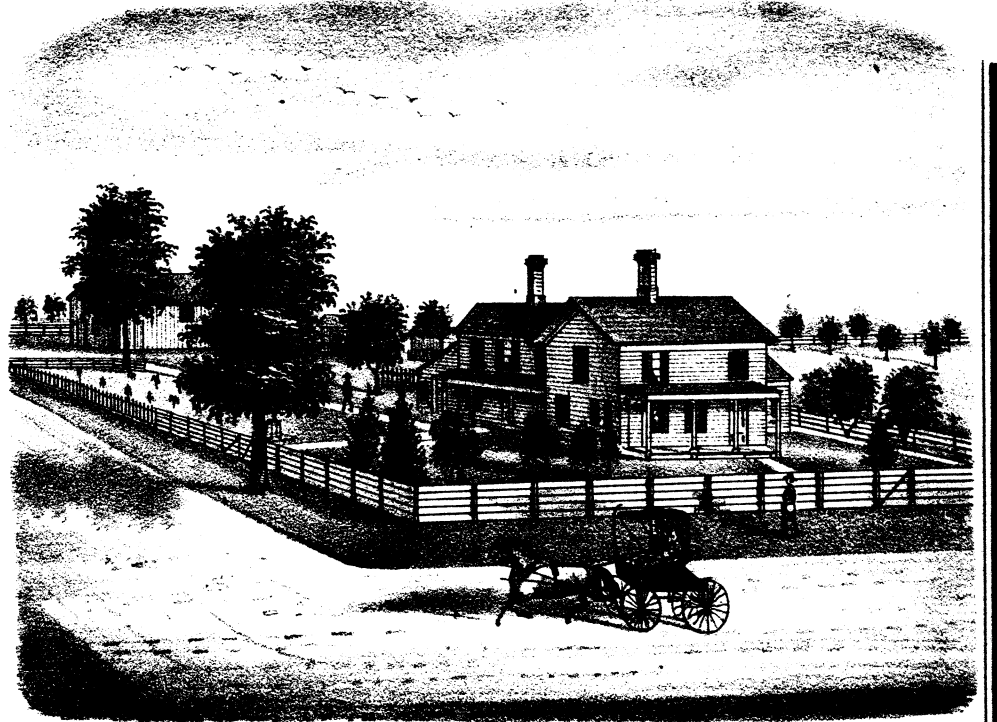
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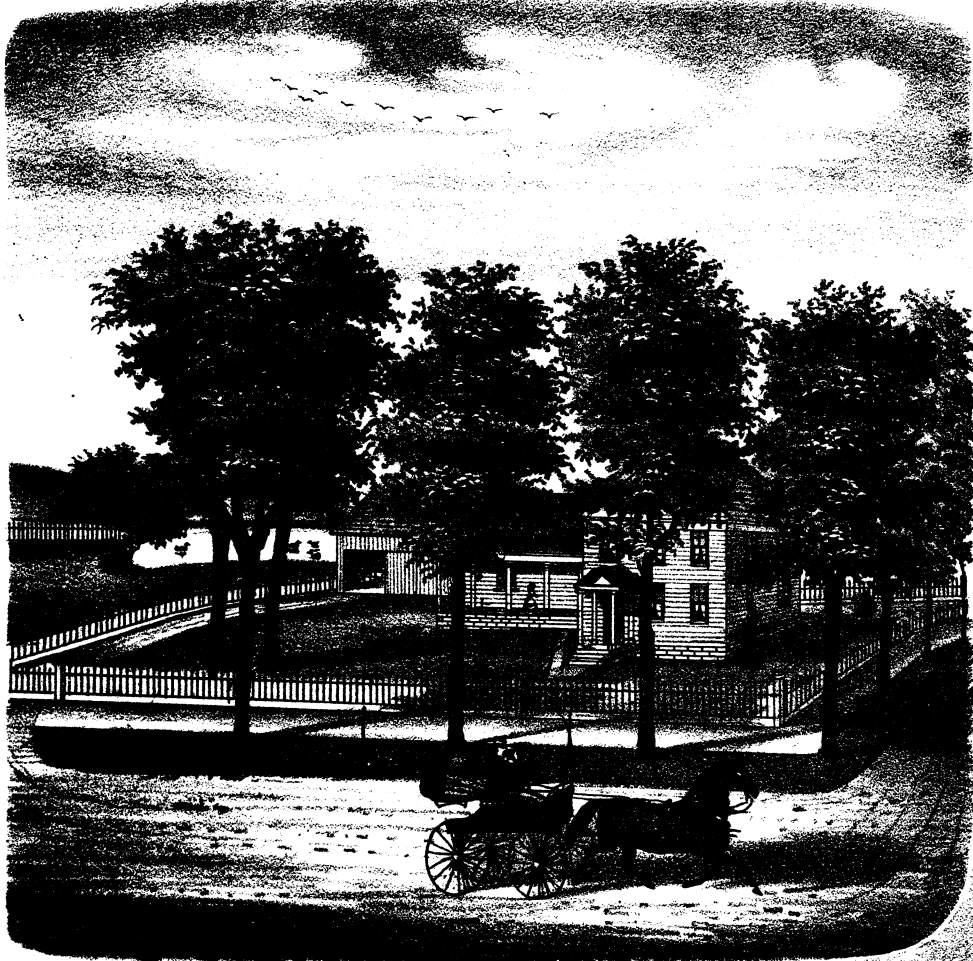
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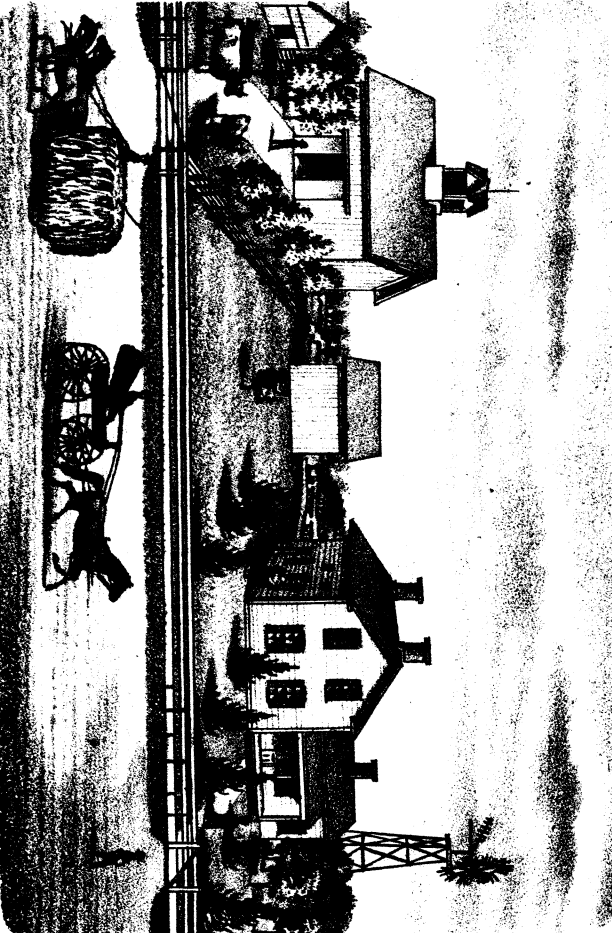
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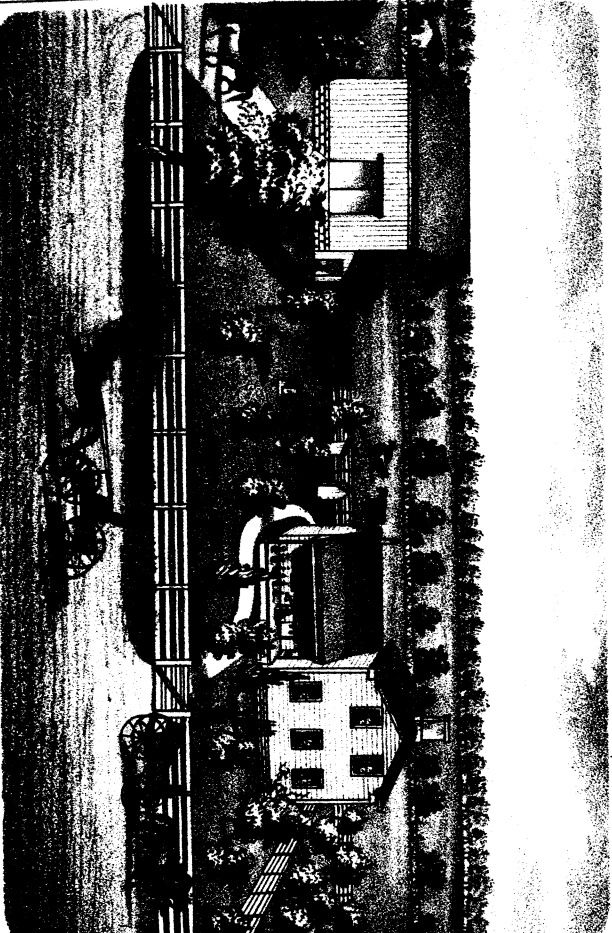
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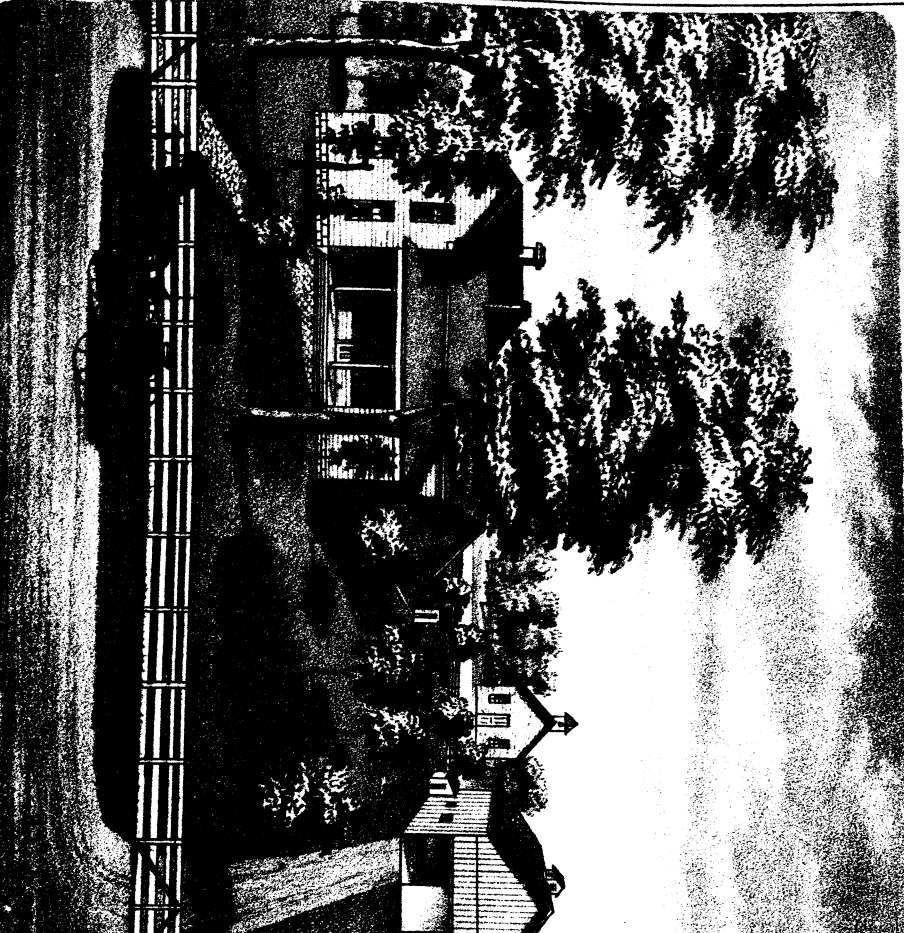
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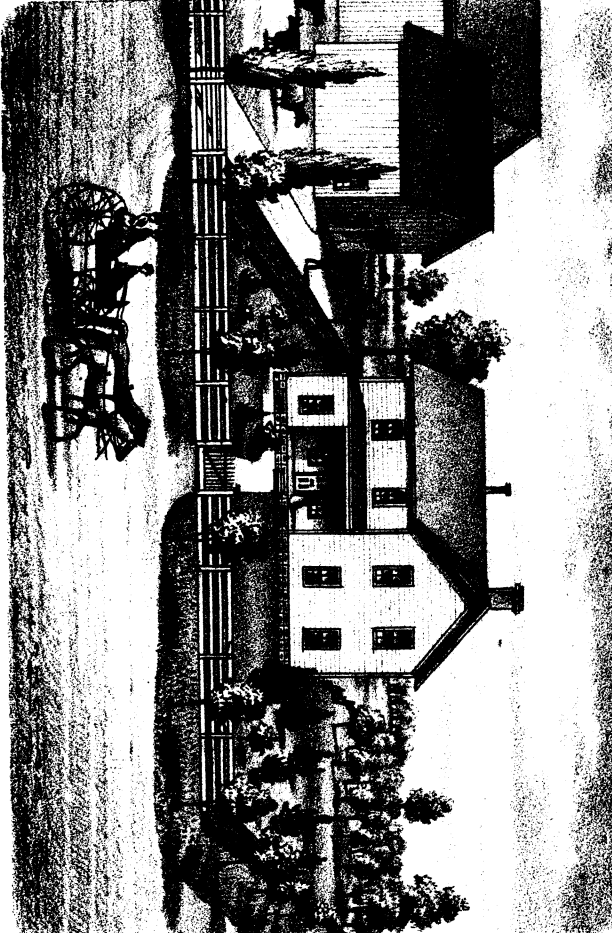
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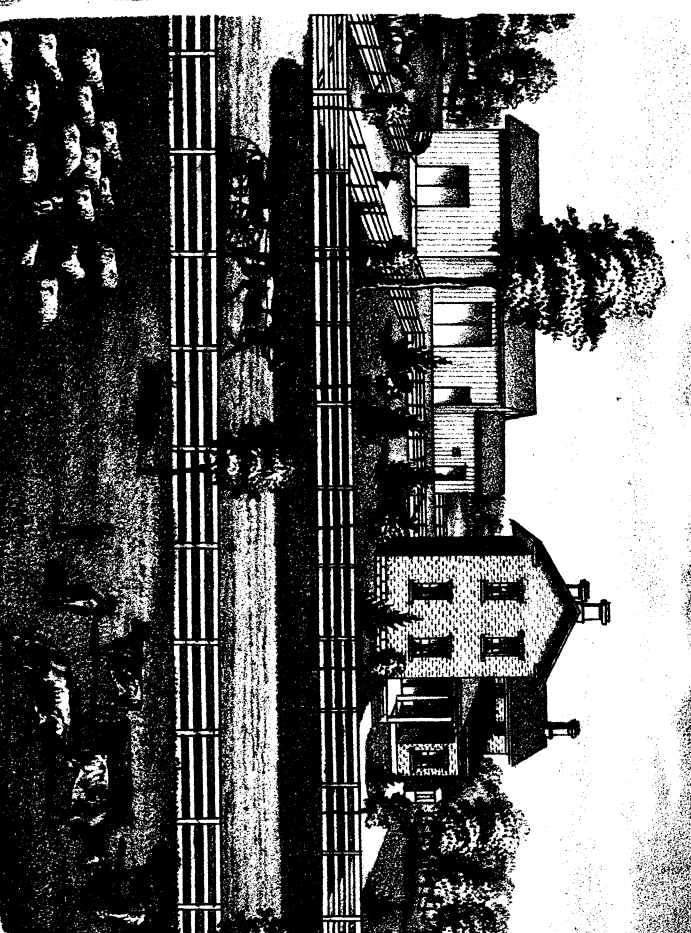
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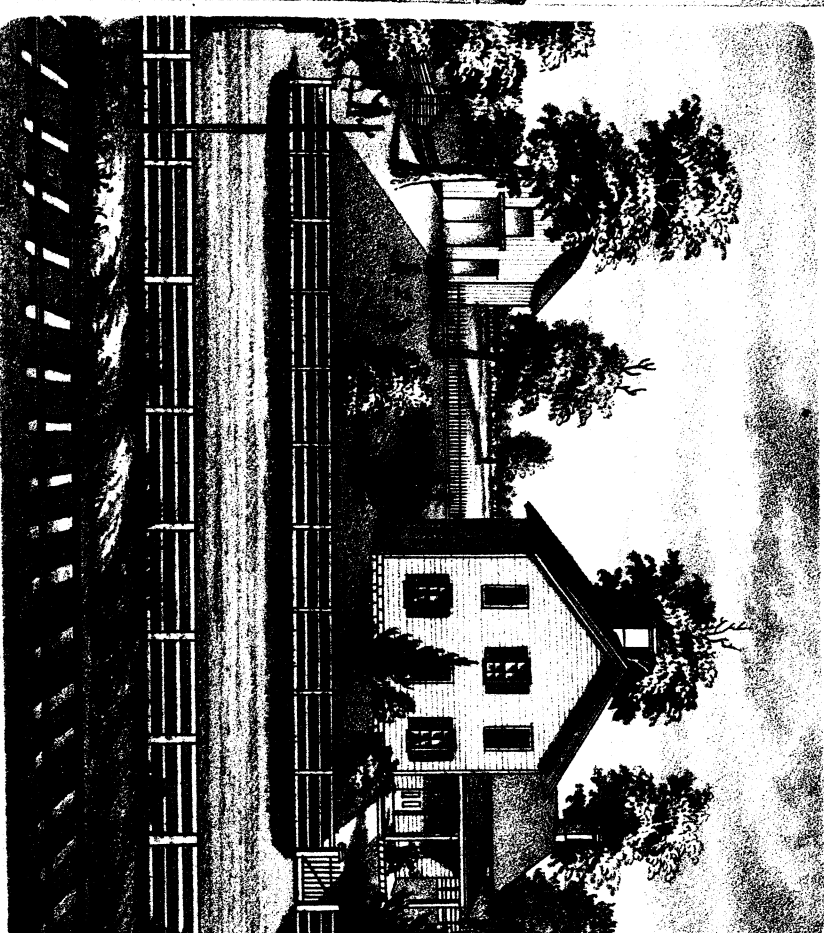
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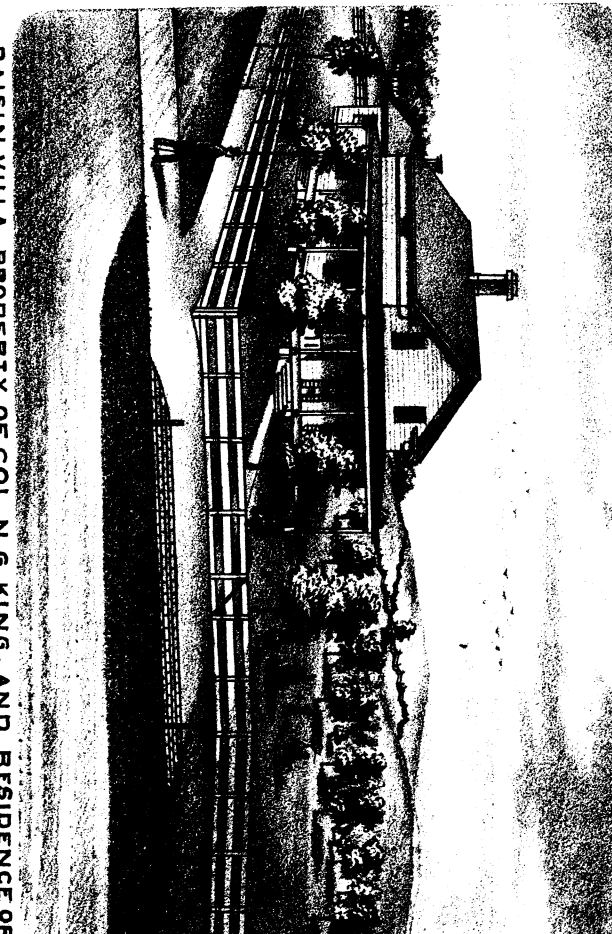
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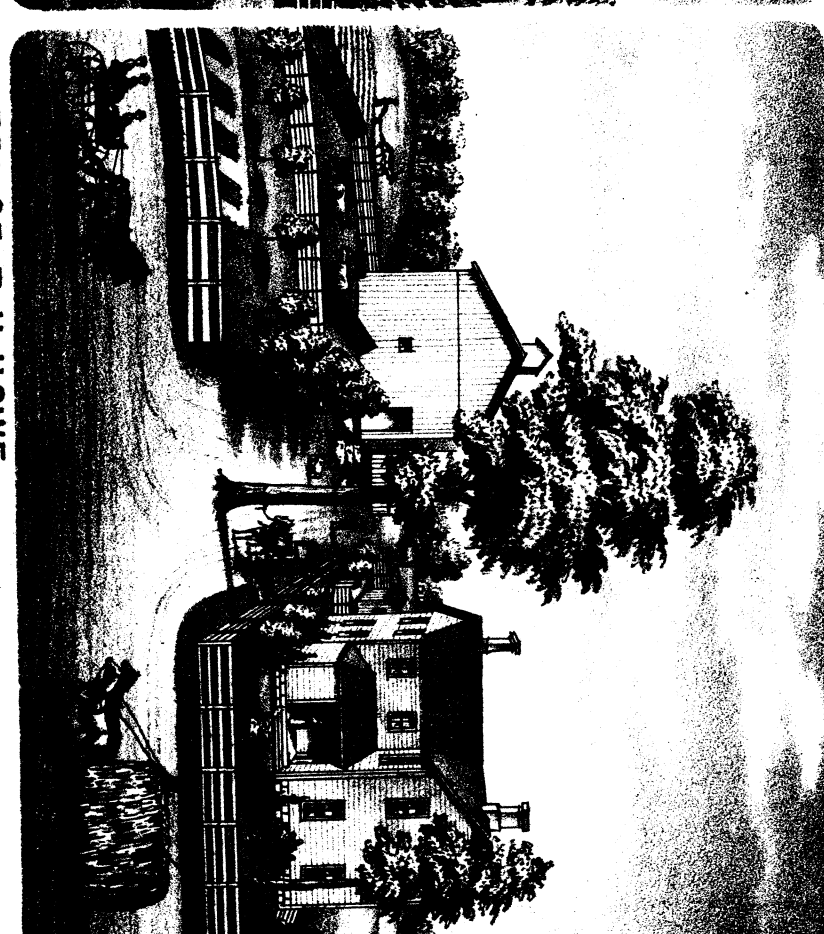
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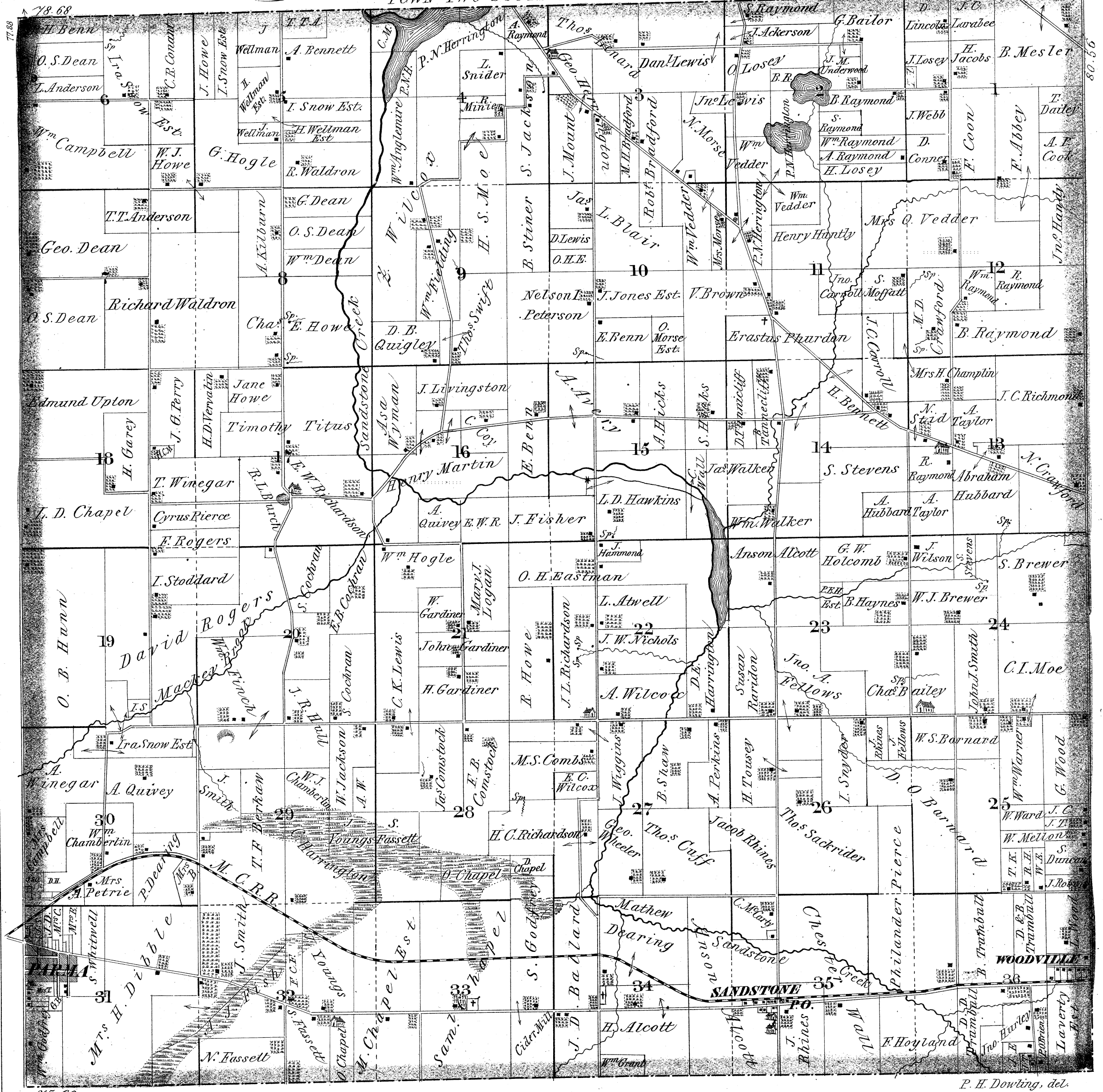
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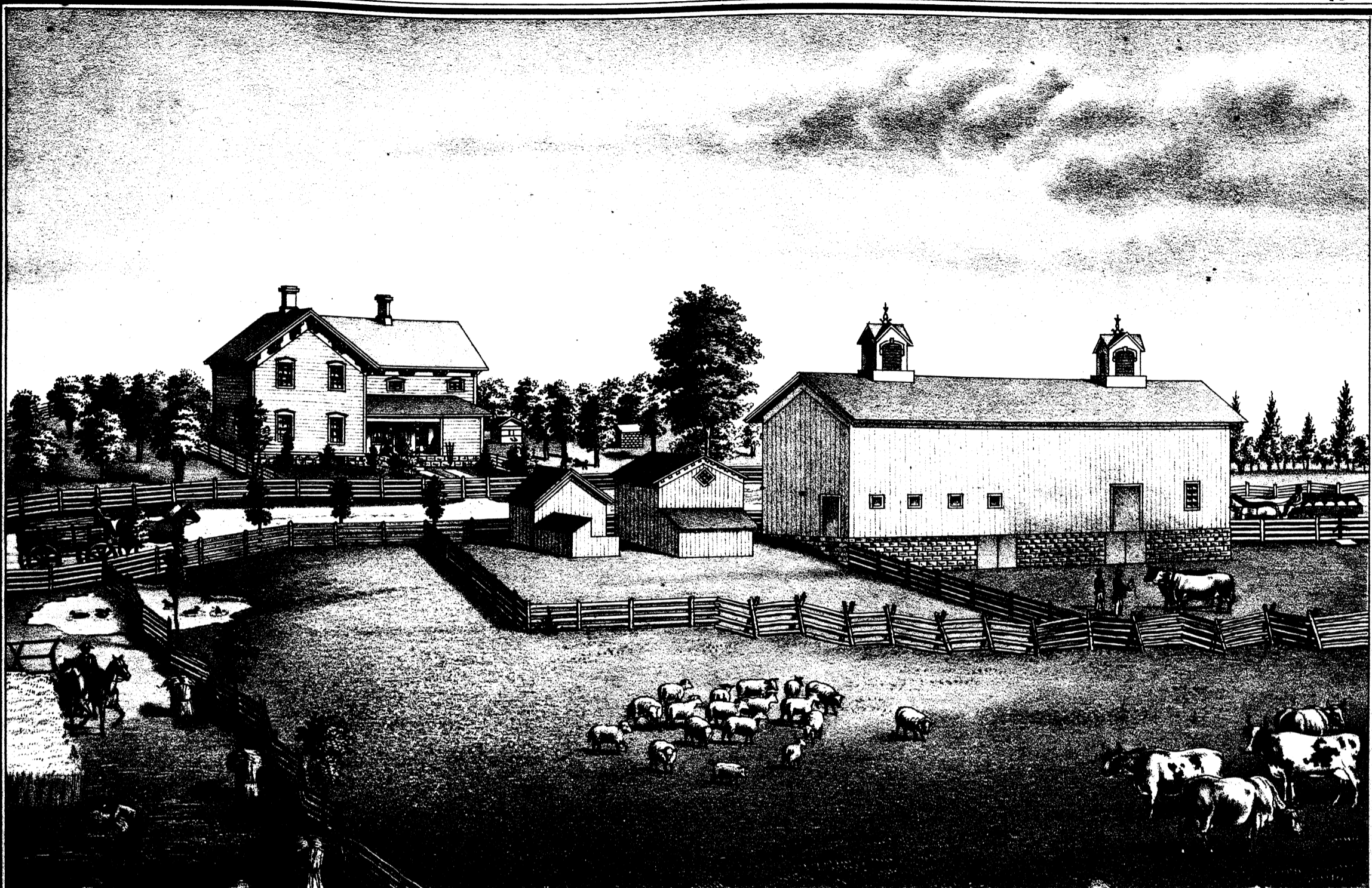
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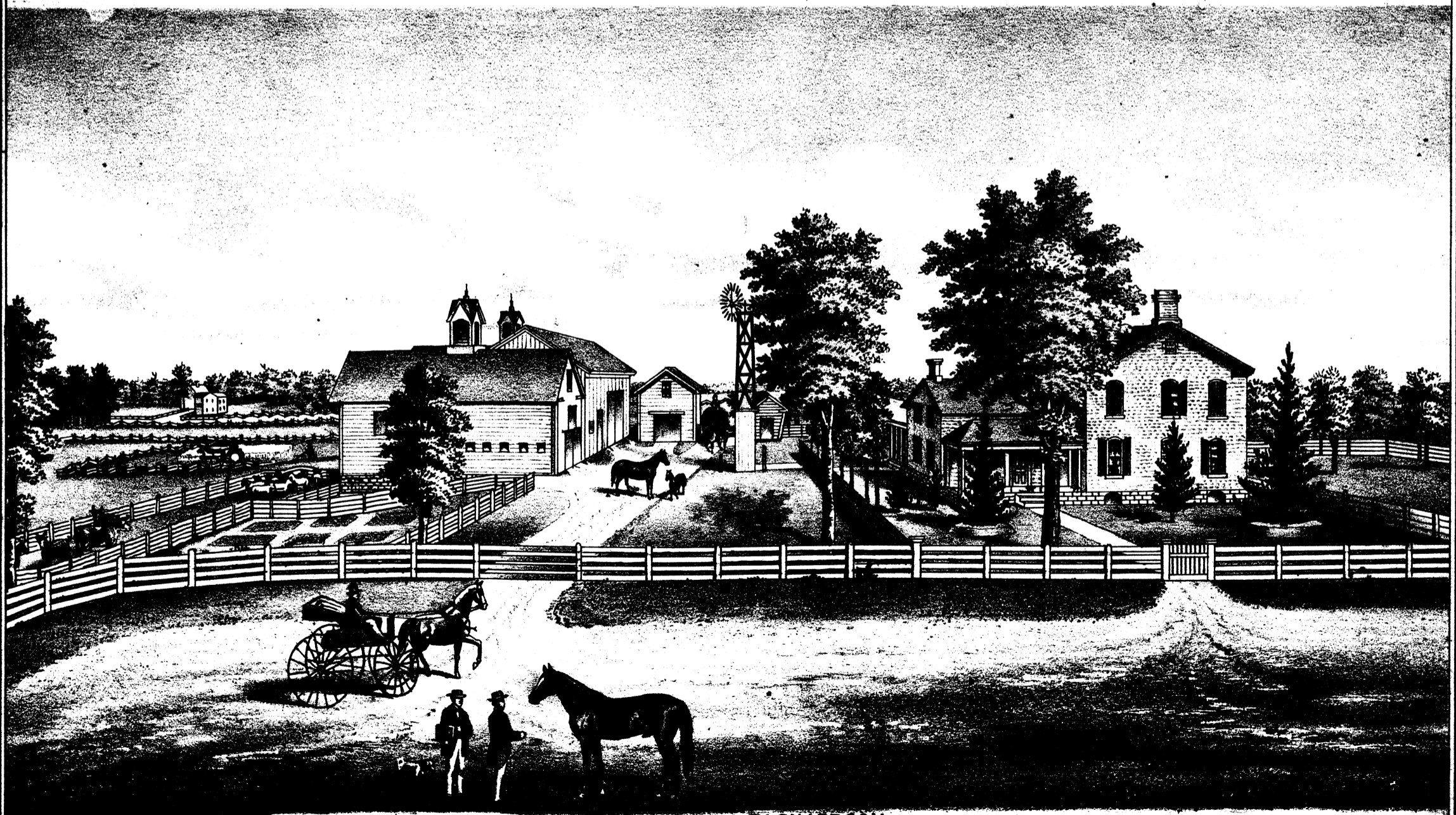
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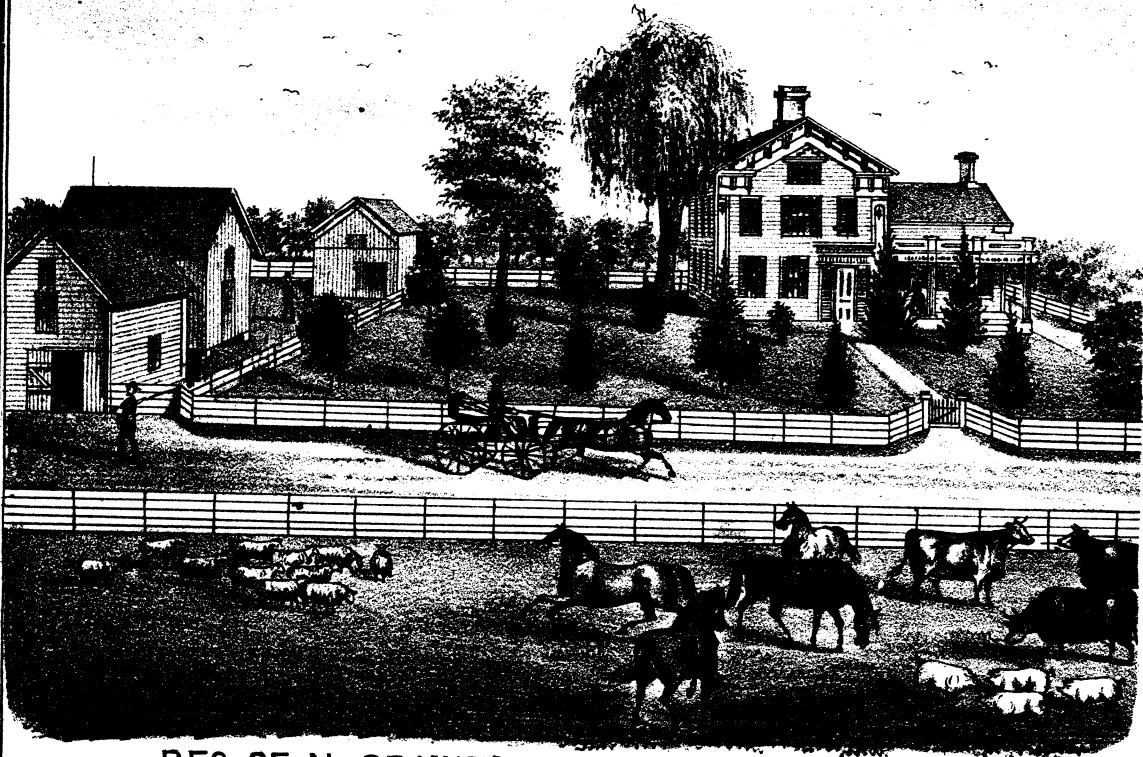
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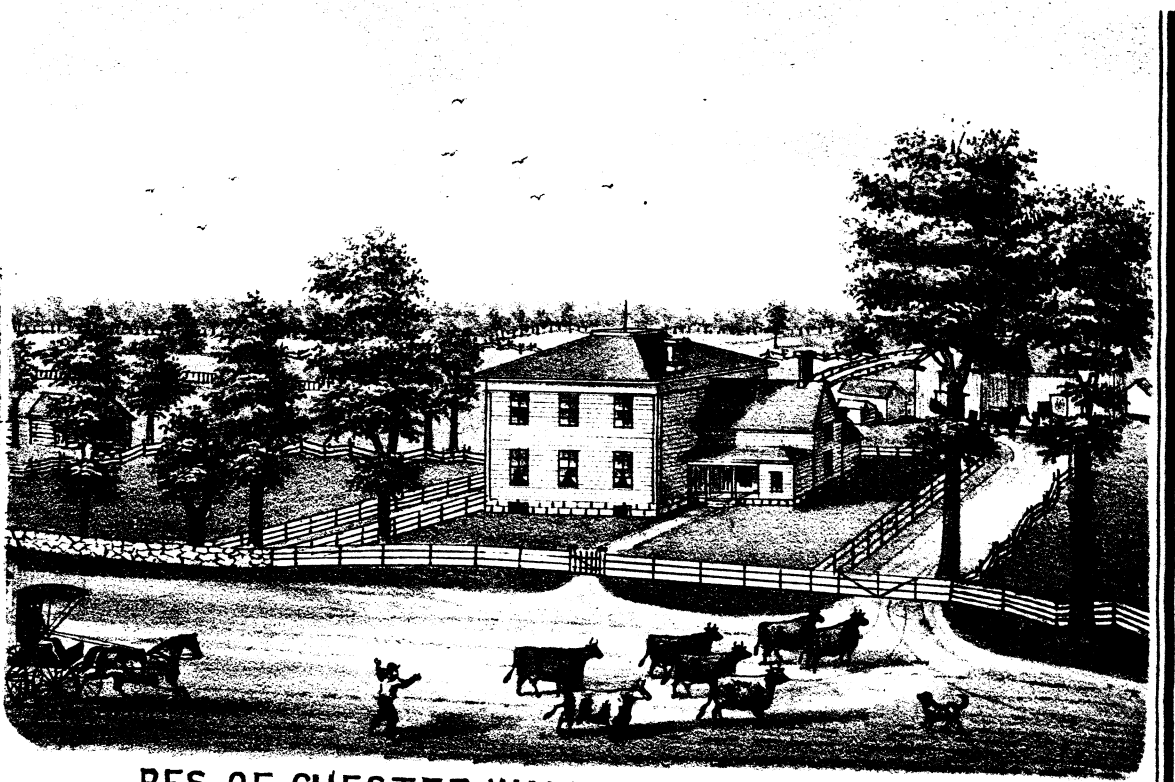
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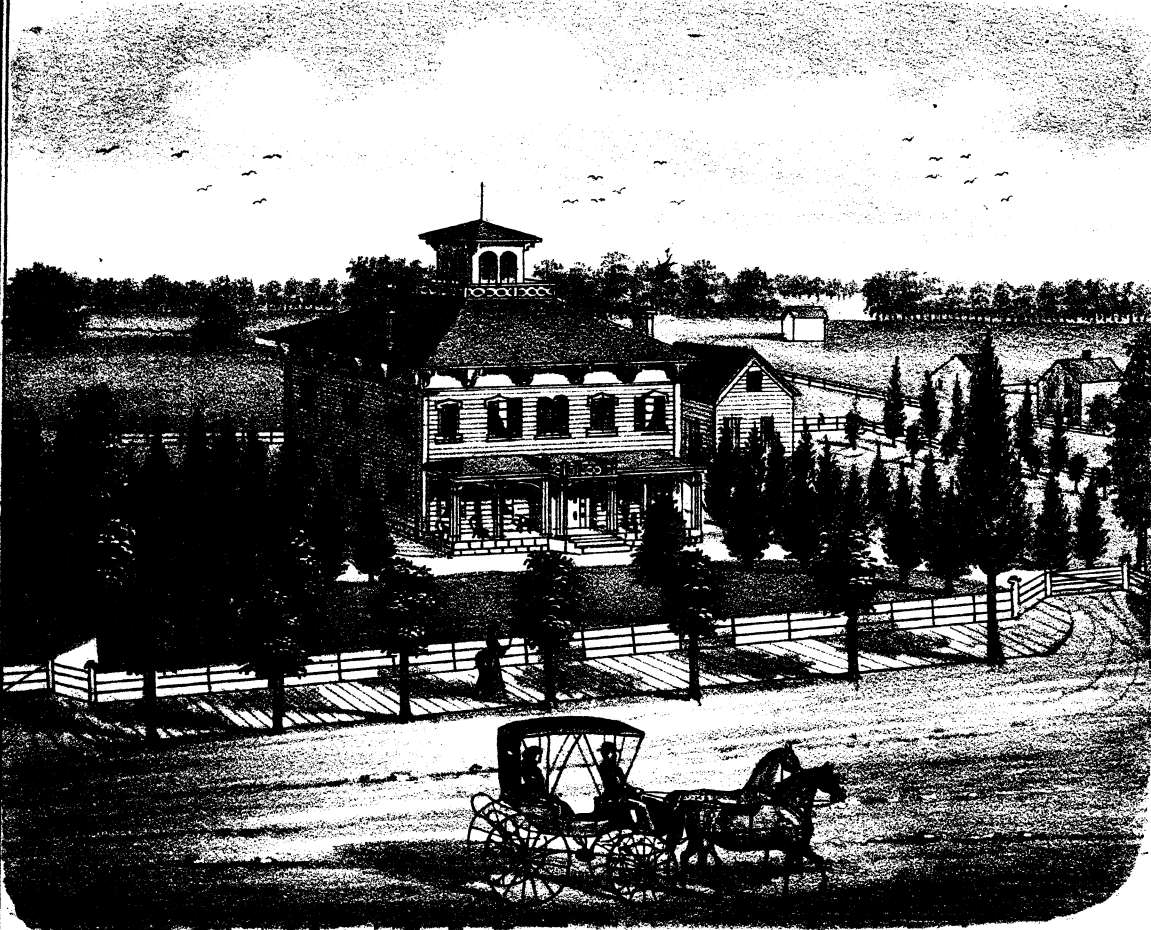
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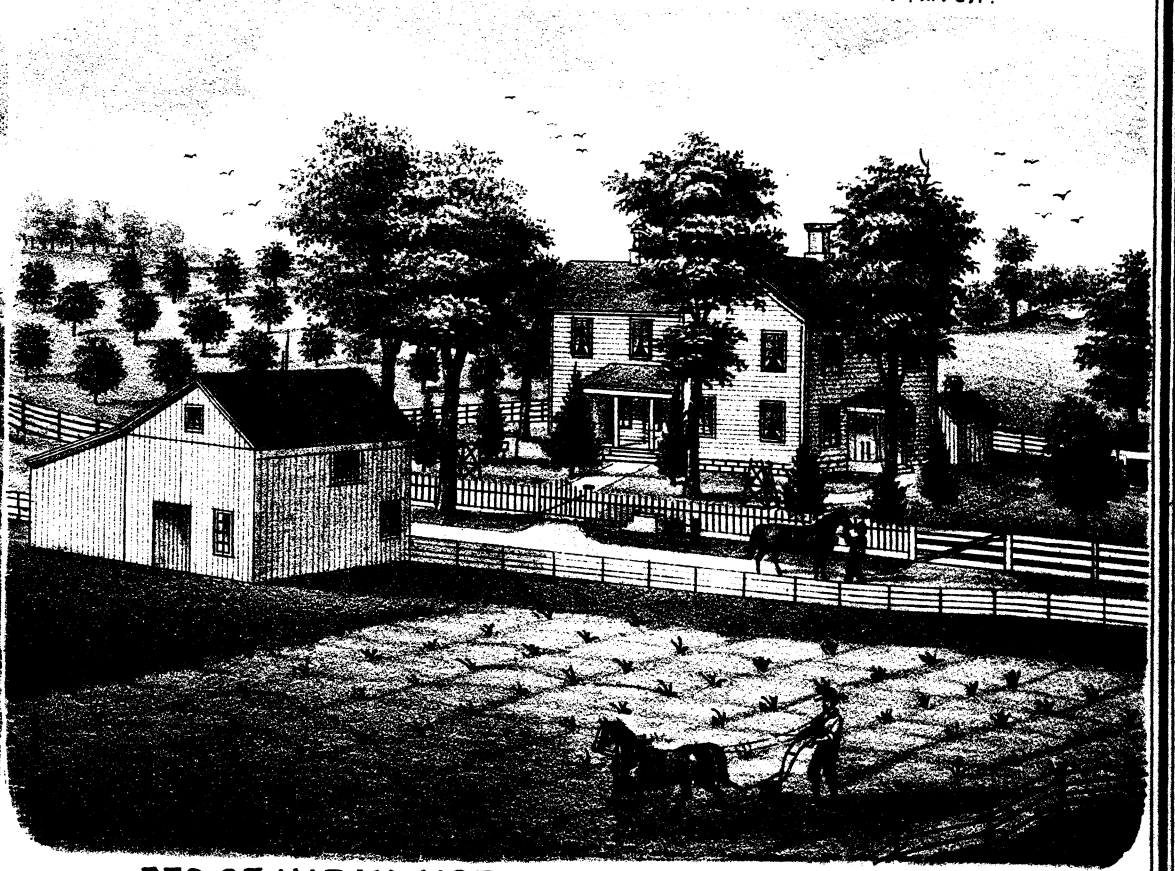
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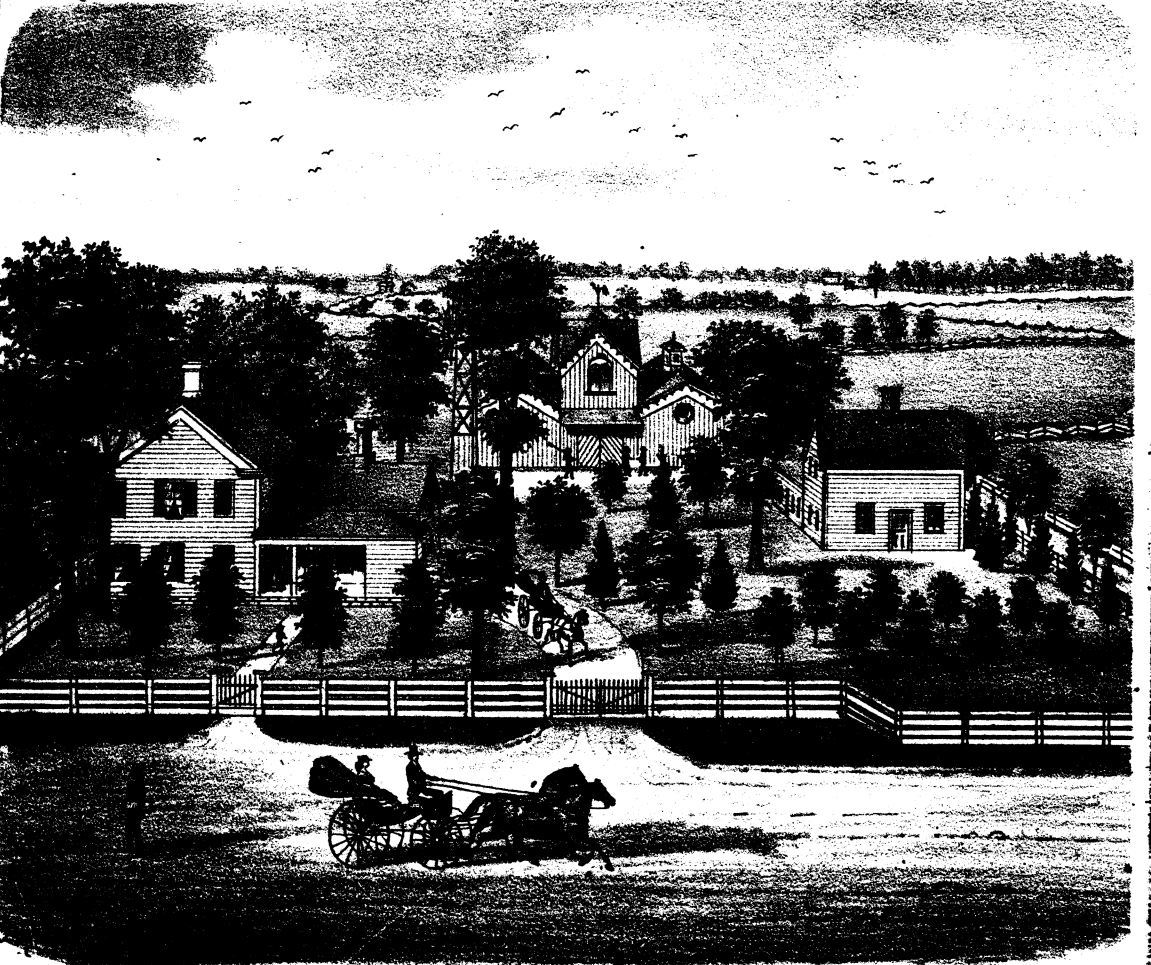
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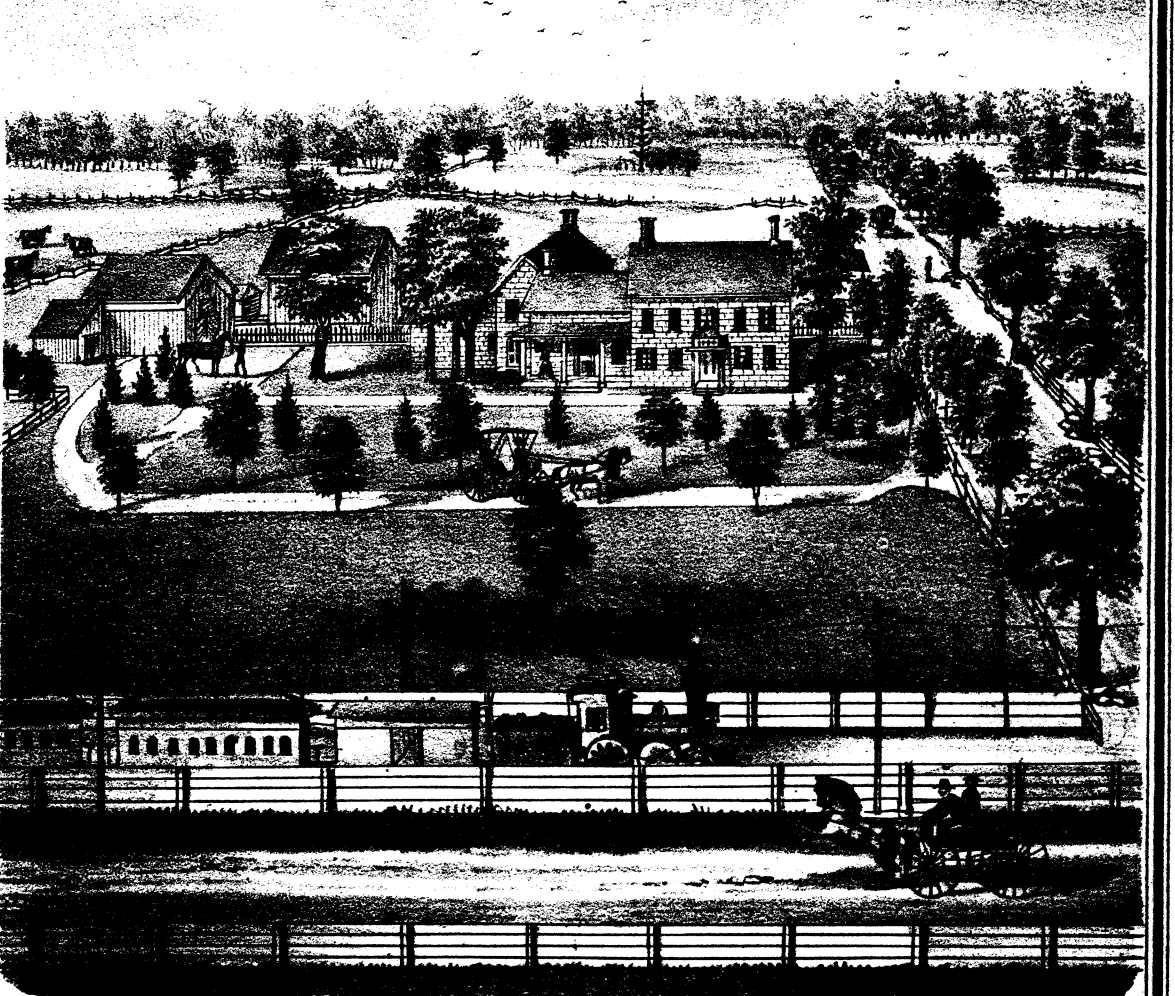
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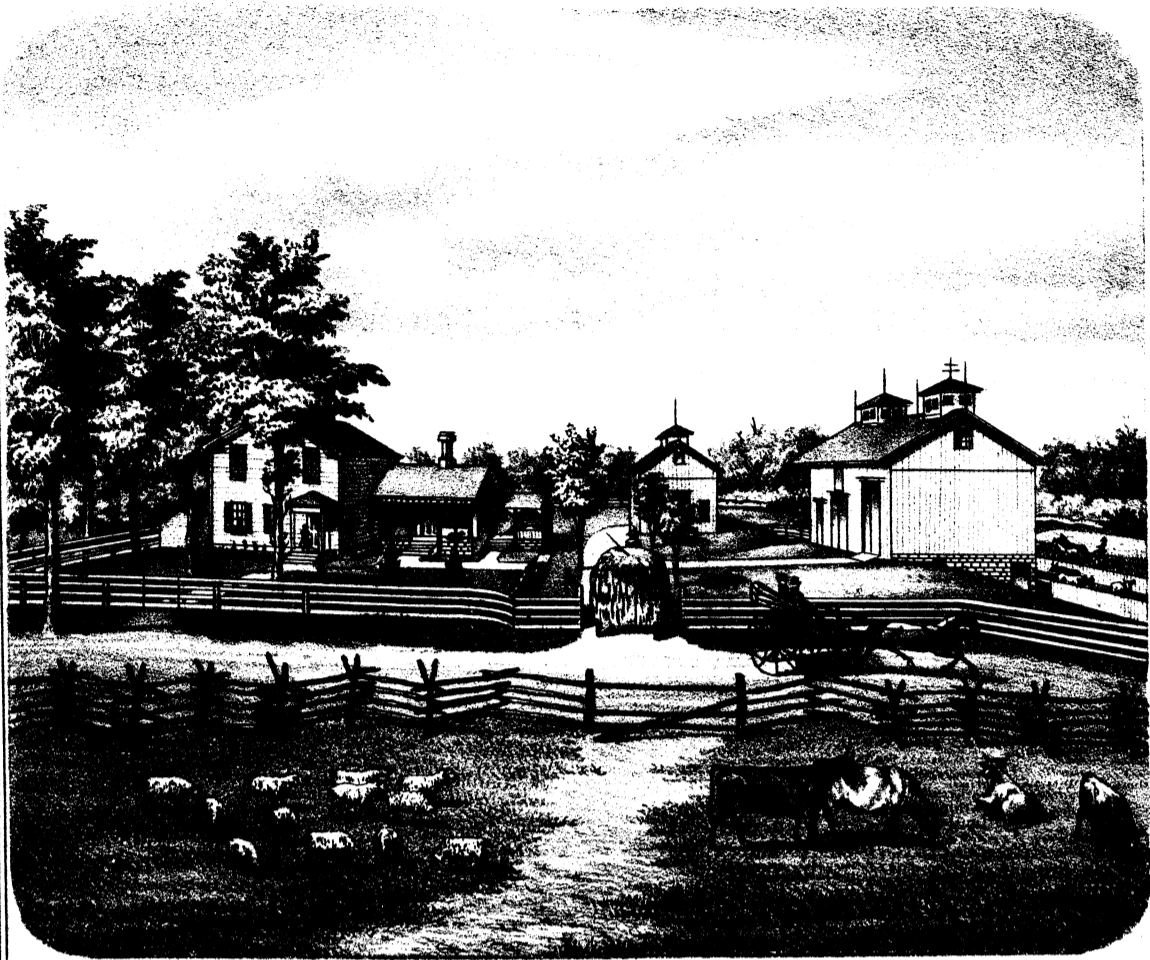
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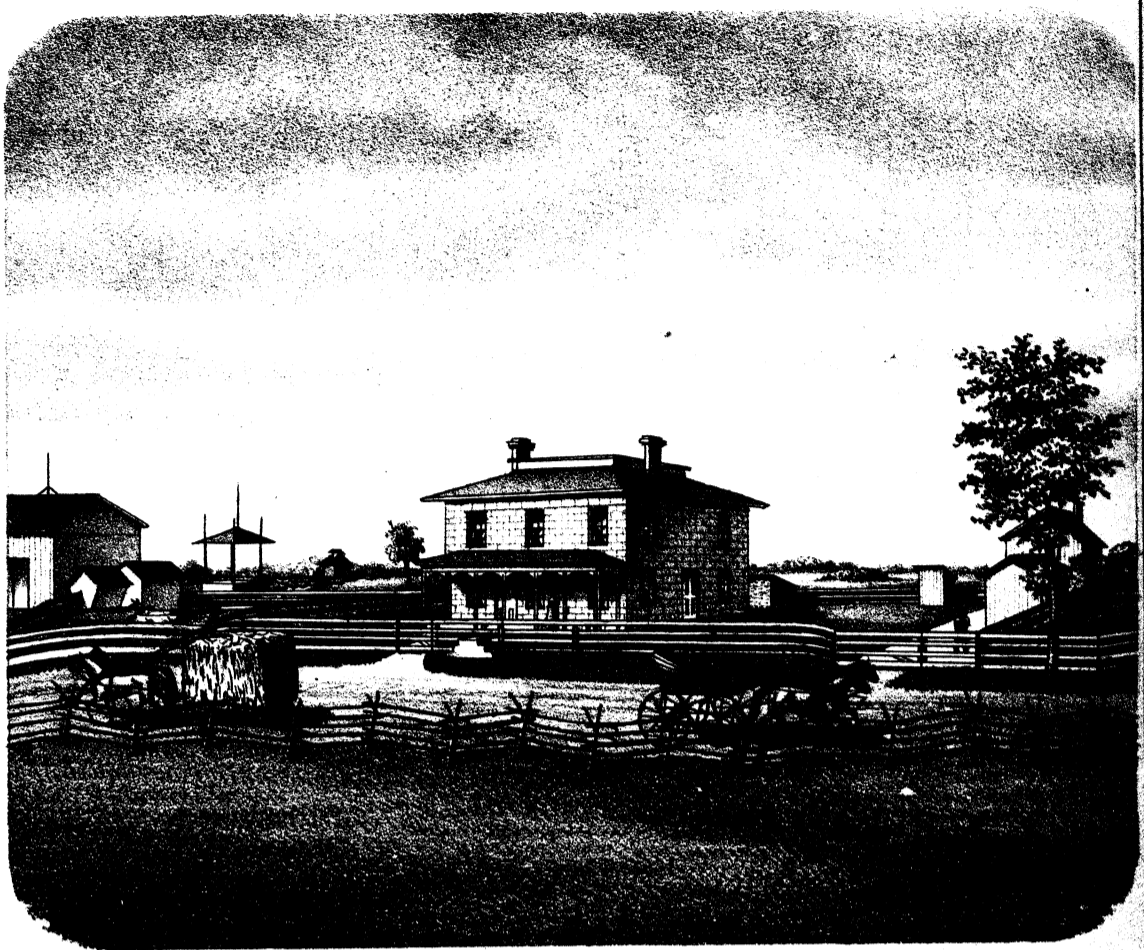
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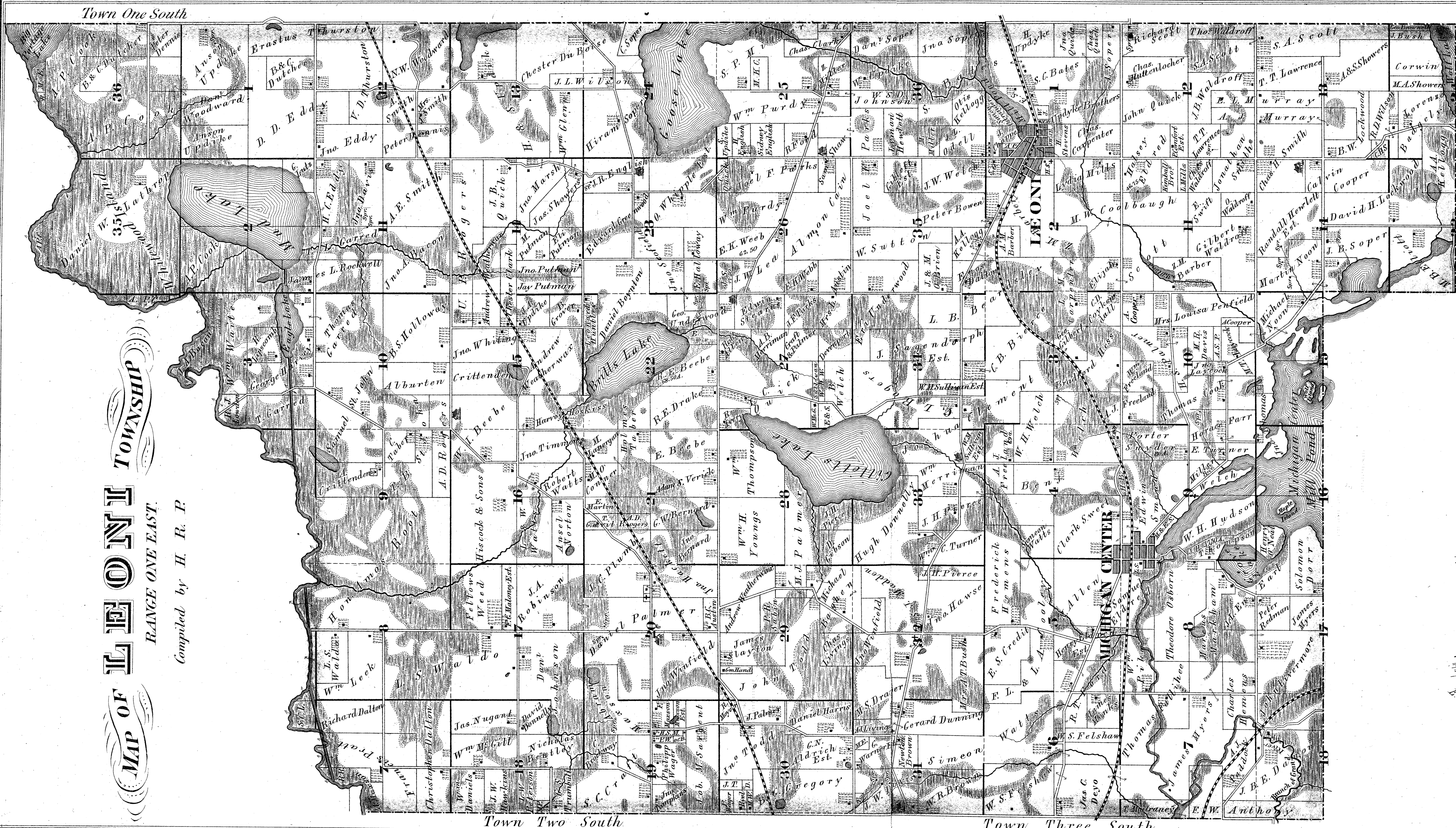
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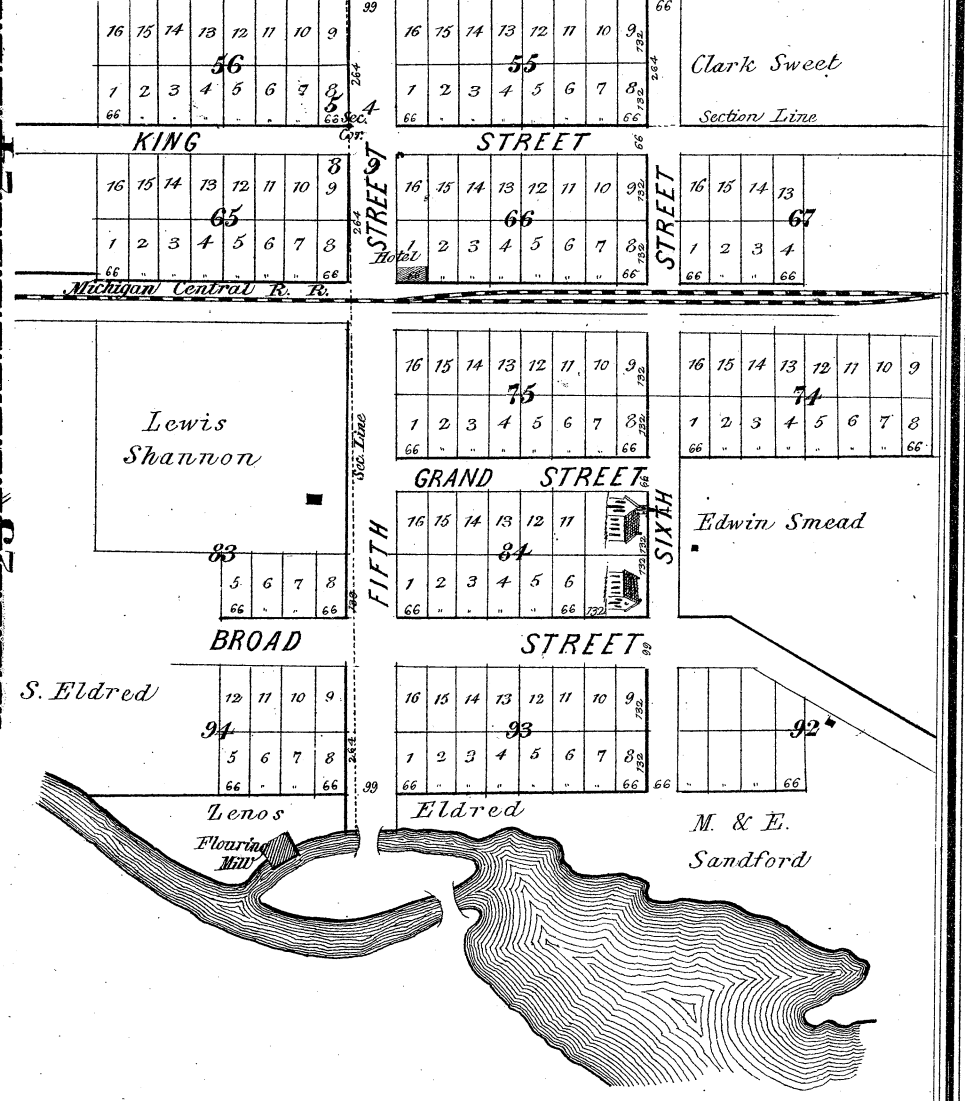
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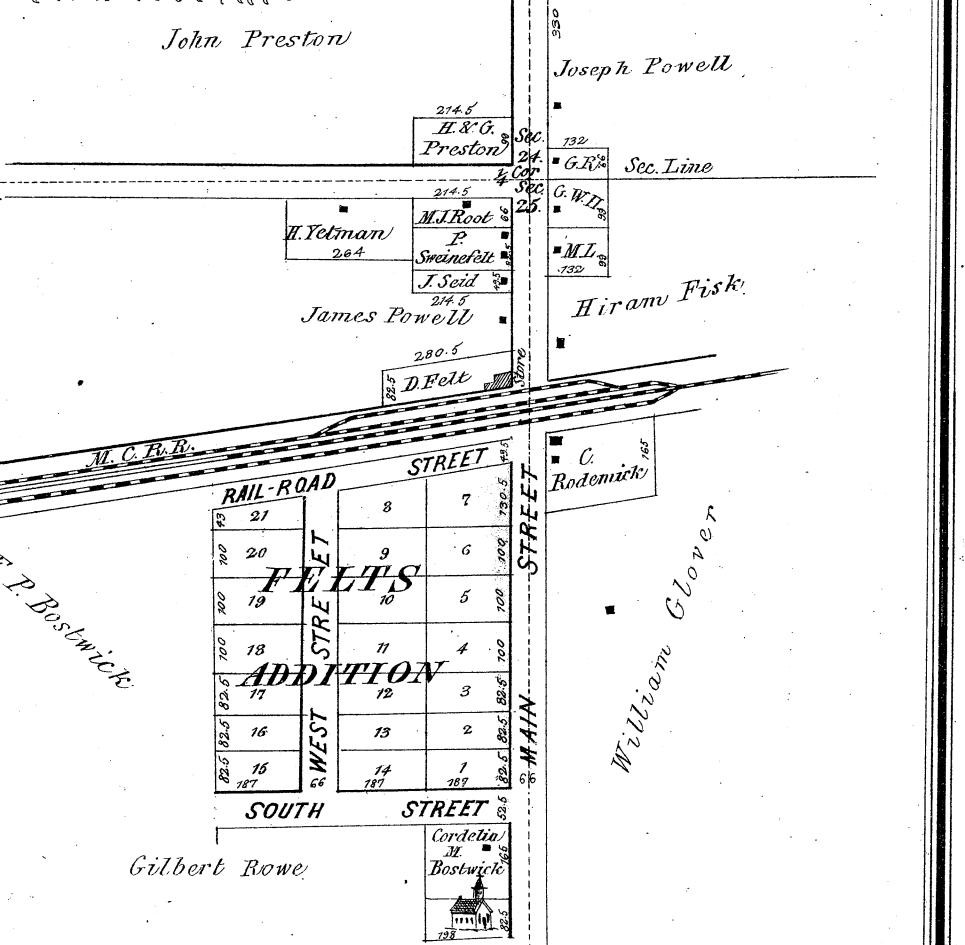
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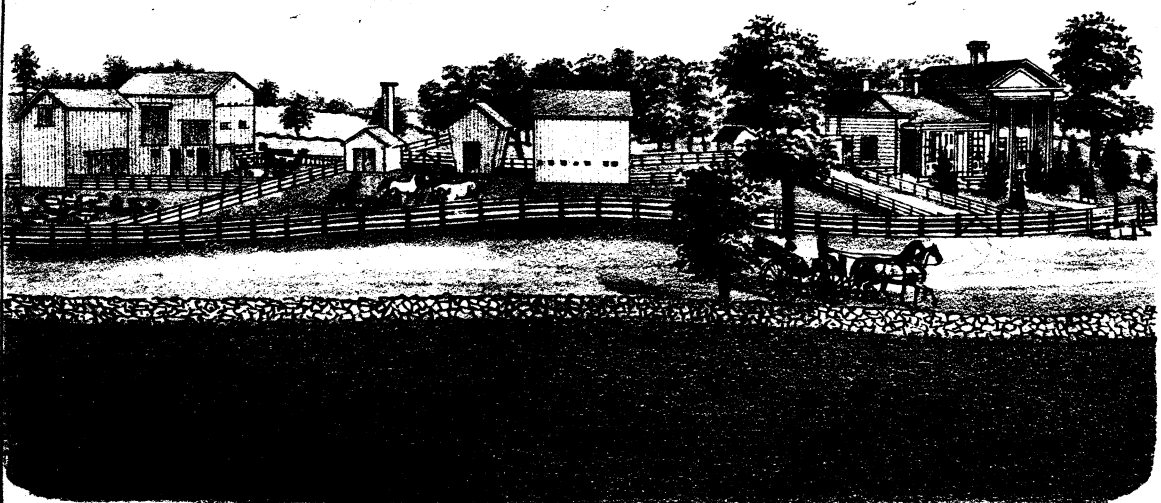
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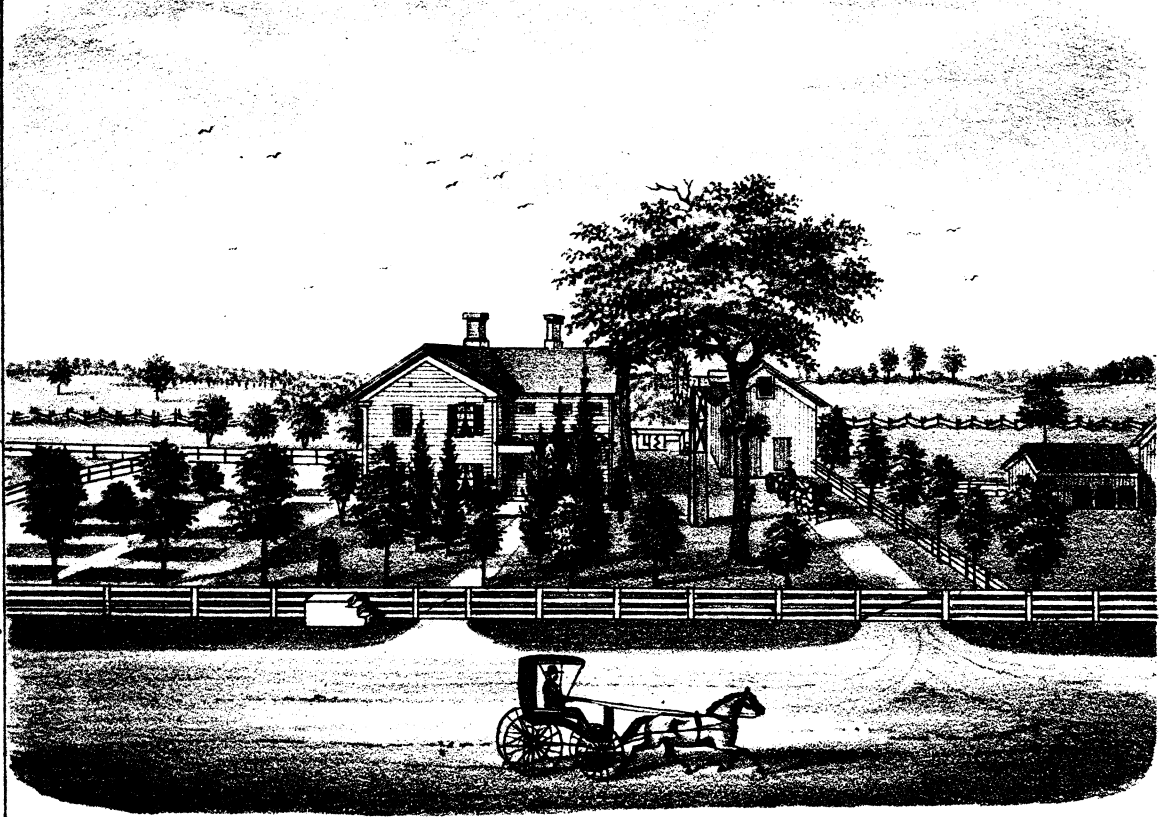




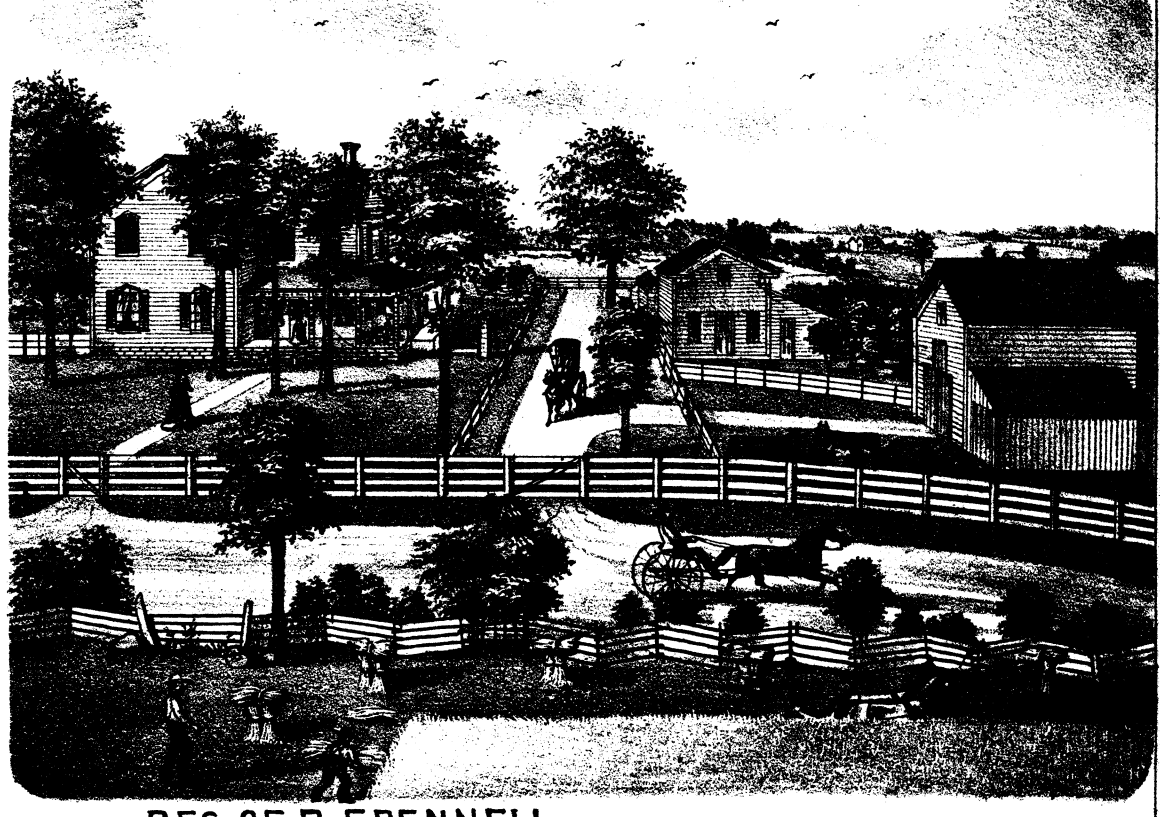
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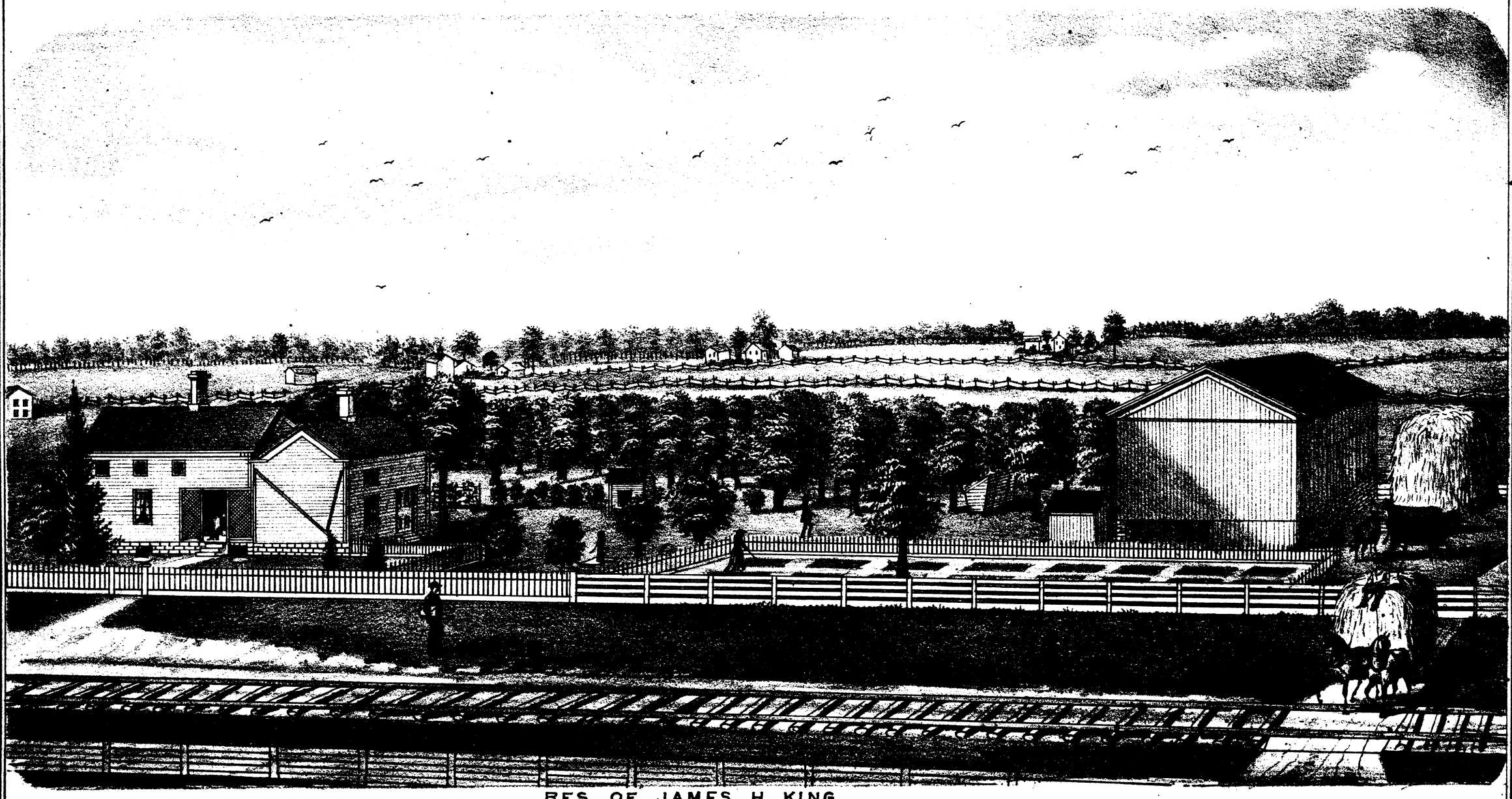
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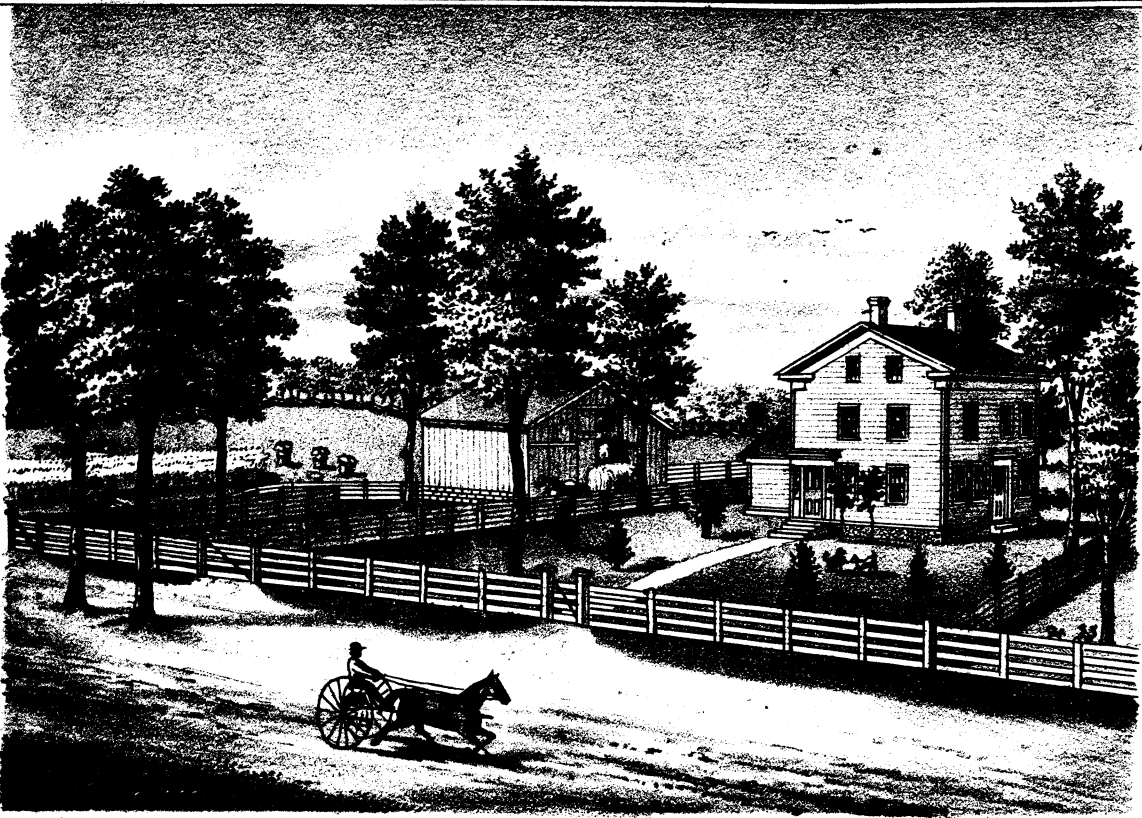
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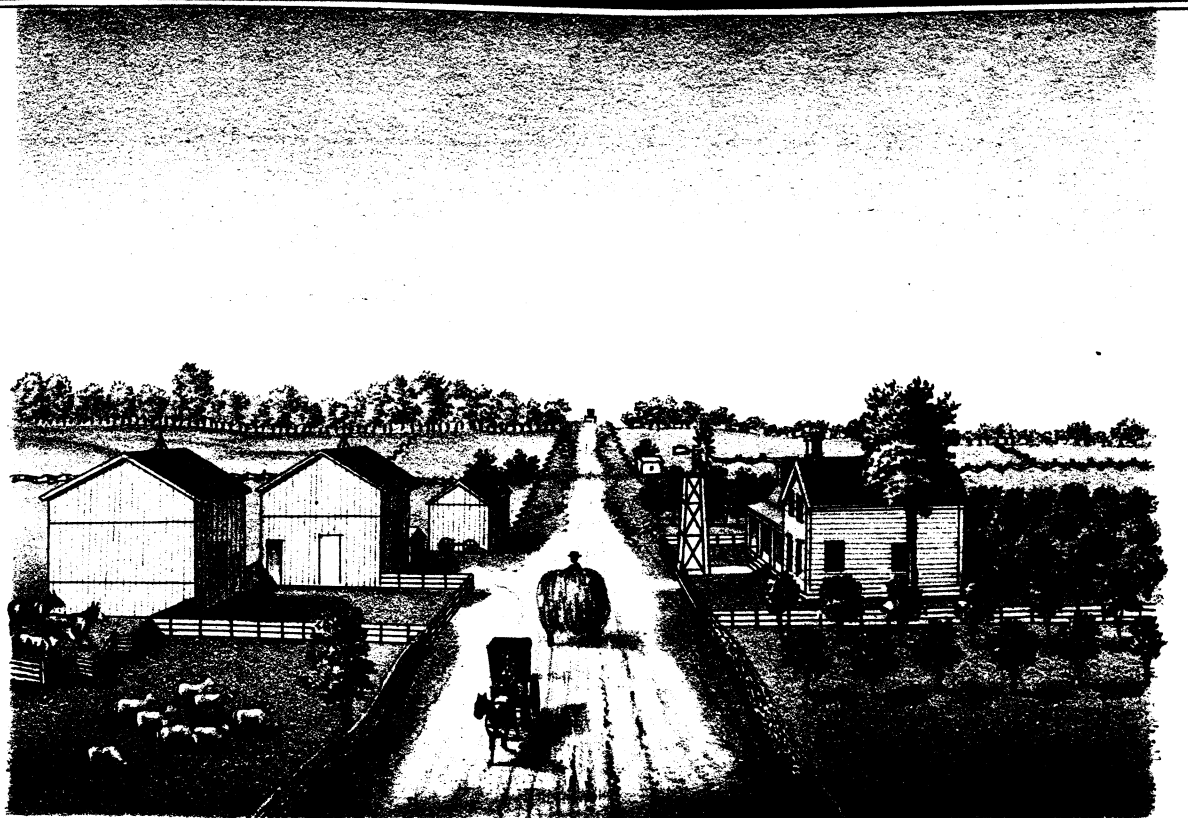
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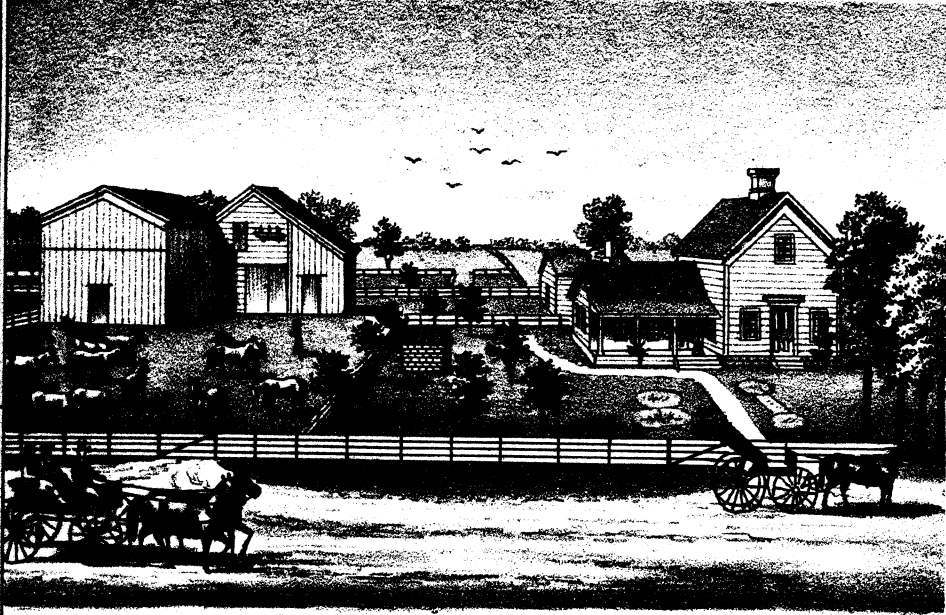
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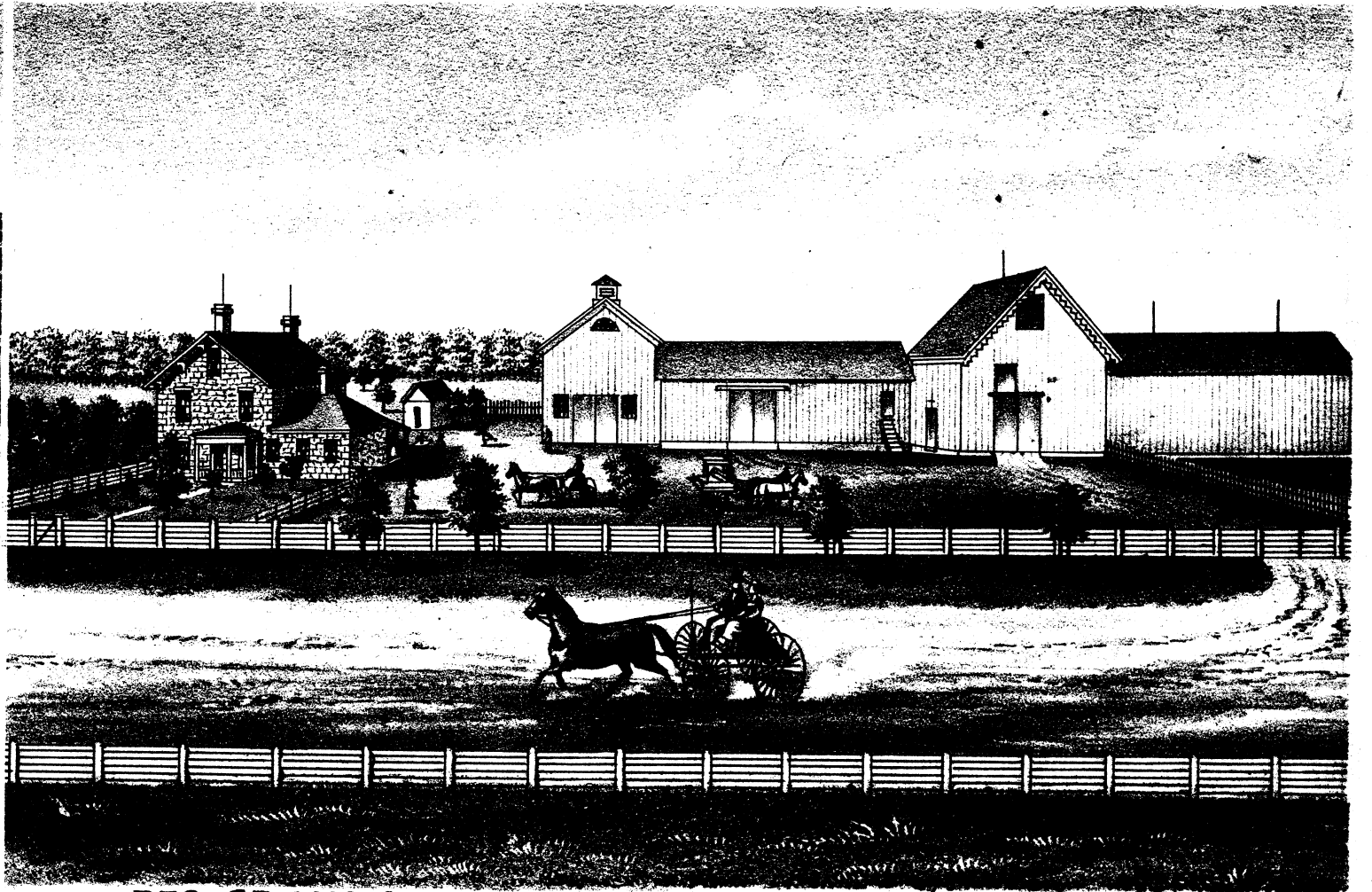
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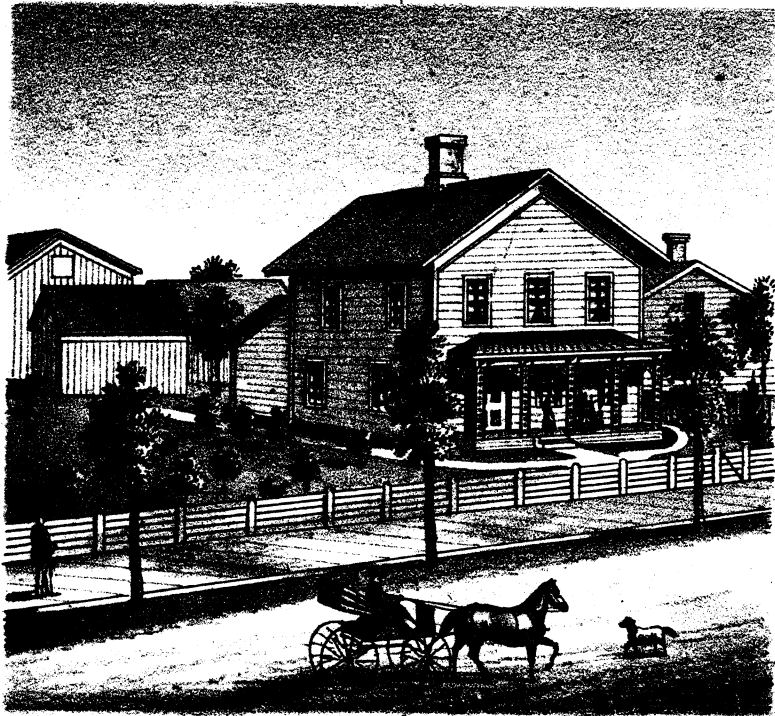
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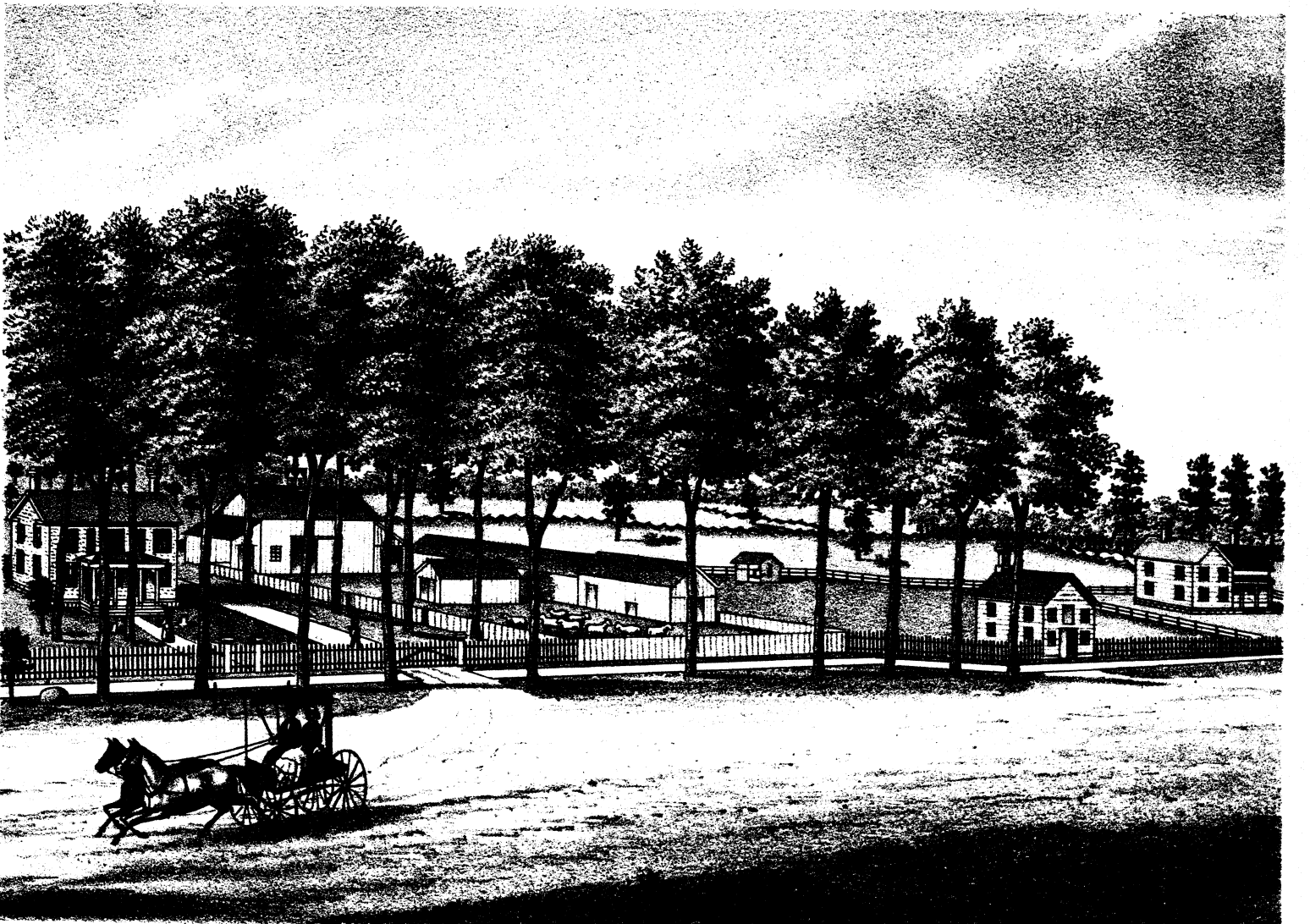
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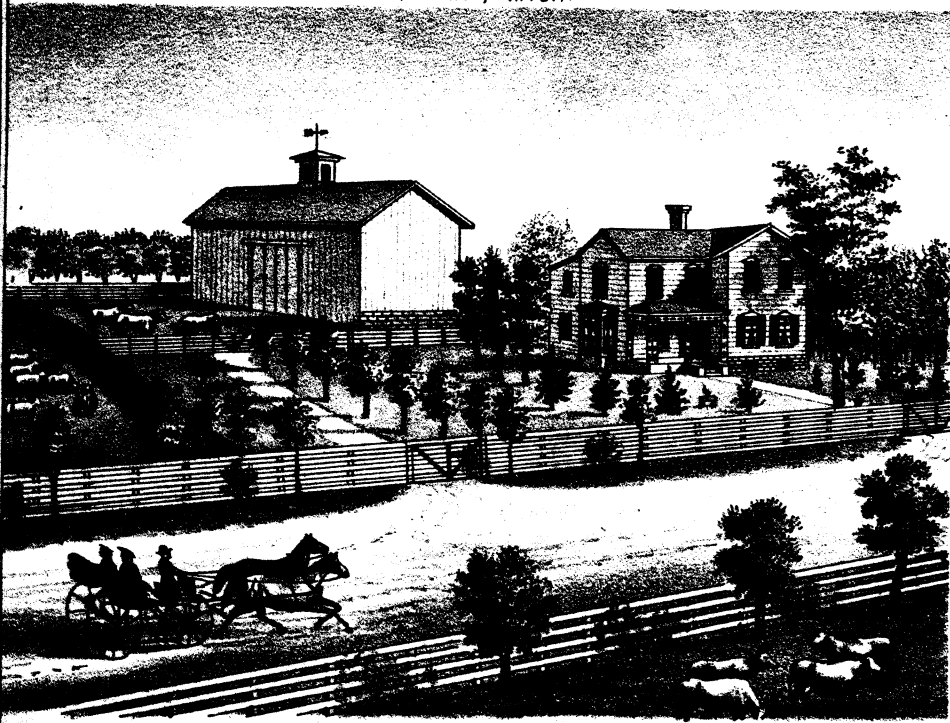
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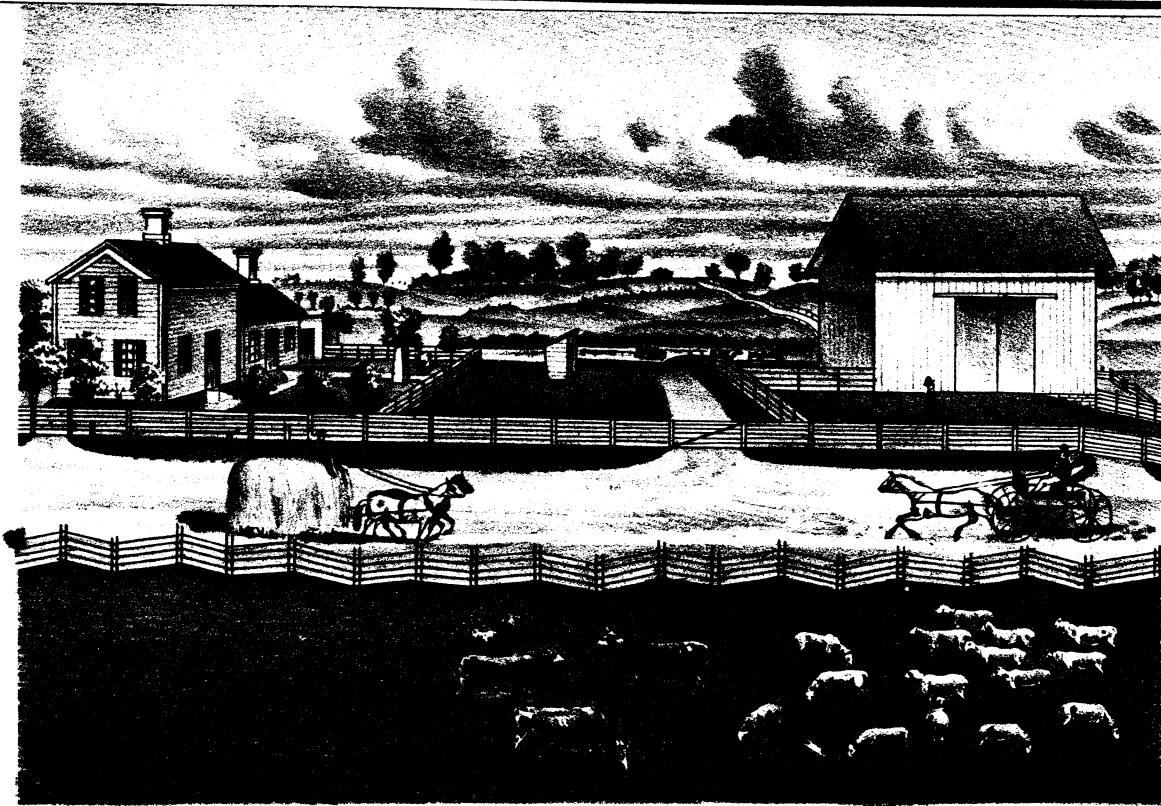


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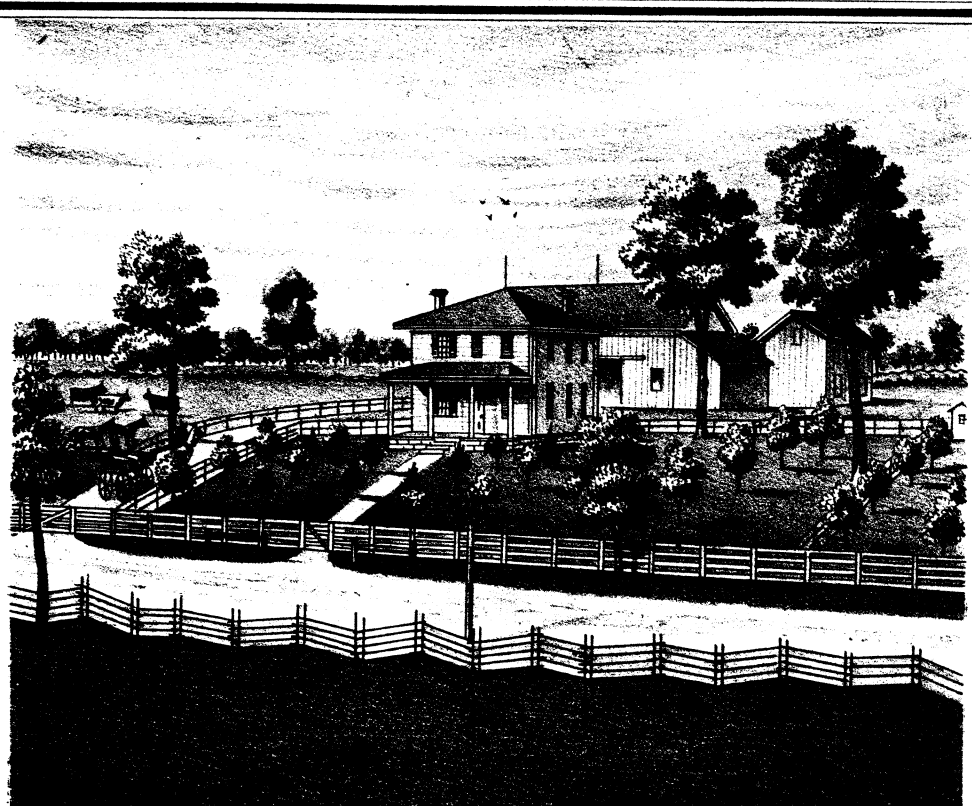


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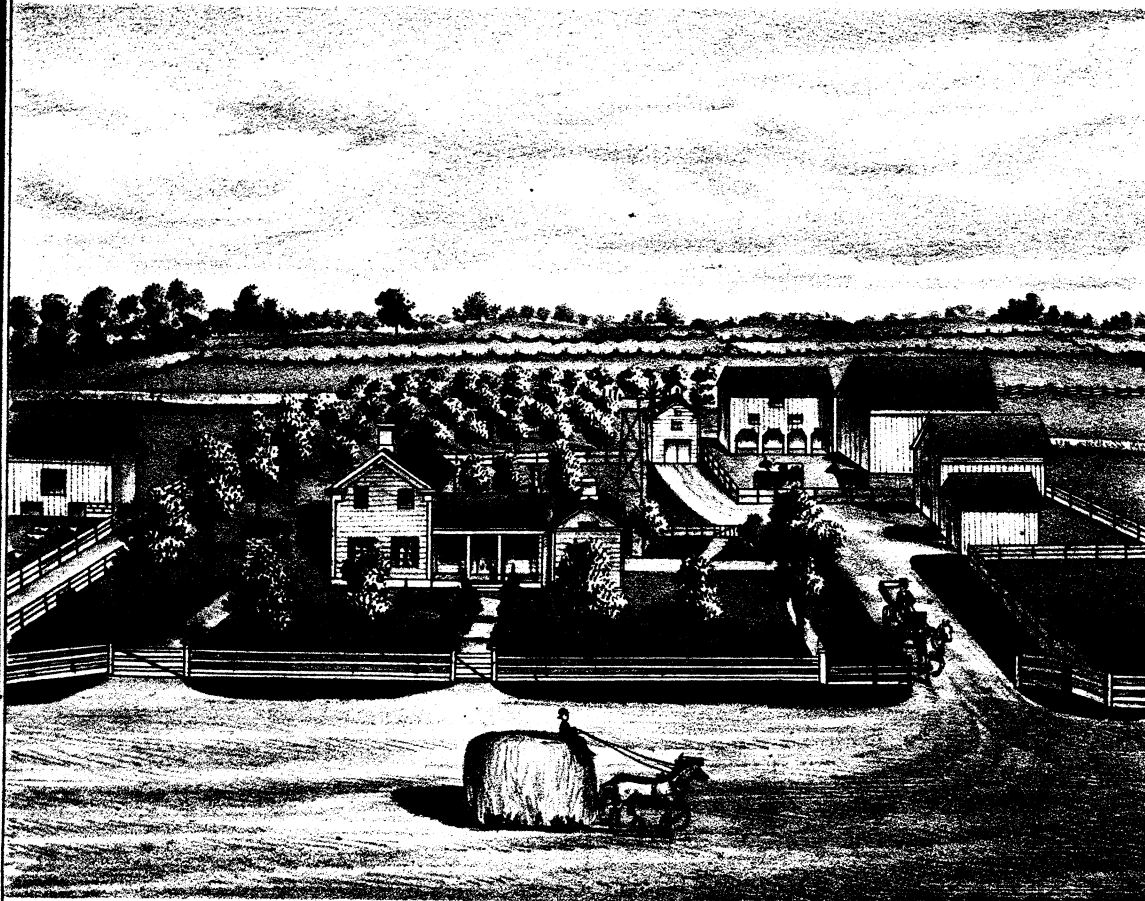
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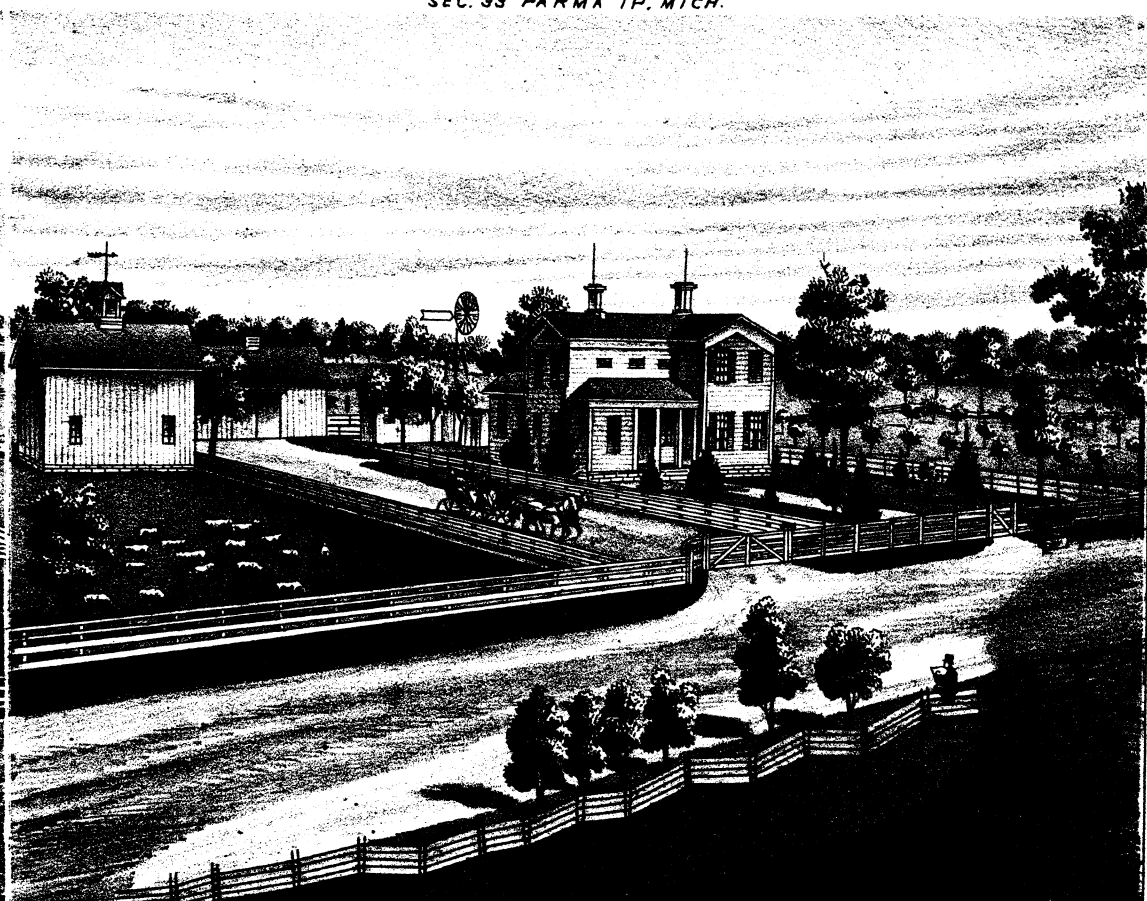
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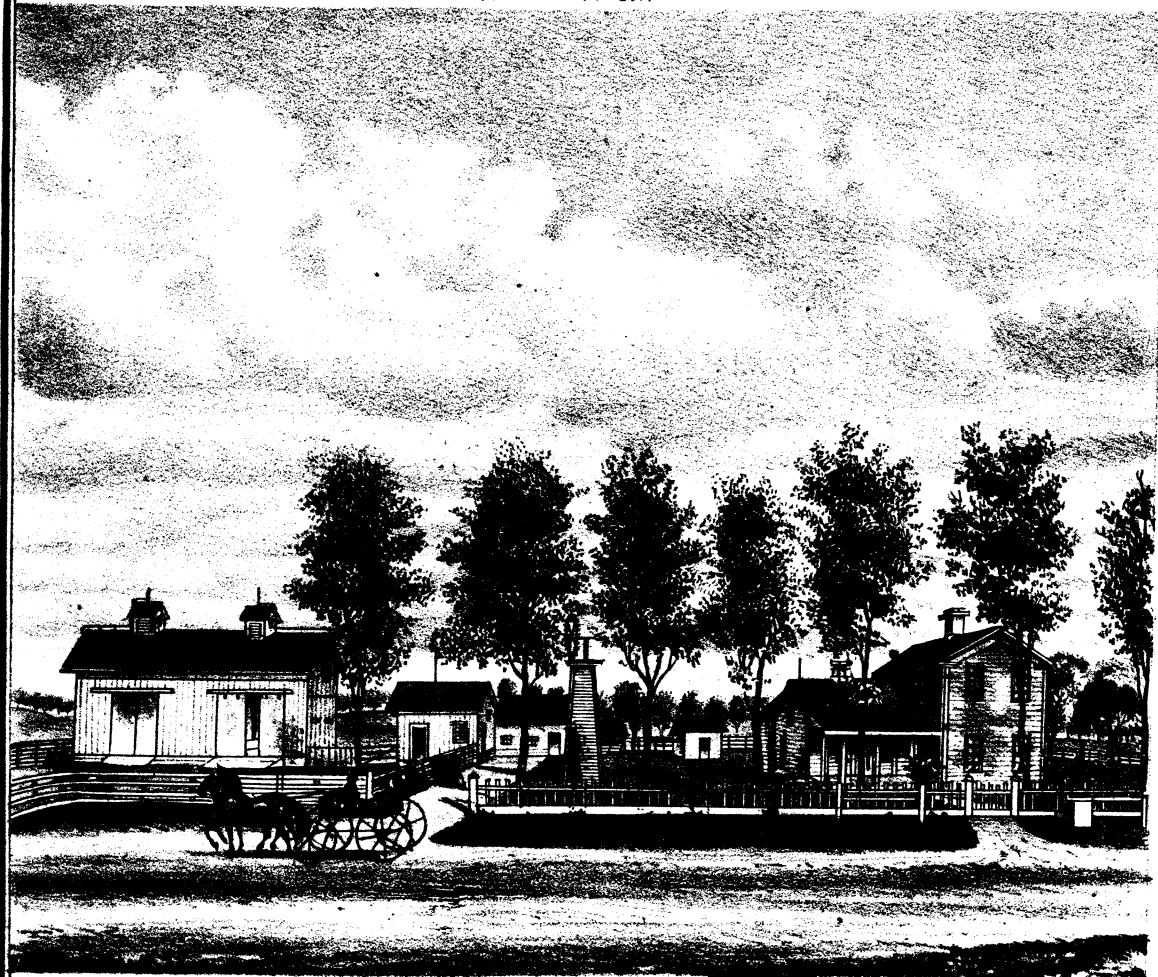
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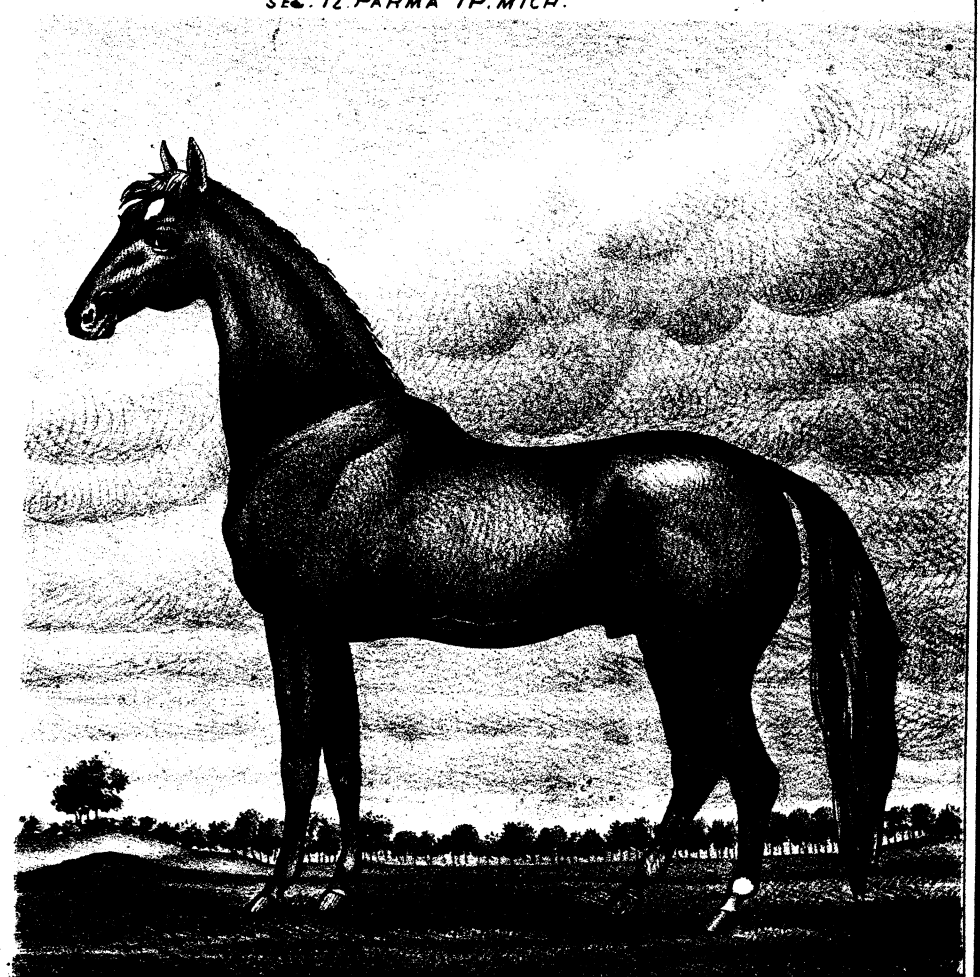
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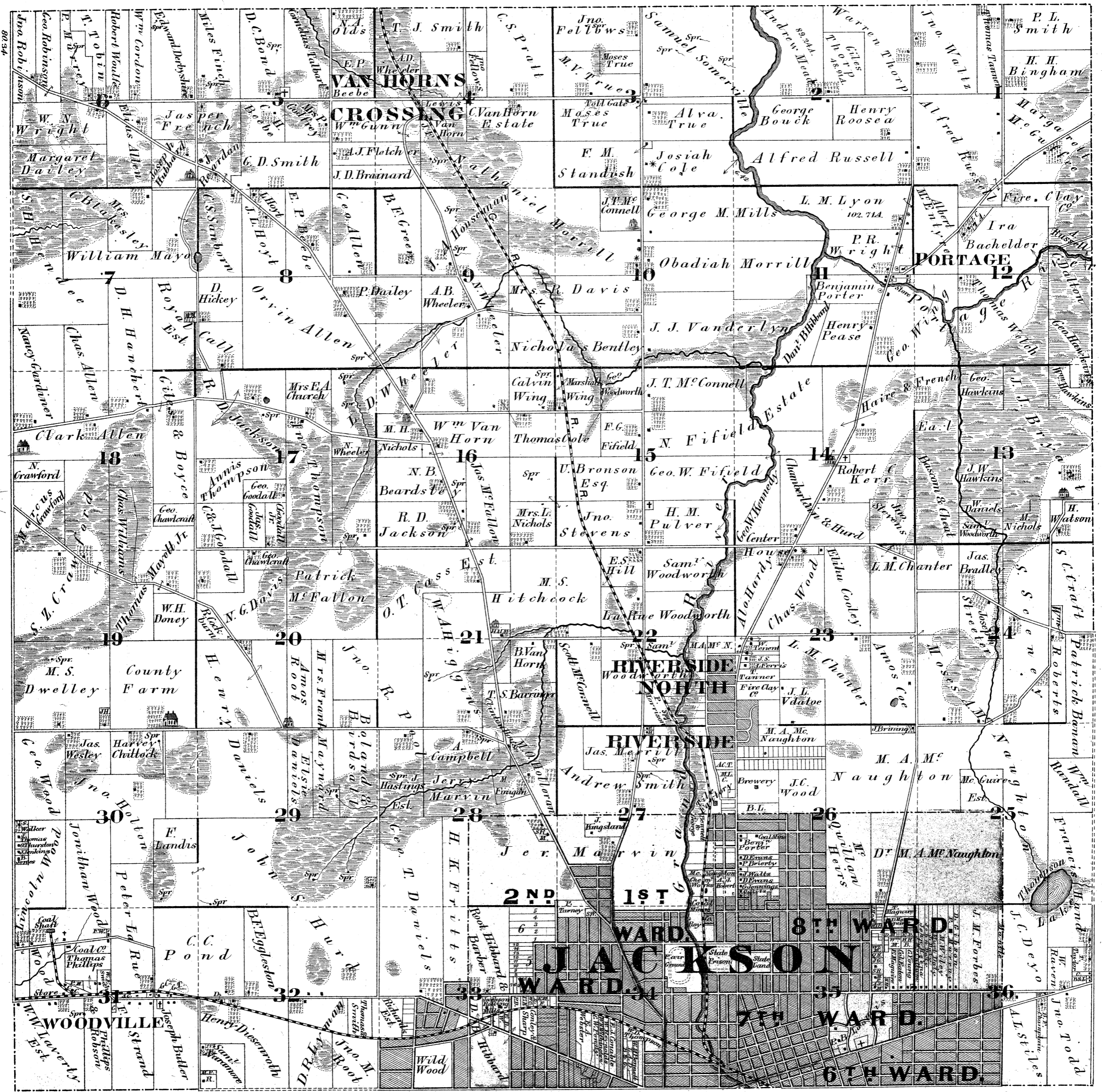
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# MAP OF BLACKMAN, TOWNSHIP

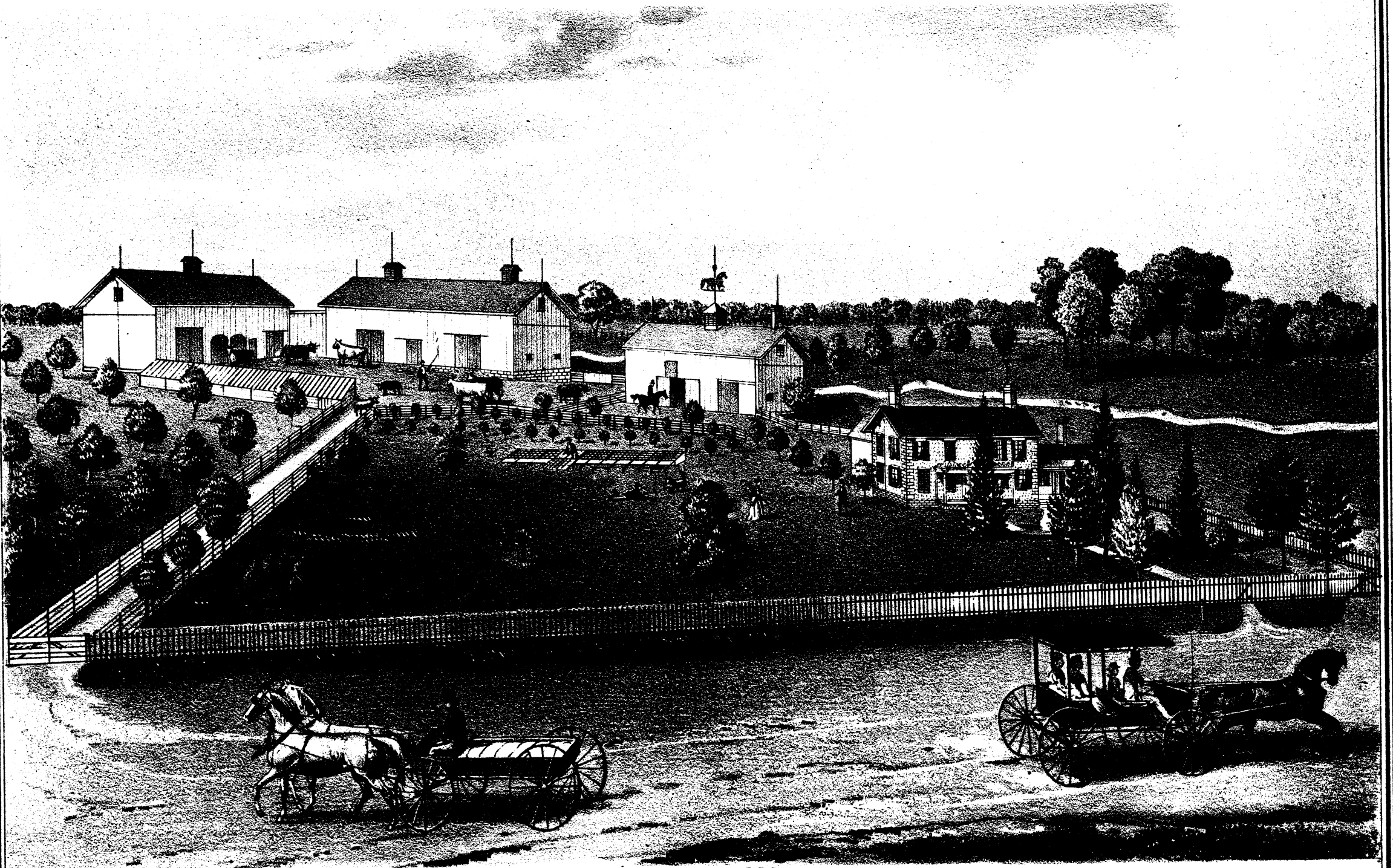
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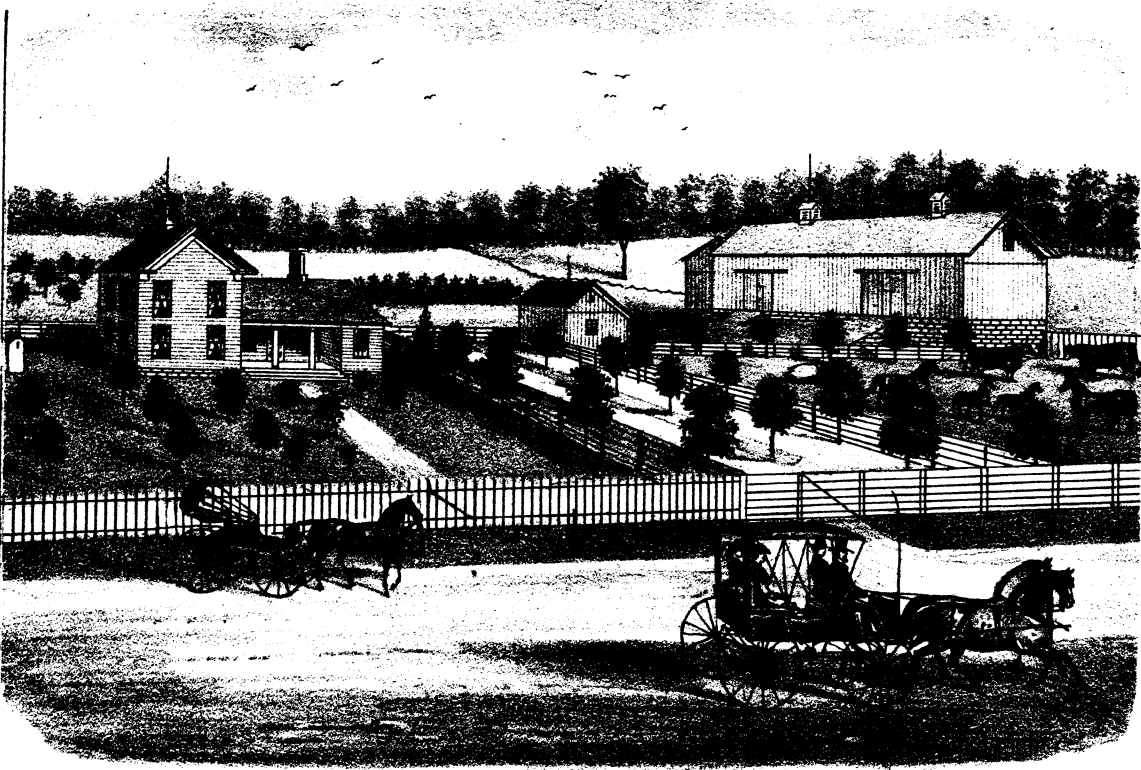


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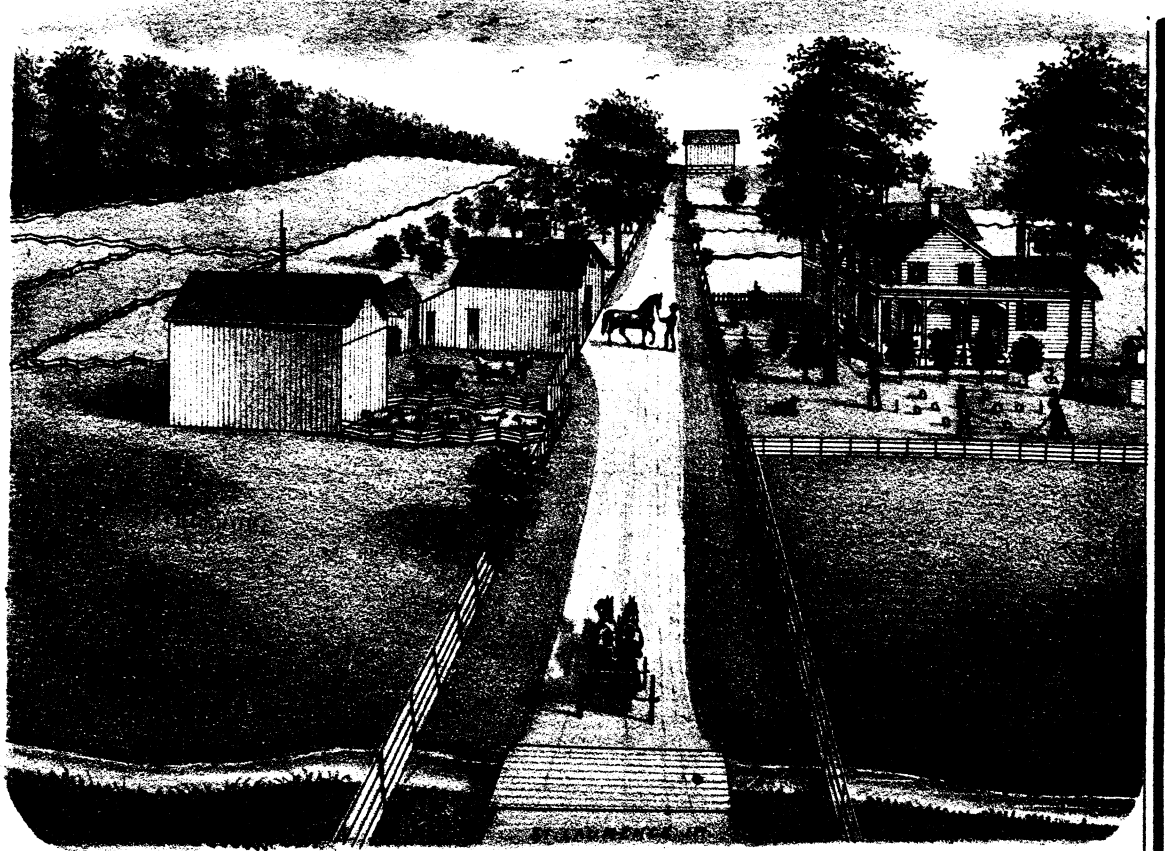
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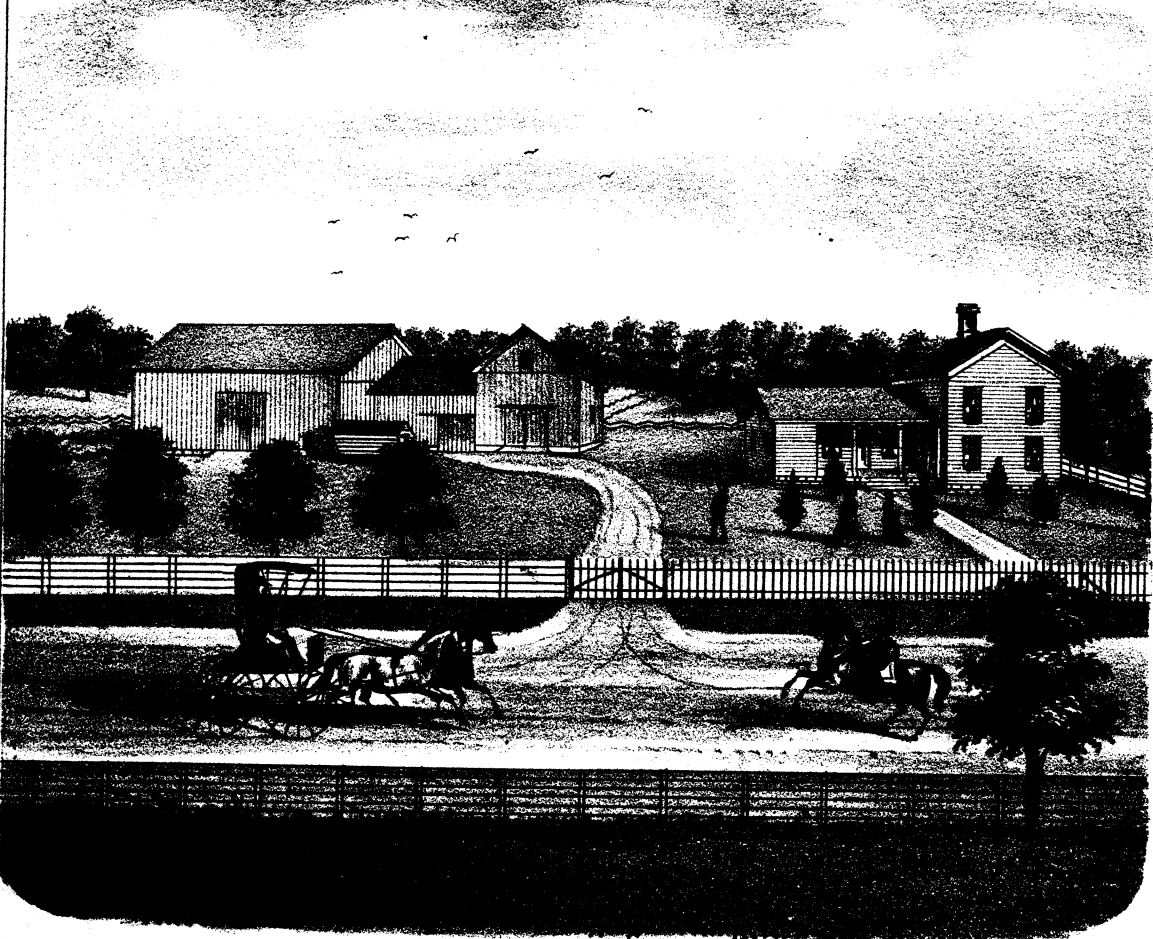
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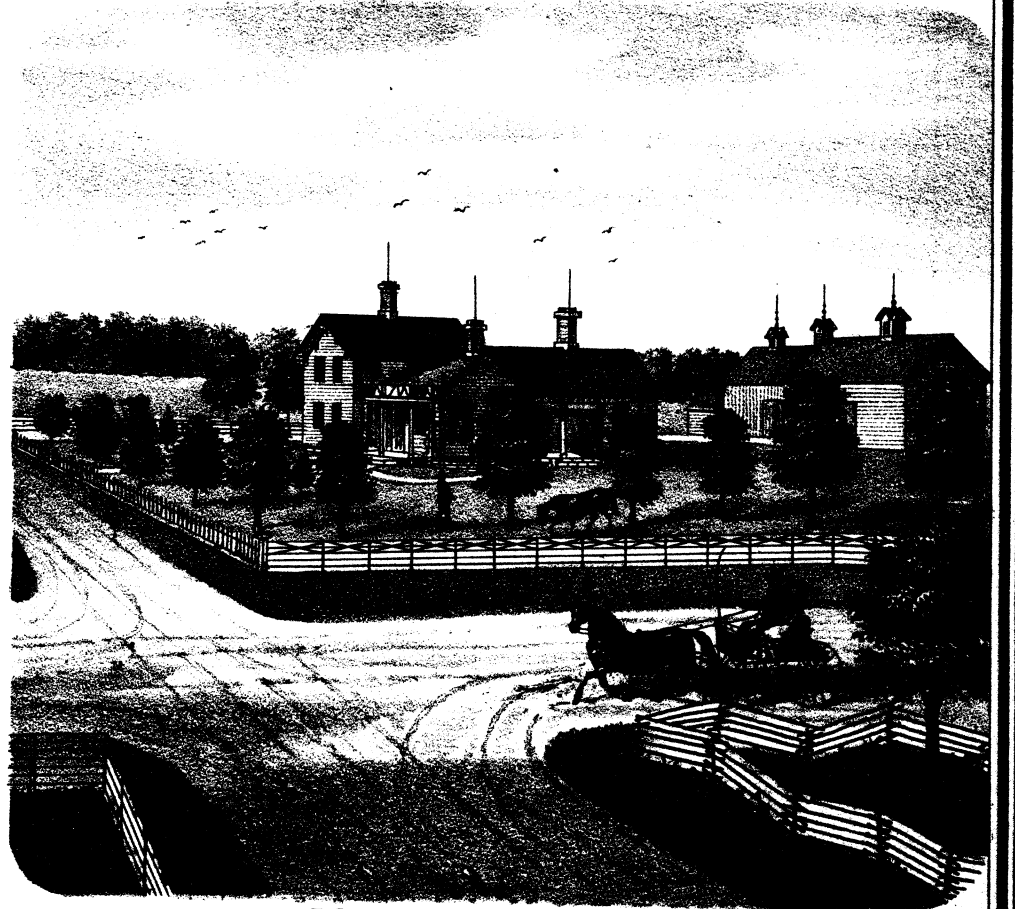
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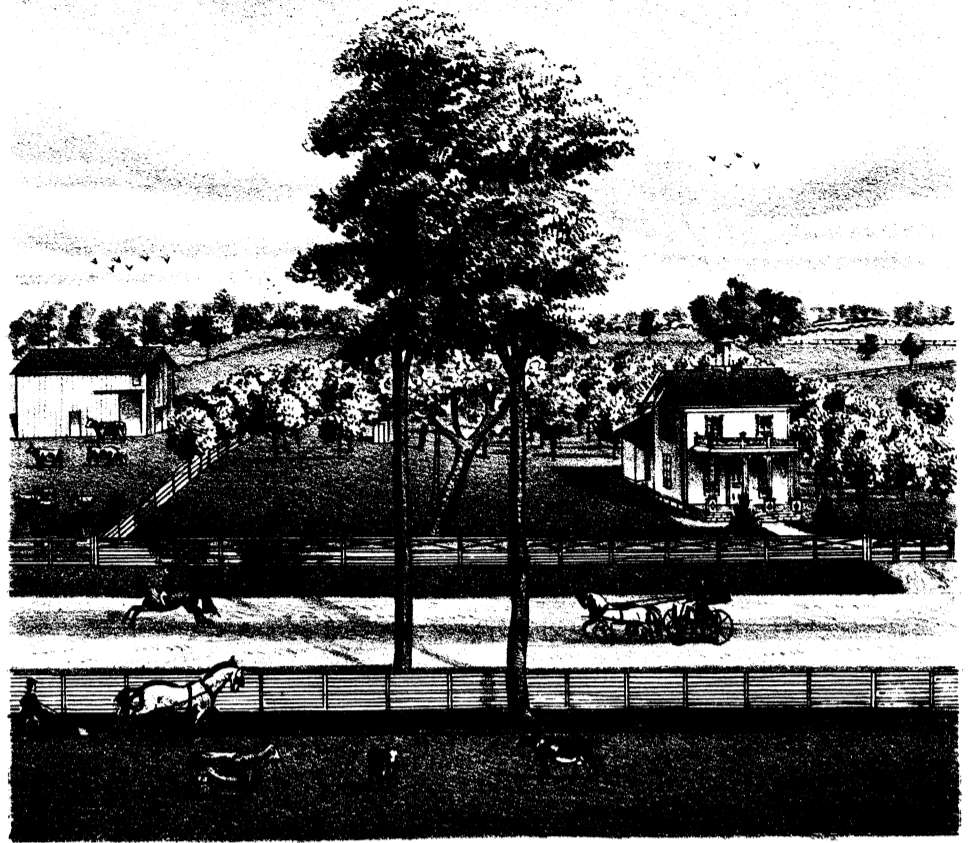


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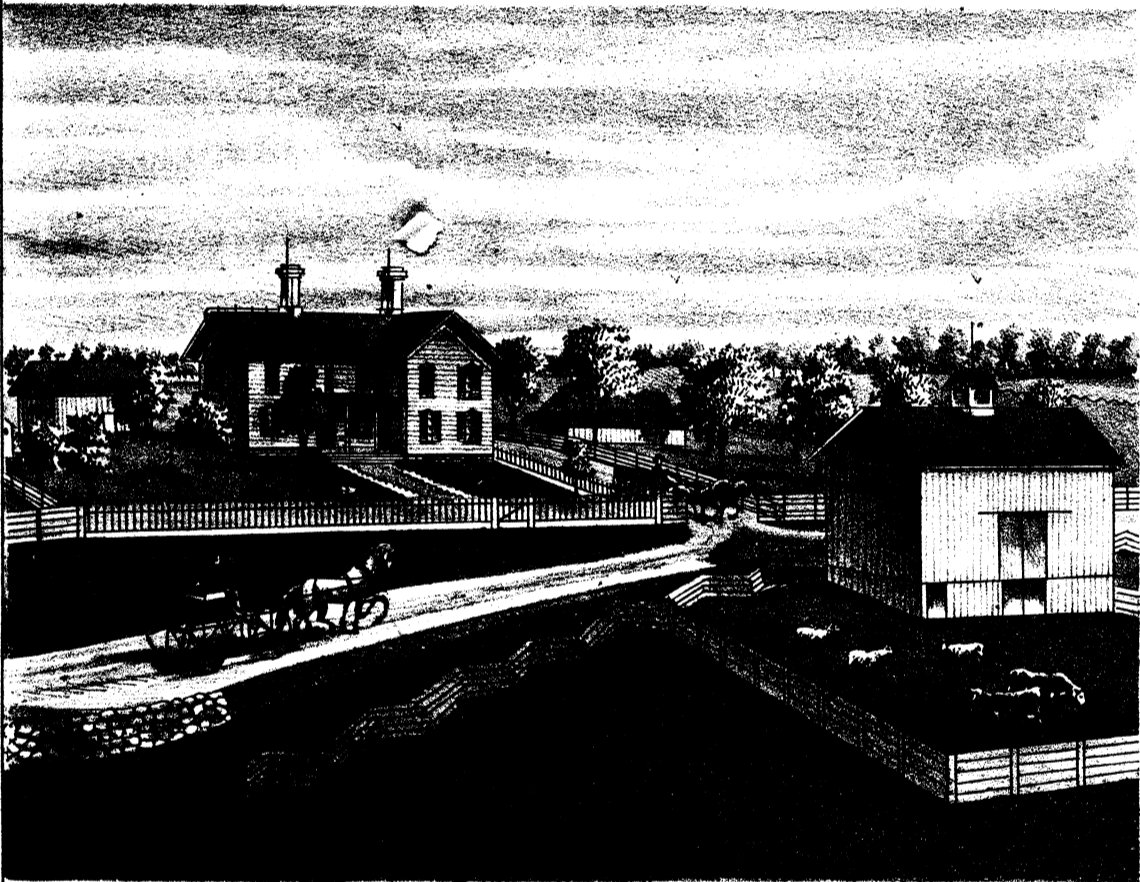




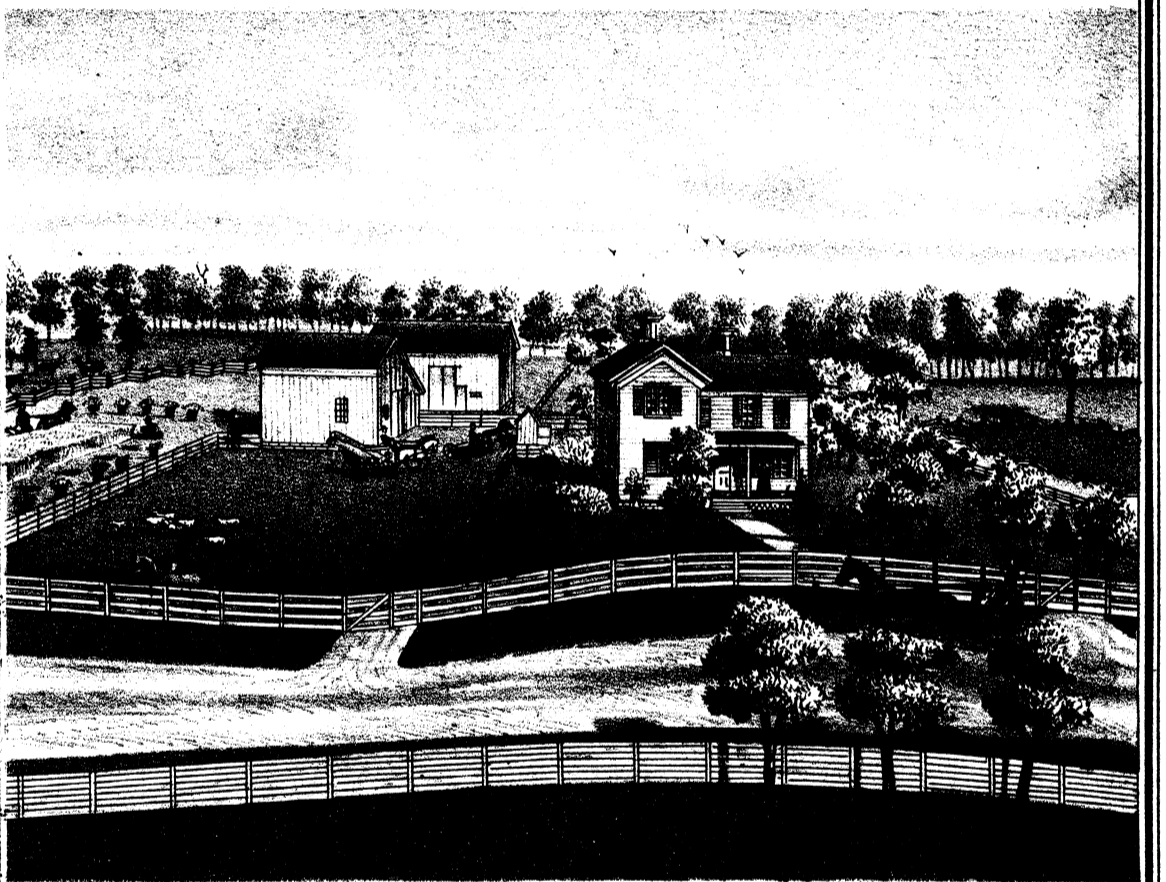
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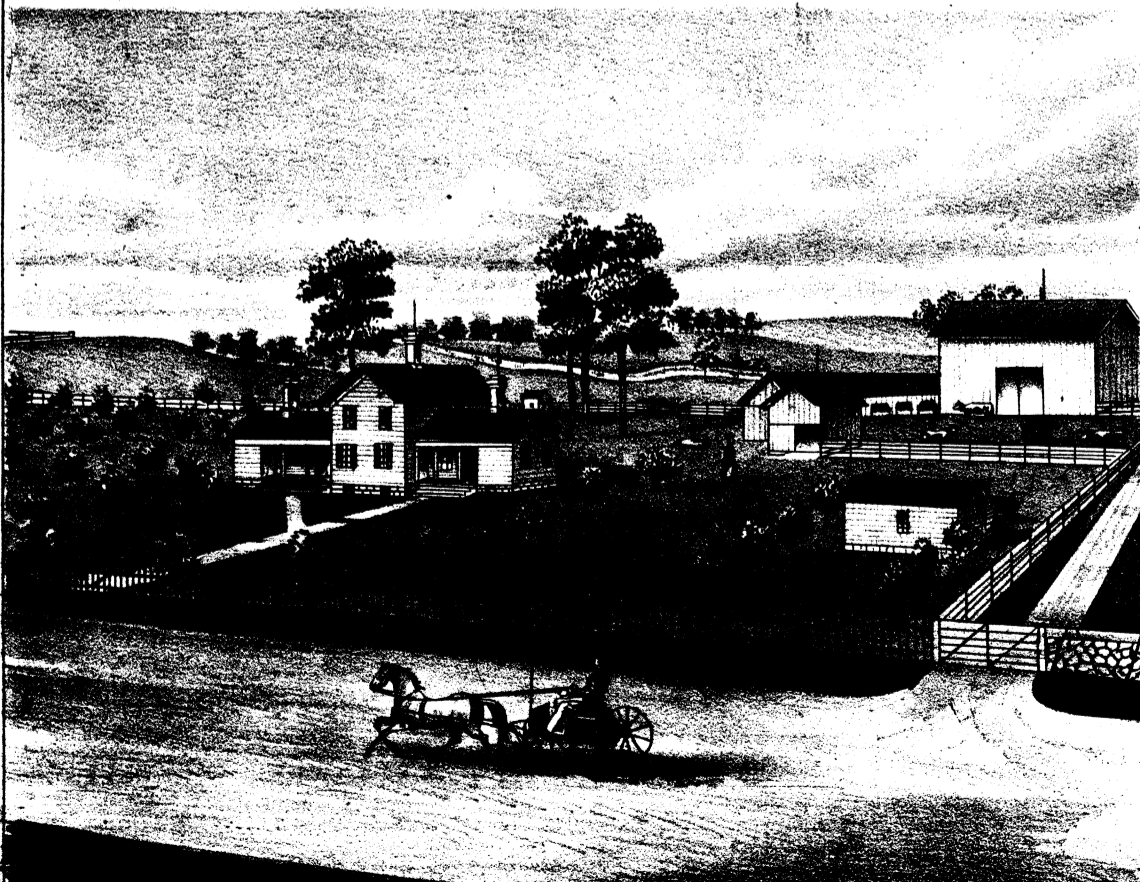
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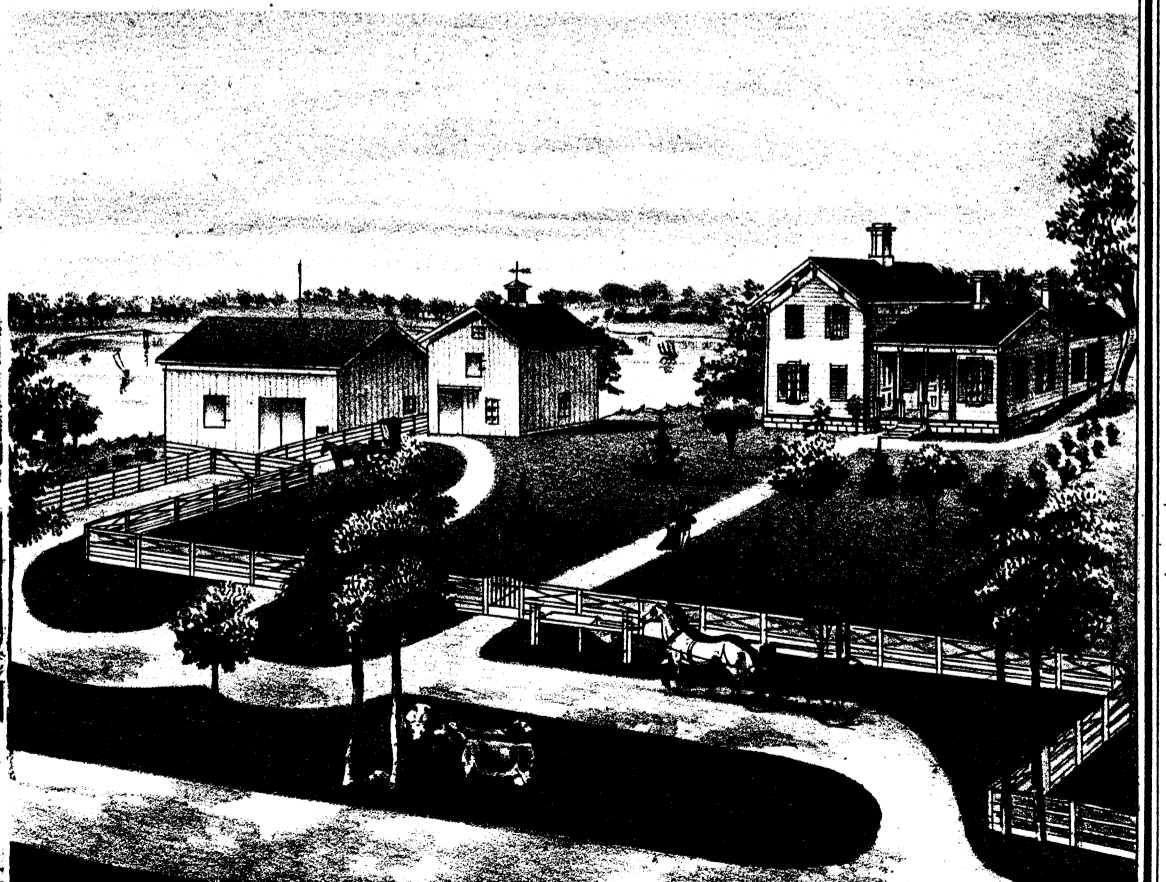
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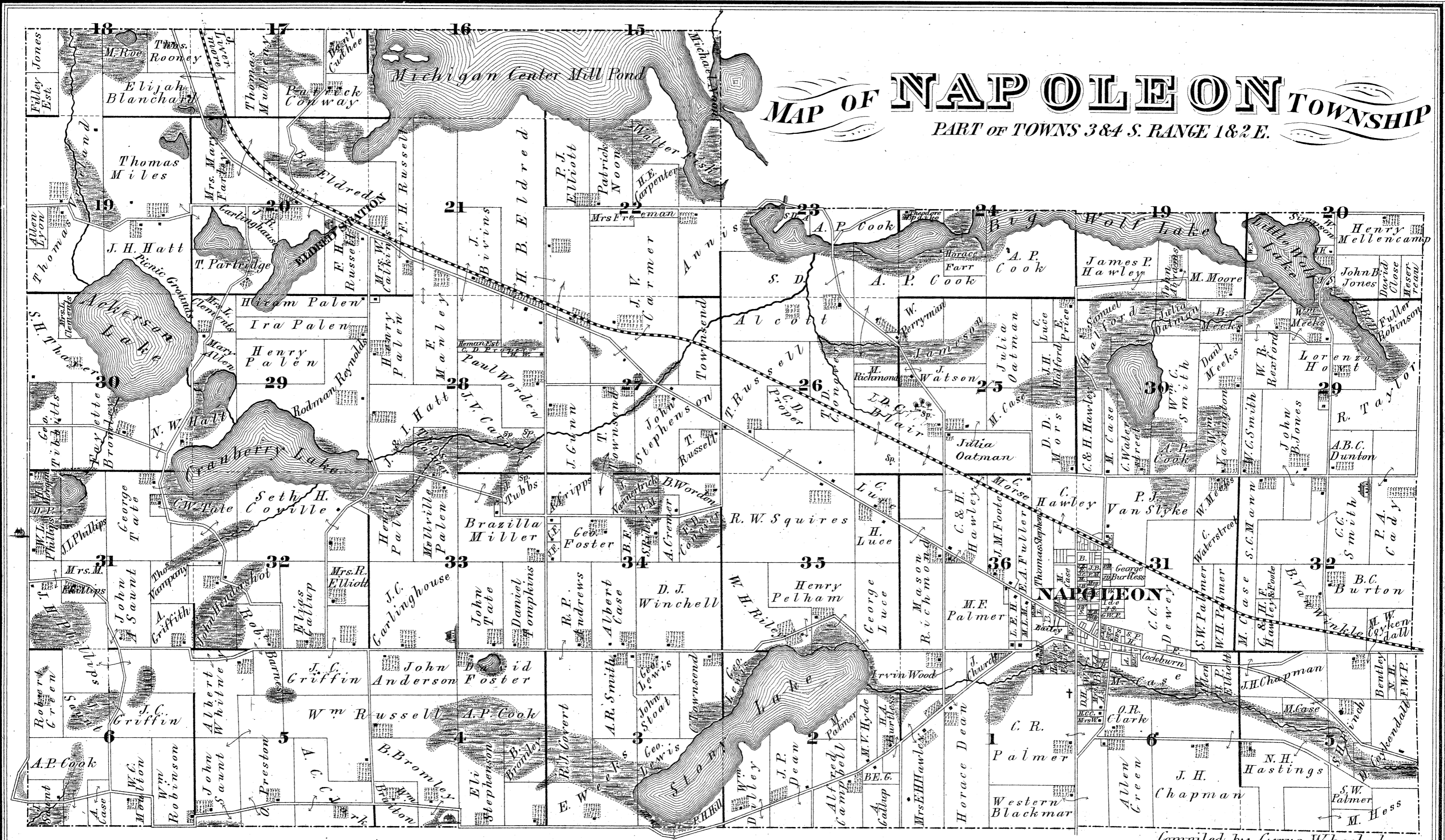
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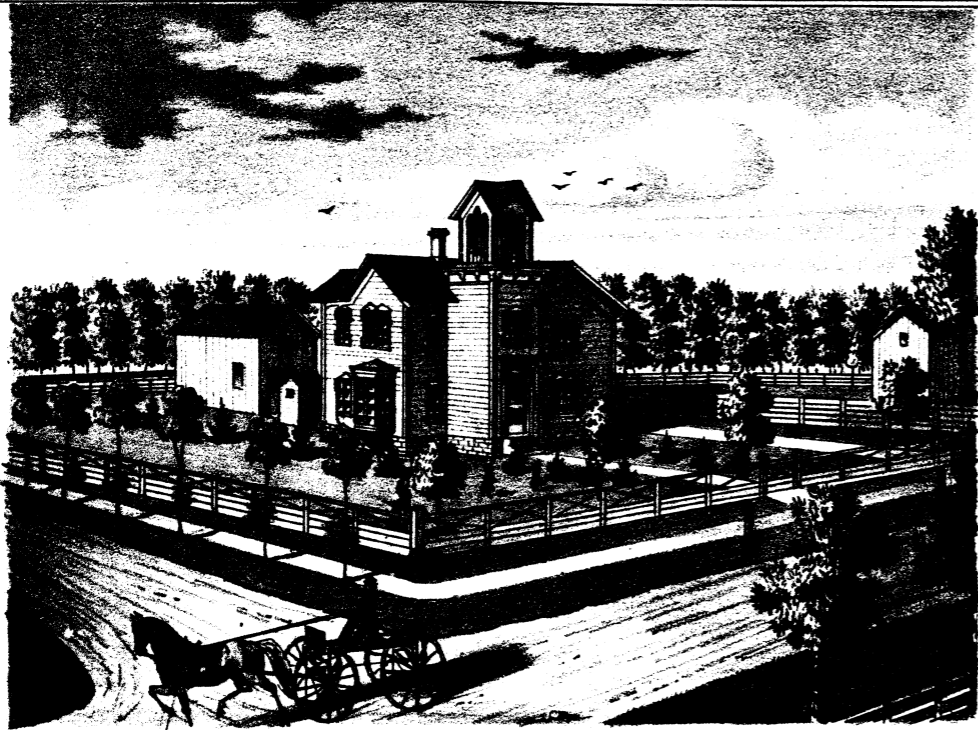
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# MAP OF NAPOLEON TOWNSHIP

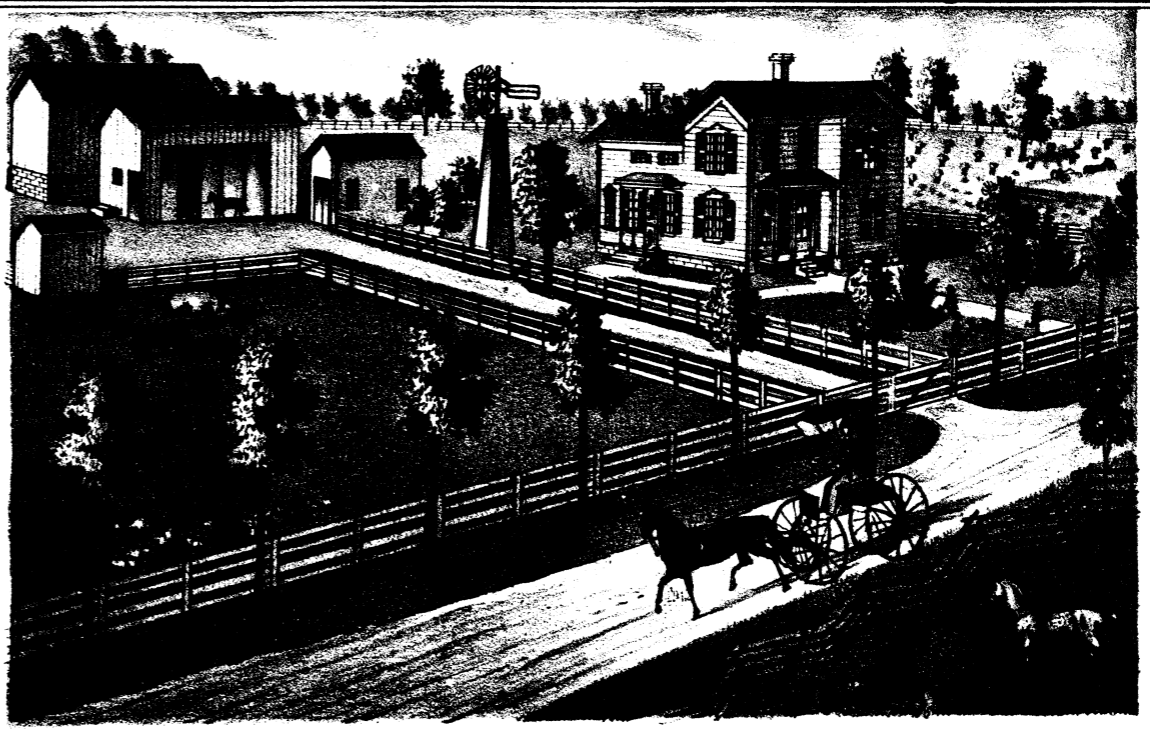
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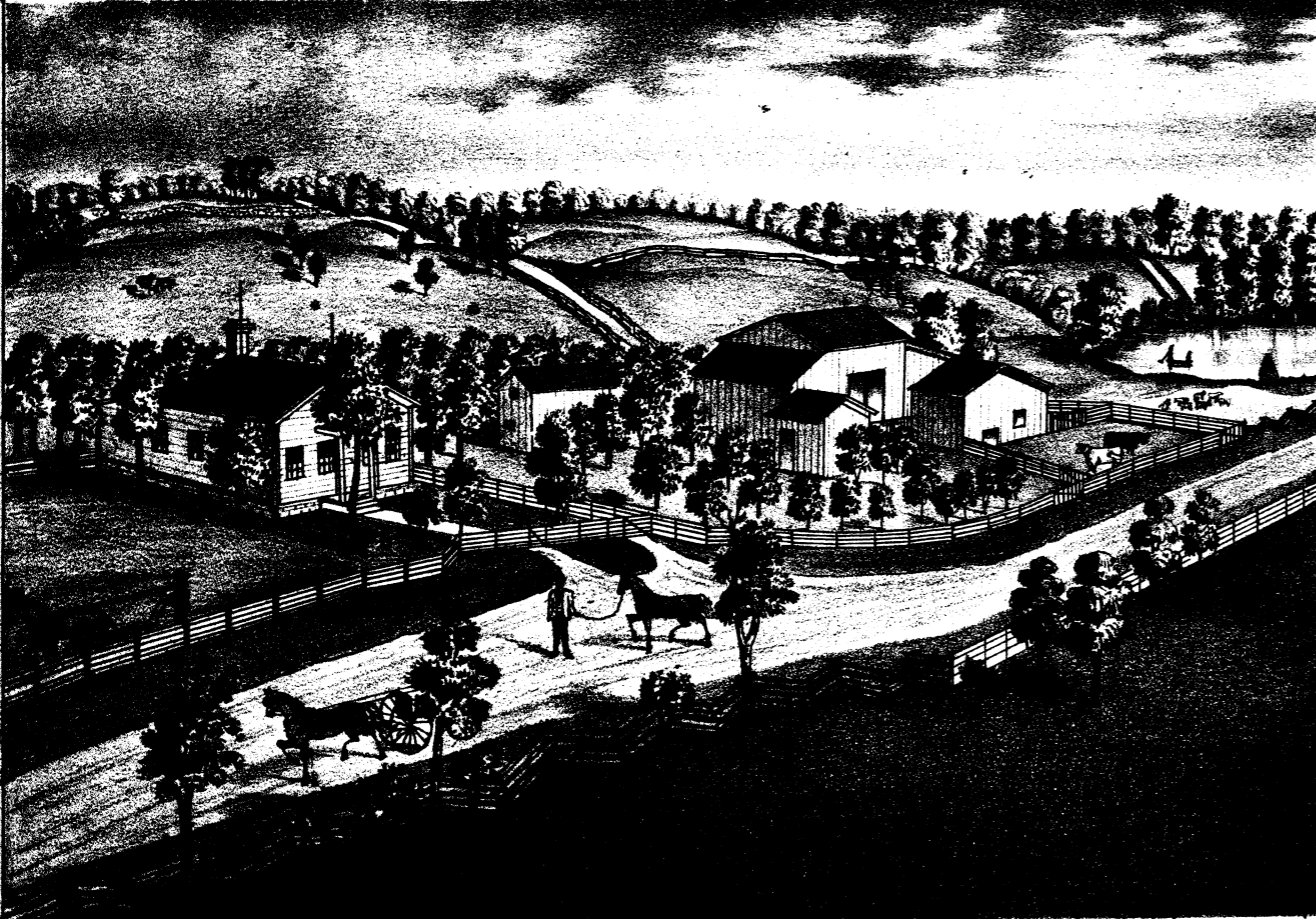
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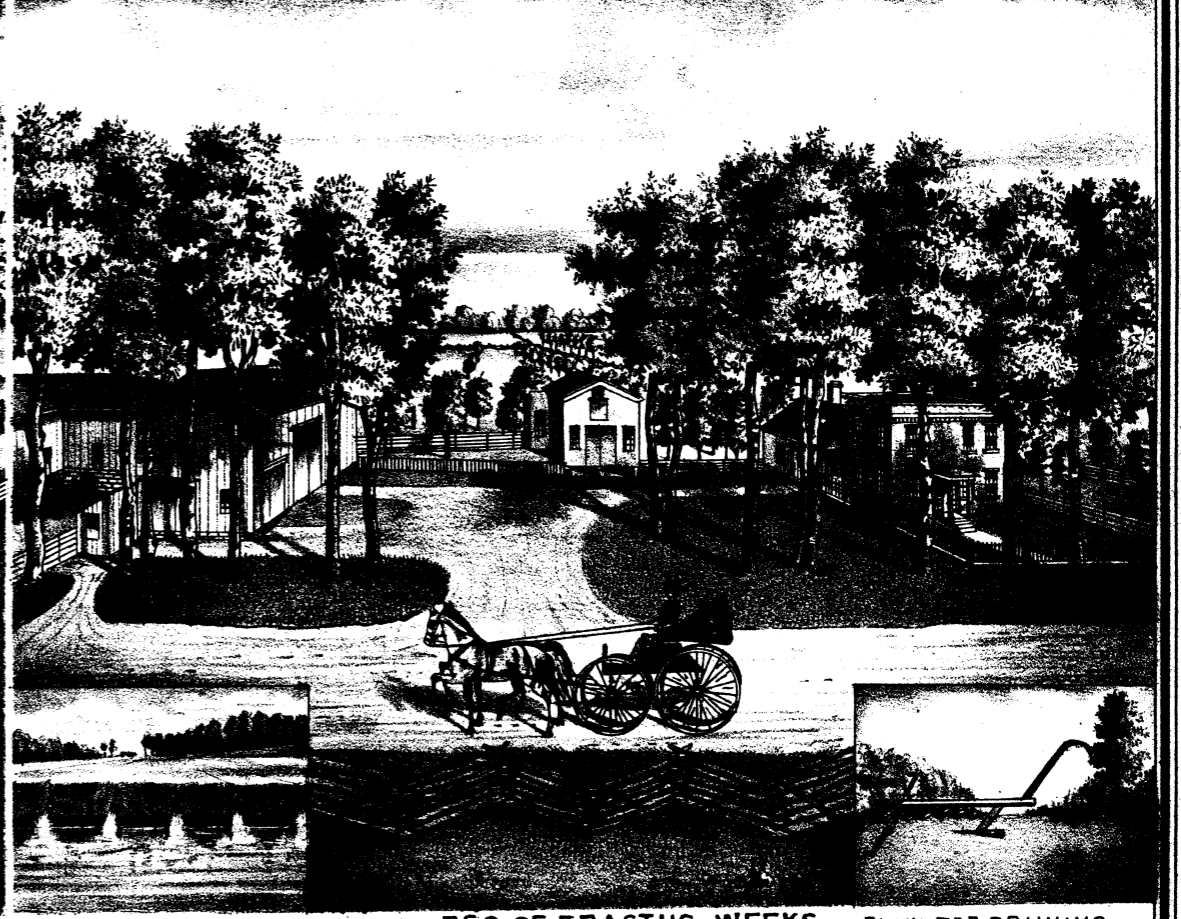
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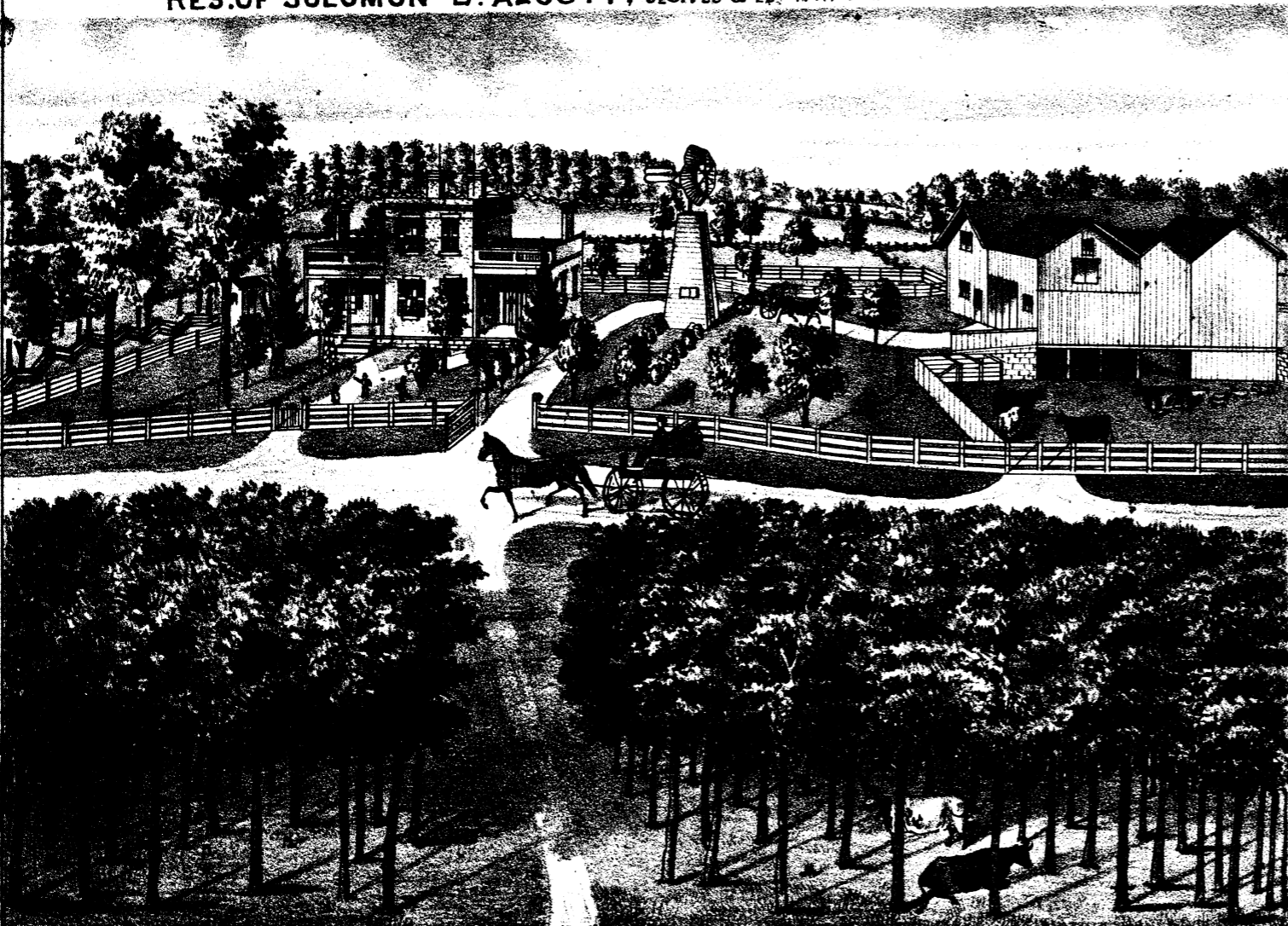


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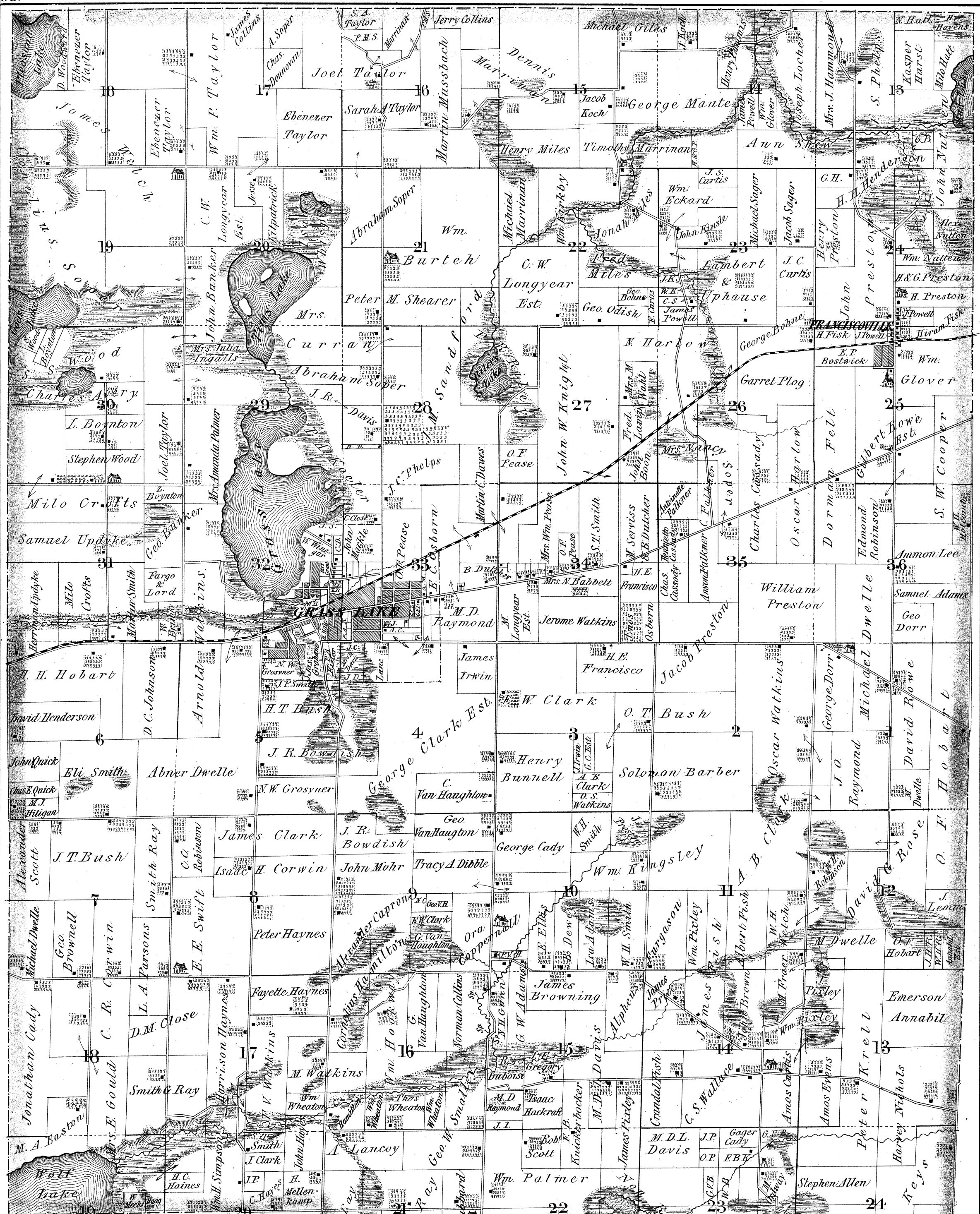
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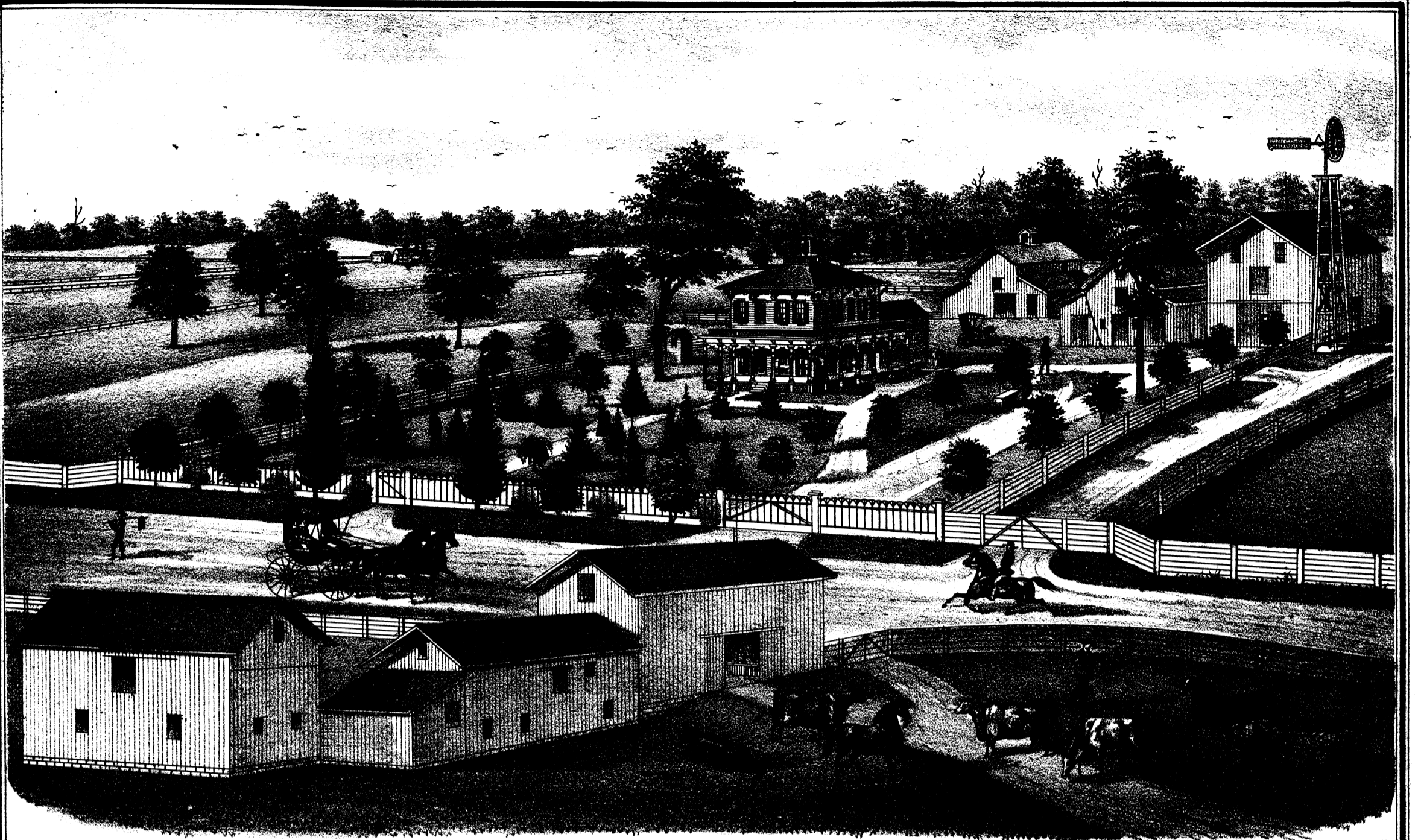
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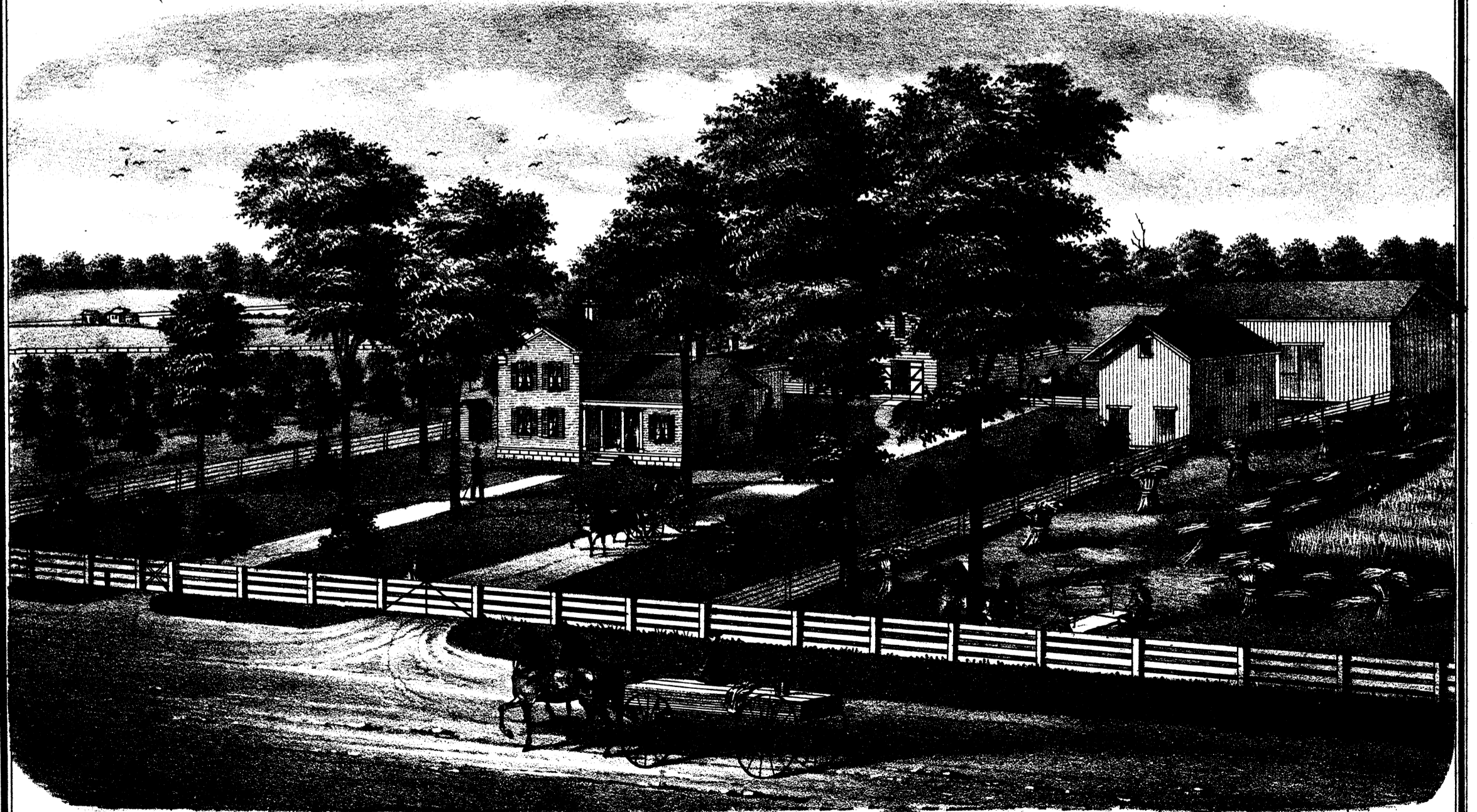
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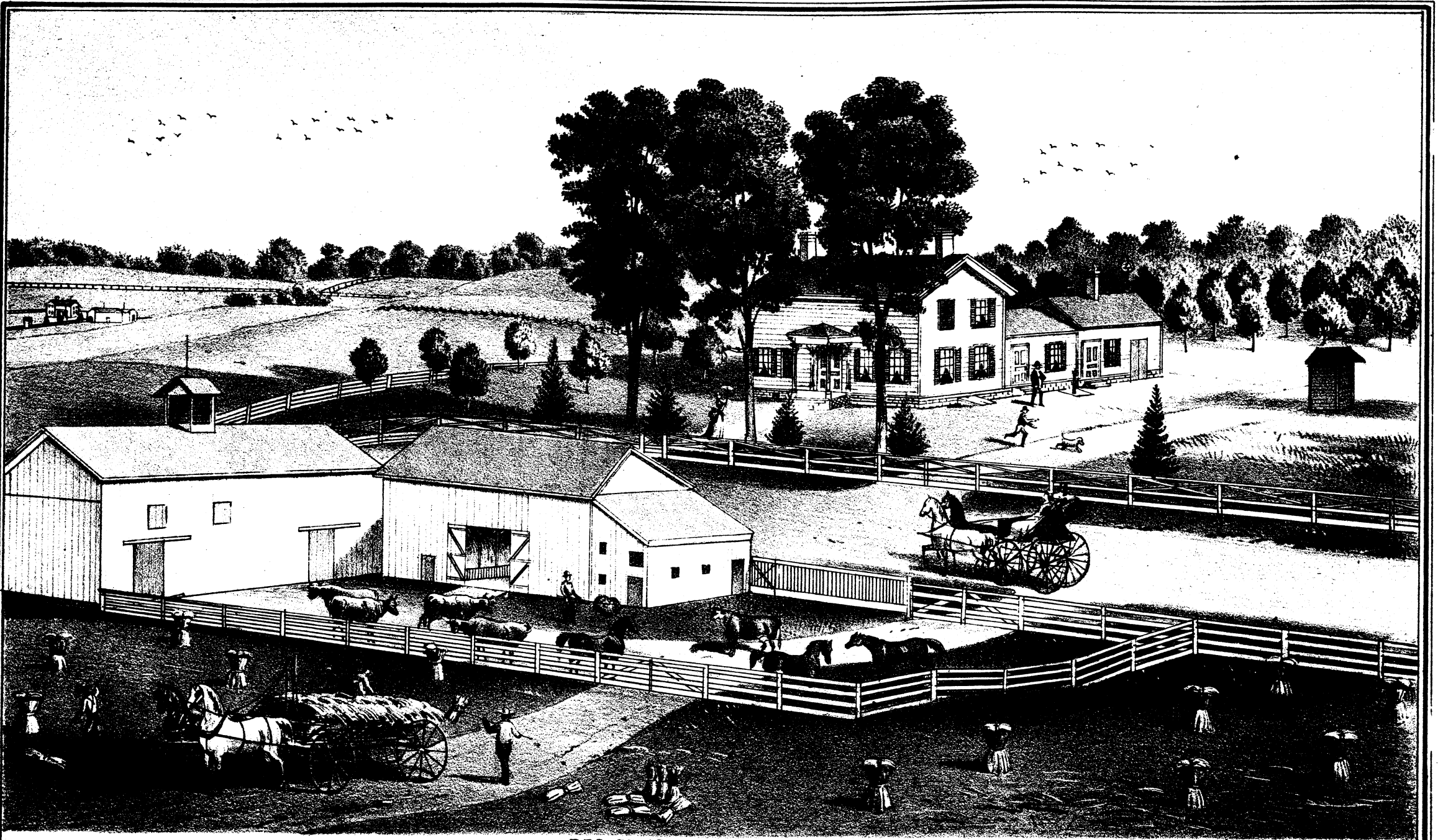
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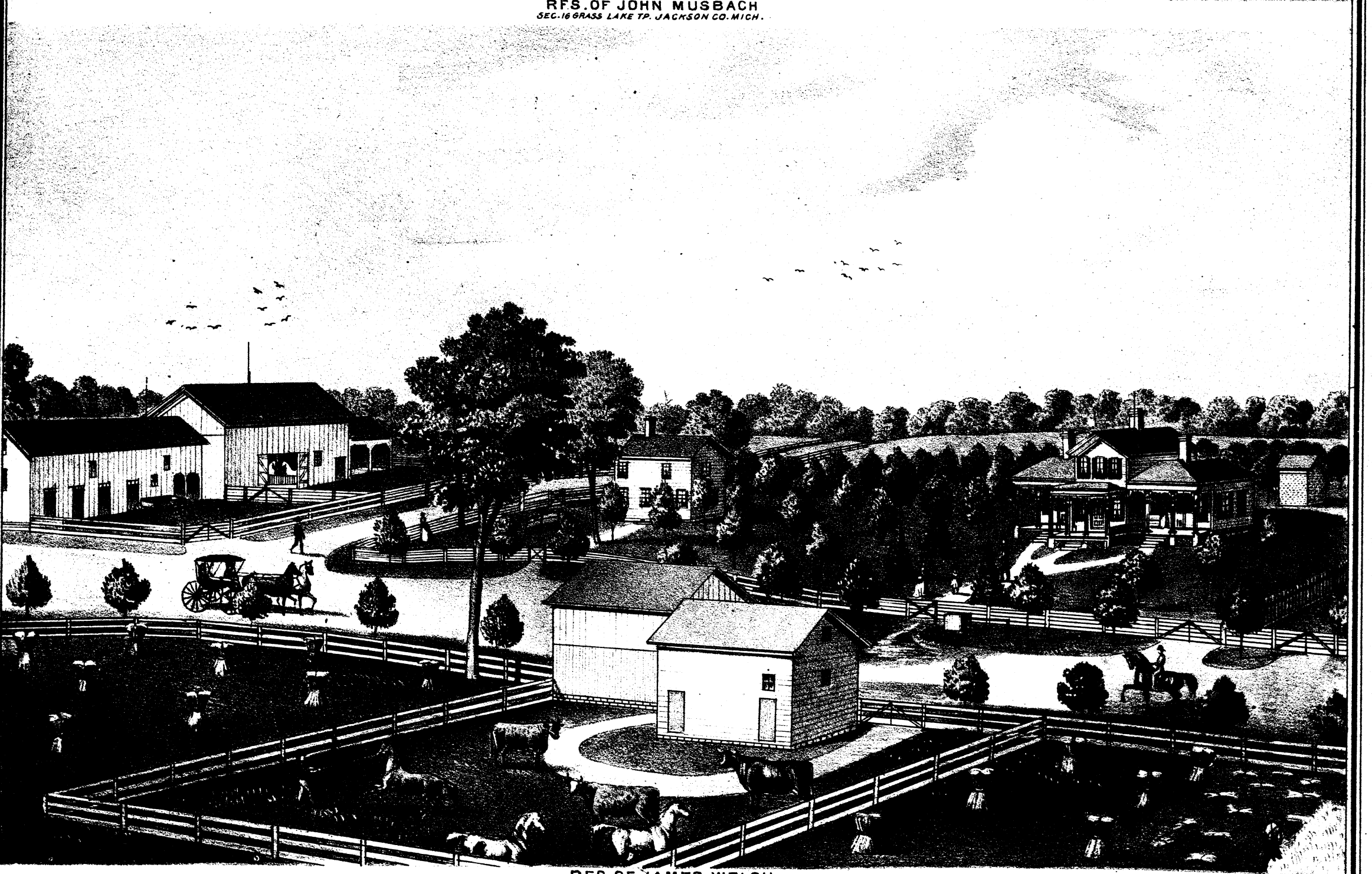
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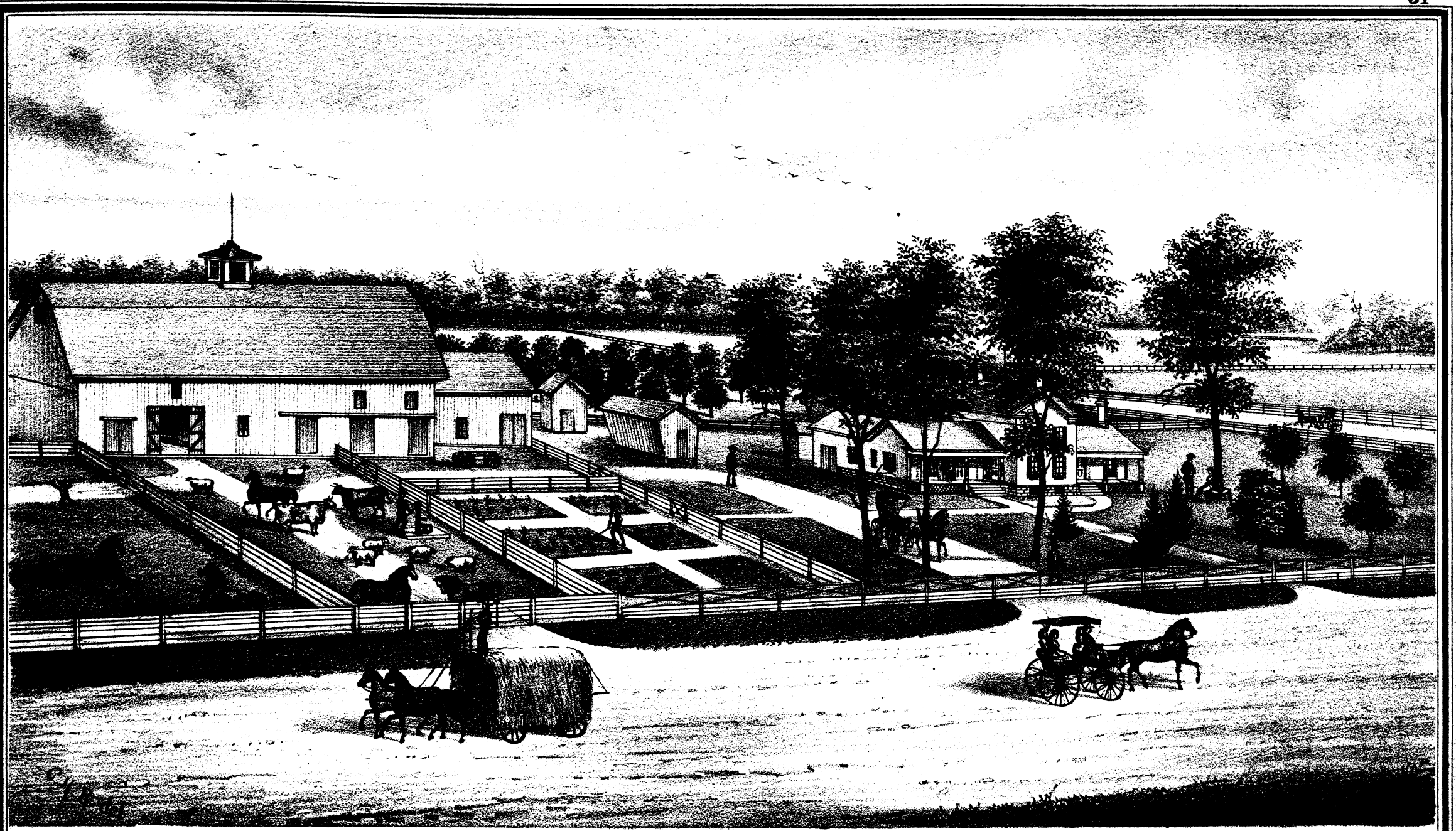
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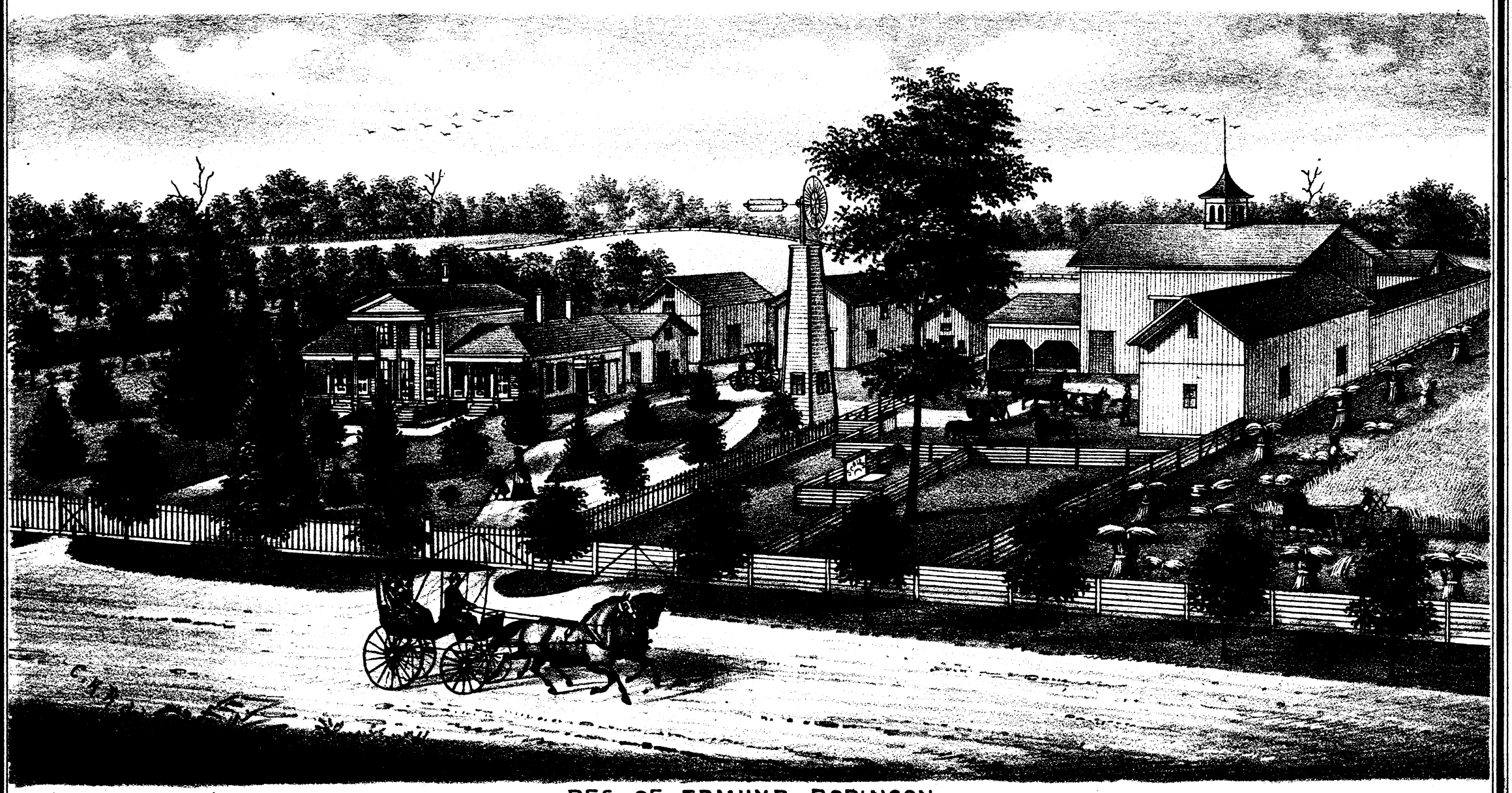
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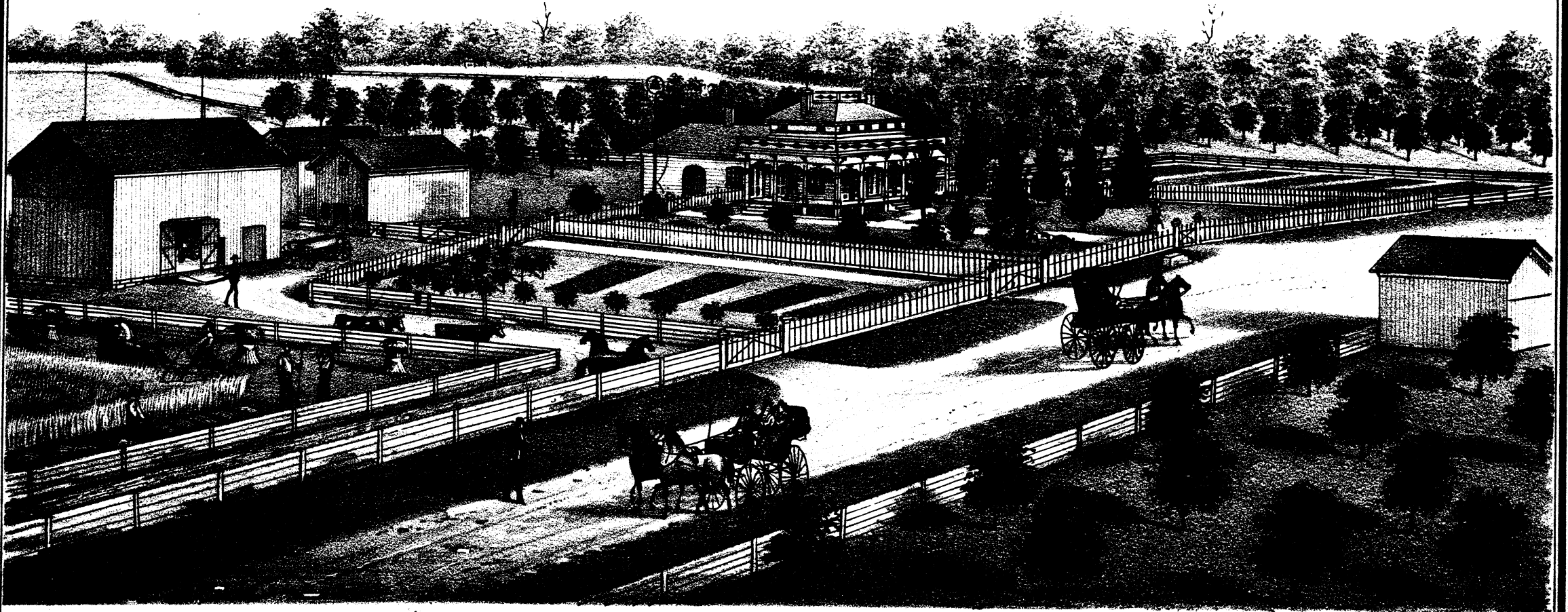
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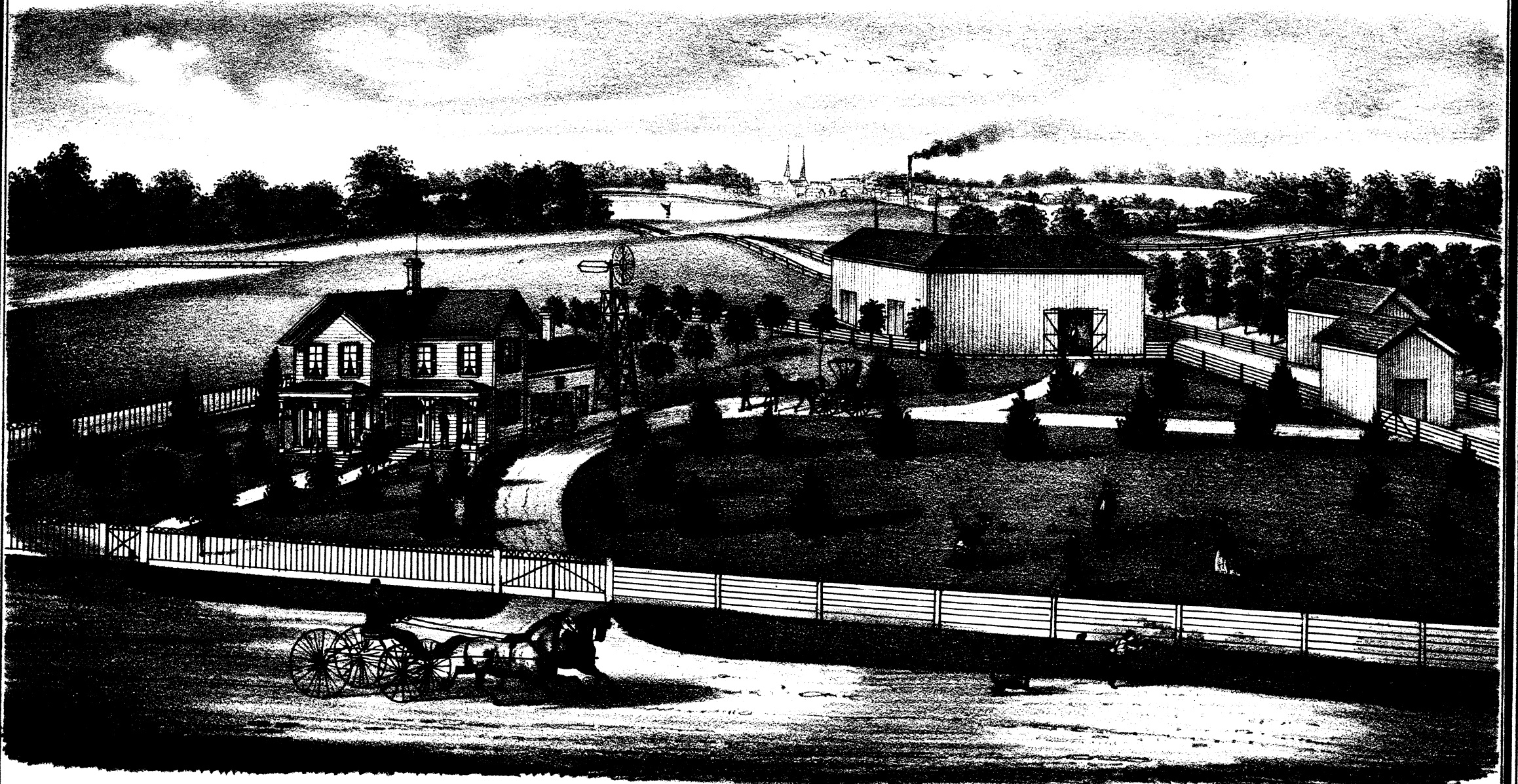
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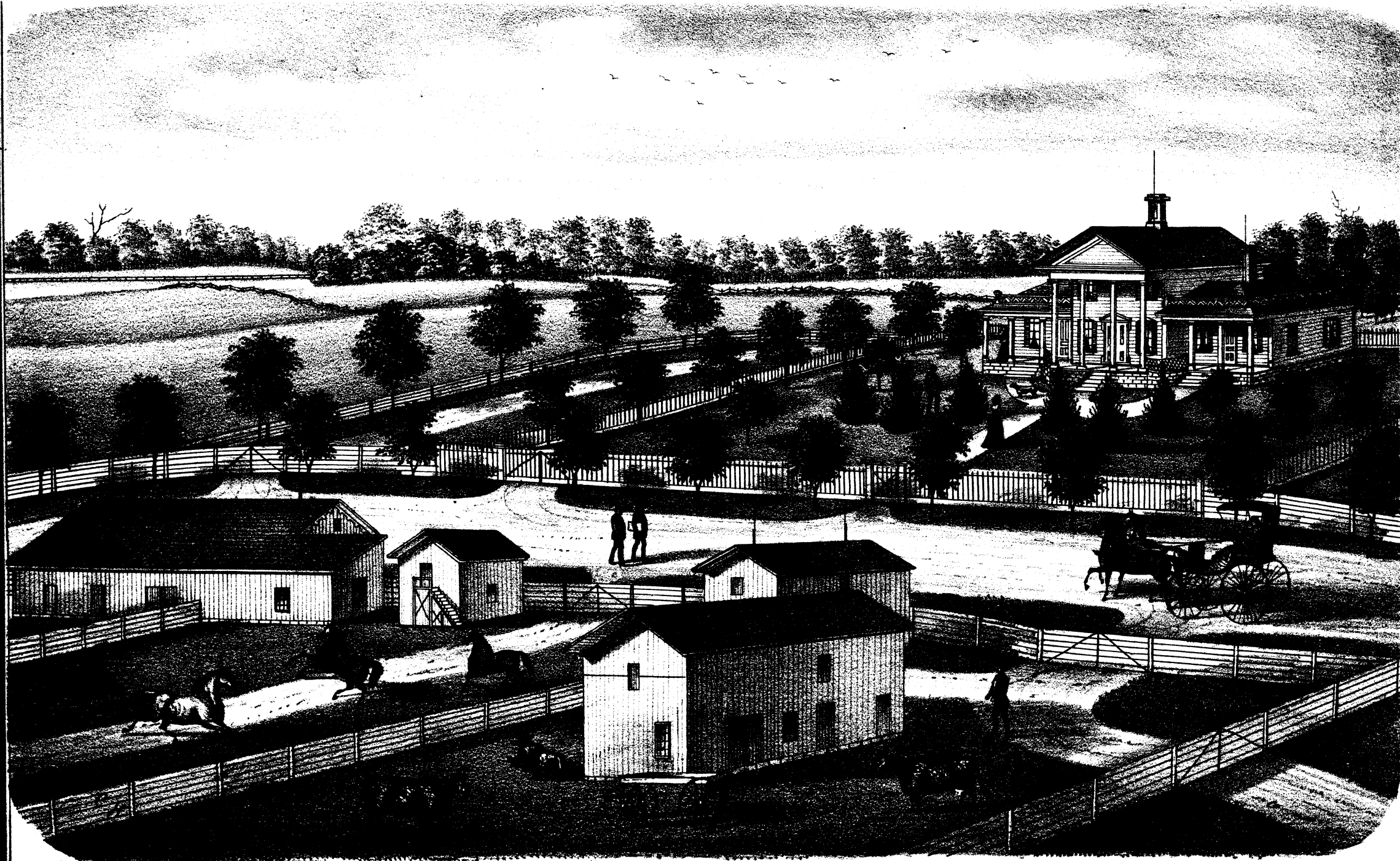


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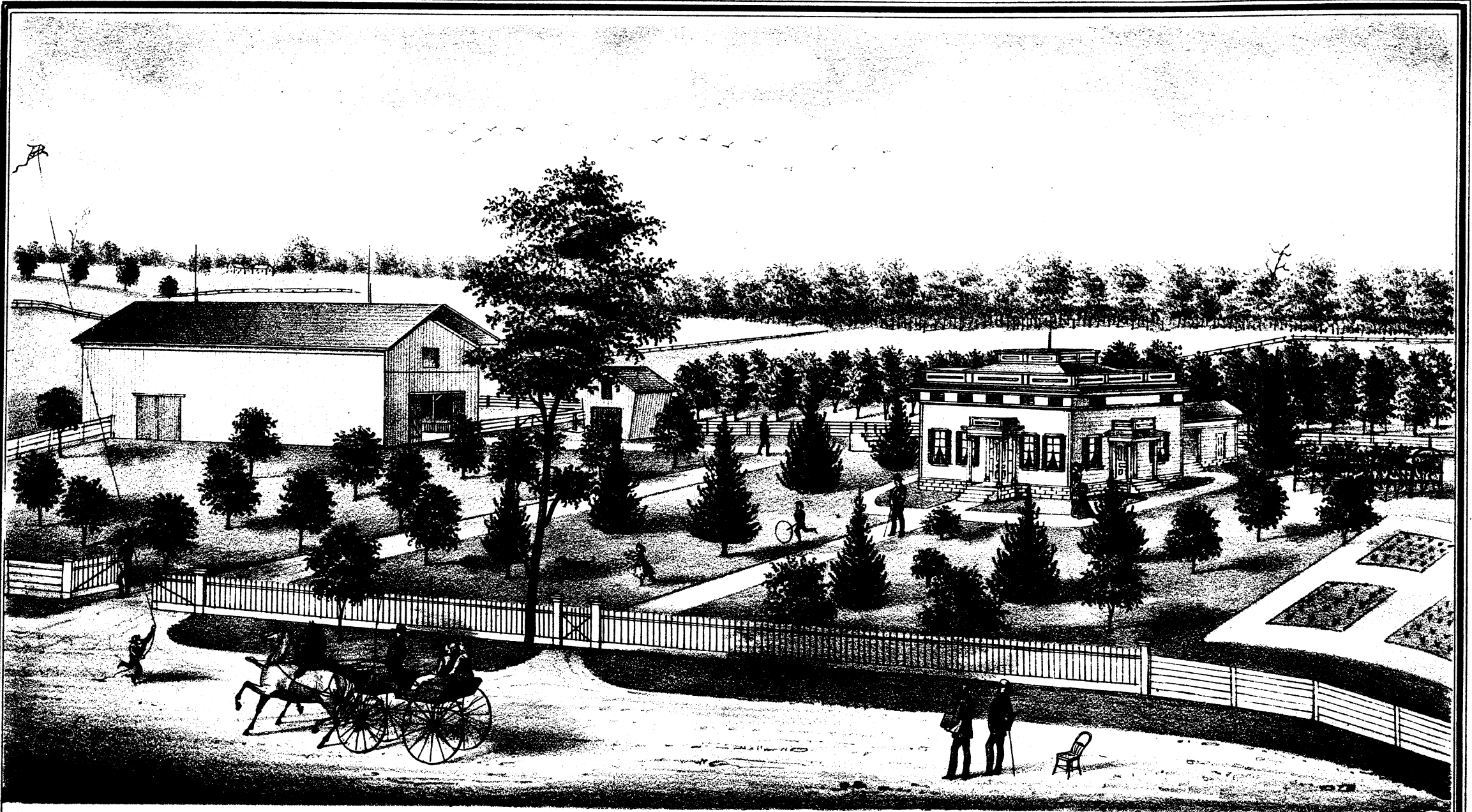




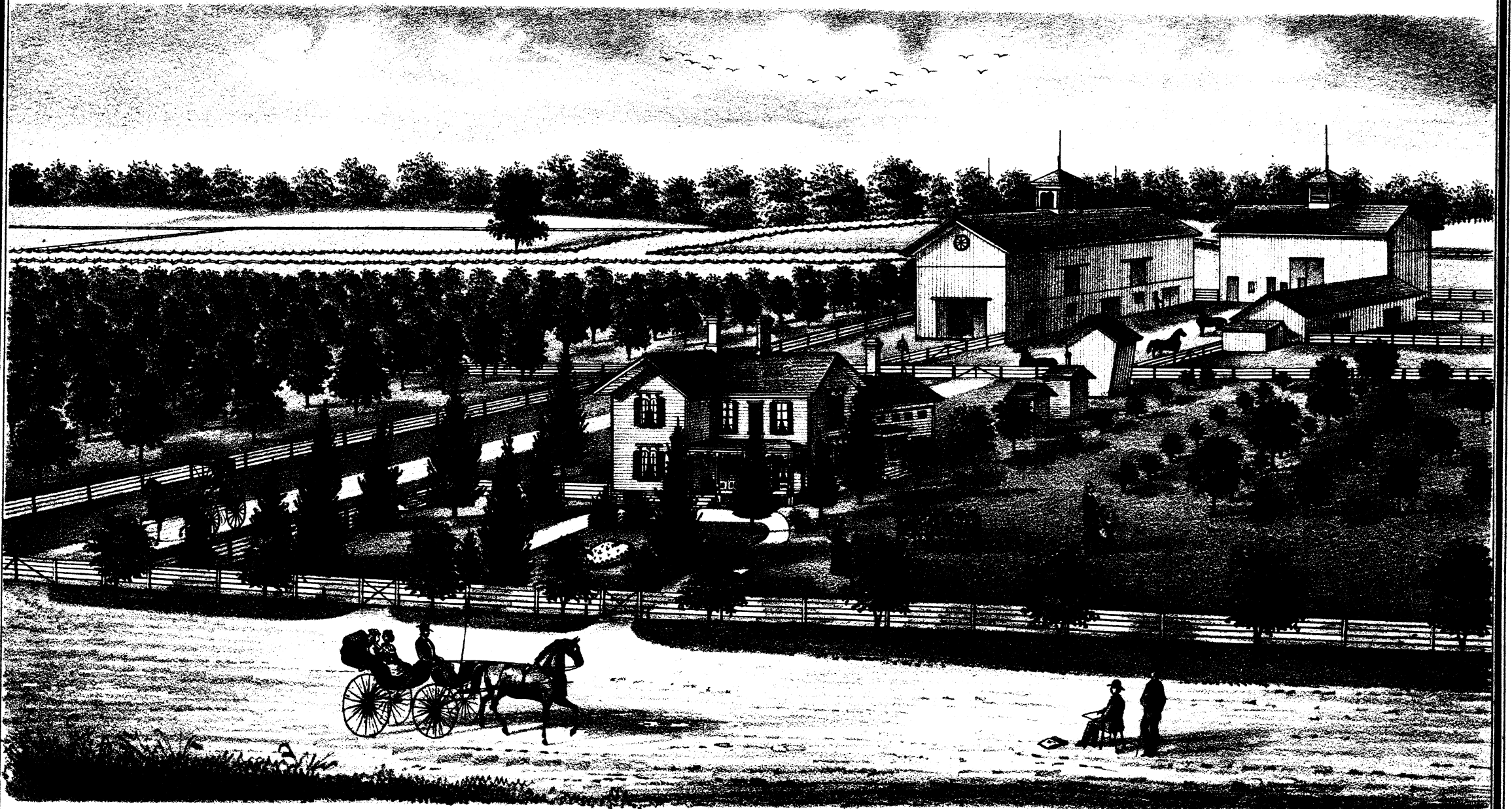
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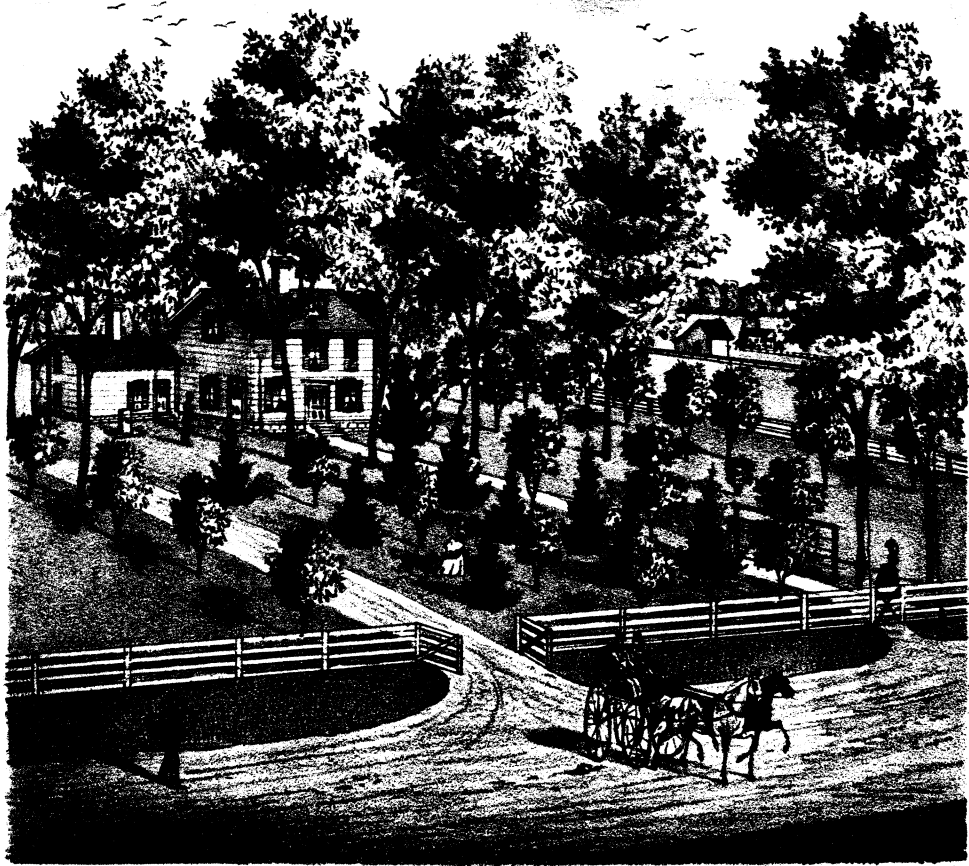
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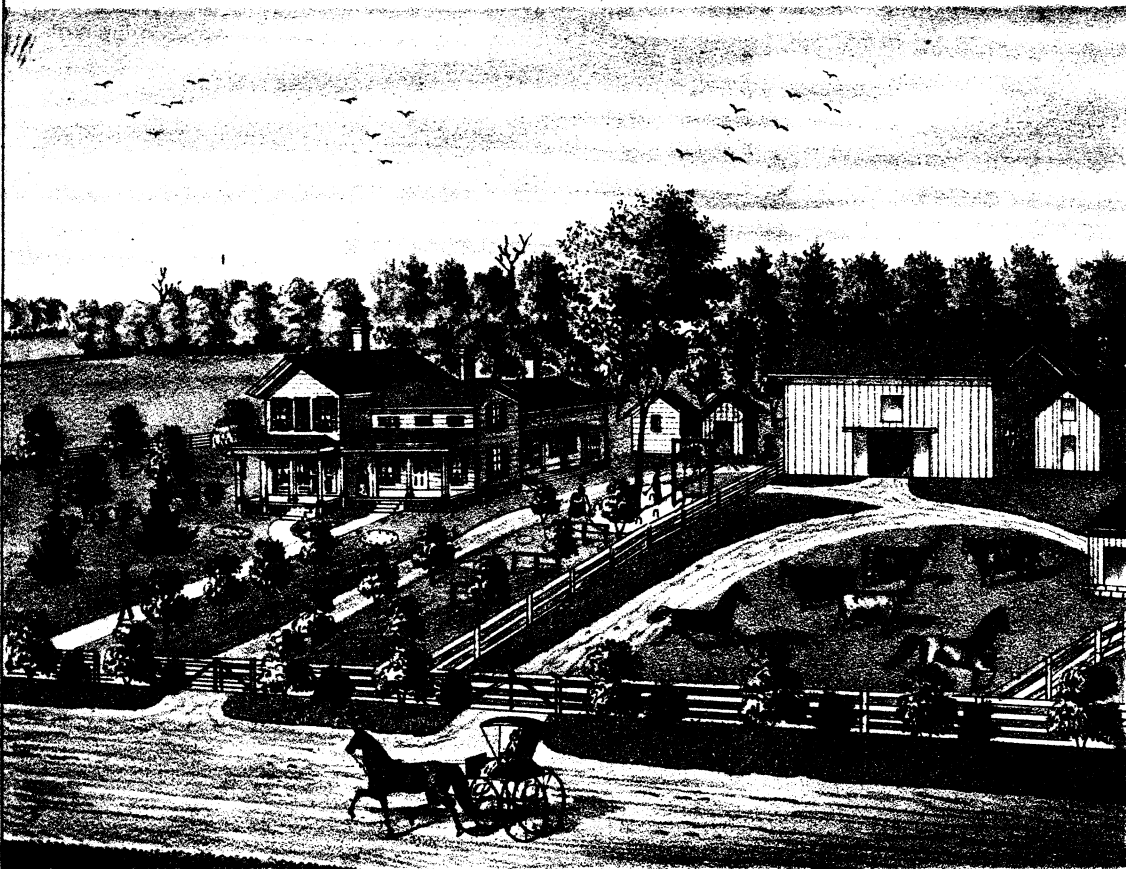
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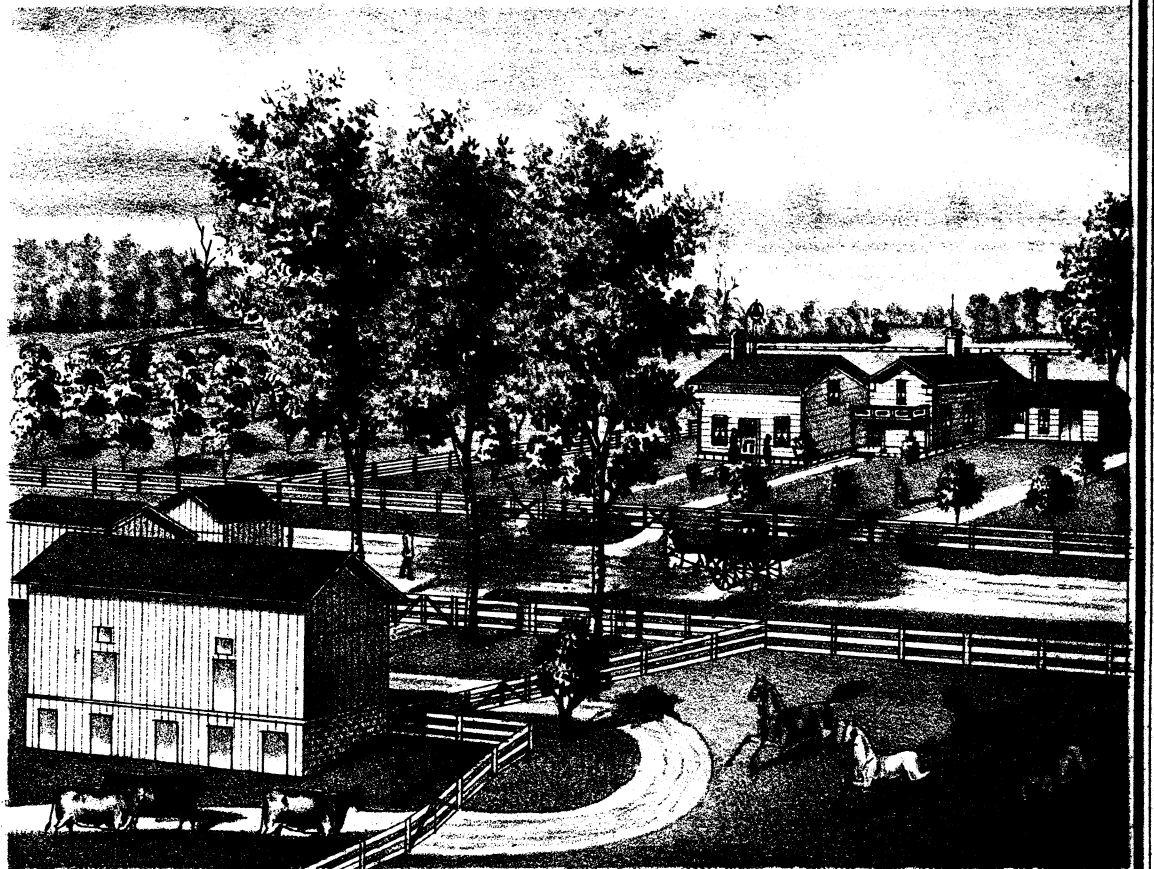
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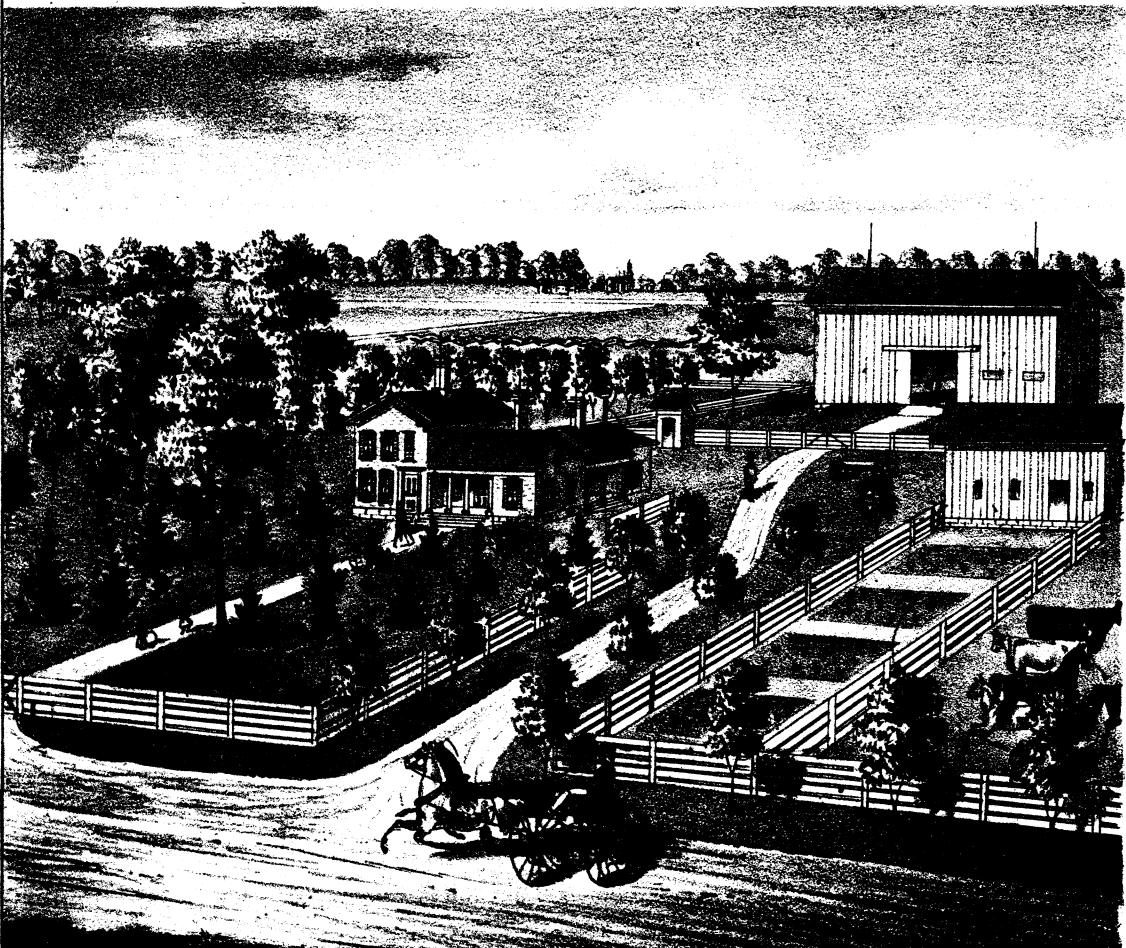
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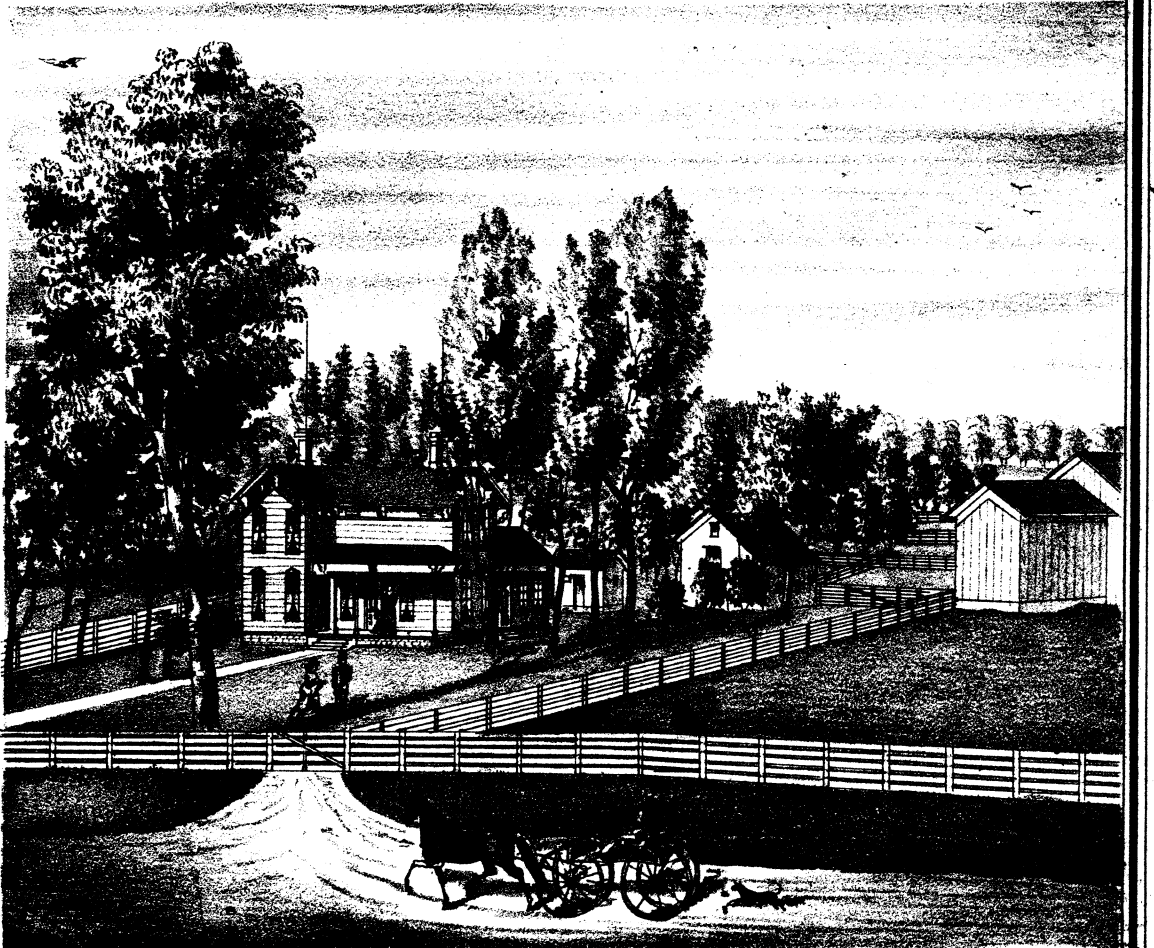
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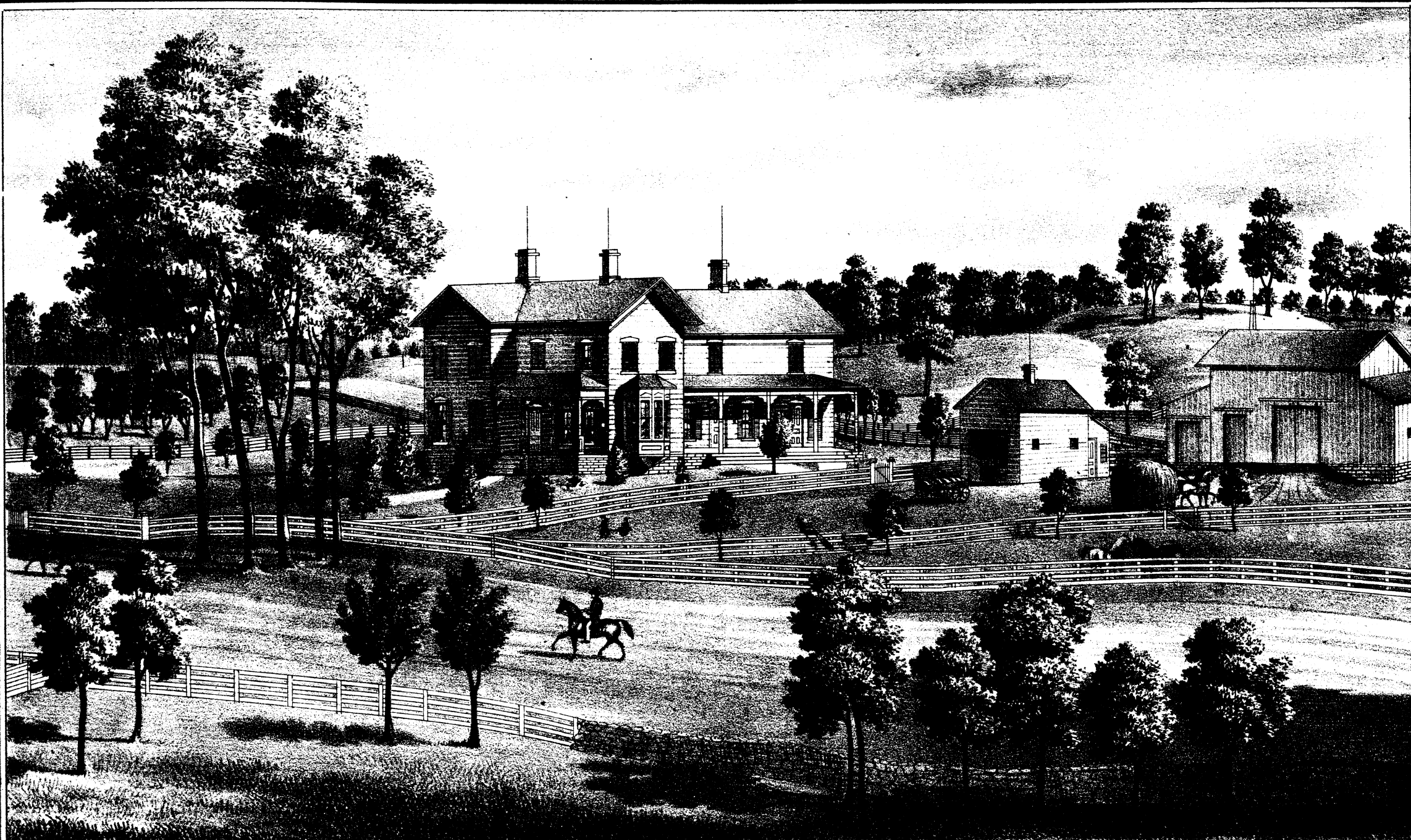


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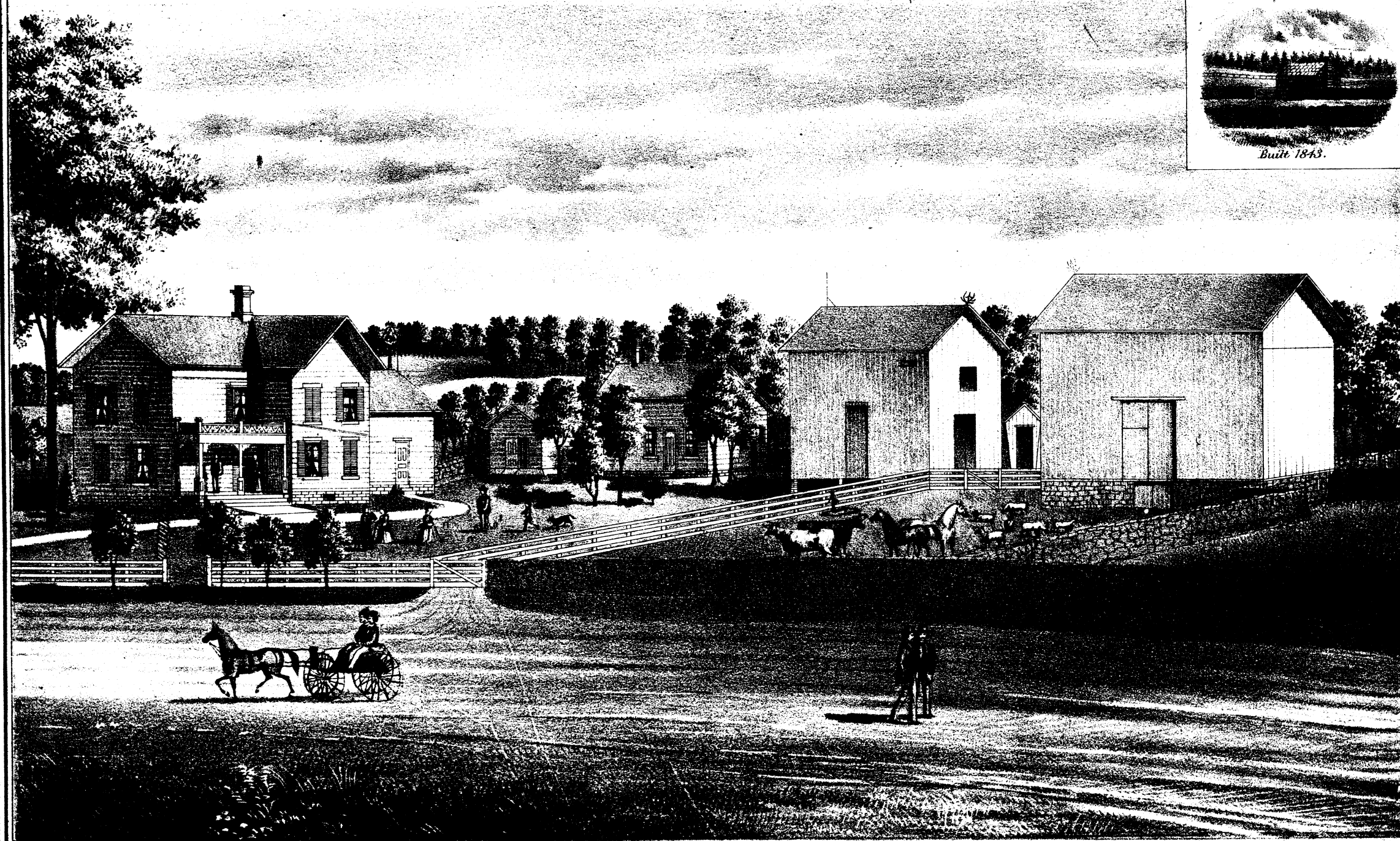
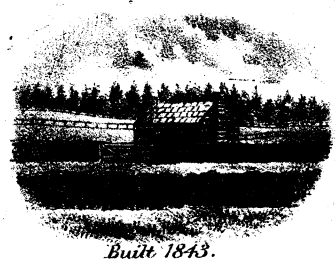


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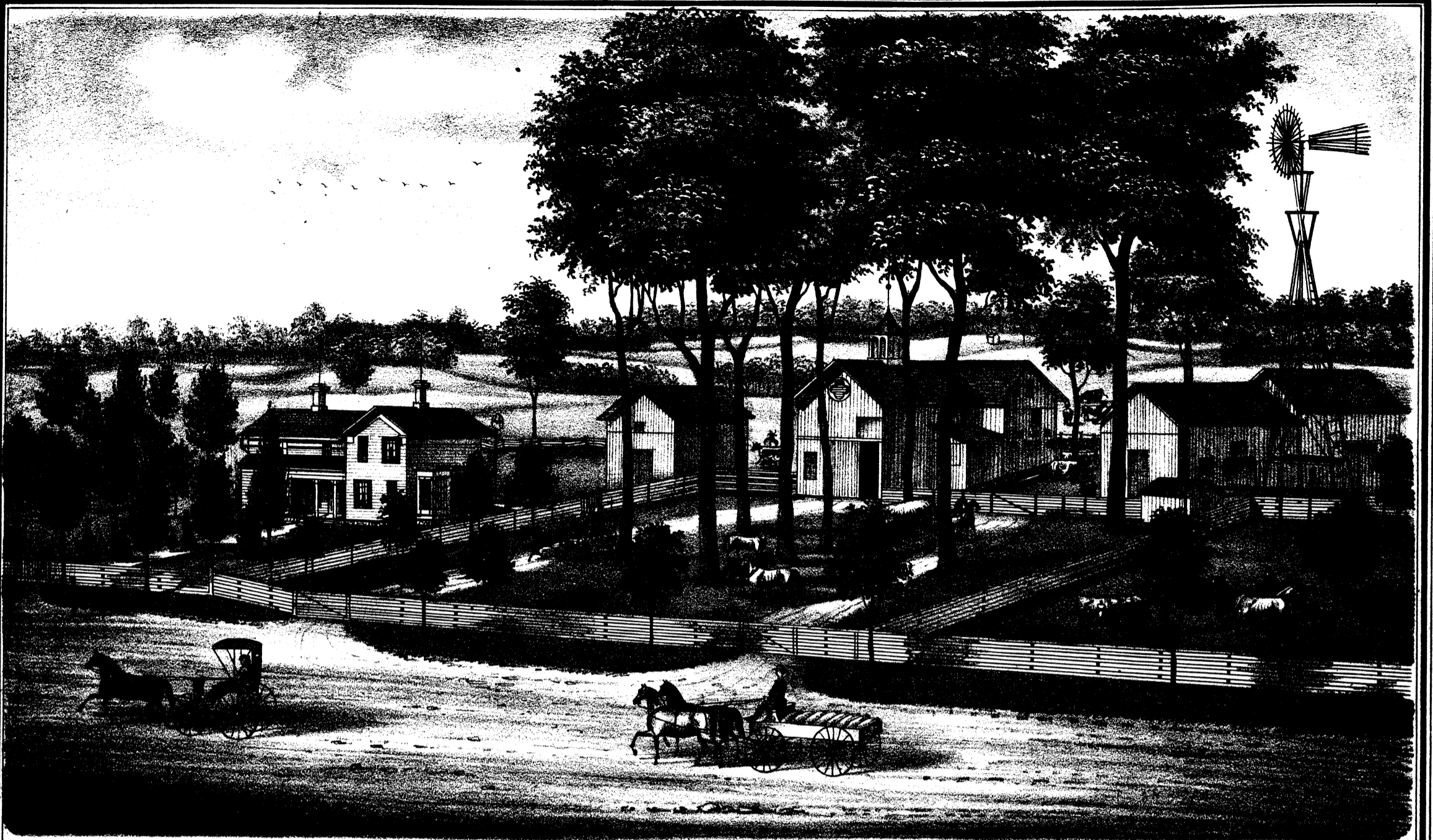




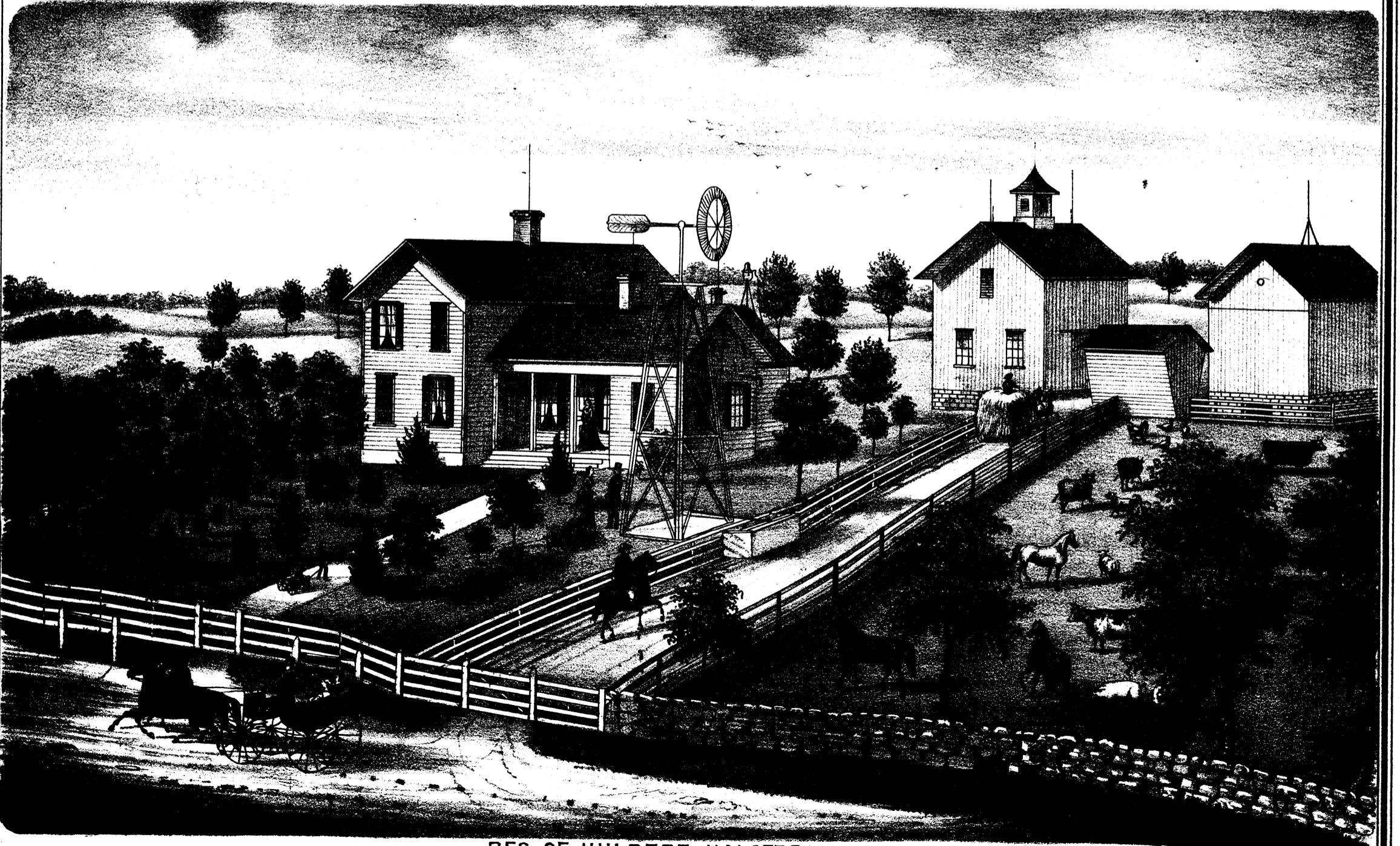
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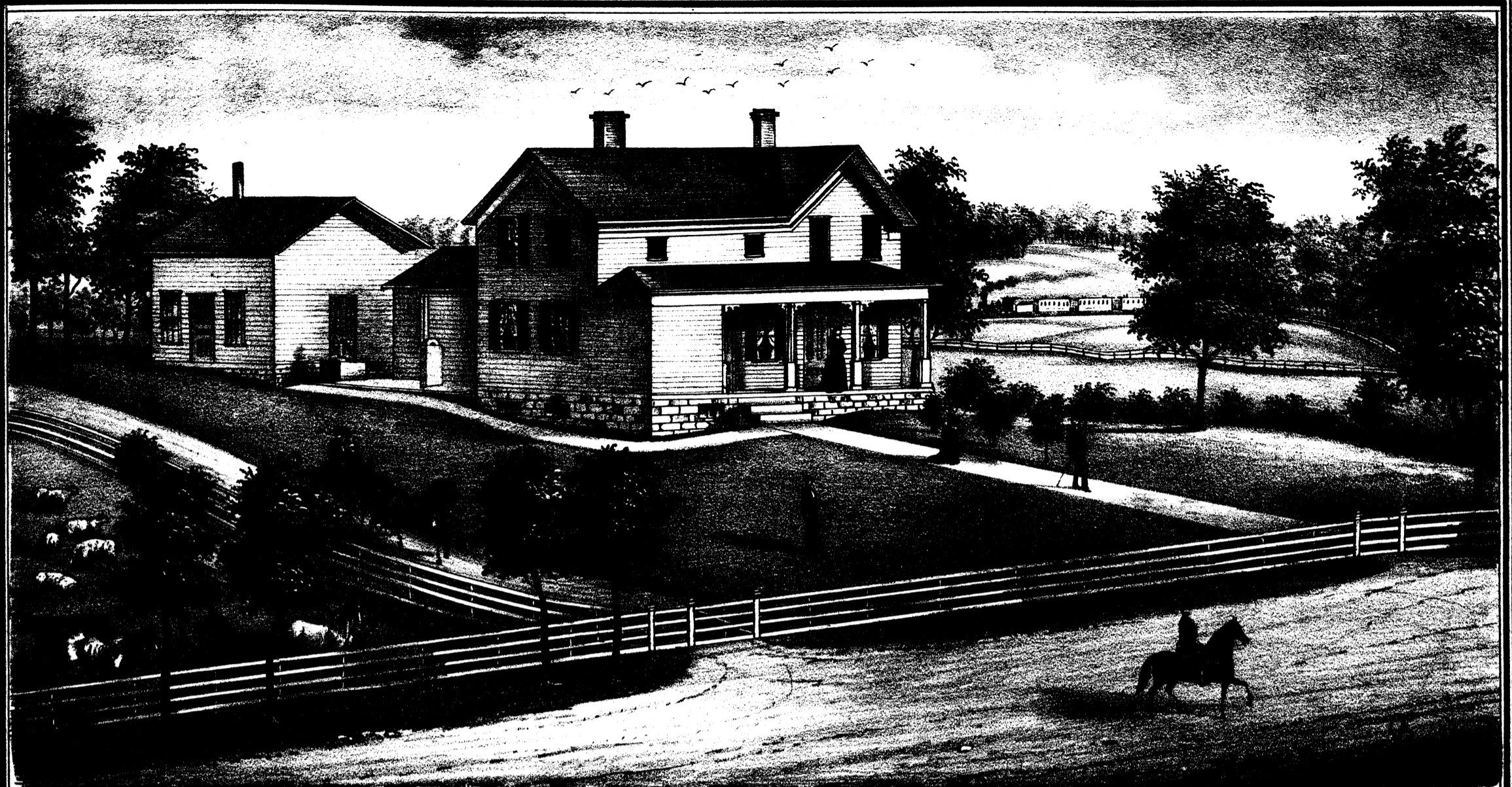
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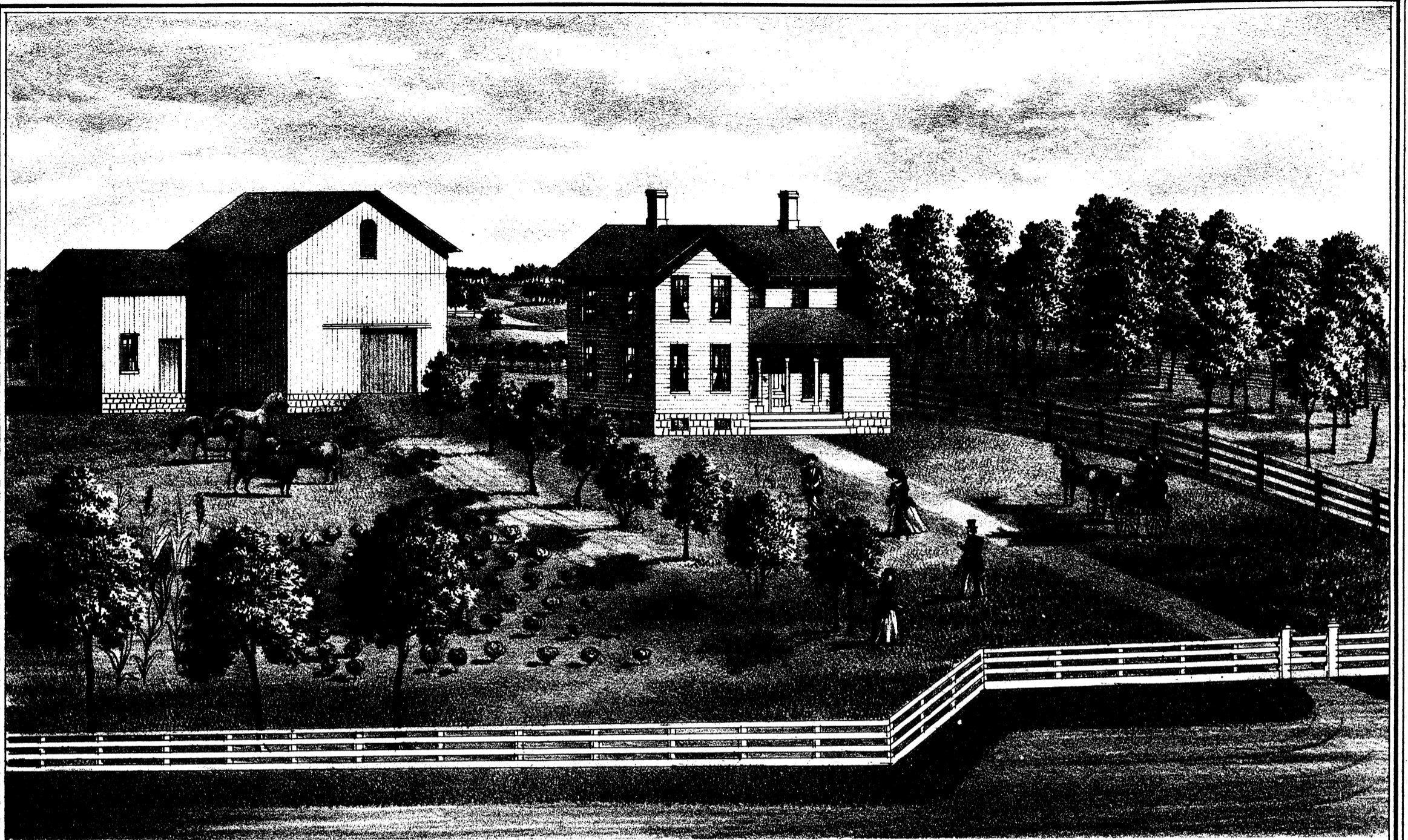
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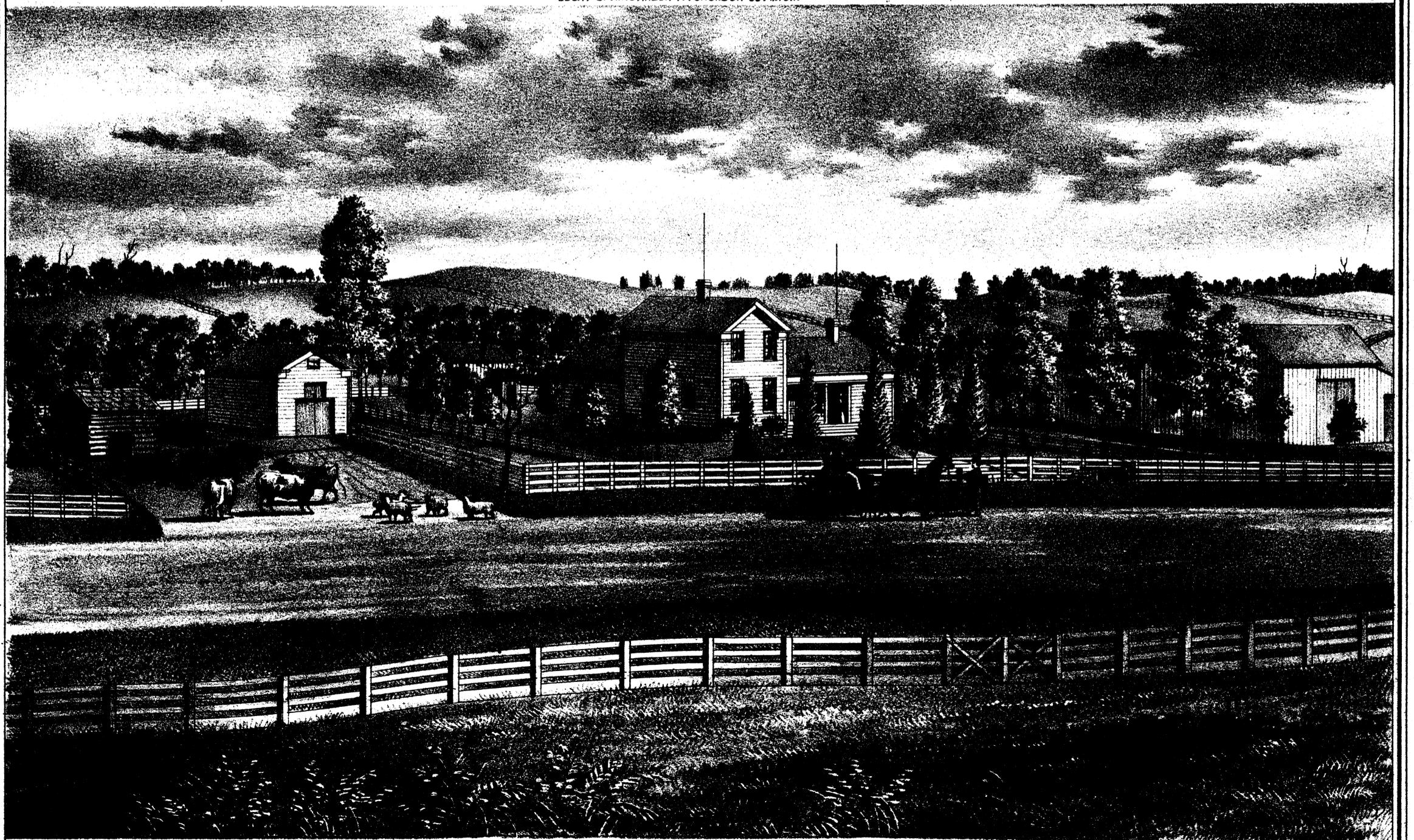
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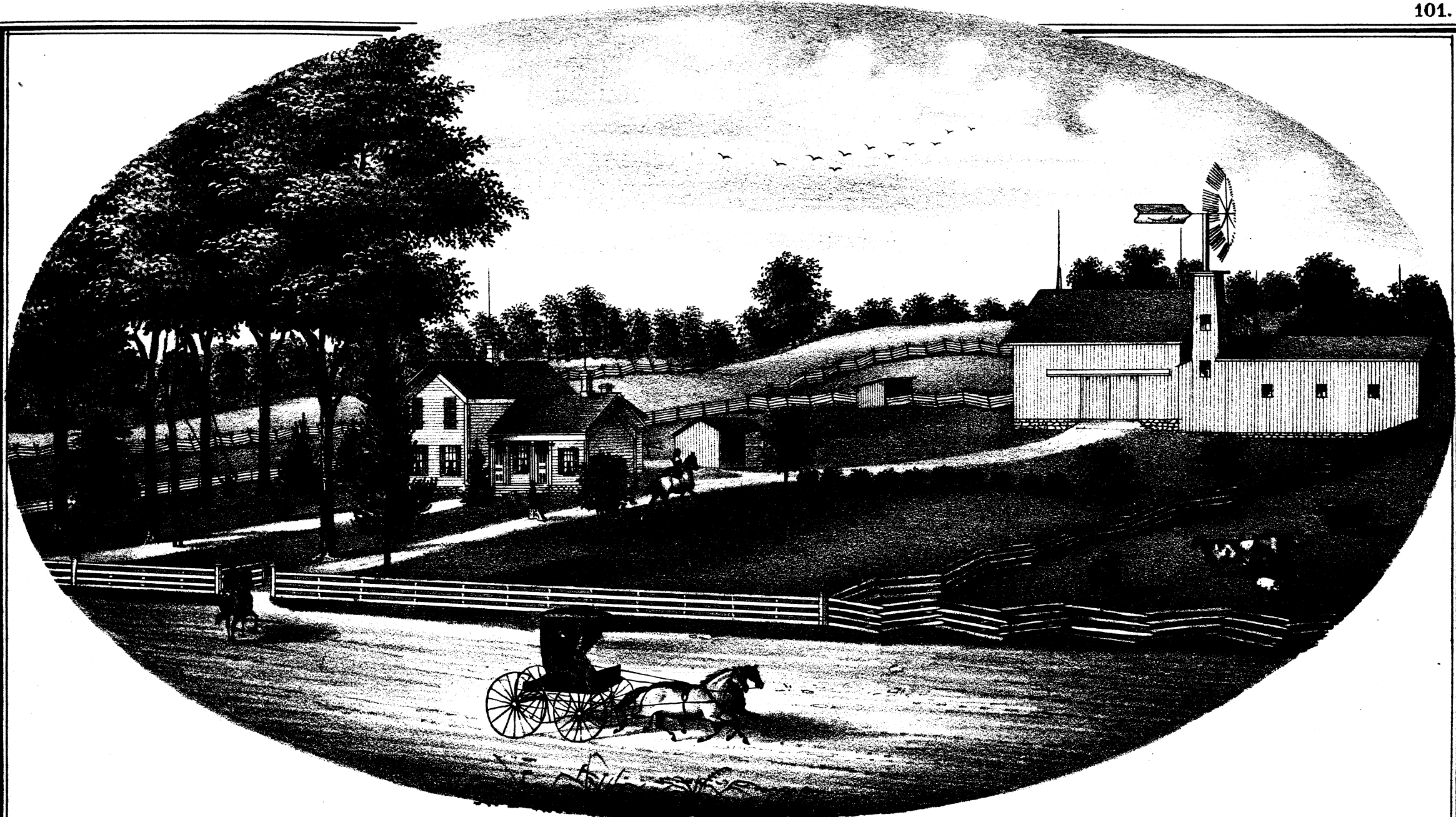


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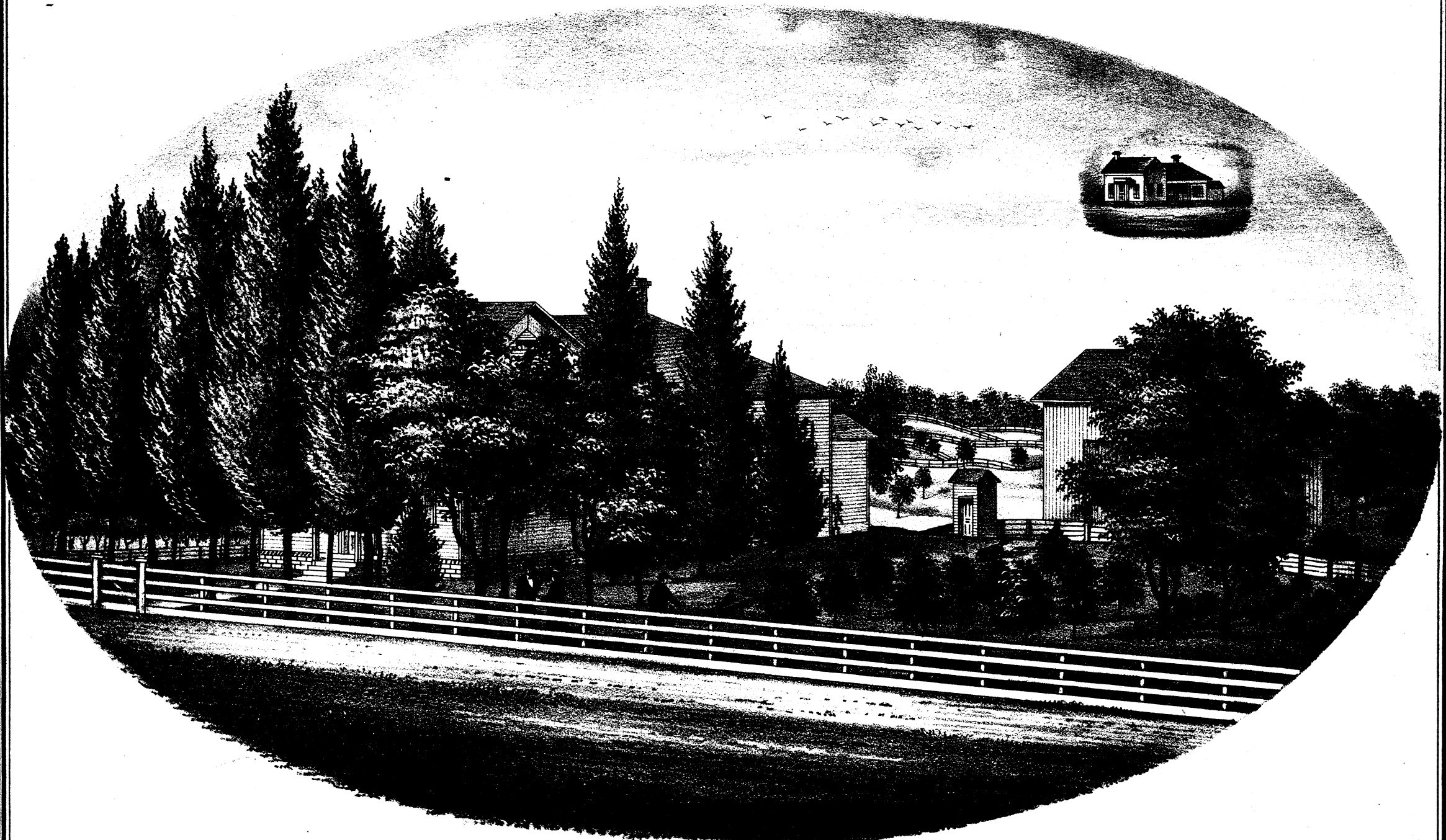
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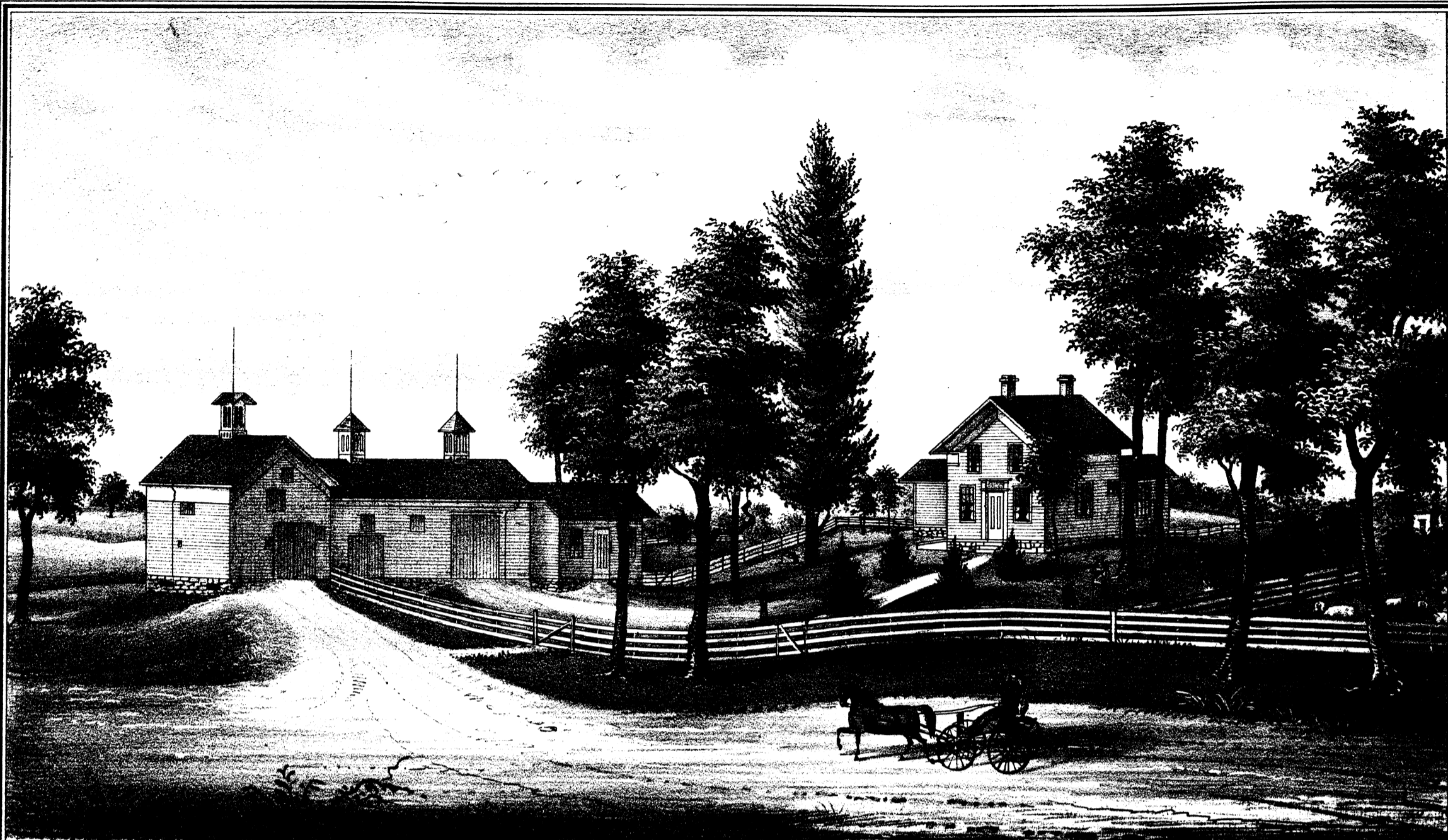
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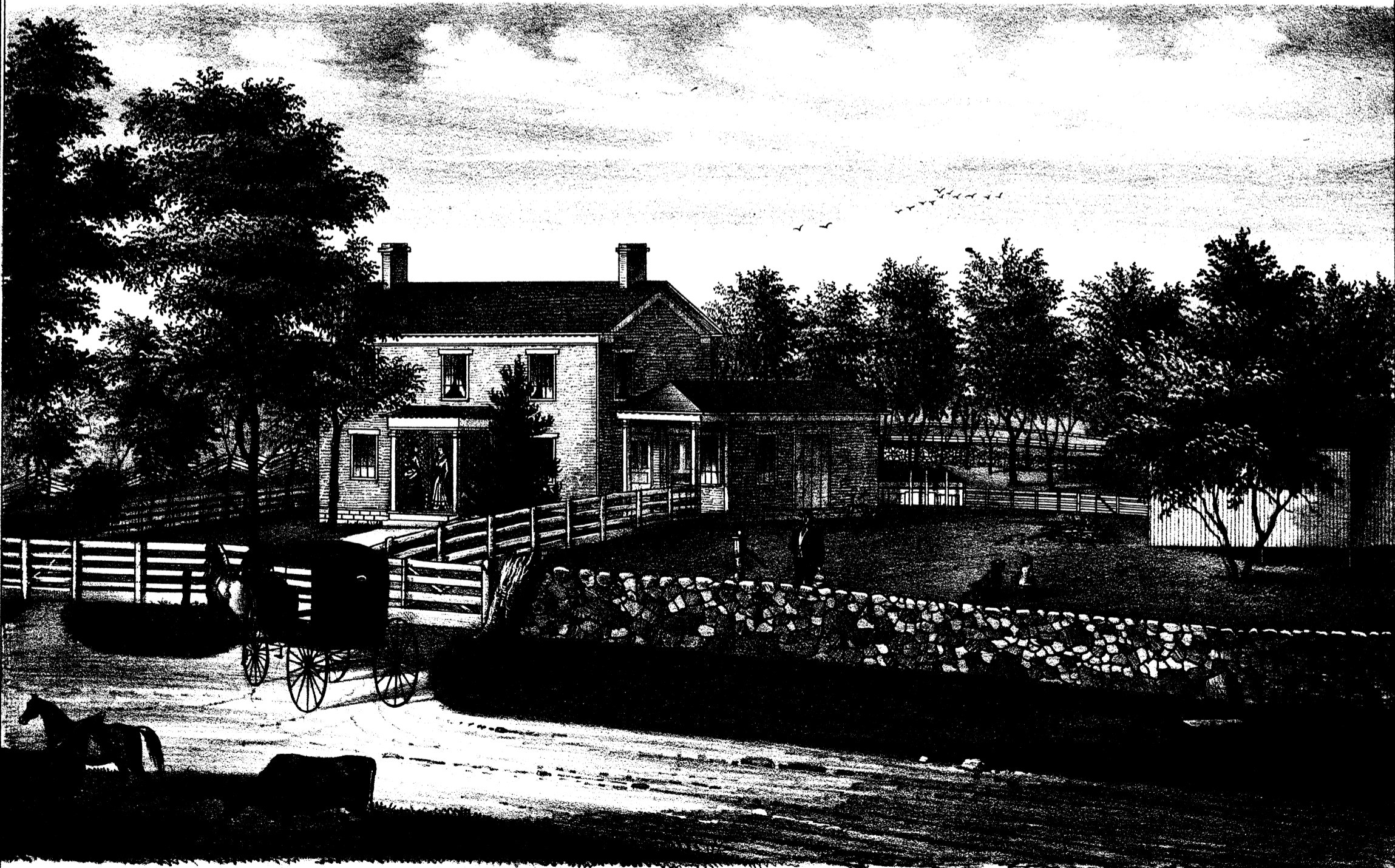


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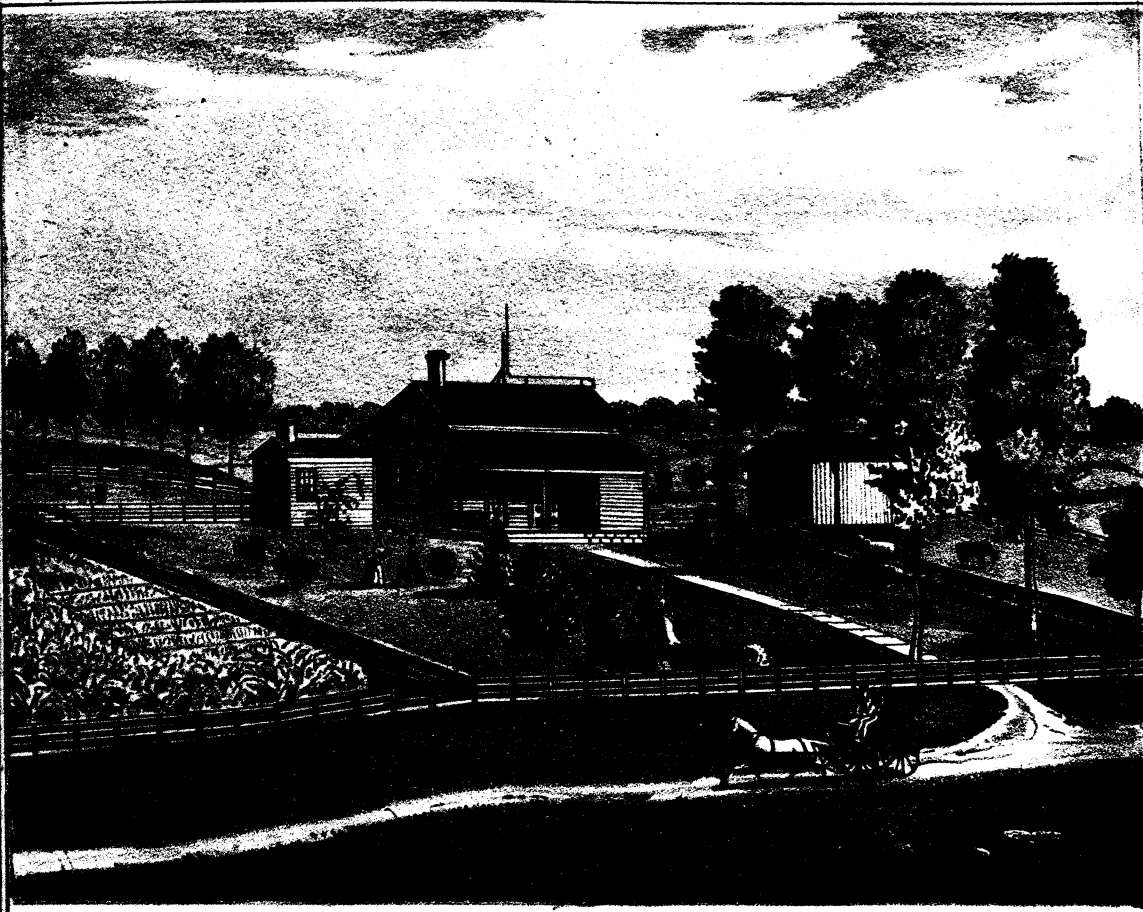
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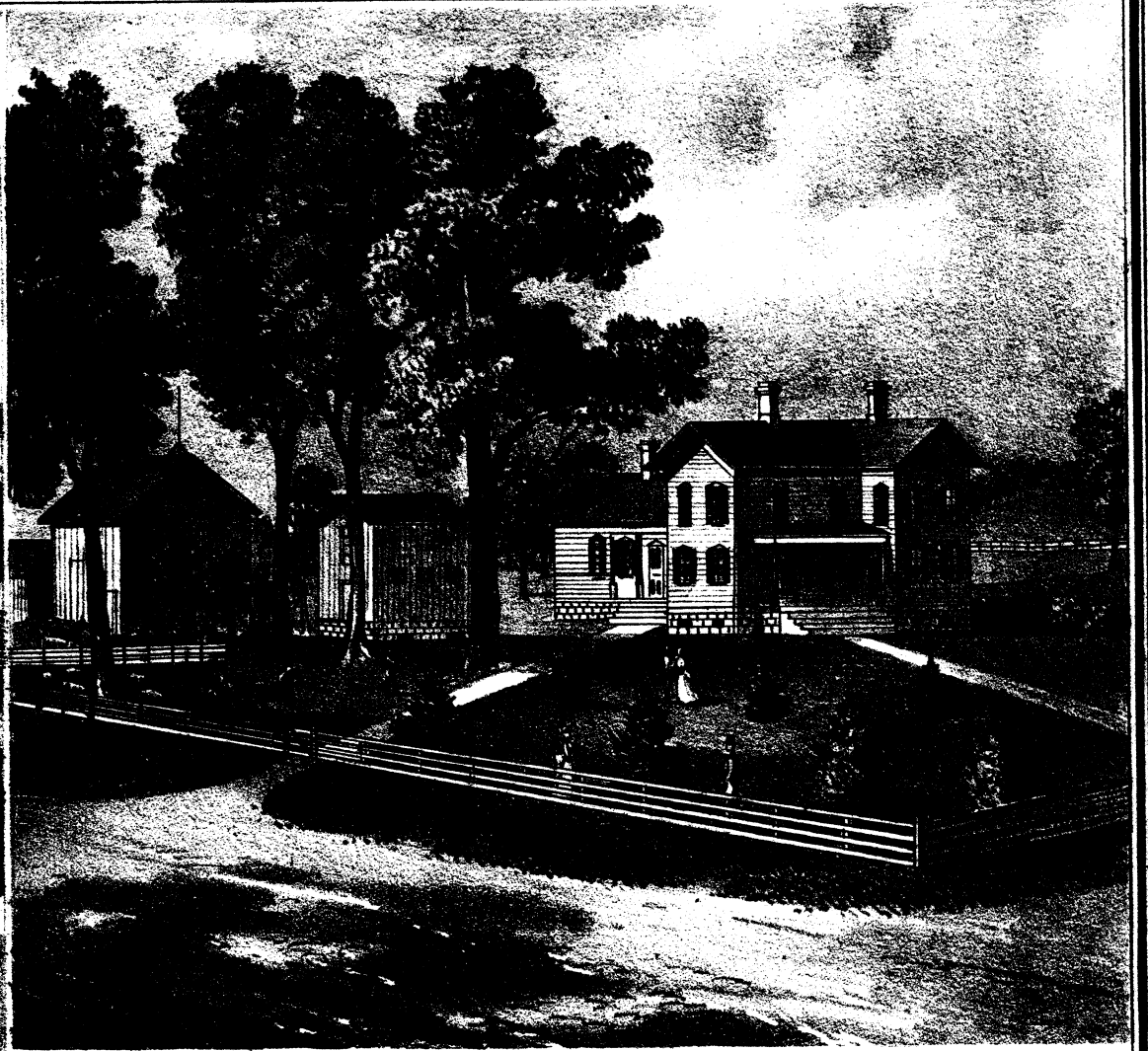
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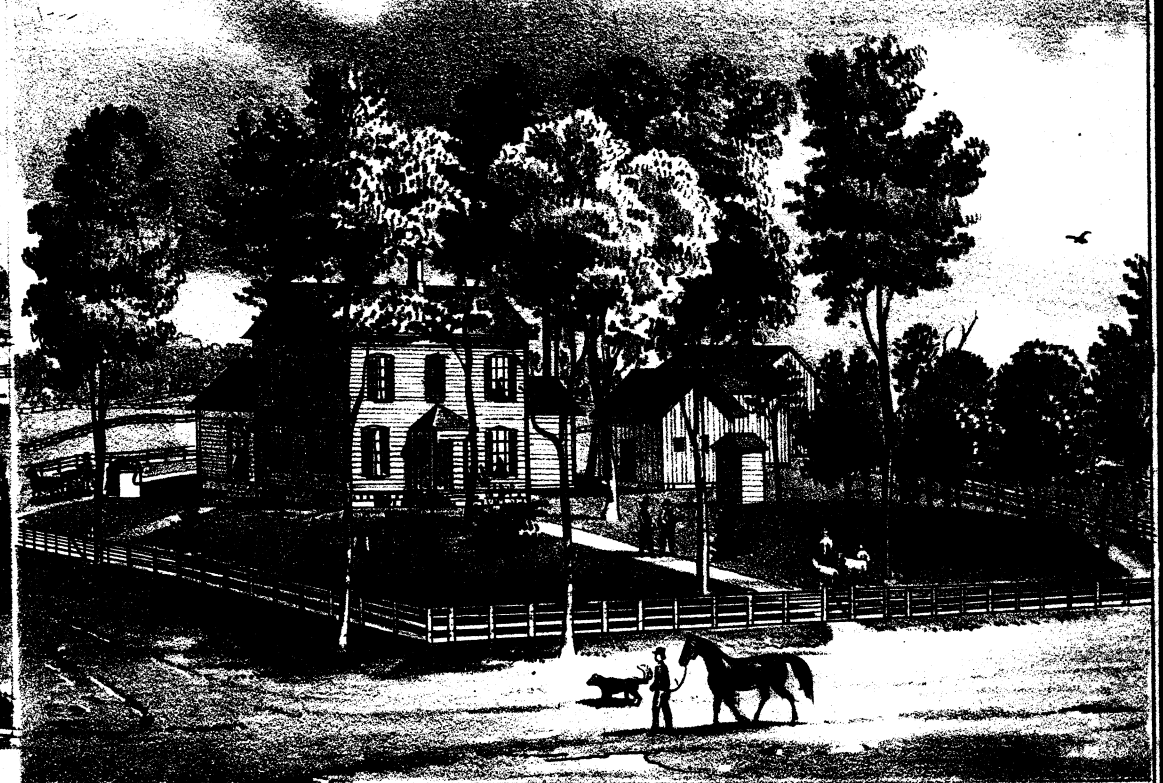
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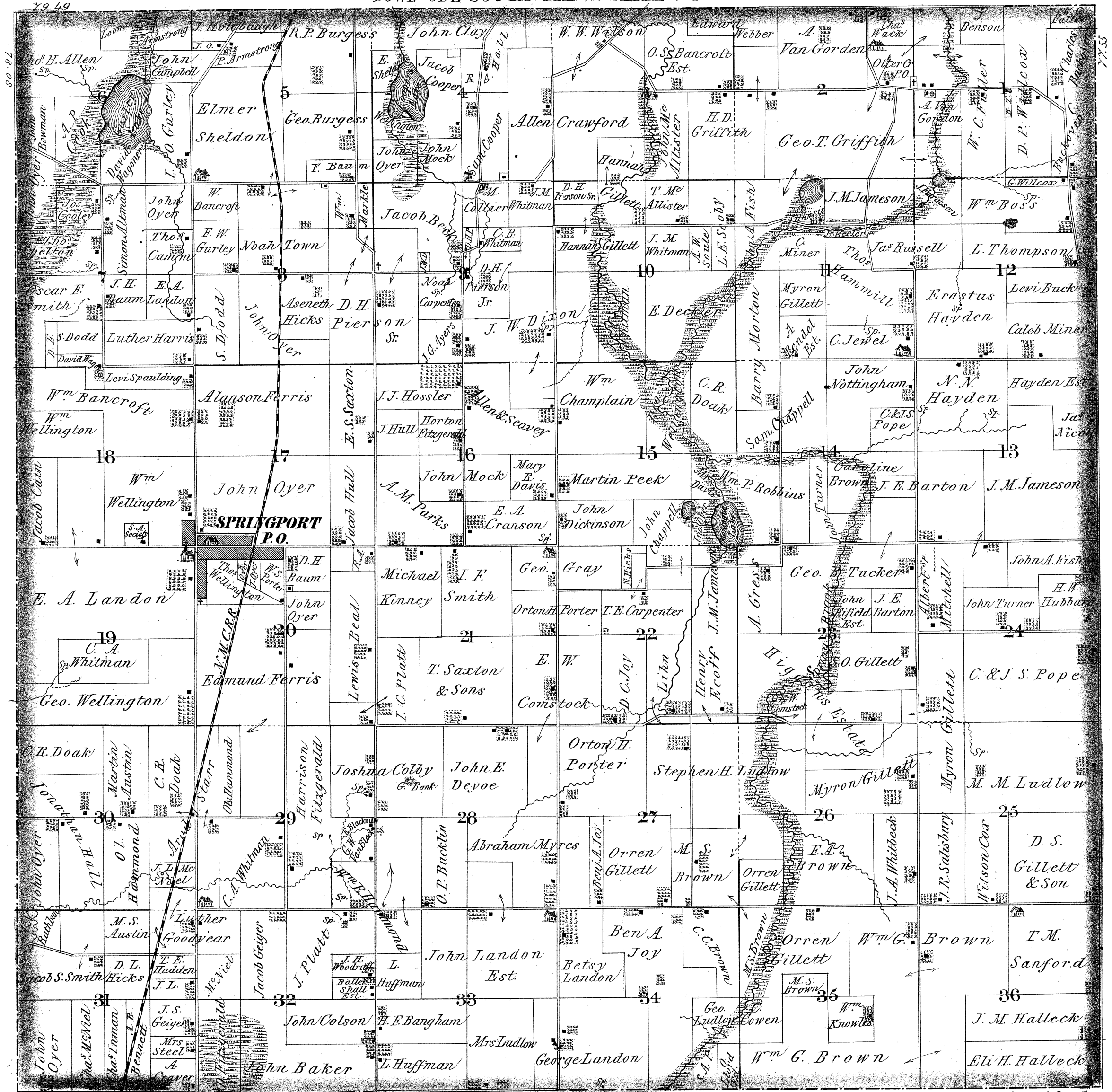
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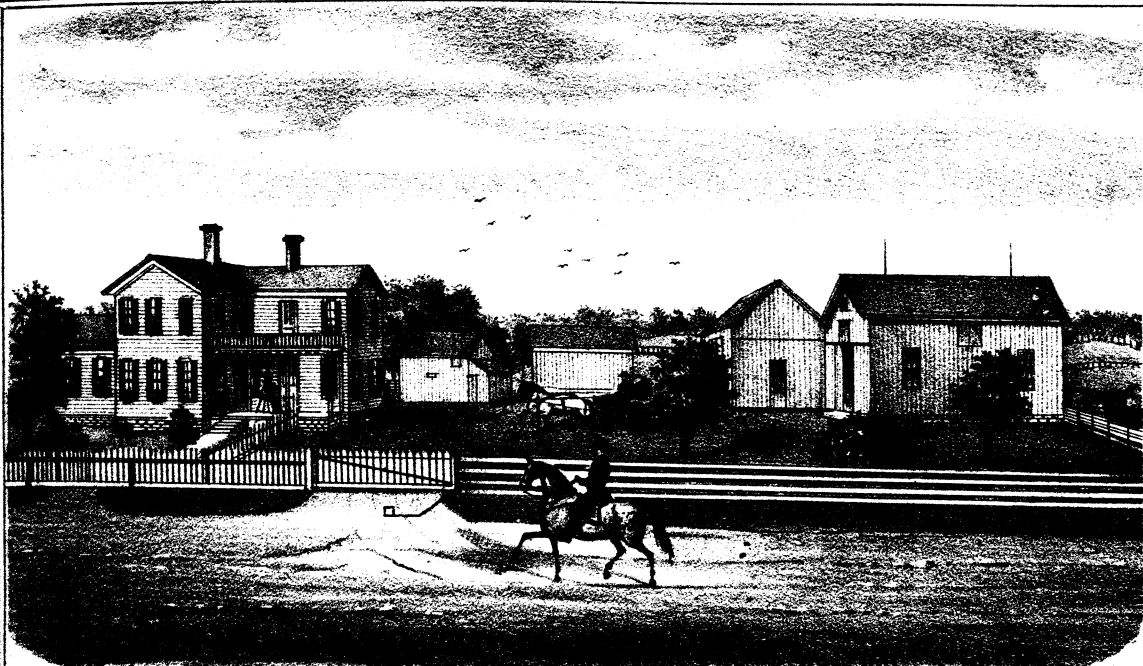


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# MAP OF SPRINGPORT TOWNSHIP

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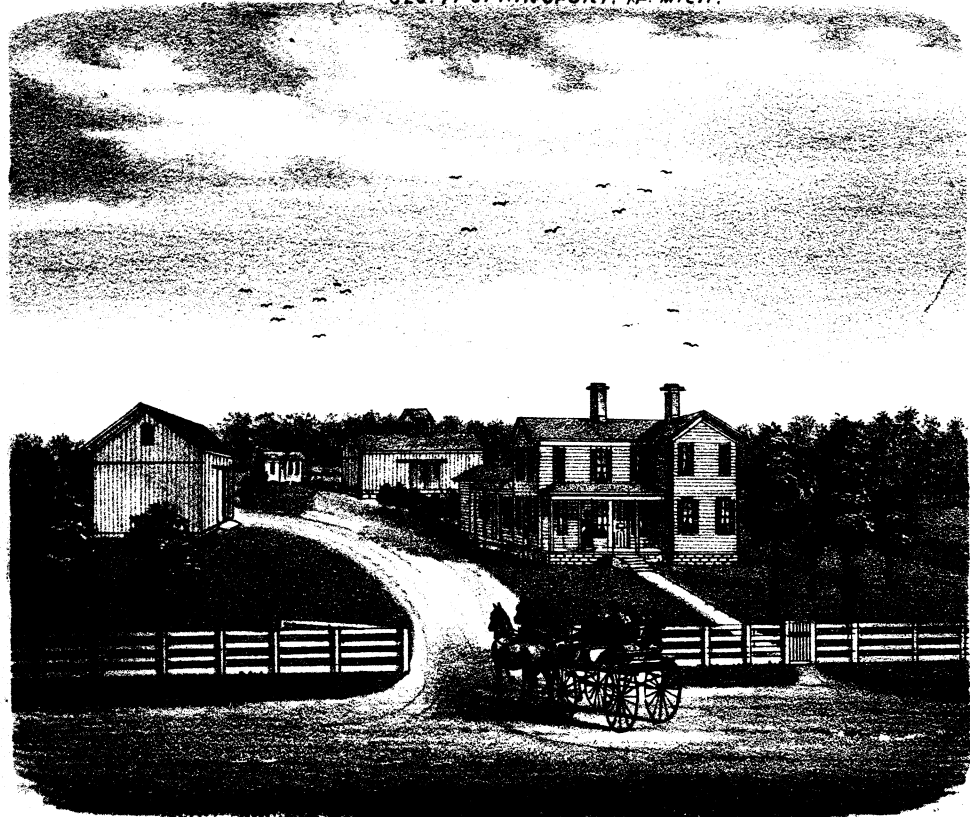




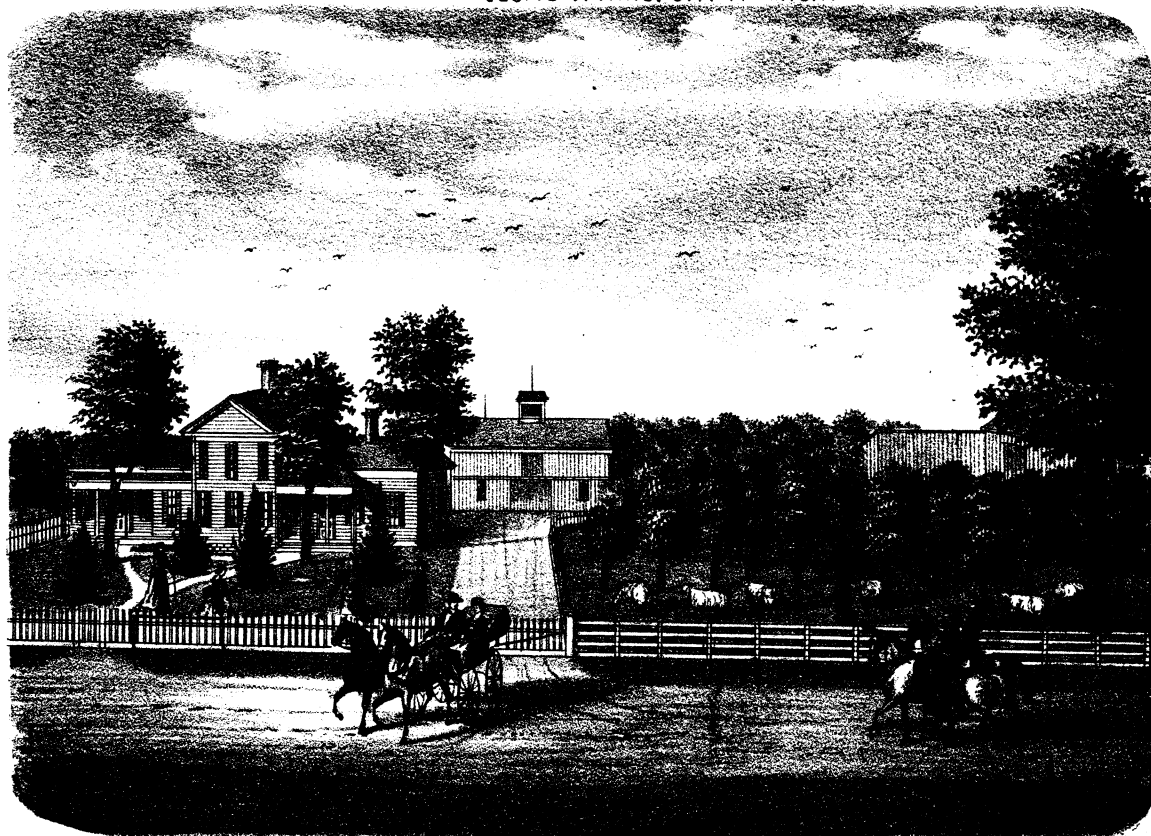
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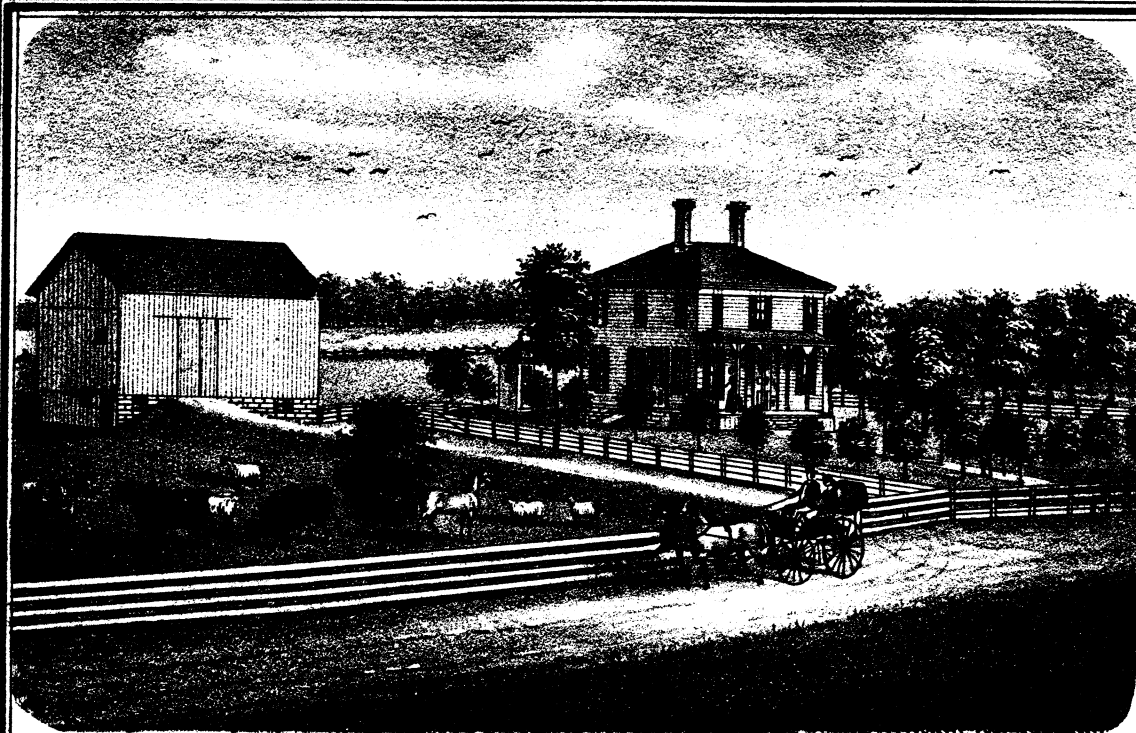


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FORMERLY J. SNYDER.



RES. OF C.C. BROWN  
SEC. 34, SPRINGPORT TP. JACKSON CO. MICH.



BALDWIN'S STATION ON FT. W. J. & S. R. R.  
JACKSON CO. MICH.  
EDDY & HUTHINS, DEALERS IN SALT, LIME, AGRI. IMP'S, LUMBER, WHEAT &c.



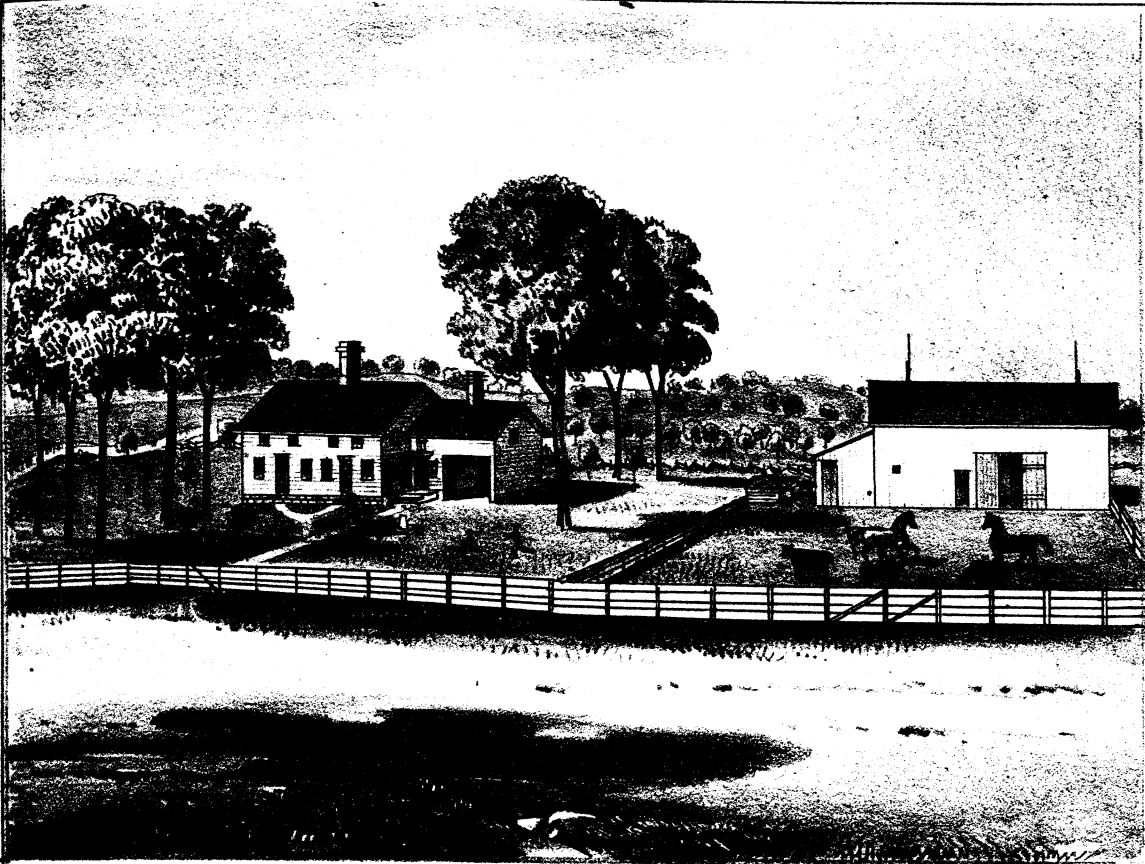
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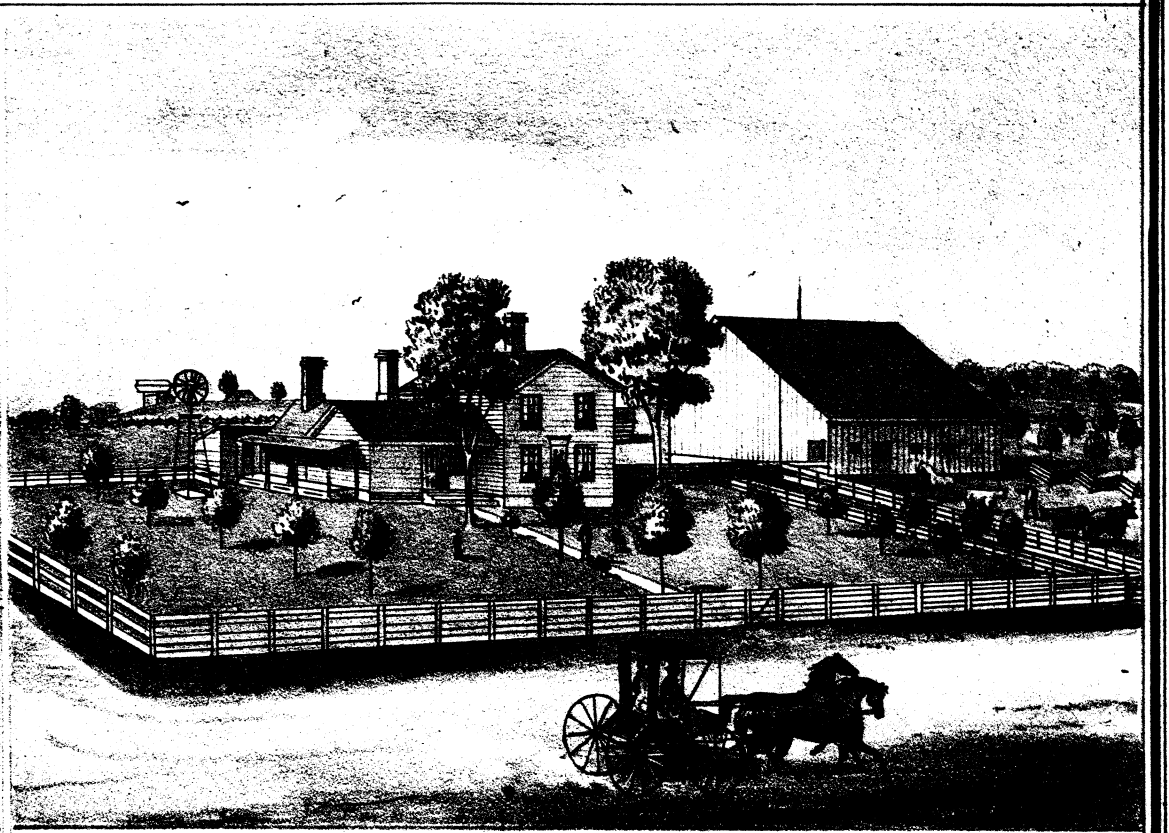
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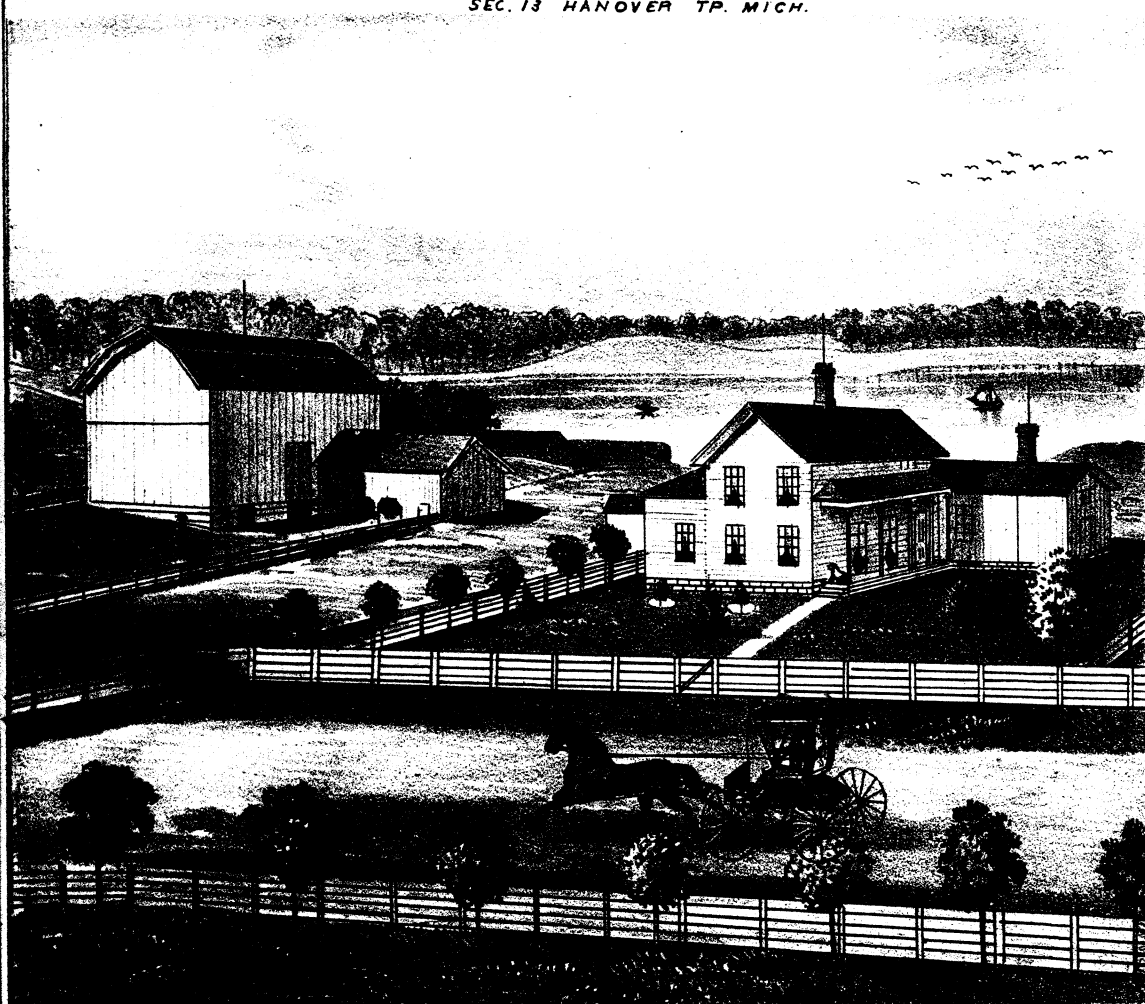
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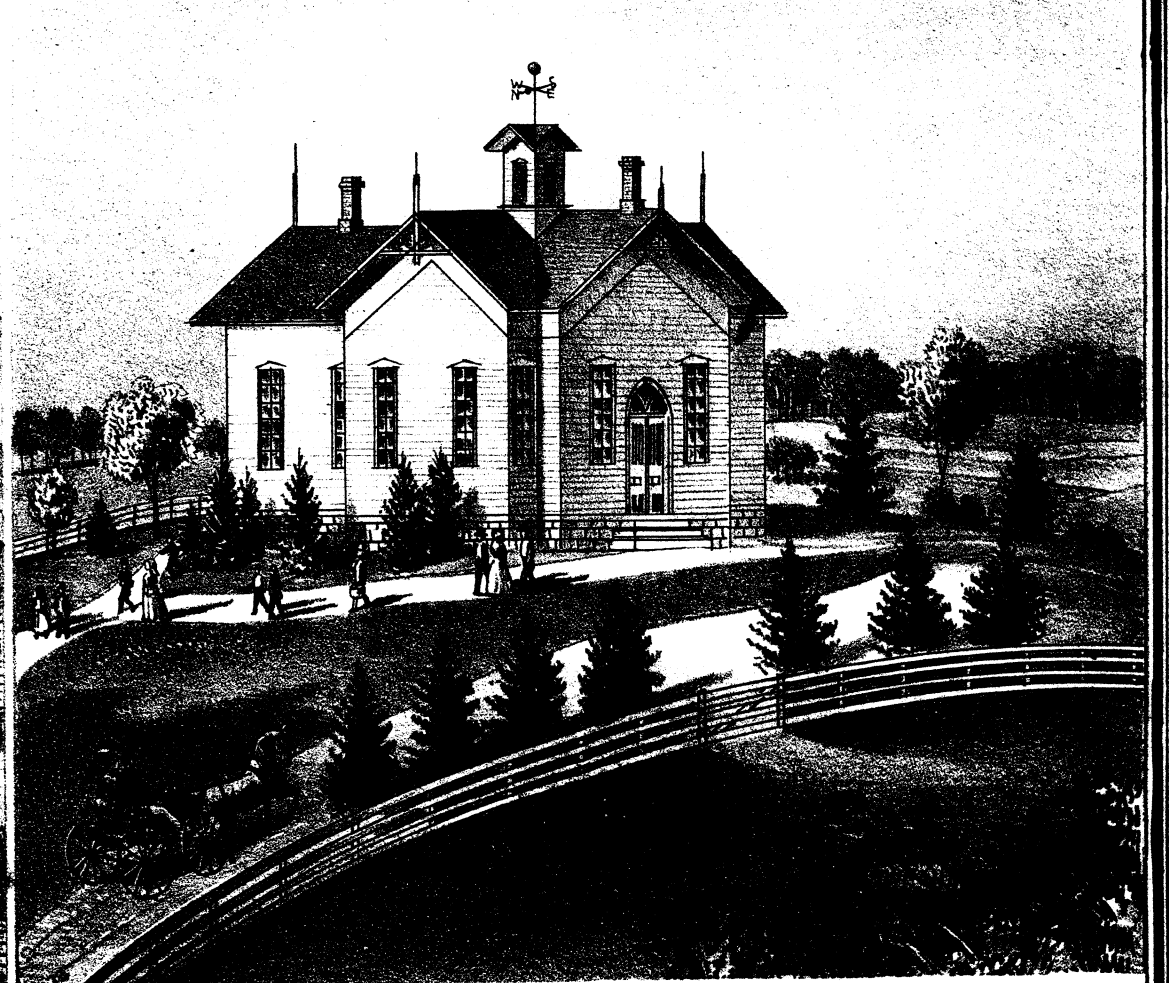
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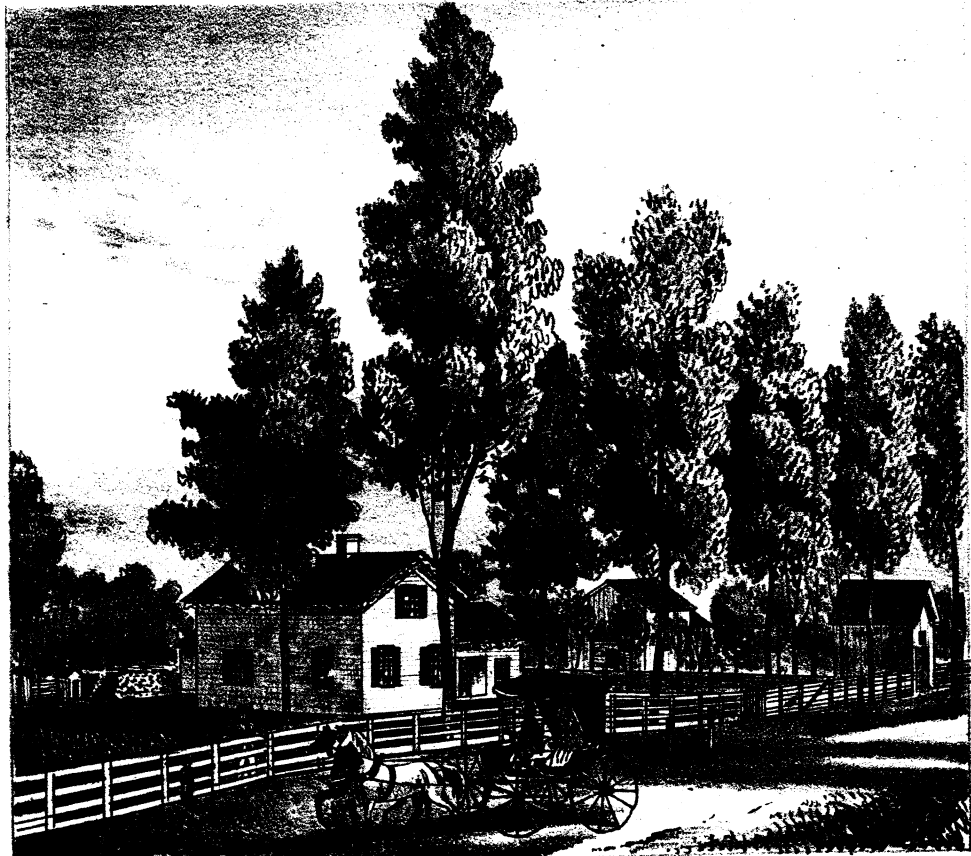
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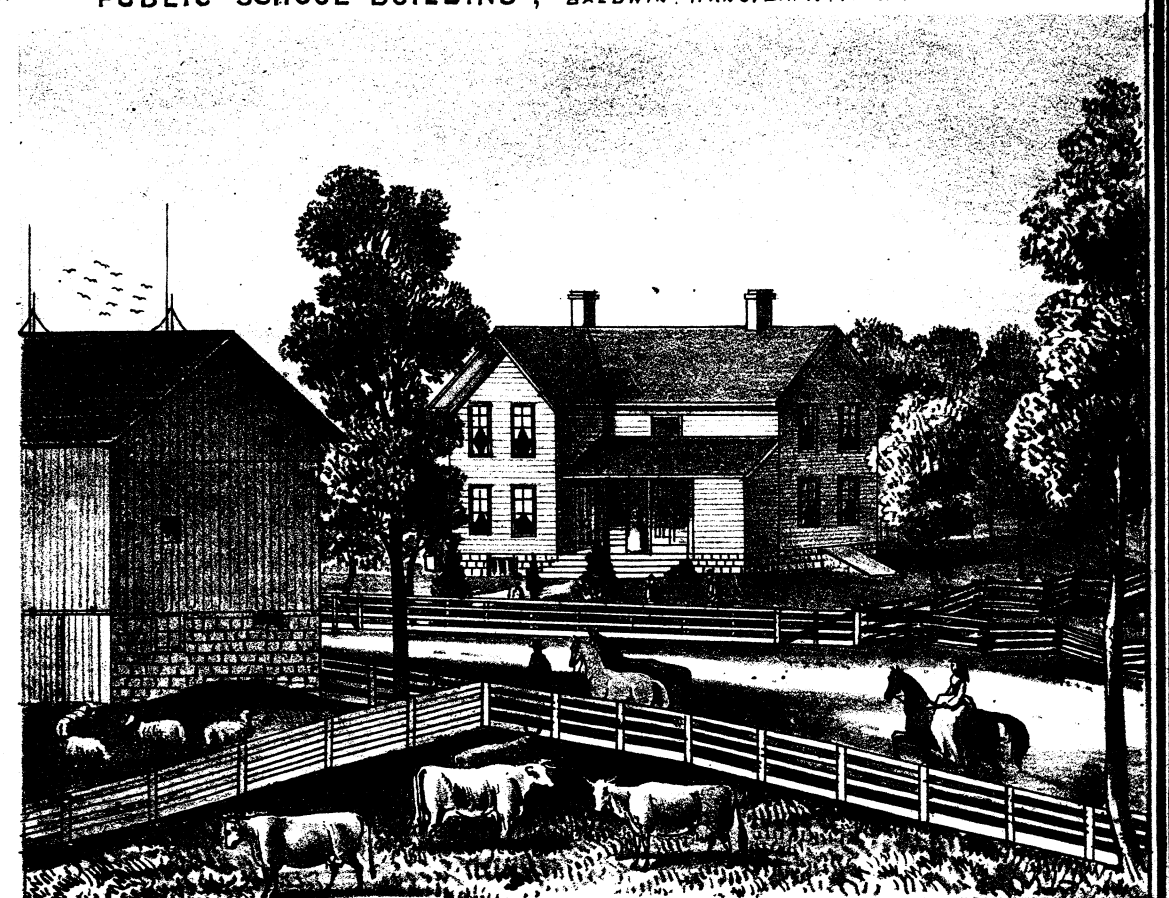
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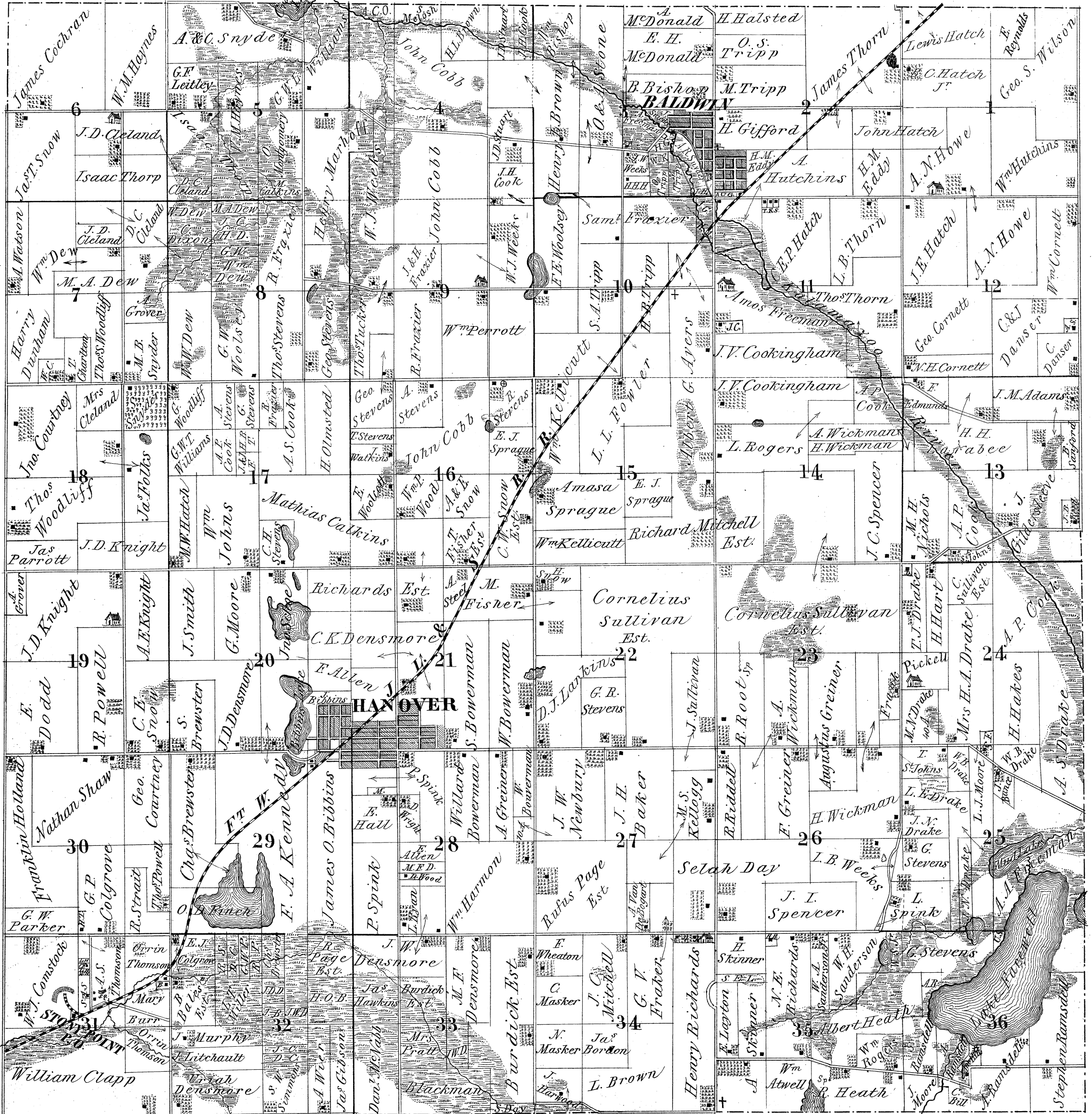
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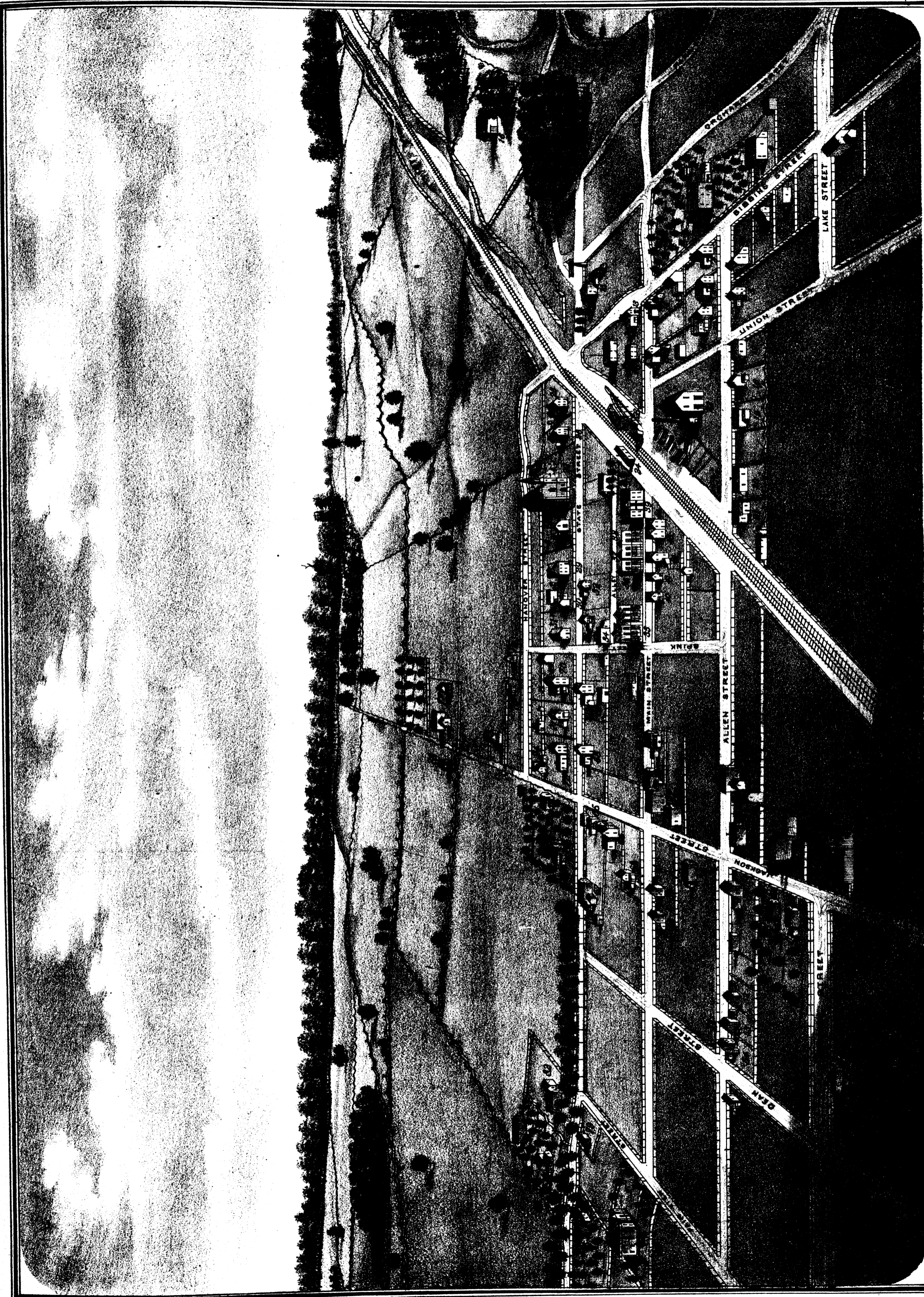
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# MAP OF HANOVER TOWNSHIP

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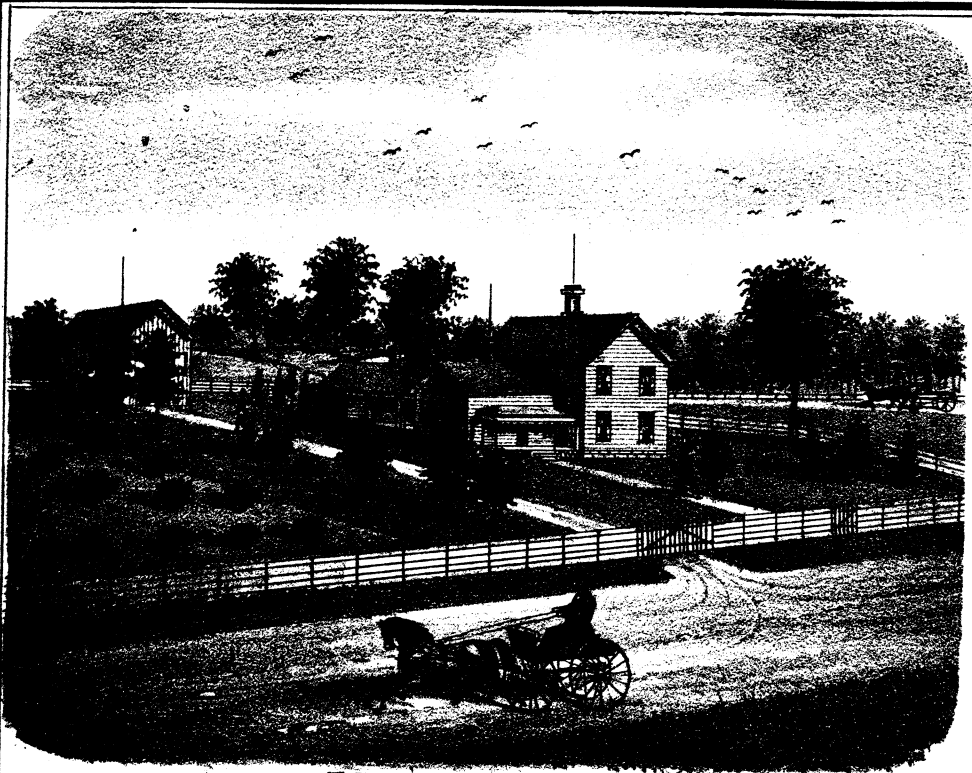




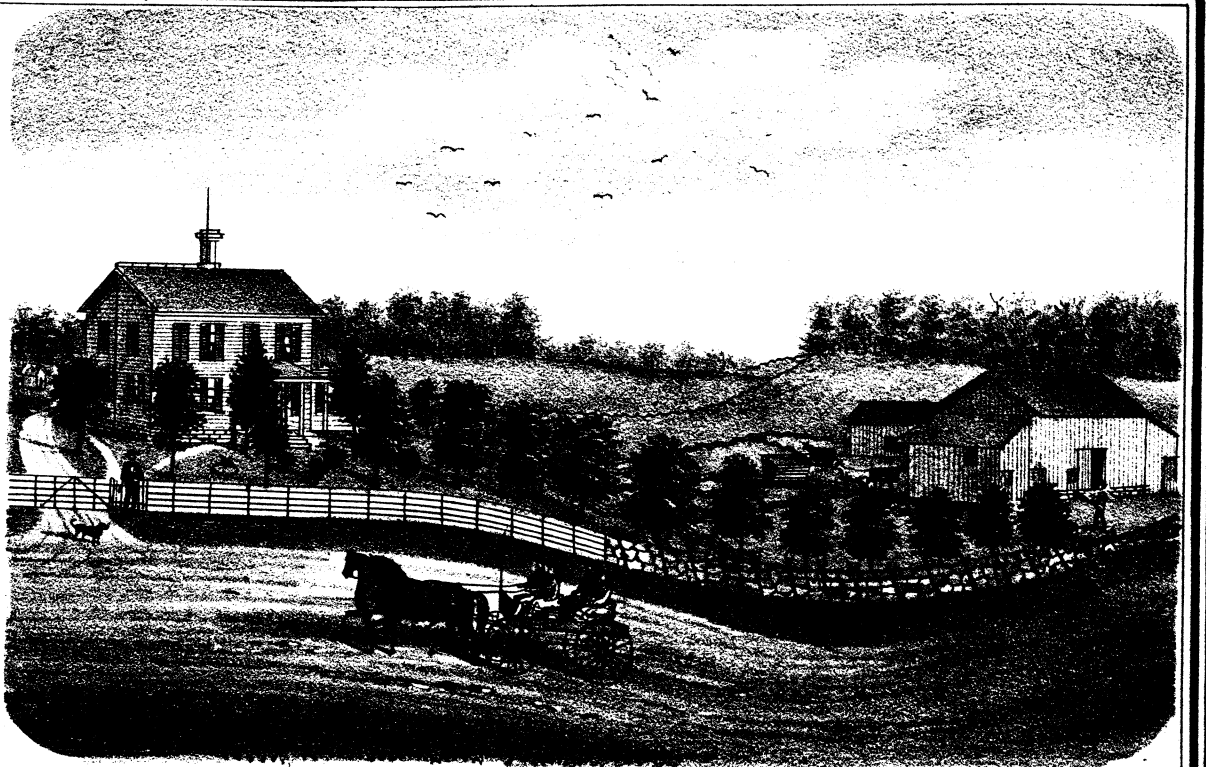


BIRD'S-EYE VIEW OF HANOVER VILLAGE, MICHIGAN.

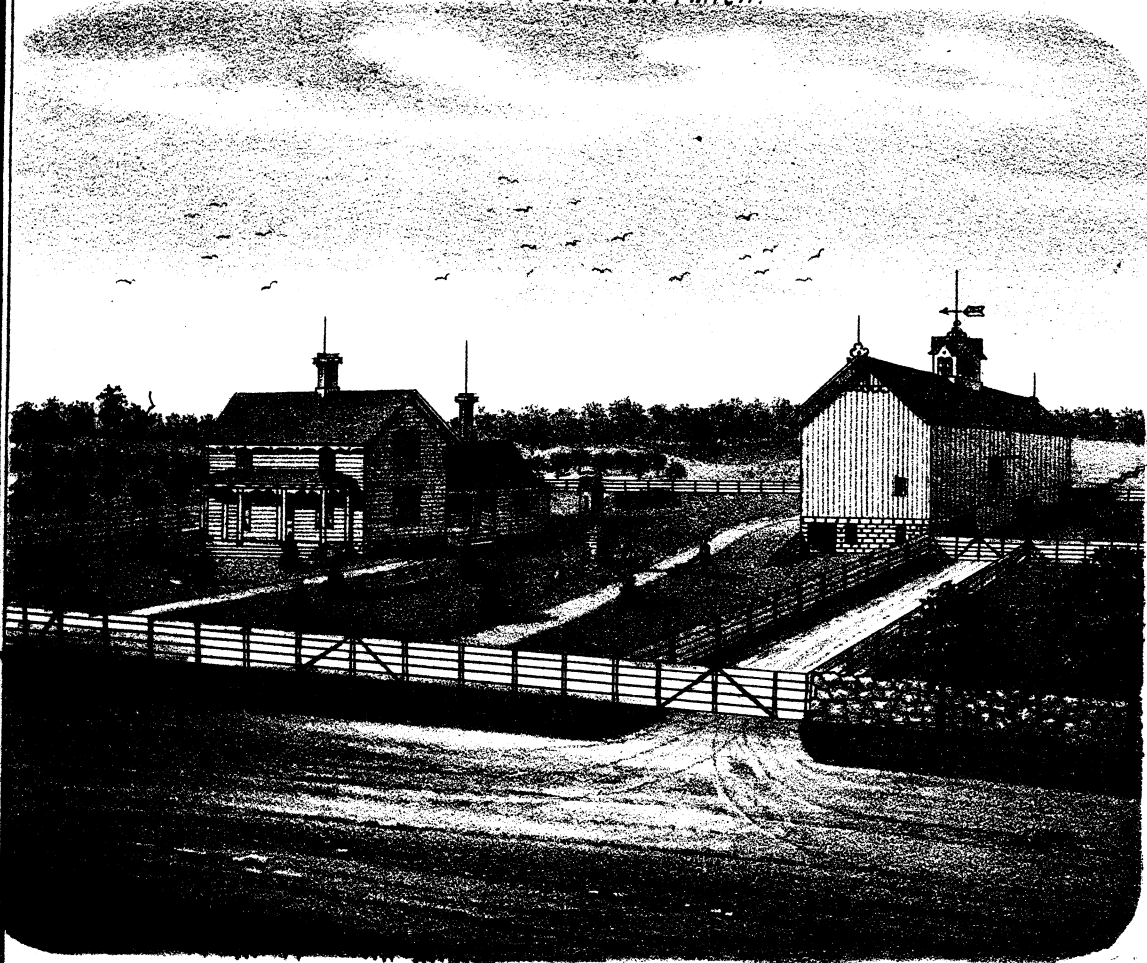
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| 3. F. Morgan.               | 21. B. S. Tupper.       | 29. A. A. & M. W. Freeman. | 38. S. C. & R. C. Smith, Drugs | 45. Elias Allen.         | 53. } Dean & Peabody. | 61. Bischoffmuth.   | 69. D. J. Larkins.    | 78. Wm. Howard.       |
| 4. Chas. Cole.              | 22. Steam Planing-Mill. | 30. C. A. Ford.            | 39. Allen & Ford.              | 46. H. D. Allen.         | 54. } Dean & Peabody. | 62. L. S. Prescott. | 70. H. Hutchings.     | 79. Samuel Correll.   |
| 5. Mrs. Ryan.               | 23. Warehouse.          | 31. Old School-House.      | 40. Hotel.                     | 47. Wm. Oothoudt.        | 55. Luttendon.        | 63. H. Sprague.     | 71. John Denmore.     | 80. School-House.     |
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| 8. E. M. Smith.             | 26. } W. J. G. Dean.    | 34. Blacksmith's Shop.     | 42. B. Markum.                 | 50. Dean & Peabody.      | 58. C. Armstrong.     | 66. Jas. Mitchell.  | 74. N. Bacon.         | 83. Willard Bowerman. |
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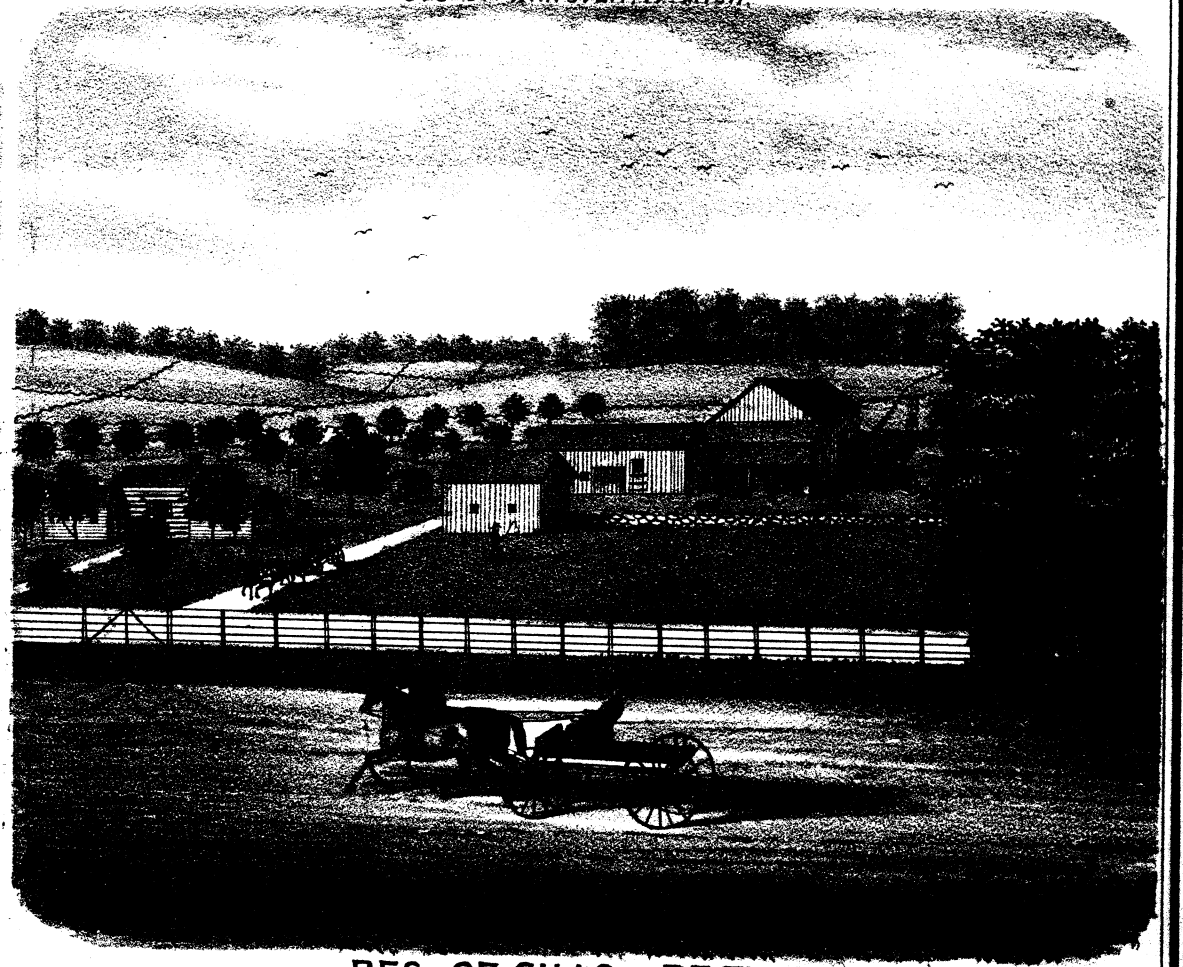
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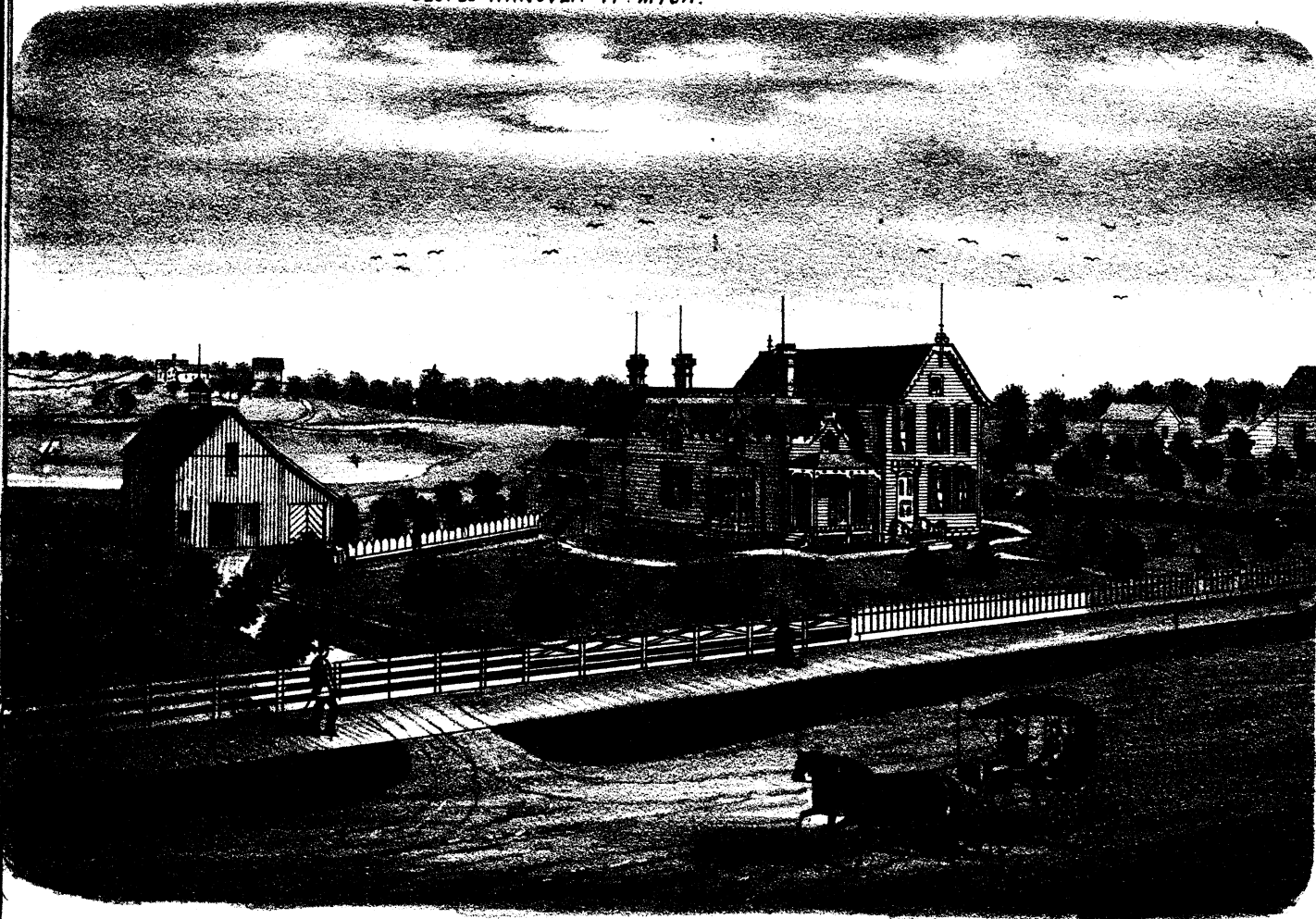
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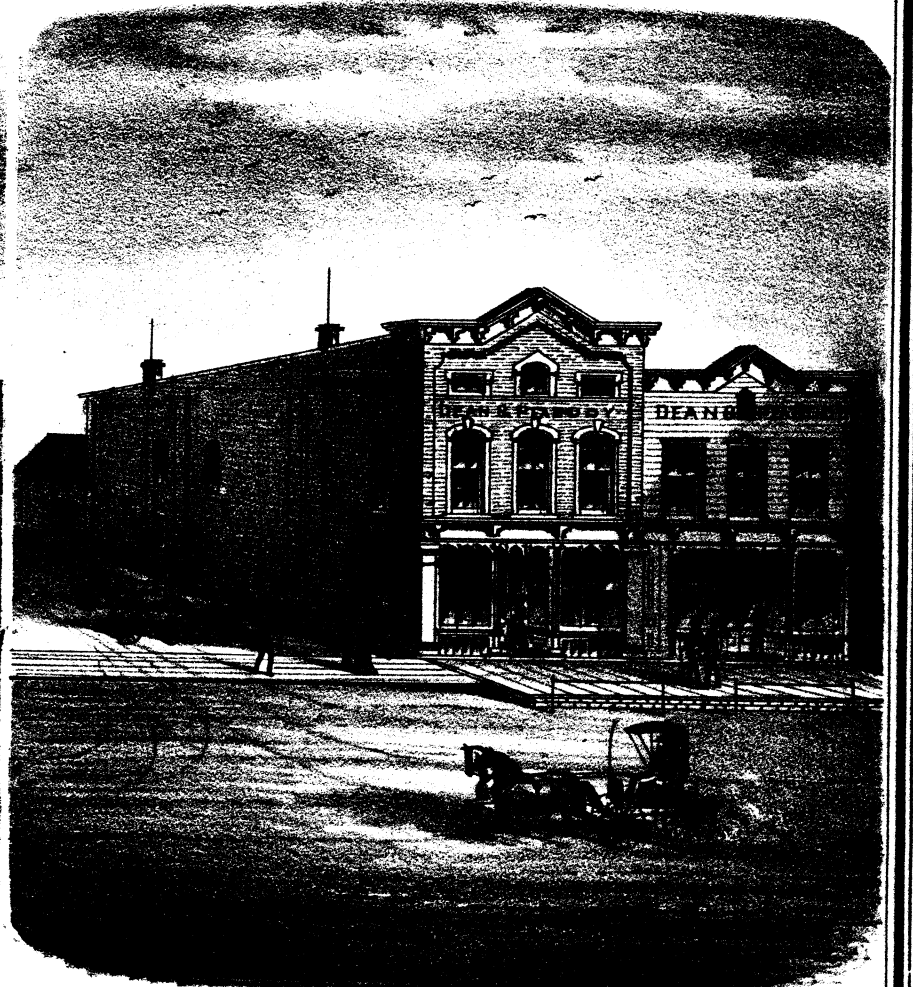
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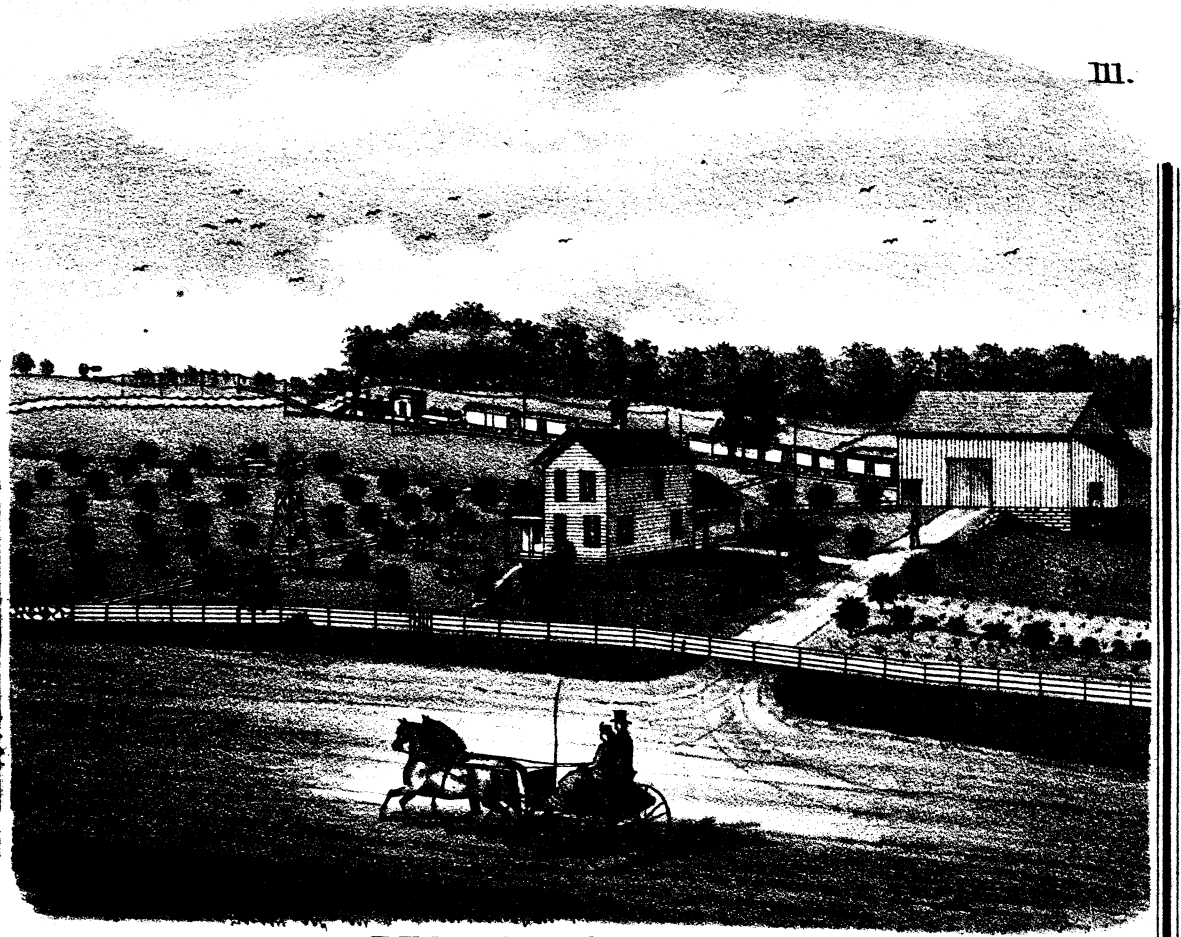
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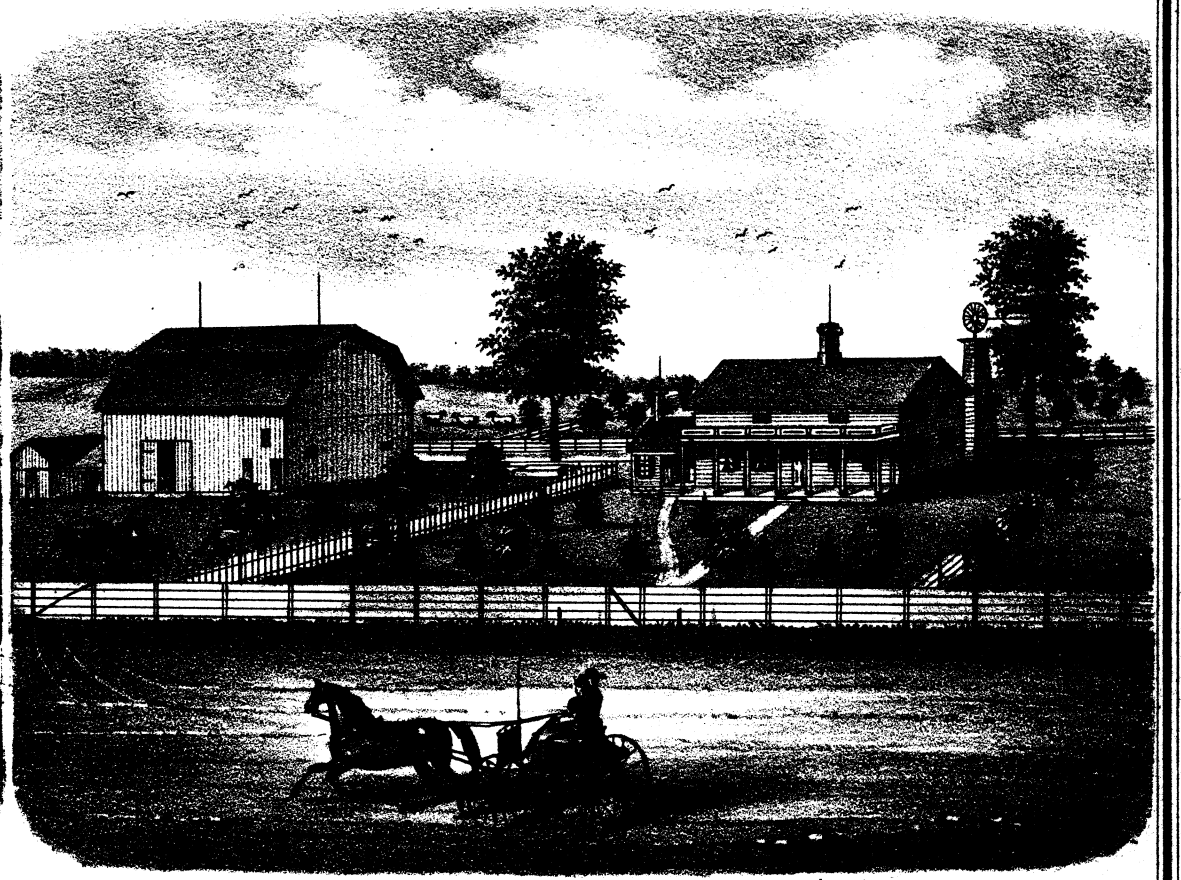
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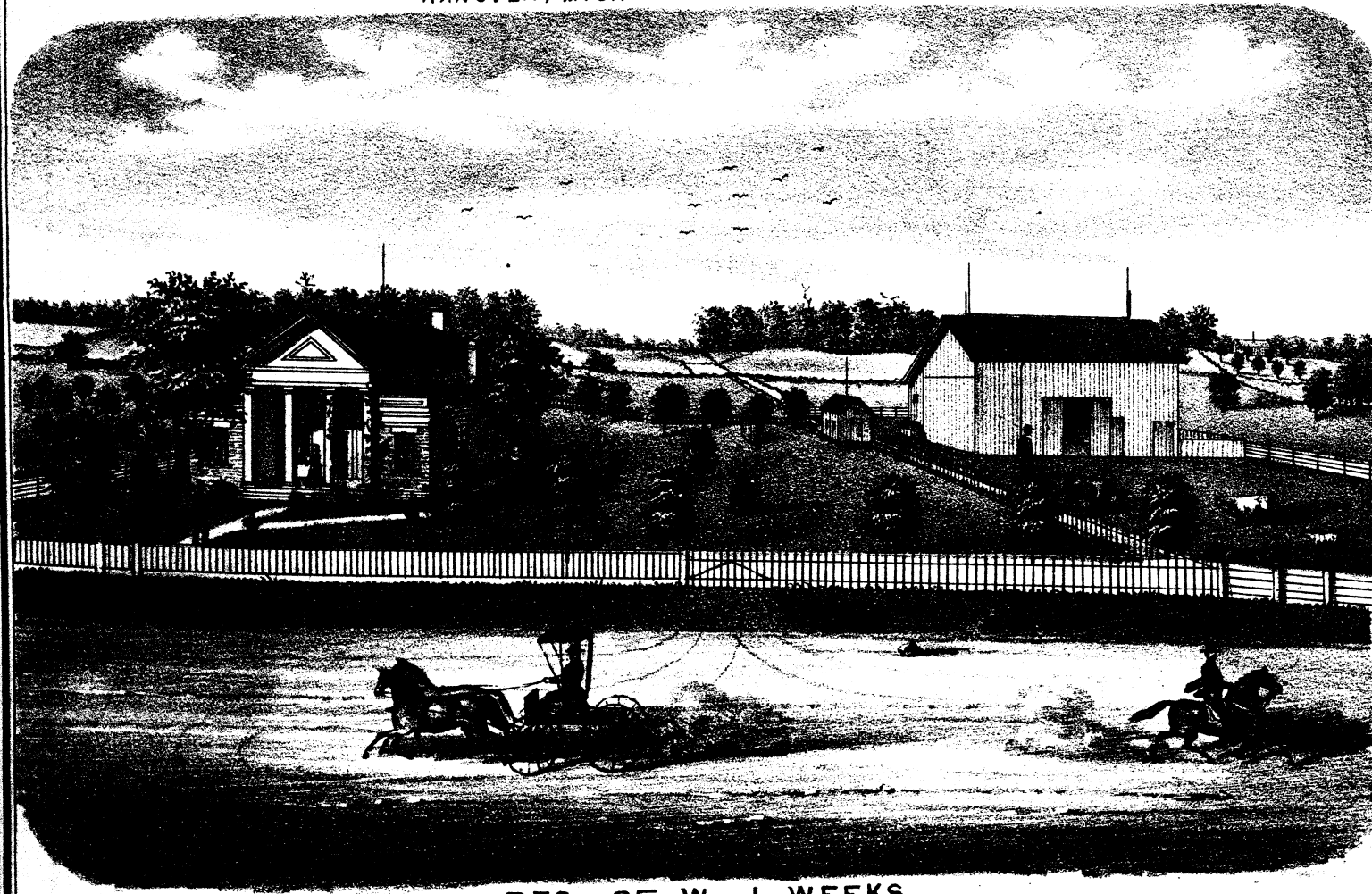
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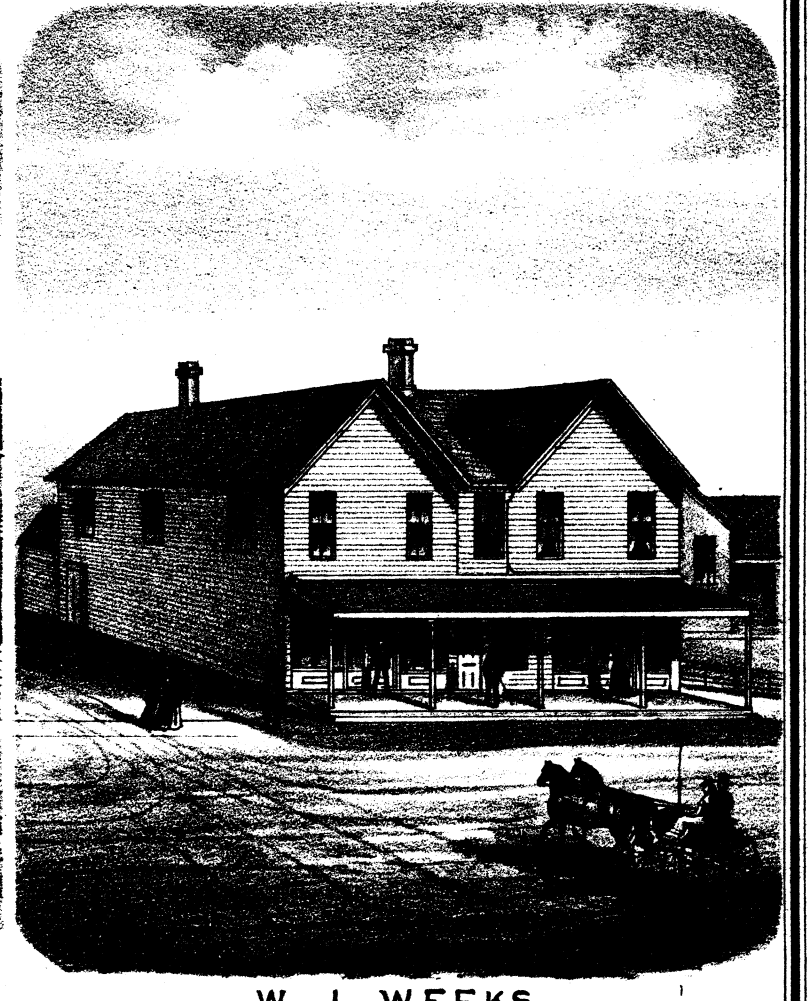
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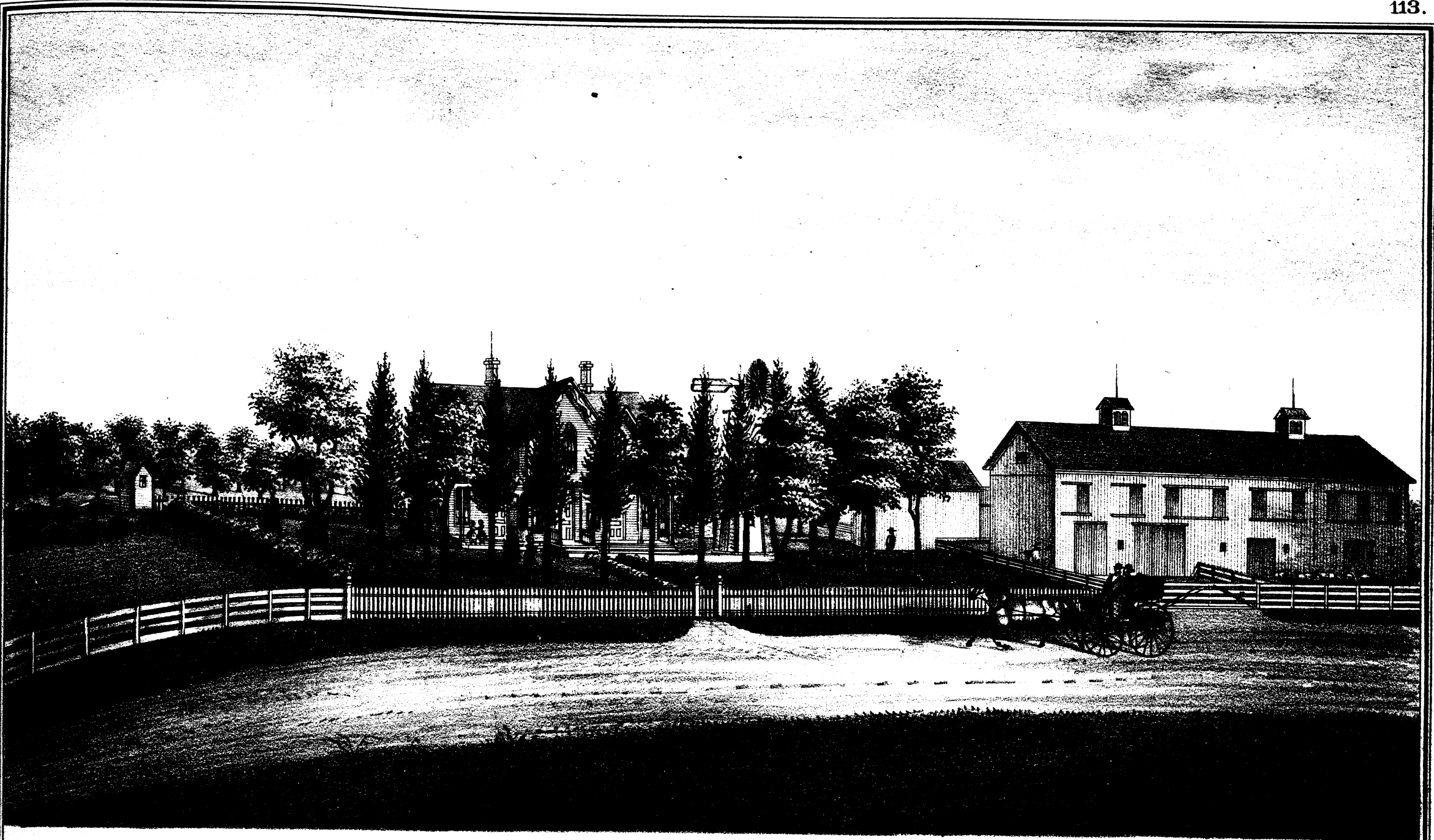


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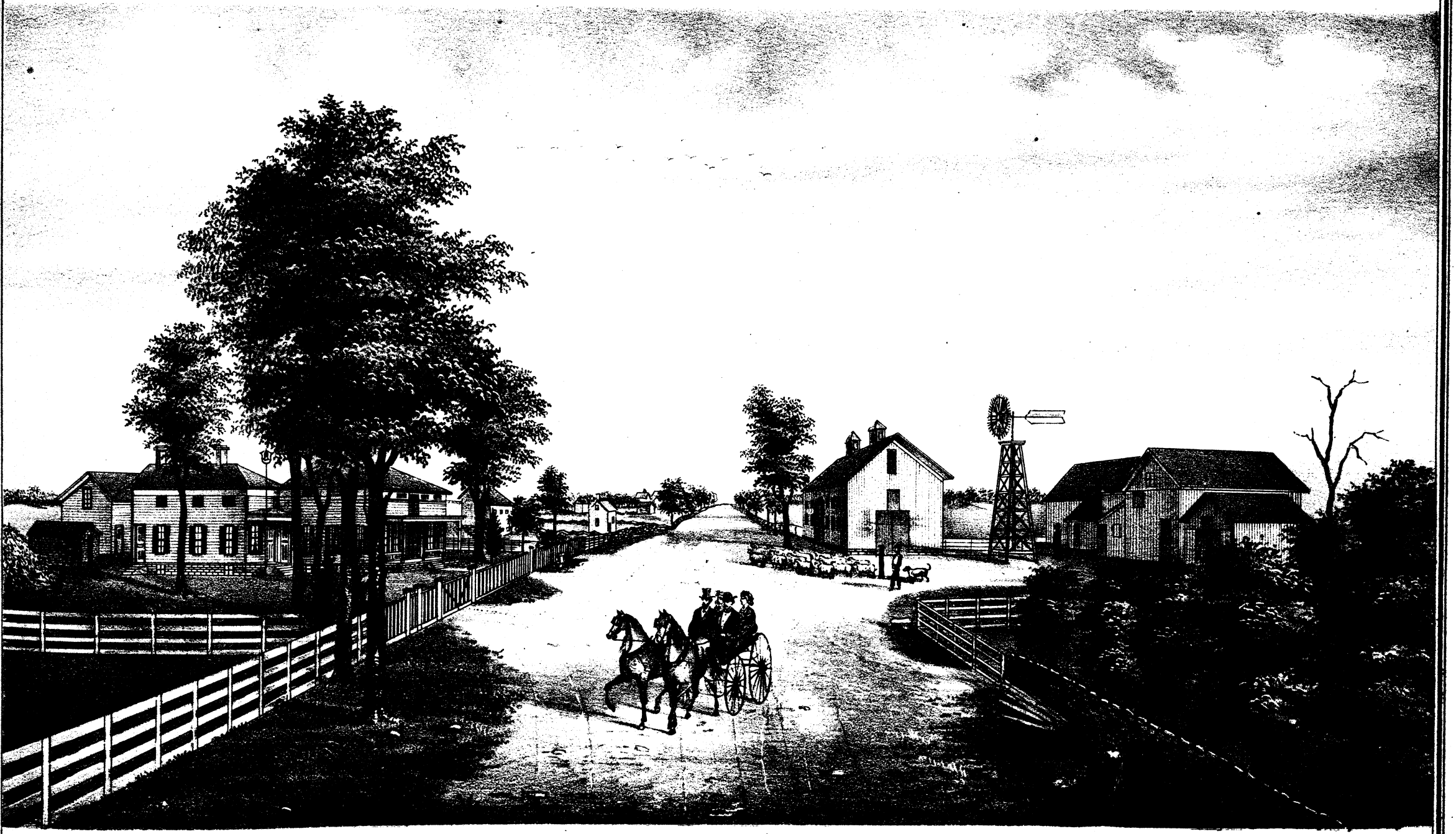


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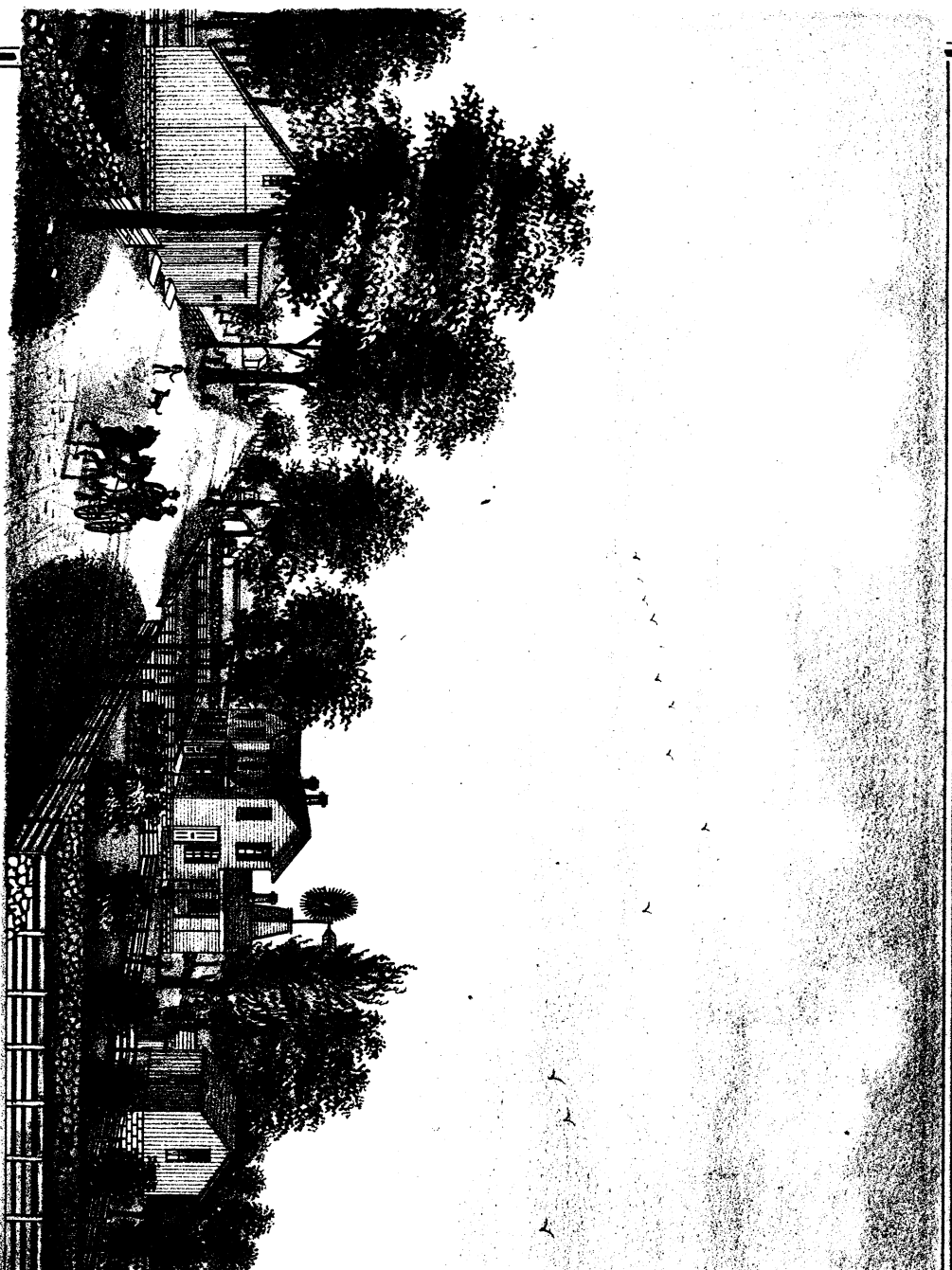




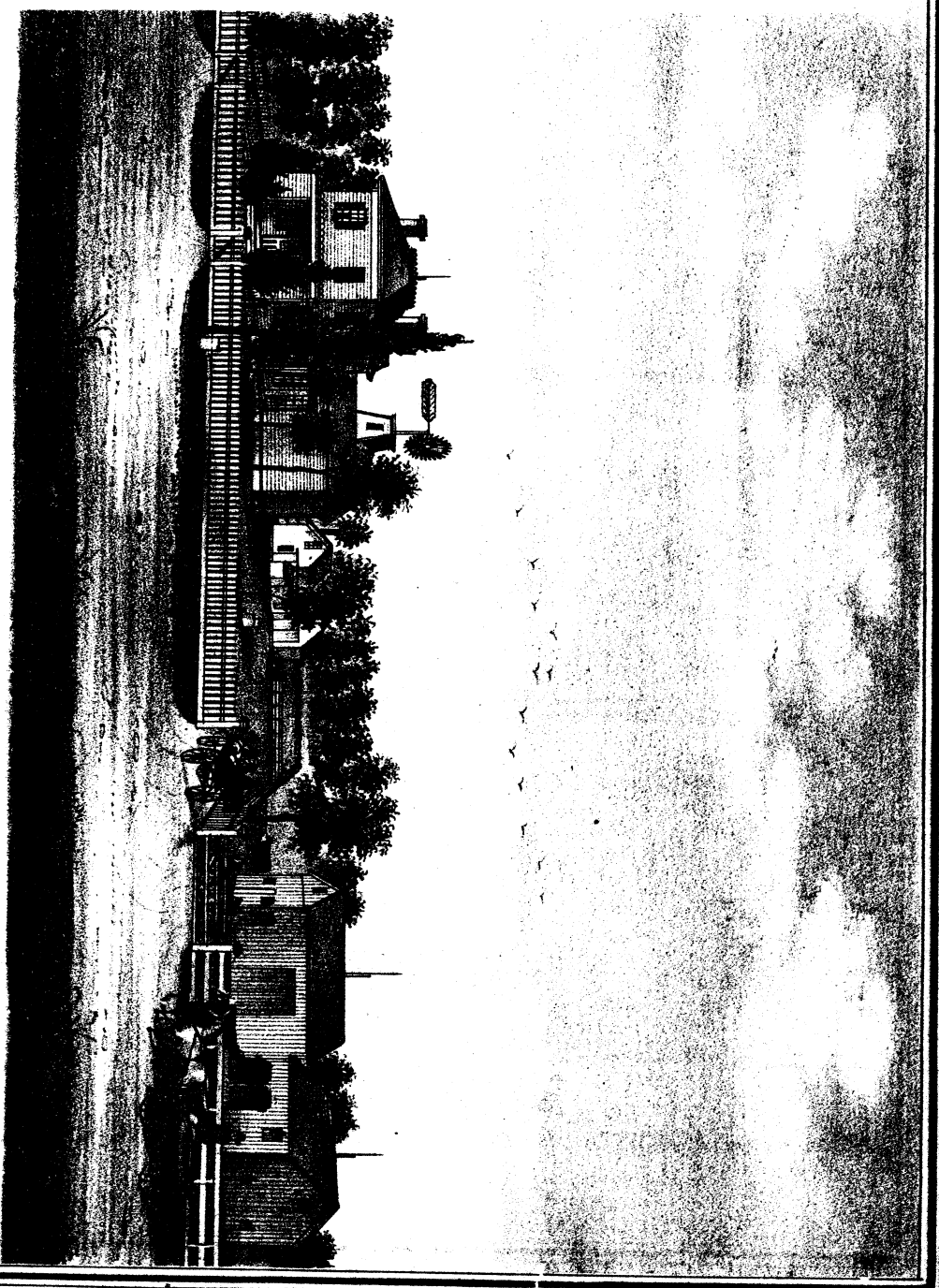
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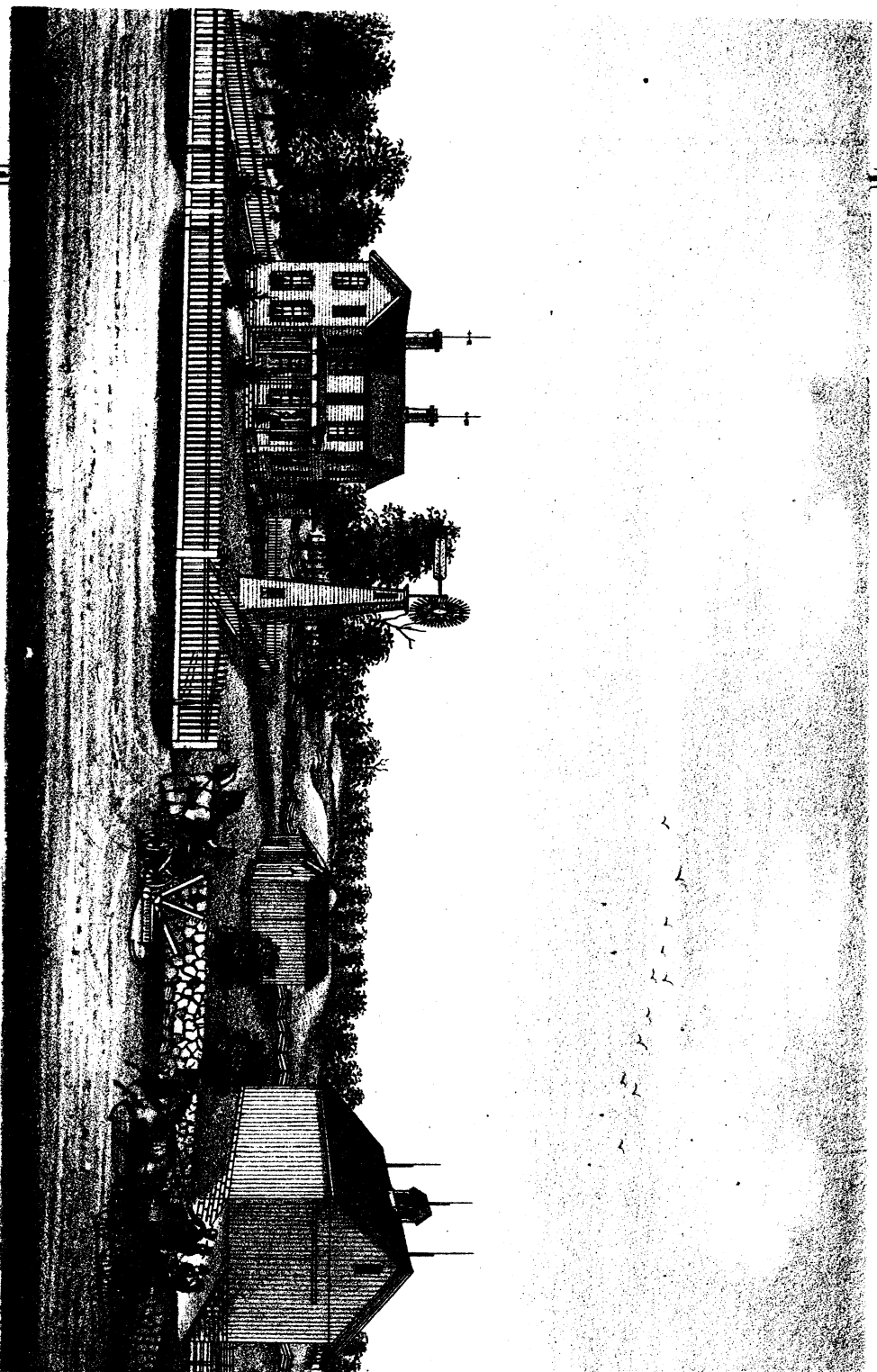
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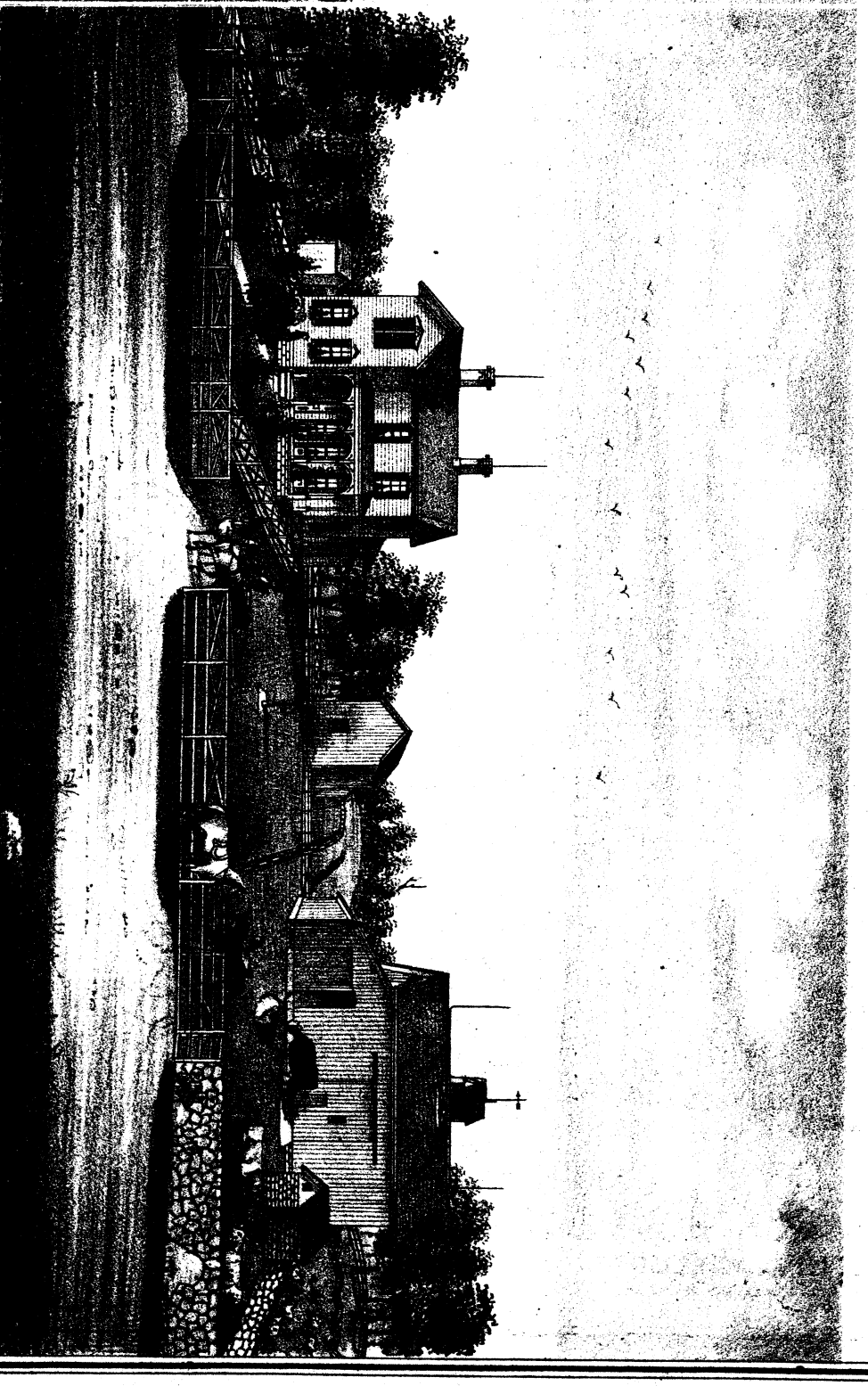
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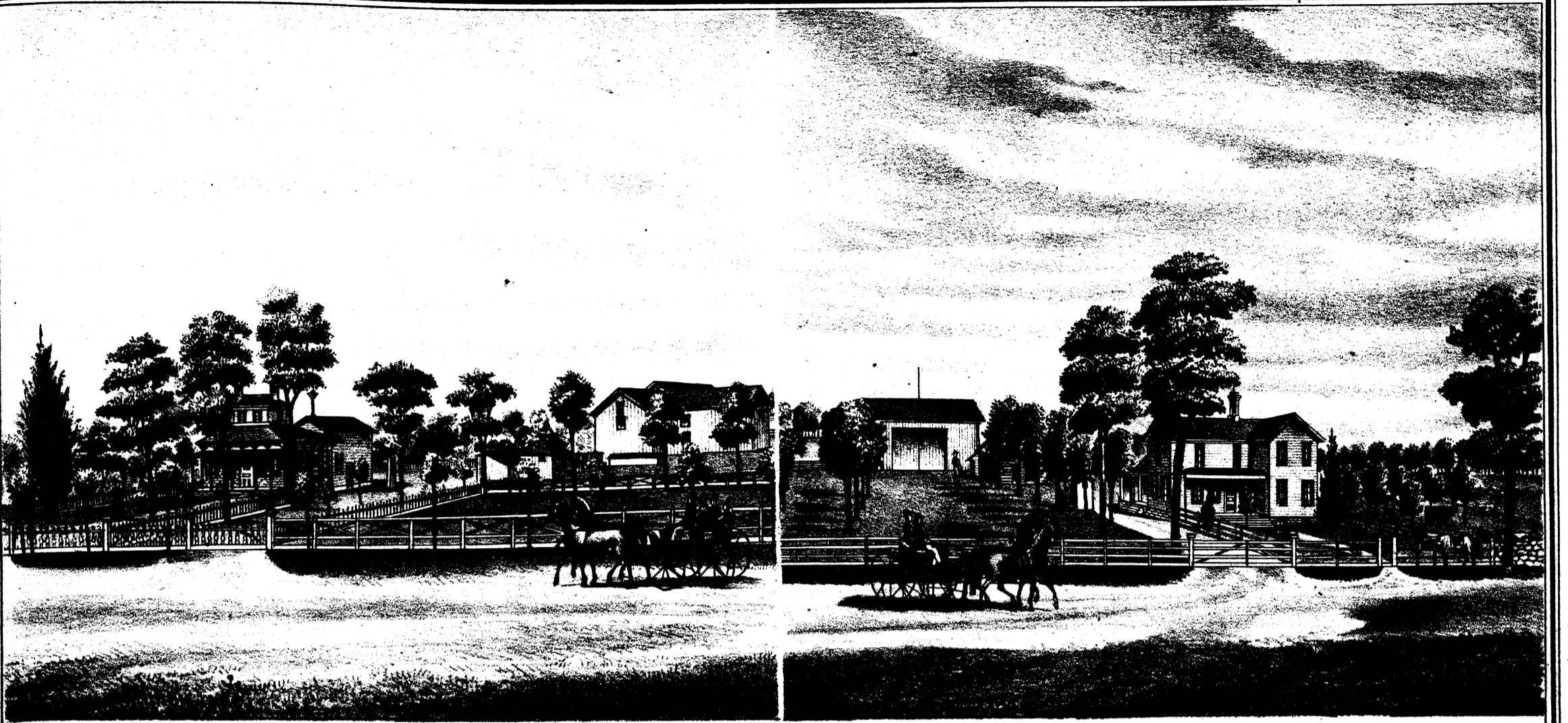
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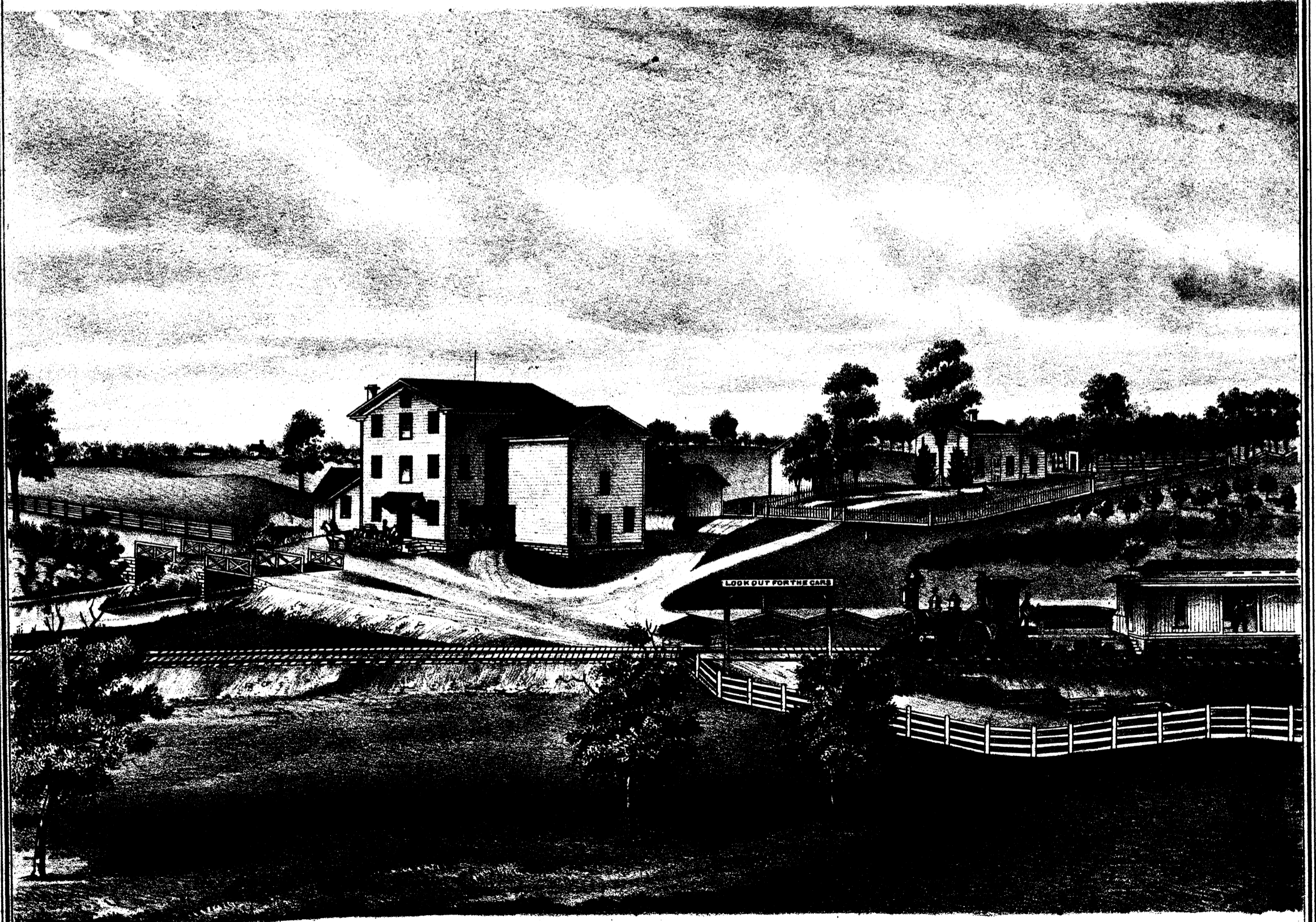


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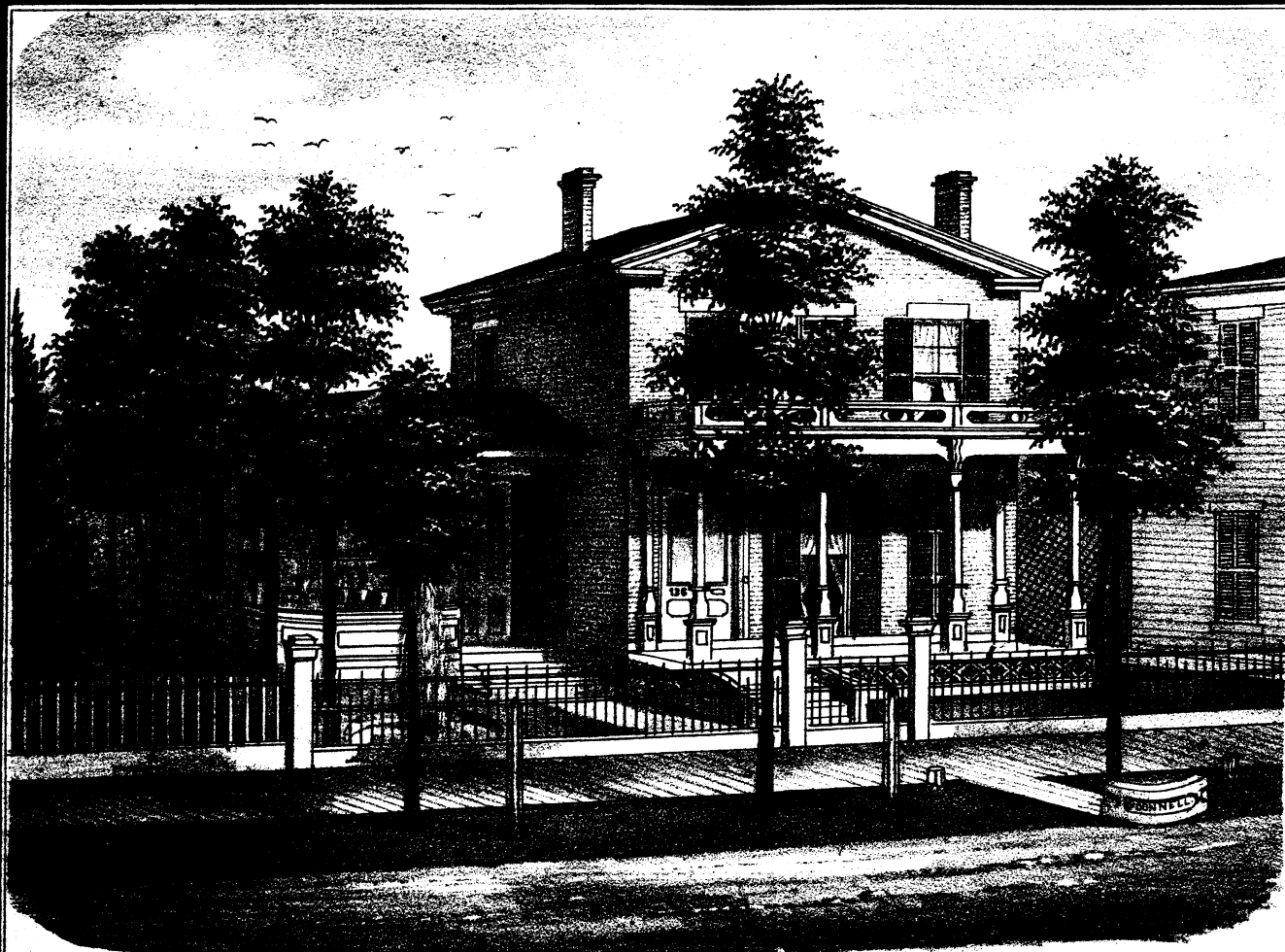


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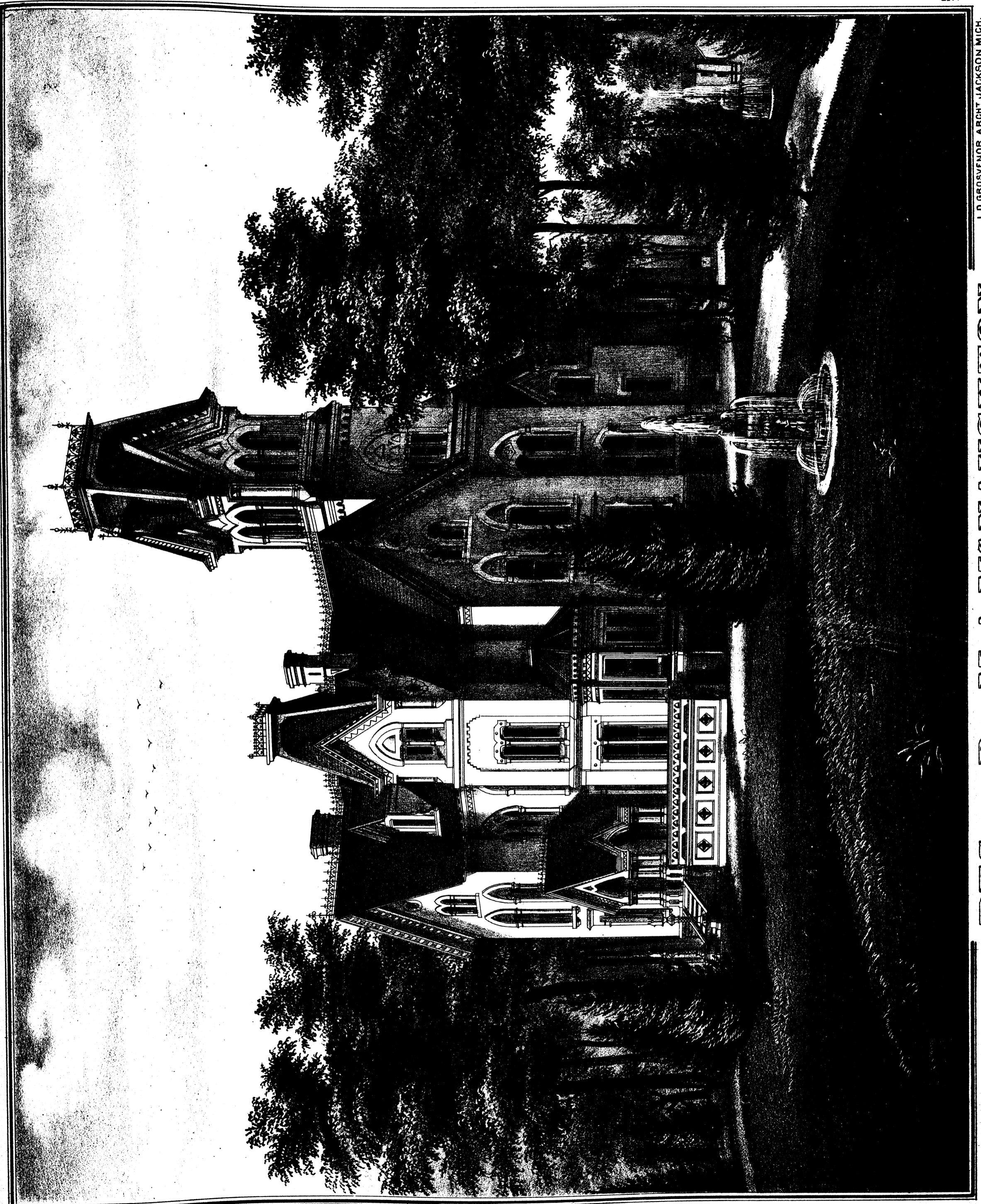


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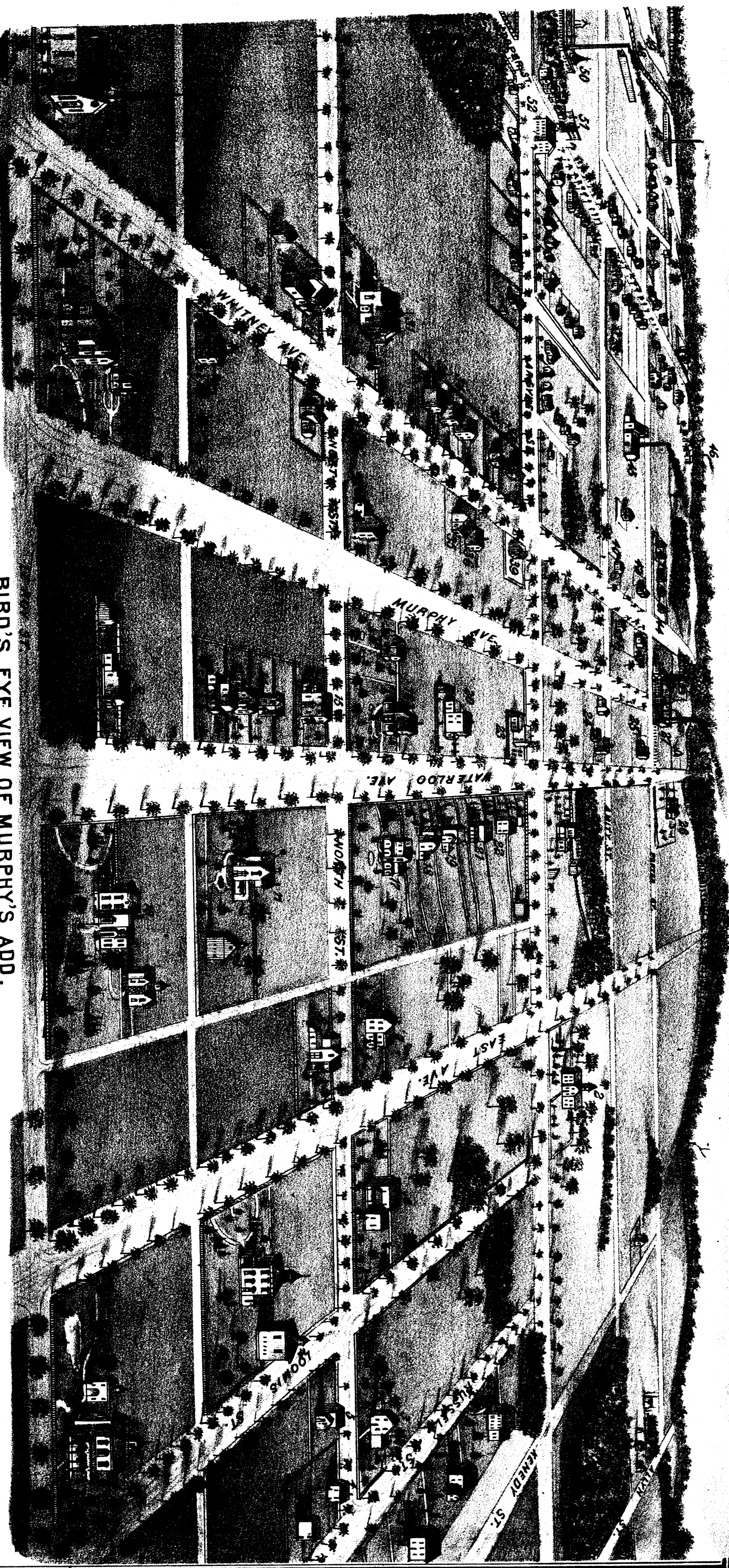
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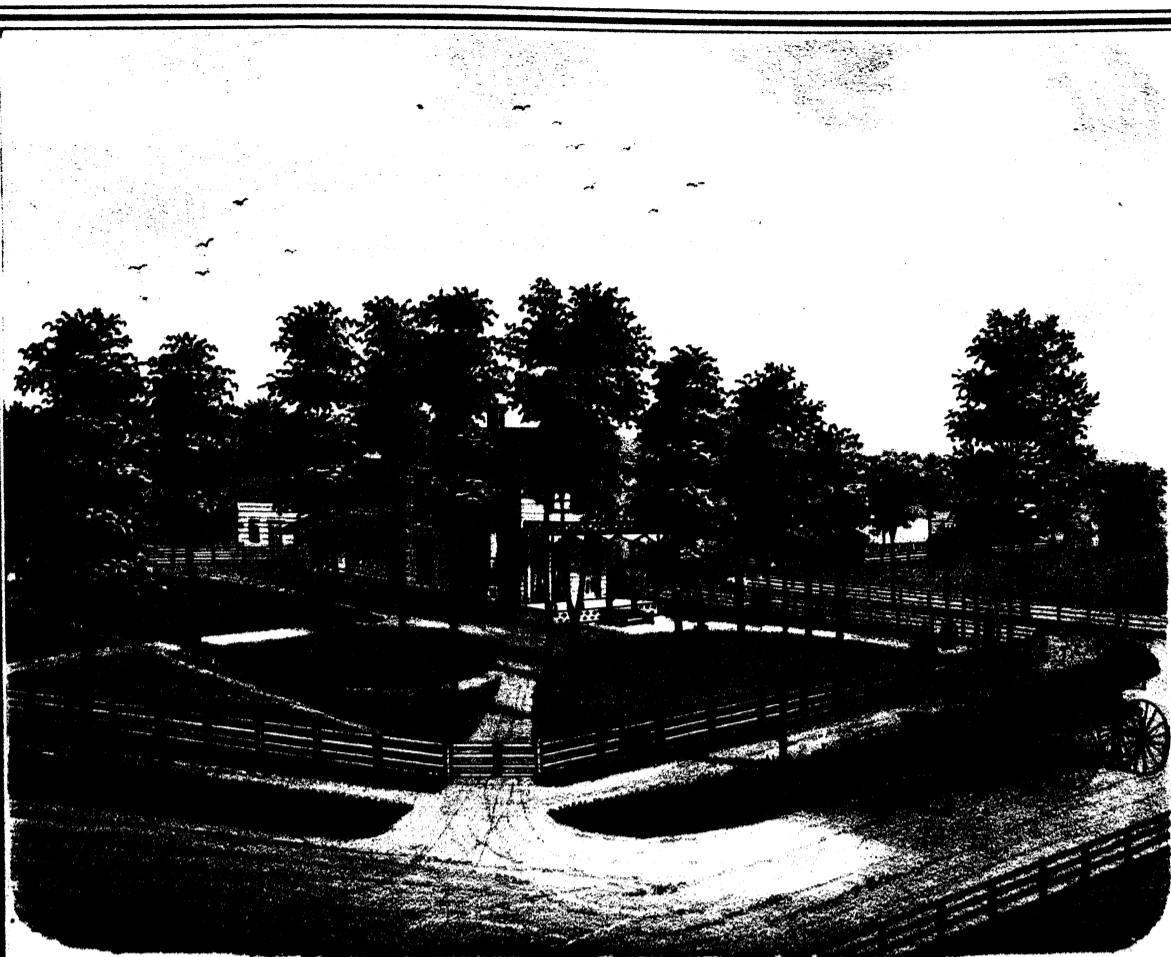
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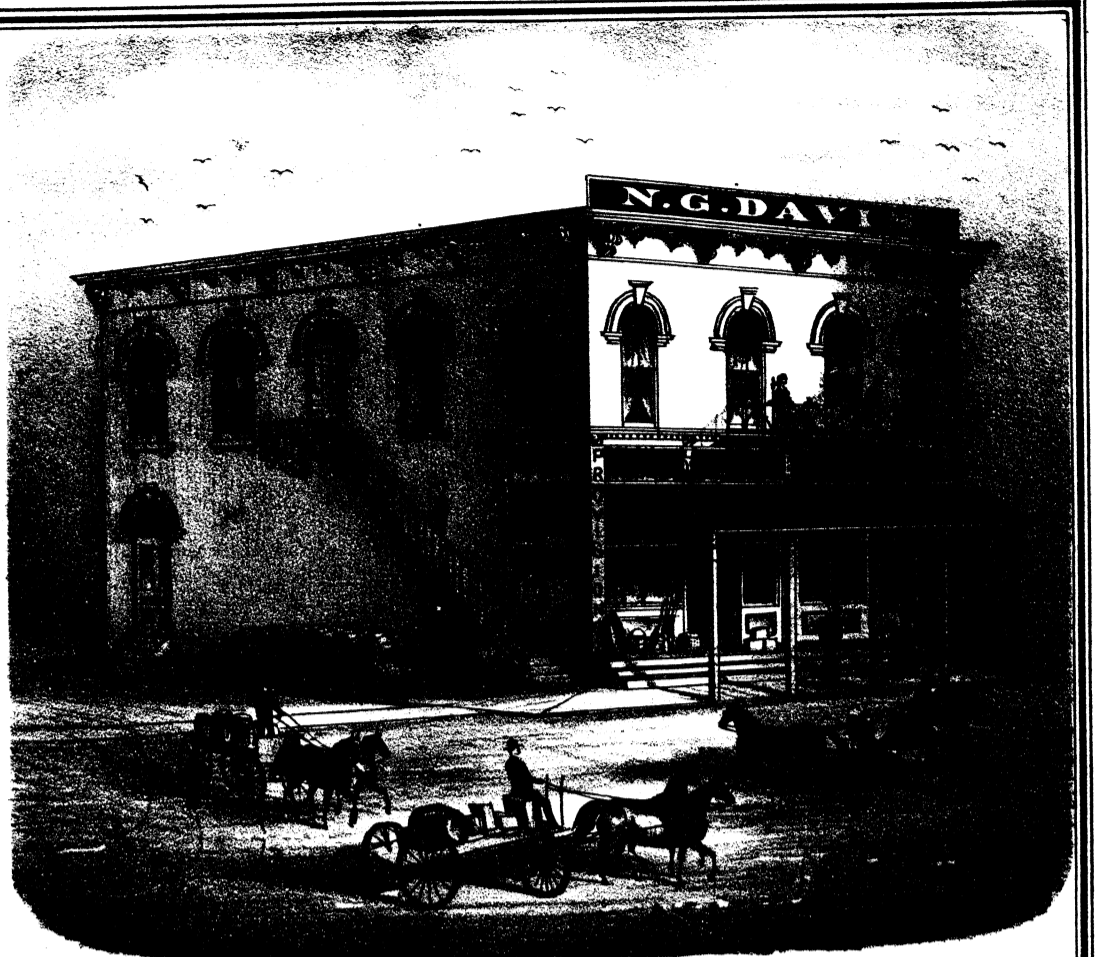


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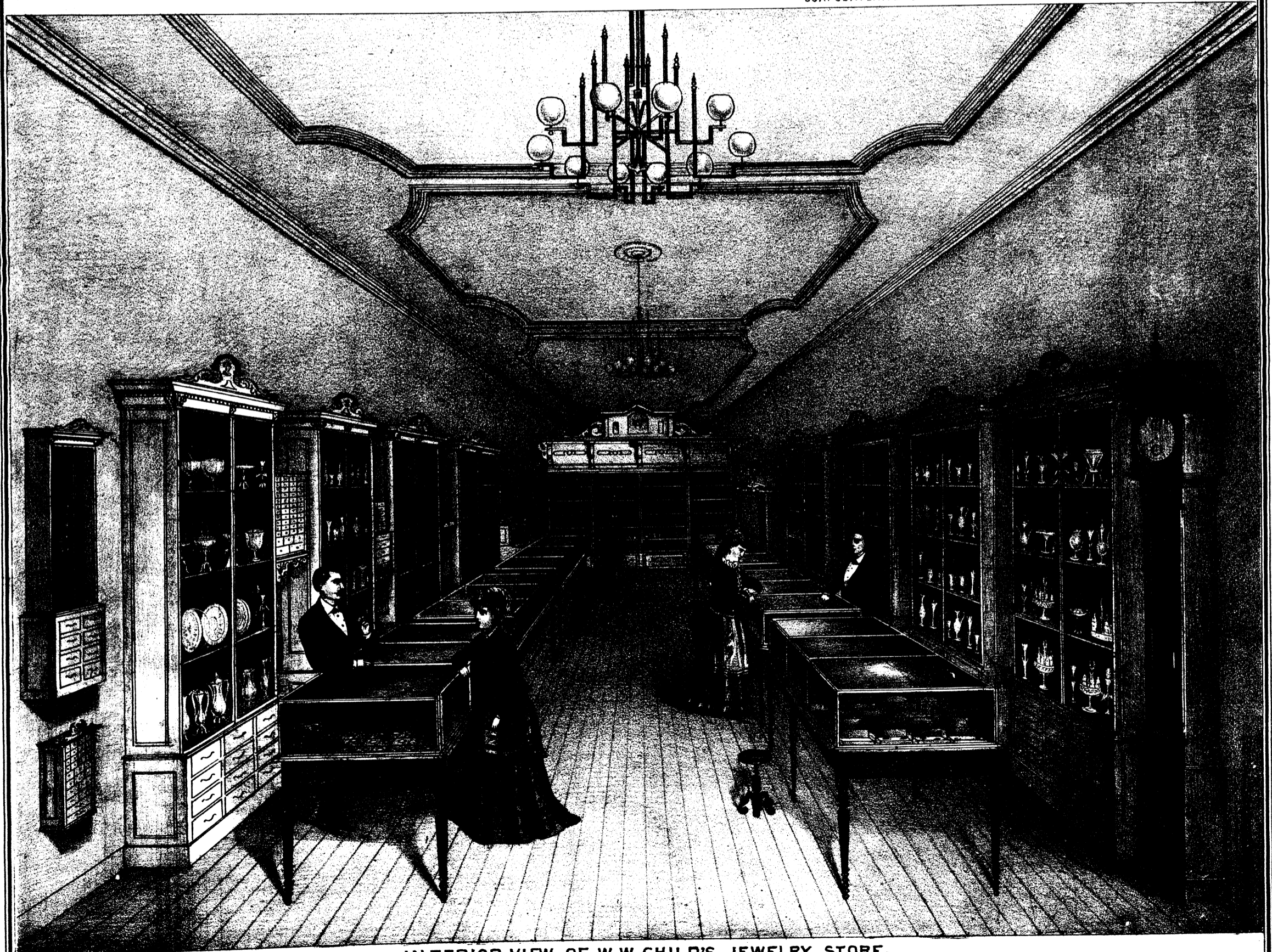
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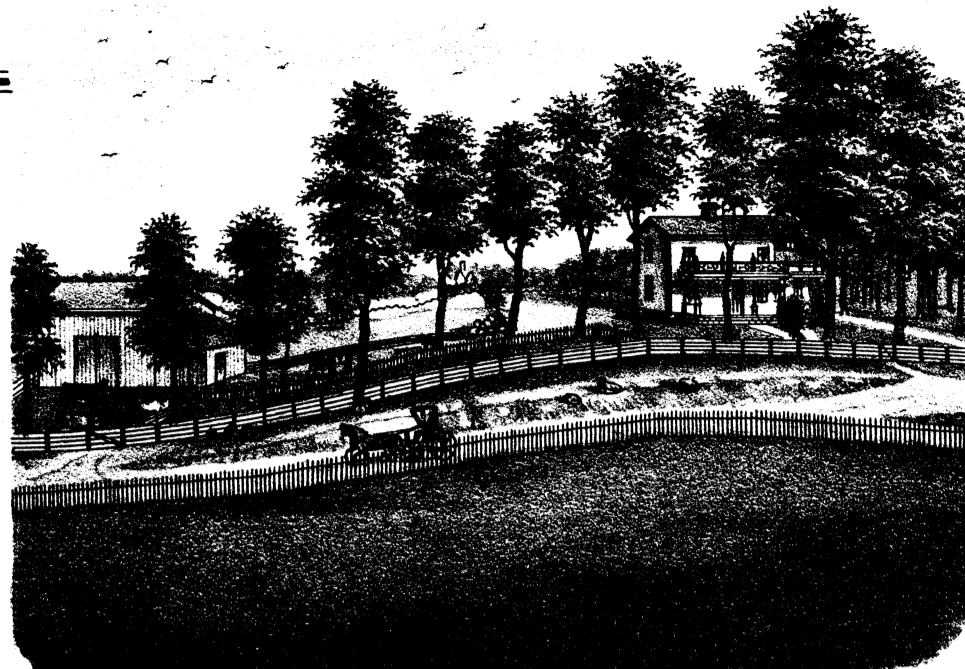
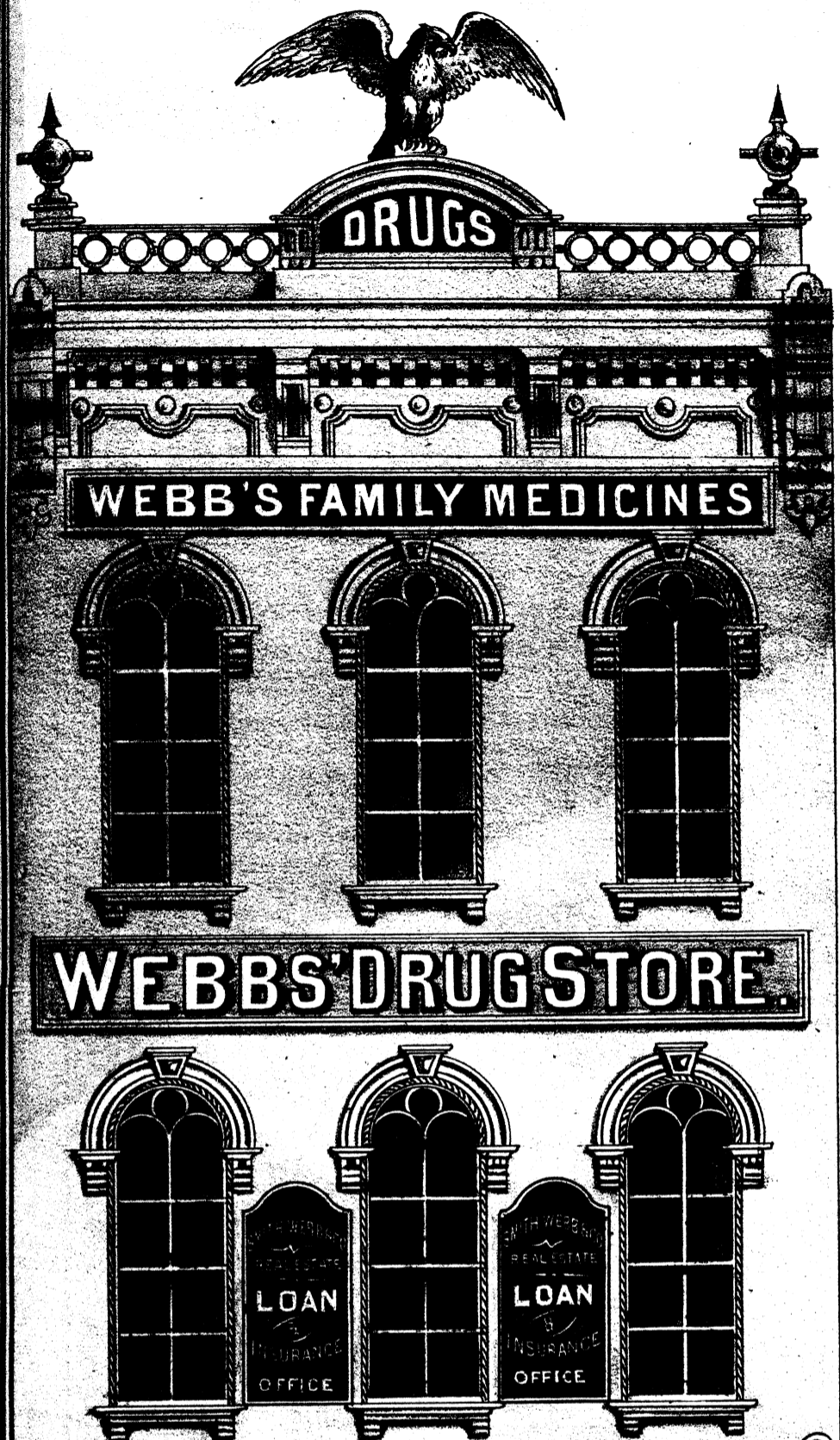
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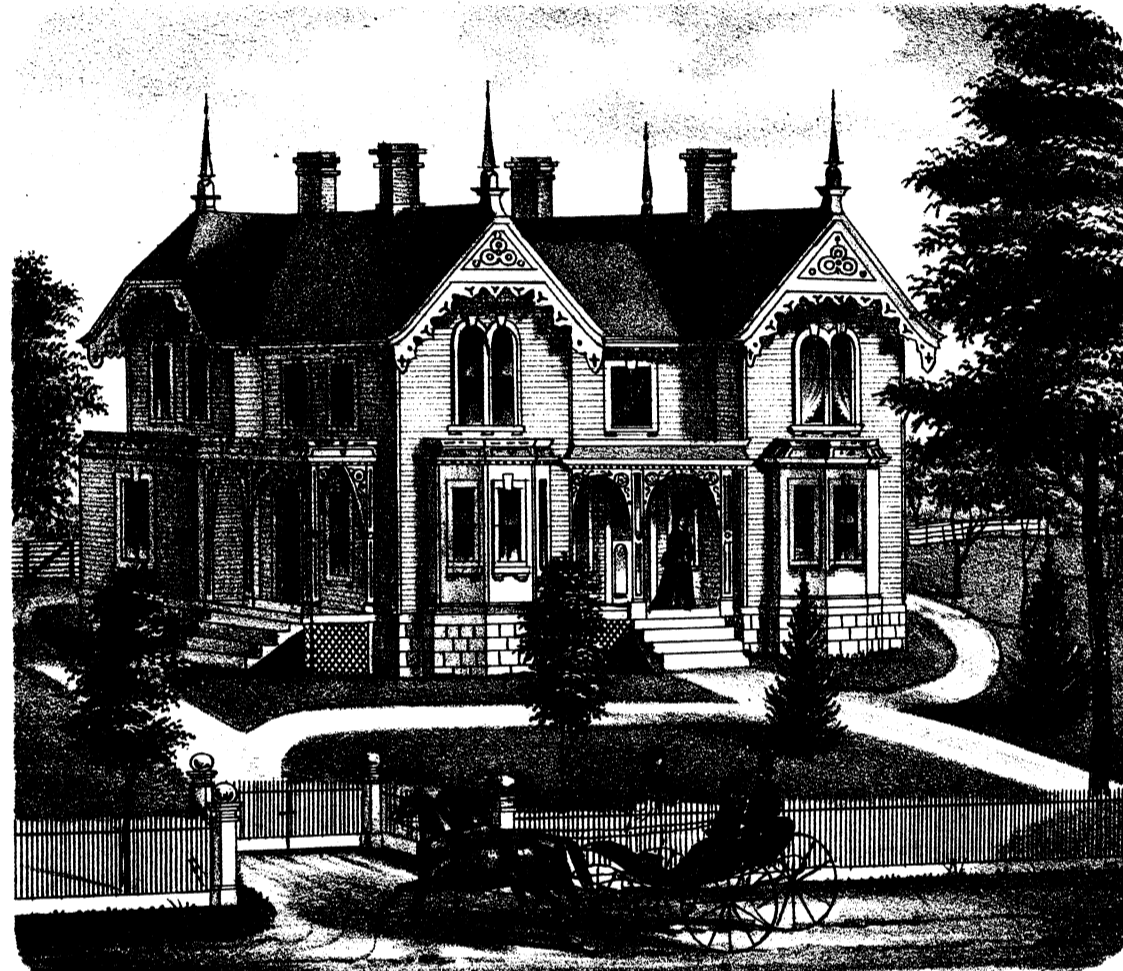
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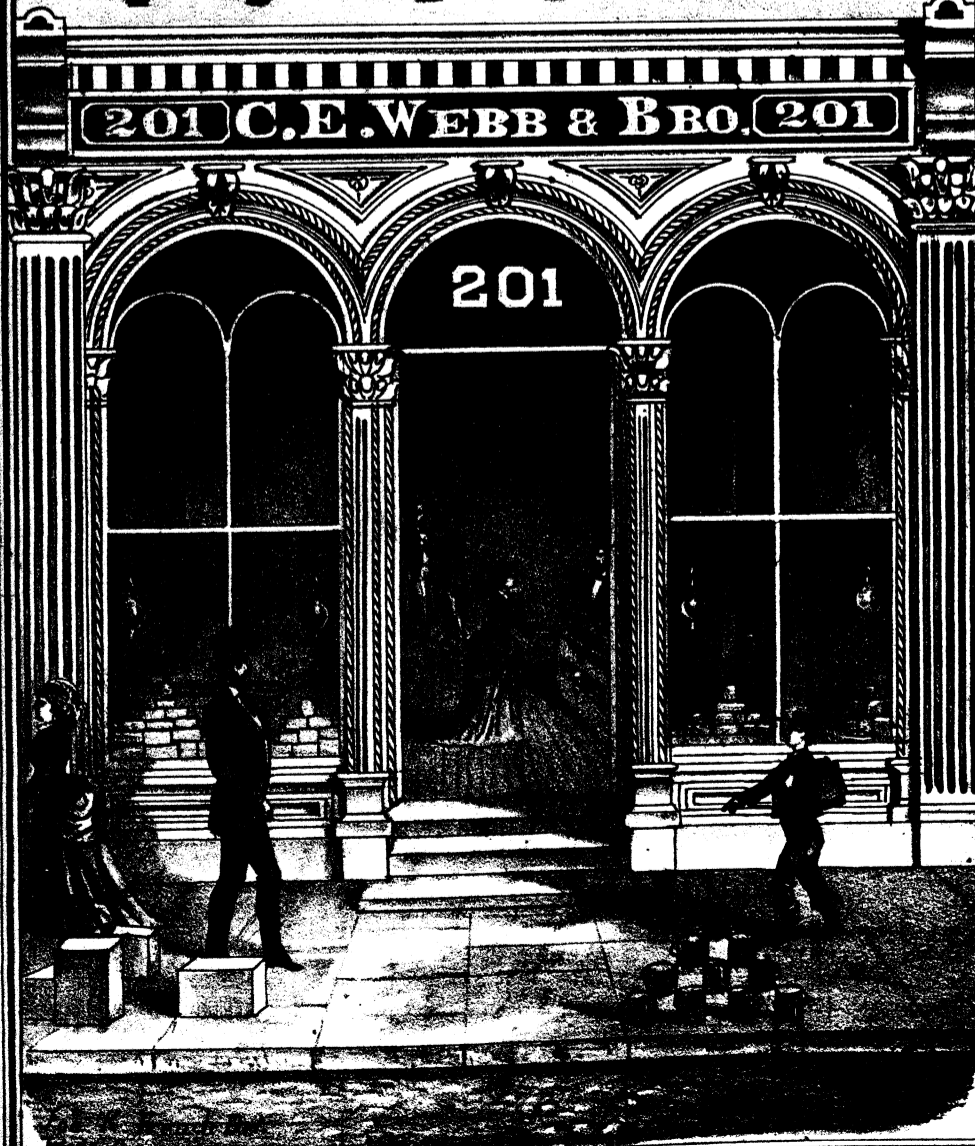
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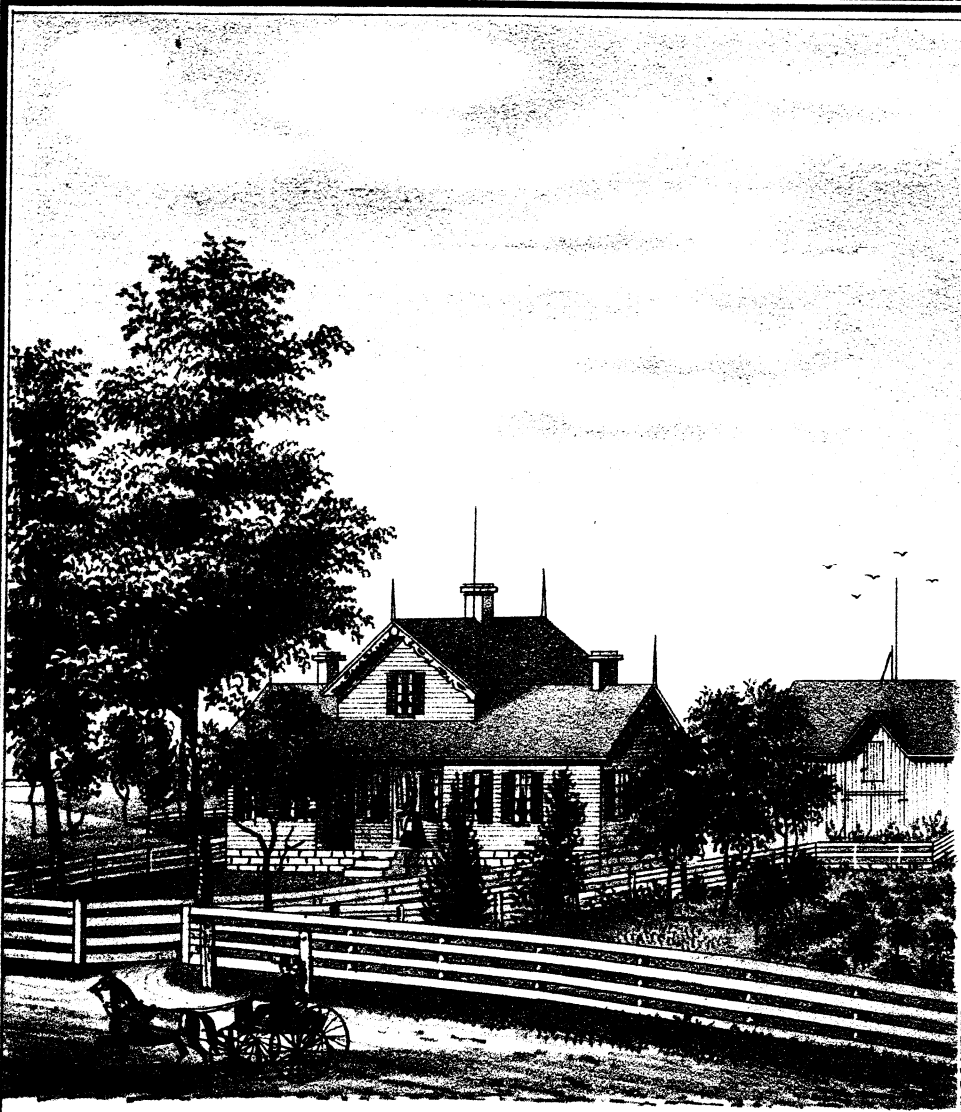


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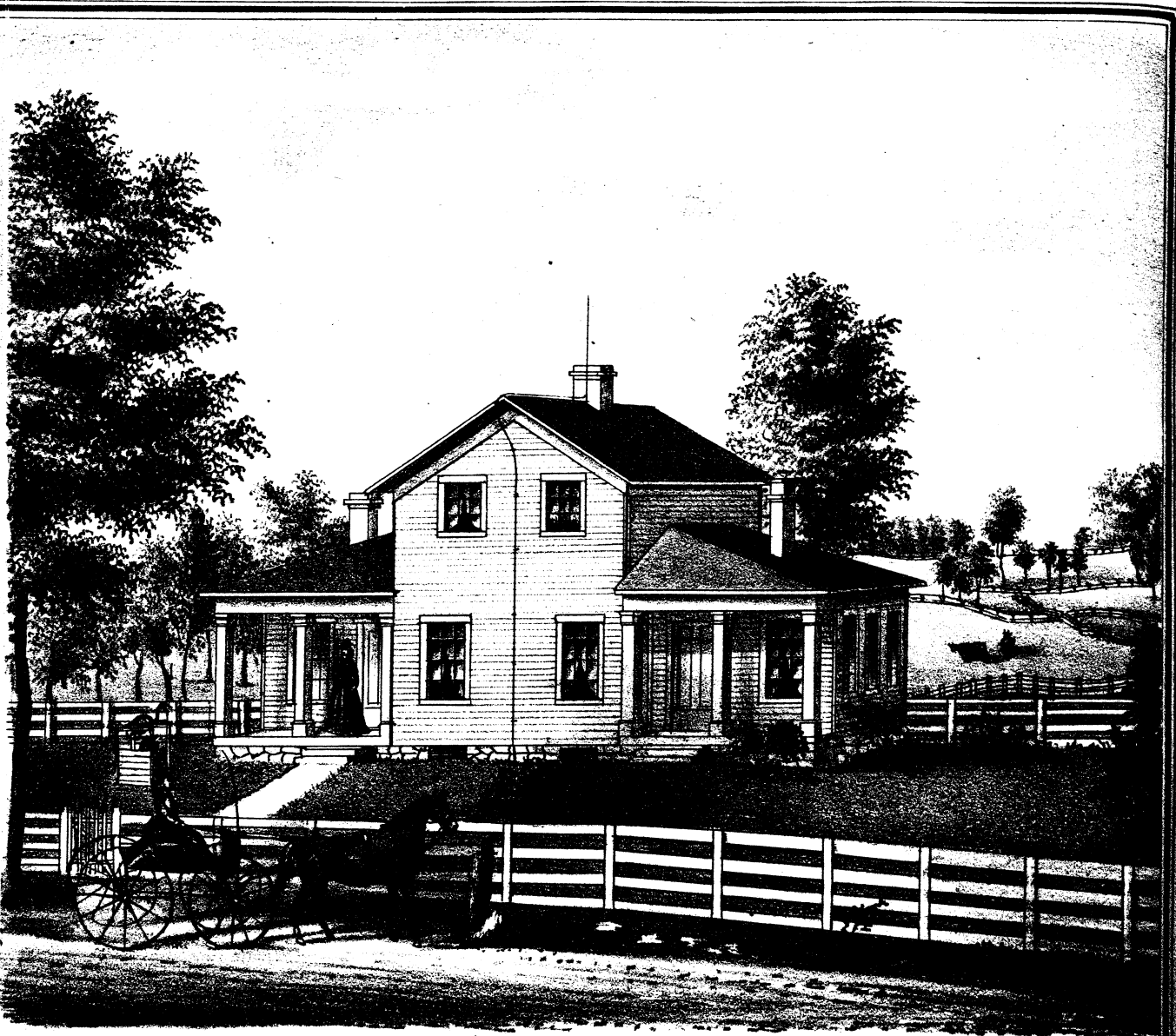
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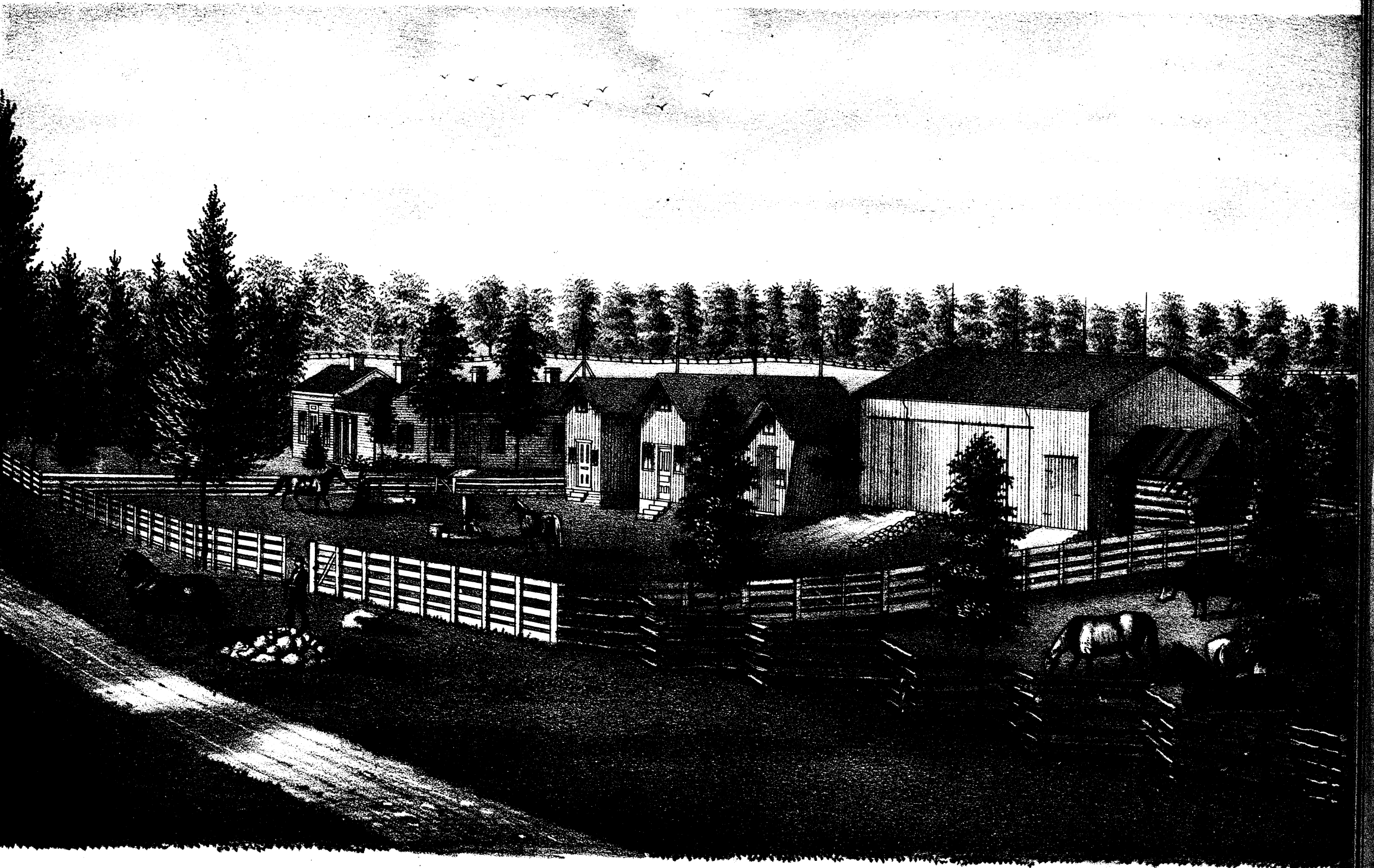
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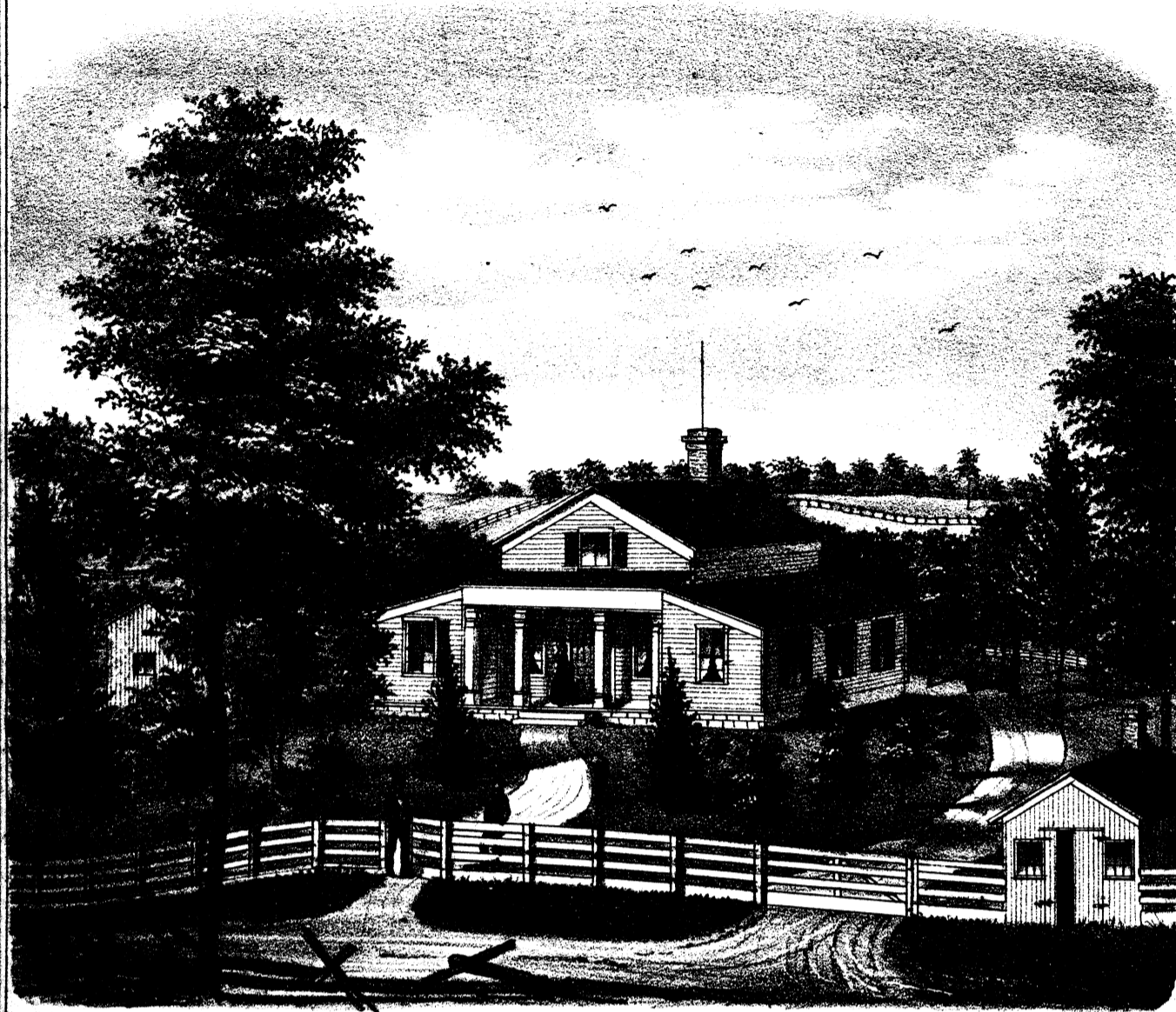
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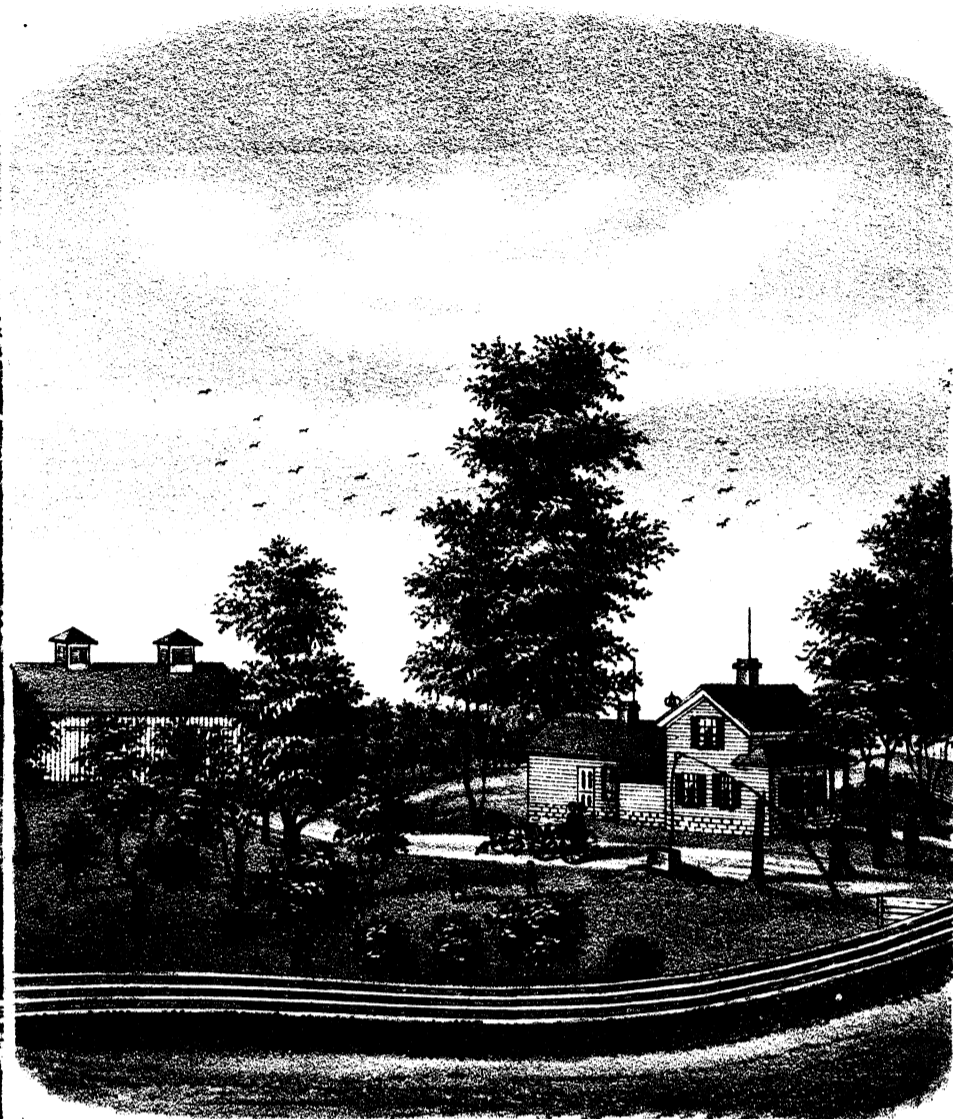
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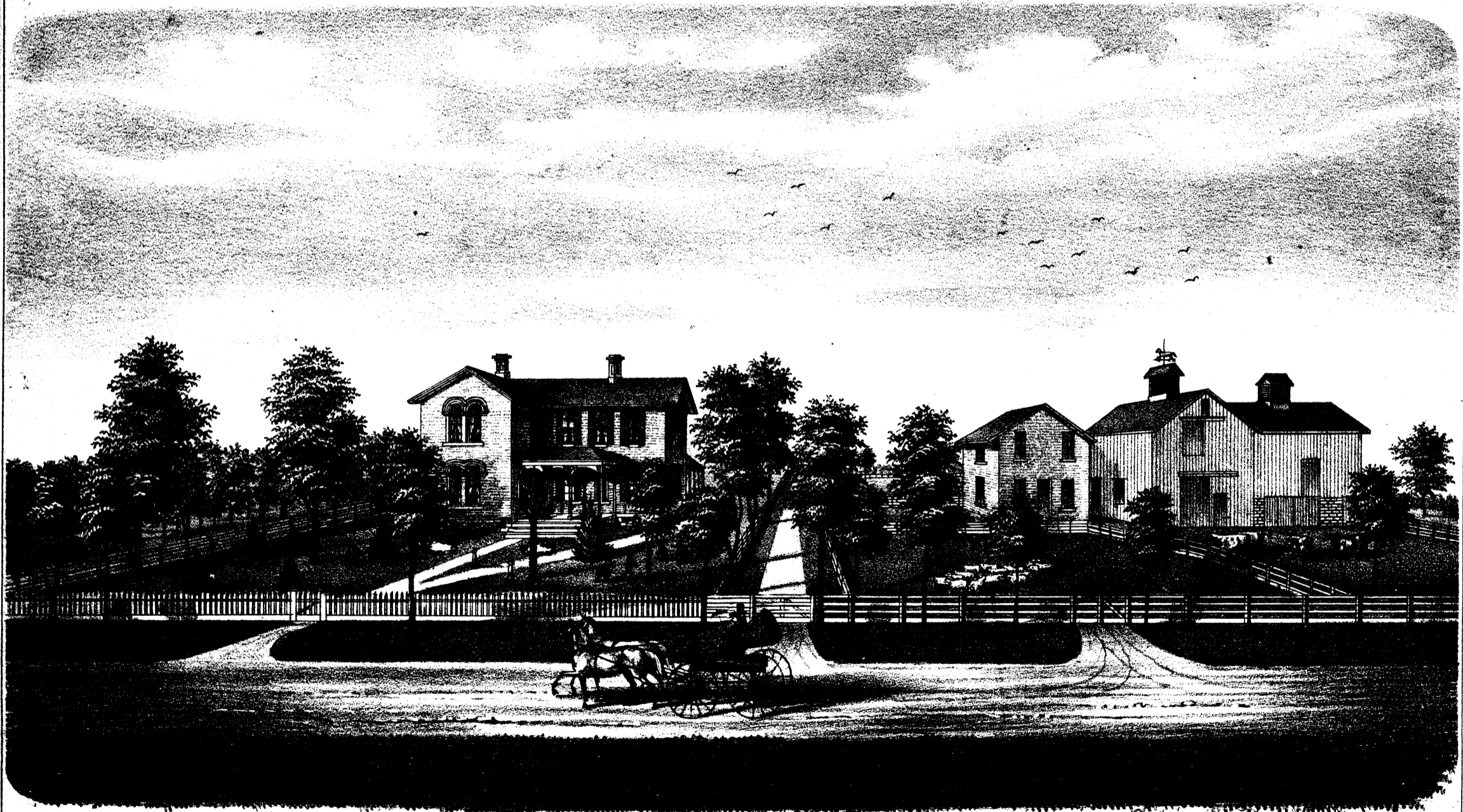
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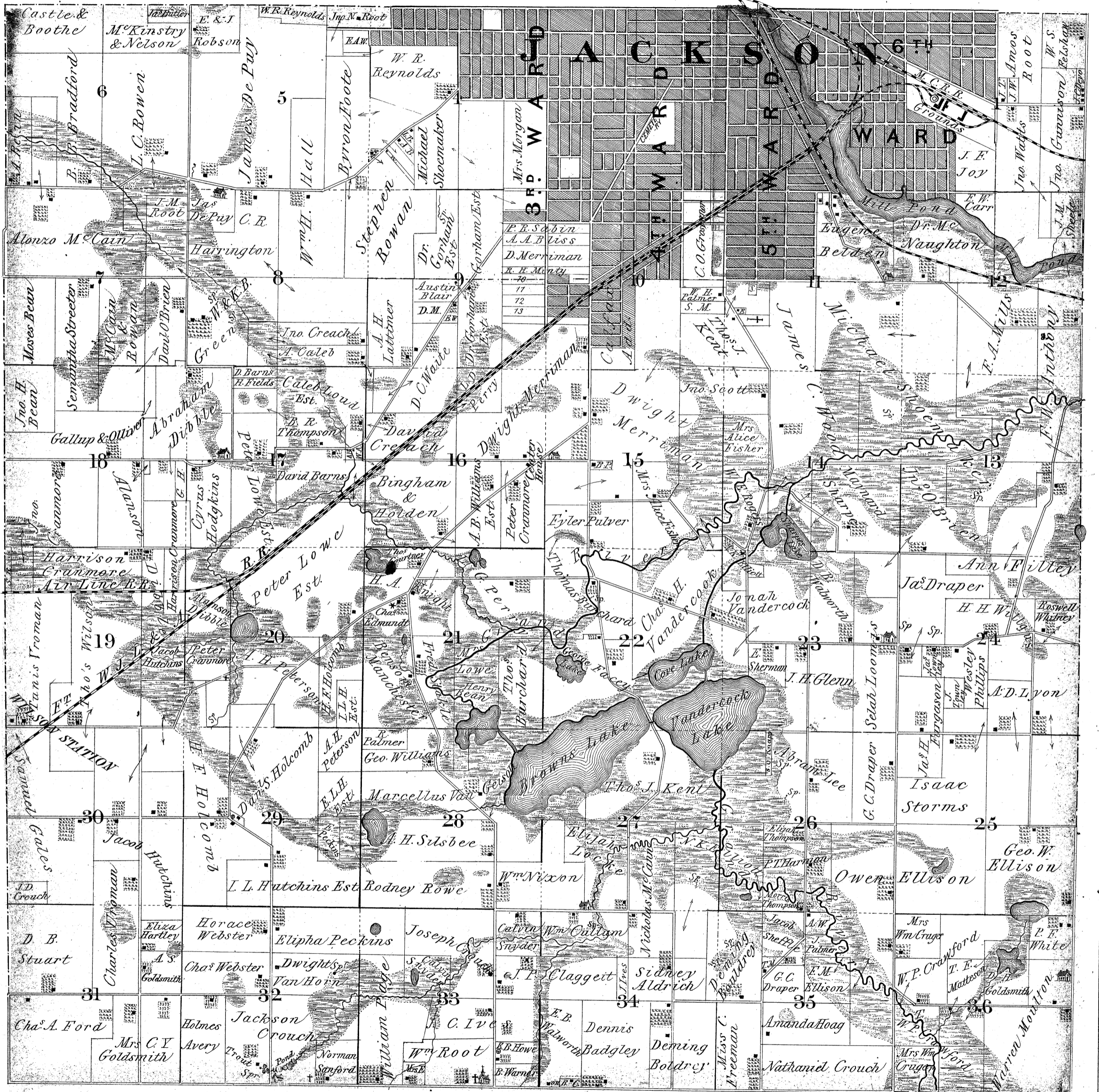
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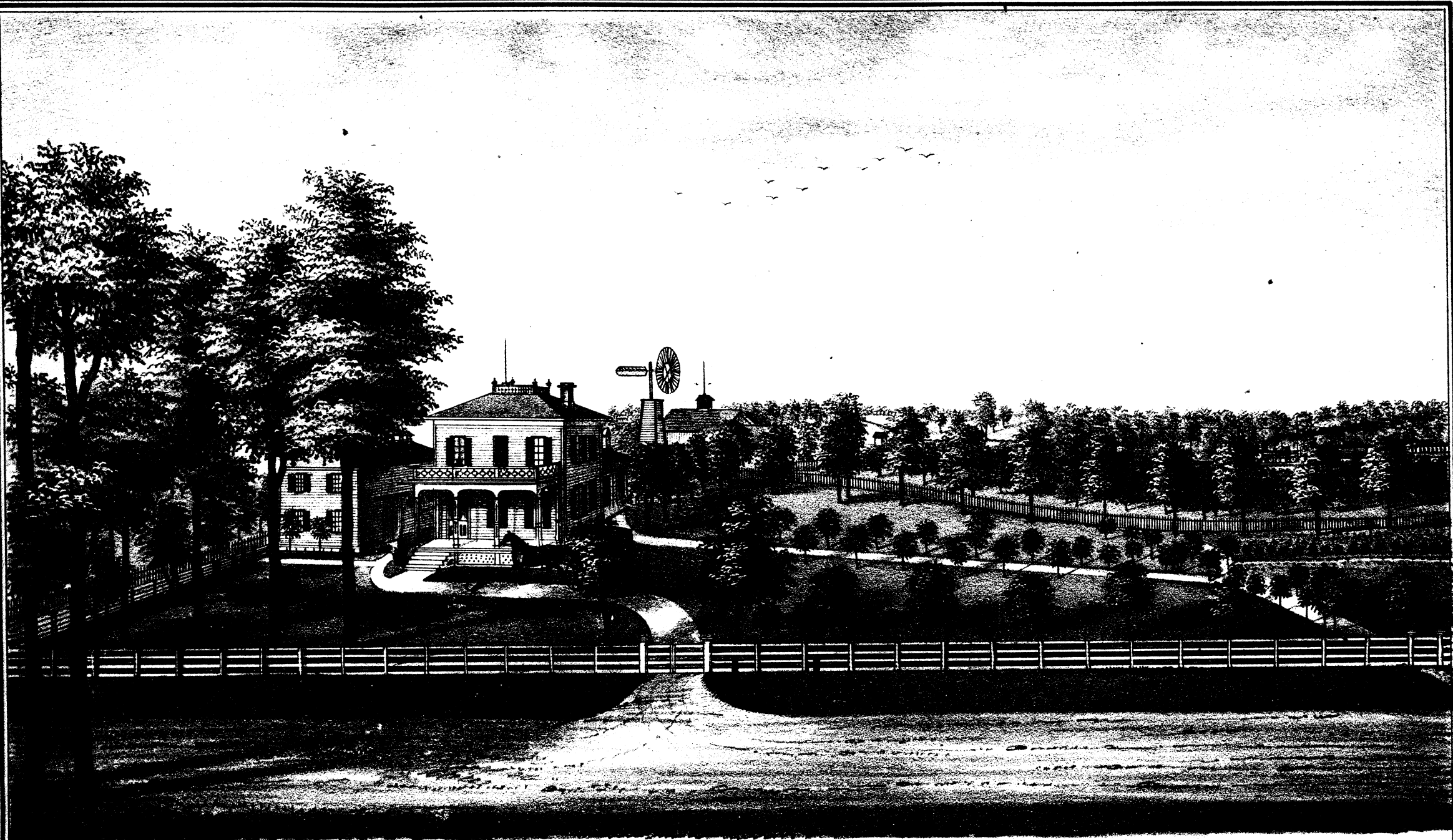
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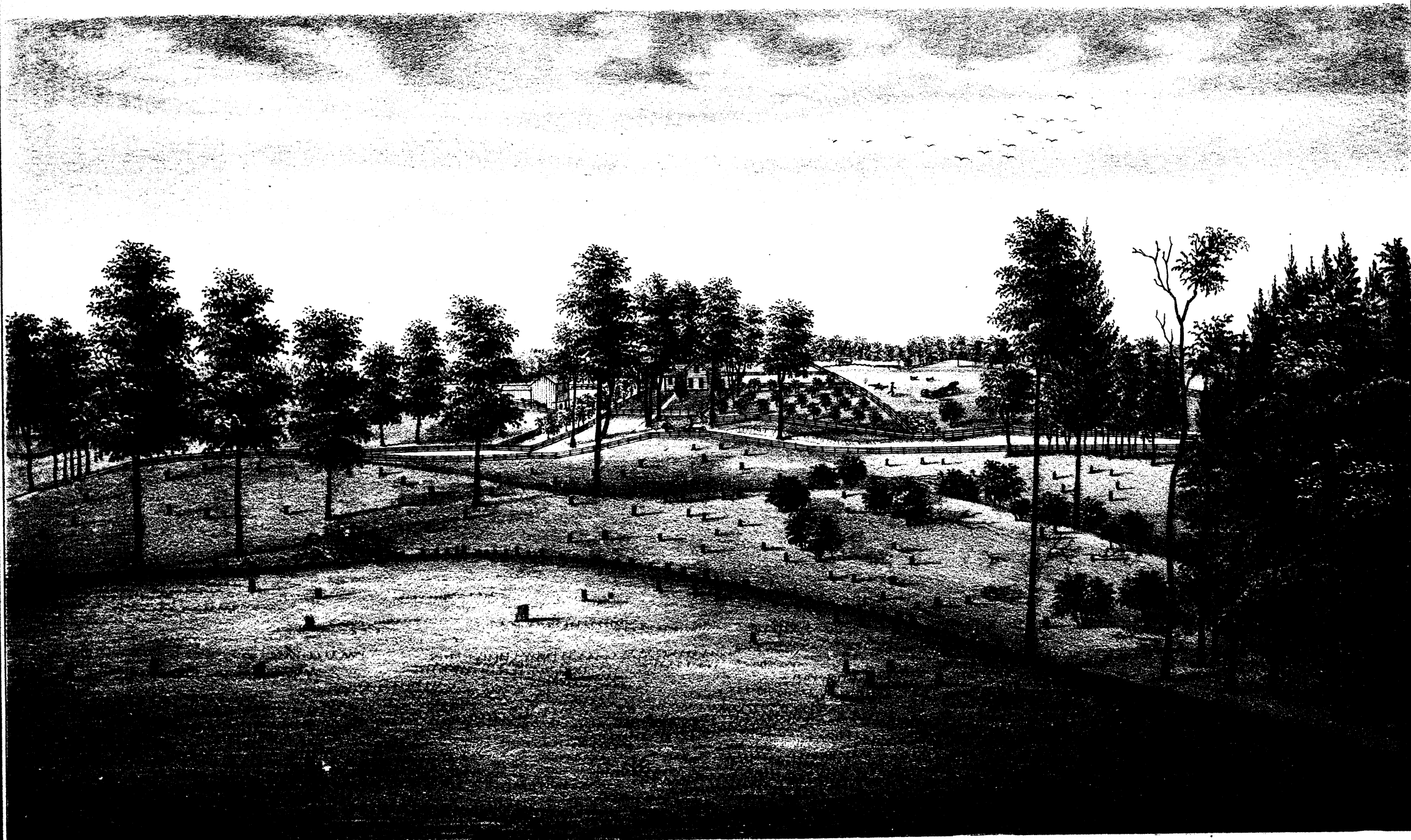


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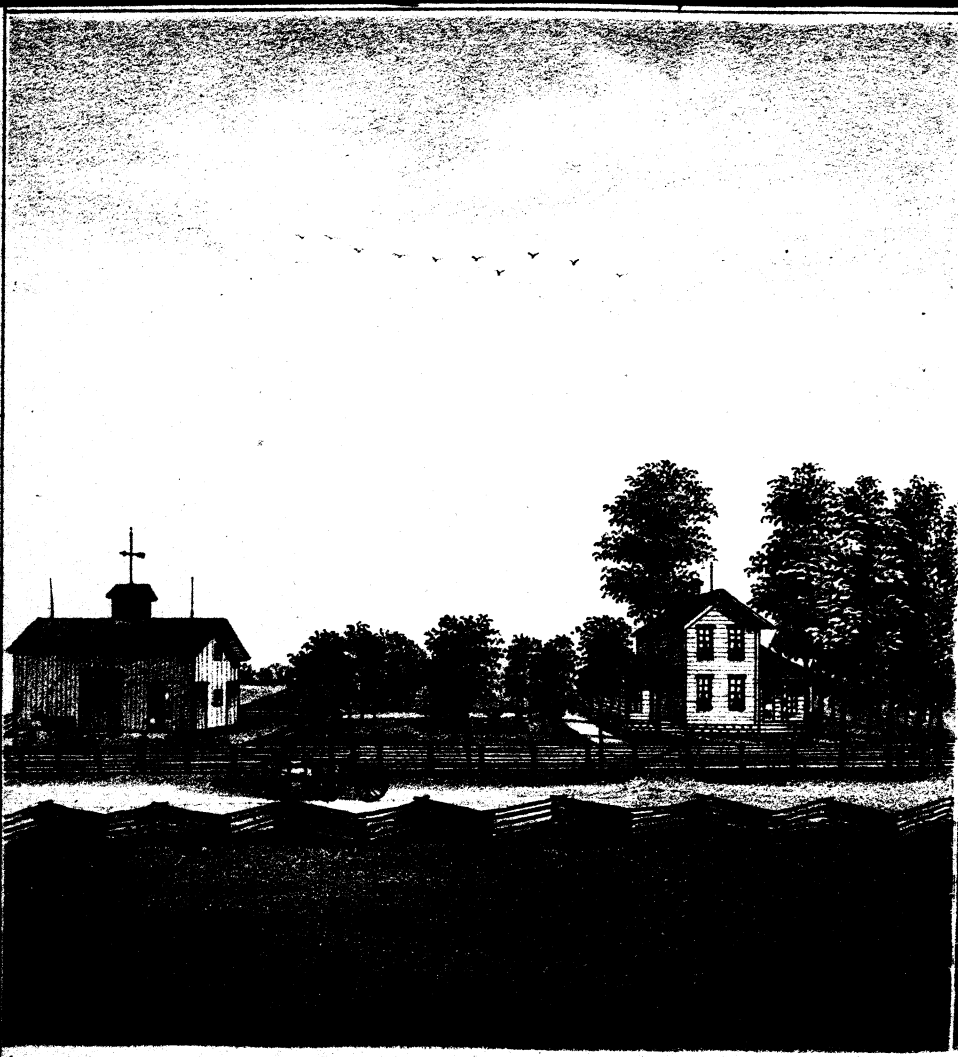




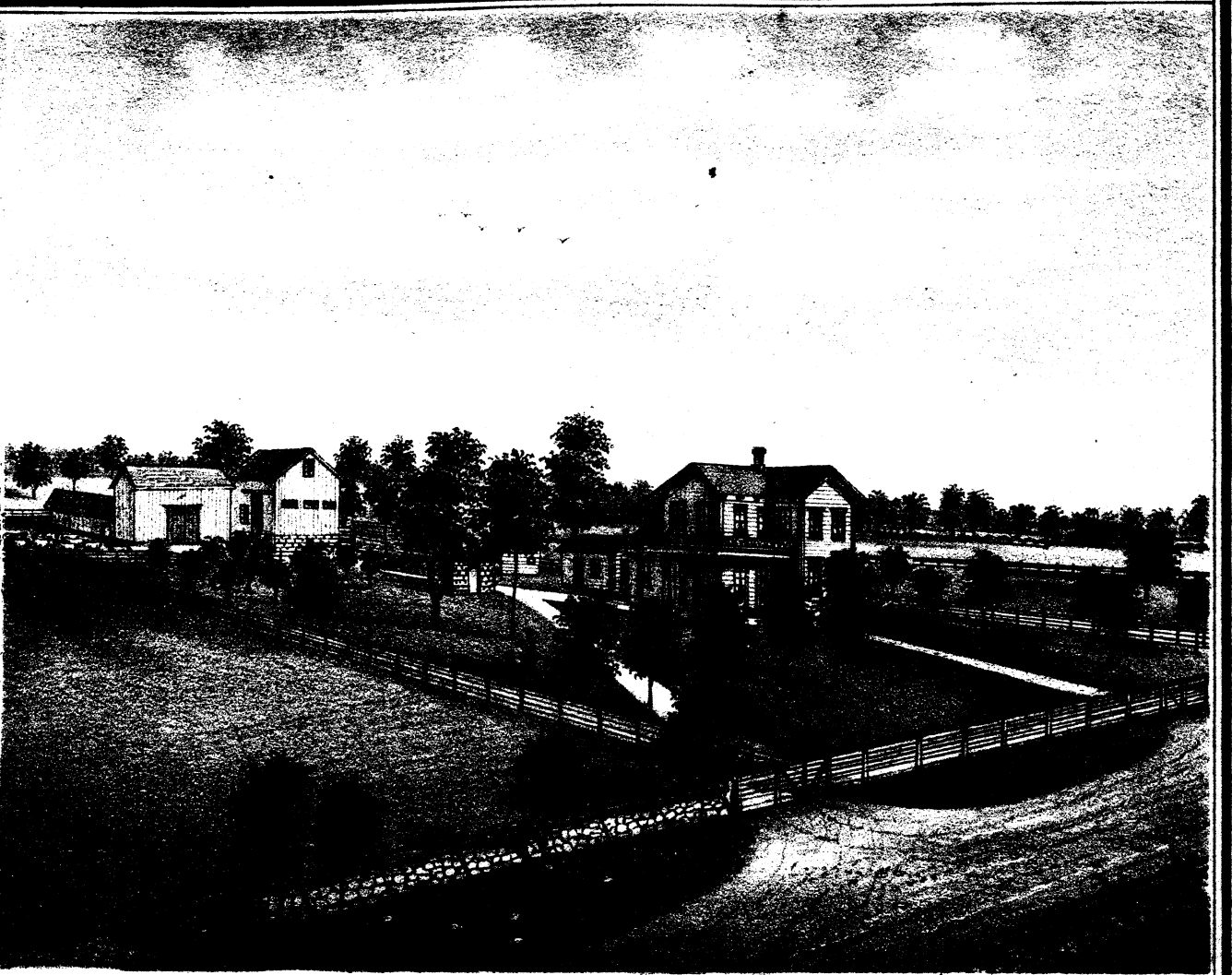
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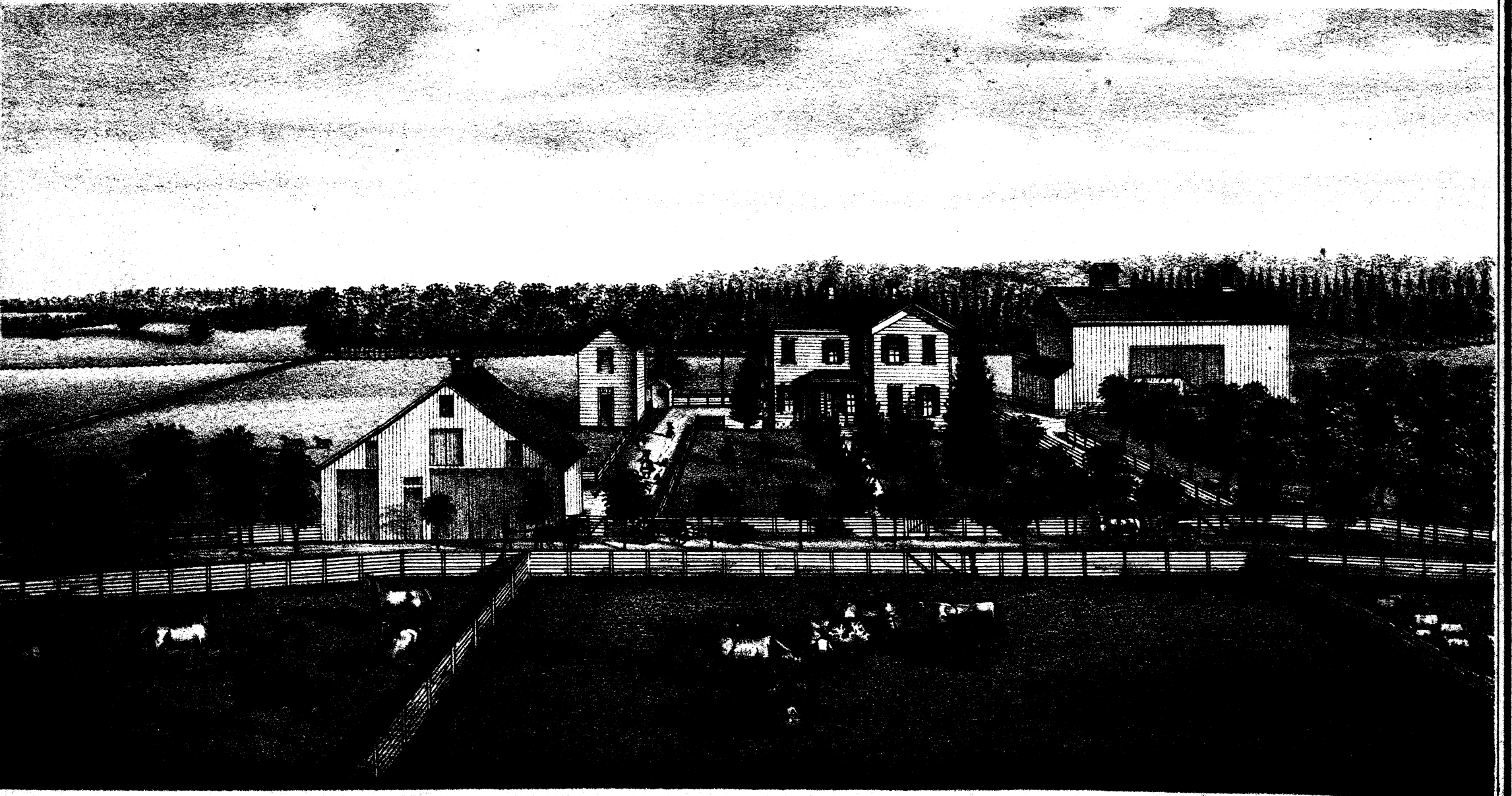
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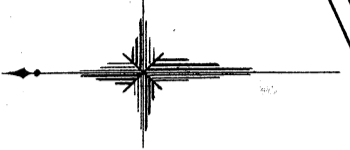


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# Henrietta R. O. OR LAYTON'S CORNERS

Map section showing the intersection of Lake Street and Short Street. Owners include George Kellogg, L. J. Layton, and Mrs. Susan Conant. A small table lists lot numbers and owners:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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Map section showing the intersection of Lake Street and Walker Street. Owners include Wm. Simpson, A. Simpson, and N. W. Grosvenor. A table lists lot numbers and owners:

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Map section showing the intersection of Lake Street and North Street. Owners include Wm. Winegar, Wm. Simmons, and James Dwell. A table lists lot numbers and owners:

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Map section showing the intersection of Lake Street and Spruce Street. Owners include O. F. Pease, Charles Judson, and George Clark Est. A table lists lot numbers and owners:

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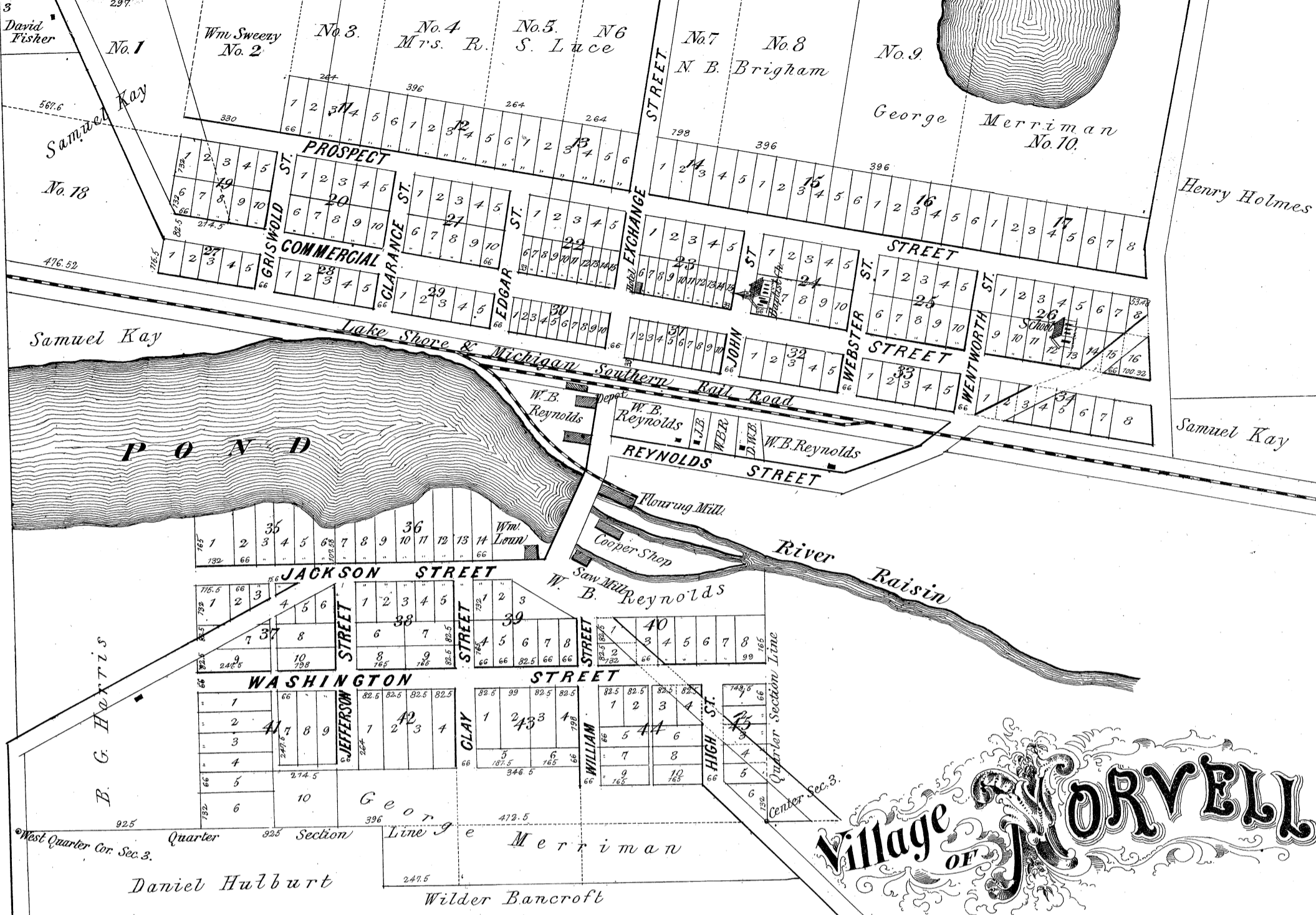
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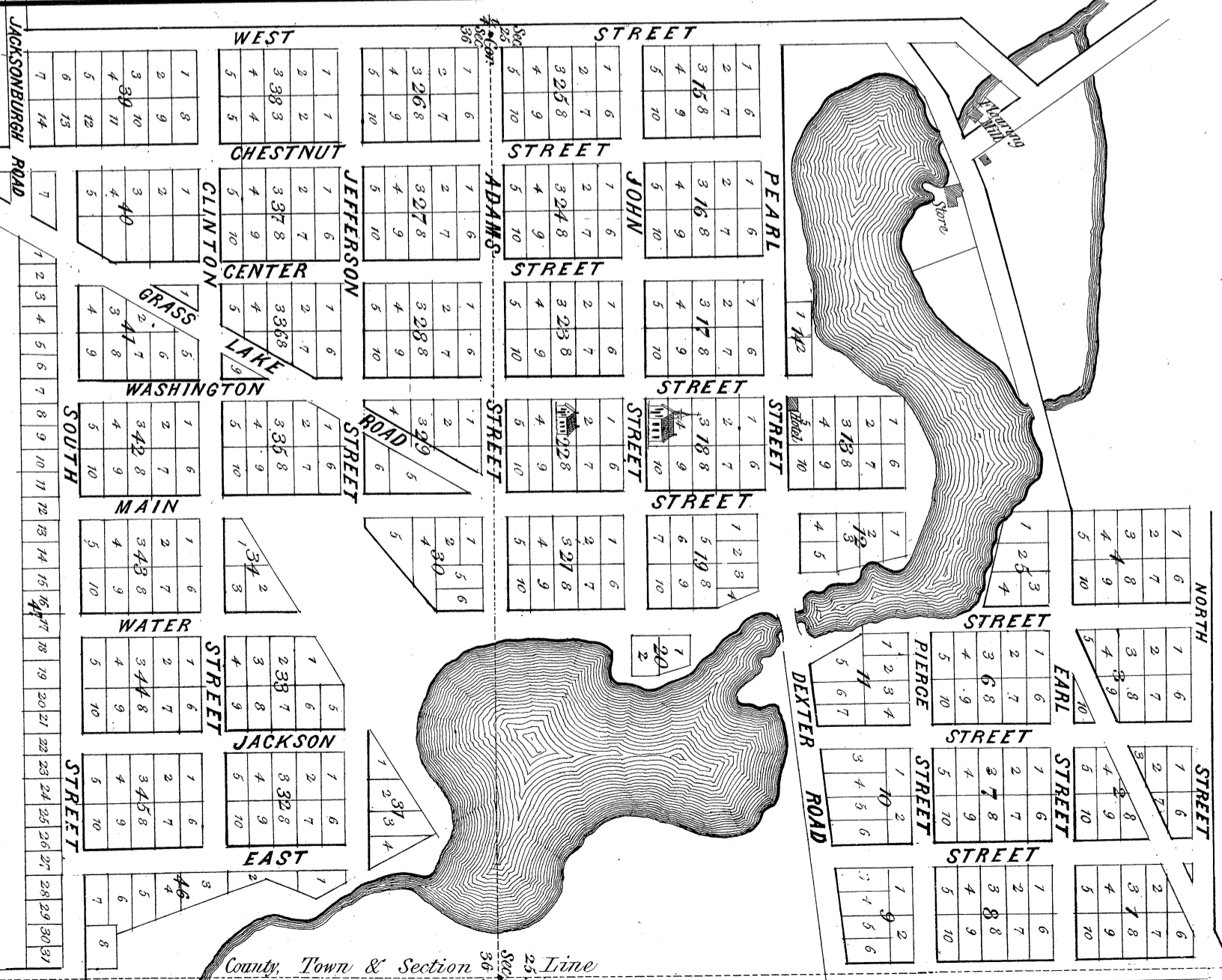
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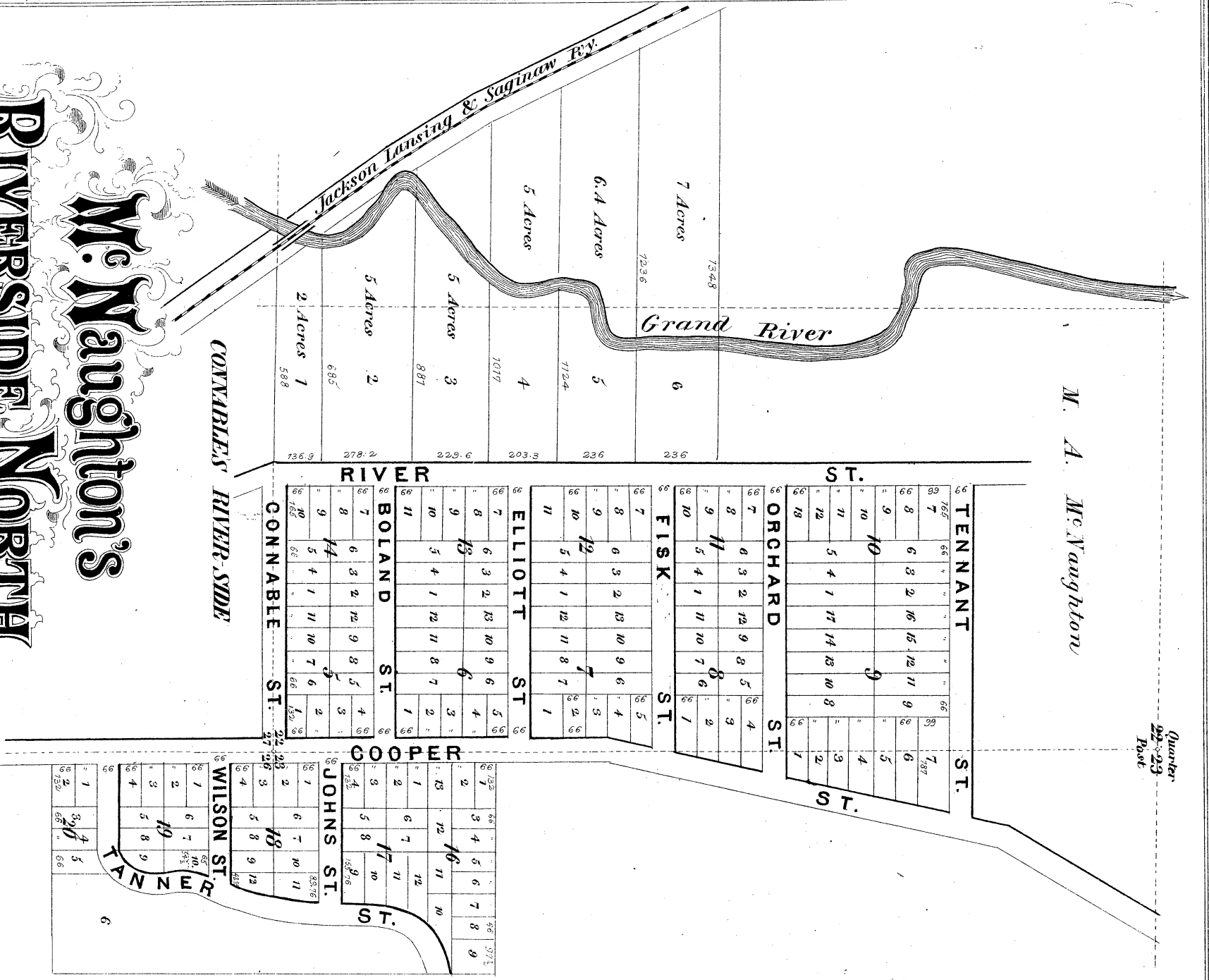
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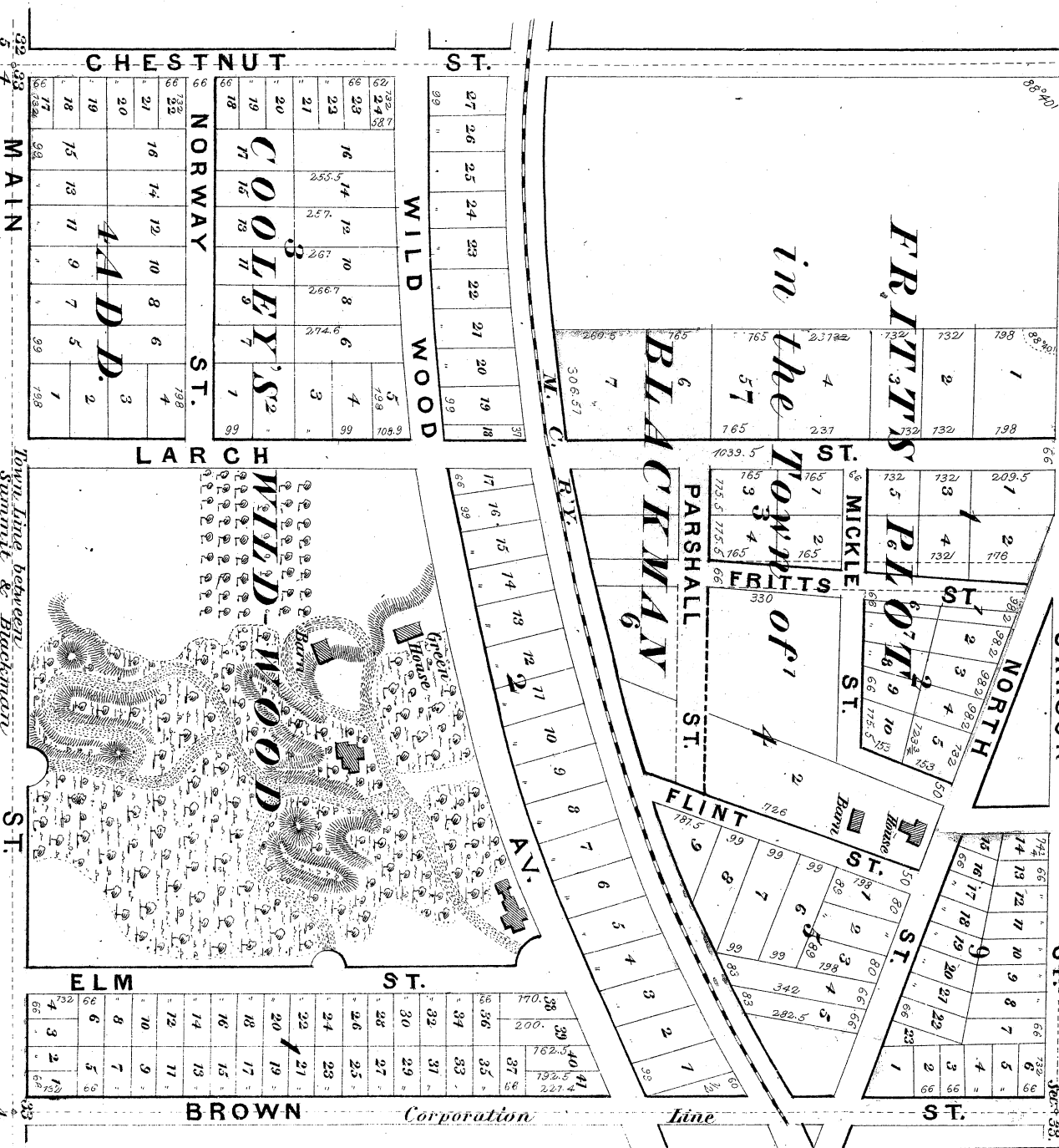
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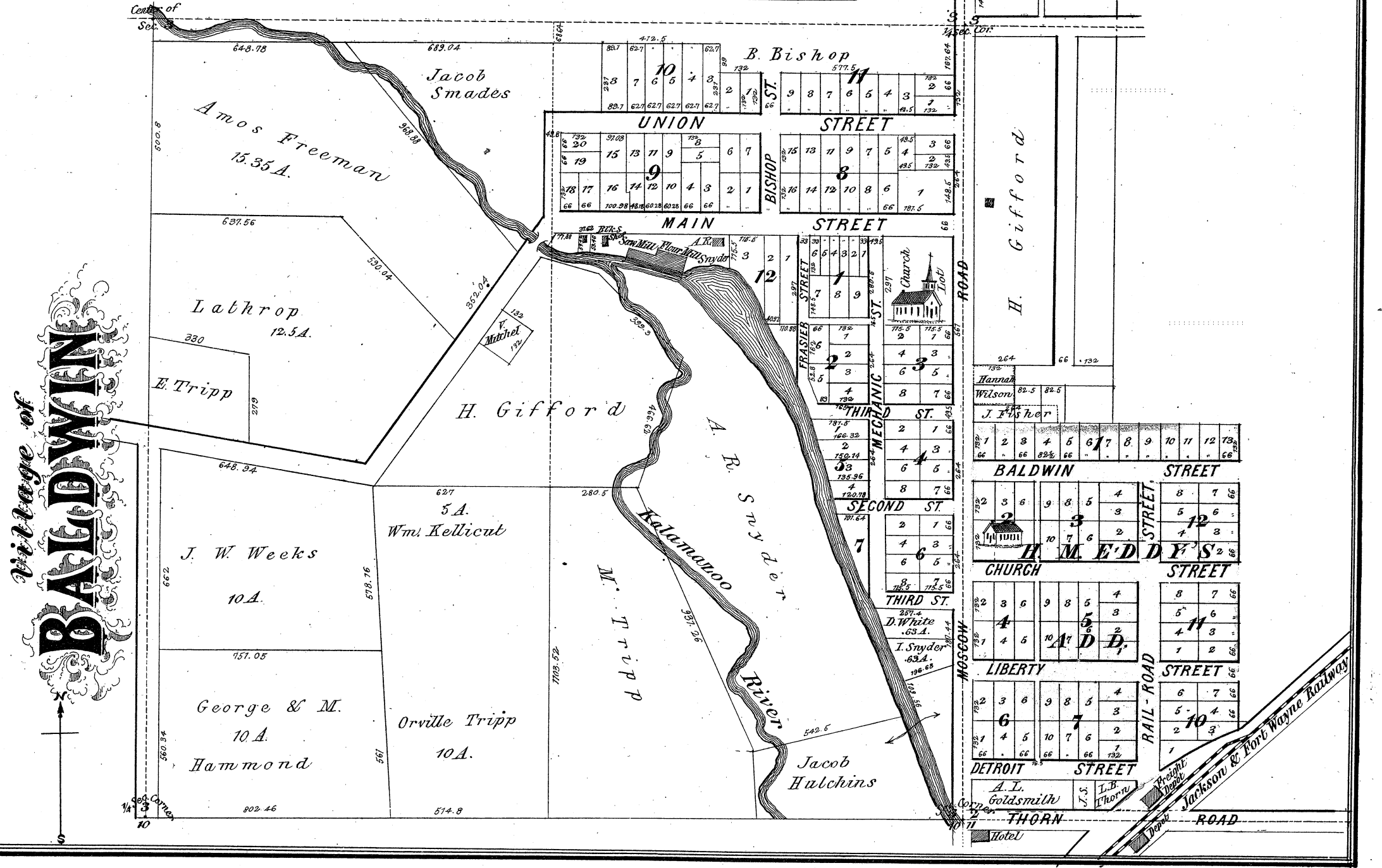
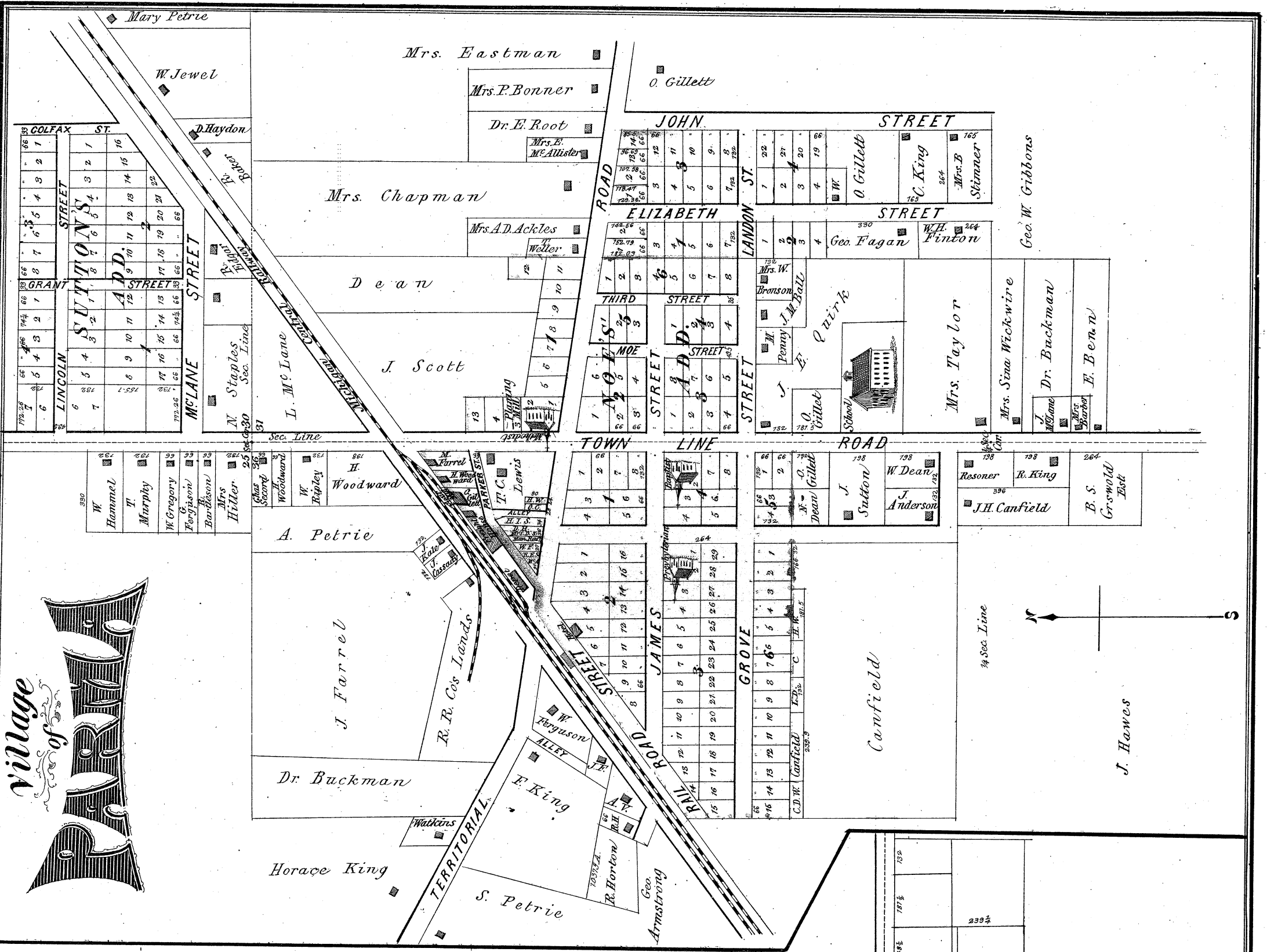
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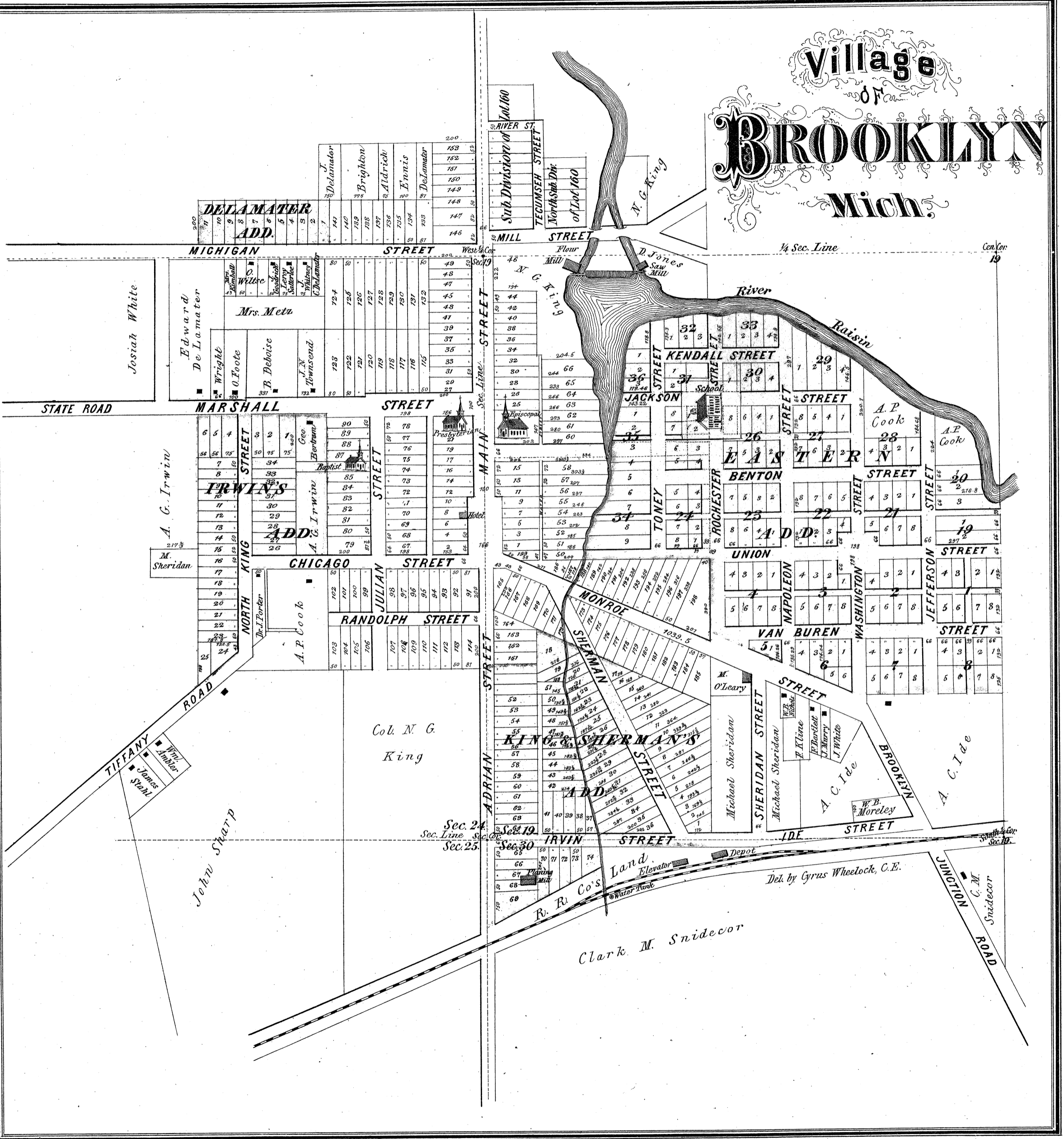
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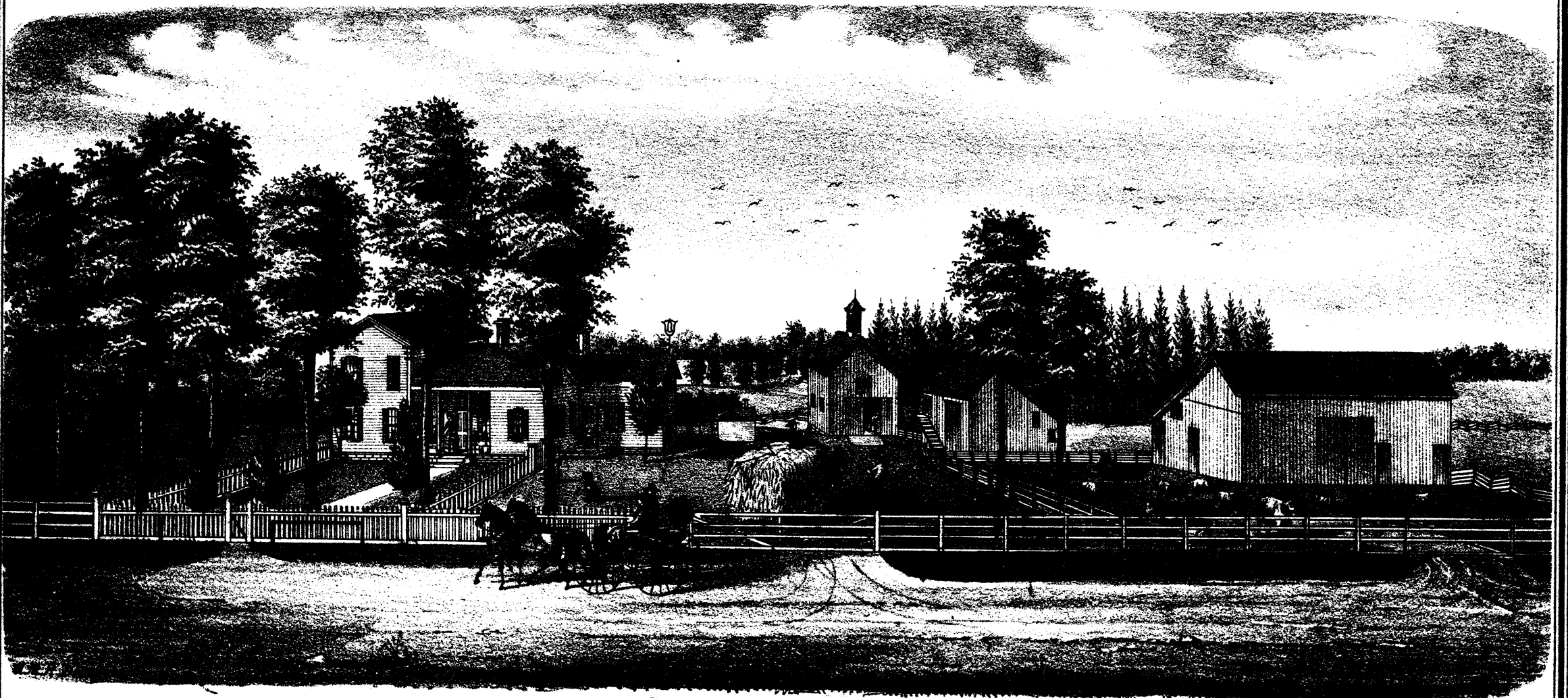
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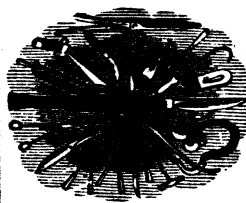
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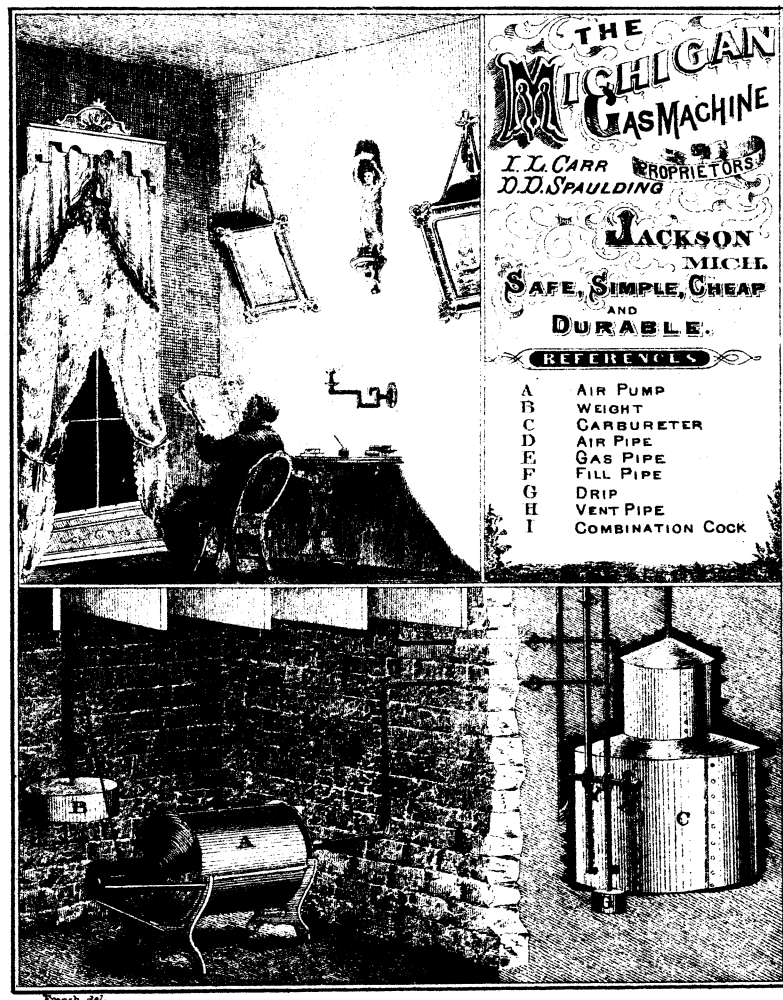
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# BUSINESS DIRECTORY OF JACKSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN.

GIVING NAMES OF THE PRINCIPAL PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS MEN IN THE CITIES AND VILLAGES, A DESCRIPTION OF THEIR BUSINESS, AND OF THE PRINCIPAL PRODUCERS OF EACH TOWNSHIP WHO PATRONIZE THIS ATLAS.

## JACKSON CITY.

NAME.	BUSINESS PLACE AND RESIDENCE.	Date of Settlement.	NATIVITY.	DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS.	NAME.	BUSINESS PLACE AND RESIDENCE.	Date of Settlement.	NATIVITY.	DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS.
Angell, A. D.	264 Main; res. 42 Francis...			Eclectic Physician and Surgeon.	Frey, G. & C.	34, 36 and 38 Lansing Av...		Ger...	Brewers.
Aldrich, W. E.				Farmer.	Griffith, H. D.	235 Main; res. 141 Jackson.			Farmer and Grocer.
Allen, C. H.	215 Main; res. Ing'm & Cal'n			Photographer and Dentist.	Gould, Jas.	258 Main; res. 12 First.			Prosecuting Attorney.
Austin, H. D.	Trail, near Blackstone.			Engineer for H. A. Hayden & Co.	Groom, O., Jr.	148 Mechanic.			Insurance Agent.
Avery, W. H.				Engineer of the Jackson City Water Works.	Gregory, A. S.	198 Main.			Physician and Surgeon. [win & Oberliesen].
Brown, W. R.	County Jail.			Sheriff and Farmer.	Goodwin, C. P.	264 Main.			Jewelers, & Ag'ts Grover & Baker S. M. Co. (Good-
Bennett, W. I.	160 Greenwood. [Harris			County Superintendent of Schools.	Glasford & Bolton.	241 Main.			Millinery and Fancy Goods.
Black, H.	196 Main; res. Ganson, near			Agent Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine.	Gregg, L. P.	Van Buren.			Grocer and Baker.
Bronson, W. I.	216 Main; res. 47 Franklin.			Physician and Surgeon.	Gridley, G. T.	290 Main; res. N. Main.			Attorney-at-Law.
Brenk, J. J.	Cor. First and Morrell.			Merchant Tailor (Brenk & Feldher, 265 Main).	Grant, N. J.	111 Jackson.			Dealer in Groceries, Provisions, etc.
Buck, W. N.	249 Main; res. 90 Milwaukee		N. Y.	Insurance and Real Estate.	Gross, B. S.	207 Milwaukee.			Lightning Rod Solicitor.
Bascom, H.	211 Main; res. 31 N. Main.			Bakery and Confectionery. [chandise.	Goodyear & Knapp	Hibbard House Block.			Omnibus, Hack, and Baggage Transfer.
Brown, A. H.	220 Main; res. 66 Main.			Publisher of Music and Dealer in Musical Mer-	Gallup, Alonzo.	141 E. Main.			Saloon and Restaurant.
Bullock, R. D.	Keystone Bl'k; res. 55 Ste'rt			State Agent for Smith's American Organ and	Grange, J.	101 Blackstone.			Foreman Bennett's Engine Works.
Burnham, G. E.	Biddle, near Jackson.			Butter Trade. [First-Class Pianos.	Gould, A. J.	196 Main.			General Agent Equitable Life Insurance Co.
Bunnell, D. V.	113 Mason.			Clothier and Merchant Tailor (Bunnell & Ever-	Grosvenor, L. D.	127 Mechanic.			Architect.
Bush, Harvey.	Court House; res. 48 Clinton			Register of Deeds. [ard].	Holden, D. J.	245 Main; res. 87 Ganson.			Dealer in Hats and Caps.
Brooks, P. R.	92 Wilkins.			Carpenter and Joiner.	Higby & Gibson.	262 Main.			Attorneys.
Bauer, John.	151 Main; res. 141 Francis.			Grocer (deceased).	Halbert, John.	Mechanic, opp. Post Office.			Physician and Surgeon.
Bader, J. C.	174 Main; res. 90 Ford.			Hardware Merchant.	Hibbard, G. B.	205 Mechanic; res. 88 Oak.			Agent Singer Sewing Machine.
Boland & Co., W. J.	148 Main.			Meat Market.	Hollister, R. O.				Farmer and Dealer in Sewing Machines. [etc.
Basden, H.	Blackstone, near Wilkins.			Boot and Shoe Maker.	Hobbs & Bliss.	194 Main.			Man's & Dirs in Harness, Saddles, Robes, Trunks,
Barrett & Champlin	Cor. Cortland and Jackson.			Dealers in Flour and Feed.	Hunt, E. L.	139 Jackson.			Dealer in Paper, Paper Stock, and Old Metal.
Brooks, C. F.	74 Mechanic.			Prop'r Lumber Yard and Planing Mill.	Henderson, T. N.	109 Mason.			Pattern Maker.
Bennett, W. W.	Bds. Milwaukee.			Clerk for C. F. Brooks, Lumber Dealer.	Hobart, C. D.	11 Third.			Grocer (Hobart & De Lamater).
Bieber, J.	30 Mill.			Carriage and Wagon Maker.	Halstead, G. W.	280 Main; res. Mosher House			Dealer in Groceries and Provisions.
Bedell, H. O.	21 First.			Carpenter and Builder.	Hayne, E.	113 Jackson; res. 83 Franklin			Meat Market.
Brown, H.	Cor. Cooper and Detroit.			Superintendent Hayden's Flouring Mills.	Herrick, J. W.	23 Francis.			" "
Blair, Austin.	272 Main; res. 7 Lansing Av			Attorney-at-Law, Ex-Governor, and Congressman.	Hatch & Noyes.	221 Main.			Retired.
Bailey, G. J.	227 Main; res. 81 Wash'ton			Boots and Shoes, Retail.	Hunt, A. D.	Biddle, near Blackstone.			Boots and Shoes.
Busley, H. C.	41 Cortland.			Baker and Confectioner.	Haight, W. H.	46 Trail.			Plasterer.
Bates, L. P.	41 Cortland.			Engineer. [gricultural Implements.	Hall, A. K.	Summit, Jackson Co.			Clerk in Kennedy's Mills.
Bennett, F. D.	56 Luther.			Foundry and Machine Works, Manufacturer Ag-	Huntington, H.				Machinist.
Brown & Pilcher.	250 Main.			Books and Stationery.	Huntington, J. H.	43 Wesley.			" and Engineer.
Bingham, H. H.	123 Blackstone.			Real Estate Dealer.	Hammill, Jas.	239 Main; res. 148 Wilkins.			Foreman in Bennett's Foundry.
Burkhardt, N. W.	248 Ganson.			Keeper, Michigan State Prison.	Hewitt, J. W.	36 Cortland.	1849	N. Y.	Attorney-at-Law.
Birdsall, Baker & Co	231 Main.			Wholesale Grocers	Hibbard, D. B.	N. Main.	1836	"	City Sexton.
Brown, D. H.	18 Mechanic.			Keeper in Michigan State Prison.	Hicks, Rev. G. H.	84 Cooper; res. 86 Cooper...			Miner, and Dealer in Groceries and Provisions.
Baker, E.	15 Lansing Av.			Foreman in Michigan State Prison.	Hall, F.	205 Cooper.			Chaplain Michigan State Prison.
Bliss, A. A.	Fourth, near Griswold.	1863	Conn.	Dealer in Crockery and Glassware.	Hollingsworth, C.	206 Main; res. 206 Mechanic			Assistant Engineer City Water Works.
Bennett, W. M.	4 N. Main.	1847	N. Y.	Merchant.	Hewitt, J. W.	36 Cortland.	1849	N. Y.	Contractor, Michigan State Prison.
Blair, G. B.	Waterloo Av.	1873	Mich.	Keeper, State Prison.	Hills & Griffith.	Cor. Mechanic & Wash'ton.	1869	"	Carriage Manufacturer.
Burdett, G.	Cor. Argyle & Waterloo Av	1869	Eng'd.	Mason. [Lightning Rods.	Hyde, C. B.	Luther, near Blackstone.			Retired.
Barkalow, S.	175 Jackson.	1867	N. J.	Manufacturer and Dealer in Eave Troughs and	Ismon, H. S.	306 Main.	1846	N. Y.	Marble Dealers.
Cook, C. W.	Whitney, near North.	1868	N. Y.	Painter.	Jackson Co. Bank.	209 "			City Engineer.
Cook, M. S.	Murphy Av., near Ganson			Civil Engineer.	Jackson, W.	252 "			Banker. President Jackson County Bank.
Coats, O. P., & Co.	204 Main.			Wholesale and Retail Furniture Dealers.	Jackson F. & M. Co	34-38 Mechanic.			Banking.
Camp, T. J. [werp.	59 Franklin.			Dry Goods and Carpets (Camp, Morrell, & Camp,	Johnson, W. F.	132 Blackstone.			Grocer. [Mill Boilers, etc.
Carlton & Van Ant-	Cor. Main and Jackson.			Publishers Daily and Weekly Patriot. [272 Main].	Jenkins, J. V.	38 Jackson.			Manufacturers Stationary and Portable Engines,
Child, W. W.	276 Main; res. 71 Wash'ton			Dealer in Watches, Jewelry, etc. (See View.)	Johnson, B. G.	Clinton, near Jackson.			Salesman.
Chapman, G. A.	106 Blackstone.			Baker and Confectioner, Wholesale and Retail.	Jennings, G.	Cooper, near Argyle.			Pattern Maker, Jackson Foundry & Machine Co.
Cook, W. M.	Hurd House.			Traveling Agent for Snow, Gilson & Co.	Kelly, John.	Hibbard House Block.			General Contractor.
Cookingham, J. V.	222 Main; res. 140 Jackson.			Photographer.	Kinsley, M.	48 Wesley.			Coal Mining and Farmer.
Clement, C. E.	235 Main.			Dealer in Groceries, etc. [Reaper.	Krumery, J. H.	26 Third.			Dealer in Boots and Shoes. [(Kinsley & Stowell).
Copps, C. W.	Park Place, near Hamlin.			General Agent Wilber's Eureka Mower and	Kennedy, G. W.	Cor. Kennedy and Ganson.	1849	Pa.	Baker and Confectioner.
Chapin, E. W.	191 Main; res. Blackstone.			Tobaccoist.	Lake, E.	178 Main.			Insurance Agent.
Casey, P.	156 E. Main; res. 161 Ganson			Groceries, Provisions, Wines, Liquors, and Cigars.	Legg, O. H.	Waterloo Av. [ & Blackstone	1864	N. Y.	Saloon and Bowling Alley.
Coots, Jno. F.	53 Stewart Av.			Builder and Contractor.	Ludlow, L. H.	Court House; res. Cor. Mason			Commission.
Congdon, Jas.	153 Main; res. 57 Elizabeth			Stoves, Cutlery, and Hardware.	Lowell, J. C.	259 Main; res. 364 Main.			County Clerk.
Courter, A. P.	95 Blackstone.			Wood and Coal Yard.	Lyon, L. M.	133 Jackson.			Loan, Real Estate, and Insurance Agent.
Cowham, W. F.	Second, n. of Franklin.			Dealer in Agricultural Implements.	Loomis, P. B.	Homewild, East Av.			Dry Goods and Clothing.
Culver, E. H.	194 Mechanic.			Foreman in Bennett's Foundry.	Lewak, A.				Banker, and President F. W., J. & S. R. R.
Cadogan, L.	62 Luther.			Yard Master, Michigan State Prison.	Lindemer, L.	127 Mechanic; res. 54 Mason			Cigars, Tobacco, and Liquors.
Chase, B. W.	18 Oak Hill Av.			Foreman Blacksmith Shop, State Prison.	Le Clear, J. M.	244 Main; res. 15 First.			Manufacturer & Dealer in Guns, Rifles, & Pistols.
Chittock, G.	209 Main; res. 29 Morrell.		Eng'd.	Physician and Surgeon.	Livermore & Wood	265 "			Photographer.
Crissy, Jas.	Morrell, near Greenwood.	1839	N. J.	Real Estate and Insurance.	Lyon, E.	275 Main; res. 78 Wash'ton			Attorneys-at-Law.
Carr, F. W.	Cooper.		Me.	Deputy U. S. Marshal.	Lange, J.	12 Greenwood.			Yankee Notions, Wall Paper, etc.
Carr, I. L.	Hibbard House.	1859	N. Y.	Patentee of Hydro-Carbon Gas Machine.	Lanigan, J.	146 Main.			Janitor of Schools.
Case, Dr. C.	Main, opp. Court House.	1847	Mich.	Dentist (see card).	Littlejohn, W. T.	42 Clinton.			Groceries and Provisions.
Davis, R. H.	209 Main; res. 141 Jackson.			Physician and Surgeon.	Lake, Geo., & Sons.	105 Lake and 87 Elizabeth.			Architect and Builder.
Dorrance, W. H.	254 Main; res. Maple Av.			Dentist.	Lane, D.	271 Ganson.			Dealers in Lime, Salt, and Plaster.
Douglass, W. W.	10 First.			Firm of Douglass & Myers, Clothiers, 238 Main.	Lusk, T. E.	78 Main.			Groceries and Provisions (Lane & Pepper).
Dolan, F.	167 Main.			Dealer in Groceries, Crockery, etc.	Leach, C. H.				Foundryman (Lusk & Co.).
Dorrance, G. T.	Lathrop B'k; res. 5 Mechanic			Watchmaker and Jeweler.	Little, T. F.	Liberty and Mill.	1870	N. Y.	Engineer, Bennett's Works.
Dettman & Webers	172 Main.			Proprietors Peninsular Meat Market.	Lantz, J.	Hurd House Block.	1878	Ohio.	Little & Davis, Prop's of Peninsular Spice Mills.
Doig, Dan'l.	Seymour, north of Main.			Carpenter, Joiner, and Builder.	Lemen, J. N.	108 Main.			Hurd House Saloon.
Doran, Jas.	Page, near Elm Av.			Foreman in M. C. R. R. Boiler Shops.	Murphy, H. M.	Cor. Leroy & Waterloo Av.			Hardware Merchant (Lemen & Beebe).
Dyer, M. E.				Keeper of Insane Asylum.	McGee, M.	C't House; res. 98 Blackstone			Real Estate Dealer.
Donough, J.	Bds. cor. Jackson & Franklin			Superintendent of Building, Mich. State Prison.	Mitchell, J. L.	229 Main; res. 41 Clinton.			Judge of Probate and Attorney-at-Law.
Dickson, S.	257 Main.			Proprietor Tonsorial Parlors.	Mosher, G. H.	251 Main; res. 316 Main.			Physician and Surgeon.
Dolan, Jas.	144 Main St.	1841	Pa.	Dealer in Groceries, etc.	Mason, L. B.	181 Main; res. 87 Blackstone			Dental Surgeon.
Davis, N. G.	Courtland & Mechanic.	1834	N. Y.	Grocer.	Martin & Boylan.	213 Main.			Gent's Furnishing Goods and Merchant Tailoring.
Dennison, B. L.	Waterloo Av.	1869	"	Carpenter and Builder.	Moore, W. S.	58 Clinton.			Druggists. [Co.
Eggleston, B. F.	217 Main; res. 105 Francis.			Merchant Tailor.	Merwin & Cady.	206 Main.			Loan and Real Estate, & Sup't Jackson Gas-Light
Evans, E. M.	129 and 131 Mechanic.			Meat Market.	Montgomery, W. B	310 "			Real Estate Agents.
Emery, N. A.	36 Washington.			Boot and Shoe Maker.	McLeod, A.	Office Sutton's Livery Barns			Salesman, Sabin's Store.
Every, I. L.	Cor. Franklin & Milwaukee			Groceries and Provisions.	Murray, John.	54 N. Main.			Saloon.
Eaton, I. & J. H.	Bds. 196 Mechanic.			Manufacturers Stoneware.	McMillin, M.	12 Jackson.			Vet'ry Surg.—Graduate of Ontario Vet. Col., To.
Evans, F.	Hurd House.			Baker.	McQuillen, T. W.	158 Main.			Plumber, Gas and Steam Fitter.
Feldher, A.				Merchant Tailor (Brenk & Feldher).	Mintie & Waldron.	2 Union Hall Block.			Foreman Jackson Foundry and Machine Shop.
Foster, M. F.				Foreman Wagon Shop, State Prison.	Moore, Z. S.	148 and 150 Mechanic.			Groceries and Provisions, Tobacco, Wines, Liq.
Feather, John.	Main, near Mill.			Carpenter and Builder.	Moore, W. W.	11 N. Main.			Wholesale and Retail Druggists. [and Cigars.
Fisher, Sam'l.	149 Main; res. 49 Francis.			Boots and Shoes.	Montgomerie, A.	147 Main.			News, Books and Stationery.
Flowers, Abr.	Cor. High and Francis.			Horticulturist and Boot and Shoe Maker.	McGrath, T. T.				Blacksmith.
Frost, J. B.	149 Mechanic.			Manufacturer Sash and Door Fasteners.					Proprietor Montgomerie House.
Fish, T. D.	153 Mechanic; res. 43 Fr'n			Wholesale and Retail Grocer.					Dealer in Hair Goods, Wholesale and Retail.
Fritts & Burt.	214 Main.			Attorneys and Claim Agents (see Adv't).					

JACKSON CITY—Continued.

NAME	BUSINESS PLACE AND RESIDENCE	Date of Settlement	NATIVITY	DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS.	NAME	BUSINESS PLACE AND RESIDENCE	Date of Settlement	NATIVITY	DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS.
Moulton, H. W.	107 West Av.			Foreman Wagon Dep't, Mich. State Prison, and Dealer in Real Estate. [Tanner and Currier.	Simmons, C. B.	118 Jack'n; res. 117 Wilkins.			Furniture and Undertaking.
McNaughton, M. A.	41 Stewart Av.	1841	N. Y.		Stevenson, R.	270 Main; res. 9 Wesley.			Merchant Tailor.
Newcomer, G.	196 Main			Physician and Surgeon.	Stiles, A. L.	265 Main; res. 112 Mason.			Insurance Agent (Wilson & Stiles).
Neesley, Peter	Mill, east of Francis.			Boot and Shoe Maker.	Simpliner, A. W.	261 Main; res. Mechanic.			Millinery, Fancy Goods & Notions (Simpliner & Carriage and Wagon Maker. [Hoffman].
Nichols, M. H.	111 Main; res. 175 Wash'ton			Proprietor Jackson Custom Flouring Mills.	Shaw, J. F.	39 Luther; res. 192 Franklin			Deputy Collector Internal Revenue.
O'Donnell, Jas.	202 Main; res. 186 Jackson.			Printer and Publisher Daily Citizen.	Spaulding, D. D.	250 Main; res. 45 Clinton.			Artificial Frear Stone Manufacturers. [chine Co.
O'Dwyer, J. G.	263 Main; res. 152 Cooper.			Jobber & Ret'r Mil'y & Fancy Goods. (Finest Stock	Snook, J. M., & Co.	Cor. Ganson & Seymour.			Foreman Pattern Room, Jackson Foundry & Ma-
Palmer, W. H.	221 Main; res. Cooper.			Phys'n & Surg. [in the State, and lowest prices.)	Suger, Joseph.				" E. F. Brooks's Planing Mill.
Peterson, W. E.	194 Main; res. 198 Main.			Restaurant.	Stockham, J. B.	217 Milwaukee			Carpenter and Builder.
Parkhurst, C. G.	32 N. Main			Retired Merchant.	Schermerhorn, C. H.	Ganson, near Stewart Av.			Groceries and Provisions.
Penny & King	271 Main			Dry Goods Merchants.	Sharpstein, T.	Francis, near Cortland.			Policeman.
Peck, E.	212 Main; res. 49 Wesley.			Attorney-at-Law, and Loan Agent.	Southwell, J. D.	19 Jackson			Fireman Jackson City Water Works.
Powers, N.	Cor. Jackson and Clinton.			Proprietor Moshier House.	Shepard, F. L.	182 Mechanic.			Saloon.
Powell, L. M.	274 Main; res. 25 Main.			Attorney-at-Law.	Sanwald, M.	176 Main	1855	Ger.	Dealers in Boots and Shoes.
Pierce, O. A.	193 Main; res. Mason.			Groceries and Provisions. [Machine Co.	Snow, Gilson & Co.	225 Main			Contractor and Builder.
Place, L. B.	Ganson, be. Harris & Park Av.			Foreman Moulding Dep't, Jackson Foundry and	Stone, N. H.	39 Biddle	1840	N. Y.	Hats and Caps. [Bags.
Pickett, L.	Mill; res. 148 Cooper.			Architect, Contractor, and Builder.	Tinker, A. M.	245 Main; res. Washington.			Saddlery, Hardware, Harness, Trunks, and Travel'g
Proudfit, Geo.	264 Main; res. 68 Wesley.			Circuit Court Com'r and Attorney-at-Law.	Tinker, D. A.	251 Main; res. 208 Mechanic			President Jackson City Bank.
Pratt, C. W.	214 Main			Jeweler.	Thompson, W. D.	256 Main; res. 304 Main			Physician and Surgeon, Oculist and Aurist.
Pringle, E.	203 Main; res. 24 Main.			Attorney-at-Law.	Thomson, R. C.	180 Main; res. 16 First.			Proprietor Orchestration Hall.
Pickles, E.	Waterloo Av.	1872	Eng'd	Carpenter and Joiner.	Teachont, E. P.	232 Main			Merchant Tailor.
Perrin, N. V.	Cor. Morrell and Maple Av.	1871	N. Y.	Cashier Jackson County Bank.	Teall, H. N.	208 Main; res. Mason			Ferrotypist.
Root, A.	Hibbard House.			Farmer, and Dealer in Real Estate.	Taft, O. A.	246 Main; res. 197 Mechanic			Foreman Jackson Foundry and Machine Co.
Rice, G. F.	273 Main; res. 329 Main.			Hardware Dealer.	Thompson, W. G.	9 Jackson			Flour and Feed Dealer.
Ray, M. H.	Concord, Jackson Co.			County Treasurer.	Todd, R. T.	Cor. Mechanic and Cortland.			Miller.
Raymond, H. A.	88 Franklin			Cashier and Bookkeeper.	Traver, A.	58 Franklin			Nurseryman.
Robinson, M. W.	310 Main			Clerk.	Thomas, H. F.	Cor. Jackson & Griswold Av.	1859	Ohio.	Stone Mason.
Robinson, T. G.	Calhoun, near Ingham.			Actor.	Tennant, W. H.	North.	1869	Eng'd	Carpenter and Builder.
Revenaugh, A. O.	222 Main; Bds. Hurd House.			Portrait Painter.	Umber, Jas.	Cor. North & Waterloo Av.			Grocery.
Russell, C. H.	Cor. Williams and Morrell.			Dry Goods Merchant (Russell, Shearer & Co.).	Van Horn, W. H.	293 Main; res. 79 Wash'ton.			Job Printer.
Reinhold, L., Jr.	39 Cooper.			Machinist, Jackson Foundry and Machine Co.	Van Dyne, P. H.	149 & 151 Mech.; res. Cort'l'd			Engineer, Michigan Central Railroad.
Reynolds, J. R.	Cor. Mechanic and Wilkins.			Miller.	Van Buren, D. B.	Cor. R. R. & Mich. Centre rd.			Agent Howe Sewing Machine.
Rolfe, H. S.	25 Oak Hill Av.			Millwright.	Wisner, C. B.	197 Main; res. 101 Blackstone			Wholesale & Retail Druggists, & Prop'rs Webb's
Redmond & Free.	Cor. Park and Water			Brewers.	Webb, C. E., & Bro.	201 Main			Farmer. [Family Medicines.
Root, J. M.	363 Main		N. Y.	President Peoples' National Bank.	Welsh, G. W.				Druggists.
Rowan, M. H.	Cor. Ford and Park Av.			Policeman M. C. R. R.	Weeks, E. J., & Co.	224 Main			Job Printing.
Rogers, S. E.	Cor. Biddle and Adrian Av.			City Editor Daily Citizen.	Weeks, L. S.	182 Mechanic			Saloon.
Standish, Frank.	120 Trail			Chief of Police.	Waterons, H. H.	133 Mechanic; res. Oak			Druggist.
Smead, E.	352 Main	1843	Vt.	Dealer in Lumber and Ice, and Sup'r Second Ward.	Wood, W. H.	258 Main; res. 36 First.			Keeper, Michigan State Prison.
Sabin, P. R., & Co.	212 and 214 Main			Wholesale and Retail Dry Goods.	Wood, S. H.	43 Oak Hill Av.			Banker.
Smith & Hurd.	Cor. Main and Mill			Proprietors Hurd House.	Westrin, Thos.	55 Clinton			Artist.
Snow, B. W.	224 Main			Agent Home Life Insurance Company.	Woodhouse, C. L.	15 First			Fresco, Sign, Scene, and General Painting.
Southworth, H. E.	244 Main; res. 384 Main			Crockery and Glassware.	Wright, G. M.	26 Luther; res. 71 Mason			Attorney-at-Law.
Stout, M. R.	42 Jackson			Salesman.	Wilson, T. A.	265 Main; res. Morrell.			Plumber, Steam and Gas Fitter (Young & Wirtz).
Smith, D. B.	222 Main; res. 42 Jackson.			Merchant Tailor and Ready-Made Clothing.	Wirtz, S. J.	192 Main; res. Groven'r Elm			Millinery and Fancy Goods.
Smith, D. W.	296 Main; res. 8 First.			Dentist.	Whalen, Mrs. M.	164 Main; res. 27 Cooper.			Lumber Dealer, and Prop'r "Ida Lime Works."
Smith, Cyrus.	Courter Bl'k; res. 19 Jackson			Physician and Surgeon.	Wilcox, Homer	Cor. Liberty & Milwaukee.			Manufacturers of Farming Tools.
Smith, H. H.	East Av.	1835	N. Y.	Retired Railroadist (President D. L. & L. M. R. R.)	Withington, Cooley	Opposite M. C. R. R. Depot.			Contractor and Builder.
Stevens, J. A.	82 Wilkins			Artesian Well Borer.	Willson, S. J., & Co.	103 West Av.			Moulder.
Sanford, H.	5 Greenwood			Salesman, Sabin's Store.	Weatherwax, A. J.	5 Main			Engineer, Michigan Central Railroad.
Stowell, C. W.	259 Main; res. 41 Wesley.			Wines, Liquors, and Cigars, Wholesale and Retail.	Winney, J. E.	Cor. Alverson & East Av.			Portrait Painter.
Shaw, D. W.	26 Francis.			Ex-County Sheriff.	Webber, A. J.	Cor. Van Dorn & Elizabeth.			Keeper, Michigan State Prison.
Shannon, L.	Blackstone, near Mason.			Dealer in the Carver Force Pump.	Walden, Miss M. E.	270 Main			Blacksmith and Alderman. [Tools.
Simpson, H. W.	239 Main; res. 303 Ganson.			Restaurant.	Williams, John.	Waterloo Av. bet. North &			Firm Withington, Cooley, & Co., M'n'frs Farming
Seaton, W. L.	106 Blackstone.			Postmaster.	Welch, S. S.	44 Wesley; res. 359 Main.	1841	N. Y.	Engineer, Grand River Valley Railroad.
Sutton, A. E.	Mill; res. 51 Wesley.			Livery (Sutton Brothers).	Withington, W. H.				
Simmons, H.	180 Main			Wines, Liquors, and Cigars, Wholesale and Retail.	Younkin, W. H.	64 Mechanic.			

PARMA TOWNSHIP AND VILLAGE.

NAME	RESIDENCE.		Date of Settlement	NATIVITY.	Post-Office Address.	DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS.	NAME	RESIDENCE.		Date of Settlement	NATIVITY.	Post-Office Address.	DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS.
	TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.						TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.				
Ashdown, J.	Parma.	Section 31.	1858	New York.	Parma.	Miller.	Parma.	Section 13.	1843	New York.	Parma.	Farmer.	
Abbott, C. A.	"	" 32.	1850	Michigan.	Albion.	Farmer.	"	" 20.	1871	Ohio.	Albion.	"	
Buckman, A. M.	"	" 36.	1835	New York.	Parma.	Physician, Aldrich Blk	"	" 6.	1850	New York.	Devereux.	"	
Bristol, S. H.	"	" 36.	1853	"	"	" [dealer.	"	" 6.	1850	Michigan.	"	"	
Barsdale, S.	"	" 36.	1860	"	"	Blacksmith & carriage	"	" 36.	1843	"	Parma.	"	
Beaman, M. C.	"	" 31.	1865	Vermont.	Albion.	Farmer.	"	" 31.	1844	New York.	"	Retired gentleman.	
Bliss, H.	"	" 26.	1853	New York.	Parma.	"	"	" 8.	1848	"	Devereux.	Farmer.	
Baker, S. P.	"	" 27.	1852	"	"	"	"	" 5.	1850	"	"	"	
Ball, O. L.	"	" 17.	1867	Michigan.	Albion.	"	"	" 5.	1866	"	"	"	
Brown, L. G.	"	" 12.	1841	"	Parma.	"	"	" 4.	1847	Pennsylvania.	"	"	
Brown, W. G.	"	" 2.	1836	New York.	"	"	"	" 1.	1844	Michigan.	Parma.	"	
Calkins, B. B.	"	" 36.	1867	Ohio.	"	Blacksmith.	"	" 36.	1868	New Jersey.	"	Druggist and grocer.	
Cuatt, J.	"	" 32.	1866	New York.	Albion.	Farmer.	"	" 36.	1832	New York.	"	Foundryman.	
Comstock, E. D.	"	" 36.	1848	Michigan.	Parma.	Dry Goods Merchant.	"	" 29.	1857	"	Albion.	Farmer.	
Conant, W. M.	"	" 28.	1853	New York.	"	Farmer.	"	" 34.	1867	Ohio.	Parma.	"	
Carrier, J. W.	"	" 13.	1837	Michigan.	"	"	"	" 28.	1865	Ireland.	"	"	
Campbell, F.	"	" 12.	1842	"	"	"	"	" 34.	1854	Ohio.	"	"	
Calaban, C.	"	" 15.	1853	Ireland.	"	"	"	" 32.	1862	New York.	Albion.	"	
Dey, J. I.	"	" 8.	1862	New York.	Devereux.	Farmer & J. of the P.	"	" 33.	1845	Michigan.	Parma.	"	
Dunn, J. C.	"	" 15.	1844	"	Parma.	"	"	" 24.	1832	New York.	"	"	
Dolph, J.	"	" 30.	1843	"	Albion.	"	"	" 8.	1865	"	Devereux.	"	
Davis, G. R.	"	" 1.	1835	"	Parma.	"	"	" 5.	1848	"	Springport.	"	
Eldridge, C.	"	" 20.	1855	"	Albion.	"	"	" 15.	1870	Ohio.	Parma.	"	
Elmer, F.	"	" 6.	1853	Michigan.	Devereux.	"	"	" 14.	1837	Ireland.	"	"	
Fuller, C. T.	"	" 8.	1847	New York.	"	"	"	" 36.	1845	Michigan.	"	"	
Failing, C. N.	"	" 32.	1858	Michigan.	Albion.	"	"	" 33.	1863	Massachusetts.	Albion.	"	
Gillett, D. F.	"	" 36.	1847	"	Parma.	Banker.	"	" 29.	1847	Michigan.	"	"	
Glasscoff, G.	"	" 30.	1860	Bavaria.	Albion.	Farmer.	"	" 19.	1850	New York.	"	"	
Groat, W. S.	"	" 28.	1868	New York.	"	"	"	" 8.	1841	Michigan.	"	"	
Graham, N. B.	"	" 31.	1832	Ohio.	"	"	"	" 16.	1837	New York.	"	"	
Grover, A.	"	" 29.	1869	Michigan.	"	"	"	" 28.	1841	Michigan.	"	"	
Geiger, J.	"	" 5.	1863	Pennsylvania.	"	"	"	" 14.	1865	"	Parma.	"	
Gifford, H. W.	"	" 7.	1844	New York.	"	"	"	"	1869	New York.	Albion.	"	
Godfrey, C. P.	"	" 4.	1849	Michigan.	Devereux.	"	"	" 27.	1834	"	Parma.	"	
Godfrey, H. W.	"	" 4.	1847	"	"	"	"	" 21.	1848	"	"	"	
Godfrey, J. K.	"	" 10.	1844	New York.	Parma.	[School.	"	" 18.	1867	Ohio.	Albion.	"	
Haskins, D. E.	"	Main Street.	1870	Ohio.	"	Principal of the Union	"	" 7.	1847	New York.	"	"	
Heys, G. E.	"	Section 29.	1858	England.	Albion.	Farmer.	"	" 36.	1839	Michigan.	Parma.	Hardware merchants.	
Hewlett, P.	"	" 32.	1850	New York.	"	"	"	" 31.	1869	New York.	Albion.	Farmer.	
Holcomb, O. H.	"	" 28.	1871	"	Parma.	"	"	" 26.	1857	"	Parma.	"	
Hubert, B. L.	"	" 13.	1845	Michigan.	"	"	"	" 34.	1840	Michigan.	"	"	
Hathaway, I. B.	"	" 13.	1866	New York.	"	"	"	" 34.	1855	Maine.	"	"	
Hubert, E. G.	"	" 13.	1849	Michigan.	"	"	"	"	1847	Michigan.	"	"	
Hall, H. L.	"	" 6.	1866	Connecticut.	Albion.	"	"	" 6.	1872	Pennsylvania.	Springport.	"	
Hartung, J. M.	"	" 29.	1870	New Jersey.	"	"	"	" 32.	1868	New York.	Albion.	"	
Hoag, A.	"	" 8.	1842	New York.	Devereux.	"	"	" 21.	1835	Massachusetts.	Parma.	"	
Hoag, J.	"	" 7.	1842	"	"	"	"	" 6.	1864	"	Devereux.	"	
Hall, G. B.	"	" 7.	1854	"	"	"	"	" 19.	1872	New York.	Albion.	"	
Hoag, D.	"	" 9.	1845	"	Albion.	"	"	" 30.	1839	Massachusetts.	"	"	
Helmer, J.	"	" 2.	1847	"	Parma.	"	"	" 30.	1839	New York.	"	"	
Jeffrey, Miss M.	"	" 36.	1848	Michigan.	"	Dlr in mill'ry & fancy	"	" 34.	1872	"	Parma.	"	
Kinney, J. C.	"	" 31.	1864	New York.	Albion.	Farmer.	"	" 6.	1844	Michigan.	Springport.	"	
Keller, E.	"	" 28.	1869	"	"	"	"	" 28.		New York.	Parma.	"	
King, J. H.	"	" 26.	1842	Michigan.	Parma.	"	"	"		"	"	"	

**RIVES TOWNSHIP.**

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Angevine, C.	Rives	Section 24	1847	New York	Jackson	Farmer.	Ketchum, W. A.	Rives	Section 16	1843	Massachusetts	Rives Junc	Farmer.
Allen, W. H.	"	" 13	1837	"	"	"	King, J. H.	"	" 16 & 21	1837	New York	"	"
Austin, W. J.	"	" 2	1843	"	Leslie	"	Lyman, E. G.	"	" 2	1840	Ohio	Leslie	Carpenter.
Austin, C.	"	" 14	1836	"	Henrietta	"	Leach, J. W.	"	" 3	1836	New York	"	Farmer.
Albra, M.	"	" 7	1865	Michigan	Rives Junc	"	Ladyman, B.	"	" 24	1870	England	Tompkins	"
Anderson, C. S.	"	" 32	1846	"	Jackson	"	Malay, J. E.	"	" 25	1851	New York	Henrietta	"
Anderson, H.	"	" 32	1848	"	"	"	Minor, D. A.	"	" 12	1865	"	Leslie	"
Anderson, R. H.	"	" 32	1835	Ireland	"	"	Minor, L.	"	" 4	1865	"	"	"
Anderson, M.	"	" 39	1841	Michigan	"	"	Miles, Mrs. H. R.	"	" 5	1845	"	"	"
Blackmore, W.	"	" 12	1848	England	Henrietta	"	Minor, D.	"	" 9	1865	Michigan	"	"
Butler, M. R.	"	" 8	1865	Ohio	Rives Junc	"	McCrum, W.	"	" 16	1863	Ireland	"	"
Babcock, C. J.	"	" 16	1866	Rhode Island	"	"	Minor, B.	"	" 15	1863	New York	"	"
Broughell, P.	"	" 18	1855	Ireland	"	"	McCrum, G.	"	" 20	1861	Ireland	Rives Junc	"
Cronkwhite, H. H.	"	" 15	1840	New York	Leslie	"	Markham, A.	"	" 26	1862	New York	Jackson	" and mason.
Cole, H. H. G.	"	" 21	1836	New Hampshire	Rives Junc	"	Northrop, W.	"	" 10	1844	"	Leslie	"
Cabill, E.	"	" 6	1852	Ireland	"	"	Ostrander, E.	"	" 36	1870	"	Jackson	"
Caster, P. L.	"	" 24	1836	Massachusetts	Henrietta	"	Phelps, A.	"	" 17	1843	"	Rives Junc	"
Closson, S. M.	"	" 29	1847	Michigan	Jackson	"	Peek, J.	"	" 28	1867	"	Jackson	" and blacksmith.
Compton, J. K.	"	" 1	1857	Pennsylvania	Leslie	" and teacher.	Peek, W. H.	"	" 28	1854	"	"	"
Draper, H. A.	"	" 29	1839	Michigan	Jackson	"	Parman, J.	"	" 2	1860	Germany	Leslie	" and soldier
Draper, A.	"	" 31	1837	New York	"	"	Peek, T. N.	"	" 2	1861	Michigan	"	" and cider manuf.
Draper, L.	"	" 31	1836	"	"	"	Perrine, E. R.	"	" 8	1853	New York	Rives Junc	"
Dunham, G. G.	"	" 5	1865	"	Leslie	"	Reeves, M. C.	"	" 4	1854	"	Leslie	"
Delano, W.	"	" 9	1857	Ohio	"	"	Rankin, H. C.	"	" 12	1856	Pennsylvania	Jackson	"
Drew, J. T.	"	" 34	1867	New York	Jackson	" and drover.	Raman, R. T.	"	" 14	1839	Michigan	Henrietta	" [dairyman.
Draper, O.	"	" 20	1869	"	Rives Junc	"	Ranny, D. H.	"	" 22	1847	Connecticut	Jackson	" fruit raiser and
Draper, Hiram	"	" 29	1866	"	Jackson	"	Reeve, O.	"	" 23	1848	Michigan	"	"
Elliott, J.	"	" 19	1836	"	Rives Junc	"	Steiler, C. C.	"	" 35	1867	Pennsylvania	"	"
Evans, C.	"	" 8	1836	"	Leslie	"	Showers, J.	"	" 23	1857	Canada	"	"
Eldred, H. L.	"	" 29	1854	"	Jackson	"	Smith, S.	"	" 24	1848	New York	Henrietta	"
French, C.	"	" 30	1847	"	Rives Junc	"	Spring, A.	"	" 14	1869	"	Leslie	"
Fisher, P.	"	" 3	1844	Michigan	Leslie	"	Stitt, J.	"	" 4	1861	Scotland	"	" and mason.
Freeman, E. A.	"	" 1	1858	Pennsylvania	"	"	Smith, J.	"	" 19	1837	England	Rives Junc	"
Fisher, J.	"	" 10	1835	New York	"	"	True, A. G.	"	" 21	1833	New York	Jackson	" and drover.
Gammell, J.	"	" 4	1853	Scotland	"	"	Taylor, J.	"	" 3	1852	"	Leslie	"
Gonng, I.	"	" 8	1857	Pennsylvania	"	"	Trumbull, E.	"	" 24	1838	Connecticut	Jackson	"
Hall, F.	"	" 31	1869	Massachusetts	Jackson	"	Trumbull, J. S.	"	" 24	1834	"	"	"
Hendee, R. D.	"	" 33	1835	Vermont	"	"	Thorp, P.	"	" 36	1861	Ohio	"	" and carpenter.
Hamer, W. S.	"	" 25	1867	New York	"	"	Taylor, J. S.	"	" 20	1844	New York	Rives Junc	"
Hills, J. O.	"	" 24	1860	"	"	"	True, J.	"	" 27	1843	New Jersey	Jackson	"
Hunt, J.	"	" 11 & 12	1852	Canada	Leslie	"	Van Horn, E.	"	" 34	1836	New York	"	"
Higdon, C.	"	" 3	1865	England	"	"	Wilbur, E. I.	"	" 27	1837	"	"	"
Hallifax, G.	"	" 12	1855	"	Henrietta	"	Wood, C. L.	"	" 4	1867	Connecticut	Leslie	"
Howell, A.	"	" 9	1853	New Jersey	Rives Junc	"	Whiting T.	"	" 12	1847	Michigan	Henrietta	"
Jones, J.	"	" 34	1850	England	Jackson	"	Wing, B. O.	"	" 3	1844	Maine	Leslie	Brick manufacturer.
Johnson, A. S.	"	" 36	1851	New York	"	" and gardener.	Wilcox, J.	"	" 2	1840	New York	"	Farmer.
Jackson, W. T.	"	" 7	1838	England	Rives Junc	"	Western, W.	"	" 11	1838	England	Henrietta	"
Ketchum, L. O.	"	" 9	1843	Ohio	Leslie	"	Young, O. C.	"	" 2	1857	Pennsylvania	Leslie	"

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	TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.						TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.				
Austin, A. K.	Norvell	Section 4	1832	New York	Norvell	Retired farmer.	Hildebrand, H.	Norvell	Section 35	1869	Germany	Norvell	Farmer.
Ashley, T.	"	" 10	1861	Vermont	"	Farmer.	Jones, N. & Son	"	" 36	1835	New York	"	Farmers.
Aylsworth, W.	"	" 25	1853	New York	Brooklyn	"	Kouch, J.	"	" 26	1851	Germany	"	Farmer.
Beech, Charles	"	[ & John St.	1868	England	"	"	Karr, Horace	"	Village	1837	New York	"	Capitalist.
Burgess & Satterley	"	Commerc'l Av.	1862	New York	Norvell	Merchants.	Lester, W. B.	"	Section 25	1858	"	"	Farmer.
Brigham, W. B.	"	Exchange	1865	"	"	Hotel Keeper.	Ladd, G.	"	" 28	1847	Connecticut	Brooklyn	" & capitalist.
Beech, W.	"	Section 36	1852	England	Brooklyn	Farmer.	Low, W. H.	"	Jackson St	1850	New York	Norvell	Blacksmith.
Brooks, L.	"	" 23	1862	New York	"	" & road com'r.	Miller, S. J.	"	Section 36	1854	New Jersey	"	Farmer.
Brown, C. A.	"	" 11	1846	"	Norvell	"	Mellankamp, H.	"	" 36	1868	Prussia	"	"
Brower, L. H.	"	" 26	1844	Michigan	"	"	Olmsted, W.	"	" 26	1871	New York	"	"
Cobb, Joseph	"	" 33, 34	1851	New York	"	"	Oberle, P.	"	" 16	1856	Germany	Brooklyn	"
Chaffee, W.	"	" 14	1833	"	"	" & capitalist.	Parmer, A. J.	"	Edgar & Com'l	1836	New York	Norvell	Supervisor.
Case, A.	"	" 1	1862	"	Manchester	"	Pardee, J. M.	"	Section 12	1840	"	"	Farmer.
Cornwell, J. F.	"	" 34	1834	"	Norvell	"	Parmer, S. B.	"	" 4	1836	"	"	"
Dorr, E.	"	" 14	1836	New Hampshire	"	Farmer & lumberman.	Rushton, T. C.	"	" 28	1870	Michigan	"	"
Fay, J.	"	" 23	1838	New York	"	"	Rhead, T.	"	Com'l & Edgar	1841	England	"	Capitalist.
Fuller, S. A.	"	" 21	1848	"	Brooklyn	"	Reynolds, W. B.	"	Reynolds St	1847	New York	"	Miller and produce dr.
Green, J.	"	" 23	1854	Michigan	Norvell	"	Sweezy, Wm	"	Commc'l Av.	1835	"	"	Capitalist.
Gurley, Mrs. P. A.	"	" 28	1849	New York	"	"	Shekell, A.	"	Section 16	1868	"	Brooklyn	Farmer.
Hounson, Isaac	"	Village	1864	"	"	Merchant.	Somers, J. F.	"	" 27	1857	Michigan	Norvell	" & school teacher.
Hay, F.	"	"	1865	"	Brooklyn	Farmer.	Sell, D. D.	"	" 36	1845	New York	"	"
Hunt, A.	"	Section 10	1836	"	Norvell	Retired farmer.	Sweezy, G. W.	"	" 34	1857	Michigan	"	"
Halladay, T. B.	"	" 11	1861	"	"	Farmer. [peace.	Smith, C.	"	Jackson St	1872	Nova Scotia	"	Carriage & wagon mf.
Harris, B. G.	"	" 3	1864	"	"	" & justice of the	Schofield, F. W.	"	Village	1840	Ohio	"	Carpenter & joiner.
Hay, J., Jr.	"	" 12	1843	"	"	"	Scott, J. C.	"	"	1863	New York	"	Farmer & carpenter.
Hyndman, D.	"	Commerc'l Av.	1863	Scotland	"	Physician & surgeon.	Turner, W.	"	Section 25	1852	England	Brooklyn	" [Bk., Manch's'r.
Howland, L.	"	Section 21	1854	New York	Brooklyn	Farmer & capitalist.	Watkins, L. D.	"	" 13	1835	New Hampshire	Manchester	" & Prs. Peoples'
House, J. W.	"	" 28	1852	"	"	"	Watkins, F. C.	"	" 13	1833	"	Norvell	" Direct. Jackson
Homes, H.	"	" 35	1836	England	Norvell	" & capitalist.	Wood, J. M.	"	" 1	1861	New York	"	Co. Bk., Jackson
Hall, P. B. & C. L.	"	" 25	1836	Connecticut	"	"	Woolcott, J. H.	"	" 25	1859	Connecticut	"	Carp. & joiner.
Harper, A., Jr.	"	" 26	1870	Michigan	"	"	Yarrington, C.	"	Claren. & Com.	1840	Michigan	"	Merchant.
Homes, S. W.	"	" 35	1836	New York	"	"							

**SPRINGPORT TOWNSHIP.**

NAME	RESIDENCE.		Date of Settlement.	NATIVITY.	Post-Office Address.	DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS.	NAME	RESIDENCE.		Date of Settlement.	NATIVITY.	Post-Office Address.	DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS.
	TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.						TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.				
Allen, H. H.	Springport	Section 16	1864	Maine	Springport	Farmer.	Harris, G. E.	Springport	Section 18	1836	Michigan	Springport	Druggist.
Allen, T. H.	"	" 6	1855	"	"	"	Hammond, O. V.	"	" 30	1836	New York	"	Farmer.
Beal, Lewis	"	" 20	1854	Germany	"	"	Hammond, W. M.	"	" 33	1834	"	"	"
Bancroft, William	"	" 18	1853	New York	"	"	Hubbard, H. W.	"	" 24	1870	"	Parma	"
Brown, M. S.	"	" 27	1835	"	"	"	Jameson, J. M.	"	" 13	1836	"	"	"
Brown, C. C.	"	" 34	1837	Michigan	"	"	Landon, G.	"	" 34	1837	"	Springport	"
Buck, Levi	"	" 12	1857	New York	Tompkins	"	Ludlow, S. H.	"	" 27	1837	"	"	"
Crawford, A.	"	" 4	1839	Michigan	Springport	"	Landon, E. A.	"	" 19	"	"	"	"
Colby, J.	"	" 29	1868	New York	"	"	Myers, R. H.	"	Main	1858	"	"	"
Calkins, A. B.	"	Main	"	"	"	General agent.	Pearson, D. H.	"	Section 9	1844	"	"	"
De Foe, Dr. E. R.	"	Main	"	Canada	"	Physician & surgeon.	Pope, C.	"	" 24	1838	"	"	"
Doak, C. R.	"	Section 30	1837	New York	"	Farmer.	Paine, A. B.	"	Main	"	"	Springport	Hardware merchant.
Deyoe, J. E.	"	" 28	1851	"	"	"	Snyder, J.	"	Section 36	1851	"	Parma	Retired farmer.
Ferris, A.	"	" 17	1839	"	"	"	Saxton, T. C.	"	" 21	1864	New Jersey	Springport	Farmer.
Ferris, E.	"	" 20	1836	"	"	"	Stoddard, O.	"	" 20	1873	New York	"	Merchant.
Fitzgerald, H.	"	" 29	1835	"	"	"</							

**PULASKI TOWNSHIP.**

NAME.	RESIDENCE.		Date of Settlement.	NATIVITY.	Post-Office Address.	DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS.	NAME.	RESIDENCE.		Date of Settlement.	NATIVITY.	Post-Office Address.	DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS.
	TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.						TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.				
Abbott, D. P.	Pulaski	Section 19	1836	Ohio	Pulaski	Farmer.	Lambert, T.	Pulaski	Section 15	1854	England	Pulaski	Blacksmith.
Amidon, H.	"	"	1853	New York	Concord	"	Loper, H. H. [C. W.]	"	"	1867	New York	Concord	Farmer.
Butters, J.	"	"	1844	England	Pulaski	" and stock dlr.	Luttenton, R. M. & Mench, E. J.	"	"	1845	Michigan	"	Carpenters and joiners.
Butters, Jno. W.	"	"	1855	"	"	"	Mench, E. J.	"	"	1846	"	Pulaski	Farmer.
Brail, R.	"	"	1867	Pennsylvania	"	Town treasurer.	Mench, P.	"	"	1848	Pennsylvania	"	"
Buck, C.	"	"	1871	New York	Concord	Farmer.	Marshall, J.	"	"	1866	England	Concord	" and thresher.
Berry, R.	"	"	1866	"	"	"	McClintic, Thos.	"	"	1855	Pennsylvania	Pulaski	"
Brail, R. C.	"	"	1845	Michigan	Pulaski	"	McNair, C. H.	"	"	1860	New York	Hanover	"
Bartell, I.	"	"	1860	England	"	"	Malloch, J.	"	"	1843	"	Pulaski	"
Butters, Wm.	"	"	1853	"	"	"	Mason, Rev. A. W.	"	"	1852	Massachusetts	Mosherville	Clergyman.
Barn, R.	"	"	1860	New York	"	"	Nowlin, E.	"	"	1836	New York	Pulaski	Farmer.
Buck, A.	"	"	1847	"	Mosherville	"	Nowlin, L.	"	"	1836	"	"	"
Case, Dan'l H.	"	"	1867	Michigan	"	"	Nearpass, G.	"	"	1833	"	"	"
Carr, E. F.	"	"	1849	"	Concord	" carp. & join.	Nowlin, J.	"	"	1836	"	"	"
Champion, A. C.	"	"	1863	New York	Mosherville	"	Nowlin, J. H.	"	"	1836	"	"	"
Clark, J. W.	"	"	1838	Michigan	Pulaski	"	Nash, Wm.	"	"	1849	Michigan	"	"
Clark, Thos.	"	"	1855	England	"	"	Nash, Jas.	"	"	1843	"	"	"
Clark, W.	"	"	1853	"	"	"	Perrott, J.	"	"	1862	England	Hanover	"
Cheesebro, Edw.	"	"	1836	New York	Mosherville	"	Putman, W.	"	"	1863	New York	Concord	"
Clark, Mrs. L.	"	"	1868	England	Pulaski	"	Perine, G.	"	"	1855	"	Pulaski	" carp. & join.
Cory, A. L.	"	"	1852	New York	Concord	"	Perine, C. E.	"	"	1853	"	"	" & stone mas'n
Coykendall, M. W.	"	"	1847	"	Hanover	"	Parker, G. W.	"	"	1844	"	Stoney Point	"
Center, Sam'l.	"	"	1845	"	"	"	Rushton, B.	"	"	1857	England	Pulaski	"
Culver, J. G.	"	"	1850	Vermont	Pulaski	"	Stookey, A.	"	"	1836	Pennsylvania	Mosherville	"
Caywood, F. W.	"	"	1840	New York	"	"	Stiles, R.	"	"	1873	New York	"	"
Dunham, H.	"	"	1844	"	Concord	"	Showers, W.	"	"	1837	"	Concord	" [merchandise.
Dodes, H.	"	"	1855	England	"	"	Skutt, C. W.	"	"	1855	"	"	Wholesale dealer in
Dixon, C. D.	"	"	1837	Ohio	"	"	Skutt, E. H.	"	"	1855	"	"	Farmer.
Dixon, E.	"	"	1840	"	"	"	Scribner, C. D.	"	"	1856	"	Pulaski	"
Densmore, J. F.	"	"	1840	Maine	Hanover	"	Severance, W. D.	"	"	1835	Massachusetts	"	"
Dunham, Harrison.	"	"	1845	New York	"	"	Strang, N.	"	"	1872	New York	"	"
Deforest, W.	"	"	1846	"	Mosherville	"	Stanhouse, J.	"	"	1853	England	Concord	"
Fleetwood, J. H.	"	"	1854	"	"	Teacher.	Tyler, G. W.	"	"	1844	New York	Mosherville	"
Fisher, M.	"	"	1848	Pennsylvania	Pulaski	Farmer.	Tyler, J. A. [H.]	"	"	1848	Michigan	"	"
Fritz, J.	"	"	1865	Germany	Concord	"	Thrasher, J. & W.	"	"	1868	New York	Concord	" & carriage and
Findley, J. L.	"	"	1853	Michigan	"	" carp. & join.	Turner, S. P.	"	"	1850	"	Mosherville	" [wagon makers.
Fleetwood, H.	"	"	1854	New York	Mosherville	"	Thorn, J. H.	"	"	1860	"	"	"
Gooding, D.	"	"	1855	England	Pulaski	"	Truer, S. G. [R.]	"	"	1869	"	Hanover	" and stock dlr.
Goff, Thos.	"	"	1838	Michigan	Mosherville	"	Van Derburgh, W.	"	"	1843	"	Concord	Farmer.
Hester, A.	"	"	1867	Pennsylvania	Pulaski	"	Van Houghton, F.	"	"	1864	Ohio	Mosherville	"
Hungerford, J. A.	"	"	1849	Michigan	Concord	"	Veeder, M.	"	"	1871	New York	Stoney Point	"
Harwood, G. R.	"	"	1870	New York	"	"	Willis, Ira A.	"	"	1838	"	Pulaski	"
Hodge, M. H.	"	"	1837	Massachusetts	Mosherville	" [son.	Watson, Wm.	"	"	1837	Canada	Mosherville	"
Hamblin, W. P.	"	"	1844	New York	Pulaski	and stone ma-	Watson, Eli.	"	"	1849	"	Pulaski	"
Hamblin, S. D.	"	"	1844	"	"	"	Wheeler, J.	"	"	1866	New York	"	"
Hamblin, O. E.	"	"	1844	"	"	"	White, G. W.	"	"	1853	England	Concord	"
Hutchins, J. T.	"	"	1849	Pennsylvania	"	"	Williams, P. J.	"	"	1848	Michigan	"	"
Hutchins, H. S.	"	"	1843	"	"	"	Wheeler, J. P.	"	"	1836	Massachusetts	Pulaski	Supervisor.
Hubbard, H. S.	"	"	1866	New York	Concord	"	Wilbur, N. F.	"	"	1836	New York	"	General merchant.
Hubbard, R. H.	"	"	1836	"	Pulaski	"	Williams, G. W.	"	"	1831	"	Concord	Farmer.
Jacobs, S.	"	"	1832	"	"	"	Willey, C. H.	"	"	1868	"	Pulaski	"
Keefer, Mrs. E.	"	"	1870	Pennsylvania	"	"	Wagoner, S.	"	"	1836	Michigan	"	" & stone mas'n
Kellogg, S. H.	"	"	1848	New York	Concord	" and stock dlr.	Wooliver, P. J.	"	"	1867	"	"	"
Keefer, A. J.	"	"	1859	Germany	"	"	Wilbur, J., Jr.	"	"	1836	New York	"	Stone mason.
Kehl, Abraham.	"	"	1836	Pennsylvania	"	"	Wadsworth, E.	"	"	1859	"	Concord	Farmer.
Lewis, M. C. [F.]	"	"	1855	Michigan	"	"	Wood, J. H.	"	"	1834	"	Stoney Point	"
Luttenton, W. & R.	"	"	1855	New York	"	"	Weston, F. L.	"	"	1859	Connecticut	Hanover	"

**BLACKMAN TOWNSHIP.**

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	TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.						TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.				
Allen, O.	Blackman	Section 8	1836	New York	Jackson	Farmer.	Mills, G. M.	Blackman	Section 10	1867	New York	Jackson	Farmer.
Allen, C.	"	"	1836	"	"	"	Markham, M.	"	"	1840	Michigan	"	"
Bennett, R.	"	"	1840	Ohio	"	"	Morse, F.	"	"	1857	"	"	" & wagon m'r.
Brainard, J. D.	"	"	1872	New York	"	" and drover.	Magett, T., Jr.	"	"	1836	England	"	and gardener.
Beebe, E. P.	"	"	1837	"	"	"	Morrill, N.	"	"	1832	New Hampshire	"	"
Boyer, C. E.	"	"	1841	"	"	"	McConnel, J. T.	"	"	1832	"	"	"
Cass, O. L.	"	"	1848	Michigan	"	"	Poole, J. R.	"	"	1832	New York	"	"
Church, Mrs. E. A.	"	"	1833	Massachusetts	"	"	Pulver, H. M.	"	"	1869	Michigan	"	"
Cole, H. M.	"	"	1844	Michigan	"	"	Pierce, D. C.	"	"	1841	"	"	"
Cooley, E.	"	"	"	"	"	Dir in ag. in's, Jackson	Pond, C. C.	"	"	1847	New York	"	and drover.
Crawford, S. Z.	"	"	1836	New York	"	Farmer.	Smith, G. D.	"	"	1869	"	"	& wagon m'er
Dwellely, C. N.	"	"	1873	Maine	"	"	Strand, F.	"	"	1854	England	Sandstone	"
Dieserth, H.	"	"	1855	Germany	"	" & blacksmith.	Smith, A. J.	"	"	1837	New York	Jackson	"
Dwelly, M. S.	"	"	1869	Maine	"	st'k r'er, r'l es	Todd, J.	"	"	1837	"	Leoni	"
Elliot, H.	"	"	1858	Canada	"	and carpenter	Thorpe, W.	"	"	1861	Ohio	Jackson	"
Fritts, H. K.	"	"	1838	New Jersey	"	& pres. of roll-	Van Horn, S. D.	"	"	1850	Michigan	"	"
Hoyt, J. L.	"	"	1837	New York	"	[ing mills.	Vanderlyn, J. J.	"	"	1835	New York	"	"
Higgins, W. A.	"	"	1865	Ohio	"	"	Woodworth, L. H.	"	"	1836	Michigan	"	and t'p clerk.
Hurd, J. I.	"	"	1842	New York	"	"	Woodworth, Sam'l.	"	"	1832	New York	"	"
Hitchcock, M. S.	"	"	1869	"	"	"	Wheeler, N.	"	"	1836	"	"	"
Jackson, R. D.	"	"	1853	"	"	"	Wheeler, L. D.	"	"	1836	"	"	and dairyman
Laverty, A. H.	"	"	1840	Michigan	"	" & stock raiser.	Wing, C.	"	"	1843	Maine	"	"
Lyman, D. R.	"	"	1871	Massachusetts	"	"	Wood, L.	"	"	1831	New York	"	"

**SUMMIT TOWNSHIP.**

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	TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.						TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.				
Aldrich, S.	Summit	Section 34	1864	England	S. Jackson	Farmer.	Lyon, A. D.	Summit	Section 25	1860	Michigan	Jackson	Farmer & stock raiser.
Boldrey, D.	"	"	1837	Lower Canada	"	"	Lincoln, E.	"	"	1852	New York	"	Farmer.
Badgley, D.	"	"	1848	New York	"	"	Latimer, A. H.	"	"	1837	Connecticut	"	" & justice of peace.
Crouch, J.	"	"	1856	Connecticut	"	"	Loud, C.	"	"	1846	Massachusetts	"	Veterinary surgeon....
Creech, J.	"	"	1847	New York	"	"	McCain, A.	"	"	1830	New York	"	Farmer and supervisor
Dibble, A.	"	"	1836	Vermont	Jackson	"	Mills, F. A.	"	"	1863	"	"	Farmer.
De Lamater, H. S.	"	"	1855	New York	"	"	O'Brien, D.	"	"	1865	Ireland	"	"
Draper, G. C.	"	"	1838	"	"	"	Phillips, W.	"	"	1857	New York	"	"
De Puy, J.	"	"	1832	"	"	"	Pulver, L.	"	"	1849	"	"	and thresher.
Elliott, N. K.	"	"	1870	"	"	Miller.	Sharpe, M.	"	"	1840	"	"	"
Ferguson, J. H.	"	"	1837	"	"	Farmer.	Scott, J.	"	"	1867	England	"	"
Foot, B.	"	"	1845	Michigan	"	"	Sanford, N.	"	"	1855	Michigan	S. Jackson	"
Ferguson, J. E.	"	"	1853	New York	"	" and under-sheriff.	Scheele, J.	"	"	1855	Germany	Jackson	"
Green, K. B.	"	"	1845	"	"	"	Watts, J. W.	"	"	1838	Michigan	"	"
Glenn, J. H.	"	"	1865	England	"	"	Walworth, D. B.	"	"	1837	New York	"	"
Gunison, J. O.	"	"	1859	New York	"	" and stock raiser.							

**CONCORD TOWNSHIP.**

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	TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.						TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.				
Aldrich, W. E.	Concord	Section 7	1835	New York	Albion	Farmer and stock dlr.	Marsh, L.	Concord	Section 18	1845	New York	Albion	Farmer & stock raiser.
Albert, M.	"	" 16	1858	"	Concord	"	Mann, D. S.	"	" 20	1841	Michigan	Concord	"
Burroughs, J. B.	"	" 24	1833	"	"	"	Morgan, Mrs. M.	"	" 30	1846	New Jersey	Albion	"
Brown, J.	"	" 25	1847	"	"	"	Mattice, C.	"	" 28	1846	New York	Concord	"
Bullock, R.	Village	Concord Village	1858	Vermont	"	Capitalist.	Manzer, S.	"	" 24	1854	Michigan	"	"
Baker, S.	"	Section 11	1858	Connecticut	"	Farmer.	McIntyre, J.	"	" 27	1864	Canada	"	Carpenter and joiner.
Briggs, R.	"	" 2	1833	New York	Parma	"	Nearpass, Mrs. M.	"	" 31	1854	New York	"	Farmer.
Burt, E.	"	" 11	1841	"	Concord	"	Osborn, S.	"	" 18	1859	"	Albion	"
Baker, H.	"	" 15	1849	"	"	"	Perry, T. L.	"	" 13	1829	"	Concord	"
Bradock, H. A.	"	" 25	1870	Michigan	"	"	Power, Mrs. M.	"	" 3	1861	"	Parma	"
Billings, H. K.	"	" 26	1860	Vermont	"	"	Passmore, W.	"	" 4	1858	England	"	"
Bryant, G. S.	"	"	1869	New Hampshire	"	"	Puff, J.	"	" 17	1856	Germany	Albion	"
Bayro, W. A.	"	" 8	1841	New York	Albion	"	Parmeter, J. L.	"	" 28	1835	New York	Concord	Physician and surgeon.
Bartlett, W.	"	" 31	1855	Michigan	Concord	"	Parmeter, W. H.	"	" 20	1835	"	Albion	Farmer & artisan well
Bradock, C. G.	"	" 35	1868	"	"	"	Pomeroy, A.	"	" 30	1836	"	Concord	" & surv'r. [driller.
Chapple, W. D.	"	" 5	1863	England	Albion	Constable.	Perry, J.	"	" 14	1833	Pennsylvania	"	"
Coykendall, J. M.	"	" 6	1847	New York	"	Farmer. [tinner	Paddock, A. J.	"	" 35	1843	New York	"	" and miller.
Coswell, L.	Village	" 27	1866	Ohio	Concord	Hardware merchant &	Paddock, G.	"	" 27	1843	"	"	"
Clark, H.	"	" 16	1869	Pennsylvania	"	Farmer. [Holman	Ray, L. B.	"	" 9	1863	"	Parma	" [facturer.
Carpenter, F. A.	"	" 28	1847	Michigan	"	State agent for A. J.	Root, C.	Village	"	1835	"	Concord	Boot and shoe manu-
Cutter, A. H.	"	" 12	1842	New York	Parma	Farmer and stock dlr.	Reynolds, A. W.	"	"	1836	Michigan	"	Farmer and capitalist.
Dimmick, I.	"	" 3	1839	"	"	"	Ruff, A.	"	" 7	1859	Germany	Albion	"
Drake, N. P.	Village	" 27	1843	Michigan	Concord	Hotel keeper.	Rogers, G. W.	Village	" 27	1873	New York	Concord	Miller.
Dodge, J. M.	"	" 27	1857	New York	"	Postmaster.	Ray, M. L.	"	" 14	1852	Vermont	"	Farmer & stock dealer.
Darling, J. G.	"	" 6	1855	"	Albion	Justice of the peace.	Reynolds, W. L. M.	"	" 27	1853	New York	"	Boot and shoe dealer.
Davis, D.	"	" 11	1870	"	Concord	Farmer.	Ritter, L.	"	" 25	1855	Germany	"	Millwright & lumber-
Dewey, E. H.	"	" 25	1849	Michigan	"	"	Sampson, F.	"	" 1	1869	New York	Parma	Farmer. [man.
Durgy, D.	"	" 27	1867	New York	"	Produce dealer.	Saxton, N. B.	"	" 33	1840	Michigan	Concord	Druggist and M. D.
Dewey, G. S.	"	" 25	1846	Michigan	"	Farmer.	Smalley, S. V.	"	" 22	1833	New York	"	Farmer.
Encle, S. G.	"	" 30	1862	Pennsylvania	Albion	"	Smultz, F.	"	" 17	1866	Germany	Albion	"
Findley, J. I.	"	" 32	1849	New York	Concord	Prin'l of public school.	Stahley, G. A.	Village	" 27	1857	"	Concord	Hardware merchant.
Ferguson, V.	"	" 27	1851	Michigan	"	Proprietor Clark Hotel.	Scranton, G. S.	"	" 28	1843	New York	"	Farmer, wheat, & wood
Ford, D. S.	"	" 6	1835	New York	Albion	Carpenter and joiner.	Stoddard, J. B.	"	" 28	1838	Michigan	"	" & merchant. [dlr.
Fowler, S.	"	" 12	1854	Vermont	Parma	Farmer.	Stoddard, S.	"	" 16	1829	New York	Albion	Capitalist.
Griswold, E. M.	"	" 1	1852	Michigan	"	"	Spratt, A. L.	"	" 21	1835	"	Concord	" and farmer.
Gardner, J.	"	" 4	1834	New York	Albion	"	Squires, A.	"	" 19	1848	"	Albion	Farmer.
Glazier, S. H.	"	" 23	1866	"	Concord	"	Seymour, F.	"	" 28	1853	Ohio	Concord	"
Gillespie, L.	Village	" 27	1842	Michigan	"	Horse dealer.	Showers, D.	"	" 24	1843	New York	"	" [lumber.
Ganiard, A. M.	"	" 27	1836	New York	"	Town clerk.	Smalley, W. J.	"	" 27	1834	"	"	Dealer in flour and
Goodwin, W. F.	"	" 27	1845	"	"	Tax payer. [in poultry	Straw, L. D.	"	" 24	1843	Michigan	"	Farmer & stock dealer.
Granger, J. E.	"	" 31	1855	Michigan	"	Farmer. [co., & dlr.	Tucker, A. H.	Village	" 27	1858	New York	"	Dlr. in groceries, drugs
Hutchisson, W. H.	"	" 3	1865	New York	"	" [ & Amer'n ex.	Traves, J.	"	" 31	1853	England	"	Farmer. [and medi-
Hutchisson, E. F.	"	" 10	1865	"	"	Ag't for the M. C. R. R.	Thompson, A. J.	"	" 20	1838	New York	Albion	" [cines, and town-
Hancock, C.	"	" 7	1834	"	Albion	Farmer. [lime, wool.	Townsend, J. W.	"	" 28	1836	"	Concord	Supervisor. [ship treas-
Hungerford, R. H.	Village	"	1847	"	Concord	Dlr in lumber, plaster,	Van Wormer, A. J.	"	" 17	1836	"	Albion	Farmer. [sur.
Hungerford, T. S.	"	"	1848	"	"	Farmer and stock dlr.	Warner, J. P.	"	" 22	1862	"	Concord	"
Hanser, J.	"	"	1869	Germany	"	Blacksmith.	Winchell, Mrs. O.	"	" 31	1861	"	"	"
Hall, E.	"	" 16	1839	New York	"	Farmer.	Whittaker, J.	"	" 23	1855	England	"	"
Heath, W. W.	"	" 30	1869	Michigan	"	" [farmer.	Wade, S. W.	"	" 33	1846	Michigan	"	" [merchant.
Hodge, H. C.	"	" 27	1834	Vermont	"	Attorney, editor, and	Wetmore, H. A.	"	" 27	1860	New York	"	Banker, publisher and
Hildred, T.	"	" 34	1855	England	"	Farmer.	Witmer, J. O.	"	" 27	1847	Switzerland	"	Blacksmith.
Knowles, H.	"	" 4	1835	New York	Parma	"	Warner, F. A.	"	" 21	1840	Michigan	"	Farmer.
Kellicutt, D. A.	"	" 15	1850	"	Concord	" and poultry dlr.	Whittaker, J.	"	" 11	1862	New York	"	" and stock dealer.
Keeler, L.	"	" 27	1836	Vermont	"	"	Woodliff, W.	"	" 36	1853	England	"	"
Loder, F. K.	"	" 30	1857	New Jersey	Albion	"	Young, C.	"	" 20	1843	Michigan	"	"
Mann, C. H.	Village	" 17	1841	Pennsylvania	"	" and thresher.	Zabel, J. A.	"	" 33	1871	New York	"	"

**NAPOLEON TOWNSHIP.**

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	TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.						TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.				
Aldrich, W. E.	Napoleon	"	1870	New York	Napoleon	R. R. Ag't & telegraph	Hatt, J. H.	Napoleon	Section 19	1853	New York	Napoleon	Farmer.
Andrews, R. P.	"	Section 34	1850	"	"	Farmer. [operator.	Hawley, B. P.	"	Village	1856	"	"	" and thresher.
Anderson, J. E.	"	" 4	1846	Canada	"	"	Lewis, G.	"	Section 3	1851	"	"	"
Alcott, S.	"	" 26	1866	Ohio	"	"	Luce, C. W.	"	" 35	1857	Michigan	"	" [planing mill.
Blackmar, W. S.	"	Grass Lake St.	1862	New York	"	Merchant.	Luce, G. W.	"	" 35	1857	"	"	" [blinds, & pro.
Burroughs, C.	"	Section 36	1836	Michigan	"	Mason.	Lewis, J. J.	"	E. Main St.	1836	New York	"	D'ler in lumber, sash &
Burtless, H. A.	"	" 2	1868	New York	"	Farmer.	Maybee, F.	"	Section 1	1873	"	"	Farmer.
Blood, H. M.	"	" 4	1863	Vermont	"	"	Morgan, H.	"	" 31	1868	"	Jackson	"
Braton, Wm.	"	" 4	1853	Michigan	"	"	Marshall, J.	"	" 1	1865	England	Napoleon	Mason.
Barnes, Rm.	"	" 4	1868	England	"	"	Morse, C. D.	"	" 36	1854	New York	"	Farmer.
Bromley, F.	"	" 30	1864	New York	Jackson	"	Palmer, M. F.	"	" 36	1856	"	"	"
Blair, D. C.	"	" 35	1830	"	Napoleon	"	Palmer, C. R.	"	" 1	1863	"	"	"
Coykendall, D.	"	" 5	1848	"	"	"	Pelham, H.	"	" 35	1857	"	"	"
Case, M.	"	" 6	1832	"	"	" & supervisor.	Phillips, J. H.	"	" 31	1843	Michigan	Jackson	"
Crosby, F. R.	"	" 6	1839	"	"	Physician and surgeon.	Phillips, W. L.	"	" 31	1839	New York	"	Carpenter.
Clark, O. R.	"	" 6	1835	"	"	Farmer.	Partridge, T. B.	"	" 8	1865	"	Napoleon	Farmer.
Campbell, A. H.	"	" 2	1855	"	"	"	Palen, I.	"	" 29	1836	"	"	"
Cole, D.	"	" 35	1871	Michigan	"	"	Page, I.	"	Jackson	1867	"	"	"
Clemmons, A. R.	"	" 28	1859	"	Jackson	"	Russell, W.	"	Section 5	1868	"	"	"
Carl, E.	"	" 21	1865	New York	Napoleon	"	Riley, D.	"	" 36	1835	"	"	"
Carmer, J. V.	"	" 27	1834	"	"	"	Rooney, T.	"	" 17	1861	Ireland	Jackson	"
Caldwell, J.	"	" 31	1856	"	"	Hardware merchant.	Richmond, M.	"	" 35	1861	Michigan	Napoleon	"
Cady, P. A.	"	" 32	1839	Michigan	"	Farmer.	Schofield, J. T.	"	" 31	1838	Connecticut	"	"
Covert, J. C.	"	" 4	1844	"	"	"	Smith, C. C.	"	" 32	1852	New York	"	Hotel proprietor.
Davis, J.	"	" 31	1837	Rhode Island	"	"	Sloat, J. A.	"	" 3	1845	"	"	Farmer.
Dean, H.	"	" 1	1832	Vermont	"	"	Smith, A. E.	"	" 3	1868	"	"	"
Dilley, Wm.	"	" 11	1854	New York	"	"	Sannt, J. C.	"	" 31	1854	England	"	"
Foot, W. H.	"	" 36	1867	Michigan	"	"	Squier, R. W.	"	" 35	1832	New York	"	"
Greenwood, G.	"	" 22	1861	England	"	"	Tompkins, D.	"	" 3	1836	"	"	"
Greene, H. C.	"	" 31	1835	New York	"	Boot, shoe, and grocery	Tubbs, D. J.	"	" 33	1868	"	"	"
Garlinghouse, J. C.	"	" 33	1871	Michigan	"	Farmer. [dealer.	Tubbs, J. A.	"	" 21	1869	"	"	"
Gallup, E.	"	" 32	1865	New York	Jackson	"	Townsend, C. R.	"	" 3	1869	"	"	"
Gunn, J.	"	" 27	1834	England	Napoleon	"	Van Winkle, B. E.	"	" 32	1857	"	"	"
Griffin, J. C.	"	" 32	1835	New York	"	"	Weeks, E.	"	" 3	1837	"	"	"
Hawley, C. L.	"	" 32	1836	"	"	Manufact' of cradles.	Winchell, D. J.	"	" 35	1839	Michigan	"	"
Hawley, W.	"	" 1	1860	"	"	Farmer.	Yarrington, W. P.	"	" 30	1836	New York	"	"
Hendershot, J.	"	" 33	1869	"	"	"							

**BROOKLYN VILLAGE (COLUMBIA TP.).**

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	TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.						TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.				
Ambler, T. E.	Brooklyn	Main Street	1837	Connecticut	Brooklyn	Furniture dealer & un-	Pitcher, W. S.	Brooklyn	Marshall Str't	1856	New York	Brooklyn	Carriage manufacturer



## HANOVER TOWNSHIP.

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	TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.						TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.				
Armstrong, C.	Hanover	Section 21	1869	New York	Hanover	Blacksmith.	Marhoff, H.	Hanover	Section 5	1872	New York	Balw's Mills.	Farmer.
Bibbins, James O.	"	"	1837	"	"	Farmer.	Morgan, J. M.	"	Village	1871	"	Hanover	Blacksmith.
Bowerman, W.	"	28	1862	"	"	"	Newbury, J. W.	"	Section 27	1859	"	"	Farmer. [turer.
Brewster, S. S.	"	20	1860	"	"	"	Oakes, J.	"	"	1855	"	"	Sash & blind manufac-
Brown, H. L.	"	3	1842	Michigan	Balw's Mills.	"	Orr, D.	"	Main Street	1857	"	"	Harness maker.
Brewster, C.	"	29	1860	Ohio	Hanover	"	Page, Catherine	"	Section 27	1835	"	"	Farmer.
Bishop, W. H.	"	3	1864	New York	Balw's Mills.	"	Perrott, W.	"	" 9[son	1862	England	Balw's Mills.	"
Bouton, R.	"	"	1855	"	"	Hotel keeper.	Pepper & Pratt	"	Issman & Jack-	1872	Vermont & N. Y.	Hanover	Carriage manufacturers
Bunce, J.	"	25	1847	"	Hanover	Farmer.	Powell, T.	"	Section 30	1859	New York	"	Farmer.
Cornett, W.	"	12	1837	Rhode Island	Balw's Mills.	"	Pickell, F. E.	"	" 23	1849	Michigan	"	"
Courtney, G.	"	30	1844	Michigan	Hanover	"	Prescott, L. S.	"	Main Street	1844	New Hampshire	"	Hotel keeper.
Colgrove, E. J.	"	30	1851	"	Stoney Point	"	Ramsdell, Abraham	"	Section 36	1844	New York	Moscow	Farmer.
Comstock, W. J.	"	31	1860	New York	"	"	Reed, J. B.	"	" 13	1836	Massachusetts	Balw's Mills.	"
Clapp, W.	"	31	1837	"	"	"	Rogers, L.	"	" 14	1848	New York	"	"
Cleveland, D. A.	"	6	1836	Michigan	Concord	"	Rogers, W.	"	" 35	1847	"	Moscow	"
Cochran, H. C.	"	6	1869	New York	"	"	Ramsdell, S. M.	"	" 36	1865	"	Hanover	"
Cookinham, A. L.	"	14	1871	"	Balw's Mills.	"	Richards, H.	"	" 34	1837	"	"	"
Courtney, J.	"	18	1841	Michigan	Hanover	"	Ramsdell, E. B.	"	" 36	1864	Michigan	Moscow	"
Dean & Peabody	"	Main Street	1872	Mich. & Peabody	"	Merchants.	Stewart, J. D.	"	" 4	1838	New York	Balw's Mills.	"
Densmore, J. D.	"	Section 20	1843	Maine	"	Farmer.	Snyder, I.	"	" 3	1834	"	"	Physician and surgeon.
Densmore, U. H.	"	32	1843	"	Stoney Point	"	Sherman, H.	"	" 3	1870	Germany	"	Blacksmith.
Drake, M. N.	"	24	1854	Michigan	Hanover	"	Snow, E. A.	"	" 14	1872	Michigan	"	Teacher.
Densmore, C. K.	"	21	1843	Maine	"	"	Snow, C. E.	"	" 19	1855	New York	Hanover	Farmer.
Densmore, John W.	"	33	1838	"	"	"	Shaw, A. W.	"	" 30	1840	"	"	"
Edmond, F.	"	17	1870	Connecticut	Balw's Mills.	"	Sprague, A.	"	State Street	1845	"	"	"
Eddy, H. M. [Son.	"	11	1839	Pennsylvania	"	"	Sullivan Brothers	"	Section 14	1845	Michigan	"	"
Freeman, A. A. & Fraker, G. V.	"	Main Street	1870	New York	Hanover	Lumber dealers.	Sanderson, J. E.	"	Main Street	1865	New York	"	Butcher & confection'r.
Frazier, S. A.	"	Section 34	1856	"	"	Farmer.	Sanderson, William	"	Section 35	1865	Massachusetts	"	Farmer.
Green, J. B.	"	Allen Street	1855	Vermont	"	"	Snyder, M. B.	"	" 7	1838	Michigan	"	"
Gillespie, J. A.	"	Main Street	1872	Massachusetts	"	Cheese & butter dealer.	Spencer, J. T.	"	" 26	1865	"	"	"
Gillespie, W. F.	"	Section 11	1872	New York	"	Shoemaker.	Stevens, R.	"	" 16	1839	England	Balw's Mills.	Blacksmith.
Griner, F.	"	" 26	1869	Ohio	Balw's Mills.	Hotel keeper.	Stevens, G.	"	" 26	1849	New York	Hanover	Farmer.
Gifford, H.	"	" 2	1838	Pennsylvania	Hanover	Farmer.	Stone, C. S. & Sons.	"	" 3	1833	Vermont	Balw's Mills.	"
Hodge, G. W.	"	" 2	1865	Canada	Balw's Mills.	"	Tygh, R.	"	" 2	1867	England	"	Carpenter and joiner.
Harman, W.	"	" 28	1866	New York	"	Carpenter and joiner.	Tripp, M.	"	" 2	1832	New York	"	Farmer.
Hatch, C. E. & K. P.	"	" 11	1845	Pennsylvania	Hanover	Farmer.	Thompson, Asa S.	"	" 31	1837	Michigan	Stoney Point	"
John, W., Sr.	"	" 17	1863	Michigan	Balw's Mills.	"	Thorp, I.	"	" 6	1837	Ohio	Balw's Mills.	"
Kellogg, W. S.	"	" 27	1857	New York	Hanover	"	Thorn, James L.	"	" 2	1847	New York	"	"
Leonard, J. A.	"	Main Street	1873	Virginia	"	Tailor.	Van Horn, A. L.	"	Main Street	1873	Michigan	Hanover	Physician and surgeon.
Larrabee, H. H.	"	Section 13	1843	New York	Balw's Mills.	Farmer.	Van Dusen, S.	"	Section 6	1863	Massachusetts	Concord	Farmer.
Leidley, F.	"	" 5	1854	Germany	"	"	Woolsey, G. W.	"	" 8	1854	New York	Hanover	"
McDonald, E. H.	"	" 3	1863	Scotland	"	" R. R. Contractor.	Wickman, A.	"	" 23	1841	Pennsylvania	"	"
Mitchell, J.	"	" 15	1854	Canada	"	Farmer.	Wheaton, F.	"	" 27	1847	Michigan	"	"
McDonald, J.	"	" 3	1847	Scotland	"	Miller.	Wilson, J. A.	"	Bebbins Street	1871	New York	"	Physician and surgeon.
Markham, D. F.	"	Main Street	1847	Michigan	Hanover	Butcher & confection'r.	Williams, W. A. S.	"	Section 3	1859	Isle of Jamaica	Balw's Mills.	"
Markham, R.	"	"	1841	"	"	Hardware merchant.	Weeks, W. J.	"	" 3	1845	Ohio	"	Dlr. in dry goods, drugs
Mitchell, J. C.	"	Section 34	1867	New York	"	Farmer.	Weeks, I. B.	"	" 26	1848	New York	Hanover	Farmer. [and grocer's.

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Barstow, S. S.	Columbia Tp.	Section 24	1859	New York	Brooklyn	Farmer.	Marsh, A. W.	Columbia Tp.	Section 18	1839	New York	Columbia	Farmer.
Burch, B.	"	" 33	1837	"	Kelly's Cor's	" and peddler.	Miller, M.	"	" 8	1867	Ohio	Brooklyn	"
Boyers, E.	"	" 30	1837	"	"	" & brickmaker.	Palmer, J. G.	"	" 8	1848	Michigan	Norvell	"
Charles, A.	"	" 9	1836	"	Columbia	"	Palmer, W. H.	"	" 7	1840	New York	Napoleon	"
Clark, J. G.	"	" 19	1840	"	"	" & lumberman.	Pelham, A. L.	"	" 31	1853	"	Kelly's Cor's	"
Culver & Clark	"	" 5	1840	"	"	"	Pierce, H.	"	" 23	1862	"	Brooklyn	"
Cook, L. R.	"	" 22	1855	"	"	"	Palmer, W. R.	"	" 27	1853	"	Columbia	"
Champlin, E. & J. R.	"	" 22	1843	"	"	Practicing physician.	Palmer, F. W.	"	" 16	1867	"	"	Teacher and student.
Carpenter, T.	"	" 29	1871	Ohio	Kelly's Cor's	Prop'r Jefferson flour-	Palmer, A. P. & O. B.	"	" 36	1838	"	Kelly's Cor's	Farmers.
Crego, H.	"	" 32	1836	New York	"	[ing mills.	Preston, M. C.	"	" 16	1867	"	Columbia	"
Carl, W.	"	" 7	1830	Michigan	Napoleon	"	Phelps, O.	"	" 32	1843	Vermont	Brooklyn	"
Culver, G. R.	"	" 17	1868	New York	Brooklyn	"	Peterson, O. S.	"	" 10	1835	New York	Columbia	"
De Lamater, Isaac.	"	" 21	1834	"	"	"	Parkner, S. N.	"	" 7	1843	"	Napoleon	"
De Lamater, J.	"	" 20	1859	"	"	"	Palmer, A. S.	"	" 13	1853	"	Brooklyn	"
De Lamater, A. H.	"	" 20	1834	"	"	" and surveyor.	Parker, T. H.	"	" 17	1869	"	"	"
Daly, J. A.	"	" 32	1866	Canada	Kelly's Cor's	Blacksmith.	Palmer, W. S.	"	" 13	1853	Connecticut	"	"
De Lamater, Jack'n	"	" 21	1835	New York	Brooklyn	Farmer.	Parkour, Wm. J.	"	" 27	1866	New York	"	"
Dunn, B. F.	"	" 30	1851	Michigan	Kelly's Cor's	"	Randall, F. J.	"	" 22	1833	"	Columbia	" & horse dealer.
Du Bois, J. M.	"	" 38	1850	"	"	"	Reed, A. H., M. D.	"	" 22	1872	Michigan	"	Practicing physician.
Dennys, G.	"	" 36	1868	New York	Brooklyn	"	Stranahan, Geo.	"	" 17	1833	New York	Brooklyn	Farmer.
French, V.	"	" 30	1838	Massachusetts	"	"	Swartout, T.	"	" 28	1847	"	Kelly's Cor's	" and minister.
Frederick, Jacob	"	" 14	1861	Baden	"	"	Smith, A. H.	"	" 31	1842	Michigan	"	"
Howlans, G. F.	"	" 19	1836	New York	"	"	Springer, A.	"	" 25	1853	Germany	Brooklyn	"
Hitt, Gordon	"	" 17	1835	"	Columbia	"	Stearns, E.	"	" 32	1852	Massachusetts	"	"
Hollister, J. H.	"	" 34	1850	Michigan	Brooklyn	"	Templer, J. A.	"	" 35	1869	New York	"	"
Hoeg, L. E.	"	" 15	1864	New York	"	"	Thompson, T. W.	"	" 23	1839	"	"	"
Hess, C. M.	"	" 32	1847	Michigan	Kelly's Cor's	"	Turk, A.	"	" 28	1846	"	Kelly's Cor's	"
Hartwell, E. H.	"	" 12	1868	New York	Brooklyn	"	Totten, P.	"	" 28	1867	"	Columbia	"
Hoagland, J. B.	"	" 11	1865	"	Napoleon	" carpenter and	Tuthill, Enoch	"	" 7	1839	Long Island	Liberty Mills	"
Ide, A. C.	"	" 19	1839	"	Brooklyn	[joiner.	Winnie, E.	"	" 27	1872	New York	Columbia	"
Johnson, T.	"	" 34	1840	England	"	" and minister.	White, J. A.	"	" 24	1835	"	Brooklyn	"
Kelly, N.	"	" 31	1843	New York	Kelly's Cor's	"	Wesh, J.	"	" 21	1855	Germany	Columbia	"
Kelly, E.	"	" 28	1845	Michigan	"	"	Wesh, E. W.	"	" 22	1852	"	"	Prop'tor of a saw mill.
Leggett, I.	"	" 32	1853	New York	"	"	Weiser, S.	"	" 25	1850	New York	Brooklyn	Farmer.
Lewis, S.	"	" 26	1849	"	Brooklyn	"	Wood, P.	"	" 34	1846	Michigan	"	"
Ladd, J.	"	" 20	1842	Connecticut	"	"	Windel, Wm.	"	" 35	1854	Ohio	"	"
Love, W. C.	"	" 13	1834	New York	"	" and breeder of	Weeks, J. T.	"	" 10	1836	Maine	Napoleon	"
Marsh, S. T.	"	" 20	1834	"	Columbia	[fine stock.	Weeks, W. C.	"	" 10	1836	New York	"	"

## TOMPKINS TOWNSHIP.

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Botsford, W. M.	Tompkins	Section 26	1853	New York	Tompkins	Farmer.	Laycock, E. D.	Tompkins	Section 22	1853	Michigan	Tompkins	Farmer, carpenter and
Bannister, E.	"	" 16	1841	Michigan	"	"	McKitchen, W. H.	"	" 18	1854	New York	"	[joiner.
Beal, L. G.	"	" 17	1868	New York	"	"	Mann, A. A.	"	" 25	1868	"	Jackson	"
Christian, J.	"	" 14	1848	"	Arland	"	Nichols, G.	"	" 7	1839	Michigan	Tompkins	"
Darling, H. W.	"	" 11	1843	Michigan	"	"	Prine, J. O.	"	" 18	1844	New York	Parma	"
Darling, A. H.	"	" 2	1843	"	"	"	Richardson, E.	"	" 8	1866	England	Tompkins	"
Dack, F.	"	" 8	1862	England	Onondaga	"	Swain, H. M.	"	" 5	1851	Michigan	Onondaga	"
Dow, J. B.	"	" 19	1846	Kentucky	Tompkins	"	Storns, A. A.	"	" 6	1839	New York	"	[joiner.
Ewing, J. M.	"	" 5	1869	New York	Onondaga	"	Simonds, R.	"	"				

**WATERLOO TOWNSHIP.**

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	TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.						TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.				
Archenbronn, J.	Waterloo		1836	Germany	Waterloo	Farmer.	Leek, D.	Waterloo	Section 10	1857	Connecticut	Stockbridge	Farmer.
Arzt, C.	"	Section 34	1846	Michigan	Grass Lake	"	Maxon, F. D.	"	"	1844	New York	"	"
Arzt, C.	"	"	1854	"	"	"	Marsh, H.	"	"	1836	Pennsylvania	Waterloo	"
Archenbronn, G.	"	"	1846	"	Waterloo	Wagon maker.	Moore, J. L.	"	"	1860	"	Franciscovle	"
Arzt, F.	"	"	1838	"	"	Farmer.	Moeckel, G.	"	"	1840	Germany	Waterloo	"
Boyce, Mrs. A. S.	"	"	1845	New York	Stockbridge	"	McVay, J.	"	"	1865	Michigan	Grass Lake	"
Bent, H. A.	"	"	1859	"	Waterloo	"	McEntee, J.	"	"	1853	New Jersey	"	"
Brininstool, G. W.	"	"	1854	"	"	"	Pahlman, H.	"	"	1861	Germany	Franciscovle	"
Baldwin, J. A.	"	"	1854	"	Grass Lake	"	Partridge, L. B.	"	"	1865	New York	Grass Lake	"
Baldwin, J. T.	"	"	1854	Michigan	"	"	Preston, J.	"	"	1851	"	Stockbridge	"
Breitmayer, G.	"	"	1866	Germany	Waterloo	Painter.	Parks, D. E.	"	"	1849	"	Waterloo	"
Baldwin, A.	"	"	1854	Michigan	Grass Lake	Farmer.	Parks, E. B.	"	"	1854	Michigan	"	[supervisor.
Ball, D. L.	"	"	1832	New York	"	"	Quigley, A. A.	"	"	1832	New York	"	Millwright, farmer &
Call, J.	"	"	1855	"	Fitchburg	Farmer.	Robinson, E. S.	"	"	1843	"	Grass Lake	Farmer, tanner and
Cavender, J.	"	"	1843	Ireland	Grass Lake	"	Ready, M.	"	"	1844	Ireland	"	[currier.
Case, O.	"	"	1857	Michigan	"	"	Rusman, J.	"	"	1858	New York	Stockbridge	"
Cain, J. L.	"	"	1861	New York	Stockbridge	"	Riethmiller, M.	"	"	1836	Germany	Waterloo	"
Collins, J. A.	"	"	1869	"	"	"	Rockwell, J. S.	"	"	1872	Michigan	Stockbridge	"
Durand, J. E.	"	"	1872	Michigan	Waterloo	Merchant.	Simpson, J.	"	"	1855	Vermont	Grass Lake	"
Durand, D. J.	"	"	1872	"	"	"	Suylandt, J.	"	"	1836	New York	Stockbridge	" [Waterloo Mills.
Dickinson, A. G.	"	"	1839	New York	Grass Lake	Farmer.	Siegfried, S.	"	"	1854	Pennsylvania	Waterloo	and proprietor of
Deming, B. C.	"	"	1869	"	"	"	Showerman, W. H.	"	"	1841	Michigan	"	"
Emmons, D. T.	"	"	1852	New Jersey	Waterloo	"	Strobel, M.	"	"	1845	Germany	Grass Lake	"
Finch, D.	"	"	1846	Michigan	"	"	Strobel, J.	"	"	1845	Michigan	"	Carpenter and joiner.
Finch, P.	"	"	1848	New York	"	"	Siegrist, L.	"	"	1855	Germany	"	Farmer.
Garner, W.	"	"	1850	England	Stockbridge	"	Siegrist, S.	"	"	1861	"	"	Merchant.
Gibbons, J. E.	"	"	1841	Massachusetts	Waterloo	"	Scidmore, A.	"	"	1838	New York	"	Farmer.
Gorton, A. T.	"	"	1838	New York	"	"	Scidmore, Z.	"	"	1843	Michigan	"	"
Heydlauff, J.	"	"	1843	"	"	"	Stocker, M.	"	"	1844	Germany	"	"
Hubbard, J. H.	"	"	1850	"	"	"	Siegrist, J.	"	"	1864	"	"	"
Howley, J.	"	"	1843	England	Stockbridge	"	Schnackenberg, J.	"	"	1859	"	"	"
Howe, T.	"	"	1866	Ireland	Waterloo	"	Smith, I.	"	"	1836	New Jersey	"	"
Howlett, S. A.	"	"	1864	Michigan	"	"	Shraw, M.	"	"	1841	Germany	"	[Grange No. 2.
Haskell, G. W.	"	"	1850	New York	Grass Lake	"	Sweet, B. W.	"	"	1843	Michigan	Stockbridge	and master of
Holzappel, J.	"	"	1854	Germany	Waterloo	"	Sweet, L.	"	"	1837	New York	"	"
Heydlauff, J. G.	"	"	1865	"	"	"	Williams, S.	"	"	1837	"	Grass Lake	"
Hoyt, N.	"	"	1853	New York	Grass Lake	" and carpenter.	Woodward, D.	"	"	1841	Vermont	"	"
Johnson, B. H.	"	"	1868	"	Waterloo	Painter & town clerk.	Williams	"	"	1837	New York	"	[of a grocery.
Kassel, P.	"	"	1854	France	Stockbridge	Farmer.	Winhold, G. S.	"	"	1866	Pennsylvania	"	Town treasurer & prop.
Lutz, E.	"	"	1854	Pennsylvania	Grass Lake	"	West, S. B.	"	"	1872	New York	Waterloo	Farmer.
Laubengayer, T.	"	"	1862	Germany	"	Mill proprietor.	Yocum, A.	"	"	1860	Pennsylvania	Stockbridge	"
Lutz, D.	"	"	1855	Pennsylvania	"	Stone mason.							

**HENRIETTA TOWNSHIP.**

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	TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.						TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.				
Bunker, A.	Henrietta	Section 5	1836	New York	Henrietta	Farmer.	Marsh, E.	Henrietta	Section 18	1872	New York	Henrietta	Farmer.
Brown, P. M.	"	"	1837	Michigan	"	"	Martin, W. W.	"	"	1852	"	"	"
Bigerraft, O.	"	"	1862	Canada	"	"	Malay, E.	"	"	1850	"	"	"
Bailey, S.	"	"	1850	England	"	"	Main, C. S.	"	"	1848	"	"	"
Cheney, A.	"	"	1847	Michigan	"	"	Miller, O. A.	"	"	1842	"	Jackson	"
Crofoot, W.	"	"	1862	New York	"	"	Nimms, D. H.	"	"	1861	Ohio	Henrietta	"
Coin, C.	"	"	1868	Ireland	"	"	Neiderland, N.	"	"	1867	New York	"	Blacksmith.
Cheney, A.	"	"	1837	New York	"	"	Olney, F.	"	"	1867	"	Jackson	Farmer.
Clark, J. L.	"	"	1852	"	"	"	Prescott, S.	"	"	1831	New Hampshire	Henrietta	"
Carley, O. A.	"	"	1853	"	"	"	Peck, J. N.	"	"	1865	New York	Jackson	"
Dutcher, W. H.	"	"	1866	"	"	"	Pixley, W. S.	"	"	1837	Michigan	Henrietta	"
Disbrow, L. W.	"	"	1871	"	Jackson	" [and vinegar.	Ripley, A. N.	"	"	1841	"	"	"
Dean, J.	"	"	1865	Michigan	"	Manufacturer of cider	Reaves, C. P.	"	"	1851	Ohio	"	"
Fox, J.	"	"	1847	England	Henrietta	Farmer.	Randolph, J. H.	"	"	1852	Michigan	"	"
Fleming, J.	"	"	1841	Ireland	"	"	Richmond, J.	"	"	1842	New York	"	"
Ford, W. H.	"	"	1858	New York	"	"	Ridge, R.	"	"	1847	England	Jackson	"
Gibbins, B. F.	"	"	1840	"	"	"	Sager, J.	"	"	1871	Germany	Henrietta	"
Glenn, I.	"	"	1855	"	"	"	Stevens, H. S.	"	"	1848	New York	Jackson	"
Gorman, E.	"	"	1870	Michigan	Jackson	"	Stowell, L. D.	"	"	1835	Michigan	Fitchburg	"
Hankerd, P.	"	"	1850	"	Henrietta	"	Southwell, T. D.	"	"	1840	"	Jackson	"
Hall, A.	"	"	1837	New York	"	"	Spears, T.	"	"	1872	"	"	"
Hays, W.	"	"	1853	"	Fitchburg	"	Squier, A. K.	"	"	1867	New York	"	"
Hall, J. A.	"	"	1837	Michigan	Henrietta	"	Southwell, H.	"	"	1838	Michigan	Henrietta	Mason.
Holling, E.	"	"	1854	New York	"	"	Shearer, C. M.	"	"	1846	New York	Jackson	Farmer.
Hurd, C. E.	"	"	1845	"	Jackson	"	Southwell, A. J.	"	"	1849	Michigan	"	"
Humphrey, J. I.	"	"	1856	"	"	"	Townsend, J. B.	"	"	1845	Massachusetts	Henrietta	Physician.
Harr, J.	"	"	1836	Germany	Grass Lake	"	Townsend, C.	"	"	1869	New York	"	Farmer.
Jump, R.	"	"	1865	New York	Henrietta	"	Tanner, A. A.	"	"	1843	"	"	"
Kroft, J.	"	"	1836	"	"	"	Tanner, R.	"	"	1837	"	Jackson	"
Lowden, F.	"	"	1866	England	"	"	Wheaton, H. M.	"	"	1851	Canada	Henrietta	"
Lipscomb, H.	"	"	1843	"	Jackson	"	Wooster, L. G.	"	"	1847	New York	Jackson	Carpenter.
Lake, W.	"	"	1853	"	Fitchburg	"	Welch, G. V.	"	"	1838	Michigan	Henrietta	Farmer.
Leece, J.	"	"	1860	"	"	"	White, E.	"	"	1836	New York	Jackson	"
Leece, T.	"	"	1854	"	"	"	Whipple, I. R.	"	"	1869	"	Fitchburg	"
Leece, W.	"	"	1854	"	Henrietta	"	Wooster, H. L.	"	"	1847	"	Henrietta	"
Lowden, R. J.	"	"	1858	"	Jackson	"							

**LIBERTY TOWNSHIP.**

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Bunce, H.	Liberty	Section 18	1848	New York	Baldwins Sta	Farmer.	Kirkby, J.	Liberty	Section 1	1856	England	South Jack'n	Farmer.
Badar, M.	"	"	1848	Germany	Liberty	"	Keeler, Mrs. H.	"	"	1836	New York	Liberty	"
Bunce, E. H.	"	"	1856	Michigan	"	"	Kinyon, A. W., Jr. &	"	"	1840	Michigan	"	"
Barlow, Mrs. P.	"	"	1836	Massachusetts	"	Tailoress. [wagon mfr's	Kerr, M. [Mrs. Pond	"	"	1836	New York	"	"
Bell, J. & J. H.	"	"	1837 & 55	New York	Mills.	Blacksmiths, carriage &	Kennedy, A.	"	"	1844	"	"	"
Bogart, Mrs. H.	"	"	1837	"	"	Farmer.	Lewis, P.	"	"	1855	"	"	[painting, etc.
Ballard, R.	"	"	1852	"	"	"	Lewis, A. M.	Mills.	"	1855	"	"	House, carriage & sign
Bidwell, S.	"	"	1852	"	"	"	Lewis, J.	"	"	1838	Michigan	South Jack'n	Farmer.
Cary, C.	"	"	1837	"	"	"	Lewis, R. B. A.	"	"	1845	New York	Liberty	"
Crego, W. S.	"	"	1838	"	South Jack'n	"	Mendham, R.	"	"	1867	England	"	and mason.
Crouch, R.	"	"	1837	"	"	"	Moore, W. J.	"	"	1870	Michigan	"	"
Choate, J. S.	"	"	1839	Michigan	Lib'ty Mills.	"	Nichols, J.	"	"	1873	New York	Moscow	"
Crego, E.	"	"	1841	"	South Jack'n	"	Palmer, F.	"	"	1864	Michigan	Liberty	"
Crippen, M. W.	"	"	1834	New York	Baldwin	" & blacksmith.	Pettengill, N.	"	"	1835	Vermont	"	"
Dunn, A. S.	"	"	1835	"	Liberty	" and justice of	Pitts, J. B.	"	"	1839	New York	"	"
De Lamater, W.	"	"	1833	"	"	[the peace.	Palmer, P.	"	"	1833	"	"	"
Edmonds, A.	"	"	1837	"	South Jack'n	"	Rhoades, Mrs. A.	"	"	1852	Michigan	South Jack'n	"
Ford, D. & V. O.	"	"	1838	"	Baldwin	"	Roosa, Mrs. D.	"	"	1850	New York	Liberty	"
Fuller, E. B.	"	"	1844	"	Liberty	" [saw mill	Spear, M. D.	"	"	1857	"	"	"
Foot, W. H.	"	"	1859	"	"	" & prop. of grist &	Scott, H.	"	"	1833	"	"	"
Gilbert, F. W.	"	"	1858	Michigan	"	[& agricul imp's.	Strong, S. A.	"	"	1840	"	"	[quarry an.
Gillett, A.	"	"	1861	New York	Summerset	General stock dealer.	Sanburn, T. B.	"	"	1842	Vermont	Baldwin	Live stock dealer and
Hutchins, W													

**SANDSTONE TOWNSHIP.**

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	TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.						TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.				
Anglemyer, W. H.	Sandstone	Section 4	1840	Michigan	Jackson	Farmer.	Lincoln, D.	Sandstone	Section 1	1836	New York	Jackson	Farmer.
Anderson, T. E.	"	" 7	1855	"	Parma	"	Lewis, C. K.	"	" 21	1835	"	Parma	"
Anderson, W. F.	"	" 1	1857	"	"	"	Moffitt, S.	"	" 11	1835	"	Jackson	"
Atwell, L.	"	" 22	1849	New York	"	"	Moe, C. I.	"	" 25	1837	Michigan	"	"
Abbey, F.	"	" 1	1853	Germany	Jackson	"	Mount, J.	"	" 4	1865	New York	"	"
Barnard, W. S.	"	" 25	1850	New York	"	"	Moe, H. S.	"	" 4	1836	Vermont	"	"
Ballard, J. D.	"	"	1852	Massachusetts	"	"	Martin, G. H.	"	" 16	1849	Michigan	Parma	"
Bird, H.	"	"	1869	Michigan	Parma	"	Moessler, B.	"	" 1	1837	New Jersey	Jackson	"
Benn, P. H.	"	" 6	1869	New York	"	"	Olcott, A.	"	" 35	1836	Massachusetts	Sandstone	"
Bradford, R.	"	" 3	1835	Connecticut	Jackson	"	O'Brien, P.	"	" 36	1838	Ireland	"	"
Bradford, W. H.	"	" 3	1839	Michigan	"	"	Price, J.	"	" 6	1854	Pennsylvania	Parma	"
Bennett, H.	"	" 14	1844	New York	"	"	Perry, J.	"	" 18	1853	New York	"	"
Barnard, C. E.	"	" 30	1850	"	"	"	Pherdun, E.	"	" 11	1835	"	Jackson	"
Berkan, T. F.	"	" 20	1853	"	Parma	"	Pierce, P. E.	"	" 36	1844	"	"	"
Birming, W. J.	"	" 27	1866	England	Sandstone	"	Perkins, A.	"	" 27	1858	Michigan	Sandstone	and thresher.
Brewer, W. J.	"	" 24	1836	Michigan	Jackson	"	Peterson, N. I.	"	" 9	1858	New York	Jackson	"
Benn, E.	"	" 16	1849	New York	Parma	"	Rhines, J.	"	" 35	1833	"	Sandstone	"
Cones, F.	"	" 1	1854	Germany	Jackson	"	Richardson, J. L.	"	" 22	1834	"	Parma	"
Cochran, E. B.	"	" 20	1846	New Hampshire	Parma	"	Rogers, O. A.	"	" 19	1845	Michigan	"	"
Coy, C.	"	" 16	1844	New York	"	"	Rogers, D. H.	"	" 19	1834	Connecticut	"	"
Cuff, T.	"	" 27	1838	Vermont	Sandstone	"	Richardson, E. W.	"	" 17	1831	New York	"	"
Cochran, S.	"	" 21	1850	New Hampshire	Parma	"	Raymond, S.	"	" 2	1838	"	"	"
Corser, F. W.	"	"	1859	"	Jackson	"	Raymond, A.	"	"	1845	Michigan	Jackson	"
Chamberlin, W. J.	"	" 30	1868	New York	Parma	"	Raymond, R. W.	"	" 12	1849	"	"	"
Crawford, N.	"	" 13	1841	Michigan	Jackson	"	Rooney, D.	"	"	1857	"	"	"
Campbell, Mrs. H.	"	"	1837	New York	Parma	"	Richmond, J. C.	"	" 13	1861	"	"	"
Chapel, L. D.	"	" 18	1836	Connecticut	"	"	Raymond, B.	"	" 12	1835	New York	"	"
Campbell, W.	"	" 7	1839	Michigan	"	"	Raymond, W.	"	" 12	1838	"	"	"
Collins, C. H.	"	" 31	1857	New York	"	Painter.	Stid, T. B.	"	" 14	1847	"	"	"
Chapel, C. M.	"	" 33	1832	Connecticut	"	Farmer.	Stevens, C.	"	" 13	1855	Michigan	"	"
Dearing, M.	"	" 34	1836	New York	Sandstone	"	Stevens, Geo.	"	"	1854	"	"	"
Dean, O. S.	"	" 7	1838	Michigan	Parma	"	Swift, T. W.	"	" 9	1854	England	Parma	"
Dearing, P.	"	" 30	1837	New York	"	"	Snow, E.	"	" 5	1848	New York	"	"
Daley, T.	"	" 1	1851	Ireland	Jackson	"	Snow, Mrs. I.	"	" 30	1846	"	"	"
Evans, J.	"	" 36	1854	England	Sandstone	"	Spinnings, J. M.	"	"	1836	Michigan	"	"
Evans, W.	"	" 36	1854	"	"	"	Scott, J. S.	"	"	1844	New York	"	Drayman.
Eastman, O.	"	" 22	1834	New York	Parma	"	Shaw, P. B.	"	" 27	1846	Ireland	Sandstone	Farmer.
Fellows, J. A.	"	" 23	1839	"	Sandstone	"	Trumbull, D. D.	"	" 36	1833	Connecticut	"	"
Fassett, S.	"	" 32	1831	"	Parma	"	Tinkler, J.	"	" 36	1852	England	"	Engineer in coal mines.
Fielding, W. H.	"	" 9	1857	Connecticut	"	"	Tompkins, J. G.	"	" 22	1865	New York	Parma	Farmer.
Finch, W.	"	" 20	1853	New York	"	"	Tousey, H. N.	"	" 26	1865	"	Sandstone	"
Godfrey, W. H.	"	" 6	1850	"	"	"	Tunnichiff, B.	"	" 14	1841	Michigan	Jackson	"
Godfrey, S. H.	"	" 33	1851	"	"	"	Tunnichiff, D.	"	" 14	1843	"	"	"
Hawkins, L. D.	"	" 15	1835	"	"	[mills.	Underwood, J. M.	"	" 2	1853	New York	"	"
Hunn, O. B.	"	" 18	1854	Massachusetts	"	Farmer and stock raiser	Upton, E.	"	" 18	1835	"	Parma	"
Hull, J. R.	"	" 20	1864	New Jersey	"	"	Ver Valen, L. D.	"	" 31	1863	"	"	Wagon maker.
Huntley, H.	"	" 11	1835	New York	Jackson	Retired farmer.	Vedder, W.	"	" 11	1848	"	Jackson	Retired farmer.
Holcomb, G. W.	"	" 24	1843	Michigan	"	Farmer.	Walker, J.	"	" 14	1853	England	"	Farmer.
Hubbard, A. B.	"	" 13	1838	"	"	"	Wilson, J.	"	" 24	1873	New York	"	"
Hurley, J.	"	" 36	1862	England	Sandstone	"	Wheeler, G. W.	"	" 27	1848	Michigan	Sandstone	"
How, R. H.	"	" 21	1853	New York	Parma	"	Wilcox, Z. W.	"	" 9	1836	New York	Parma	"
Hicks, S.	"	" 15	1863	"	Jackson	"	Warner, W. H.	"	" 25	1861	"	Jackson	"
Hubbard, S. H.	"	" 12	1849	Michigan	"	"	Wall, C.	"	" 35	1830	"	Sandstone	"
Lewis, D.	"	" 3	1855	Rhode Island	"	"	Young, W. D.	"	" 28	1865	"	"	"
Lewis, J.	"	" 2	1855	New York	"	"	Young, J.	"	" 32	1864	"	Parma	"
Losey, G. A.	"	" 2	1850	Michigan	"	"							

**SPRING ARBOR TOWNSHIP.**

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	TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.						TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.				
Anderson, C. A.	Spring Arbor	Section 28	1839	Michigan	Spring Arbor	Farmer.	Jones, C.	Spring Arbor	Section 16	1873	Ohio	Spring Arbor	Princip'l Spring Arbor
Bradford, A.	"	"	1834	New York	Jackson	"	Jones, M.	"	" 11	1838	New York	"	Farmer. [Seminary.
Bryant, J.	"	" 11	1836	New Hampshire	Sandstone	"	King, T. A.	"	" 7	1838	"	Parma	"
Begole, J. C.	"	" 13	1838	New York	Jackson	"	King, J.	"	" 11	1843	"	Sandstone	"
Bean, S. Jr.	"	"	1849	Michigan	Spring Arbor	"	Knapp, O.	"	" 20	1846	"	Spring Arbor	"
Belden, F.	"	" 36	1835	Connecticut	Baldwin's	"	McDonald, A.	"	" 34	1864	Scotland	Baldwin's	Railroad contractor.
Belden, J.	"	" 26	1834	"	"	"	Myers, J. A.	"	" 2	1864	New York	Sandstone	Farmer.
Bean, J. H.	"	" 12	1834	New York	Jackson	"	McAllister	"	" 5	1843	Michigan	Parma	"
Carter, P. T.	"	"	1838	"	Spring Arbor	"	McGonegal, G. N.	"	" 11	1855	New York	Jackson	Blacksmith.
Crowl, C.	"	" 16	1831	"	"	Stone mason.	McDonald, W.	"	" 21	1865	Canada	Spring Arbor	Farmer.
Carter, C.	"	" 21	1854	Michigan	"	Farmer.	Olmsted, A. C.	"	" 33	1869	Ohio	Concord	"
Crouch, D. E.	"	" 21	1856	New York	"	"	Olmsted, D. W.	"	" 32	1854	"	"	"
Carter, S. B.	"	" 22	1846	"	"	"	O'Connor, M.	"	" 1	1847	Ireland	Jackson	"
Culver, L.	"	" 14	1870	"	Jackson	"	Olds, M.	"	" 10	1850	England	"	"
Corwin, J. C.	"	" 7	1836	"	Parma	"	Pardee, A. M.	"	" 28	1832	New York	Spring Arbor	"
Cunningham, R.	"	" 8	1865	Canada	"	"	Parliaman, J. G.	"	" 20	1842	"	"	"
Chapel, G. W.	"	" 4	1835	Michigan	"	"	Perrine, J. G.	"	" 10	1831	"	Sandstone	"
Chambers, I. B.	"	"	1840	Vermont	Spring Arbor	"	Pardee, A.	"	" 19	1835	"	Concord	"
Castle, D. H.	"	" 1	1868	"	Jackson	"	Rogers, C. J.	"	" 4	1840	Michigan	Parma	"
Crowl, W. S.	"	" 19	1832	Michigan	Spring Arbor	County surveyor.	Roberts, L. E.	"	" 5	1841	"	"	"
Cross, W. H.	"	" 32	1835	"	Concord	Farmer.	Roberts, H. C.	"	" 5	1831	New York	"	"
Chapel, Oliver.	"	" 5	1832	Connecticut	Parma	"	Roberts, C.	"	" 17	1835	"	Spring Arbor	Lime manufacturer.
Dewey, J. A.	"	" 30	1836	New York	Concord	"	Roberts, S. W.	"	" 18	1850	Michigan	Parma	Farmer.
Douglass, C.	"	" 17	1848	Michigan	Spring Arbor	"	Reynolds, E.	"	" 36	1839	"	Baldwin's	"
Douglass, W.	"	" 17	1854	"	"	"	Sidder, J. M.	"	" 36	1868	Pennsylvania	Jackson	"
Dewey, N. F.	"	" 30	1833	New York	Concord	"	Snyder, D. S.	"	" 26	1847	Michigan	Baldwin's	[mills.
Fitzgerald, J. F.	"	" 31	1833	"	"	"	Sparks, L. E.	"	" 11	1856	Ohio	Jackson	Proprie'r Spring Arbor
Fowler, J.	"	" 13	1839	"	Jackson	"	Shaw, W. W.	"	" 10	1849	Michigan	Sandstone	Farmer.
Fowler, C. W.	"	" 11	1842	Michigan	"	Proprie'r Spring Arbor	Snyder, J. H.	"	" 8	1843	New York	Spring Arbor	"
Fowler, C. R.	"	" 13	1849	"	"	Carpenter and joiner.	Snyder, Louis, Jr.	"	" 23	1834	"	"	"
French, J. A.	"	" 16	1849	"	Spring Arbor	Farmer.	Todd, W.	"	" 20	1834	"	"	"
Gaylord, F.	"	" 17	1864	Connecticut	"	"	Thompson, M. A.	"	" 11	1850	"	Jackson	"
Grant, A. B.	"	"	1854	New York	Sandstone	"	Terpening, W. A.	"	" 22	1861	"	"	and merchant.
Gavett, D. P.	"	" 2	1852	Michigan	"	"	Thomas, F.	"	" 16	1846	Michigan	Spring Arbor	"
Halsted, Hulbert.	"	"	1836	New York	Baldwin's	"	Tefft, W.	"	" 17	1837	Rhode Island	"	"
Humphrey, S.	"	" 32	1841	Michigan	Concord	"	Tefft, O. E.	"	" 29	1841	Michigan	"	"
Humphrey, S. D.	"	" 32	1841	"	Spring Arbor	"	Videto, J.	"	" 16	1830	Canada	"	"
Harrington, J. M.	"	" 10	1839	"	Jackson	"	Wolcott, H. L.	"	" 29	1838	Michigan	"	"
Hunt, G.	"	" 8	1845	New York	Parma	"	Weaver, J.	"	" 28	1843	New York	"	"
Hawkins, A. F.	"	" 5	1835	"	"	"	Wildley, W. C.	"	" 17	1838	"	Parma	"
Huestis, B. W.	"	" 7	1840	"	"	"	Welch, G. W.	"	" 6	1835	"	"	"
Humphrey, W.	"	" 8	1834	"	Spring Arbor	"	Ward, F. B.	"	" 2	1836	Connecticut	Sandstone	"
Harrington, P. S.	"	" 15	1842	Michigan	"	"	Welch, E.	"	"	1848	Ireland	Jackson	Coal and clay miner.
Herrington, B.	"	" 2	1845	New York	Sandstone	"</							

**LEONI TOWNSHIP.**

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	TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.						TOWNSHIP OR CITY.	SECTION OR STREET.				
Badgley, L.	Leoni.	Section 24.	1837	New York.	Leoni.	Farmer.	Madden, S. J.	Leoni.	Section 32.	1863	New York.	Jackson.	Farmer.
Beebe, Ephraim.	"	" 21.	1837	Vermont.	Jackson.	"	Maxson, A.	"	" 19.	1836	"	"	"
Barber, A. M.	"	" 8.	1836	New York.	Mich. Centre	Wagon maker.	Maxson, H. S.	"	"	"	"	"	"
Barber, A.	"	" 2.	1845	Michigan.	Leoni.	Farmer.	Monks, J.	"	" 6.	1850	Ireland.	Jackson.	"
Boynton, D.	"	" 23.	1865	"	"	Town treasurer.	Maxson, F.	"	" 19.	1841	Michigan.	" 746 P.O.	"
Beebe, R. E.	"	" 22.	1841	"	"	Farmer.	Murray, A. J.	"	" 13.	1836	New York.	Leoni.	"
Brown, W. E.	"	"	1864	New Hampshire.	Jackson.	" and sheriff.	Noon, M.	"	" 15.	1859	Ireland.	Mich. Centre	"
Baghen, M.	"	" 29.	1858	Ireland.	"	"	Norton, A.	"	" 16.	1848	Connecticut.	Jackson.	"
Beller, Alex.	"	" 34.	1868	New York.	Leoni.	"	Nugent, J.	"	" 18.	1866	Ireland.	"	"
Barber, Z. M.	"	" 2.	1831	"	Jackson.	"	Odell, J. L.	"	" 36.	1836	New York.	Leoni.	[builder.
Cooper, A.	"	" 10.	1858	"	Leoni.	"	O'Brien, P.	"	" 9.	1866	"	Mich. Centre	Blacksmith & carriage
Cook, T.	"	" 10.	1863	England.	Mich. Centre	"	Parks, J. F.	"	" 26.	1865	"	Leoni.	Supervisor.
Carpenter, C.	"	" 1.	1866	New York.	Leoni.	"	Pike, Wm.	"	" 8.	1858	"	Jackson.	Farmer.
Coolbaugh, M.	"	" 11.	1836	"	"	"	Palmer, A. S.	"	" 10.	1838	Michigan.	Mich. Centre	"
Cooper, C.	"	" 14.	1856	"	"	"	Quick, J. B.	"	" 14.	1862	"	Leoni.	"
Crittenden, A.	"	" 15.	1860	"	Jackson.	"	Rockwell, J. C.	"	" 27.	1831	New York.	"	"
Crafts, S. C.	"	" 19.	1847	Massachusetts.	"	"	Rockwell, J. L.	"	" 2.	1844	"	Jackson.	"
Clement, B. E.	"	" 34.	1850	Michigan.	Leoni.	"	Snyder, P.	"	" 9.	1873	"	Mich. Centre	"
Coykendall, C. D.	"	" 3.	1847	"	"	[gardener.	Southworth, H. C.	"	" 1.	1845	Michigan.	Leoni.	Gardener.
Dunning, G.	"	" 31.	1867	New York.	Jackson.	fruit raiser &	Scott, S. A.	"	" 13.	1868	Massachusetts.	Grass Lake.	Farmer.
Donnelly, J.	"	" 83.	1845	"	"	"	Smith, C. H.	"	" 14.	1844	New York.	Leoni.	"
Deyo, J. C.	"	" 6.	1851	"	"	Stock dealer.	St. John, S.	"	" 10.	1835	Connecticut.	Jackson.	"
Davis, J. W.	"	" 31.	1835	"	"	Farmer.	St. John, T. B.	"	" 9.	1835	"	"	"
Donnelly, H.	"	" 33.	1846	Ireland.	Mich. Centre	"	Showers, S. S. & A.	"	" 13.	1838	Michigan.	Leoni.	"
English, J. R.	"	" 23.	1853	New Jersey.	Leoni.	"	Sweet, C.	"	" 4.	1868	New York.	Mich. Centre	"
Eldred, Z. C.	"	" 9.	1845	Michigan.	Mich. Centre	Miller.	Sullivan, A. A.	"	" 24.	1845	Michigan.	Leoni.	"
Eldred, H. S.	"	" 11.	1870	New York.	Leoni.	Farmer.	Stewart, J.	"	" 8.	1849	New York.	Mich. Centre	"
English, H. C.	"	" 25.	1853	"	"	Carpenter.	Scott, E.	"	" 2.	1844	"	Leoni.	"
Farr, H.	"	" 9.	1859	"	Mich. Centre	Farmer.	Sargent, J. M.	"	" 19.	1839	Michigan.	Jackson.	"
Felsbaw, A. J.	"	" 6.	1836	"	Jackson.	"	Thomas, John.	"	" 16.	1862	England.	Mich. Centre	"
Fallaher, T.	"	" 7.	1846	Michigan.	"	"	Thompson, I.	"	Village.	1849	New York.	Leoni.	"
Greenwood, Edw.	"	" 23.	1851	England.	Leoni.	"	Thompson, H. R.	"	Section 28.	1858	"	Jackson.	"
Garred, W.	"	" 3.	1853	"	Jackson.	"	Turner, W. C.	"	" 33.	1861	Michigan.	"	"
Glenn, W.	"	" 13.	1865	"	Grass Lake.	"	Updike, J. A.	"	" 15.	1865	New Jersey.	Jackson.	"
Hewlett, L. S.	"	" 14.	1862	New York.	Leoni.	"	Updike, A.	"	" 1.	1833	New York.	Grass Lake.	"
Harvy, G.	"	" 8.	1861	England.	Jackson.	"	Underwood, G.	"	" 27.	1837	"	Leoni.	"
Hill, W.	"	" 4.	1849	Vermont.	Mich. Centre	"	Updike, H. A.	"	" 13.	1858	Michigan.	Grass Lake.	[Mountains.
Johnson, D.	"	" 7.	1854	New York.	Jackson.	"	Welch, J. W.	"	" 35.	1872	New York.	Leoni.	Fur dealer in Rocky
Kimball, J. R.	"	" 1.	1865	"	Leoni.	Town Clerk.	Welsh, W. H.	"	" 4.	1841	Michigan.	Mich. Centre	Farmer.
Lockwood, D. H.	"	" 23.	1836	"	"	Farmer and stock d'r.	Whipple, A. B. C.	"	" 35.	1836	New York.	Leoni.	"
Livermore, J. L.	"	" 17.	1866	"	Mich. Centre	"	Webb, E. K.	"	" 26.	1866	"	"	"
Laycock, M. T.	"	" 10.	1835	"	"	"	Whipple, Elizabeth	"	Village.	1840	Pennsylvania.	"	Housekeeping.
Lewis, F. J.	"	Mich. Centre.	1843	Michigan.	"	Hotel keeper.	Whiting, J. W.	"	Section 15.	1865	New York.	Jackson.	Farmer.
Murray, F. P.	"	Section 2.	1850	"	Jackson.	Farmer.	Weeds, J. H.	"	" 8.	1836	Michigan.	"	"
Morehouse, E.	"	Leoni Village.	1838	New York.	Leoni.	Dealer in groceries.	Weed, F.	"	" 17.	1865	New York.	"	"
Myers, J.	"	Section 7.	1858	Ireland.	Jackson.	Farmer.	Wilson, R. D.	"	" 24.	1867	Canada.	Leoni.	"
Mills, E. G.	"	" 2.	1843	Michigan.	Leoni.	"	Walldroff, G.	"	" 11.	1837	New York.	"	"
Murray, E. L.	"	" 13.	1843	"	Grass Lake.	"							

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Adams, W. C.	Grass Lake.		1837	Michigan.	Grass Lake.	Farmer.	Locker, J.	Grass Lake.	Section 16.	1837	Switzerland.	Franciscovill	Farmer.
Adams, I.	"	Section 15.	1862	New York.	"	[cal conductor	Marrinan, T.	"	" 14.	1847	Michigan.	Grass Lake.	"
Allen, J. M.	"	Lake & Win'r	1858	New Jersey.	"	Deputy sheriff & musi-	Maute, G.	"	" 15.	1860	Germany.	Franciscovill	"
Blair, R. C.	"	Section 11.	1862	New York.	"	Farmer.	Musbach, M.	"	" 16.	1853	"	Grass Lake.	"
Boone, J.	"	" 27.	1868	England.	"	"	Malmight, J.	"	Main Street.	1857	Austria.	"	Merchant tailor.
Boynton, T.	"	" 30.	1834	Vermont.	"	"	Mohr, J.	"	Section 9.	1855	New York.	"	Farmer.
Bunker, S.	"	"	"	"	"	"	Osborne, E. C.	"	Main Street.	1851	"	"	"
Bowen, G. W.	"	Lake & White	1865	New York.	"	Barrel manufacturer.	Ordiway, H. S.	"	"	1865	Ohio.	"	"
Bush, J. T.	"	"	"	"	"	Farmer, miller, drover,	Palmer, W. L.	"	Section 22.	1836	Connecticut.	Norvell.	Retired farmer.
Bunker, G.	"	Section 31.	1836	New York.	"	[and gen. dir.	Pixley, W. W.	"	" 15.	1848	Michigan.	Grass Lake.	Farmer.
Bostwick, C. P.	"	"	1865	"	Franciscovill	Traveling agent.	Price, J.	"	"	1854	Pennsylvania.	"	"
Bohne, G. H.	"	" 26.	1866	Germany.	"	Farmer.	Preston, H.	Franciscovill	" 24.	1835	Michigan.	Franciscovill	"
Corwin, C. R.	"	"	1872	New York.	Grass Lake.	& millwright.	Preston, G.	"	" 24.	1845	"	"	"
Curtis, A. A.	"	" 14.	1854	"	"	"	Pease, O. F.	Grass Lake.	Main Street.	1830	New York.	Grass Lake.	& stock broker
Collins, H. D.	"	" 16.	1870	"	"	"	Palmer, H. C.	"	Clark Street.	1851	"	"	Tel. op. on M. C. R. R.
Clark, J.	"	"	1868	"	"	"	Phelps, J. C.	"	Section 33.	1837	"	"	Farmer.
Cooper, D.	"	" 25.	1853	Michigan.	Franciscovill	Student.	Palmer, Mrs. A. W.	"	" 29.	1851	"	"	"
Cooper, E. L.	"	Main Street.	1841	"	"	Farmer.	Runciman, W.	"	"	1865	Scotland.	"	[builder.
Chapin, E. B.	"	"	1854	New York.	Grass Lake.	Physician and surgeon.	Remington, I. H.	"	Main & Portag	1860	New York.	"	Mason, contractor, and
Clark, A. B.	"	Section 2.	"	"	"	Retired farmer.	Raymond, J. O.	"	Section 1.	1863	"	"	Farmer.
Chapman, G. R.	"	Main Street.	1837	Michigan.	"	Ex-postmaster.	Richards, G. W.	Franciscovill	Main Street.	1840	"	Franciscovill	Wounded soldier.
Curren, Misses M. A.	"	Section 28.	1838	New York.	"	Teaching.	Robinson, E.	Grass Lake.	Section 31.	1852	"	"	Farmer.
Crafts, W. R. [ & E.	"	" 31.	1849	Vermont.	"	Farmer.	Rowe, G.	"	" 25.	1868	"	Grass Lake.	"
Davis, D. N.	"	" 11.	1846	Michigan.	"	"	Raymond, M. H.	"	Main Street.	1859	Michigan.	"	Physician and surgeon.
Davis, J. R.	"	" 28.	1840	New York.	"	"	Simpson, W. H.	"	Section 20.	1856	New York.	"	Farmer.
Davis, M. C.	"	" 33.	1861	"	"	carp. & join.	Swift, E. E. [Shelby	"	"	1868	Ohio.	"	"
Davis, M. D. L.	"	" 15.	1840	"	"	[House.	Smith, Knight &	"	Main Street.	1839	Michigan & Penn	"	Gen. d'rs in dry goods.
Dwelle, A.	"	Main Street.	1866	"	"	& prop'r Lake	Smith, S. T.	"	Section 34.	1839	New York.	"	Farmer.
Felt, D.	"	Section 36.	1861	New Hampshire.	"	"	Sackrider, L. B.	"	Main Street.	1840	Canada.	"	Wounded soldier and
Fargo, E. H.	"	Main Street.	1856	Michigan.	"	"	Scouten, U.	"	Section 1.	1856	New York.	"	Retired farmer.
Fisk, Miss P. L.	Franciscovill	"	1849	New York.	Franciscovill	Bookkeeper.	Shaler, M. H.	"	Main Street.	1861	Ohio.	"	Dir & man. of boots &
Gregory, J. F.	Grass Lake.	Section 15.	1852	"	Grass Lake.	Farmer.	Sanford, J. M.	"	Section 28.	1835	Massachusetts.	"	Farmer. [shoes.
Gunn, N. W.	"	" 15.	1865	"	"	"	Soper, A.	"	" 28.	1835	New York.	"	"
Glover, W. R.	Franciscovill	Main Street.	1866	"	Franciscovill	[maker.	Soper, C.	"	" 19.	1847	"	"	"
Gillett, A.	Grass Lake.	"	1854	Massachusetts.	Grass Lake.	Carriage and wagon	Smith, E.	"	"	1866	"	"	& hop raiser.
Giauque, Jas. D.	"	"	1870	Ohio.	"	Agent M. C. R. R. Co.	Taylor, W. H.	"	" 17.	1852	Michigan.	"	Teacher.
Hoover, J. S.	"	Centre Street.	1857	New York.	"	Carpenter and joiner.	Taylor, E.	"	" 18.	1835	New York.	"	Farmer. [niture
Hobart, H. H.	"	Section 6.	1860	"	"	Farmer.	Vinkle, H., Jr.	"	Main Street.	1868	Michigan.	"	Dir in all kinds of fur-
Hale, H. J.	"	Main Street.	1849	Michigan.	"	Township clerk.	Van Houten, G.	"	"	1863	New Jersey.	"	Farmer.
Hurlbert, J.	"	Section 15.	1855	New York.	"	Farmer.	Welch, J.	"	"	1837	New York.	"	Retired farmer.
Hamilton, C.	"	" 16.	1850	"	"	"	Whispel, I.	"	Section 29.	1846	Michigan.	"	Farmer.
Hurlbut, C. V.	"	" 22.	1836	"	Norvell.	" and preacher.	Wyer, W.	"	Main Street.	1869	England.	"	Blacksmith.
Judson, C.	"	Main Street.	1851	"	Grass Lake.	Ag't for Wood's r. & m	Willis, Geo.	"	Church Street.	1865	New York.	"	Op. & mech. dentist.
Keyes, J.	"	Section 24.	1829	"	"	Ret'd farmer & black'h	Williams, Rev. G.	"	Michigan.	1870	Maine.	"	Pastor first Co'l church
Kilpatrick, T. J.	"	"	"	"	"	Township treasurer.	Walker & Son.	"	Main Street.	1829	Vermont.	"	Dir in dr'gs & groce's
Lord, Fargo & Co.	"	Washington St.	1825	"	"	Millers & drovers d'rs	Wheaton, M. D.	"	Section 16.	1833	New York.	"	Farmer.
Larzelere, F. G.	"	Main Street.	1849	"	"	Leoni Mills. [in d. g's							



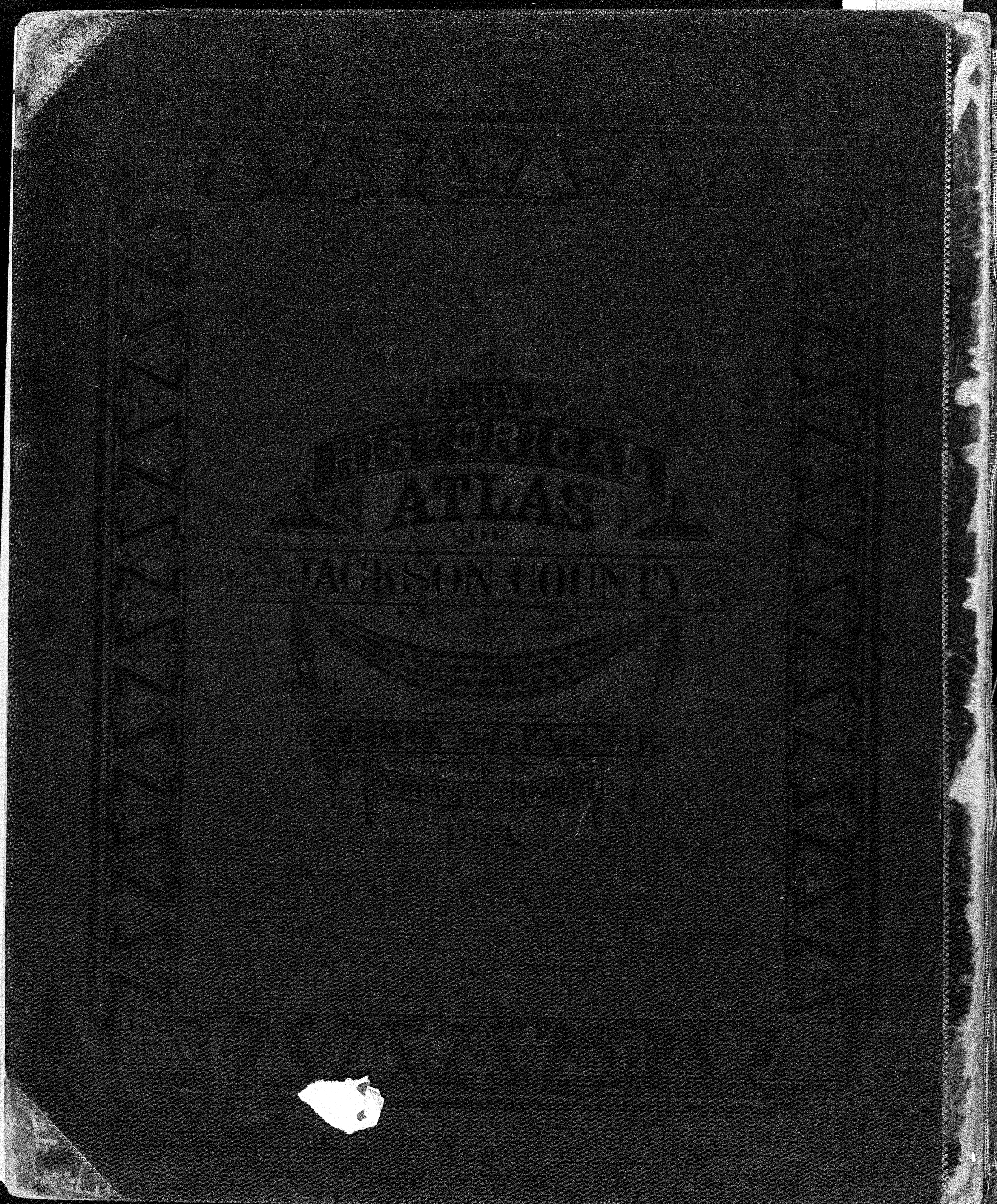












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