

Wagenvoord, Alice

Ass't. Supt. to retire (1/23/1945)

Wait, David Obit. SR 6/5/1886

Waite, Sanford M. obit SR 5/4/1903

Walker, A.P. Obit. 12/11/1938

One of first neighborhood stores - at Washington
& Franklin c. 1890

Walker, Gilman

Durant, p. 136

Walker, J.B.

LJ 9/5/1900
d. Nov. 12, 1908

Was ~~ass~~aulted by an album agent (SR 7/2/1886)
assaulted

Walker, John

Troubles (SR 11/25/1901)

Walker, Mrs. J.B. (Maggie) obit 4/30/1897

Wall, Frank A. Obit. 4/16/1947

Insurance and auto

Walsh, Miss Nettie Lowell Obit. 1/4/1940

Had supervised open air schools
Photo 1/5/1940

Ward, Alanson

L917.74 L295 (1902)

Ward, Ulysses D. Obit. 2/26/1903

house, 301 N. Butler on State Register of
Historic Places (1/19/1985)

Ward, U.D.

Residence, c.1890 (Lans. Illus., p. 12)

Port. & Biog. - p. 767

port. & Biog. p. 767

Ward, Mrs. U.D. Obit. 6/22/1898

Ward, E. H.

Founder & president of one of Lansing's oldest
businesses - died (3/29/1956)

Co. buys Rement Stove Repair Co. (3/20/1923)

Wardwell, Gertrude Obit. 9/11/1938

Wardwell, John Howland Obit. 6/5/1911

East side of Larch, north of Mich. - Lot 4,
Block 243 (7/23/1868)

Wareham, J. Dee

"Mich. Artist of Grand Ledge is Famous"
(4/24/1899)

Warner, Dwight G.F. Obit & photo 1/2/1938

Warner, Fred L

d. 7/18/1942

Warner, Henry D. Obit. 6/12/1905 LJ

Warner, Jacob

With H. Ferle manufacturers & dealers in
furniture & coffins (12/29/1870)

Warner, J.E.

New Show (4/28/1876)
Large ad (5/2/1876)
5/9/1876)

Extensive coverage of 25th wedding anniversary
celebration (LJ 12/14/1882)

Chief prop. of Golden State Menagerie & Circus
(1/12/1871)

Large ad and article about the above (LSR 8/31/1871)

Warner, J.E.

LJ 11/28/1891 (tries to buy Wonderland Museum)
LJ 2/22/1893 (remembers Dan Rice)
LJ 9/26/1891 (wants to sell house)
SR 12/20/1901 (farm purchased by H.A. French)
SR 8/31/1871 (Ads for circus)

Warner, J. E. Obit & photo 5/21/1914

About wedding trip in 1857 (LJ10/24/1907)
50th wedding celebrated (LJ 10/30/1907)

Photo of house on W. Willow - see page 71 in
Old Lansing Town

Intends building a new dwelling to cost 3 or
4 thousand dollars (3/22/1878)

Warner, Mrs. Joseph E. Obit. 6/6/1911 (& photo)
Was Mary Dryer
Was Mary Dryer - married 10/29/1857
1039 N. Cedar

Watkins, John T. Obit. 1/16/1940

Photo (1/15/1940)

President Lansing Storage Co., Deepdale Cemetery,
Lansing Paint & Color Co. & v.p. Wolverine Insurance Co.,
real estate

(dave m. Hovey) see Mich Thru Centuries
III: 110

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Watley, Dr. Samuel H. Obit. & port. 12/13/1949

Watson, Dr. C.M. Obit. & port. 2/16/1940

last country doctor

Watson, Mrs. Charles M. (Emma) obit. 3/13/1937

Watson, William obit 4/13/1951

Merchant

Watzel, Mrs. J.C.

93, widow of one of founders of auto wheel making business died 3/13/1963

Way, Charles Harvey Obit. 2/11/1931

Inventor of product manufactured by New Way Motor Co.
d. 2/11/1931

Webb, Mrs. Wm. (Jane) Obit. Lj 4/24/1899

Nurse - came here 1837

Webber, Mrs. Parker (Betsey Monroe) obit 8/1/1912

sister of Marion Monroe Turner (Mrs. James)

Webster, Dr. Orange

Durant, p. 117

Weed, Mrs. Jeremiah E. (Sarah) Obit. 4/3/1922

Sister of J.H. Moores - home stood where Sparrow Hospital now is

Weeks, Leona

*5/75:8
CIRCADIA*

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5/75:8
CIRCADIA

Wehner, Herman

Crayon portrait of H.P. Bartlett (LR 4/18/1876)
Life (now 28) - Has nearly completed statuary for east pediment of Capitol (LR 5/19/1876)
Colossal bust of Senator Chandler (LR 1/18/1883)
Lansing Rep. Nov. 19, 1875

Wehner, Herman

(L.R.)
Has opened a studio (9/19/1876)
"The Michigan Pioneer" (2/13/1877)(L.R.)
Has been placed in Lib. (3/2/1877)

Listed in 1878 & 1883 Lansing City Directories

Died Oct. 23, 1921

Weinburgh, Dr. Harry obit & photo 6/29/1944

Weingarten, Lawrence B.

Businessman - died 11/13/1964

Weller, Augustus F.

Durant, p. 127

Weller, Frank D

Wallpaper & paint (SR 9/6/1887)

Weller, Frank D.

Residence, c. 1890 (Lans. Illus., p. 21)

Weller, Peter J.

Durant, p. 128

Wellings, Dr. James H. Obit. 7/20/1920

915 N. Washington almost 40 yrs.

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Wells, Frank Obit. & photo. LJ 1/20/1905

Home on W. Ottawa purchased by Mrs. John Crossman (LJ 4/17/1905)

Had fuel business with John Clear - Sign: "Oil Wells and Clear Coal"

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Wells, Mrs. Frank Obit. 7/22/1879 L.R.

Pupil at Misses Rogers
Daughter of Z. Jones, Rams Head R.R.

Wells, Henry H.

Of Detroit - Gov. of Va., 1868-1869
Chronicle, Sept. 1968

Wells, Henry H.

Chronicle, vol. 4, no. 7 (Sept. '68)

Wells, Hezekiah G.

The Old Northwest, vol.6, n0.1, Spring 1980

Wells, Wim. L.

First resident physician - later went to Howell -
Report death Lansing J. 6/21/1898

Durant, p. 115

Wentworth, Mrs. Ellen Obit. & port 2/15/1931

Wentworth, Frank Obit. 3/31/1904

Wentworth, Frank

To erect new hotel at corner of Mich. & Grand
(SR 4/21/1897)

To build a hotel (SR 11/21/1892)

Wessel, G.A.

L917.74 L294 (1906) p. 29 (& port.)

Westcott, Charles obit SR 11/15/1892

Came here in 1848

1848

LANSING - FIRE DEPT.

T.S.WESTCOTT was elected "chief engineer" on Ju
J Une 17, 1872

LANSING AND ITS YESTERDAYS
p. 109

Westcott, Thomas W. Obit. 8/8/1898

Chief of fire dept. for several yts.
Hillsdale St.

Aug. 13, 1913

Adams, pp. 593-597
Business (LJ 2/6/1885)

Westcott, Mrs. Thomas W. (Ellen)
Obit. 11/2/1914

Photo 11/3/1914
A Women's Club founder

Western, G.C.

L917.74 L295 (1902) & port.

Wey, Lynda
Herbs

CIRCADIA
Nov-Dec 74:23

Wey, Lynda
Herbs

CIRCADIA
Nov-Dec
74:23

WHARTON, CLIFTON R., JR
MSU PRES.

in CIRCADIA Sep '75

Wharton Clifton R, Jr
MSU Pres
in CIRCADIA Sep
'75

Lansing's oldest native-born resident 1958
Obediah Cowles Wheeler see LANSING - BIOGRAPHY in
the clipping file

White, Dr. Edna Noble

d. May 4, 1954
founding director of the Merrill Palmer School

White, Edward N. Obit. 4/10/1905

White, Thomas E. Obit. & photo 4/22/1935

D. 4/20/1935
Architect

arrived c. 1900
White & Hussey
White & Butterworth
Has made drawings for Women's Club House (4/10/1913)

White, Thomas E.

Domestic probs. (3/5/1903)
To form partnership with Samuel Butterworth
instead of White & Hussey (LJ 9/3/1907)
Disigning house for W.C. Anderson to built on
S. Washington across from R.E. Olds - \$12,000 -
Spanish style (LJ 8/15/1907)
Assoc. between T.E.W. & Lee Black has been
discontinued (5/21/1915 - ad)

Whitehead, Alvan H. Obit. 2/10/1898

Insurance - Grain & Feed Business, c. 1877 -
Developed Hickory Island in Pine Lake

Whitely, Harry Obit 6/24/1940

WHITELEY, ELIZABETH

See
Adams, p. 555, 567
567

Whiteley, John Obit. SR 5/1/1891

Moore, v.III, P. 1748
d. 5/1/1891
Adams, p. 562-566

Whitely, Mrs. John 12/30/1921

Whiting, Henry

Biography (Michigan History, v. 16, pp. 174-182)

Whitney, Edwin D. Obit. 2/23/1940
story & photo 2/24/1940

Son of E.H. Whitney of Grove & Whitney,
Lansing's 1st hardware firm

Has retired from firm of Cassey & Whitney
(LJ 1/4/1888)

Home, 417 Seymour, opposite high school built by
his father, Edwin H.

One of Lansing's earliest phot. hobbyists

Whitney, Edwin H.

Biog. in L917.74 L295 (1902) & photo.

Has sold his interest in Grove & Whitney to
G.W. Harrison - firm name now Grove & Harrison (2/9/1877)

Edwin
Whitney, E.H.

Residence, c. 1890 (Lans. illus., p. 20)

Obit. Pioneer & Hist. v. 34, p.764

d. 12/16/1903

Port. Lansing J. 4/2/1898

Whitney Edwin H. Obit. & port 12/16/1903

Port. & artice1 (10/19/1903)

Whittemore, Ira Obit. 9/22/1946

Whittemore, Sidney J. Obit. 2/11/1975
About (7/12/1968)

Wiest, Judge Howard Obit. & port. 9/17/1945

"Shagbark" Williamston (10/30/1938)
Port. L917.74 L295 (1902)
" Mich. Manual 1937
79th birthday (2/28/1943)
According to obit. one of his best known acts was to
rule In GM case that women should receive same pay as
men when doing same type of work.
Port. in Under the Oaks, p.236

Wiest, Justice Howard

Article & photo (2/20/1944, 2/25/1944, 2/24/41)

Wight, Dr. W.G. Obit & port 9/14/1940

Wilbur, A.A.

Furniture store & undertaking parlors (7/24/1938)

Bought hearse & undertaking business of A.Blair
(L.R. 5/21/1878) (With F.W. Riley)

Wilbur, A.A. Obit. 7/13/1912

Cowles, p. 270

To erect 3 story brick store - 204 Franklin
(LJ 4/4/1890)

Business, 200 Franklin (LJ 4/10/1885)
W.H. Joy to become partner (4/1/1903)
Sold his stores (LJ 11/1/1906)

Wilbur, Mrs. Alroy A. Obit. 10/2/1933

Elizabeth Yeiter - came here at age 1 - father
helped to construct first capitol - husband d. 1912 -
733 Seymour Ave.

Wilbur, Etta

veteran teacher
d. 4/14/1943

Wilcox, Chester M.

Built first radio 1913 - now operates manu-
facturing plant (1/1/1935)

Wilcox, Mrs. Eugene obit & port. 12/27/1932

daughter of Henry H. North

Wilcox, Mrs. S.R. (Elizabeth) Obit. 8/7/1911

Resident nearly 60 years - Mr. W. d. 33 yrs
age after the death of their oldest son - Remaining son
died in California at age 26 - She went there & brought
body back to L. for burial - member Central M.E. Church

Wilcox, Willis

3/12/1886

Wilde, Hans

d. 1934

Hans Wilde Conservatory

Opened Wednesday, September 3, 1919 at

326 West Franklin Avenue

See several subject cards.

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Lansing's Yesterdays
July 13, 1969

Wilder, Henry N.

11/24/1911

Wiley, Delos C. Obit. 5/1/1874

d. 5/5/1874
Cowles, p. 39
Attorney

Wiley, Washington G. Obit. 7/30/1903

Residence at 327 N. Capitol demolished -
daughter married Charles A. Town here (3/16/1929)

WILFORD, HAMES W.

Vice-President, Lansing Chamber of Commerce
Photo: Mich State Digest 5/31/1928, pg. 4

Wilkinson, Clare obit & photo 12/30/1944

Official of C.J. Rouser Drug Co.

Williams, Col. A.W. obit LR 3/26/1879

Williams, Joseph

Alfred, his son married Frances Vogle
(LJ 3/2/1893)
1891 City Directory - laborer

Williams, Meade C.

Pioneer & Hist. v. 35, p. 58 & port.
d. 8/22/1906

Williams, O.

Durant, p. 137

Williams, Rev. Samuel obit 5/7/1932

retired minister, d. in Mason

Williams, Silas M. Obit. 3/20/1903

Associated with Wilkins in hardware business
in North L. - later in wool business (LJ3/20/1903)

Willits, Edwin Obit. SR 10/24/1896

Biog. & port. 1/11/1887

Wilson, B.F. obit 4/15/1899

311 S. Grand
Durant, p.136

Wilson, James A. Obit 5/25/1931

914 w. Kalamazoo
retired businessman

Wilson, John

Photographer (11/18/1879, 11/28/1879)
J.M. Wilson an assistant in photograph gallery of
B.F. Hall - now under G.W. Wood (SR 4/25/1876)
Has returned to B.F. Hall (1/15/1875)

Winans, Nathaniel H. Obit. 4/22/1912

24 yrs. ago started his first milk route
port. 4/23/1912)

Winans, Harry H. obit. 4/19/1940

Wineman, Frederick obit 11/15/1878

formerly prop. of W's brewery - for last 3 years on a farm 6 miles s.w. of city

Winters, Rev. Cecil

d. 5/13/1943 - founder of St. Thomas, E.L.

Winters, Charles T. Obit. 1/5/1940

Active in Ingham politics

Member of board which built present court house

Winters, Dr. Thomas M.

Residence, c. 1903 (520 N. Capital, D. Moon, arch.) (Lansing 1903, p. 8)

Residence purchased by M.R. Carrier for \$6,450 (L.J. 4/8/1905)

Port. L917.74 L295 (1902)

Memorial services (SR 5/9/1904)

Wise, Alfred

Purchased house built by Charles Johnson on Shiawassee on east side of Grand River for \$800. (8/30/1864)

Wise, Alfred Obit. 9/11/1893

L920 P825 (p. 375)
Residence on Townsend St. opposite Central Park

Durant, p. 135

Has bought of George Jerome 3 acres s. of J.L& S. depot - will erect manufactory & lumber business (LR 6/23/1876, 7/4/1876, 7/11/1876)

Has opened a lumber yard between Larch and Cedar (6/18/1875)

Wise, Samuel

Portrait painter, has opened studio over Raleigh's tobacco store (6/25/1875)

Wise, Samuel Lord Obit. 12/26/1908 SR & LJ

Painted among many others Judge Edward Cahill which hangs in Supreme Court Room - About 50 yrs. of age - Father died some yrs. ago - mother Jan. 2, 1908 - House on S. Cedar now owned by Spiritualist Soc. (SR)

His crayon portrait of Mrs. M.W. Howard presented to Lansing Woman's Club a gift from Mrs. Sophie H. Knight (LJ 4/25/1890)

Professor of Art, Olivet College (SR9/11/1893)

LJ 1/3/1908

Wise, Mrs. Alfred Obit. 1/4/1908
1/4/1908

Will erect a new residence on S. Cedar on site now occupied by her son Prof. Saml. Wise (SR 10/5/1893)

d. 1-2-08

Wisner, George W.

Chronicle, Fall 1983

Wiswell, Oliver C. obit 3/25/1863

Wiswell, Mrs. Oliver C.

d. 12/18/1897

Wixom, Frank

Chronicle, Winter 1981. Vol.17, no.4
(Wixom Lake, Edenville, circus, etc.)

Wolcott, Alexander C. Obit. 1/4/1912

Photo 1/5/1912

Wolcott, Isaac N. Obit. & port. 10/15/1917

First white male child born in Ingham County -
Vevay Twp . on 11/9/1836

Recites incidents of early days (2/1/1912)

Photo + Article (Reo Spirit - June 1916)

Phot & Article (Reo Spirit- June 1916)

Wolcott, Mrs. Orson J. obit LJ 9/4/1908

Wolcott, "Wes"

Daguerrotype of this leading spirit of Torren
Engine Co. Tailor - made first red shirts ever worn by
Lansing firemen - dag. deposited in Mich. Pioneer &
Hist. Collection (5/18/1922)

Wolfram, Jack

R920 N21, Vol. 57, p. 64

Wolfgang, Myra Komaroff

d. Apr. 12, 1976

labor leader and consistent advocate for the
needs of women, minorities and the working poor

Wood, Chester Obit. 7/6/1925

Writing (SR 12/24/1892)

Called to St. Thomas Episcopal Church, Battle Creek (LJ 1/15/1906)

Wood, E. N.

Durant, p. 136

Wood, Mrs. Eliza Obit. 5/6/1910

Widow of John A. Wood - lived 442 N. Washington over 30 yrs.

Wood, G. Will Obit. 11/24/1924

Owned & conducted Hall Photo. Gallery

Wood, G.W. & Co.

H.G. Cassey is now with (8/11/1876)

Wood, John A. obit SR 9/6/1887

came 30 yrs ago - father A. Wood, contractor for MSU first bldgs. - later carried on by John - lived corner Walnut & Allegan

Capital Area District Libraries

Wood, Dr. John S. obit SR 1/27/1897

One of first dentists - lived out Seymour (11/18/1924)

Wood, W.C.

With Reo - 1/7/1940

Wood, William H

Oldest blacksmith in state O reminiscences (LJ 10/27/1906)

Woodard Family - Owosso
Virginia Woodard Ballenger
+ family home
LSJ Oct. 10, 1993: 1F

Woodard Family- Owosso
Virginia Woodard Ballenger and
family home. LSJ Oct 10, 1993 1F

Woodcock, David

Mr. & Mrs. celebrated silver wedding
(LR 6/6/1876)

Has finished excavating for new French flats
on Capitol Ave. (SR 5/31/1886)

Woodcock, Mrs. David F. Obit. 7/14/1930

Husband build Woodcock Apts. and was one of
contractors who laid first brick pavement on
Capitol Ave.

Capitol

Woodhouse, William

Durant, p. 129 , ~~136~~ , 139
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Woodman, Jonathan J.

Born 5/25/1825, died 7/13/1907
Biog. in L630.6 G17g and port.
Also in L630.6 T77g
Also in L977.4 UT4m, vol.4, p.197+
Secon wife was Olivia Carpenter

Woodman, Olivia Carpenter obit 7/19/1929

State chaplain of Mich. Grange from 1904-29
Married J.J. Woodman in 1896 while pastor of
Universalist Church in Farmington
For many years teacher in Larch St. & Townsend
St. schools - early home in Dimondale
See L630.6 T77g which includes port.
See also Carpenter, Olivia

Woodmancy, W.H.

Congress Hall Hotel (LJ 4/17/1885)

Woodworth, Elijah

First resident pioneer of Ingham County - 1835-
Only 4 families resident in Ingham C. during
winter of 1836-37: Woodworth, E.T. Critchet,
S. O. Russell, James Royston - Pioneer & Hist.
v. 7, p. 422-23

Woodworth, George R.

Port. (Mevis L917.74 M57 p. 26)

Woodworth, Mrs. George Obit. 6/16/1886

Woodworth, H.A.

Footwear (SR 9/6/1887)

Woodworth, Harry

Pioneer cobbler - tells about footwear in Lansing's early days (LJ 5/9/1906)

5/19/1906?

5/19/1906?

Woodworth, Harry P. Obit. & photo. 12/3/1931

Son of Henry A. Woodworth

Woodworth, Henry . Obit. & photo 4/7/1936

d. 4/6/1936

City's oldest resident & former shoe merchant

506 N. Washington

Rem. - 8/25/1913

Father in shoe business & sons still continuing - 115 N. Washington - known to 4 generations of shoppers - (12/17/1930)

In business here 59 yrs, to retire & photo (12/29/1914)

Woodworth, Henry A.

Port. (Mevis L917.74 K57, p. 48)

Worth, Mrs. Maude Irene

A founder of Judson Memorial Baptist Church died (4/13/1939)

Wright, Ammi W.

Life & photo (Pioneer & Hist. Col., v.39, pp.371-377)

Wright, Bess

d. March 3, 1973

development, packaging and marketing of the first flour mixes in Mich. in early 1930s.

Radio & TV shows in Detroit

Wright, Edward J. Obit. & photo 3/14/1913

Port. in Under the Oaks, p. 241

Wright, Frank Lloyd

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Houses: 1) 2527 Arrowhead, Okemos (1943)

2) 2410 Hulett Rd. Okemos (1939)

3) 1115 Wrightwind Dr., Okemos

4) 1200 Wrightwind Dr., Okemos (questionable)

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Wright, Dr. Solomon W.

Obit. Pioneer & Hist. Soc. v.7, p.444 Former mayor d. 3/19/1884

Born Rome, N.Y. June 22, 1817 Democrat

Durant, p. 117

Wright, Wm. S. Obit. 4/17/1914

Supt. of Water Works at time of installation-
also Chief of Fire Dept.