

Marquette County Historical Society.



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Biographical Record of

Mrs. Adeline Archambeau

Will you kindly answer the following questions, in order that for future reference, there may be a permanent record of yourself to file among the papers of the Marquette County Historical Society. Additional facts which you desire to add, may be written on the back of this sheet. Return this to L. A. Chase, Secretary of the Marquette County Historical Society, Marquette, Michigan.

What is your full name?

Mrs. Adeline Archambeau

When were you born?

In 1844

Where were you born?

Aw Sable Forks New York

What was your father's name?

Nelson Baslow

What was your mother's name?

Flavia Baslow

Is either of your parents still living?

Yes Mother

Where?

Marquette Mich

When were you married?

In 1860

Where?

Marquette Mich

To whom were you married?

Nicholas Archambeau

Is your ~~wife~~ or husband still living?

No

When did you come to Marquette County?

In 1852

From what place did you come here?

Aw Sable Forks New York

By what means and what route did you get here?

all the way by boat

In what work have you engaged, since coming here?

mostly housewife

(State name of employer or company for whom you have worked)

Where are you now living? (Give Post Office address)

Marquette Mich

The following information is desired:

Your Children:

5 living and three dead

NAME

Present age or age
at death.

Residence.

Mrs. George Turkey

59

Marquette

Wilson Archambeau

Lied at 9 mos.

Emma Archambeau

Lied at 1 da.

Alfred Archambeau

55

Marquette

Joseph Archambeau

54

Seattle Wash.

Louis Archambeau

Lied at 46

From what country did you or your ancestors come to the United States?

Any facts or anecdotes relative to the history of Marquette County, Michigan, may be added here or on the reverse side of the sheet.

Children Continued: age

Mrs. Sollberg - 33

Edward N. Archambeau 31

Superior Wis.
Marquette Mich.

"Feminiscentences."

When Mrs. Archambeau came to Marquette there were no docks so they came to shore in row-boats. She came in the old Baltimore. The entire Southern part of Marquette was an ~~Indian~~ Indian village, there were only a few log houses, here and there and but one frame building. Peter White (~~carried~~) brought the mail from the Soo with dogs and toboggans.

When the first railroad was built and a locomotive used the school children used to spend every spare moment gazing in amazement at this queer monster.

At first it was very lonely here and the early settlers enjoyed many hardships. They were obliged to make all their own furniture. No matter how much money they had they could not buy these necessities. Mrs. Archambeau's father finally succeeded in securing one rocking chair from Mr. Harlowe who had brought it from their old home. This chair was carefully guarded for dear

Something would happen to it. The remainder of the furniture was made from packing boxes.

This new country was found to be an ideal health-resort and soon a number of people came from Mr. Archambeau's old home in New York. The settlement gradually grew and they soon had a hotel and a sawmill. From then on it grew step by step to its present size and beauty.

By M. E. Wood