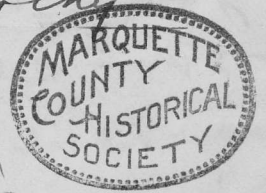


J. McCarthy

Marquette County Historical Society



Date March 20 - 22

Biographical Record of Mrs M. Messier

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. Milinase Longtime Messier

When were you born? July 1 - 1850

Where were you born? Silver Forks N.Y.

What was your father's name? Mr. Xavier Longtime

What was your mother's name? Mrs. Marquette Longtime

Is either of your parents still living? no Where? ---

When were you married? July - 15 - 1869 Where? Marquette

To whom were you married? Mr. M. Messier

Is your ~~wife~~ or husband still living? no

When did you come to Marquette County? June 20 - 1854

From what place did you come here? Silver Forks N.Y.

By what means and what route did you get here? By boat

In what work have you engaged, since coming here? Husband R. Roadman

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

M. H. O. and S. S. & Co. Ry.

Where are you now living? (Give Post Office address) 433 W. Washington St.

The following information is desired:

Your Children:

NAME	Present age or age at death.	Residence
Edward	44	433 W. Wash St.
Zephyr	51	" " "
Adele	48	347 Alger St.
Frank	46	433 W. Wash St.
Maal Edward	40	
Tim	38	418 Bluff St.

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

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

Passengers were landed from large boats by being rowed to a small dock. Used to go picking berries about where city hall stands. Peter White used to buy up all furs that the Indians used to get. I first lived in a log house where the Opera House now stands. No church here when I first came. First church was built on site where St. Peter's Church now is. Mr. Harlow made all of his money buying up all the land down town, and dividing up into lots. ~~He~~ went to school with

John m^cCombs. Teacher was mrs.
m^cClenty? Building was on a hill
where City Hall now stands. Washington
St wasn't graded at that time. Used to
get water from Creek which flows through
Harlow Clarke's field on Downing St. Mr
Bashaw, who was a carpenter used to
make coffins. There was no undertaker.
Mr Watson had a store on Front St.
Work was slack up here during the
civil war