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THE YALLUP FAMILY

A very pleasant family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Larkins on Church St. last SAturday. Out of the 56 relatives, 52 of them assembled for the reunion of the decendants of Mr. and Mrs. George Yallup, deeeased, but for many years residents of Bingham township.

Among one of the four absent was Thomas Yallup of South Lyons, one of the five living children.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Larkins was very prettily decorated with carnations, autumn leaves and Halloween decorations.

The brothers and sisters are: Mrs. Lyman Sperry, Mrs. Thomas Teed and George Yallup of Bingham and Mrs. Stephen DuBois of St. Johns. Fourteen of the 16 grandchildren were present and all of the 19 great grandchildren.

After dinner Mrs. Frank W. Knapp of Bingham presided for the program which opened by all singing, "Nearer My God To Thee." A history of the Yallup family was then read by Mrs. George Yallup of Bingham.

George Yallup, father of the present generation, was born in Norfolk, England in 1819. His parents having died while he was young, he began working for his living at the age of six. August 14, 1844, he married Mary Baxter. After residing in England for 6 years, Mr. Yallup decided to come to America. He would send for his family as soon as possible. His money gave out while in New York, but he obtained work upon a boat bound for Cleveland. In Cleveland, he wrote and informed his family of his whereabouts and a year later went to Oakland county and worked until he had enough money to send for his family. During this time he took up 40 acres of government land, a part of which is now the old

homestead, 3 miles south of St. Johns.

Left alone in England, Mrs. Yallup supported herself and 4 small children mostly from gleaning in the fields. In making the trip to America the vessel she was on was wrecked. A second ship was driven back to port because of a severe storm. The third time she sailed with better results. On shipboard, Mrs. Yallup was very sick with cholera but finally with her family reached Detroit where they were met by Mr. Yallup, who had waited for them in that city for 3 weeks. They came to Bingham township in a lumber wagon and lived with a neighbor while their home, a log house, was built. Eight children were born to them and with one exception lived to have homes of their own and settled within 5 miles of their parents home.

Following the reading of the family history, officer were elected as follows: President, George Yallup, Bingham, secretary, Mrs. Perry Teed, Olive, treasurer, Perry Teed, Olive. Another reunion will be held next year at the home of Mr. amd Mrs. Teed in Olive. The program closed with songs and recitations by the following great grandchildren, Erma Eaton, Velma Burg, Althea Knapp, Francis and Bernice Teed, Treva Larkins and also by Doris Sperry and Elva Burg.

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# FIND BOY IN ALLEY

Last Sunday evening Sheriff Cramer found a boy sleeping in a dry goods box in back of Wilson's Store. The boy is about 16 years old and gave his name as Roy Bronson. He says his mother is dead and his father is in a hospital in Lansing. For th present he is staying with Sheriff Cramer and Mr. Cramer thinks he has secured him a good home with a farmer who will send him to school and give him a good bringing up.

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ABSTRACTED FROM CLINTON COUNTY REPUBLICAN NEWS JAN. 3, 1901
         HAPPENINGS IN 1900 (Page 5 column 3 f P 2
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By Wilma Sowle

Lewis Hugelot of Olive & Nellie Washington of Eureka, married K.P. party for Edward Neuman, now deceased Cleared \$270 Clark Smith of Wacousta loses house by fire

Jan. 2 Claude W. Lambie married Nina Westbrook of Maple Rapids at M.E. parsonage by Rev. Laufman

Jan. 3 Horace Sherman & Hattie Atkinson both of Bengal Married at M.E. parson Belle G. daughter of Mr & Mrs Albert J. Baldwin of St. Johns united in marriage with J.R. McCall of Knoxville, Tenn.

of Bengal Death of Israel M SRAY

Arthur R. Crowner & Adah L. Sturgis married

Jan. 8

Rev. C. G. Thomas a former pastor of St. Johns M.E. Church dies from stroke of apaplexy in Kalamazoo

William Schavey announces he will be a candidate for sheriff. Jan.9 Susan Donaldson died in St. Johns age 84 Mrs. Eveline Stevens of Eureka died

Jan. 10

Willie Davis of Riley, accidently shot.
Della Sheldon & Floyd White, both of Olive, married

Jan. 11 Mrs. J. Perkins of Victor burial

Rt. Rev. Radamacher who was born in Westphalia dies in Indiana. Death of enfant daughter of Arthur Root

Jan. 13

Agricultural Society holds Annual Meeting

Joel Wasar of Lebanon. Died,

Jan. 14

Willis Davis of Riley death

Jan. 15

Judge George P. Stone given welcome to Clinton County bar.

Jan. 16

Death of Mrs. Mahala Van Burger of Victor april meeting of Peoples Mutual of Ionia, Clinton & Ionia Counties

They vote to live 30 yrs . longer. Charles H. Beech of Victor & Eva E. Burk of Greenbush Jan. 17 Married:

Jan. 19 Pres. Travis calls a public meeting to boost St. Johns Fire destroys Henry Sobers home in Bath

Jan. 21

Suicide of John Wykoff of St. Johns

Jan. 21

Death of Mrs. Stephen Rowell of Duplain

Jan. 25

Death of Cassia Lowell of Wacousta

Congressman Fordney writes Postmasteri Brunson that he will endeavor to secure 2 more RFD routes for this County. Thanks, we got

Death of John Gunsterblum of Wacousta

Jan. 31 Joseph Van Houghton crushed by a tree Married, Grace Longcor to Fred Baker Married. Rose Murray to Alton Church Feb. 1 Mrs. G. E. Thompson dwelling in South Ovid, burns Death of James Van Houghton Feb. 2 Martin Powerso of Pewamo killed by trifreight train A son born to Fred Coolman and wife of Union Home Fred Fehr shot by his wife. Lived in North part of St. Johns W.B. Smith celebrates his 58th birthday Feb. 4 Death of 10 yr old son of Wm. Crovert from accident Lived at Bat: Home of Wm. Marlett in Hubbardston burns Manley Marsh and wife celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary A daughter born to Frank Terwilliger and wife kf Maple Rapids Feb. 6 A son born to Mr. & Mrs. Claud Bond of South Riley Death of Chauncey Boles of South Ovid Feb. 7 Death of Mrs. Elizabeth Beach of Maple Rapids Death of Isaac Ocobock of South Essex Lina Conn & Florence Wilson mazried ITEMS FROM FEB 8 TO FEB. 2L not readable due to damaged paper Death of Frank Banhagel of Ionia House belonging to Isaac Hewitt of Essex burned Miss Iva Shepard & Rodhey J. Bardwell of Denver, Colorado married S.B. Daboll chosen chairman of Republican State Central Committee Lena Reeb and Vern Walker of Maple Rapids married Death of Mrs. R.E. Hathaway of Ovid E. P. Waldron elected President of Commercial Travelers Rep. League Feb. 22 Rural Route #2 established Feb. 26 John Curtis & Clara Hope married Feb. 27 Death of Mrs. Ida Phillips of Essex Feb. 28 Death of Joseph Eddy of Eagle Mar 1 Rural Route #3 established Mag.2 Death of Mrs. George W. Hyde or Hastings Mar. 3 Edward Hawes & Maud Grubaugh of Elsie married Mar. 5 Death of Willard Potter of Petoskey Mar. 8 Death of Frank House of Elsie A daughter born to Theo Gilboe and wife of Hubbardston A son born to George Monroe and wife Mar. 10 Death of Mrs. Marito Murell of St. Johns Mar. 11 Death of Thomas Hall of Bath Mar. 12 Death of Edna Gadt of Lansing

Mar. 14 Adolph BBockman & Isadore Eldridge of Bengal married Died, George F. Marvin of St. Johns Died, Stephen Fish of St. Johns Death of Mrs. Clara Heller of Fowler Mar. 20 Death of Alma Ferris of Watertown Mar. 21 Death of James Montague of Price Mar. 22 Death of J.W. Sutfin of Eureka Death of Isaac Babrian of Ithaca Mar. 28 Death of Edwin Sanford of Owosso Mar. 291 Violet Moore & Fred Parks married Mar. 30 Death of Mrs. Lucy Kenney Durkee of St. Johns Apr. 1 Death of Newton Willey of Bengal Apr. 2 Death of James J. Minkler of West Riley Apr. 3 Born to Mr. & Mrs. William.T. Davis Jr. a son, Clare Death of Mrs. Ira A. Spaun of Bath Death of Mrs. George Gardner of Union Home Death of Mrs. Elizabeth Hale of Westphalia Judson Hallett & Mary Drumheller of Bath married Apr. 9 Death of Mrs. Elizabeth Parker of St. Johns Death of Miss Cordelia Stansell of West Riley Apr. 10 Cal. Hawkins & Mrs. Louise Hoeard married Apr. 11 John J. Muncy of Traverse City & Maude Ackley married Death of Charles Hollister of Victor Apr. 12 James Harper pardoned for shooting a gambler in Charlevoix Co. Death of Mrs. Lucy Auten Area meeting forconstruction of Lansing & St. Louis, St. Johns Railro Apr. 16 Death of Miss Noreen Hunter of Ovid Apr . 17 Death of Mrs. Dora Fricks of St. Johns Apr. 21 A son born to Peter Strain/Struin and wife Abe Van Berger & Latie Dennison of Victor married Apr. 29 Death of Irving Sherman of St. Johns Apr. 30 A daughter born to Bert Gower and wife Large fire in Hubbardston destroys drug store, barbershop and office Death of Allen H. Reed of Essex May 3 A son born to Mr. & Mrs. E.J. Moinet Death of Laura Martin of Lebanon

Hotel Arrivals. 1871

following names The were abstracted from program booklets which were among papers donated to the archives 1989, Helen by October, They are names (Flynn) Young. of program leaders for monthly meetings.

> Woman's Home and

Foreign Missionary Society Victor Congregational Church 1905

Mrs. O. S. Albee
Mrs. L. H. Allen
Mrs. O. L. Beckwith
Miss D. Brunson
Mrs. C. E. Chapin
Mrs. Edith Greene
Mrs. F. Jamison
Mrs. F. B. Jones
Mrs. E. D. Post
Mrs. F. W. Upton
Mrs. Fred Upton

Woman's Home Missionary Union Victor, Michigan 1911

Mrs. L. H. Allen
Mrs. Allie Beckwith
Mrs. R. L. Beckwith
Mrs. James Crane
Mrs. Charles Flynn
Fannie Hadley
Mrs. F. B. Jones
Mrs. Ruth S. Jones
Mrs. E. Smith
Mrs. George Tranchel
Mrs. Elva Upton

During the past week ending July 13, the following named people found comfort and satisfaction at the Farmers' Hotel, and you to are invited "to go and do likewise":

Phillip Barnhart, South Riley. Walter Jennings and wife, Bengal. ES Koons, Eureka. L D Harris, Grand Rapids. Jas Harris, DeWitt. Jas Harris, DeWitt.
Frank Moore, Owosso.
L C Hull, Middleton.
C P Barrus, Greenbush.
John Price, Eureka.
John Bennett, Maple Rapids.
S Hewitt, Maple Rapids.
S Hewitt, Maple Rapids.
D A Bennet, Riley
J K Davidson, Maple Rapids.
A McKinzle, Grand Haven.
W D McLauchlin, Corunna.
A Phillips, Corunna.
Dell Newhouse, Muir.
H Harratt, Grand Haven.
H Smith and wife. Greenbush.
Mrs. Donaldson, Maple Rapids.
Mrs. Hill, Jackson. Mrs. Donaldson, Maple Rapids.
Mrs. Hill, Jackson.
Mrs. Chadwick, Olive.
Kaspar Diehm, DeWitt.
E Midwinter, Grand Rapids.
T W Taylor, Maple Rapids.
W W White, Crystal.
C Pickell, Crystal.
S Pickell, Crystal.
Geo English, Washington, Mich.
Reuben Brink, Olive.
Elger Fleshman, Maple Rapids.
Jacob Schmit, Hubbardston.
L R Ellis, Hubbardston.
R Harper, Bengal.
Stephen Scott and wife, Millington.
J N Whittacre, Maple Rapids.
A Y Boak, Lebanon.
John Kinney, Riley.
Harry Lewis, Bridgeville.
Simon Firkt, Middleton.
Fred Wineland, Middleton.
C Briggs, Cheney.
R Simmons DeWitt C Briggs, Cheney.
R Simmons, DeWitt.
W H Leland, Ashley.
A Peck, Ashley.
Orrin R Kimmel, Alma. Orrin R Kimmel, Alma.
J A Dunlap, Riley.
Jas Warren, Riley.
Henry Stephens, Riley.
Eher Pennington, Riley.
S Mains, Williamston.
Farmers' Hotel, Railroad street, west.
J. L. RING, Proprietor.

## ADVERTISED LETTERS

January 12, 1896

Barnard A. Mack, George
Fleshman, Miss Rose Mager, H. W.
Hiller, F. W. Rodgers, Mrs. Marissa
Jones, Frank Williams and Son
McGrue, J. C.

H. D. McCabe P.M.

# WANTED

New members needed to continue to have a strong historical society. Single memberships, \$4.00, family memberships, \$7.00. Dues haven't been raised for many years. If every member now would pledge to bring in a new member we could double our size. We are making history. There are still those living who can tell of the first time they saw a car on the road or an airplane overhead. This generation can tell of their first experience with a computer, for better or worse!

Union Farmers Club of Duplain

Membership List - 1913

From material donated by Helen S. Smith Wiltsee whose mother was president of the club that year.

# Members

Bruce, O. C.
Coleman, F.
Ewer, F.
Frizzelle, J.
Frizzelle, A.
Frizzelle, H.
Harmon, R.
Hall, F.

Mrs. Lem Smith

Hall, E. E.
Morris, Geo.
Pearl, O. M.
Squires, W.
Smith, L.
Wilcox, Mrs. A.
Young, M.

