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SOCIETY NEWS

It's dues time again and a dues notice is attached to this newsletter for your convenience in submitting dues for 1993-1994 (due May 1, 1994). Please send dues promptly which will help us keep costs down. In spite of continually rising printing and postage costs, we have raised our dues only once in our 19 years of existence, and they remain the same this year as well. We thank you for your continued support.

As we finish our 19th year of publishing this newsletter, it might be of interest to members to know something about our mailing list. The newsletter is mailed to members in 15 states. Newsletters are reciprocally exchanged with The Upper Saddle River Historical Society, Bergen County Division of Cultural and Historic Affairs, and the Genealogical Society of Bergen County. Complimentary newsletters are mailed to the Allendale Mayor and Council, Northern Highlands Regional High School, Brookside School, Allendale Public Library, Ramsey Public Library, Ridgewood Public Library, the Bergen County Historical Society, and the Wyckoff Historical Society. Paid subscriptions are mailed to the State Historical Society of Wisconsin, the New York Public Library, Allen County Public Library in Fort Wayne, Indiana, the New Jersey Historical Society in Newark, and Special Collections and Archives in the Alexander Library at Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ.

In the currently running series in this newsletter on Allendale Houses Built Before 1940, the house labeled "85 Elmwood Avenue," on page 5 of the February-March issue, should be labeled "83 Elmwood Avenue. The data for the house remains the same except that it applies to 83 Elmwood Avenue, not 85 Elmwood Avenue, and the house was sold by James F. Creelman to Al Werner. Mr. L. Colaianni, who lived until recently at 85 Elmwood Avenue, called to advise us of the error and we appreciate the correction.

Both the society and your editor appreciate hearing from all those, near and far, interested in Allendale. We're happy to publish in this issue, compliments of our "Florida auxiliary" from Helyn ("Tiny") Anthony Meyer, via Anne and John Webb, photographs of the Allendale third grade of 1926-27. We would warmly welcome any other photos (especially with total or partial identification) and any written reminiscences or information on Allendale. You can send items directly to this editor: Pat Wardell, 78 Edgewood Road, Allendale, NJ 07401 (201-327-0605).

Preliminary meetings of representatives of some of Allendale's clubs and organizations have been held to begin to formulate a committee to plan and organize events commemorating the 1994 centennial anniversary of the incorporation of Allendale as a borough.

Many other Bergen county communities organized in 1894, following legislation that permitted communities to adopt a borough form of local government. Previously, except for a few cities in Bergen County, the local-level governing bodies were larger townships. These townships were generally comprised of several neighborhoods or localities each of which were now free to organize themselves as boroughs. So 1994 and 1995 will see the centennial celebrations for not only Allendale, but numerous neighboring boroughs as well. Included in this issue is the story of Allendale's incorporation.

Our Society continues to operate in an inactive capacity because volunteers to serve as officers are needed. Anyone interested in volunteering for any position should call Pat Wardell at 201-327-0605 for further information.

It is our hope that in or before Allendale's 100th birthday year (1994) a group of enthusiasts will come forward to reorganize the Historical Society. Until then, we muddle along with the publication of this newsletter and thank our members near and far for their continued support.

Allendale Becomes a Borough: The 1894 Incorporation Story

by Pat Wardell

On March 12, 1890 New Jersey legislation was enacted permitting the formation of boroughs and their "general incorporation by Election." Before this, most local government within Bergen County was the township form of government.

In Allendale, the proposal to build a new school to be located within Orvil Township in what is today Waldwick (instead of at Allendale, where the previous schoolhouse had been) made Allendale residents rise up to promote the idea of a separate local government.

A petition dated September 17, 1894 called for a special election to propose the question of formation of a borough named "The Mayor and Council of the Borough of Allendale." This petition was signed by owners of at least 10% of the taxable property within the boundaries of the proposed borough, who encompassed parts of Orvil, Hohokus, and Franklin Townships. Signers of the petition were:

Citizens and property owners of Orvil Township in proposed borough: R. V. Ackerman, O.H.P. Archer, J.A. Mallinson, William H. Mallinson, and Louise Doty.

Citizens and property owners of Franklin Township in proposed borough: Louis Rossner.

Citizens and property owners of Hohokus Township in proposed borough: R.V. Ackerman, Peter D. Rapelje, Garret G. Smith, John A. Mallinson, and William H. Mallinson.

In response to the petition, on October 16, 1894, Bergen County Common Pleas Judge James Van Valen ordered that a special election be held at Archer Hall in Allendale on November 8, 1894 to enable qualified residents to vote for or against the incorporation of the borough. Judge Van Valen appointed Alfred E. Ivers Clerk of the Election, and William H. Mallinson and Joseph H. Ware as Inspectors of the Election.

On October 20, 1894 Joseph H. Ware, Election Inspector, posted ten notices of election in the following locations within the limits of the proposed borough:

- 1. One on a post in the Post Office at Allendale.
- 2. One on a wall in the gentlemen's waiting room in the depot at Allendale.
- 3. One on a post in R.V. Ackerman's grocery store in Allendale.
- 4. One on the public bulletin board on the southwest corner of Allendale Avenue and Franklin Tumpike in Allendale.
- 5. One on the gate post in front of the school house at Allendale.
- 6. One on a guide post on the northwest corner of Allendale Avenue and Chapel Street², at Allendale.

- 7. One on the door (outside) of Zabriskie's blacksmith shop on Allendale Avenue, in Allendale.
- 8. One on the outside of the door of Bullis's [sic] blacksmith shop on the Franklin Turnpike near Allendale. [Should read "Pullis's"]
- 9. One on the front of Burtis's Feed Mill on the road leading from Allendale to Wyckoff.
- 10. One on a telegraph pole situated on the road leading from Allendale to Wickoff [sic] near the barn of R. V. Ackerman.

On November 8, 1894 the certificate of election was signed by Alfred E. Ivers, Clerk of Election, and William H. Mallinson and Joseph H. Ware, Election Inspectors. According to the certificate: 'The whole number of ballots was one hundred and eleven of which one hundred votes were for incorporation and eleven votes were cast against incorporation, giving a majority of eighty-nine votes for incorporation."

On November 10, 1894 proceedings for the incorporation of the Borough of Allendale were filed and recorded by Samuel Taylor, Clerk.³

Election Postscripts: Allendale's schoolhouse (today's Police Headquarters) was built in 1896; and in 1915 an additional section of Franklin Township was added to Allendale.

Notes:

1. The lengthy name form, "The Mayor and Council of the Borough of Allendale" was the borough's legal name until 1903, when the officia name became "The Borough of Allendale." Some other boroughs created in 1894 also had this lengthy form of name, including "The Mayor and Council of the Borough of Glen Rock."

2. Chapel Street, today Cottage Place, was named for the Chapel in the Willows (Epiphany Church) which stood on the southeast corner of this intersection until it was moved to the southeast corner of Franklin Turnpike and Orchard Street.

3. November 10, 1894 is the date the action became effective. In dating municipalities, the *effective* date sometimes differs from the *approved* (or election) date (as in Allendale's case). The effective date is generally considered the legal and official date.

Sources for this article included:

Incorporation papers concerning the Borough of Allendale on file at the Bergen County Courthouse.

Legal notices and "Allendale" columns of Bergen County newspapers including the Ramsey Journal (on microfilm at the Ramsey Public Library), the Bergen County Democrat, and the Hackensack Republican (the last two newspapers on microfilm at the Johnson Public Library in Hackensack).

Snyder, John P., The Story of New Jersey's Civil Boundaries, 1606-1968, Trenton, 1969.

Other Bergen County Boroughs formed in 1894:

Carlstadt, Bergenfield, Bogota, East Rutherford, Cresskill, Delford (now Oradell), Fairview, Glen Rock, Hasbrouck Heights, Leonia, Little Ferry, Lodi, Maywood, Midland Park, Montvale, Old Tappan, Park Ridge, Riverside (now River Edge), Saddle River, Schraalenburgh (now Dumont), Tenafly, Undercliff (now Edgewater), Upper Saddle River, Westwood, Woodcliff (now Woodcliff Lake), and Wood-Ridge.

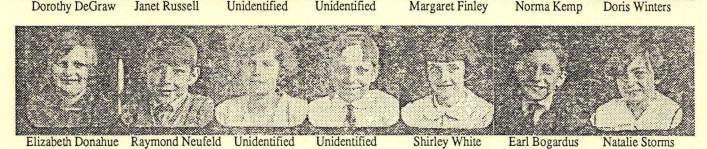
THIRD GRADE, ALLENDALE, NEW JERSEY, SEPTEMBER 1926

The school year 1926-1927 was the second year of teaching for Miss Helyn ("Tiny") Anthony (later Mrs. C. K. Meyer). These photographs show Miss Anthony's third grade class for that school year. Most of the students are identified. Can anyone identify the others?











Buster Johnson John Webb

We hope we have these identifications placed correctly, and would welcome any corrections or additions anyone has to offer.

Note that several of these students grew up to be Allendale Historical Society members (and one is the father of this editor).

Local "News" from the Ramsey Journal. . .

Nov. 13, 1896 — Saddle River — Mr. Wm. Zabriskie went to Paterson with a load of produce last Saturday and while making his deliveries some one stole a basket containing eight pounds of butter and several letters.

April 7, 1899 — Hohokus — When the carpenters tore down the store end of the Bamper homestead, which is being remodeled, they found 73 old copper one cent pieces which date from 1803, and a bag containing 57

very old three cent pieces. It was this end of the building that the Bar used to be, when railroads were unknown in Jersey, and when coaches were the means of transit, this place used to be a "Change Horses" Station. All you who have been in the Wild West know what that means, and for those that have not we would say its where the horses are exchanged for fresh ones so that the coach has as little delay as possible. Probably there are very few people living in this place that are aware that this old mansion is nearly two hundred years old.

ALLENDALE HOUSES BUILT BEFORE 1940

Compiled by Pat Wardell

Compiler's Note: This "inventory" of pre-1940 Allendale houses has been compiled using information in the Society's files and in my own files. Very few of the houses have been systematically researched, so we know that for most of them, the information is incomplete. We would welcome any additions, corrections, updating, etc. from our readers, and will happily add such information to the Society's files.

Only houses still in existence today are included in this inventory. Houses are generally named for the earliest known owner/occupant. Names associated with a house are not necessarily always owners; some may have been tenants. Also, not all owners actually lived in houses they owned; some houses were leased for rental income. The houses are listed alphabetically by street names, then numerically by house number.

(continued from the February-March 1993 issue)

18 First Street

Ackerson House

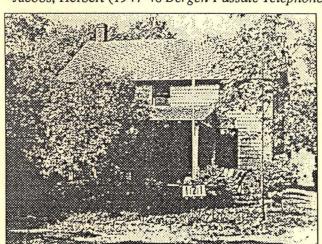
Block 1709, Lot 3 (Old Block 17, Lot 13) Probably built between 1861 and 1876.

"R. Ackerson" on 1876 Walker's Atlas (detailed map of Allendale Railroad Station district).

Shown, but not labelled on 1887 Driving Chart.
Shown, but not labelled, on 1913 Bromley Atlas of Bergen County.

Ryerson Ackerson family, circa 1870-?. Jacobs, 1940.

Jacobs, Herbert (1947-48 Bergen-Passaic Telephone



18 First Street, 1940 Tax Appraisal Photo

Directory.

Mr. & Mrs. James E. Wehrell (Allendale Press, July 1955).

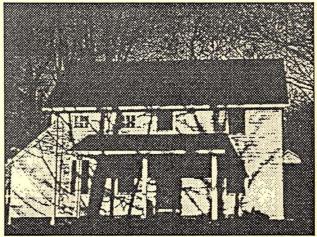
R. Kropp (1963-64 *Here's Allendale*). Robert Kropp (1971 Hillside School rosters). Kropp, R. J. (1985-86 *Here's Allendale*) The Bergen County Historic Sites Survey (1983) describes the house as erected between 1861-1876. On the south facade, first & second stories there are 4 bay windows. There are gables and on the south facade there is a 2 bay porch with post supports and a shed roof. A rubblestone foundation is visible. A one-story wing at the southwest corner has a rubblestone foundation. Alterations include replacement exterior siding, some replacement window sash, south porch, and a two-story wing added at north rear. The county survey considers this house part of the "Allendale"



18 First Street, photo March 1970

Railroad District" and discusses this house as building #2.

Ryerson Ackerson was born about 1840, married Rachel -?-, and died in February 1925. Rachel was born about 1845 and died in 1917. Ryerson Ackerson was a mason and later a house painter. They were living in Allendale by 1880, when their family was listed in the 1880 Federal Census. Ryerson Ackerson was elected a Commissioner of Appeals at Allendale Borough's first election in December 1894.



18 First Street, photo about 1980

Ryerson and Rachel Ackerson had 9 children, 7 of whom were still living in 1917 (6 still living in 1925). Their children included: Charles Ackerson, b. about 1865 (m. Hattie -?-); Jacob Ackerson, b. about 1868; Anna Ackerson, b. about 1870 (probably m. Charles Sinell); Roland Ackerson, b. about 1872 (m. Elizabeth -?-); John Ackerson, b. about 1875 (m. Bessie -?-); Milton (Mills) Ackerson, b. 1881 (m. Frances Mulray); and Lucy Ackerson, b. after 1880.

30 First Street

Roswell (?) House

Block 1709, Lot 2 (Old Block 17, Lot 12)

Built probably between 1861-1876.

Smith Roswell(?), ?-?.

Schmidheini, Miss Mayrose (1951-52 Woman's Evening Club Yearbook).

Kenny, Mayrose. Mrs. F. (1952-53 Woman's Evening Club Yearbook).

William J. Kenny (1965-66 Here's Allendale).

There is a house marked "S. Roswell" in approximately this location on the 1876 Walker's Atlas Map. Further research needs to be done on the history of this house.

The Bergen County Historic Sites Survey (1983) calls this the "Smith Roswell House, built 1861-1876." The Survey describes the house as residential, a vernacular Downingesque cottage. It has punched undulating vergeboard in south gablet and east-west gable ends. There are pointed attic windows in the gablet and gable ends. Alterations include replacement synthetic shingles, enclosed and glazed south porch, and a one-story addition at the north rear.

Smith Roswell was born on February 26, 1827 at La Grange in Dutchess County, New York. He died September 24, 1910 and was buried in the Union Cemetery, Waldwick. He married on July 3, 1853, Ellen McKinsey Bull, who had been born about 1836 and who died February 23, 1923. They had children: Sarah E. Roswell, b. abt. 1855 (m. Joseph Steele); Charles Smith Roswell, b. 1857 (m. Emma Langwith); Edgar L. Roswell, b. February 1, 1861, d. December 28, 1880; Ingham I. Roswell, b. December 7, 1862, d. December 4, 1887; William Roswell, b. abt. 1870, d. March 1954; and Eva M. Roswell, b. abt. 1876 (m. Rev. John R. Winans).

Smith Roswell came to Allendale about 1848 (with the railroad) and by June 1859 he had been appointed station agent at Allendale by the Erie Railroad. As early as 1859 he was running a general store in Allendale, and about 1857-58 he was appointed postmaster of Allendale at a salary of \$12 a year.

34 First Street
Roswell House
Block 1709, Lot 1 (Old Block 17, Lot 10)

Built probably 1890-1900.

Shown (not labelled) on the 1913 Bromley Atlas of Bergen County.

Raymond L. Roswell, ?-1922.

Benjamin Lloyd, 1922-?.

Bernsdorf, G. A. (1947-48 Bergen-Passaic Telephone Directory).

Bernsdorf, George A. (1971 Here's Allendale). Bernsdorf, D. B. and Laurie (1985-86 Here's Allendale).

The Bergen County Historic Sites Survey (1983) describes this house as a residential, vernacular Tri-Gabled Ell erected 1876-1913. Alterations include replacement exterior synthetic shingles, enclosed south porch and a east wraparound section.

(First Street extension?) (poss. Brookside Ave. address through access right of way?)

Ackerson-Guam House

Block 1706, Lot 9 (Old Block 15; later 5A)

Built about 1915 or earlier.

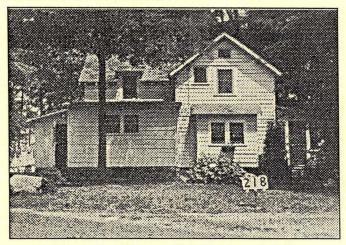
Early history of the house not known at this writing. Probably the house was in the Ackerson family.

Guam, Lorraine, by 1940-1944.

Ackerson, Milton, 1944-1954.

Guam, Lorraine, 1954-?.

In 1940 this house was described as a two story frame dwelling with extensions, a bay, and a sun porch. It had a clapboard exterior and a composition shingle roof and was built on a stone foundation. There were 5 rooms, including 2 bedrooms and there was one wood and plaster bath. At one point, probably in the 1940s, it was rented to Albert Lockwood.



Ackerson-Guam House, 1940 Tax Appraisal Photo

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1910 Federal Census Borough of Allendale

Transcribed by Pat Wardell

The following information was taken from a microfilm produced by the National Archives. For additional information on this cencus in general, refer to the introduction in the issue of February 1992, p. 3.

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(West Crescent Avenue)
Dwelling #60, Family #63

• Quackenbush, Cornelius H.; Head; M; W; age 50 yrs.; Widowed; b. New Jersey; his father b. New Jersey; his mother b. New Jersey; speaks English; Painter, House

• —, Ethel, Daughter; F; W; age 12 yrs.; b. New Jersey; her father b. New Jersey; her mother b. New

Jersey; speaks English

• —, Arthur H.; Son; M; W; age 9 yrs.; b. New Jersey; hisfather b. New Jersey; his mother b. New

Jersey; speaks English

• Strong, Gladys; Housekeeper; F; W; age 26 yrs.; Single; b. New York; her father b. New Jersey; her mother b. Connecticut; Speaks English; Housekeeper, Private

(Hillside Avenue)

Dwelling #61, Family #64

• Knack, Henry J.; Head; M; W; age 42 yrs.; Married (2) 6 yrs.; b. New York; his father b. Germany; his mother b. Germany; Speaks English; Contractor, Road Building

• —, Josephine F.; Wife; F; W; age 40 yrs.; Married (1) 6 yrs.; b. New York; her father b. Germany; her

mother b. Germany; Speaks English

• —, Lillian; Daughter, F; W; age 11 yrs.; b. New York; her father b. New York; her mother b. New York; Speaks English

• —, John; Son; M; W; age 9 yrs; b. New York; hisfather b. New York; his mother b. New York;

Speaks English

• —, Mabel; Daughter; F; W; age 7 yrs.; b. New York; her father b. New York; her mother b. New York;

Speaks English

• Kimmes, Iver; Servant/employee; F; W; age 21 yrs.; Married (1) 6/12 yrs.; b. New York; her father b. New York; her mother b. New York; Speaks English; Housekeeper, Private

• —, Rudolpp; Servant/employee; M; W; age 24 yrs.,; Married (1); b. New York; his father b. New York; his mother b. New York; Speaks English; Driver, Team

Dwelling #62; Family #65

• Sniffen, Charles W.; Head; M; W; age 52 yrs.; Married (1) 27 yrs.; b. New York; his father b. New York; his mother b. New York; Speaks English; [occupation illegible]

· —, Marie Louise; Wife; F; W; age 51 yrs.;

Married (1) 27 yrs.; mother of 4 children, 3 now living; b. New York; her father b. New York; her mother b. New York; Speaks English

• —, Frederick W.; Son; M; W; age 20 yrs.; Single; b. New York; his father b. New York; his mother b.

New York; Speaks English; Clerk [illegible]

• —, Charles E.; Son; M; W; age 18 yrs.; Single; b. New Jersey; his father b. New York; his mother b. New York; Speaks English; Clerk [illegible]

Dwelling #63; Family #66

Nidd, Edward I.; Head; M; W; age 52 yrs.; Married (1) 27 yrs.; b. England; his father b. England; his mother b. England; immigrated 1881; Naturalized; Speaks English; Superintendent, Farm

• —, Minnie [?]; Wife; F; W; age 49 yrs.; Married 27 yrs.; mother of 9 children, 8 now living; b. Ireland; her father b. Ireland; her mother b. Ireland; Speaks

English

• —, Edward; Son; M; W; age 24 yrs; Single; b. Canada; his father b. Egland; his mother b. Ireland; Speaks English; Chauffeur, Automobile

• —, Henry; Son; M; W; age 23 yrs.; Single; b. Canada; his father b. Egland; his mother b. Ireland;

Speaks English; Clerk, -?- Store

• —, Josephine; Daughter; F; W; age 21 yrs.; Single; b. Canada; her father b. England; her mother b. Ireland; Speaks English; Stenographer, Bank

• —, Carrie; Daughter; F; W; age 18 yrs.; Single; b. New York; her father b. England; her mother b. Ireland; Speaks English; Stenographer, [illegible]

• —, Charles; Son; M; W; age 17 yrs.; Single; b. New York; his father b. England; his mother b. Ireland; Speaks English

• —, Bertram; Son; M; W; age 14 yrs.; Single; b. Pennsylvania; his father b. England; his mother b. Ireland; Speaks English

• —, Beatrice; Daughter; F; W; age 12 yrs.; b. Pennsylvania; her father b. England; her mother b. Ireland; Speaks English

Dwelling #64, Family #67

• Winters, Garret H.; Head; M; W; age 43 yrs.; Married (1) 21 yrs.; b. New Jersey; his father b. New York; his mother b. New Jersey; Speaks English; [?Carpenter, House?]

• —, Mary E.; Wife; F; W; age 47 yrs.; Married (1) 31 yrs.; mother of 2 children, 2 now living; b. New Jersey; her father b. New Jersey; her mother b. New

Jersey; Speaks English

• —, Charles D.; Son; M; W; age 20 yrs.; Single; b./ New Jersey; his father b. New Jersey; his mother b. New Jersey; Speaks English; [occupation illegible]

• —, John L.; Son; M; W; age 8 yrs.; b. New Jersey; his father b. New Jersey; his mother b. New Jersey; Speaks English

Dwelling #65, Family #68

• Brown, Joseph S.; Head; M; W; age 26 yrs.; Married (1) 3 yrs.; b. Pennsylvania; his father b.

Pennsylvania; his mother b. Pennsylvania; Speaks English; Electrician, Auto

• —, Edith H.; Wife; F; W; age 30 yrs.; Married (1) 3 yrs.; b. New Jersey; her father b. New Jersey; her mother b. New Jersey; Speaks English

Dwelling #66, Family #69

• Belinsky, Leonard; Head; M; W; age 40 yrs.; Married (1) 12 yrs.; b. New York; his father b. Russia; his mother b. New York; Speaks English; Clerk, Paper Company

• —, Mary Grace; Wife; F; W; age 35 yrs.; Married (1) 12 yrs.; mother of 3 children, 3 now living; b. New York; her father b. Ireland; her mother b. Pennsylvania;

Speaks English

• —, Paul; Son; M; W; age 11 yrs.; b. New York; his father b. New York; his mother b. New York; Speaks English

Speaks English

• —, Helen; Daughter; F; W; age 10 yrs.; b. New York; her father b. New York; her mother b. New York; Speaks English

• —, Addison; Son; M; W; age 8 yrs.; b. New York; his father b. New York; his mother b. New York; Speaks English

Dwelling # 67; Family #70

• Christopher, John W.; Head; M; W; age 55 yrs.; Married (1) 20 yrs.; b. New Jersey; his father b. New Jersey; his mother b. New Jersey; Speaks English; Carpenter, House

• —, Eliza L., Wife; F; W; age 51 yrs.; Married (1) 20 yrs.;, b. New Jersey; her father b. New Jersey; her

mother b. New Jersey; Speaks English

Dwelling #68; Family #71

• Schilling, William; Head; M; W; age 32 yrs.; Married (1) 5 yrs.; b. New York; his father b. Pennsylvania; his mother b. New York; Speaks English; Broker, Stock

• —, Jean; Wife; F; W; age 26 yrs.; Married (1) 5 yrs.; Mother of 2 children, 2 now living; b. Colorado; her father b. England; her mother b. New York; Speaks English

• —, Girard; Son; M; W; age 4 yrs.; b. New Jersey; his father b. New York; his mother b. Colorado; Speaks

English

• —, Florence; Daughter; F; W; age 4/12 yrs.; b. New York; her father b. New York; her mother b. Colorado

• —, Mary Eliza; Mother; F; W; age 55 yrs.; Widow; b. New York; her father b. Wisconsin; her mother b. New York; Speaks English

Dwelling #69; Family #72

• Thomas, George; Head; M; W; age [40?] yrs.; Married (1) 18 yrs.; b. New Jersey; his father b. New Jersey; his mother b. New Jersey; Speaks English; Painter, House

• —, Alice; [Wife?]; F; W; age 42 yrs.; Married (1)

18 yrs.; Mother of 1 child, 1 now living; b. England; her father b. England; her mother b. England; Speaks English

• —, Ellsworth; Son; M; W; age [10?] yrs.; b. New Jersey; his father b. New Jersey; his mother b.

England; Speaks English

• Storms, Margarett; Mother; F; W; age 62 yrs.; Widow; Mother of 1 child, 1 now living; b. New Jersey; her father b. New Jersey; her mother b. New Jersey; Speaks English

Dwelling #70; Family #73

• Vine, Alfred; M; W; age 28 yrs.; Married (1) 5 yrs.; b. West Indies; his father b. West Indies; his mother b. West Indies; immigrated 1903; Speaks English; Carpenter, [illegible]

• —, Ethel; Wife; F; W; age 22 yrs.; Married (1) 5 yrs.; Mother of 3 children, 3 now living; b. West Indies; her father b. West Indies; her mother b. West

Indies; Speaks English

• —, Dorothy; Daughter; F; W; age 3 yrs.; b. New Jersey; her father b. West Indies; her mother b. West Indies; Speaks English

Indies; Speaks English

• —, Mabel; Daughter; F; W; age 2 yrs.; b. New Jersey; her father b. West Indies; her mother b. West Indies

•—, Winnifred; Daughter; F; W; age 3/12 yrs.; b. New Jersey; her father b. West Indies; her mother b. West Indies

Dwelling #70 (with Vine family, listed above); Family #74

- Couter, Sarah; Head; F; W; age 63 yrs.; Widow; [Mother of 7 children, 7 now living (this information actually appears on the line of her son, George, but in view of his age & marital status, the information must apply to Sarah)]; b. New Jersey; her father b. New Jersey; her mother b. New Jersey; Speaks English; Occupation—None
- —, George; Son; M; W; age 27 yrs; Single; b. New Jersey; his father b. New Jersey; his mother b. New Jersey; Speaks English; Painter, House

Dwelling #71, Family #75

• Van Blarcom, Daniel; Head; M; W; age 52 yrs.; Married (1) 29 yrs.; b. New Jersey; his father b. New Jersey; his mother b. New Jersey; Speaks English; Farmer

• —, Marie Jane; Wife; F; W; age 47 yrs.; Married (1) 29 yrs.; b. New Jersey; her father b. New Jersey; her mother b. New Jersey; Speaks English

• Smith, Rosie M.; Sister in Law; F; W; age 41; Single; b. New Jersey; her father b. New Jersey; her mother b. New Jersey; Speaks English; [?Seamstress, Family?]

Dwelling #72; Family #76

• Christopher, Elizabeth; Head; F; W; age 75 yrs.; (Continued on page 8)

(1910 Federal Census, continued from page 7)

Widow; b. New Jersey; her father b. New Jersey; her mother b. New Jersey; Speaks English

• —, Catharine; Daughter; F; W; age [48?] yrs.; Single; b. New Jersey; her father b. New Jersey; her mother b. New Jersey; Speaks English; [?Housekeeper, Family?]

• —, Louise; Daughter; F; W; age 40 yrs.; b. New Jersey; her father b. New Jersey; her mother b. New Jersey; Speaks English

Dwelling #73, Family #77

• Gousset, Cyprian; Head; M; W; age 68 yrs.; Widowed; b. France; his father b. France; his mother b. France; Immigrated 1852; Naturalized; Speaks English; Own Income

• Elliot, Madeline; Servant; F; W; age 19 yrs.; Single; b. Switzerland; her father b. Switzerland; her mother b. Switzerland; Immigrated 1906; Speaks French; Waitress, Family

• [Cargueln?], Emily; Servant; F; W; age 33 yrs.; Single; b. France; her father b. France; her mother b. France; Immigrated 1906; Speaks French; Cook, Family

(1910 Federal Census to be continued next issue)

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