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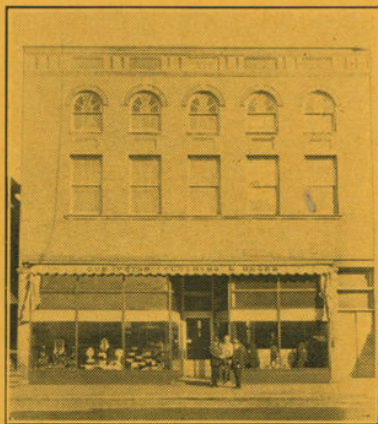
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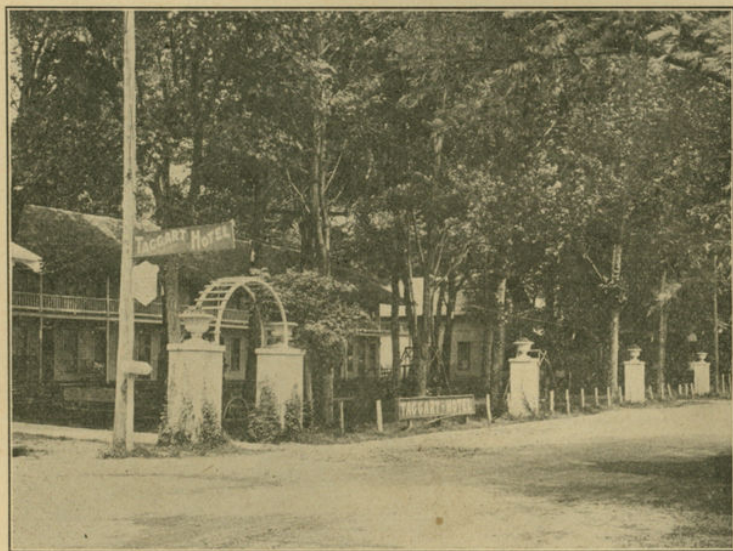
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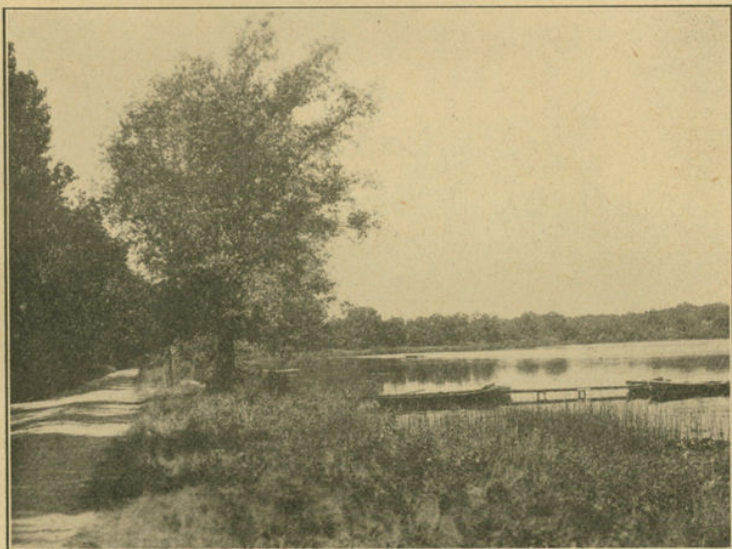
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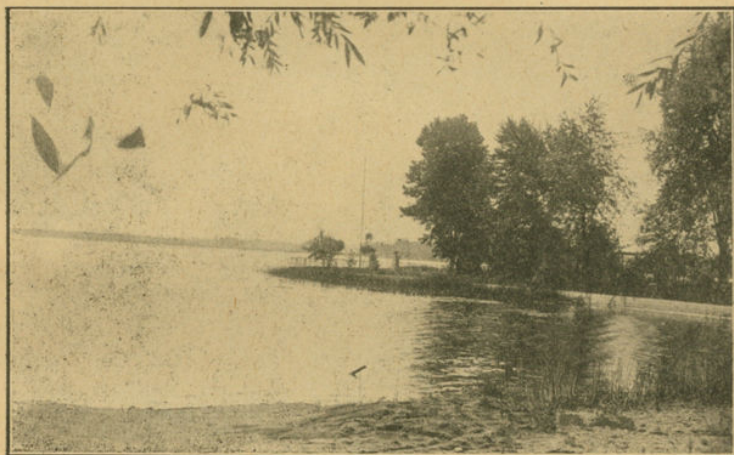
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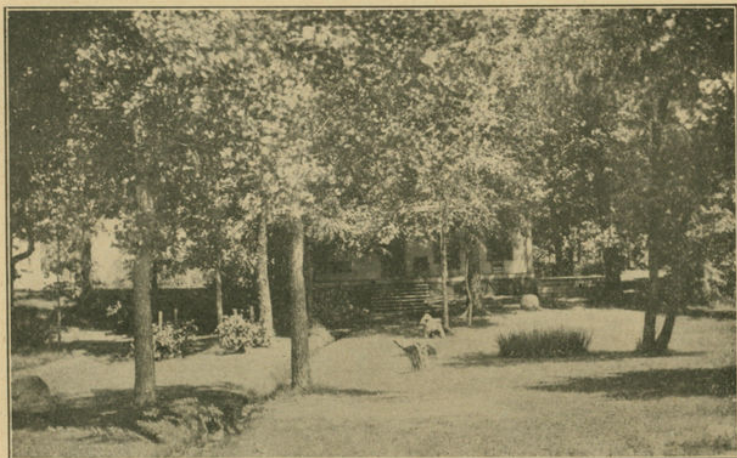
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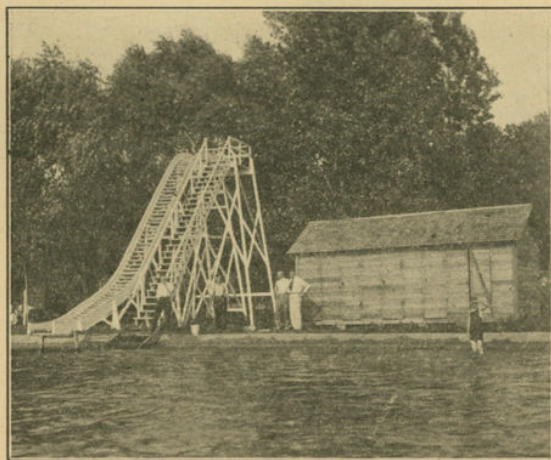
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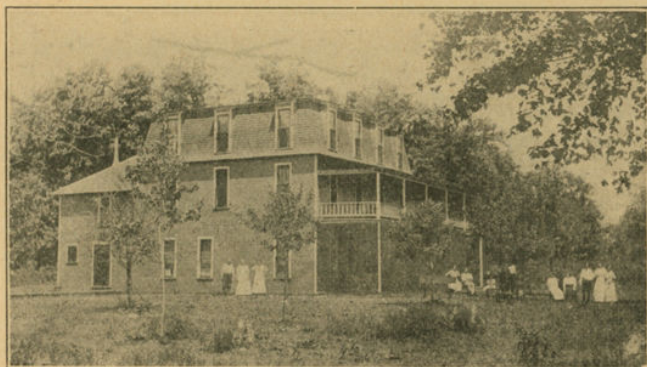
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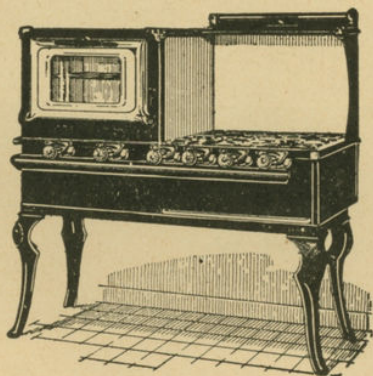
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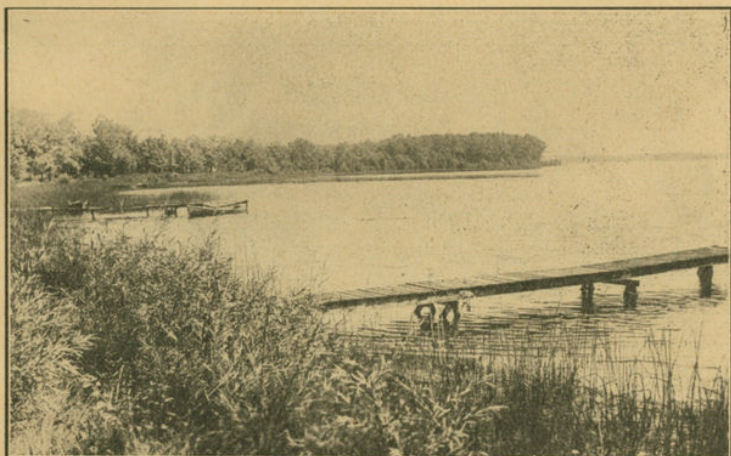
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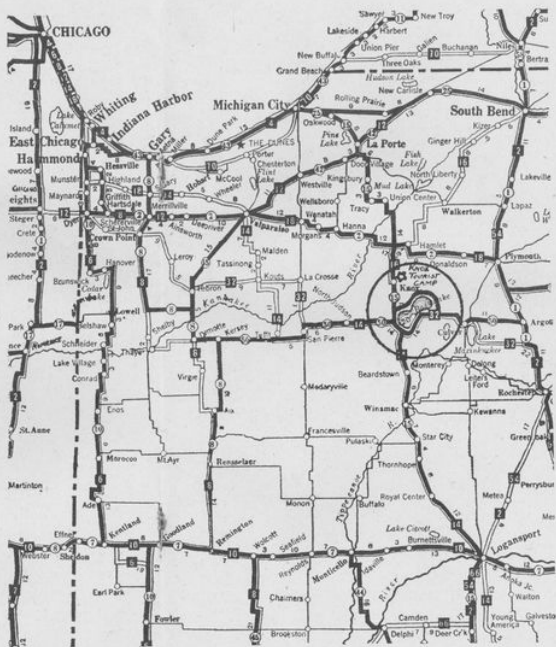
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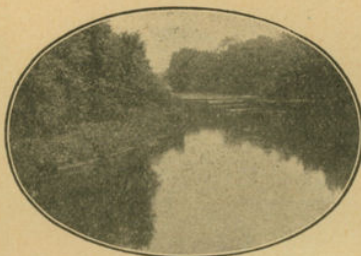
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STARKE is one of the newest counties in Indiana. The first settler, Edward Smith, an Englishman, came in 1835, before the land was subject to entry. Jacob Tillman opened the first store on the banks of Yellow River in 1851. The first school was built in 1852. The United Brethren erected the first church in 1853, the Methodists followed with a church in Knox in 1856. The first doctors: Solomon Ward, Baldwin and Humphreys, the latter settling in Knox in 1851. Judge Willoughby McCormick, the first lawyer, came to Knox in 1852. Tipton Lindsey, the first white child born in Starke county, arrived in 1836. The first marriage license, issued to James Cannon and Nancy Lane, was issued October 20, 1850. The first white man buried was Thos. Robb, who was frozen to death while hunting, and buried in a canoe which was used for a coffin. In 1850 there were not more than twenty families in Starke County.

Starke County was attached to Marshall until 1850, when it was organized by act of the legislature. The backward condition of the county was due to the fact that the larger area of rich bottom land was covered with water. This prevailed until 1894, when the first dredge ditch was constructed. This redeemed a large area of rich sandy loam, clay and mixed soils, well adapted to farming,, small fruit mint, onions and truck. Now the whole county has been redeemed, and bids fair to become one of the richest "Garden Spots" for the greatest industrial center in the world. Thrifty investors will do well to examine its soil fertility.



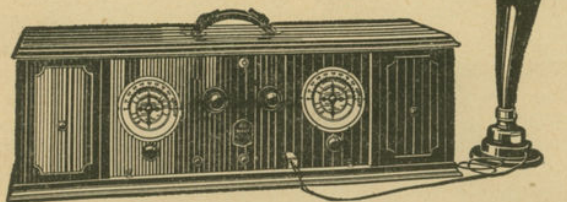
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He drew a circle that shut me out,
Alien, heretic, a thing to flout;
But love and I had the wit to win,
We drew a circle that took him in.

—Edwin Markham.

In a little town in Nova Scotia are two churches, situated in the two divisions of the village locally designated as the "North End" and "South End." At a Sunday morning service the officiating clergyman read the following notice:

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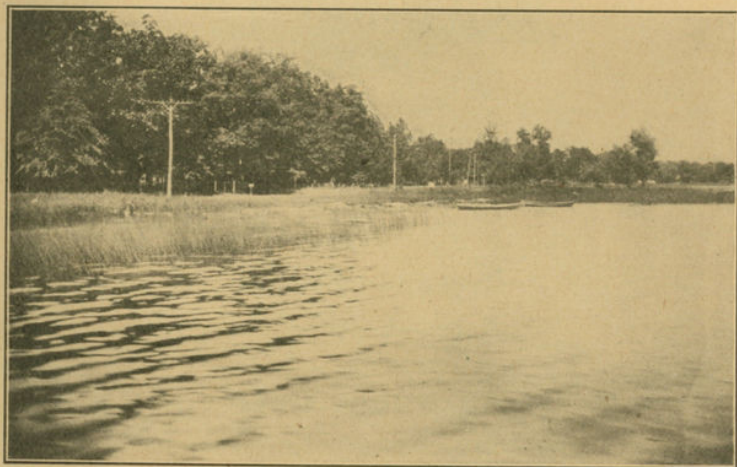
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A goat, with a paper tag on its neck, to show its destination, was brought to a Louisville express office by a darky, to be shipped. On its route the animal ate a part of the tag. "Where is the goat to go?" inquired the express clerk. The darky examined the half-devoured tag, and answered, "De goat doesn't know himself; he's done eat up de town."

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Sincerely,

Phone 4

Dr. D. O. White

Knox, Indiana, April 4, 1925

To Charles H. Leeson, Knox, Ind.

Dear Sir:

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