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FLAT ROCK, INDIANA HISTORY, 1824–1973

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HISTORICAL SKETCH

Located on the Flat Rock River in Shelby County, Flat Rock Village was found by Thomas Woolley in 1855. The town was originally named "Woolley Station," but soon after was changed to Flat Rock Village.

Sources:

Flat Rock History. Collected by Cecile Montgomery. Indiana Historical Society. 1980.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The collection contains two typed historical summaries on history and events in Flat Rock, Indiana. The first summary titled "Early days—Flat Rock, Indiana," was researched by Albert W. Porter. This summary is sixteen pages in length and covers the period from 1824 to 1973.

The second one titled "Dances," is a three page list of the dances and baseball schedules for Porter's Camp from 1922 to 1928 and is from a business ledger kept by Walter L. Porter in the 1920s.

According to the historical summary Porter's Camp was the site of a large dance pavilion and baseball games in Flat Rock.

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