

The First Purchasers of Land in Superior Township  
Washtenaw County, Michigan  
Land Patent Holders

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Introduction

The land in Town 2 South, Range 7 East, Territory of Michigan, was offered for sale by the Federal Government the first Monday of July 1820. The first purchase in what became Superior Township was made by Robert Fleming September 30, 1823 and by 1835 most of the land had been sold, all at the Detroit Land Office of the Federal Government, except for section 16. All the land sold by the Federal Government sold for \$1.25 per acre. The land in section 16, the money from the sale of which was to be retained by the State to further education, was sold for \$8.00 per acre by the State of Michigan during the 1830's and 40's.

This list of the original land owners in Superior Township, the receivers of land patents from the federal government, has been derived from several sources and is the result of the best interpretation of these sources. The primary source is an index of purchasers of federal lands in Michigan prepared in 1894 (the 1894 index) "from earlier records" by the

Federal General Land Office. The 1894 index was used because it appears to be the most accurate of the sources consulted. This book is presently maintained at the Bentley Historical Library in Ann Arbor. A similar index was prepared about 1870 (the 1870 index) for the State of Michigan Treasury Department. This index is at the State Archives in Lansing. It was this 1870 index that Paul Peck used as the bases for his book Landsmen of Washtenaw County, an index of land patent holders of Washtenaw County prepared by Paul Peck in 1986. Also included is the list of first purchasers in Superior Township in the 1881 History of Washtenaw County by the Charles Chapman Company, and the related list by John Geddes which follows in the Chapman book (see Chapman book, pages 1063-1066), and a map of first purchasers of Superior Township lands prepared by John Geddes about 1880. The list of buyers in section 16 comes from Michigan State Archives.

None of the materials I have consulted are original documents and, as expected, there are discrepancies between the various sources. All discrepancies are noted in order to identify possible errors in the primary source (the 1894 index), and to identify conflicting data from other sources. The following schedule for the discrepancy source is used.

- <sup>1870</sup> 1870 index
- <sup>1894</sup> 1894 index
- P Landsmen of Washtenaw County by Paul Peck
- C History of Washtenaw County by Charles Chapman Co
- G Remarks by Robert Geddes in Chapman
- GM Geddes map
- E Information from the Bureau of Land Management Web Site

All information not from the primary source 1894 index which is at odds with the primary source, has a superscript letter or number as shown above. Sources that agree with the 1894 index are not indicated and in those cases where the 1894 index appears to be incorrect other sources are substituted. There is no assurance that the 1894 index is any more correct than any of the other sources used and none of the indexes consulted should be considered deficient. The 1894 index lacks some land patent issue dates and these were secured from the BLM web site.

Shown is the name of the original purchaser, the section number and the land description, the amount of acreage involved, the date of purchase and the date that the Land Patent was issued, and other pertinent information. On some occasions two or more parcels were included in a single land sale. These sales are separated so that each parcel has an individual entry. On those occasions when the land patent was assigned to a second party, both individuals are listed in the index. Claimed residence as shown on the Land Patent Certificate has not been included in this index but is available in the indexes cited or from the Bureau of Land Management web site.

A number of the first purchasers of land in Superior Township were land speculators having no intention of settling on the land themselves. In this research I have identified

Robert Fleming, Joseph Moss, and Benjamin Kerchival as being in that category. Doubtless there are others.

It should be noted that in many of these indexes the date of sale is referred to as the patent date. The date which appears on patent certificates, is the patent issue date. The land patent certificate does not contain the actual purchase date. The delay in the issuance of a land patent certificate after the date of sale varied from several months to over a year in length, the interval growing longer as the number of land sales increased in the early 1830's.

The Bureau of Land Management web site states that land patents were signed by the President of the United States prior to March 2, 1833, but as of that date the land patents were signed by designated officials.

This exercise was designed to determine with reasonable accuracy the initial land sales in Superior Township, which has been accomplished. No effort has been made to obtain information from the National Archives and Record Administration which may be able to provide information from original documents. Copies of Land Patents held by the U.S Government are on microfilm and available at the Library of Michigan in Lansing. This microfilm information was not reviewed in connection with this paper.

The name sequence is based on the Peck book because that source is the most readily available to researchers.

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Superior Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan - Town 2 South, Range 7 East  
List of first purchasers of federal lands, sequenced by date of sale

Date Code	Sale Date	Name	Section#, Description	Acres
18230930	September 30, 1823	Fleming, Robert	31 NW1/4 - NW 1/4	44.75
18240514	May 14, 1824	Every, Abraham	34 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18240517	May 17, 1824	Brown, John	33 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18240517	May 17, 1824	Sines, Isaac	34 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18240519	May 19, 1824	Sarles, George	27 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18240519	May 19, 1824	Sines, Phillip	33 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18240520	May 20, 1824	Dix, John	18 NE 1/4	137.06
18240520	May 20, 1824	Dix, John	18 NW 1/4	137.06
18240520	May 20, 1824	Dix, John	18 W1/2 - SE 1/4	69.20
18240520	May 20, 1824	Dix, John	18 E1/2 - SW1/4	69.20
18240616	June 16, 1824	Camp, Eden	27 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18240617	June 17, 1824	Pullin, James	30 W1/2 - SW 1/4	70.44
18240618	June 18, 1824	Eddy, William	34 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18240618	June 18, 1824	Eddy, William	34 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18240629	June 29, 1824	Sackrider, Joseph L.	30 E1/2 - SW 1/4	63.67
18240629	June 29, 1824	Sackrider, Joseph L.	30 W1/2 - SE 1/4	63.68
18240906	September 6, 1824	Phillips, John	32 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18240907	September 7, 1824	Dexter, Samuel W.	30 S fraction SE 1/4	24.95
18240927	September 27, 1824	Thomas, Isaac	7 E1/2 - SW 1/4	56.60
18240927	September 27, 1824	Thomas, Isaac	7 SE 1/4	160
18240928	September 28, 1824	Dix, John	7 W1/2 - SW 1/4	56.60
18240929	September 29, 1824	Christie, Hugh	31 N fraction NE 1/4	67.25
18241001	October 1, 1824	Arneigh, Laurence	27 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18241006	October 6, 1824	Wellman, Joel	8 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18241006	October 6, 1824	Wellman, Joel	9 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18241006	October 6, 1824	Wellman, Joel	17 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18241009	October 9, 1824	Phillips, John	32 NE 1/4	160
18250414	April 14, 1825	Pine, Benjamin	36 NW 1/4	160
18250422	April 22, 1825	Wensey, Henry	26 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18250425	April 25, 1825	Mead, Ezra	25 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18250425	April 25, 1825	Mead, Ezra	26 SE 1/4	160
18250426	April 26, 1825	Kimmel, Henry	23 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18250502	May 2, 1825	Burlingame, Henry	31 E fraction SE 1/4	44.37
18250504	May 4, 1825	Bowers, Joseph	17 NW 1/4	160
18250517	May 17, 1825	Thayer, John G.	28 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18250518	May 18, 1825	Burlingame, Henry	32 W1/2 - SW 1/4	75.75

18250519	May 19, 1825	Garrison, John	26 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18250519	May 19, 1825	Geddes, Robert	31 SE1/4 - NW 1/4	72.06
18250519	May 19, 1825	Geddes, Robert	31 SW 1/4	160
18250523	May 23, 1825	Burlingame, Henry	32 E1/2 - SW 1/4	78.84
18250525	May 25, 1825	Case, Anthony	28 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18250525	May 25, 1825	Thayer, John G.	33 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18250526	May 26, 1825	Sanford, John A.	35 NE 1/4	160
18250601	June 1, 1825	Baker, Elias	33 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18250613	June 13, 1825	Hamilton, Thomas Jr.	1 W1/2 - NE 1/4	79.38
18250613	June 13, 1825	Moss, Joseph	27 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18250613	June 13, 1825	Moss, Joseph	34 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18250617	June 17, 1825	Henshaw, William	27 NE 1/4	160
18250623	June 23, 1825	Pray, Esek	9 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18250623	June 23, 1825	Camp, Ira	28 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18250624	June 24, 1825	Dusett, Ira	32 W1/2 - SE 1/4	78.91
18250629	June 29, 1825	Case, Anthony	33 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18250701	July 1, 1825	Sines, Abigail	26 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18250705	July 5, 1825	Pray, Esek	8 SW 1/4	160
18250728	July 28, 1825	Pray, Esek	8 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18250728	July 28, 1825	Kimmel, Henry	22 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18250728	July 28, 1825	Kimmel, Henry	23 SW 1/4	160
18250728	July 28, 1825	Kimmel, Henry	23 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18250803	August 3, 1825	Chumard, Betsey	2 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18250806	August 6, 1825	Sines, Rachael	34 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18250816	August 16, 1825	McCormick, Abraham	8 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18250816	August 16, 1825	Kimmel, Henry	22 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18250816	August 16, 1825	Kimmel, Henry	26 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18250909	September 9, 1825	Root, Augustus	2 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18250919	September 19, 1825	Kimmel, Henry	22 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18251004	October 4, 1825	Phillips, Jere	33 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18251005	October 5, 1825	Driscoll, Joshua G.	11 N 1/2	320
18251029	October 29, 1825	Reeve, Phillip H.	1 SW 1/4	160
18251124	November 24, 1825	Pray, Ezeck	3 E1/2 - NE 1/4	76.36
18251124	November 24, 1825	Pray, Ezeck	3 E1/2 - SE 1/4	76.37
18251128	November 28, 1825	Witherell, James	33 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18251130	November 30, 1825	Reeve, Phillip H.	1 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18251212	December 12, 1825	Farrand, John S.	1 E 1/2 - NE 1/4	79.38
18260128	January 28, 1826	Kimmel, Henry	23 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18260403	April 3, 1826	Brewer, John	12 SW 1/4	160
18260403	April 3, 1826	Robinson, Hiram	13 NW 1/4	160
18260417	April 17, 1826	Norris, Walter	1 NW 1/4	150.28
18260518	May 18, 1826	Wheelock, Silas	3 W1/2 - NW 1/4	71.03

18260518	May 18, 1826	Wheelock, Silas	3 SW 1/4	160
18260518	May 18, 1826	Wheelock, Robert T.	4 SE 1/4	160
18260518	May 18, 1826	Rogers, Edward L.	20 S 1/2	320
18260518	May 18, 1826	Richards, Daniel Jr.	21 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18260518	May 18, 1826	Huestis, Jonathan	28 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18260518	May 18, 1826	Huestis, Jonathan	28 NW 1/4	160
18260518	May 18, 1826	Huestis, Jonathan	29 NE 1/4	160
18260522	May 22, 1826	Payne Lemuel	2 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18260522	May 22, 1826	Tooker, Hiran H.	14 NE 1/4	160
18260523	May 23, 1826	Morton, Thomas	34 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18260523	May 23, 1826	Morton, Jonathan G.	34 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18260525	May 25, 1826	Osgood, Leonard W.	19 NW 1/4	125.52
18260529	May 29, 1826	Hix, Burden	9 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18260529	May 29, 1826	Hiscock, Isaac	32 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18260605	June 5, 1826	Page, Rufus	2 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18260609	June 9, 1826	Dickerson, John	31 S fraction NE 1/4	----- Totals 172.61
18260609	June 9, 1826	Dickerson, John	31 W fraction SE 1/4	-----
18260612	June 12, 1826	Beers, Harvey	11 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18260614	June 14, 1826	Stacy, Ebenezer	13 SW 1/4	160
18260614	June 14, 1826	Bartlett, John	14 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18260617	June 17, 1826	Phelps, Justin	9 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18260701	July 1, 1826	Kimmel, Henry	23 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18260701	July 1, 1826	Swarthout, Anthony R.	28 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18260701	July 1, 1826	Swick, Andrew	29 NW 1/4	160
18260701	July 1, 1826	Swarthout, Anthony R.	29 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18260701	July 1, 1826	Swarthout, Anthony R.	29 SE 1/4	160
18260703	July 3, 1826	Pray, Esek	3 W 1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18260704	July 4, 1826	Phelps, Gaylord	10 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18260707	July 7, 1826	Murray, Archibald G.	1 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18260707	July 7, 1826	Murray, Archibald G.	12 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18260723	July 23, 1826	Rogers, Edward L.	19 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18260802	August 2, 1826	Cummings, Nathaniel Jr.	18 W1/2 - SW 1/4	58.40
18260808	August 8, 1826	Wilcox, Theron	13 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18260808	August 8, 1826	Newell, Nathan	13 SE 1/4	160
18260825	August 25, 1826	Tafft <sup>A,C,GM</sup> , Job W.	12 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18260921	September 21, 1826	Barr, Robert	14 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18261006	October 6, 1826	Speer, Moor	24 N 1/2	320
18261025	October 25, 1826	Parkhurst, Abel B.	11 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18261027	October 27, 1826	Karr <sup>A</sup> , James	35 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18261118	November 18, 1826	Curtis, John	24 SW 1/4	160
18261212	December 12, 1826	Goodell, Jotham	36 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18270101	January 1, 1827	Benedict, James	25 NE 1/4	160
18270101	January 1, 1827	Kimmel, Henry	25 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18270219	February 19, 1827	Woodin, Peter	12 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18270326	March 26, 1827	Rice, Ira	13 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80

18270328	March 28, 1827	Kimmel, Henry	14 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18270411	April 11, 1827	Fowler, Joseph	36 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18270519	May 19, 1827	Speer, Moor	24 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18270528	May 28, 1827	Wickoff, Joseph	5 N 1/2	250.40
18270531	May 31, 1827	Lyon, Lucius	30 E fraction SE 1/4	53.35
18270601	June 1, 1827	Hull, Samuel T.	6 E1/2 - NE 1/4	76.48
18270602	June 2, 1827	Hawkins, Olney	9 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18270602	June 2, 1827	Phelps, Justin	10 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18270605	June 5, 1827	Scotfield, Orin	11 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18270607	June 7, 1827	Howard, Alexander	7 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18270607	June 7, 1827	Howard, Alexander	8 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18270611	June 11, 1827	Thomas, Daniel	6 W1/2 - NE 1/4	59.03
18270611	June 11, 1827	Thomas, Daniel	6 E1/2 - NW 1/4	59.03
18270616	June 16, 1827	Camp, Ira	21 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18270616	June 16, 1827	Bowen, Zolva	22 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18270618	June 18, 1827	Champion, Salmon Jr.	33 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18270626	June 26, 1827	Bowen, Ann	21 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18270626	June 26, 1827	Bowen, Ann	21 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18270627	June 27, 1827	Douglass, Aaron	8 NE 1/4	160
18270705	July 5, 1827	Otis, Daniel G.	25 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18270710	July 10, 1827	Gale, Roger	15 NE 1/4	160
18270710	July 10, 1827	Gale, Roger	15 NW 1/4	160
18270710	July 10, 1827	Gale, Roger	15 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18270710	July 10, 1827	Gale, Roger	15 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18270714	July 14, 1827	Swarthout, Anthony	21 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18270726	July 26, 1827	Bowen, Zolva	15 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18270727	July 27, 1827	Douglass, Aaron	4 W 1/2	303.24
18270802	August 2, 1827	Root, Roswell	14 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18270926	September 26, 1827	Kellogg, Charles H.	23 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18270926	September 26, 1827	Kimmel, Henry	23 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18270926	September 26, 1827	Kimmel, Henry	26 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18271020	October 20, 1827	Dusett, Alanson	30 E1/2 - NW 1/4	72.76
18271101	November 1, 1827	Hiscock, Alanson	29 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18280223	February 23, 1828	Hiscock, William	30 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18280416	April 16, 1828	Rice, Ira	12 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18280423	April 23, 1828	Witherell, James	10 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18280509	May 9, 1828	Jayne, William	10 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18280521	May 21, 1828	Bentley, John	10 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18280529	May 29, 1828	Robens, Moses	11 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18280530	May 30, 1828	Osgood, Leonard W.	19 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18280623	June 23, 1828	Larawa, Jacob	12 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18281205	December 5, 1828	Pray, Esek	3 E1/2 - NW 1/4	71.04
18281213	December 13, 1828	Fowler, David	36 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18281213	December 13, 1828	Fowler, David	36 SE 1/4	160
18290224	February 24, 1829	Eddy, William	28 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80

18290528	May 28, 1829	Seeley, Gershom	24 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18290611	June 11, 1829	Eddy, John H.	35 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18290706	July 6, 1829	Curtis, Moses S.	10 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18290713	July 13, 1829	McCormick, George	9 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18290723	July 23, 1829	McCormick, George	17 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18290811	August 11, 1829	McCormick, Abraham	2 W1/2 - NW 1/4	75.65
18290918	September 18, 1829	Havens, Champlin	6 W1/2 - NW 1/4	47.58
18291002	October 2, 1829	Bouck, Adam	12 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18300518	May 18, 1830	Moore, David	30 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18300518	May 18, 1830	Rash, George	30 W1/2 - NW 1/4	72.76
18300519	May 19, 1830	Hastings, Eurotas P	35 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18300522	May 22, 1830	Merrill, Ira & Harry	35 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18300525	May 25, 1830	Thompson, Lewis	35 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18300525	May 25, 1830	Merrill, Ira	35 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18300525	May 25, 1830	Merrill, Ira	35 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18300525	May 25, 1830	Pratt, Ashley	35 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18300716	July 16, 1830	Patterson, Jacob	2 E1/2 - NE 1/4	74.17
18301008	October 8, 1830	Sweeting, Almon A.	36 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18301014	October 14, 1830	Baker, Elias	32 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18301020	October 20, 1830	Smith, John N.	25 NW 1/4	160
18301021	October 21, 1830	Ferguson, Robert	26 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18301029	October 29, 1830	Pray, Nathan H.	3 W1/2 - NE 1/4	72.24
18301215	December 15, 1830	Kimmel, Henry	22 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18310516	May 16, 1831	Chase, Alanson	2 W1/2 - NE 1/4	74.18
18310527	May 27, 1831	Durfee, Edward	9 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18310527	May 27, 1831	Payne, Arnold	10 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18310530	May 30, 1831	Pierce, Orzamus	17 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18310530	May 30, 1831	Olds, Hezakiah	17 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18310531	May 31, 1831	Wells, William	7 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18310601	June 1, 1831	King, Jacob W.	19 W1/4 - NE 1/4	80
18310606	June 6, 1831	Shaughniss, John	7 NW 1/4	112.80
18310614	June 14, 1831	Pettibone, Zalmon	19 E1/2 - SW 1/4	70.18
18310614	June 14, 1831	Fall, William T.	19 W1/2 - SW 1/4	70.18
18310615	June 15, 1831	Moon, Noel	27 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18310616	June 16, 1831	Shores, Jonathan Jr.	6 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18310616	June 16, 1831	Voorhees, George	6 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18310627	June 27, 1831	Crippen, Ichabod	20 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80
18310627	June 27, 1831	Crippen, Ichabod	20 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18310628	June 28, 1831	Cole, Peter	14 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18310628	June 28, 1831	Cole, Peter	15 E 1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18310629	June 29, 1831	Forsyth, James J.	19 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18310701	July 1, 1831	Mulholland, James & John	18 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18310707	July 7, 1831	Root, Augustus	2 E1/2 - NW 1/4	75.65
18310722	July 22, 1831	Delano, Ephraim B.	10 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18310803	August 3, 1831	Cook, Bennett	17 SW 1/4	160
18310831	August 31, 1831	Porter, Augustus S.	5 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80



18310913	September 13, 1831	Dowdel, John	5 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18310913	September 13, 1831	Gage, Simeon	21 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18310928	September 28, 1831	Dyer, Daniel	21 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18311004	October 4, 1831	Hammond, Dennis	4 E1/2 - NE 1/4	72.55
18311007	October 7, 1831	Holden, Samuel C.	27 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18320207	February 7, 1832	Sweeting, Almon, A.	25 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18320331	March 31, 1832	Shaughness, John S.	6 E1/2 -SW 1/4	55.16
18320524	May 24, 1832	Doyle, John	5 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18320601	June 1, 1832	Howe, Joseph I.	6 W1/2 - SW 1/4	55.16
18321126	November 26, 1832	Mulholland, James	20 SW1/4 - NW 1/4	40
18321224	December 24, 1832	Pettibone, Lyman	20 SE1/4 - NE 1/4	40
18321229	December 29, 1832	Cowen, Peter	5 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18330109	January 9, 1833	Cole, Peter	22 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80
18330201	February 1, 1833	Green, Orange	4 NW 1/4 - NE 1/4	36.28
18330413	April 13, 1833	Graham, William Jr.	20 NW1/4 - NW 1/4	40
18331026	October 26, 1833	Karr, Alexander R.	22 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80

1834 - No Sales recorded. Probably attributable to the fact that only 280 acres of government land was available by that time. The 640 acres of section 16 were not placed on sale until 1838. The land in section 16 was under State of Michigan authority when sold.

18350706	July 6, 1835	Jennings, Burr	20 NE1/4 - NE 1/4	40
18350725	July 25, 1835	Lane, Marcus	21 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80
18350725	July 25, 1835	Murray, James B.	22 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80
18350826	August 26, 1835	Whitney, Curtis R.	14 W1/4 - NW 1/4	40
18360322	March 22, 1836	Bedell, Gilbert C.	4 SW 1/4 - NE 1/4	36.28
18361123	November 23, 1836	Kerchival, Benjamin B.	32 SW fraction	0.78
18381108	November 8, 1838	Crippen, Daniel	16 SW1/4 - SE 1/4	40
18381205	December 5, 1838	Joslin, Carlos	16 SW1/4 - SW 1/4	40
18381205	December 5, 1838	Joslin, Harry	16 SE1/4 - SW 1/4	40
18390308	March 8, 1839	Joslin, Carlos	16 NW1/4 - SW 1/4	40
18410810	August 10, 1841	Hoff, John	16 SE1/4 - SE 1/4	40
18411001	October 1, 1841	Duris, John	16 SE 1/4 - NE 1/4	40
18411002	October 2, 1841	Townsend, George W.	16 NE1/4 - NW 1/4	40
18411002	October 2, 1841	Andrews, Thomas K. Jr.	16 SE1/4 - NW 1/4	40
18411012	October 12, 1841	Townsend, Andrew S.	16 SW1/4 - NE 1/4	40
18411026	October 26, 1841	Duris, John	16 NE1/4 - NE 1/4	40
18411108	November 8, 1841	McCabe, Michael	16 NW1/4 - SE 1/4	40
18411123	November 23, 1841	Duris, James	16 NE1/4 - SW 1/4	40

18420204	February 4, 1842	McDonald, Daniel	16 NW1/4 - NW 1/4	40
18470421	April 21, 1847	Mahar, Dennis	16 SW1/4 - NW 1/4	40
18470902	September 2, 1847	Whitney, Curtis R.	14 SW1/4 - NW 1/4	40
18480810	August 10, 1848	Wilbur, Amos	16 NE1/4 - SE 1/4	40
18481025	October 25, 1848	Townsend, George W.	16 NW1/4 - NE 1/4	40

Superior Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan - Town 2 South, Range 7 East  
List of first purchasers of federal lands, sequenced by section numbers

Name	Section#, Description	Acres	Sale Date	Patent Issue Date	Comments
Farrand, John S.	1 E 1/2 - NE 1/4	79.38	December 12, 1825	April 1, 1826	Farrend <sup>P</sup>
Hamilton, Thomas Jr.	1 W1/2 - NE 1/4	79.38	June 13, 1825	February 1, 1826	
Norris, Walter July 7, 1826 <sup>GM</sup>	1 NW 1/4	150.28	April 17, 1826	July 3, 1826	Morris <sup>P,C</sup> ,
Reeve, Phillip H.	1 SW 1/4	160	October 29, 1825	February 22, 1826	
Murray, Archibald G.	1 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	July 7, 1826	October 2, 1826	R. <sup>P</sup>
Reeve, Phillip H.	1 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	November 30, 1825	April 1, 1826	
Patterson, Jacob	2 E1/2 - NE 1/4	74.17	July 16, 1830	January 1, 1831	
Chase, Alanson	2 W1/2 - NE 1/4	74.18	May 16, 1831	August 27, 1831	
Root, Augustus	2 E1/2 - NW 1/4	75.65	July 7, 1831	July 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	Augustine <sup>P</sup>
McCormick, Abraham	2 W1/2 - NW 1/4	75.65	August 11, 1829	November 10, 1829	
Page, Rufus	2 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	June 5, 1826	September 1, 1826	
Payne Lemuel	2 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	May 22, 1826	September 1, 1826	Samuel <sup>C</sup>
Chumard, Betsey Charmard <sup>C</sup>	2 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	August 3, 1825	February 22, 1826	Shumard <sup>P</sup> ,
Root, Augustus	2 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	September 9, 1825	February 22, 1826	Augustine <sup>P</sup>
Pray, Ezeck Eseck <sup>A</sup> , Eseck <sup>C</sup>	3 E1/2 - NE 1/4	76.36	November 24, 1825	April 1, 1826	Enoch <sup>P</sup> ,
Pray, Ezeck Eseck <sup>A</sup> , Eseck <sup>C</sup>	3 E1/2 - SE 1/4	76.37	November 24, 1825	April 1, 1826	Enoch <sup>P</sup> ,
Pray, Nathan H.	3 W1/2 - NE 1/4	72.24	October 29, 1830	January 1, 1831	
Pray, Esek	3 E1/2 - NW 1/4	71.04	December 5, 1828	April 1, 1829	Eseck <sup>A</sup>
Wheelock, Silas 1826 <sup>P</sup> , May 11, 1826 <sup>GM</sup>	3 W1/2 - NW 1/4	71.03	May 18, 1826	September 1, 1826	May 15,
Wheelock, Silas 1826 <sup>P</sup> , May 11, 1826 <sup>GM</sup>	3 SW 1/4	160	May 18, 1826	September 1, 1826	May 15,
Pray, Esek	3 W 1/2 - SE 1/4	80	July 3, 1826	October 2, 1826	Eseck <sup>A</sup>
Hammond, Dennis	4 E1/2 - NE 1/4	72.55	October 4, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	
Green, Orange	4 NW 1/4 - NE 1/4	36.28	February 1, 1833	October 9, 1835 <sup>E</sup>	
Bedell, Gilbert C. 1826 <sup>P</sup>	4 SW 1/4 - NE 1/4	36.28	March 22, 1836	May 3, 1837 <sup>E</sup>	March 22,
Douglass <sup>A</sup> , Aaron Douglass <sup>C</sup>	4 W 1/2	303.24	July 27, 1827	August 6, 1827	Douglas <sup>1894</sup> ,
Wheelock, Robert T.	4 SE 1/4	160	May 18, 1826	September 1, 1826	
Name	Section#, Description	Acres	Sale Date	Patent Issue Date	Comments
Wickoff, Joseph	5 N 1/2	250.40	May 28, 1827	August 1, 1827	
Doyle, John 1832 <sup>GM</sup>	5 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	May 24, 1832	August 1, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	May 25,
Porter, Augustus S.	5 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	August 31, 1831	July 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	Augustine <sup>P</sup>

Dowdel, John	5	E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	September 13, 1831	September 4, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	Doudell <sup>A</sup>
Cowen, Peter	5	W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	December 29, 1832	October 9, 1835	Cowan <sup>C</sup>
Hull, Samuel T.	6	E1/2 - NE 1/4	76.48	June 1, 1827	August 6, 1827	
Thomas, Daniel	6	W1/2 - NE 1/4	59.03	June 11, 1827	August 6, 1827	
Thomas, Daniel	6	E1/2 - NW 1/4	59.03	June 11, 1827	August 6, 1827	
Havens, Champlin	6	W1/2 - NW 1/4	47.58	September 18, 1829	November 10, 1829	Champlain
Hurens <sup>C</sup> , December 3, 1830 <sup>E</sup>						
Shaughniss, John S.	6	E1/2 -SW 1/4	55.16	March 31, 1832	June 8, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	
Howe, Joseph I.	6	W1/2 - SW 1/4	55.16	June 1, 1832	August 1, 1830 <sup>E</sup>	
Shores, Jonathan Jr.	6	E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	June 16, 1831		June 6,
1831 <sup>P</sup> , not found on BLM web site						
Voorhees, George	6	W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	June 16, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	Vorhees <sup>C</sup>
Howard, Alexander	7	E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	June 7, 1827	August 6, 1827	Herrand <sup>C</sup>
Wells, William	7	W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	May 31, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	March 31,
1831 <sup>GM</sup>						
Shaughniss, John	7	NW 1/4	112.80	June 6, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	
Thomas, Isaac	7	E1/2 - SW 1/4	56.60	September 27, 1824	April 2, 1825	
Thomas, Isaac	7	SE 1/4	160	September 27, 1824	April 2, 1825	
Dix, John	7	W1/2 - SW 1/4	56.60	September 28, 1824 <sup>A,G</sup>	April 2, 1825	September
28, 1825 <sup>1894</sup>						
Douglass <sup>A</sup> , Aaron	8	NE 1/4	160	June 27, 1827	August 6, 1827	Douglas <sup>1894</sup> ,
Douglass <sup>C</sup>						
Pray, Esek	8	E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	July 28, 1825	February 1, 1826	July 18,
1825 <sup>P</sup>						
Howard, Alexander	8	W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	June 7, 1827	August 6, 1827	
Pray, Esek	8	SW 1/4	160	July 5, 1825	February 1, 1826	July 3,
1825 <sup>G</sup>						
Wellman, Joel	8	E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	October 6, 1824	April 2, 1825	Williams <sup>C</sup>
McCormick, Abraham	8	W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	August 16, 1825	February 22, 1826	
Phelps, Justin	9	E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	June 17, 1826	September 1, 1826	James
Witherell <sup>GM</sup> , error						
Hawkins, Olney	9	W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	June 2, 1827	August 6, 1827	July 2,
1827 <sup>P</sup>						
Hix, Burden	9	E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	May 29, 1826	September 1, 1826	Berden <sup>C</sup>
Name		Section#, Description	Acres	Sale Date	Patent Issue Date	Comments
McCormick, George	9	W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	July 13, 1829 <sup>A,GM</sup>	November 1, 1829	July 13,
1824 <sup>1894</sup>						
Pray, Esek	9	E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	June 23, 1825	February 1, 1826	
Wellman, Joel	9	W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	October 6, 1824	April 2, 1825	August 6,
1824 <sup>P</sup> , Williams <sup>C</sup>						
Durfee, Edward	9	E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 27, 1831	December 1, 1831 <sup>E</sup>	Durfees <sup>C</sup>
Witherell, James	10	E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	April 23, 1828	March 6, 1829	
Phelps, Justin	10	W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	June 2, 1827	August 6, 1827	

Delano, Ephraim B. July 2, 1831 <sup>P</sup> , July 27, 1831 <sup>GM</sup>	10 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	July 22, 1831	July 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	Ephraim <sup>A</sup> ,
Phelps, Gaylord	10 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	July 4, 1826	October 2, 1826	
Curtis, Moses S. assigned to John Gale	10 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	July 6, 1829	December 3, 1830 <sup>E</sup>	Patent
Gale, John assigned from Moses S. Curtis	10 E1/2 - SW 1/4				Patent
Payne, Arnold	10 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	May 27, 1831	December 31, 1831 <sup>E</sup>	Page <sup>P</sup>
Bentley, John May 20, 1828 <sup>GM</sup>	10 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 21, 1828	March 6, 1829	Reutly <sup>P</sup> ,
Jayne, William	10 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 9, 1828	March 6, 1829	
Driscoll, Joshua G.	11 N 1/2	320	October 5, 1825	February 22, 1826	
Scofield, Orin Schofield <sup>P,C,GM</sup>	11 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	June 5, 1827	August 6, 1827	
Robens, Moses Rolens <sup>C</sup> , May 25, 1825 <sup>GM</sup>	11 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	May 29, 1828	March 6, 1829	Robins <sup>P</sup> ,
Beers, Harvey June 12, 1836 <sup>P</sup> , Biers not found on BLM web	11 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	June 12, 1826	September 1, 1826	Biers <sup>A</sup> ,
Parkhurst, Abel <sup>A</sup> B. P. <sup>C</sup>	11 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	October 25, 1826	December 1, 1826	Abell <sup>1894</sup> ,
Murray, Archibald G.	12 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	July 7, 1826	October 2, 1826	
Larawa, Jacob Sarava <sup>C</sup>	12 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	June 23, 1828	March 6, 1829	Laraway <sup>A</sup> ,
Bouck, Adam	12 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	October 2, 1829	May 1, 1830	
Tafft <sup>A,C,GM</sup> , Job W. August 5, 1826 <sup>P</sup> , Patent assigned to F. Bortle	12 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	August 25, 1826	November 1, 1826	Taft <sup>1894</sup> ,
Bortle, F. from Job. W. Tafft, no information on Bortle	12 W1/2 - NW 1/4				Pat. Ass'd
Brewer, John	12 SW 1/4	160	April 3, 1826	July 3, 1826	Breuler <sup>P</sup>
Rice, Ira	12 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	April 16, 1828	March 6, 1829	
Woodin, Peter Pelis <sup>C</sup>	12 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	February 19, 1827	April 20, 1827	Wooden <sup>A</sup> ,
Rice, Ira	13 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	March 26, 1827	May 5, 1827	
Wilcox <sup>A</sup> , Theron Willcox <sup>GM</sup> , August 6, 1826 <sup>P</sup>	13 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	August 8, 1826	November 1, 1826	Wiley <sup>P</sup> ,
Robinson, Hiram Name	13 NW 1/4 Section#, Description	160	April 3, 1826 Sale Date	July 3, 1826 Patent Issue Date	Comments
Stacy, Ebenezer	13 SW 1/4	160	June 14, 1826	September 1, 1826	Stacey <sup>P,C,GM</sup>
Newell, Nathan 1836 <sup>P</sup>	13 SE 1/4	160	August 8, 1826	November 1, 1826	August 8,
Tooker, Hiran H. Tookes <sup>C</sup>	14 NE 1/4	160	May 22, 1826	September 1, 1826	Looker <sup>P</sup> ,
Root, Roswell	14 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	August 2, 1827	October 20, 1827	

Whitney, Curtis R. <sup>1</sup>	14 W1/4 - NW 1/4	40	August 26, 1835	April 10, 1837 <sup>E</sup>	August 26,
1836 <sup>P</sup> , Pat.assigned to Thomas A. Whitney					Patent
Whitney, Thomas A.	14 W1/4 - NW 1/4				
assigned from Curtis R. Whitney					
Whitney, Curtis R.	14 SW1/4 - NW 1/4	40	September 2, 1847	September 1, 1848 <sup>E</sup>	
Kimmel, Henry	14 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	March 28, 1827	May 5, 1827	May 27,
1827 <sup>P</sup> , Patent assigned to Robert Barr					Patent
Barr, Robert	14 E1/2 - SW 1/4				
assigned from Henry Kimmel, Kimball <sup>C</sup>					
Cole, Peter	14 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	June 28, 1831	April 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	June 28,
1827 <sup>GM</sup>					
Bartlett, John	14 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	June 14, 1826	September 1, 1826	June 4,
1826 <sup>P</sup> , Bartlet <sup>A,GM</sup> , Bartell <sup>C</sup>					
Barr, Robert	14 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	September 21, 1826	November 1, 1826	
Gale, Roger	15 NE 1/4	160	July 10, 1827	October 1, 1827	Galen <sup>P</sup>
Gale, Roger	15 NW 1/4	160	July 10, 1827	October 1, 1827	Galen <sup>P</sup>
Gale, Roger	15 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	July 10, 1827	October 1, 1827	Galen <sup>P</sup>
Gale, Roger	15 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	July 10, 1827	October 1, 1827	Galen <sup>P</sup>
Bowen, Zolva	15 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	July 26, 1827	October 1, 1827	Zalva <sup>P</sup> ,
Zolad Barren <sup>C</sup> , June 26, 1827 <sup>A</sup> , Pat. to Roger Gale					Patent
Gale, Roger	15 W1/2 - SW 1/4				
assigned from Zolva Bowen					
Cole, Peter	15 E 1/2 - SE 1/4	80	June 28, 1831	April 10, 1832	
Duris, John <sup>2</sup>	16 NE1/4 - NE 1/4	40	October 26, 1841	March 5, 1869	
Townsend, George W.	16 NW1/4 - NE 1/4	40	October 25, 1848	January 3, 1864	
Townsend, Andrew S.	16 SW1/4 - NE 1/4	40	October 12, 1841	February 11, 1873	
Duris, John	16 SE 1/4 - NE 1/4	40	October 1, 1841	March 5, 1869	
Townsend, George W.	16 NE1/4 - NW 1/4	40	October 2, 1841	January 3, 1865	
McDonald, Daniel	16 NW1/4 - NW 1/4	40	February 4, 1842	April 30, 1868	
Mahar, Dennis	16 SW1/4 - NW 1/4	40	April 21, 1847	September 22, 1862	
Name	Section#, Description	Acres	Sale Date	Patent Issue Date	Comments
Andrews, Thomas K. Jr.	16 SE1/4 - NW 1/4	40	October 2, 1841	January 27, 1862	January 22,
1862 <sup>P</sup>					
Duris, James	16 NE1/4 - SW 1/4	40	November 23, 1841	September 26, 1865	
Joslin, Carlos	16 NW1/4 - SW 1/4	40	March 8, 1839	May 21, 1853	Charles <sup>P</sup>
Joslin, Carlos	16 SW1/4 - SW 1/4	40	December 5, 1838	May 21, 1855	
Joslin, Harry	16 SE1/4 - SW 1/4	40	December 5, 1838	March 18, 1863	
Wilbur, Amos	16 NE1/4 - SE 1/4	40	August 10, 1848	April 17, 1866	
McCabe, Michael	16 NW1/4 - SE 1/4	40	November 8, 1841	May 5, 1863	
Crippen, Daniel	16 SW1/4 - SE 1/4	40	November 8, 1838	March 17, 1863	
Hoff, John	16 SE1/4 - SE 1/4	40	August 10, 1841	August 3, 1867	

<sup>1</sup> 1894 book shows land patent also assigned to Washington Whitney which does not appear anywhere else. Transcriber possibly mistook Washtenaw (County) for Washington.

<sup>2</sup> All the information for section 16 is taken from the 1870 index. Section 16 sales do not appear on the Bureau of Land Management web site because by that time the State of Michigan had authority over government land sales..

Wellman, Joel William <sup>C</sup>	17 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	October 6, 1824	April 2, 1825	Welman <sup>A</sup> ,
McCormick, George	17 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	July 23, 1829	November 1, 1829	
Bowers, Joseph 1830 <sup>GM</sup> , Berrus <sup>C</sup>	17 NW 1/4	160	May 4, 1825	August 18, 1825	May 5,
Cook, Bennett	17 SW 1/4	160	August 3, 1831	July 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	
Pierce, Orzamus <sup>3</sup> Joel Wellman <sup>P</sup>	17 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 30, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	Orsamus <sup>A</sup> ,
Olds, Hezakah Hezekiah Olas <sup>C</sup>	17 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 30, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	Hezekiah <sup>A</sup> ,
Dix, John 1826 <sup>A</sup>	18 NE 1/4	137.06	May 20, 1824	April 1, 1825	April 1,
Dix, John	18 NW 1/4	137.06	May 20, 1824	April 1, 1825	
Dix, John	18 W1/2 - SE 1/4	69.20	May 20, 1824	April 1, 1825	
Dix, John	18 E1/2 - SW1/4	69.20	May 20, 1824	April 1, 1825	
Cummings, Nathaniel Jr.	18 W1/2 - SW 1/4	58.40	August 2, 1826	November 1, 1826	Jr. <sup>P</sup>
Mulholland, James & John 1831 <sup>A,GM</sup> , Mullweland <sup>C</sup>	18 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	July 1, 1831	February 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	July 7,
Osgood, Leonard W. 1826 <sup>GM</sup>	19 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	May 30, 1828	March 6, 1829	May 25,
King, Jacob W. 1831 <sup>A</sup>	19 W1/4 - NE 1/4	80	June 1, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	June 11,
Osgood, Leonard W.	19 NW 1/4	125.52	May 25, 1826	September 1, 1826	
Pettibone, Zalmon Pettybone <sup>C</sup>	19 E1/2 - SW 1/4	70.18	June 14, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	Tolman
Fall, William T.	19 W1/2 - SW 1/4	70.18	June 14, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	
Rogers, Edward L. 1826 <sup>GM</sup> , April 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	19 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	July 23, 1826	September 1, 1826	May 18,
Forsyth, James J.	19 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	June 29, 1831	April 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	
Name	Section#, Description	Acres	Sale Date	Patent Issue Date	Comments
Jennings, Burr	20 NE1/4 - NE 1/4	40	July 6, 1835	April 1, 1837 <sup>E</sup>	
Crippen, Ichabod	20 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	June 27, 1831	April 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	
Crippen, Ichabod	20 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	June 27, 1831	April 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	
Pettibone, Lyman 24, 1833 <sup>1894,GM</sup> , G. Pettybone <sup>C</sup>	20 SE1/4 - NE 1/4	40	December 24, 1832 <sup>A</sup>	October 28, 1835 <sup>E</sup>	December
Graham, William Jr. 1833 <sup>P</sup>	20 NW1/4 - NW 1/4	40	April 13, 1833	October 15, 1835 <sup>E</sup>	April 18,
Mulholland, James <sup>4</sup> 1832 <sup>GM</sup> , Mullweland <sup>C</sup>	20 SW1/4 - NW 1/4	40	November 26, 1832		March 26,
Rogers, Edward L. 1836 <sup>P</sup>	20 S 1/2	320	May 18, 1826	September 1, 1826	May 18,

<sup>3</sup> The 1870 book has Orsamus Pierce crossed out and Joal Wellman written in with a new patent date of January 23, 1935(sic).

<sup>4</sup> Not found on BLM web site or listed on 1894 index..

Camp, Ira	21	E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	June 16, 1827	August 6, 1827	
Bowen, Ann	21	W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	June 26, 1827	May 8, 1827	Patent
assigned to Daniel Crippen						
Crippen, Daniel	21	W1/2 - NE 1/4	80			Patent
assigned from Ann Bowen						
Bowen, Ann	21	E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	June 26, 1827	May 8, 1827	Patent
assigned to Daniel Crippen						
Crippen, Daniel	21	E1/2 - NW 1/4	80			Patent
assigned from Ann Bowen						
Gage, Simeon	21	W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	September 13, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	Simpson <sup>C</sup>
Swarthout, Anthony	21	E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	July 14, 1827	October 1, 1827	Not found
on BLM web site						
Richards, Daniel Jr.	21	W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	May 18, 1826	September 1, 1826	
Lane, Marcus	21	E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	July 25, 1835	April 1, 1837 <sup>E</sup>	June 25,
1835 <sup>P</sup>						
Dyer, Daniel	21	W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	September 28, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	
Kimmel, Henry	22	E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	September 19, 1825	February 22, 1826	
Kimmel, Henry	22	W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	December 15, 1830	July 14, 1834	
Cole, Peter	22	E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	January 9, 1833	April 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	
Bowen, Zolva	22	W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	June 16, 1827	October 1, 1827	Zalva <sup>P</sup>
Murray, James B.	22	W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	July 25, 1835	April 1, 1837 <sup>E</sup>	R. <sup>G</sup>
Karr, Alexander R.	22	E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	October 26, 1833	October 28, 1835 <sup>E</sup>	October 26,
1835 <sup>GM</sup> , October 28, 1833 <sup>A</sup>						
Kimmel, Henry	22	E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	July 28, 1825	February 1, 1826	July 21,
1825 <sup>P</sup>						
Kimmel, Henry	22	W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	August 16, 1825	February 22, 1826	July 28,
1825 <sup>G</sup>						

Name	Section#, Description	Acres	Sale Date	Patent Issue Date	Comments
Kimmel, Henry	23 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	January 28, 1826	July 3, 1826	January 21,
1826 <sup>P</sup> , January 25, 1826 <sup>GM</sup>					
Kimmel, Henry	23 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	July 1, 1826	October 2, 1826	
Kimmel, Henry <sup>5</sup>	23 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	April 26, 1825 <sup>A</sup>	February 22, 1826	July 28,
1825 <sup>P</sup> , July 29, 1825 <sup>GM</sup> , September 26, 1826 <sup>1894</sup>					
Kimmel, Henry	23 SW 1/4	160	July 28, 1825	February 1, 1826	July 29,
1825 <sup>GM</sup>					
Kimmel, Henry	23 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	July 28, 1825	February 1, 1826	April 26,
1825 <sup>P</sup> , September 26, 1825 <sup>GM</sup>					
Kellogg, Charles H.	23 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	September 26, 1827	October 20, 1827	
Kimmel, Henry	23 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	September 26, 1827	October 20, 1827	September
22, 1827 <sup>P</sup>					

<sup>5</sup> There is some confusion among the indexes as to the sequence of purchases of the various Kimmel parcels.



Speer, Moor	24 N 1/2	320	October 6, 1826	December 1, 1826	Moore <sup>A</sup>
Curtis, John 1826 <sup>GM</sup>	24 SW 1/4	160	November 18, 1826	February 1, 1827	March 18,
Seeley, Gershom 3, 1830 <sup>E</sup> , Seely <sup>GM</sup>	24 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 28, 1829	October 3, 1829	December
Speer, Moor	24 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 19, 1827	August 1, 1827	Moore <sup>A</sup>
Benedict, James 1827 <sup>E</sup> , Benidict <sup>P</sup>	25 NE 1/4	160	January 1, 1827	April 6, 1827	April 1,
Smith, John N. October 26, 1830 <sup>GM</sup>	25 NW 1/4	160	October 20, 1830	January 1, 1831	M. <sup>A,C,GM</sup> ,
Otis, Daniel G.	25 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	July 5, 1827	October 1, 1827	David <sup>A,C,GM</sup>
Mead, Ezra	25 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	April 25, 1825	August 18, 1825 <sup>E</sup>	
Sweeting, Almon, A.	25 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	February 7, 1832	June 8, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	Sweetling <sup>C</sup>
Kimmel, Henry	25 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	January 1, 1827	April 6, 1827	
Ferguson, Robert	26 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	October 21, 1830	January 1, 1831	
Kimmel, Henry	26 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	September 26, 1827	October 20, 1827	
Kimmel, Henry	26 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	August 16, 1825	February 22, 1826	
Garrison, John	26 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	May 19, 1825	September 1, 1825	Patent
assigned to Lewis Moray					
Moray, Lewis	26 W1/2 - NW 1/4				Patent
assigned from John Garrison					
Sines, Abigail	26 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	July 1, 1825	February 1, 1826	Lines <sup>C</sup>
Wensey, Henry <sup>6</sup>	26 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	April 22, 1825	August 18, 1825	Wensey <sup>A</sup> ,
Warsey <sup>C</sup> , Wansey <sup>GM</sup>					
Mead, Ezra	26 SE 1/4	160	April 25, 1825	August 18, 1825	
Name	Section#, Description	Acres	Sale Date	Patent Issue Date	Comments
Henshaw, William	27 NE 1/4	160	June 17, 1825	February 1, 1826	
Moon, Noel <sup>7</sup>	27 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	June 15, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	Avel
Moore <sup>C</sup>					
Holden, Samuel C. & Hinman	27 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	October 7, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	Henman <sup>P</sup>
Camp, Eden	27 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	June 16, 1824	April 1, 1825	
Sarles, George	27 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	May 19, 1824	April 1, 1825	Lakes <sup>C</sup>
Moss, Joseph	27 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	June 13, 1825	January 6, 1826	
Arneigh, Laurence <sup>8</sup>	27 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	October 1, 1824	April 2, 1825	Ameigh <sup>P</sup> ,
Lawrence <sup>G</sup> , Samuel S. Amisyls <sup>C</sup>					
Eddy, William	28 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	February 24, 1829	August 1, 1829	
Huestis, Jonathan	28 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	May 18, 1826	September 1, 1826	
Huestis, Jonathan	28 NW 1/4	160	May 18, 1826	September 1, 1826	
Camp, Ira	28 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	June 23, 1825	September 1, 1825	

<sup>6</sup> No record found in the BLM under Wensley, Wensly, Wensey, Warsey, or Wansey.

<sup>7</sup> The parcels attributed to Moon and Holden are reversed on the Geddes map, the dates are correct as shown.

<sup>8</sup> Not found in BLM web site, Arneigh, Ameigh Amisyls. Patent reissued June 17, 1942(sic), likely a reissue.

Swarthout, Anthony R.	28	W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	July 1, 1826	October 2, 1826	
Thayer, John G. <sup>9</sup>	28	E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 17, 1825	September 1, 1826	Patent
assigned to Anthony Case						
Hayes, John G.	28	E1/2 - SE 1/4				There is no
John G. Hayes, error in Chapman						
Case, Anthony	28	E1/2 - SE 1/4				Patent
assigned from John G. Thayer						
Case, Anthony	28	W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 25, 1825	September 1, 1825	Cass <sup>C</sup>
Huestis, Jonathan	29	NE 1/4	160	May 18, 1826	September 1, 1826	Heustes <sup>C</sup>
Swick, Andrew	29	NW 1/4	160	July 1, 1826	October 2, 1826	Levick <sup>C</sup>
Swarthout, Anthony R.	29	E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	July 1, 1826	October 2, 1826	October 1,
1827 <sup>E</sup>						
Swarthout, Anthony R.	29	SE 1/4	160	July 1, 1826	October 2, 1826	
Hiscock, Alanson	29	W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	November 1, 1827	January 8, 1828	D. <sup>C</sup>
Hiscock, William	30	E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	February 23, 1828	May 7, 1828	July 22,
1828 <sup>GM</sup>						
Moore, David	30	W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	May 18, 1830	November 1, 1830	More <sup>GM</sup>
Dusett, Alanson	30	E1/2 - NW 1/4	72.76	October 20, 1827	December 1, 1827	Dissett <sup>C</sup>
Rash, George	30	W1/2 - NW 1/4	72.76	May 18, 1830	November 1, 1830	January 5,
1831 <sup>E</sup> , Rush <sup>C</sup>						
Name		Section#, Description	Acres	Sale Date	Patent Issue Date	Comments
Sackrider, Joseph L.	30	E1/2 - SW 1/4	63.67	June 29, 1824	October 20, 1824	June 27,
1824 <sup>G</sup> , Sacrider <sup>A</sup>						
Sackrider, Joseph L.	30	W1/2 - SE 1/4	63.68	June 29, 1824	October 20, 1824	June 27,
1824 <sup>G</sup> , Sacrider <sup>A</sup>						
Pullin, James	30	W1/2 - SW 1/4	70.44	June 17, 1824	April 1, 1825	Pullen <sup>C,G</sup>
Lyon, Lucius	30	E fraction SE 1/4	53.35	May 31, 1827	August 1, 1827	Enniss <sup>C</sup>
Dexter, Samuel W.	30	S fraction SE 1/4	24.95	September 7, 1824	April 2, 1825	September
9, 1824 <sup>P</sup>						
Christie, Hugh	31	N fraction NE 1/4	67.25	September 29, 1824	April 2, 1825	September
30, 1824 <sup>A</sup>						
Dickerson, John	31	S fraction NE 1/4	-----	June 9, 1826	September 1, 1826	parcel totals
172.61 acres						
Dickerson, John	31	W fraction SE 1/4	-----	June 9, 1826	September 1, 1826	
Fleming, Robert <sup>10</sup>	31	NW1/4 - NW 1/4	44.75	September 30, 1823	February 10, 1824	Reming <sup>C</sup> ,
September 29, 1823 <sup>G</sup>						
Geddes, Robert	31	SE1/4 - NW 1/4	72.06	May 19, 1825	September 1, 1825	
Geddes, Robert	31	SW 1/4	160	May 19, 1825	September 1, 1825	
Burlingame, Henry <sup>11</sup>	31	E fraction SE 1/4	44.37	May 2, 1825	August 18, 1825	Patent
assigned to Joseph Moss						

<sup>9</sup> The first ownership of this parcel has been attributed to Anthony Case by the BLM, John G. Thayer by Geddes, and John G. Hayes by Chapman

<sup>10</sup> First parcel purchased in Superior Township.

<sup>11</sup> This parcel is made up of fractional parts of the E1/2 - NE 1/4 & E1/2 - SE 1/4 of section 31, land east of the Huron River.

Moss, Joseph assigned from Henry Burlingame	31 E fraction SE 1/4					Patent
Phillips, John 1824 <sup>G</sup>	32 NE 1/4	160	October 9, 1824	April 2, 1825		October 4,
Phillips, John 16, 1824 <sup>G</sup>	32 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	September 6, 1824	April 2, 1825		September
Baker, Elias	32 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	October 14, 1830	January 1, 1831		
Burlingame, Henry assigned to Joseph Ross, Moss <sup>E</sup>	32 E1/2 - SW 1/4	78.84	May 23, 1825	September 1, 1825		Patent
Moss <sup>E</sup> , Joseph <sup>12</sup> assigned from Henry Burlingame	32 E1/2 - SW 1/4					Patent
Ross, Joseph be error, actual name Joseph Moss						Appears to
Burlingame, Henry assigned to Joseph Ross, Moss <sup>E</sup>	32 W1/2 - SW 1/4	75.75	May 18, 1825	August 18, 1825		Patent
Moss <sup>E</sup> , Joseph <sup>12</sup> assigned from Henry Burlingame	32 W1/2 - SW 1/4					Patent
Hiscock, Isaac	32 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 29, 1826	September 1, 1826 <sup>E</sup>		James <sup>C</sup>
Dusett, Ira	32 W1/2 - SE 1/4	78.91	June 24, 1825	February 1, 1826 <sup>E</sup>		Dessett <sup>C</sup>
Kerchival, Benjamin B. <sup>13</sup> 22, 1836 <sup>G</sup> . Karcheval <sup>A,C</sup>	32 SW fraction	0.78	November 23, 1836	May 29, 1854 <sup>E</sup>		November
Kearsley, Edmund R. <sup>13</sup> footnote for Benjamin B. Kerchival	32 SW fraction					See

Name	Section#, Description	Acres	Sale Date	Patent Issue Date	Comments
Sines, Phillip	33 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	May 19, 1824	April 1, 1825	
Brown, John John <sup>C</sup> , Patent assigned to Seely Neel	33 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	May 17, 1824	April 1, 1825	I. In lieu of
Neel, Seely from John Brown, no information on Neel	33 W1/2 - NE 1/4				Pat.ass'd
Case, Anthony assigned to Joseph Ames, June 30, 1825 <sup>GM</sup>	33 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	June 29, 1825	November 1, 1826	Patent
Ames, Joseph assigned from Anthony Case	33 E1/2 - NW 1/4				Patent
Thayer, John G. Haynes <sup>C</sup>	33 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	May 25, 1825	September 1, 1825	J.G.
Witherell, James 1825 <sup>P</sup>	33 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	November 28, 1825	April 1, 1826	May 28,
Phillips, Jere 1825 <sup>P</sup>	33 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	October 4, 1825	February 22, 1826	October 8,
Baker, Elias	33 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	June 1, 1825	January 6, 1826	
Champion, Salmon Jr.	33 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	June 18, 1827	August 6, 1827	

<sup>12</sup> No Joseph Ross found on BLM web site. Parcels for Joseph Moss on BLM web site are consistent with index.

<sup>13</sup> Land on right bank of river assigned to R. Kearsley, 1854, per note in 1894 index. BLM web site shows Edmund R. Kearsley & Benjamin B. Kercheval were joint purchasers.

Sines, Rachael Champlain Jr. <sup>C</sup>	34 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	August 6, 1825	February 22, 1826	S.
Eddy, William	34 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	June 18, 1824	April 1, 1825	Eday <sup>P</sup>
Eddy, William	34 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	June 18, 1824	April 1, 1825	Eday <sup>P</sup>
Sines, Isaac 1824 <sup>GM</sup>	34 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	May 17, 1824	April 1, 1825	May 19,
Moss, Joseph	34 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	June 13, 1825	January 6, 1826 <sup>E</sup>	
Every, Abraham	34 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	May 14, 1824	March 7, 1825	Avery <sup>C,G</sup>
Morton, Thomas 1826 <sup>P</sup>	34 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 23, 1826	September 1, 1826	May 13,
Morton, Jonathan G. 1826 <sup>P</sup>	34 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 23, 1826	September 1 1826	May 13,
Sanford, John A.	35 NE 1/4	160	May 26, 1825	September 1, 1825	Sawford <sup>P</sup>
Eddy, John H.	35 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	June 11, 1829	October 8, 1829	
Karr <sup>A</sup> , James	35 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	October 27, 1826	December 1, 1826	Joseph
Kerr <sup>P</sup> , October 27, 1824 <sup>P</sup> , Kerr not on BLM web					
Merrill, Ira & Harry	35 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	May 22, 1830	January 5, 1831 <sup>E</sup>	
Hastings, Eurotas P assigned to Jeremiah C. Merrill	35 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	May 19, 1830	December 4, 1830	Patent
Merrill, Jeremiah C. assigned from Eurotas P. Hastings	35 W1/2 - SW 1/4				Patent
Thompson, Lewis purchased with Ira Merrill, Thomson <sup>A</sup>	35 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 25, 1830	January 5, 1831 <sup>E</sup>	Jointly
Merrill, Ira purchased with Lewis Thompson	35 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 25, 1830	January 5, 1831 <sup>E</sup>	Jointly
Merrill, Ira purchased with Ashley Pratt	35 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 25, 1830	January 5, 1831 <sup>E</sup>	Jointly
Pratt, Ashley purchased with Ira Merrill	35 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 25, 1830	January 5, 1831 <sup>E</sup>	Jointly
Name	Section#, Description	Acres	Sale Date	Patent Issue Date	Comments
Goodell, Jotham 1825 <sup>GM</sup>	36 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	December 12, 1826	March 26, 1827	April 14,
Fowler, Joseph	36 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	April 11, 1827	May 31, 1827	
Pine, Benjamin	36 NW 1/4	160	April 14, 1825	April 18, 1825	
Fowler, David 13, 1825 <sup>P</sup>	36 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	December 13, 1828	April 1, 1829	December
Fowler, David 13, 1825 <sup>P</sup>	36 SE 1/4	160	December 13, 1828	April 1, 1829	December
Sweeting, Almon A. 1830 <sup>GM</sup> , A.A. Swarthout <sup>C</sup>	36 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	October 8, 1830	January 1, 1831	October 9,

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Name	Section#, Description	Acres	Sale Date	Patent Issue Date	Comments
Ames, Joseph assigned from Anthony Case	33 E1/2 - NW 1/4				Patent
Andrews, Thomas K. Jr. 1862 <sup>P</sup>	16 SE1/4 - NW 1/4	40	October 2, 1841	January 27, 1862	January 22,
Ameigh					see
Arneigh					see
Amisyls					see
Arneigh, Laurence <sup>14</sup> Lawrence <sup>G</sup> , Samuel S. Amisyls <sup>C</sup>	27 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	October 1, 1824	April 2, 1825	Ameigh <sup>P</sup> ,
Avery					see Every
Baker, Elias	32 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	October 14, 1830	January 1, 1831	
Baker, Elias	33 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	June 1, 1825	January 6, 1826	
Barr, Robert assigned from Henry Kimmel, Kimball <sup>C</sup>	14 E1/2 - SW 1/4				Patent
Barr, Robert	14 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	September 21, 1826	November 1, 1826	
Bartell					see Bartlett
Bartlet					see Bartlett
Bartlett, John 1826 <sup>P</sup> , Bartlet <sup>A,GM</sup> , Bartell <sup>C</sup>	14 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	June 14, 1826	September 1, 1826	June 4,
Barren					see Bowen
Bedell, Gilbert C. 1826 <sup>P</sup>	4 SW 1/4 - NE 1/4	36.28	March 22, 1836	May 3, 1837 <sup>E</sup>	March 22,
Beers, Harvey June 12, 1836 <sup>P</sup> , Biers not found on BLM web	11 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	June 12, 1826	September 1, 1826	Biers <sup>A</sup> ,
Benedict, James 1827 <sup>E</sup> , Benidict <sup>P</sup>	25 NE 1/4	160	January 1, 1827	April 6, 1827	April 1,
Benidict					see
Benedict					
Bentley, John May 20, 1828 <sup>GM</sup>	10 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 21, 1828	March 6, 1829	Reutly <sup>P</sup> ,
Berrus					see Bowers
Biers					see Beers
Bortle, F. from Job. W. Tafft, no information on Bortle	12 W1/2 - NW 1/4				Pat. Ass'd
Bouck, Adam	12 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	October 2, 1829	May 1, 1830	
Bowen, Ann assigned to Daniel Crippen	21 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	June 26, 1827	May 8, 1827	Patent
Bowen, Ann assigned to Daniel Crippen	21 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	June 26, 1827	May 8, 1827	Patent
Bowen, Zolva Zolad Barren <sup>C</sup> , June 26, 1827 <sup>A</sup> , Pat. to Roger Gale	15 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	July 26, 1827	October 1, 1827	Zalva <sup>P</sup> ,

<sup>14</sup> Not found in BLM web site, Arneigh, Ameigh Amisyls. Patent reissued June 17, 1942(sic).

Bowen, Zolva Name	22 W1/2 - NW 1/4 Section#, Description	80 Acres	June 16, 1827 Sale Date	October 1, 1827 Patent Issue Date	Zalva <sup>P</sup> Comments
Bowers, Joseph 1830 <sup>GM</sup> , Berrus <sup>C</sup> Breuler	17 NW 1/4	160	May 4, 1825	August 18, 1825	May 5, see Brewer Breuler <sup>P</sup>
Brewer, John	12 SW 1/4	160	April 3, 1826	July 3, 1826	I. In lieu of
Brown, John John <sup>C</sup> , Patent assigned to Seely Neel	33 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	May 17, 1824	April 1, 1825	
Burlingame, Henry <sup>15</sup> assigned to Joseph Moss	31 E fraction SE 1/4	44.37	May 2, 1825	August 18, 1825	Patent
Burlingame, Henry assigned to Joseph Ross, Moss <sup>E</sup>	32 E1/2 - SW 1/4	78.84	May 23, 1825	September 1, 1825	Patent
Burlingame, Henry assigned to Joseph Ross, Moss <sup>E</sup>	32 W1/2 - SW 1/4	75.75	May 18, 1825	August 18, 1825	Patent
Camp, Eden	27 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	June 16, 1824	April 1, 1825	
Camp, Ira	21 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	June 16, 1827	August 6, 1827	
Camp, Ira	28 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	June 23, 1825	September 1, 1825	
Case, Anthony assigned from John G. Thayer	28 E1/2 - SE 1/4				Patent
Case, Anthony	28 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 25, 1825	September 1, 1825	Cass <sup>C</sup>
Case, Anthony assigned to Joseph Ames, June 30, 1825 <sup>GM</sup> Cass	33 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	June 29, 1825	November 1, 1826	Patent see Case
Champion, Salmon Jr. Charmard Chumard	33 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	June 18, 1827	August 6, 1827	see
Chase, Alanson	2 W1/2 - NE 1/4	74.18	May 16, 1831	August 27, 1831	
Christie, Hugh 30, 1824 <sup>A</sup>	31 N fraction NE 1/4	67.25	September 29, 1824	April 2, 1825	September
Chumard, Betsey Charmard <sup>C</sup>	2 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	August 3, 1825	February 22, 1826	Shumard <sup>P</sup> ,
Cole, Peter 1827 <sup>GM</sup>	14 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	June 28, 1831	April 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	June 28,
Cole, Peter	22 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	January 9, 1833	April 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	
Cole, Peter	15 E 1/2 - SE 1/4	80	June 28, 1831	April 10, 1832	
Cook, Bennett	17 SW 1/4	160	August 3, 1831	July 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	
Cowan Cowen, Peter	5 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	December 29, 1832	October 9, 1835	see Cowen Cowan <sup>C</sup>
Crippen, Daniel	16 SW1/4 - SE 1/4	40	November 8, 1838	March 17, 1863	
Crippen, Daniel assigned from Ann Bowen	21 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80			Patent
Crippen, Daniel assigned from Ann Bowen	21 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80			Patent
Crippen, Ichabod	20 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	June 27, 1831	April 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	
Crippen, Ichabod	20 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	June 27, 1831	April 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	
Cummings, Nathaniel Jr. Name	18 W1/2 - SW 1/4 Section#, Description	58.40 Acres	August 2, 1826 Sale Date	November 1, 1826 Patent Issue Date	Jr. <sup>P</sup> Comments

<sup>15</sup> This parcel is made up of fractional parts of the E1/2 - NE 1/4 & E1/2 - SE 1/4 of section 31, land east of the Huron River.

Curtis, John 1826 <sup>GM</sup>	24 SW 1/4	160	November 18, 1826	February 1, 1827	March 18,
Curtis, Moses S. assigned to John Gale	10 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	July 6, 1829	December 3, 1830 <sup>E</sup>	Patent
Delano, Ephraim B. July 2, 1831 <sup>P</sup> , July 27, 1831 <sup>GM</sup>	10 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	July 22, 1831	July 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	Ephraim <sup>A</sup> ,
Dessett					see Dusett
Dexter, Samuel W. 9, 1824 <sup>P</sup>	30 S fraction SE 1/4	24.95	September 7, 1824	April 2, 1825	September
Dickerson, John 172.61 acres	31 S fraction NE 1/4	-----	June 9, 1826	September 1, 1826	parcel totals
Dickerson, John	31 W fraction SE 1/4	-----	June 9, 1826	September 1, 1826	
Dissett					see Dusett
Dix, John	18 E1/2 - SW1/4	69.20	May 20, 1824	April 1, 1825	
Dix, John 1826 <sup>A</sup>	18 NE 1/4	137.06	May 20, 1824	April 1, 1825	April 1,
Dix, John	18 NW 1/4	137.06	May 20, 1824	April 1, 1825	
Dix, John	18 W1/2 - SE 1/4	69.20	May 20, 1824	April 1, 1825	
Dix, John 28, 1825 <sup>1894</sup>	7 W1/2 - SW 1/4	56.60	September 28, 1824 <sup>A,G</sup>	April 2, 1825	September
Doudell					see Dowdel
Douglas					see
Douglass <sup>A</sup> , Aaron Douglass <sup>C</sup>	4 W 1/2	303.24	July 27, 1827	August 6, 1827	Douglas <sup>1894</sup> ,
Douglass <sup>A</sup> , Aaron Douglass <sup>C</sup>	8 NE 1/4	160	June 27, 1827	August 6, 1827	Douglas <sup>1894</sup> ,
Dowdel, John	5 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	September 13, 1831	September 4, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	Doudell <sup>A</sup>
Doyle, John 1832 <sup>GM</sup>	5 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	May 24, 1832	August 1, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	May 25,
Driscoll, Joshua G.	11 N 1/2	320	October 5, 1825	February 22, 1826	
Durfee, Edward	9 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 27, 1831	December 1, 1831 <sup>E</sup>	Durfees <sup>C</sup>
Durfees					see Durfee
Duris, James	16 NE1/4 - SW 1/4	40	November 23, 1841	September 26, 1865	Charles <sup>P</sup>
Duris, John <sup>16</sup>	16 NE1/4 - NE 1/4	40	October 26, 1841	March 5, 1869	
Duris, John	16 SE 1/4 - NE 1/4	40	October 1, 1841	March 5, 1869	
Dusett, Alanson	30 E1/2 - NW 1/4	72.76	October 20, 1827	December 1, 1827	Dissett <sup>C</sup>
Dusett, Ira	32 W1/2 - SE 1/4	78.91	June 24, 1825	February 1, 1826 <sup>E</sup>	Dessett <sup>C</sup>
Dyer, Daniel	21 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	September 28, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	
Eday					see Eddy
Eddy, John H.	35 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	June 11, 1829	October 8, 1829	
Eddy, William	28 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	February 24, 1829	August 1, 1829	
Name	Section#, Description	Acres	Sale Date	Patent Issue Date	Comments
Eddy, William	34 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	June 18, 1824	April 1, 1825	Eday <sup>P</sup>
Eddy, William	34 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	June 18, 1824	April 1, 1825	Eday <sup>P</sup>
Every, Abraham	34 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	May 14, 1824	March 7, 1825	Avery <sup>C,G</sup>
Fall, William T.	19 W1/2 - SW 1/4	70.18	June 14, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	

<sup>16</sup> All the information for section 16 is taken from the 1870 index

Farrand, John S.	1 E 1/2 - NE 1/4	79.38	December 12, 1825	April 1, 1826	Farrend <sup>P</sup>
Farrend					see Farrand
Ferguson, Robert	26 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	October 21, 1830	January 1, 1831	
Fleming, Robert <sup>17</sup>	31 NW1/4 - NW 1/4	44.75	September 30, 1823	February 10, 1824	Reming <sup>C</sup> ,
September 29, 1823 <sup>G</sup>					
Forsyth, James J.	19 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	June 29, 1831	April 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	
Fowler, David	36 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	December 13, 1828	April 1, 1829	December
13, 1825 <sup>P</sup>					
Fowler, David	36 SE 1/4	160	December 13, 1828	April 1, 1829	December
13, 1825 <sup>P</sup>					
Fowler, Joseph	36 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	April 11, 1827	May 31, 1827	
Gage, Simeon	21 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	September 13, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	Simpson <sup>C</sup>
Gale, John	10 E1/2 - SW 1/4				Patent
assigned from Moses S. Curtis					
Gale, Roger	15 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	July 10, 1827	October 1, 1827	Galen <sup>P</sup>
Gale, Roger	15 NE 1/4	160	July 10, 1827	October 1, 1827	Galen <sup>P</sup>
Gale, Roger	15 NW 1/4	160	July 10, 1827	October 1, 1827	Galen <sup>P</sup>
Gale, Roger	15 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	July 10, 1827	October 1, 1827	Galen <sup>P</sup>
Gale, Roger	15 W1/2 - SW 1/4				Patent
assigned from Zolva Bowen					
Galen					see Gale
Garrison, John	26 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	May 19, 1825	September 1, 1825	Patent
assigned to Lewis Moray					
Geddes, Robert	31 SE1/4 - NW 1/4	72.06	May 19, 1825	September 1, 1825	
Geddes, Robert	31 SW 1/4	160	May 19, 1825	September 1, 1825	
Goodell, Jotham	36 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	December 12, 1826	March 26, 1827	April 14,
1825 <sup>GM</sup>					
Graham, William Jr.	20 NW1/4 - NW 1/4	40	April 13, 1833	October 15, 1835 <sup>E</sup>	April 18,
1833 <sup>P</sup>					
Green, Orange	4 NW 1/4 - NE 1/4	36.28	February 1, 1833	October 9, 1835 <sup>E</sup>	
Hamilton, Thomas Jr.	1 W1/2 - NE 1/4	79.38	June 13, 1825	February 1, 1826	
Hammond, Dennis	4 E1/2 - NE 1/4	72.55	October 4, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	
Hastings, Eurotas P	35 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	May 19, 1830	December 4, 1830	Patent
assigned to Jeremiah C. Merrill					
Havens, Champlin	6 W1/2 - NW 1/4	47.58	September 18, 1829	November 10, 1829	Champlain
Hurens <sup>C</sup> , December 3, 1830 <sup>E</sup>					
Hawkins, Olney	9 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	June 2, 1827	August 6, 1827	July 2,
1827 <sup>P</sup>					
Name	Section#, Description	Acres	Sale Date	Patent Issue Date	Comments
Hayes, John G.	28 E1/2 - SE 1/4				There is no
John G. Hayes, error in Chapman					
Henshaw, William	27 NE 1/4	160	June 17, 1825	February 1, 1826	
Henman					see Holden
Herrand					see Howard
Heustes					see Huestis
Hiscock, Alanson	29 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	November 1, 1827	January 8, 1828	D. <sup>C</sup>
Hiscock, Isaac	32 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 29, 1826	September 1, 1826 <sup>E</sup>	James <sup>C</sup>

<sup>17</sup> First parcel purchased in Superior Township.



Hiscock, William 1828 <sup>GM</sup>	30 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	February 23, 1828	May 7, 1828	July 22,
Hix, Burden	9 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	May 29, 1826	September 1, 1826	Berden <sup>C</sup>
Hoff, John	16 SE1/4 - SE 1/4	40	August 10, 1841	August 3, 1867	
Holden, Samuel C. & Hinman	27 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	October 7, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	Henman <sup>P</sup>
Howard, Alexander	7 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	June 7, 1827	August 6, 1827	Herrand <sup>C</sup>
Howard, Alexander	8 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	June 7, 1827	August 6, 1827	
Howe, Joseph I.	6 W1/2 - SW 1/4	55.16	June 1, 1832	August 1, 1830 <sup>E</sup>	
Huestis, Jonathan	28 NW 1/4	160	May 18, 1826	September 1, 1826	
Huestis, Jonathan	28 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	May 18, 1826	September 1, 1826	
Huestis, Jonathan	29 NE 1/4	160	May 18, 1826	September 1, 1826	Heustes <sup>C</sup> see Havens
Hurens					
Hull, Samuel T.	6 E1/2 - NE 1/4	76.48	June 1, 1827	August 6, 1827	
Jayne, William	10 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 9, 1828	March 6, 1829	
Jennings, Burr	20 NE1/4 - NE 1/4	40	July 6, 1835	April 1, 1837 <sup>E</sup>	
Joslin, Carlos	16 NW1/4 - SW 1/4	40	March 8, 1839	May 21, 1853	
Joslin, Carlos	16 SW1/4 - SW 1/4	40	December 5, 1838	May 21, 1855	
Joslin, Harry	16 SE1/4 - SW 1/4	40	December 5, 1838	March 18, 1863	
Karr, Alexander R. 1835 <sup>GM</sup> , October 28, 1833 <sup>A</sup>	22 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	October 26, 1833	October 28, 1835 <sup>E</sup>	October 26,
Karr <sup>A</sup> , James	35 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	October 27, 1826	December 1, 1826	Joseph
Kerr <sup>P</sup> , October 27, 1824 <sup>P</sup> , Kerr not on BLM web					
Kearsley, Edmund R. <sup>5</sup>	32 SW fraction				See
footnote for Benjamin B. Kerchival					
Kellogg, Charles H.	23 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	September 26, 1827	October 20, 1827	
Karchevall					see
Kerchival					
Kerchival, Benjamin B. <sup>18</sup>	32 SW fraction		0.78	November 23, 1836	May 29, 1854 <sup>E</sup>
November 22, 1836 <sup>G</sup> , Karcheval <sup>A,C</sup>					
Kerr					see Kerr
Name	Section#, Description	Acres	Sale Date	Patent Issue Date	Comments
Kimmel, Henry	26 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	August 16, 1825	February 22, 1826	
Kimmel, Henry	14 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	March 28, 1827	May 5, 1827	May 27,
1827 <sup>P</sup> , Patent assigned to Robert Barr					
Kimmel, Henry	22 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	September 19, 1825	February 22, 1826	
Kimmel, Henry	22 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	July 28, 1825	February 1, 1826	July 21,
1825 <sup>P</sup>					
Kimmel, Henry	22 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	December 15, 1830	July 14, 1834	
Kimmel, Henry	22 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	August 16, 1825	February 22, 1826	July 28,
1825 <sup>G</sup>					
Kimmel, Henry	23 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	July 1, 1826	October 2, 1826	
Kimmel, Henry	23 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	July 28, 1825	February 1, 1826	April 26,
1825 <sup>P</sup> , September 26, 1825 <sup>GM</sup>					
Kimmel, Henry	23 SW 1/4	160	July 28, 1825	February 1, 1826	July 29,
1825 <sup>GM</sup>					

<sup>18</sup> Land on right bank of river assigned to R. Kearsley, 1854, per note in 1894 index. BLM web site shows Edmund R. Kearsley & Benjamin B. Kercheval were joint purchasers.

Kimmel, Henry 1826 <sup>P</sup> , January 25, 1826 <sup>GM</sup>	23 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	January 28, 1826	July 3, 1826	January 21,
Kimmel, Henry 22, 1827 <sup>P</sup>	23 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	September 26, 1827	October 20, 1827	September
Kimmel, Henry	25 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	January 1, 1827	April 6, 1827	
Kimmel, Henry	26 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	September 26, 1827	October 20, 1827	
Kimmel, Henry <sup>19</sup> 1825 <sup>P</sup> , July 29, 1825 <sup>GM</sup> , September 26, 1826 <sup>1894</sup>	23 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	April 26, 1825 <sup>A</sup>	February 22, 1826	July 28,
King, Jacob W. 1831 <sup>A</sup>	19 W1/4 - NE 1/4	80	June 1, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	June 11,
Lakes					see Sarles
Lane, Marcus 1835 <sup>P</sup>	21 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	July 25, 1835	April 1, 1837 <sup>E</sup>	June 25,
Larawa, Jacob Sarava <sup>C</sup>	12 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	June 23, 1828	March 6, 1829	Laraway <sup>A</sup> ,
Laraway					see Larawa
Levick					see Swick
Lines					see Sines
Looker					see Tooker
Lyon, Lucius	30 E fraction SE 1/4	53.35	May 31, 1827	August 1, 1827	Enniss <sup>C</sup>
Mahar, Dennis	16 SW1/4 - NW 1/4	40	April 21, 1847	September 22, 1862	
McCabe, Michael	16 NW1/4 - SE 1/4	40	November 8, 1841	May 5, 1863	
McCormick, Abraham	2 W1/2 - NW 1/4	75.65	August 11, 1829	November 10, 1829	
McCormick, Abraham	8 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	August 16, 1825	February 22, 1826	
McCormick, George	17 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	July 23, 1829	November 1, 1829	
McCormick, George 1824 <sup>1894</sup>	9 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	July 13, 1829 <sup>A,GM</sup>	November 1, 1829	July 13,
McDonald, Daniel	16 NW1/4 - NW 1/4	40	February 4, 1842	April 30, 1868	
Mead, Ezra	25 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	April 25, 1825	August 18, 1825 <sup>E</sup>	
Name	Section#, Description	Acres	Sale Date	Patent Issue Date	Comments
Mead, Ezra	26 SE 1/4	160	April 25, 1825	August 18, 1825	
Merrill, Ira & Harry	35 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	May 22, 1830	January 5, 1831 <sup>E</sup>	
Merrill, Ira	35 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 25, 1830	January 5, 1831 <sup>E</sup>	Jointly
purchased with Lewis Thompson					
Merrill, Ira	35 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 25, 1830	January 5, 1831 <sup>E</sup>	Jointly
purchased with Ashley Pratt					
Merrill, Jeremiah C.	35 W1/2 - SW 1/4				Patent
assigned from Eurotas P. Hastings					
Moon, Noel <sup>20</sup>	27 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	June 15, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	Avel
Moore <sup>C</sup>					
Moore					see Moon
Moore, David	30 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	May 18, 1830	November 1, 1830	More <sup>GM</sup>
Moray, Lewis	26 W1/2 - NW 1/4				Patent
assigned from John Garrison					
More					see Moore

<sup>19</sup> There is some confusion among the indexes as to the sequence of purchases of the various Kimmel parcels.

<sup>20</sup> The parcels attributed to Moon and Holden are reversed on the Geddes map, the dates are correct as shown.

Morris						see Norris
Morton, Jonathan G.	34 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 23, 1826	September 1 1826	May 13,	
1826 <sup>P</sup>						
Morton, Thomas	34 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 23, 1826	September 1, 1826	May 13,	
1826 <sup>P</sup>						
Moss, Joseph	27 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	June 13, 1825	January 6, 1826		
Moss, Joseph	31 E fraction SE 1/4					Patent
assigned from Henry Burlingame						
Moss, Joseph	34 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	June 13, 1825	January 6, 1826 <sup>E</sup>		
Moss <sup>E</sup> , Joseph <sup>21</sup>	32 E1/2 - SW 1/4					Patent
assigned from Henry Burlingame						
Moss <sup>E</sup> , Joseph	32 W1/2 - SW 1/4					Patent
assigned from Henry Burlingame						
Mulholland, James & John	18 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	July 1, 1831	February 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	July 7,	
1831 <sup>A,GM</sup> , Mullweland <sup>C</sup>						
Mulholland, James <sup>22</sup>	20 SW1/4 - NW 1/4	40	November 26, 1832		March 26,	
1832 <sup>GM</sup> , Mullweland <sup>C</sup>						
Mullweland						see
Mulholland						
Murray, Archibald G.	1 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	July 7, 1826	October 2, 1826		R. <sup>P</sup>
Murray, Archibald G.	12 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	July 7, 1826	October 2, 1826		
Murray, James B.	22 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	July 25, 1835	April 1, 1837 <sup>E</sup>		R. <sup>G</sup>
Neel, Seely	33 W1/2 - NE 1/4					Pat.ass'd
from John Brown, no information on Neel						
Newell, Nathan	13 SE 1/4	160	August 8, 1826	November 1, 1826	August 8,	
1836 <sup>P</sup>						
Norris, Walter	1 NW 1/4	150.28	April 17, 1826	July 3, 1826		Morris <sup>P,C</sup> ,
July 7, 1826 <sup>GM</sup>						
Olas						see Olds
Olds, Hezakah	17 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 30, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>		Hezekiah <sup>A</sup> ,
Hezekiah Olas <sup>C</sup>						
Name	Section#, Description	Acres	Sale Date	Patent Issue Date	Comments	
Osgood, Leonard W.	19 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	May 30, 1828	March 6, 1829	May 25,	
1826 <sup>GM</sup>						
Osgood, Leonard W.	19 NW 1/4	125.52	May 25, 1826	September 1, 1826		
Otis, Daniel G.	25 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	July 5, 1827	October 1, 1827		David <sup>A,C,GM</sup>
Page, Rufus	2 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	June 5, 1826	September 1, 1826		
Page						see Payne
Parkhurst, Abel <sup>A</sup> B.	11 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	October 25, 1826	December 1, 1826		Abell <sup>1894</sup> ,
P. <sup>C</sup>						
Patterson, Jacob	2 E1/2 - NE 1/4	74.17	July 16, 1830	January 1, 1831		
Payne Lemuel	2 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	May 22, 1826	September 1, 1826		Samuel <sup>C</sup>
Payne, Arnold	10 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	May 27, 1831	December 31, 1831 <sup>E</sup>		Page <sup>P</sup>
Pettibone, Lyman	20 SE1/4 - NE 1/4	40	December 24, 1832 <sup>A</sup>	October 28, 1835 <sup>E</sup>		December
24, 1833 <sup>1894,GM</sup> , G. Pettybone <sup>C</sup>						

<sup>21</sup> No Joseph Ross found on BLM web site. Parcels for Joseph Moss on BLM web site are consistent with index.

<sup>22</sup> Not found on BLM web site or listed on 1894 index..

Pettibone, Zalmon Pettybone <sup>C</sup> Pettybone Pettibone	19 E1/2 - SW 1/4	70.18	June 14, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	Tolman  see
Phelps, Gaylord	10 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	July 4, 1826	October 2, 1826	
Phelps, Justin	10 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	June 2, 1827	August 6, 1827	
Phelps, Justin	9 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	June 17, 1826	September 1, 1826	James
Witherell <sup>GM</sup> shown in error					
Phillips, Jere 1825 <sup>P</sup>	33 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	October 4, 1825	February 22, 1826	October 8,
Phillips, John 16, 1824 <sup>G</sup>	32 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	September 6, 1824	April 2, 1825	September
Phillips, John 1824 <sup>G</sup>	32 NE 1/4	160	October 9, 1824	April 2, 1825	October 4,
Pierce, Orzamus <sup>23</sup> Joel Welman <sup>P</sup>	17 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 30, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	Orsamus <sup>A</sup> ,
Pine, Benjamin	36 NW 1/4	160	April 14, 1825	April 18, 1825	
Porter, Augustus S <sub>2</sub>	5 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	August 31, 1831	July 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	Augustine <sup>P</sup>
Pratt, Ashley purchased with Ira Merrill	35 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 25, 1830	January 5, 1831 <sup>E</sup>	Jointly
Pray, Esek	3 E1/2 - NW 1/4	71.04	December 5, 1828	April 1, 1829	Eseck <sup>A</sup>
Pray, Esek	3 W 1/2 - SE 1/4	80	July 3, 1826	October 2, 1826	Eseck <sup>A</sup>
Pray, Esek 1825 <sup>P</sup>	8 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	July 28, 1825	February 1, 1826	July 18,
Pray, Esek 1825 <sup>G</sup>	8 SW 1/4	160	July 5, 1825	February 1, 1826	July 3,
Pray, Esek	9 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	June 23, 1825	February 1, 1826	
Pray, Ezeck Eseck <sup>A</sup> , Eseck <sup>C</sup>	3 E1/2 - NE 1/4	76.36	November 24, 1825	April 1, 1826	Enoch <sup>P</sup> ,
Pray, Ezeck Eseck <sup>A</sup> , Eseck <sup>C</sup>	3 E1/2 - SE 1/4	76.37	November 24, 1825	April 1, 1826	Enoch <sup>P</sup> ,
Pray, Nathan H. Pullen	3 W1/2 - NE 1/4	72.24	October 29, 1830	January 1, 1831	see Pullin Comments
Pullin, James	30 W1/2 - SW 1/4	70.44	June 17, 1824	April 1, 1825	Pullen <sup>C,G</sup>
Rash, George 1831 <sup>E</sup> , Rush <sup>C</sup>	30 W1/2 - NW 1/4	72.76	May 18, 1830	November 1, 1830	January 5,
Reeve, Phillip H.	1 SW 1/4	160	October 29, 1825	February 22, 1826	
Reeve, Phillip H. Reming	1 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	November 30, 1825	April 1, 1826	see Fleming
Rice, Ira	12 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	April 16, 1828	March 6, 1829	
Rice, Ira	13 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	March 26, 1827	May 5, 1827	
Richards, Daniel Jr.	21 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	May 18, 1826	September 1, 1826	
Robens, Moses Rolens <sup>C</sup> , May 25, 1825 <sup>GM</sup>	11 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	May 29, 1828	March 6, 1829	Robins <sup>P</sup> ,
Robins Robinson, Hiram	13 NW 1/4	160	April 3, 1826	July 3, 1826	see Robens

<sup>23</sup> The 1870 book has Orsamus Pierce crossed out and Joal Wellman written in with a new patent date of January 23, 1935(sic).

Rogers, Edward L. 1826 <sup>GM</sup> , April 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	19 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	July 23, 1826	September 1, 1826	May 18,
Rogers, Edward L. 1836 <sup>P</sup>	20 S 1/2	320	May 18, 1826	September 1, 1826	May 18,
Rolens					see Robens
Root, Augustus	2 E1/2 - NW 1/4	75.65	July 7, 1831	July 10, 1832 <sup>E</sup>	Augustine <sup>P</sup>
Root, Augustus	2 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	September 9, 1825	February 22, 1826	Augustine <sup>P</sup>
Root, Roswell	14 E1/2 - NW 1/4	80	August 2, 1827	October 20, 1827	
Ross, Joseph be error, actual name Joseph Moss					Appears to
Rush					see Rash
Sackrider, Joseph L. 1824 <sup>G</sup> , Sacrider <sup>A</sup>	30 E1/2 - SW 1/4	63.67	June 29, 1824	October 20, 1824	June 27,
Sackrider, Joseph L. 1824 <sup>G</sup> , Sacrider <sup>A</sup>	30 W1/2 - SE 1/4	63.68	June 29, 1824	October 20, 1824	June 27,
Sanford, John A.	35 NE 1/4	160	May 26, 1825	September 1, 1825	Sawford <sup>P</sup>
Sarles, George	27 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	May 19, 1824	April 1, 1825	Lakes <sup>C</sup>
Sarava					see Larawa
Sawford					see Sanford
Schofield					see Scofield
Scofield, Orin Schofield <sup>P,C,GM</sup>	11 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	June 5, 1827	August 6, 1827	
Seeley, Gershom 3, 1830 <sup>E</sup> , Seely <sup>GM</sup>	24 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 28, 1829	October 3, 1829	December
Seely					see Seeley
Shaughniss, John S.	6 E1/2 -SW 1/4	55.16	March 31, 1832	June 8, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	
Shaughniss, John	7 NW 1/4	112.80	June 6, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	
Shores, Jonathan Jr. 1831 <sup>P</sup> , not found on BLM web site	6 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	June 16, 1831		June 6,
Shumard					see
Chumard					
Name	Section#, Description	Acres	Sale Date	Patent Issue Date	Comments
Sines, Abigail	26 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	July 1, 1825	February 1, 1826	Lines <sup>C</sup>
Sines, Isaac 1824 <sup>GM</sup>	34 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	May 17, 1824	April 1, 1825	May 19,
Sines, Phillip	33 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	May 19, 1824	April 1, 1825	
Sines, Rachael Champlain Jr. <sup>C</sup>	34 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	August 6, 1825	February 22, 1826	S.
Smith, John N. October 26, 1830 <sup>GM</sup>	25 NW 1/4	160	October 20, 1830	January 1, 1831	M. <sup>A,C,GM</sup> ,
Speer, Moor	24 N 1/2	320	October 6, 1826	December 1, 1826	Moore <sup>A</sup>
Speer, Moor	24 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 19, 1827	August 1, 1827	Moore <sup>A</sup>
Stacey					see Stacy
Stacy, Ebenezer	13 SW 1/4	160	June 14, 1826	September 1, 1826	Stacey <sup>P,C,GM</sup>
Swarthout, Anthony R.	28 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	July 1, 1826	October 2, 1826	
Swarthout, Anthony R. 1827 <sup>E</sup>	29 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	July 1, 1826	October 2, 1826	October 1,
Swarthout, Anthony R.	29 SE 1/4	160	July 1, 1826	October 2, 1826	
Swarthout, Anthony on BLM web site	21 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	July 14, 1827	October 1, 1827	Not found

Sweeting, Almon A. 1830 <sup>GM</sup> , A.A. Swarhout <sup>C</sup>	36 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	October 8, 1830	January 1, 1831	October 9,
Sweeting, Almon, A.	25 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	February 7, 1832	June 8, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	Sweetling <sup>C</sup> see
Sweeting					
Swick, Andrew	29 NW 1/4	160	July 1, 1826	October 2, 1826	Levick <sup>C</sup>
Tafft <sup>A,C,GM</sup> , Job W.	12 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	August 25, 1826	November 1, 1826	Taft <sup>1894</sup> ,
August 5, 1826 <sup>P</sup> , Patent assigned to F. Bortle Taft					see Taft
Thayer, John G. <sup>24</sup>	28 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 17, 1825	September 1, 1826	Patent
assigned to Anthony Case					
Thayer, John G.	33 W1/2 - NW 1/4	80	May 25, 1825	September 1, 1825	J.G.
Haynes <sup>C</sup>					
Thomas, Daniel	6 E1/2 - NW 1/4	59.03	June 11, 1827	August 6, 1827	
Thomas, Daniel	6 W1/2 - NE 1/4	59.03	June 11, 1827	August 6, 1827	
Thomas, Isaac	7 E1/2 - SW 1/4	56.60	September 27, 1824	April 2, 1825	
Thomas, Isaac	7 SE 1/4	160	September 27, 1824	April 2, 1825	
Thompson, Lewis	35 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	May 25, 1830	January 5, 1831 <sup>E</sup>	Jointly
purchased with Ira Merrill, Thomson <sup>A</sup>					
Tooker, Hiran H.	14 NE 1/4	160	May 22, 1826	September 1, 1826	Looker <sup>P</sup> ,
Tookes <sup>C</sup>					see Tooker
Tookes					
Townsend, Andrew S.	16 SW1/4 - NE 1/4	40	October 12, 1841	February 11, 1873	
Townsend, George W.	16 NE1/4 - NW 1/4	40	October 2, 1841	January 3, 1865	
Name	Section#, Description	Acres	Sale Date	Patent Issue Date	Comments
Townsend, George W.	16 NW1/4 - NE 1/4	40	October 25, 1848	January 3, 1864	
Voorhees, George	6 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	June 16, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	Vorhees <sup>C</sup> see
Vorhees					
Voorhees					
Wansey					see Wensey
Warsey					see Wensey
Wellman, Joel	17 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	October 6, 1824	April 2, 1825	Welman <sup>A</sup> ,
William <sup>C</sup>					
Wellman, Joel	8 E1/2 - SE 1/4	80	October 6, 1824	April 2, 1825	Williams <sup>C</sup>
Wellman, Joel	9 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	October 6, 1824	April 2, 1825	August 6,
1824 <sup>P</sup> , Williams <sup>C</sup>					
Wells, William	7 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	May 31, 1831	April 4, 1833 <sup>E</sup>	March 31,
1831 <sup>GM</sup>					
Welman					see
Wellman					
Wensey, Henry <sup>25</sup>	26 W1/2 - SW 1/4	80	April 22, 1825	August 18, 1825	Wensey <sup>A</sup> ,
Warsey <sup>C</sup> , Wansey <sup>GM</sup>					
Wheelock, Robert T.	4 SE 1/4	160	May 18, 1826	September 1, 1826	

<sup>24</sup> The first ownership of this parcel has been attributed to Anthony Case by the BLM, John G. Thayer by Geddes, and John G. Hayes by Chapman

<sup>25</sup> No record found in the BLM under Wensley, Wensly, Wensey, Warsey, or Wansey.

Wheelock, Silas 1826 <sup>P</sup> , May 11, 1826 <sup>GM</sup>	3 SW 1/4	160	May 18, 1826	September 1, 1826	May 15,
Wheelock, Silas 1826 <sup>P</sup> , May 11, 1826 <sup>GM</sup>	3 W1/2 - NW 1/4	71.03	May 18, 1826	September 1, 1826	May 15,
Whitney, Curtis R. 1836 <sup>P</sup> , Pat.assigned to Thomas A. Whitney	14 SW1/4 - NW 1/4	40	September 2, 1847	September 1, 1848 <sup>E</sup>	August 26,
Whitney, Curtis R. <sup>26</sup>	14 W1/4 - NW 1/4	40	August 26, 1835	April 10, 1837 <sup>E</sup>	Patent
Whitney, Thomas A. assigned from Curtis R. Whitney	14 W1/4 - NW 1/4				
Wickoff, Joseph	5 N 1/2	250.40	May 28, 1827	August 1, 1827	
Wilbur, Amos	16 NE1/4 - SE 1/4	40	August 10, 1848	April 17, 1866	
Wilcox <sup>A</sup> , Theron	13 W1/2 - NE 1/4	80	August 8, 1826	November 1, 1826	Wiley <sup>P</sup> ,
Willcox <sup>GM</sup> , August 6, 1826 <sup>P</sup>					see Wilcox
Wiley					see Wilcox
Willcox					see
Williams					see
Wellman					
Witherell, James	10 E1/2 - NE 1/4	80	April 23, 1828	March 6, 1829	
Witherell, James 1825 <sup>P</sup>	33 E1/2 - SW 1/4	80	November 28, 1825	April 1, 1826	May 28,
Wooden					see Woodin
Woodin, Peter Pelis <sup>C</sup>	12 W1/2 - SE 1/4	80	February 19, 1827	April 20, 1827	Wooden <sup>A</sup> ,

<sup>26</sup> 1894 book shows land patent also assigned to Washington Whitney which does not appear anywhere else. Transcriber possibly mistook Washtenaw (County) for Washington.

## A List of Initial Purchasers of Land in Superior Township

With the old Superior Township records maintained in the vault at the Superior Township Hall there is currently a large number of books containing the tax assessments rolls for the township. Among them is a bound volume of tax assessment rolls identified as Superior Twn 1835-1854. The first document in this book is a list of the patent holders of land in the township. In a comparison with other research it has been determined that the last purchase of land contained on this document was dated October 26, 1833 (Alexander Karr, section 22) and the next purchase which was omitted from this document was July 6, 1835 (Burr Jennings, section 20). There were no purchases of Superior Township land recorded for 1834, either in this document or other official records.

The presumption is that this document was made in preparation for the creation of the first tax assessment roll for Superior Township, the Township having been established in March 1833 after the township of Panama had been separated into Salem and Superior Townships.

This list contains a few discrepancies relative to the official records from which the First Land Holders in Superior Township lists were made. The information in this record was not included with the information obtained from the "official" lists.

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November 2005

Name	Section#	Acreage	Location
Hamilton, Thomas Jr.	1	79.38	W1/2 NE 1/4
Reeve, Philip H.	1	240	E1/2 SW 1/4 W1/2 SW 1/4 W1/2 SE 1/4
Farrand, John S.	1	79.38	E1/2 NE 1/4
Walter Norris	1	150.28	E1/2 NW 1/4 W1/2 NW 1/4
Archibald G. Murray	1	ns	E1/2 SE 1/4
Chumard, Betsey	2	80	E1/2 SE 1/4
Root, Augustus	2	155.65	W1/2 SE 1/4 E1/2 NW 1/4
Payne, Lemuel	2	80	W1/2 SW 1/4
Page, Rufus	2	80	E1/2 SW 1/4
McCormick, Abraham	2	75.65	W1/2 NW 1/4
Paterson, Jacob	2	74.17	E1/2 NE 1/4
Chase, Alonson	2	74.17	W1/2 NE 1/4



Pray, Esek	3	303.76	E1/2 SE 1/4 W1/2 SE 1/4 E1/2 NE 1/4 E1/2 NW 1/4
Wheelock, Silas	3	321.03	E1/2 SW 1/4 W1/2 SW 1/4 W1/2 NW 1/4
Pray, Nathan H.	3	72.74	W1/2 NE 1/4
Wheelock, Robert F.	4	160	E1/2 SE 1/4 W1/2 SE 1/4
Douglass, Aaron	4	303.24	W1/2 NW 1/4 E1/2 NW 1/4 E1/2 SW 1/4 W1/2 SW 1/4
Hammond, Dennis	4	72.55	E1/2 NE 1/4
Green, Orange	4	36.28	NW 1/4 NE 1/4
Wickoff, Joseph	5	280	E1/2 NE 1/4 W1/2 NE 1/4 E1/2 NW 1/4 W1/2 NW 1/4
Porter, Augustus S.	5	80	W1/2 SW 1/4
Dowdel, John	5	80	E1/2 SE 1/4
Doyle, John	5	80	E1/2 SW 1/4
Cowen, Peter	5	80	W1/2 SE 1/4
Hull, Samuel T.	6	70.48	E1/2 NE 1/4
Thomas, Daniel	6	118.06	E1/2 NW 1/4 W1/2 NE 1/4
Havens, Champlain	6	47.58	W1/2 NW 1/4
Voorheis, George	6	80	W1/2 SE 1/4
Shores, Johnathan Jr.	6	80	E1/2 SE 1/4
Howe, Joseph	6	55.16	W1/2 SW 1/4
Shaughness, John	6	55.16	E1/2 SW 1/4
Thomas, Isaac	7	216.60	E1/2 SE 1/4

			W1/2 SE 1/4
			E1/2 SW 1/4
Dix, John	7	56.60	W1/2 SW 1/4
Howard, Alexander	7	80	E 1/2 NE 1/4
Wells, William	7	80	W1/2 NE 1/4
Shaughniss, John	7	112.80	NW fractional 1/4
Wellman, Joel	8	80	E1/2 SE 1/4
Pray, Esek	8	240	E1/2 SW 1/4
			W1/2 SW 1/4
			E1/2 SW 1/4
McCormick, Abraham	8	80	W1/2 SE 1/4
Howard, Alexander	8	80	W1/2 NW 1/4
Douglass, Aaron	8	160	E1/2 NE 1/4
			W1/2 NE 1/4
Wellman, Joel	9	80	W1/2 SW 1/4
Pray, Esek	9	80	E1/2 SW 1/4
Hix, Burden	9	80	E1/2 NW 1/4
Phelps, Justin	9	80	E1/2 NE 1/4
Hawkins, Olney	9	80	W1/2 NE 1/4
McCormick, George	9	80	W1/2 NW 1/4
Perkins, Almon	9	80	W1/2 SE 1/4
Durfee, Edward	9	80	E1/2 SE 1/4
Phelps, Gaylord	10	80	W1/2 NW 1/4
Phelps, Justin	10	80	W1/2 NE 1/4
Witherell, James	10	80	E1/2 NE 1/4
Jayne, William	10	80	W1/2 SE 1/4
Bentley, John	10	80	E1/2 SE 1/4
Curtis, Moses S.	10	80	E1/2 SW 1/4
Payne, Arnold	10	80	W1/2 SW 1/4
Delano, Ephraim B.	10	80	E1/2 NW 1/4
Driscoll, Joshua G.	11	320	E1/2 NE 1/4
			W1/2 NE 1/4
			E1/2 NW 1/4
			W1/2 NW 1/4
Beers, Harvey	11	80	E1/2 SE 1/4
Parkhurst, Abel P.	11	80	W1/2 SE 1/4
Scotfield, Orin	11	80	E1/2 SW 1/4
Robins, Moses	11	80	W1/2 SW 1/4
Brown, John	12	160	E1/2 SW 1/4

			W1/2 SW 1/4
Murray, Archibald G.	12	80	E1/2 NE 1/4
Taft, Job W.	12	80	W1/2 NW 1/4
Woodin, Peter	12	80	W1/2 SE 1/4
Rice, Ira	12	80	E1/2 SE 1/4
Larawa, Jacob	12	80	W1/2 NE 1/4

Robinson, Hiram	13	160	E1/2 NW 1/4
			W1/2 NW 1/4
Stacy, Ebenezer	13	160	E1/2 SW 1/4
			W1/2 SW 1/4
Wilcox, Theron	13	80	W1/2 NE 1/4
Newell, Nathan	13	160	E1/2 SE 1/4
			W1/2 SE 1/4
Rice, Ira	13	80	E1/2 NE 1/4

Tooker, Hiram H.	14	160	E1/2 NE 1/4
			W1/2 NE 1/4
Bartlett, John	14	80	E1/2 SE 1/4
Barr, Robert	14	80	W1/2 SE 1/4
Kimmell, Henry	14	80	E1/2 SW 1/4
Root, Roswell	14	80	E1/2 NW 1/4
Cole, Peter	14	80	W1/2 SW 1/4

Bowen, Zioloa(sp?)	15	80	W1/2 SW 1/4
Gale, Royal	15	480	E1/2 NE 1/4
			W1/2 NE 1/4
			E1/2 NW 1/4
			W1/2 NW 1/4
			E1/2 SW 1/4
Cole, Peter	15	ns	E1/2 SE 1/4

No owners shown for Section 16

Wellman, Joel	17	80	E1/2 NE 1/4
Bowers, Joseph	17	160	E1/2 NW 1/4
			W1/2 NW 1/4
McCormick, George	17	80	W1/2 NE 1/4
Olds, Heseiah	17	80	W1/2 SE 1/4
Pierce, Orsamus	17	80	E1/2 SE 1/4
Cook, Bennet	17	160	E1/2 SW 1/4

			W1/2 SW 1/4
Dix, John	18	412.52	E1/2 NE 1/4 W1/2 NE 1/4 E1/2 NW 1/4 W1/2 NW 1/4 W1/2 SE 1/4 E1/2 SW 1/4
Cummings, Nathaniel	18	58.40	W1/2 SW 1/4
Mulholland, James & John	18	80	E1/2 SE 1/4
Osgood, Leonard	19	205.52	E1/2 NW 1/4 W1/2 NW 1/4 E1/2 NE 1/4
Rogers, Edward L.	19	80	E1/2 SE 1/4
King, Jacob W.	19	80	W1/2 NE 1/4
Pettibone, Zalmon	19	70.18	E1/2 SW 1/4 fraction
Fall, William T.	19	70.18	W1/2 SW 1/4 fraction
Forsyth, James J.	19	80	W1/2 SE 1/4
Rogers, Edward L.	20	320	E1/2 SE 1/4 W1/2 SE 1/4 E1/2 SW 1/4 W1/2 SW 1/4
Crippen, Ichabod	20	160	W1/2 NE 1/4 E1/2 NW 1/4
Mulholland, James	20	40	SW 1/4 NW 1/4
Graham, William Jr.	20	40	NW 1/4 NW 1/4
Pettibone, Lyman	20	40	SE 1/4 NE 1/4
Richards, Daniel Jr.	21	80	W1/2 SW 1/4
Camp, Ira	21	80	E1/2 NE 1/4
Bowen, Ann	21	160	E1/2 NW 1/4 W1/2 NE 1/2
Swarthout, Anthony R.	21	80	E1/2 SW 1/4
Gage, Simeon	21	80	W1/2 NW 1/4
Dyer, Daniel	21	80	W1/2 SE 1/4

Kimmel, Henry	22	320	E1/2 SE 1/4 W1/2 SE 1/4 E1/2 NE 1/4 W1/2 NE 1/4	
Bowen, Zeoloa	22	80	W1/2 NW 1/4	
Cole, Peter	22	80	E1/2 NW 1/4	
Karr, Alexander R.	22	80	E1/2 SW 1/4	
Kimmel, Henry	23	560	E1/2 NW 1/4 W1/2 NW 1/4 E1/2 SW 1/4 W1/2 SW 1/4 E1/2 NE 1/4 W1/2 NE 1/4 W1/2 SE 1/4	
Kellogg, Charles H.	23	80	E1/2 SE 1/4	
Speer, Moor	24	400	E1/2 NE 1/4 W1/2 NE 1/4 E1/2 NW 1/4 W1/2 NW 1/4 W1/2 SE 1/4	
Curtis, John	24	160	E1/2 SW 1/4 W1/2 SW 1/4	
Seely, Gurshom	24	80	E1/2 SE 1/4	
Mead, Ezra	25	80	W1/2 SW 1/4	
Kimmel, Henry	25	80	W1/2 SE 1/4	
Benedict, James	25	160	E1/2 NE 1/4 W1/2 NE 1/4	
Otis, David G.	25	80	E1/2 SW 1/4	"do" refers to the
Smith, John N.	25	80	E1/2 NW 1/4	individual listed
do do	25	80	W1/2 NW 1/4	immediately above
Sweeting, Almon A.	25	80	E1/2 SE 1/4	

Wonsey, Henry	26	80	W1/2 SW 1/4
Mead, Ezra	26	80	E1/2 SE 1/4
do do	26	80	W1/2 SE 1/4
Garrison, John	26	80	W1/2 NW 1/4
Sines, Abigail	26	80	E1/2 SW 1/4
Kimmel, Henry	26	80	E1/2 NW 1/4
do do	26	80	W1/2 NE 1/4
Forgurson, Robert	26	80	E1/2 NE 1/4
Sarles, George	27	80	W1/2 SW 1/4
Camp Eden	27	80	E1/2 SW 1/4
Ameigh, Lawrence L.	27	80	W1/2 SE 1/4
Moss, Joseph	27	80	E1/2 SE 1/4
Henshaw, William	27	80	E1/2 NE 1/4
do do	27	80	W1/2 NE 1/4
Moon, Noel	27	80	E1/2 NW 1/4
Holden, Samuel & Hinman	27	80	W1/2 NW 1/4
Thayer, John G.	28	80	E1/2 SE 1/4
Case, Anthony	28	80	W1/2 SE 1/4
Camp, Ira	28	80	E1/2 SW 1/4
Hustis, Johnathan	28	80	E1/2 NW 1/4
do do	28	80	W1/2 NW 1/4
do do	28	80	W1/2 NE 1/4
Swarthout, Anthony R.	28	80	W1/2 SW 1/4
Eddy, William	28	80	E1/2 NE 1/4
Hustis, Johnathan	29	80	E1/2 NE 1/4
do do	29	80	W1/2 NE 1/4
Swick, Andrew	29	80	E1/2 NW 1/4
do do	29	80	E1/2 NW 1/4
Swarthout, Anthony R.	29	240	E1/2 SW 1/4 SE 1/4
Hiscock, Alonson	29	80	W1/2 SW 1/4
Pullen, James	30	70.44	W1/2 SW 1/4 fractional
Sackrider, Joseph	30	127.35	W1/2 SE1/4 & E1/2 SW 1/4

Dexter, Samuel W.	30	24.95	S fraction of SE & SW fractional 1/4
Lyon, Lucius	30	53.35	East part of SE fractional 1/4
Dusett, Alanson	30	72.76	E1/2 NW fractional 1/4
Hiscock, William	30	80	E1/2 NE 1/4
Rash, George	30	72.76	W1/2 NW fractional 1/4
Moon, David (Moore)	30	80	W1/2 NE 1/4
Fleming, Robert	31	44.75	NW fraction of NE fractional 1/4
Christie, Hugh	31	67.25	N part NE fractional 1/4
Burlingame, Henry	31	44.37	E fraction of NE & SE fractional 1/4
Geddes, Robert	31	232.06	E1/2 SW 1/4
			W1/2 SW 1/4
			E fraction NE fractional 1/4
Dickerson, John	31	172.61	S part NE fractional 1/4
			W part SE fractional 1/4
Philips, John	32	80	E1/2 NE 1/4
do do	32	80	W1/2 NE 1/4
do do	32	80	E1/2 NW 1/4
Burlingame, Henry	32	154.59	SW fractional !/4
Dusett, Ira	32	78.91	W1/2 SE 1/4
Hiscock, Isaac	32	80	E1/2 SE 1/4
Baker, Elias	32	80	W1/2 NW 1/4
Brown, John	33	80	W1/2 NE 1/4
Sines, Philip	33	80	E1/2 NE 1/4
Baker, Elias	33	80	E1/2 SE 1/4
Thayer, John G.	33	80	W1/2 SW 1/4
Case, Anthony	33	80	E1/2 NW 1/4
Phillips, Jere	33	80	W1/2 SW 1/4
Witherell, James	33	80	E1/2 SW 1/4
Champion, Salmon Jr.	33	80	W1/2 SE 1/4
Avery, Abraham	34	80	W1/2 SW 1/4
Sines, Isaac	34	80	W1/2 NW 1/4
Eddy, William	34	80	E1/2 NW 1/4
do do	34	80	W1/2 NE 1/4
Moss, Joseph	34	80	E1/2 SW 1/4
Sines, Rachael	34	80	E1/2 NE 1/4
Morton, Thomas	34	80	E1/2 SE 1/4
Morton, Johnathan G.	34	80	W1/2 SE 1/4

Sandford, John A.	35	80	W1/2 NE 1/4	
do do	35	80	E1/2 NE 1/4	
Karr, James	35	80	W1/2 NW 1/4	
Eddy, John H.	35	80	E1/2 NW 1/4	
Hastings, Eurotas P.	35	80	W1/2 SW 1/4	
Merrill, Ira & Henry W.	35	80	E1/2 SW 1/4	
Thompson, Lewis &	35	80	E1/2 SE1/4	Ira Merrill
Pratt, Ashley &	35	80	W1/2 SE 1/4	Ira Merrill
Pine, Benjamin	36	80	E1/2 NW 1/4	
do do	36	80	W1/2 NW 1/4	
Goodell, Jotham	36	80	E1/2 NE 1/4	
Fowler, Joseph	36	80	W1/2 NE 1/4	
Fowler, David	36	80	E1/2 SE 1/4	
do do	36	80	W1/2 SE 1/4	
do do	36	80	E1/2 SW 1/4	
Sweeting, Almon A.	36	80	W1/2 SW 1/4	

The following table I put together out of curiosity and to see what patterns would emerge. It is not totally accurate and is at odds with the tables that Paul Peck established, but that is because our criteria were different. If this information is important, best do it again. Paul Peck said that Superior Township was comprised of 23, 396.54 acres. How he arrived at this figure I do not know. The theoretical maximum for a township is 23, 040 acres, 36 sections each containing 640 acres, but the actual surveys after adjustments had townships with sections smaller than 640 acres. I am not aware of any township consisting of just 36 sections containing more than 23,040 acres. Also, there are fractional sections, those abutting against private claims, rivers or lakes, or where adjustments are made. Totaling the number of acres shown sold in Superior Township my figure comes to 22, 366.65 acres. The following schedule is not precise but reasonably accurate.

Year	#of sales	acrage
1823	1	44,75
1824	26	2175,71
1825	46	4581.42
1826	46	5217,84
1827	37	3594.29
1828	11	951.04
1829	9	683.32
1830	15	1259.16



1831	28	2315,54
1832	7	430.32
1833	4	236.28
1834	-	-
1835	4	240.00
1836	2	37.06
1837	-	-
1838	3	120.00
1839	1	40.00
1840	-	-
1841	8	320.00
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1847	2	80.00
1848	2	80.00