

Historic Charlton School Houses

DISTRICT # 1

Schoolhouse on Old Route 67, at the Theodore Tretiak farm - near Jolly Road at Route 67

This building was built about 1897. Now a residence.



DISTRICT # 2

School house was on Sacandaga Road, North of the West Charlton Cemetery (Just above Route 67) Built about 1856, it is now across the street and used as a tool house.



DISTRICT # 3

Schoolhouse on Route 67, between jockey Street and Cook Road - The Holbrook School (North side of the road) Built about 1867. Now a residence.



DISTRICT#4

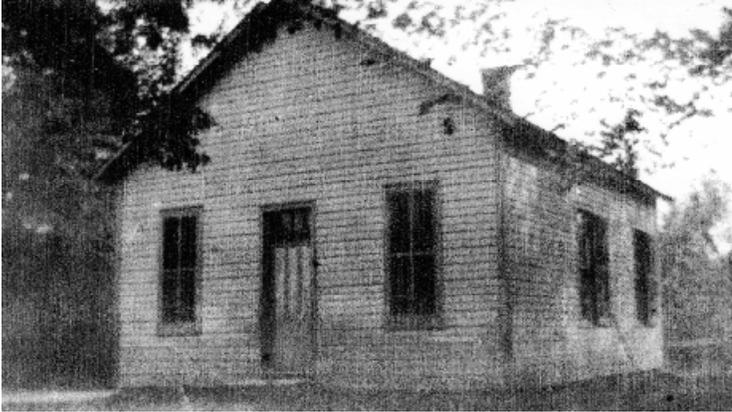
School house now located on the south side of Western Avenue, a short distance west of Route 147, Sacandaga Road was moved here from the rear of the John L. Pearse store about 1914 and is now a residence. The first school house was built about 1815.



DISTRICT # 5

Schoolhouse on Eastern Avenue, opposite Cook Road - The Balaam School

Built about 1871 and now used as a garage. The first District #5 school house was located north of Eastern Avenue on Cook Road.



DISTRICT # 6

Schoolhouse was located on the west corner of Division Street and Charlton Road. According to a road survey a schoolhouse stood here as early as 1800.

An additional lot was purchased in 1835 and a wooden schoolhouse replaced a brick one.

District #6 was abandoned in 1916, the children were sent to Glenville's District #17 and Charlton's District #8 on Maple Avenue.

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DISTRICT #7

School house at Little Troy, on Little Troy Lane. Built in 1856, now a dwelling house. A previous school house stood at the east corner of Valentine Road north of Abby's Brown's store as early as 1818. When it was removed, a portion of it became part of Howard Plummer's house at Little Troy, north of the old bridge, photo below:



DISTRICT # 8

School house now on west side of Maple Avenue, north of Charlton Road, used last as a Mission Library. The first schoolhouse stood on west half of today's Gideon Hawley Park as early as 1816. The second schoolhouse built at Maple Avenue in 1859 for \$411 .86, including the furniture. John B. Packer donated the land in lieu of school taxes, and Nathan H. Brown was overseer of construction. Benjamin Knapp was allowed .75 for "Crying the old schoolhouse" and "Boarding and Lodging Hands" for \$20.13 was an interesting charge to the construction costs. The building of a woodshed and suitable privies cost \$50.00.



DISTRICT#9

School house was located on Peaceable Street and Route 67, south of Harmony Hall. The schoolhouse site was donated by the Parent family. The school house was torn down when Route 67 was changed at the Peaceable Street intersection.

**DISTRICT # 10**

Schoolhouse stood on Valentine Road, near the Emerick house. The district's minutes of October 2, 1828, speak of the election of officers for the next year and a resolution to raise taxes for support of the school. The district was dissolved in 1874 by a vote of 7 to 2.

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