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Babies born in Macinac County, Mich., of Swedish parents

COLLECTED BY ELISABETH THORSELL

During my recent stay in Salt Lake City, I had the opportunity to look through the county birth records for Macinac County in Michigan, and I collected the names and dates of babies, born of parents with Swedish-sounding names:

1885 Feb. 16 John Verner Freeman, St Ignace, son of Johan and Emma Freeman, he a laborer.

1885 Sep. 25 Johan Johnston, Gilchrist Hendricks township, son of Victor and Stina(?) Johnston, he Swedish, she Danish, he a laborer.

1887 Sep. 9 Ellen S. Carleson, Portage town, daughter of John and Elma Carleson, he a farmer.

1887 Aug. 7 Selma Florence Emelia Nelson, St Ignace, daughter of John Alois Nelson and Huldah Mathilda Norberg, he a farmer (this post has been corrected afterwards, which is the information shown here.

1889 Apr. 1 Emma Falquist, Cedar township, daughter of B(?) J. and Louise Falquist, he a laborer.

1889 May 9 Frieda Carlson, Portage township, daughter of John and Selma Carlson, he a farmer.

1889 Aug. 2 Carl F. Gustafson, Moreau township, son of Charles and Jennie Gustafson, he a fisherman.

1889 Aug. 15 Emma J. Benson, St Ignace, daughter of John and Josephina Benson, he a laborer.

1889 Nov. 7 John Royal Strom, Portage township, son of Anders G. and Elma Strom, he a farmer.

1889 Nov. 12 Ellen Augusta Gustafson, Moreau township, daughter of Andrew (?) and (illegible first name) Gustafson, he a fisherman.

1890 Feb. 7 Eva Miller, Naubiwag, daughter of Frank and Jennie Miller, he a laborer.

1890 May 25 Ernst Albert Gustafson, Moreau township, son of Ernst G A Gustafson and Christina Gustafson, he a fisherman.

1890 May 29 Eliqu Weston, Cedar township, son of Charles Weston from Sweden, mother Mary Weston from Canada, he a farmer.

1890 Nov. 1 Lilly Swanson, Portage township, daughter of Peter and Annie Swanson, father a farmer.

1891 Feb. 21 Henning E. Strong, Portage township, son of Andrew G and Alma C. Strong, he a farmer.

1891 Apr. 10 Caroline Johnson, Naubiwag, daughter of August and Caroline Johnson, father a laborer (she is listed among the 1890 children, but the year later changed to 1891).

1892 Aug. 26 Elizabeth Johnson, Naubiwag township, daughter of Charles Johnson from Sweden, a millman, mother Jannie Johnson from Ohio.


1893 May 15 Ellen Weston, Cedar township, daughter of John and Caroline Weston, he a farmer.

1893 Aug. 18 unbaptized girl Blomquist, Cedar township, daughter of Charles Blomquist and Allen (Ellen?) A. Johnson, he a laborer.

1893 Oct. 30 Elsa M. Johnson, Cedar township, daughter of Carl and Mary A Johnson, he a farmer.

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