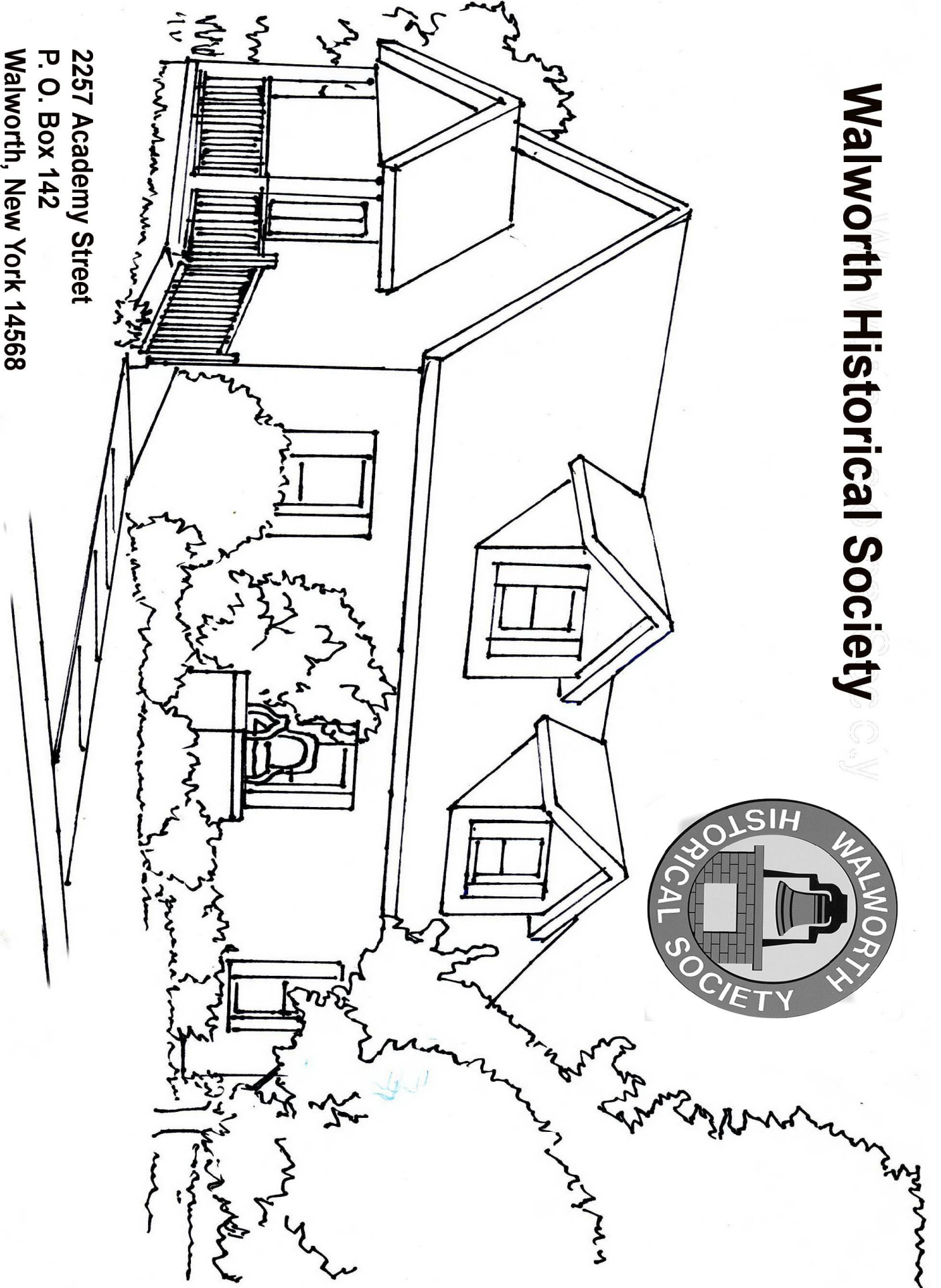
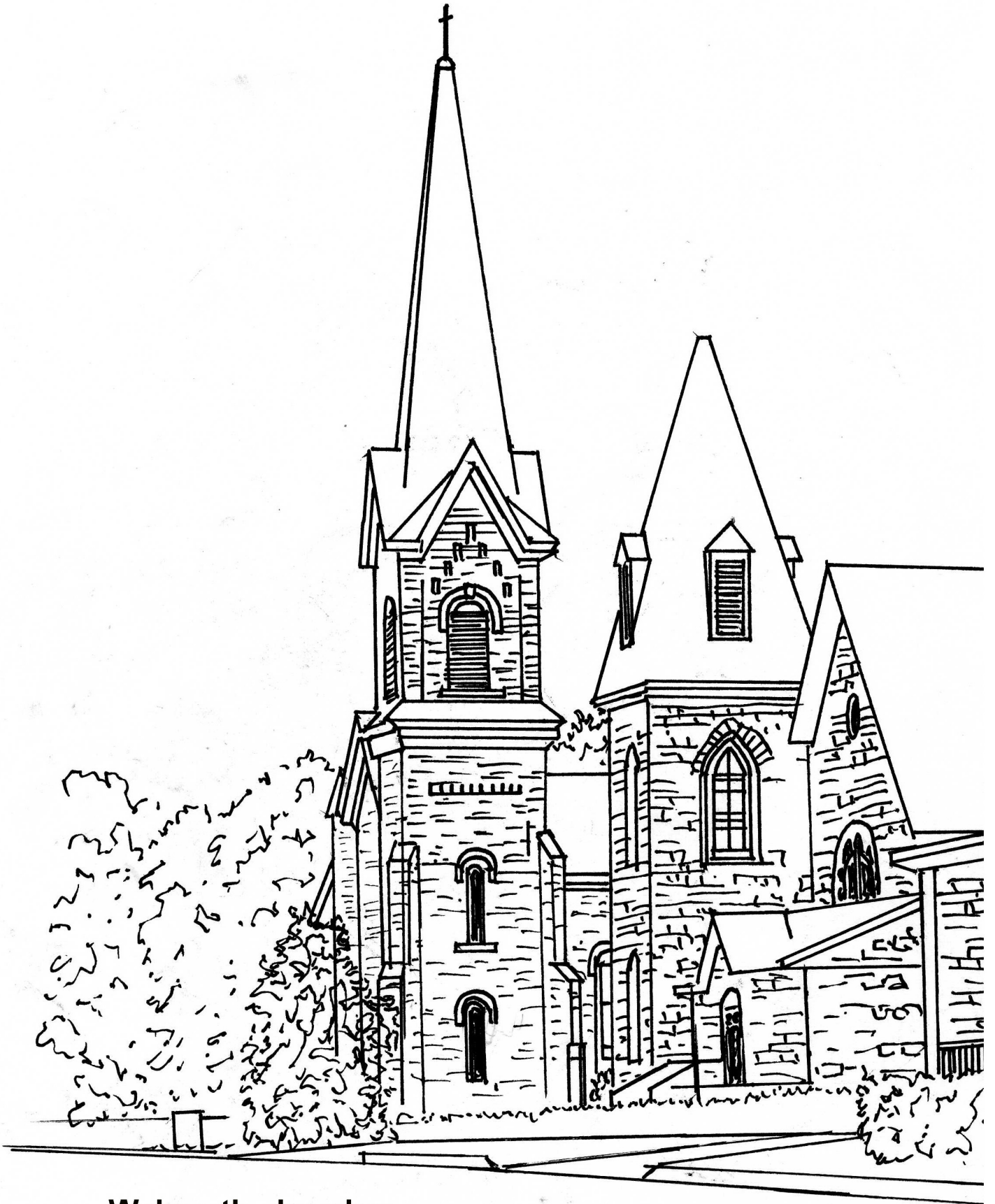


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Walworth churches



THE BLACKSMITH

He is called a blacksmith because he works with iron, which is a black metal.

Craftsmen

Before the days of machines, many of the tools and things people used had to be made by hand. The following are just some of the crafts that would have been common in the 1800's but uncommon today.

Blacksmith – made tools and household objects out of iron & steel. Some blacksmiths made horseshoes, too.

Cooper – made buckets, barrels and various other containers out of wood.

Tanner – tanned hides into leather so that they could be used make items such as shoes and harnesses for horses.

Miller – ran a gristmill where he turned grain into flour for bread and baked goods.

Mason – built houses and other structures out of stone or bricks.

Sawyer - ran a sawmill and cut logs into boards . Sawmills and gristmills were often powered by running water.

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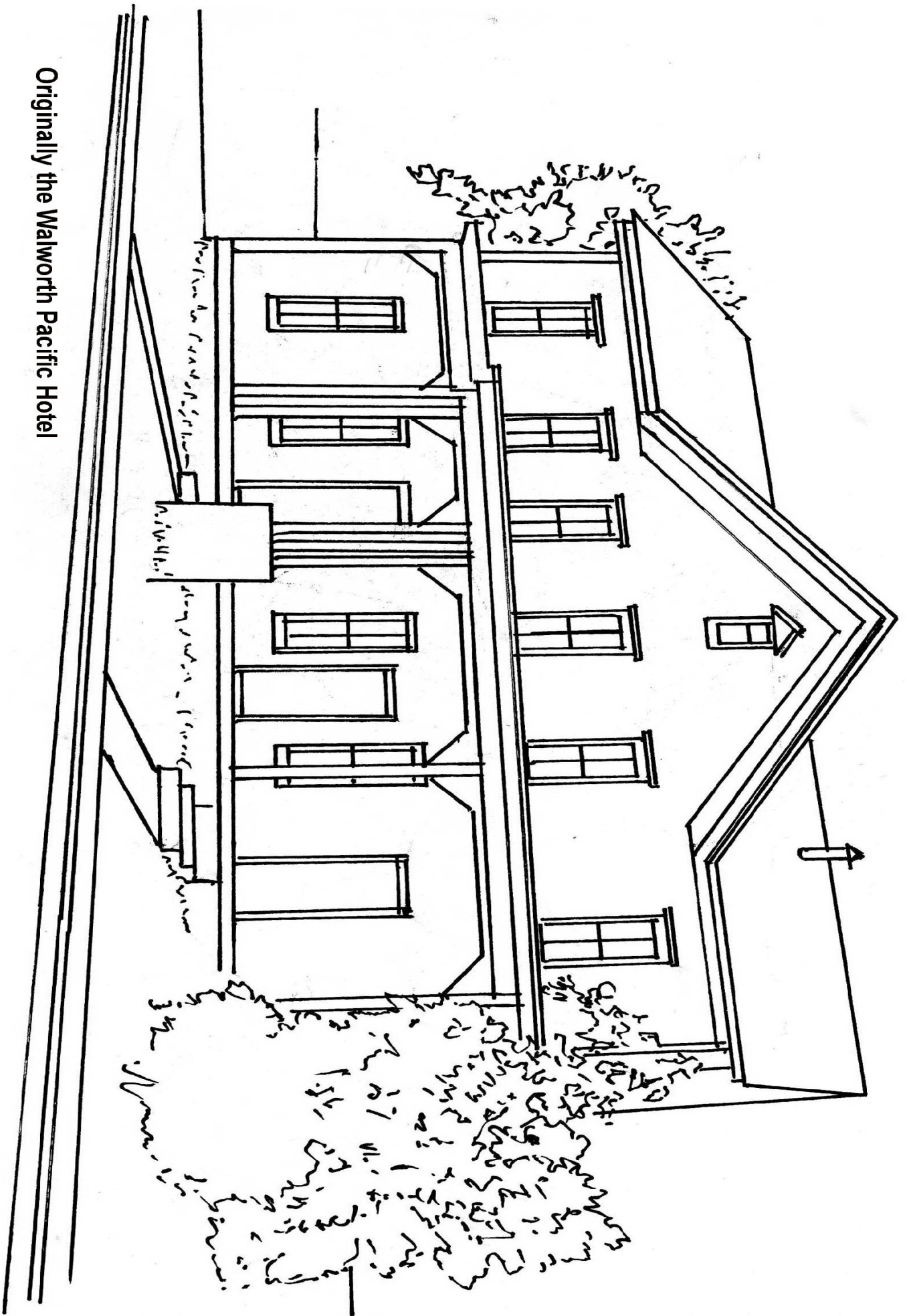
CRAFTSMEN

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BLACKSMITH
COOPER
TANNER
MILLER
MASON
SAWYER



THE COOPER, making tubs for the village.



Originally the Walworth Pacific Hotel

Street & Road Names in Walworth

Did you ever wonder why a street or road has a certain name? Like most places many of the names of the streets and roads in Walworth have a logical explanation.

Some are named after a family that lived on that street or road.

Some are named for a building or activity that took place on that street or road.

Some are named for the material used in making the street or road.

Can you figure out which of the names below match to the reasons above?

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ACADEMY

BILLS

CHURCH

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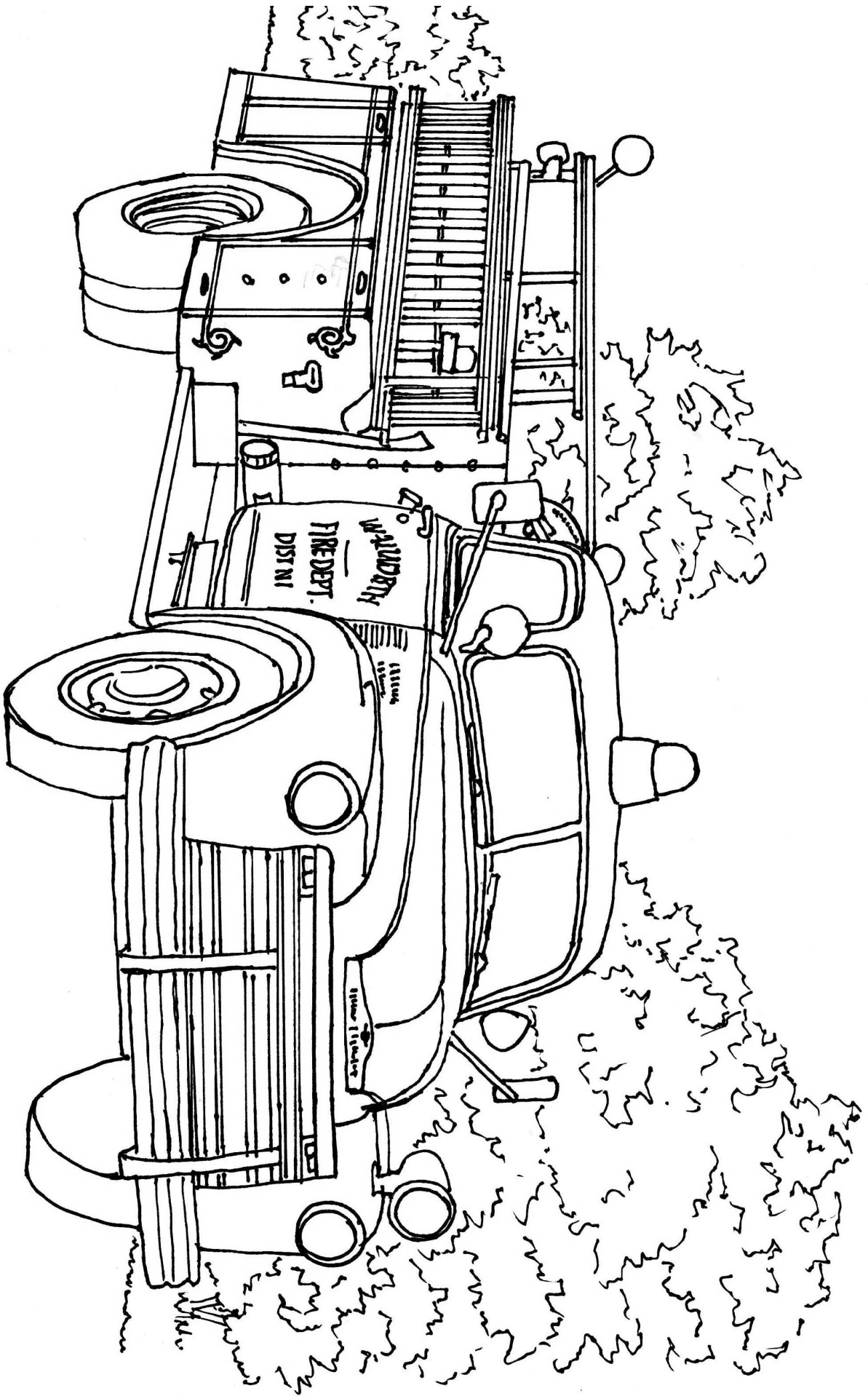
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SCHOOLHOUSE



Walworth fire truck

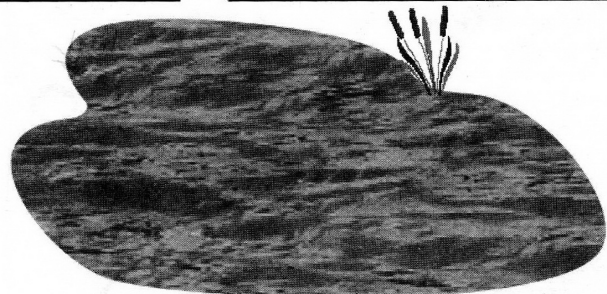
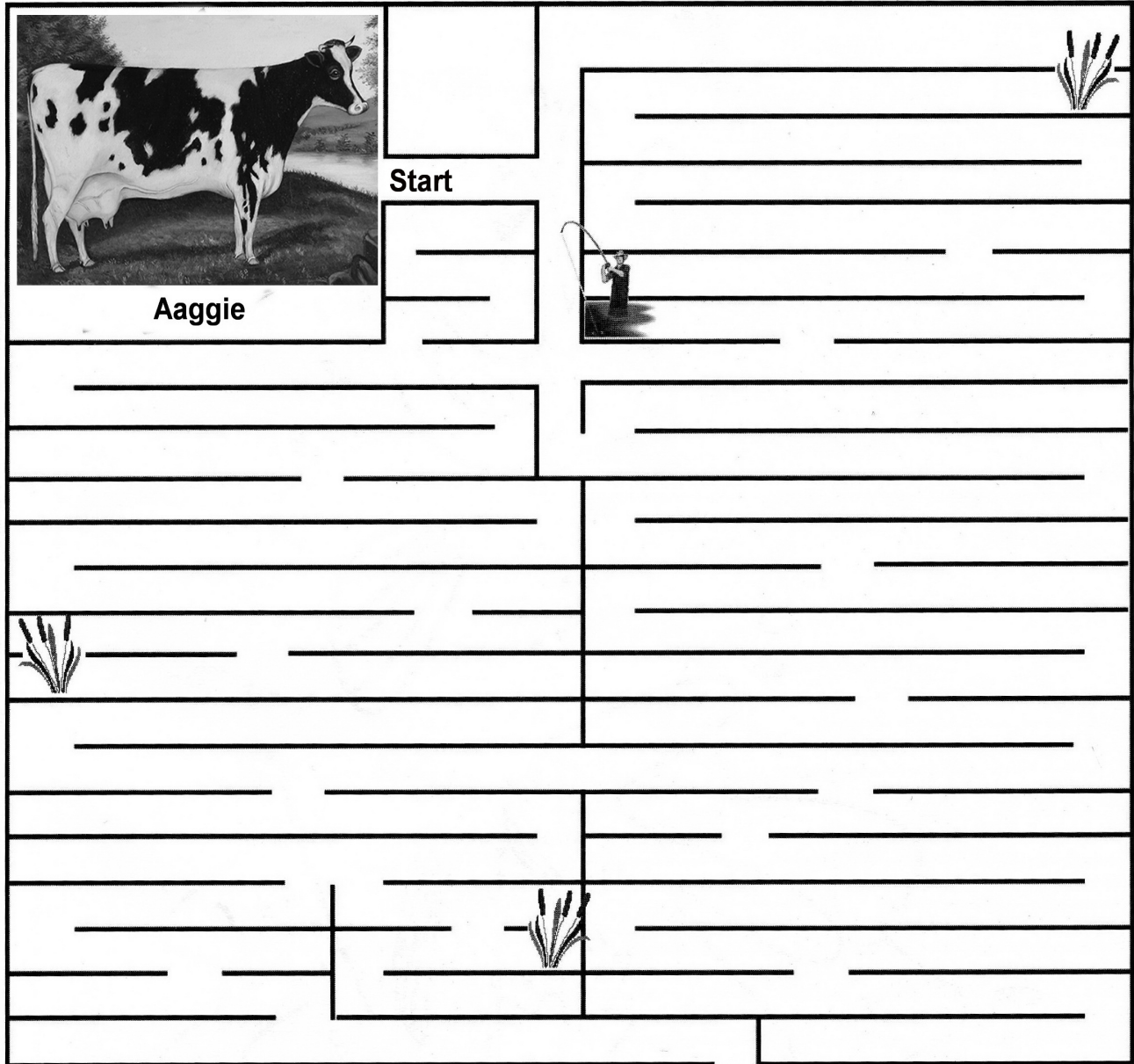




HAYING TIME
Mid-summer was a busy time and all the family helped get in the hay.

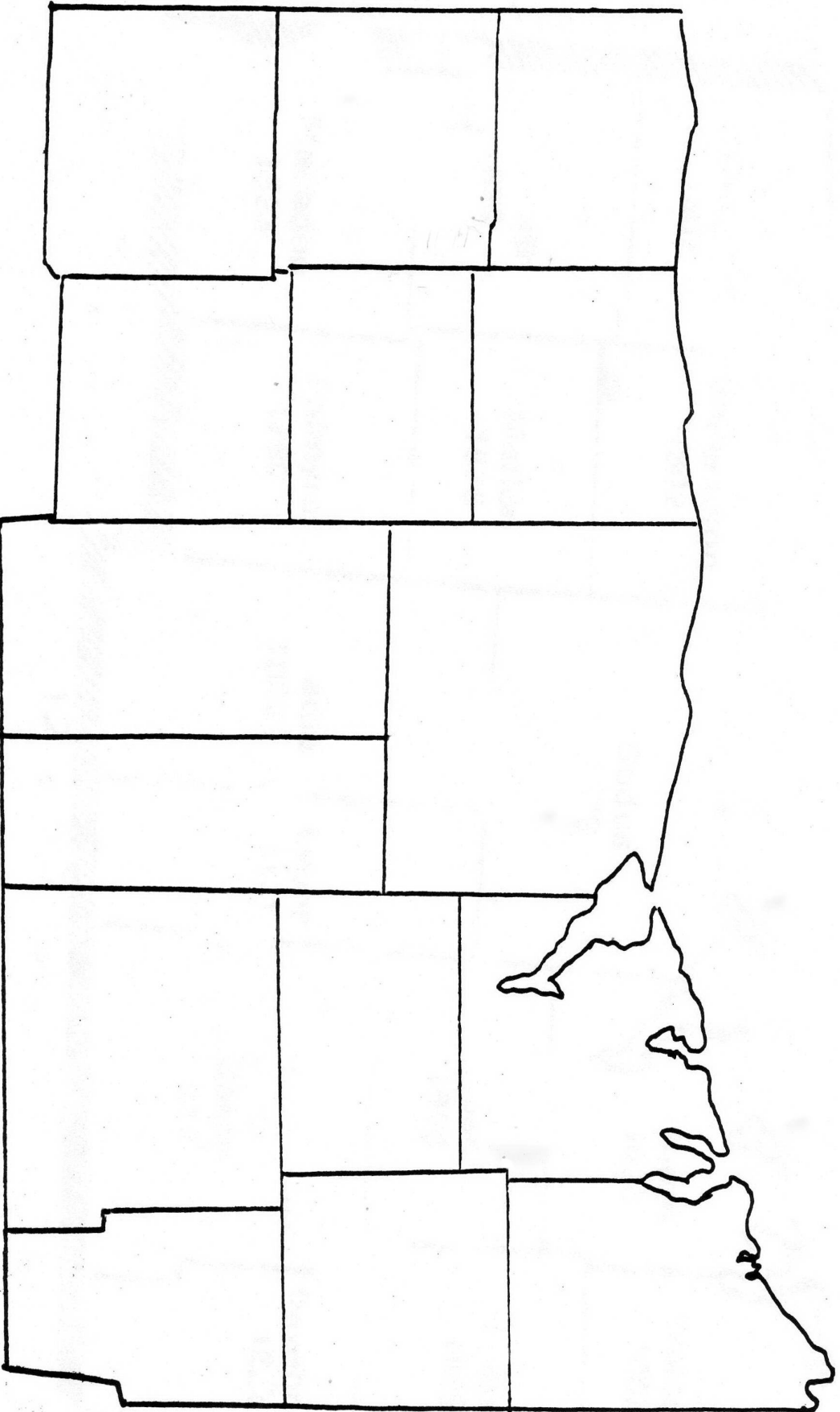
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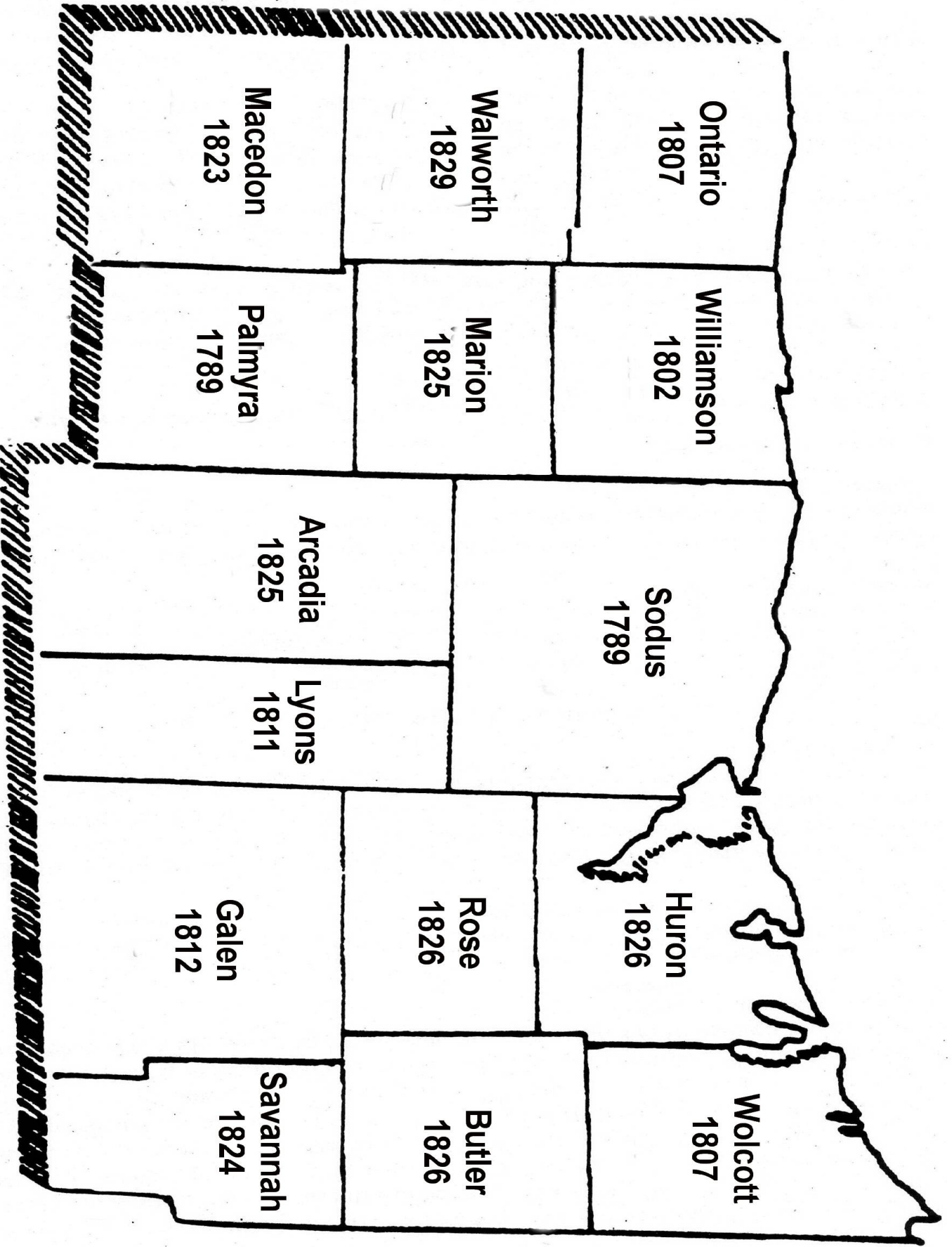
Help Aaggie find her way to the pond.

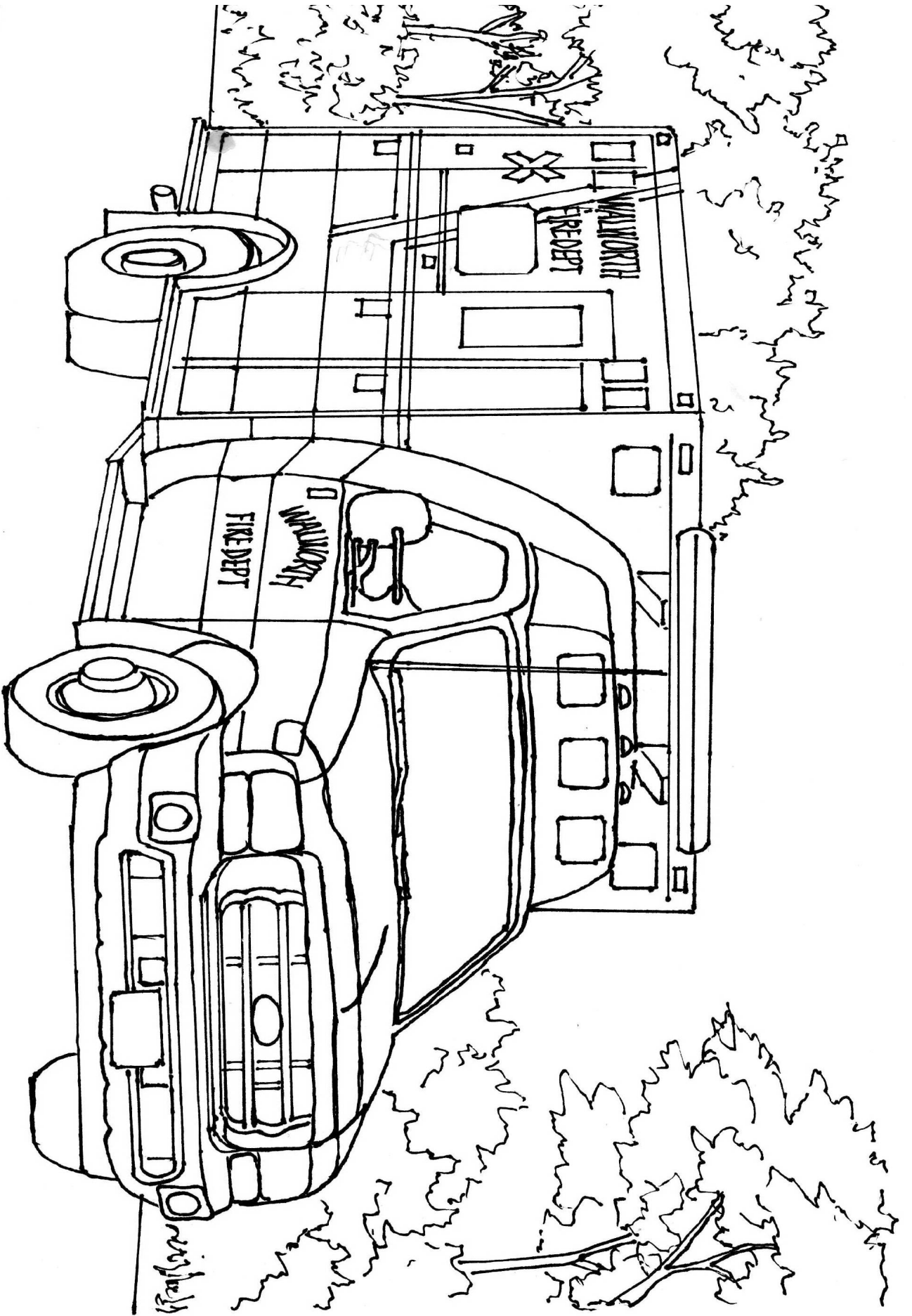


WAYNE COUNTY MAP

Use crayons or markers to color the towns in the lower map different colors. Then cut the colored towns out and glue them to the correct location on the upper blank map.

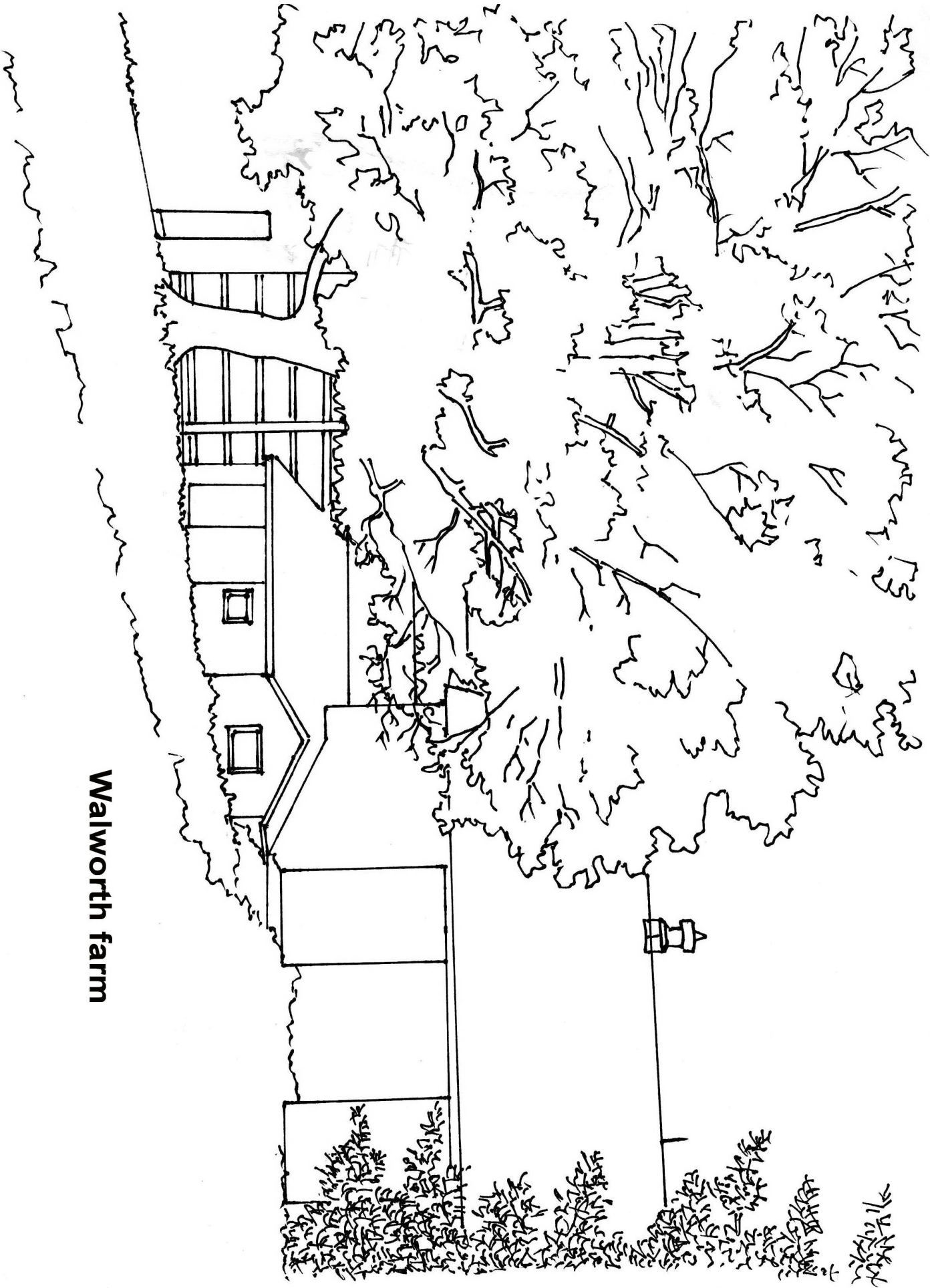




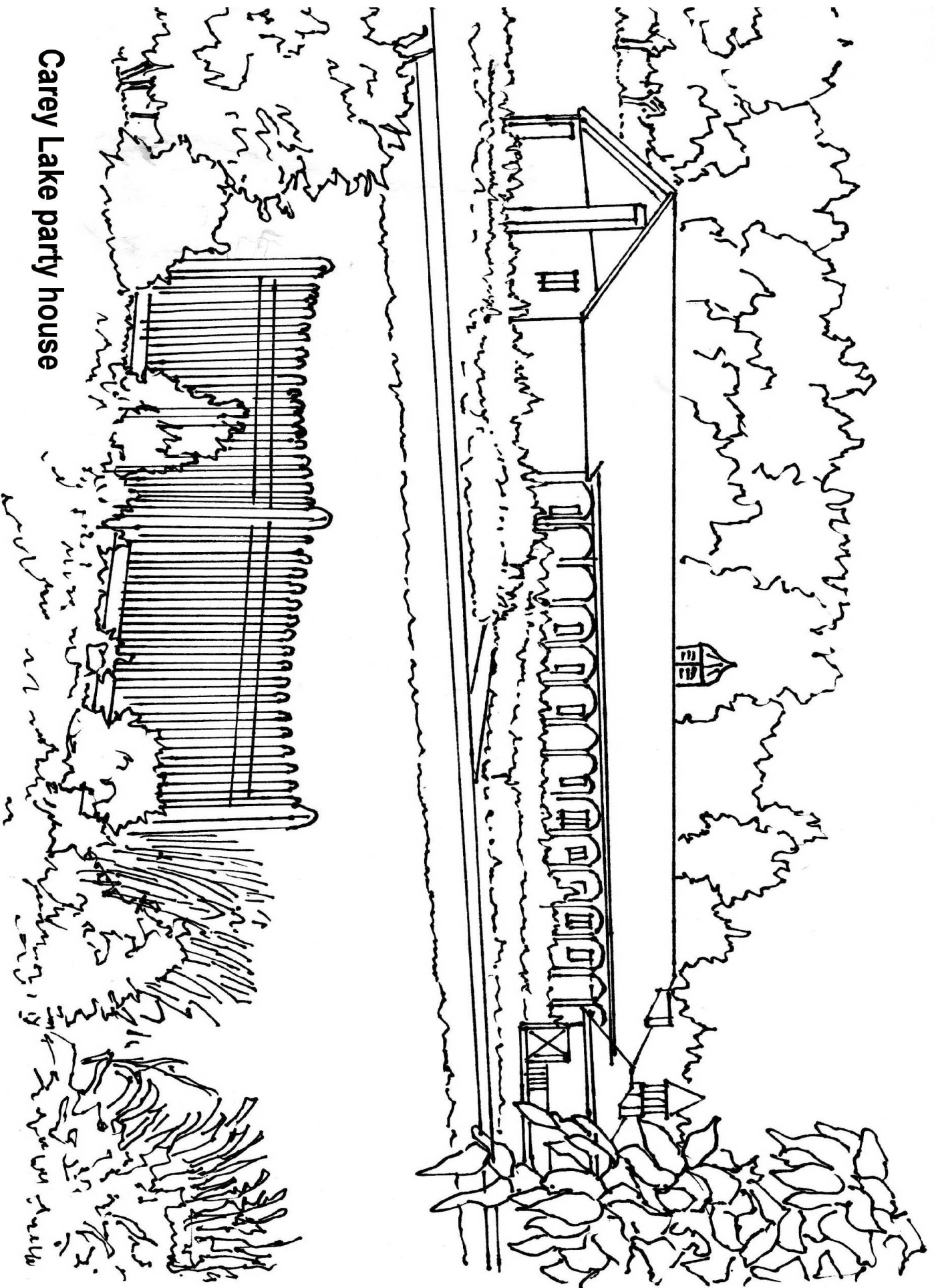


Walworth Ambulance

Walworth Fire Dept



Walworth farm



Carey Lake party house

For Mom & Dad and Grandma & Grandpa

This little activity book was created for the kids by members of the Walworth Historical Society. The Walworth Historical Society was founded in 1975 just before the American Bicentennial. Our purpose is to collect and preserve things that are related to the history of Walworth and this general area. Over the years, we have managed to collect many items of local interest, some of which are on display in our Museum on Academy Street in Walworth. Our building is not only home for the Historical Society, but also the Town Historian's office. Each year the Town gives us a small stipend, but most of our income is from dues and donations by members and friends. While we don't have to pay taxes, we do have to pay for our utilities and upkeep of our building as well as supplies to maintain our collections and to present our story to the public.

The WHS has program meetings several times each year. We are also open for visitors during the summer months and by appointment. To arrange a visit, please contact President Jessie Keymel at 315-524-9205 or Town Historian Gene Bavis at 315-986-1474.

Donations and volunteers are ALWAYS welcome. We also welcome new members. Along with the good feeling you get from supporting a worthwhile organization with your dues and donations, members get our Newsletter 5 or 6 times a year. Each one contains interesting historical tidbits and news as well as several photos. Since the WHS is a 501(c)(3) non-profit corporation, your dues and donations are tax deductible.

Membership Information for Fiscal Year May 1– April 30

_____ Student	\$ 5.00	_____ Sponsor	\$ 50.00
_____ Individual	\$ 10.00	_____ Patron	\$100.00
_____ Household	\$ 15.00	_____ Life Membership	\$150.00
_____ Supporting	\$ 25.00	_____ Benefactor	\$150.00
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To join, please send your name(s), complete mailing address, phone number, email address and the type of membership you desire along with your check made out to Walworth Historical Society, PO Box 142, Walworth, NY 14568.

Miscellaneous historical facts:

The Town of Walworth was incorporated in April 20, 1829. The first non-native American settlers arrived in 1798.

Walworth was named in honor of Reuben Hyde Walworth, the last chancellor of New York State. A chancellor was a chief judge of a court of chancery or equity. Equity jurisprudence covered many matters regarding the rights of lunatics and infants and handled trusts and frauds similar to State Supreme Court.

Theron Gilbert Yeomans moved to Walworth in 1830 and began a nursery business, planting extensive orchards. He served as town clerk, postmaster, justice of the peace, town supervisor, and New York State Assemblyman. He and his wife, Lydia, lived on High Street in the spacious home known as Evergreen Place opposite Academy Street. He imported Copper Beach trees, 11 of which can still be found growing in the hamlet including one on the Historical Society property.

President Grover Cleveland visited Walworth in 1891 to attend the wedding of his nieces; his sister, Susan, was married to Lucien T. Yeomans. Mr. Cleveland served two terms as President: 1884 – 1888 and 1892 – 1896. He is our only President to serve two terms that were not consecutive.