



MONROE COUNTY NEW YORK

Circles on the Map are Drawn One Mile apart,
radiating from FOUR CORNERS, ROCHESTER.

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VILLAGES.

VILLAGE	PLATE	VILLAGE	PLATE
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ALLEN'S CREEK	12	MORTON	23
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CHARLOTTE	24	PENFIELD	31
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GATES SUBN'S (North of Lyell Ave.)	8	UNION HILL	30
HAMLIN CENTER	11	WEBSTER	30
HAMLIN STATION	24	WEBSTER (Sand Bar Lots)	30
HENRIETTA	23	WEST BRIGHTON	12
HILTON	25	" GREECE	24
HONROYE FALLS	16	" HENRIETTA	16
IRONDEQUOIT RIDGE ROAD	29	" SWEDEN	9
KENDALL MILLS	27	" RUSH	20
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MAPLEWOOD	25	WILDER UPTON & HENDERSON	5
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MONROE COUNTY was organized in accordance with a law passed February 23d, 1821. It was named in honor of James Monroe, President of the United States at that time, and was taken from Genesee and Ontario Counties. The County, with the exception of the three towns of Hamlin, Clarkston and Sweden, is in the Phelps and Gorham Purchase. The towns of the Phelps and Gorham Purchase, west of the Genesee River, are in what is known as the "Mill Seat Tract;" Hamlin, Clarkston and Sweden are in the Triangular Tract.

Under grants from the British King, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the State of New York both claimed the ownership of a great portion of the territory lying within the bounds of the State of New York, and the matter was finally settled by commissioners appointed by both States, who met at Hartford, Conn., and on December 16th, 1786, effected a settlement by which New York obtained the jurisdiction over all lands in dispute, and to Massachusetts was ceded the right of pre-emption of the soil in the lands in Western New York. By an Act of the Massachusetts Legislature, on April 1st, 1788, it was agreed to sell to Phelps and Gorham the right of pre-emption from the native Indians to the lands included in their purchase. A council with the Indians was held at Buffalo Creek, and a treaty concluded on the 8th of July, 1788, by which Phelps and Gorham obtained the Indian title. This Indian grant was confirmed by the Legislature of Massachusetts by Act passed November, 24th, 1788.

The Triangular Tract lies west of the Phelps and Gorham Purchase, and was originally owned by Robert Morris, who sold it to Le Roy, Bayard and McEver. In 1801 it was surveyed and laid out in lots by Richard M. Stoddard.

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NOTE: The numbers refer to Plates of the Atlas.

