

Mr. **Freeman's** Pictures
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The Darwin R. **Barker** Historical Museum has an extensive collection of photographs covering from the 1840s to the present. The collection was featured in the Museum's "Photographers of Fredonia" exhibit in the early 21st century, and it includes local scenes, individuals, and groups. In the last category are a set of seven group photos of young boys and girls in what are probably classes used for practice teachers at the Fredonia Normal School. Someone has labeled the photos, "Mr. **Freeman's** pictures of classes 1883-1890," and for each has provided a typed identification key for most of the pupils.

Mr. **Freeman** was Andrew Y. **Freeman**, who joined the Fredonia Normal School faculty in the Fall of 1880. It is not clear if he was the photographer — he is in the first photo of 1883 — or just arranged to have the photos taken. Whoever provided the identifications, also assigned dates — some of them conjectural — for each photo. They are I=1883, II=1884, III=1885, IV=1886, V=1887, VI= 1888, VII=1889. The names are given below in alphabetical order and the group photo number is added. The names are given exactly as in the original, including names in parentheses. A few additional comments are in square brackets.

Frank Davis (**Adams**) I
Hattie **Adams** VI
Daisy **Annis** I
Minnie **Annis** VII

Frank **Ball** I
Louis **Ball** II
Will **Barker** IV
Minnie **Bartholomew** II
Frances **Beckwith** IV
Jessie **Beckwith** II
Violetta (Lettie) **Beckwith** I
Charlie **Benjamin** V
Cora **Benton** II
Fred **Bickers** VII
Birta **Blackman** VII
Lesley **Blackman** VII
_____ **Blodgett** [Female] V
Gertie **Blood** V
Belle **Borojer (Boyea?)** V
Lyda **Bor yer (Boyea?)** V
Willie **Brickley** VII
Kate **Briggs** VI
Kate **Brown** I
Margaret **Brown** IV
Ned **Buck** III
Lillian **Burke** II
Nettie **Burr** IV

Kate **Burritt** I

Ward **Cadwill** VII

Bird **Camp** II

Sarah **Canty** V

Lilla **Cobb** III

Anna **Colburn** II

Harry **Colburn** IV

Ella **Cooper** VI

Charlie **Couch** III

Bessie **Crouch** IV

Edith **Curtis** III

Marie **Cushing** VI

Mary **Dagenais** V

Walter **Daniel** II

Frank **Davis** I

Anna **Delvin** III

Lila **Doolittle** VII

Lulu **Douglas** IV

Orton **Douglas** V

Kate **Dunkley** IV

Mammie **Dunning** V

Nina **Durfre** I

Eddie **Easton** V

Minnie **Easton** III

Will **Edmonds** IV

Homer **Ellis** V

Grace **Ensign** (?) V

Eddie **Foster** II

Emily **Foster** VI

Gnna **Foster** IV

John **Foster** II

Mable **Foster** V

Gene **Fraser** III

Mr. **Freeman** I

Ella **Gates** V

Jennie **Glenn** V

Florence **Grant** IV

Arthur **Guest** II

Theodore **Hamilton** II

Emma **Hart** V

Jan **Harti** VI
Katie **Hendee** I
Luttie (?) **Higgins** I
Charlie **Hopkins** IV
Lollie **Houser** III
Mary **Houser** II
Maud **Hughes** V
(Anna?) Mary **Hull** I

Frank **Irwin** II

Alice **Kennedy** I
Ida **Kesner** III

James **Lake** III
Bob **Landers** III
Charlie **Landers** IV
Will **Lester** IV
Raymond **Lewis** VII
John **Luke** VII
Carrie **Lynn** V

Roy **Marsh** VII
Kittie **Martin** V
Parthina **Martin** III
Grace **McClanathan** VI
Kate **McDonald** II
Grace **McKinstry** III
Helen **McPherson** II
Herbert (Bert) **Miner** I
John **Mixer** VI
Frank **Moir** III
George **Morgan** VI
Mary **Morgan** VI
Jessie **Morian** V

Harry **Newton** III
James **Normand** V

Ernest **Palmer** II
Nelson **Palmer** V
Waldo **Parker** II

Louis **Paschke** IV
Flora **Pemberton** V
Mable **Pemberton** VI
Ruth **Perrin** V
Alvan **Perry** V
Jessie **Plater** V
Grace **Porrel** (?) V
Alice **Putnam** II
Charlotte **Putnam** IV

Albert **Richardson** VII
Matie **Robert** III, IV
Theodore **Roberts** II
Bessie **Rodenough** VI
Norman **Roose** V

Nettie **Slone** V
Alice **Smith** II
Louise **Smith** II
Louis **Starr** VI
Bessie **Stevens** II
Ned **Stevens** V
____ **Straight** [Male] III
Lillian **Straight** VII
Fannie **Sweet** I

Albert **Tambling** IV
Dolly **Tambling** IV
Clinton **Tarbox** IV
Flora **Tarr** II
Jessie **Tarr** VI
Diane **Tate** II
Nora **Tate** I
Ira **Terrill** III
Sarah **Terrill** II
Harry **Thayer** I
Belle **Tiffany** VI
Fannie **Topliffe** V
Anna **Tremaine** II, V
Monti **Tyler** V

Jessie **VanLeuren** V

Minnie **Wallace** VI

Nellie **Warren** V
Jennie **Weaver** V
Charlie **Webster**(?) VII
Anna **Wheelock** I
Wm. **White** II
Carrie **Wiggen** V
Louise **Wilcox** I
Katie **Wiley** V
Belle **Wilson** III
Jennie **Wilson** VII
Mary **Wilson** II
_____ **Woods** [Female] V
Blanche **Woods** VII
Will **Woods** III

Harry **Zehnder** VI