

Marjorie Woodbridge (Edith's daughter)

“There was a time we could drive down the road with Mom in the car & listen to her tell us the stories of the settlements, of roads, and townships.”

“I believe HEIRS was started as a response to the idea that there was a generation of people in the community who were a wealth of information about their families, schools, churches & clubs.

In the ‘70’s there was a feeling of life changing rapidly, which created a sense of urgency to capture memories of what had formed & shaped us. It is true that we do not value things until they are gone.

The early HEIRS founders saw the need to collect and save these valuable oral & physical records, before they disappeared. HEIRS is continuing this valuable work, not only for the local community, but for those of us who have found our homes elsewhere in the world.

“Mom could quote who settled the farm, who they married and who lived on the farm for successive generations.

Oh, to have had a video camera with us on those drives! She had a huge memory of names, dates and places in that brain of hers.”