

Historical Marker - L82 - Beckley School (Marker ID#:L82)



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Beckley School

This country schoolhouse, one of a vanishing type, was built in 1859 and named after Ira Beckley, an early settler. During the first year, thirty-three pupils used a library of forty-two books for a seven-month session. Instruction was offered in grades one through eight, but attendance was irregular in the early years. The maple trees which now surround the building were planted by order of the district school board in 1866. Beckley School provided education for neighborhood children until 1957.

Significant Date:

Statehood Era (1815-1860)

Registry Year: 1970 **Erected Date:** 1970

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Marker Location

Address: 3019 Beckley Road

City: Battle Creek

State: MI **ZipCode:**

County: Calhoun

Township: Battle Creek

Lat: 42.26097500 / **Long:** -85.23750300

Web URL: