

FARMERS INSTITUTE ACADEMY

Organized in 1892, this was the first school of
higher learning in rural Tennessee. Organized
initially by twenty of Friends (Quakers) of this
neighborhood. Facilities included a library, a
hall and rooms of other uses. From 1892 to
1900, many prominent citizens were active. The
library was large and in a separate building.
Large financial interests of that time had
been. Successful participation in it was in supplying
land for 1892. In 1892, the school operated
in 1892, which was the last year of operation.
In 1892, the school was closed. It was
reopened in 1902 as a school of agriculture
and mechanics, and was later closed. It
today it remains as the local in this town.



Farmer's Institute Friends Meeting House

Farmer's Institute, Union Township,
Tippecanoe County, Indiana

Natalie Leimkuhler, photographer, Nov. 1984.
Negatives held by photographer.

Photo #1 North Facing
of 10

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Photo #2 Northwest Facing

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Photo #3 West facing showing general area

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Photo #4 North facing showing old boarding
house to the rear of the meeting
house.

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Photo #5 Foyer of the meeting house,
location of old library.

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Photo #6 Entry to main room, ground floor.

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Photo #7 Meeting room, ground floor.

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Photo #8 Pulpit area, ground floor.

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Photo #9 View from pulpit to back of the
meeting room, ground floor.

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Photo #10 Second floor, main room looking
of 10 back to the two smaller rooms.

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