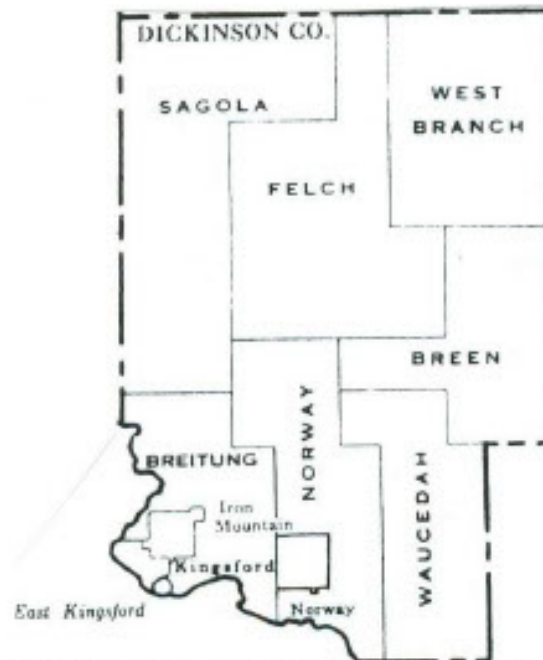




DICKINSON COUNTY TOWNSHIPS & TOWNS

AN INTRODUCTION TO DICKINSON COUNTY

Dickinson County was built on iron and timber and some farming in the valley of the Menominee River. Iron ore was first discovered in 1878 and mining developed. Major railroads going through the county allowed immigrants to migrate to the area and find employment. The city of Iron Mountain had one of the larger ethnic populations in the Upper Peninsula and some saw it rival the Copper Country with its immigrants. This was especially true of the Italian immigrants and the Italians from Austria-Hungary known as the Trentino Italians. The county was established in 1891.

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Occupations	Belgian (Flemish)	Canadian English	Canadian French	Canadian Other	Danish	Dutch	English	Finn	German	Irish
Barn Boss			1							
Bartender				1						
Blacksmith			1							
Boarding House Keeper								1	1	
Carpenter										
Farm										
Farm Laborer		1	2	3				3	1	
Farmer			4	2	1	1		10		
Gardener			1							
Lath Mill										
Lumber Camp										
Foreman										
Jobber of logs			2					1		
Logging Contractor				1						
Log Scaler		1								
River Driver	1	2	4	5						1
Woodchopper								1		
Woods Worker		1	4	1				2	1	
Mine, Iron Laborer										
Miner			1					3		
Minister										
None	1	2	17	3			2	33	6	2
Planing Mill										
Printer								1		
Railroad		1								
Saloon Keeper			1							
Sales Person										
Superintendent				2						
Saw Mill			7					9	3	
Lumber Inspector									1	
Lumber Yard Laborer								15	1	
Millwright			1							
Servant				1						
Shingle Mill								2		
Teamster			3	1	2					
Washer Woman				1						
TOTAL	2	8	49	21	3	1	2	81	14	3

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Occupation	Belgian	Canadian	Canadian English	Canadian French	Danish	English	Finn	German	Hungarian	Italian	Lithuanian
Bartender				1							
Blacksmith					1						
Boardinghouse Keeper				1		1					
Cook				1							
Farm Laborer											2
Farmer		1									
Gold Mine Operator				1							
Janitor				1							
Laborer							1				
Laborer (Odd Jobs)						1					
Liveryman			1								
Merchant											
Mine, Iron											
Blacksmith						3				2	
Bookkeeper											
Captain						1					
Engineer		1									
Laborer				1							
Machine Runner				1			1			8	
Machine Runner (Helper)				1		2				8	
Miner	1			1		3	4				
Other						1	1				
Shift Boss								1			
Skiptender										2	
Superintendent						1					
Surface Laborer							1				
Trammer	4						1			14	
None	10		7	10	2	9	5	6	1	11	
Paper Hanger				1							
Paper Mill Laborer								1			
Railroad Agent			1								
Foreman											
Laborer				1			1				
Ticket Clerk											
Saloon Keeper											
Timber Cruiser			1								
Washerwoman							1				
Waterworks			1								
Woodworker		1	3	1							
TOTAL	15	3	14	22	3	22	16	8	1	45	2

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Occupation	Canadian English	Canadian French	Canadian Other	Danish	English	Finn	German	Hungarian	Irish	Italian	Italian (Trentino)	Lithuanian
Boarding House Keeper								1				
Carpenter						3						
Dressmaker						1						
Farm Laborer			1			11	2					
Farmer						12						
Housekeeper												
Janitor						2						
Laborer (Odd Jobs)	1	1	2	1		91	3	2	1	1		2
Merchant						2						
Mine, Iron												
Blacksmith												
Driller			1									
Driller, Assistant			1									
Foreman					1							
Laborer						8		4		1	1	
Other								1				
Minister												
None	1		1			94	8	2				
Pole Yard Manager												
Railroad												
Foreman (Section)							1					
Laborer							2					
Servant						3	1					
Tailor												
Washer Woman						1						
Woods Foreman												
TOTAL	2	1	6	1	1	228	17	10	1	2	1	2

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Occupations	Austrian	Austro-Italian	Canadian English	Canadian French	Croatian	English	Finn	French	German	Irish	Italian	Norwegian	Russian Yiddish	Slovenian	Swede	Swiss	TOTAL
Baker											3						3
Barber											4						4
Barn Boss											1						1
Blacksmith				1		1					1				2		5
Boardinghouse- Keeper	1	1									5			1			8
Book Keeper						1											1
Bailer house											1						1
Brewery	2																2
Butcher	1														5		6
Carpenter						2	1				2	1			5		12
Cigarmaker															1		1
City Sickness- Watcher											1						1
Clerk						1											1
Confectioner		1									1						2
Doctor											1						1
Dressmaker								1			1				3		5
Electrician											1						1
Farm																	
Farmer						1									7		8
Laborer															1		1
Fireman											1						1
Furnaceman	3		2	1		2					1						9
Gardener											1						1
Grocer											6						6
Insurance Agent						1											15
Lumberyard Worker											2						2
Machinist															1		1
Mason											13				2		15
Merchant						1							1		2		4
Milkman											2						2
Miliner		1				1						1					3
Mine, Iron																	
Blacksmith															3		3
Carpenter										1		2		1			4
Car Repairer							1										1
Crusherhouse															1		1
Diamond Drill			1									1				1	3
Electrician														1			1
Engineer															2		2
Hoist Engineer						1											1
Laborer	6	3			2		1		1		86			21	7		127
Mason											1						1
Miner	6	21			1	15	5		2		119			30	46		245

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Occupation	Austrian	Austro-Italian (Tyrol)	Canadian French	English	Finn	French	German	Irish	Italian	Lithuanian	Norwegian	Polish	Russian Yiddish	Slovenian	Swede	TOTAL
Baker									1							1
Barber															1	1
Boardinghouse Keeper									1							1
Boilerhouse							1									1
Butcher															1	1
Carpenter															1	1
City Control Girl															1	1
Confectioner									2							2
Cook															1	1
Engineer				1			1									2
Farmer															1	1
Farm Labor				1												1
Grocer									3							3
Housekeeper									2							2
Jobber														1		1
Labor									1					1		2
Machinist			3				1								1	5
Mason									1							1
Mine, Iron																
Bellringer														1		1
Captain				2												2
Dry Tender													1	1		2
Engineer			1											1		2
Fireman									2							2
Laborer					10	3			21				1	4	3	42
Miner	9	13		8	7	1	4		172	1	1		1	15	38	270
Motorman									1							1
Pumpman									1					1	1	3
Shift Boss								1								1

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Occupation	Austrian	Austro- Italian (Tyrolean)	Canadian	Canadian English	Canadian French	Chinese	Dutch	English	English Hebrew	Finn	French	German
Agent, Tea Company												1
Baker					2					1		
Barber												
Bartender												
Blacksmith					1							
Bookkeeper				1	1							
Butcher				1				2				
Carpenter					10			1				
City Assessor								1				
Clerk					1							
Confectioner					1							
Contractor					2							
Cook				1	1							
Dressmaker					1				1			
Engineer												
Farmer					1							
Fire Chief					1							
Fireman					1							
Furnaceman					1							
Janitor			1						2			
Laborer			5		1					1		
Laundryman						1						
Liveryman					1							
Liquor Dealer		1			1							
Lumber Camp Foreman					1							
Machinist							1	1				
Mail Carrier									1			
Mason									1			
Merchant												1
Midwife												
Mine, Iron												
Bookkeeper								1				
Carpenter												
Conductor												
Engineer								4				
Fireman								1				
Laborer												
Machinist												
Mechanic												
Miner							30			4		
Mine Inspector								1				
Other												
Shift Boss					1							
Skiftender					1							
Superintendent								1				
Timekeeper											1	
Milliner			1									

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Occupation	Canadian	Canadian English	Canadian French	Chinese	Czech/ Bohemian	Danish	English	Finn	Finn Swede	French	German
Baker									1		
Bank Cashier							1				
Barber											1
Bartender			1					1			
Blast Furnace Laborer											
Boardinghouse Keeper								1			
Bookkeeper		1					1				
Brewery President											1
Butcher											
Carpenter (House)											
Cigar Manufacturer											1
Clergy											
Clothing Store Salesman											
Coachman , Residence			1								
Confectioner							1				
Dressmaker (At Home)			1				2				
Druggist (Own Store)											
Electrician, Dynamo							1				
Farm											
Farmer											
Laborer											1
Operator											
Overseer							1				
Fireman							1				
Gardener											
Gardener, Cemetery											
Laborer											1
							1				
Horse Salesman			1								
Hotel											
Keeper											1
Servant											
Waitress											

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Occupation	Belgian (Flemish)	Belgian (Walloon)	Canadian English	Canadian French	Czech (Bohemian)	Danish	Dutch	English	Finn	German
Attorney								1		1
Auctioneer								1		
Barber			1	2						1
Barn Boss										
Bar tender						1		1		
Blacksmith				2				2		
Bookkeeper			1					2		
Brewer										2
Butcher										1
Carpenter			2	6	1					
Cattle Buyer										
Cement Mixer				1						
Cigar Maker						1				
Clergy								1		1
Clerk				1				1		1
Contractor										
Deliveryman				1				1		
Electrician				1						
Electric Power Company			2							
Engineer										1
Farmer			1			1				
Fireman								1		
Gardener	1									
Grocer										1
Harness Maker				2						
Hotel Keeper										
Hotel Worker	1							2	1	3
House Keeper										1
Ice Dealer				1						
Insurance Agent								1		
Janitor				1				3		
Junk Dealer										
Laborer				4				1		
Liveryman			2							
Lumberman			1							
Lumbermill worker			4							
Machinist				1						1
Manager		1								
Mason			1							
Merchant				1					3	1
Miliner										1
Mine, Iron										
Bookkeeper								1		
Captain								1		
Carpenter										
Diamond Drill Operator				1				2		

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Occupation	Austrian	Belgian (Flemish)	Belgian (Walloon)	Canadian	Canadian English	Canadian French	Czech (Bohemian)	Danish	English
Bartender									
Boarding House Kpr									2
Bookkeeper	1								
Boilerhouse			1						
Brick Yard									
Butcher						1			
Carpenter						3		1	1
Dressmaker									
Engineer					1				
Farm									
Farmer			1		1	1			2
Foreman						1			
Gardener									
Laborer			3			1			
Jobber						1			
Laborer									
Mechanic						1			
Mid-Wife									
Mine, Iron									
Blacksmith						1			1
Bookkeeper									1
Captain									3
Carpenter						3			
Diamond Driller									
Draftsman									1
Dry Tender						1			
Electrician									1
Engineer					1				3
Foreman									6
Hoist Engineer									1
Laborer						7			4
Mechanic									1
Miner		1			1	1			40
Other (?)									1
Pumpman									
Shift Boss						2			
Surface Boss				1					
Teamster					7				
Trackman									
None		1	2	3	4	30	1		58
Paperhanger									1
Power Plant				1					
Railroad									
Foreman									

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Occupation	Austrian	Belgian (Walloon)	Canadian English	Canadian French	Danish	Dutch	English	Finn	French	German	Italian	Norwegian	Polish	Swede	TOTAL
Bartender													2		2
Blacksmith										1				1	2
Boarding House Kpr								1							1
Bottler		1								1					2
Boom Maker														1	1
Carpenter														1	1
Clerk		1									2			1	4
Deliveryman		1													1
Farm															
Farmer				1				1							2
Gardener		1													1
Laborer		1		3			1	1		1				2	9
Insurance Agent				1											1
Laborer							1							1	2
Liveryman											3			1	4
Lumberman							1								1
Mason				1										2	3
Merchant													1	1	2
Mine, Iron															
Blacksmith				1											1
Captain							1								1
Diamond Driller														1	1
Engineer		1	1	4			3								9
Foreman							1							3	4
Laborer			1	2											3
Machinist							1								1
Miner	22	74		3		7	18	5		1	15	2	24	32	203
Pumpman				1										1	2
Skiptender				1											1
Surfaceman				1			1								2
Teamster	1			2											3
None	17	193	3	30	1	17	28	5	1	3	18	1	23	65	405
Odd Jobs		1	1	7	1			2						15	27
Painter		1													1
Physician				1											1
Priest (RC)										1					1
Railroad Section Foreman														1	1
Realty Agent			1	1											2
Servant				1			1				1		2	5	10
Teamster				1										1	2
Waterworks		1													1
TOTAL	40	276	7	62	2	24	57	15	1	8	39	3	52	135	721

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Occupation	Austrian	Belgian (Flemish)	Belgian (Walloon)	Canadian	Canadian English	Canadian French	Danish	Dutch	English	Finn
Attorney					1					
Baker		1								
Barber										
Bartender		3					1			
Blacksmith									2	
Boarding House Kpr						1				
Bookkeeper									2	
Brewery Worker		1				1				
Butcher										
Carpenter		2						1		
Carpet Weaver										
Clergyman Clerk										
Contractor										
Deliveryman										
Dressmaker					1					
Electrician										
Engineer										
Farm Laborer										
Fire Chief					1					
Fireman		1				1			1	
Grocer										
Hotel Keeper Worker					1					2
House Mover						1				
Insurance Agent				1						
Janitor										
Jeweler										
Judge						1				
Laborer				1						
Light Station										
Liveryman										
Lumberman		1								
Machinist						1		2		
Mason				1						
Merchant		2						1		
Mine, Iron										
Blacksmith						1				
Bookkeeper				1	1					
Captain										
Carpenter										
Engineer						2			2	
Fireman		1								
Foreman									3	

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Occupation	Belgian (Flemish)	Belgian (Walloon)	Canadian	Canadian French	Dutch	English	Finn	French	German	Italian	Italian (Trentino)	Norwegian	Polish	Swede	Swiss Italian	TOTAL
Baker											1					1
Bartender										1				1		2
Carpenter			1	1												2
Clergyman														1		1
Contractor	1															1
Engineer									1							1
Farm																
Farmer	3															3
Foreman														1		1
Grocer	1													2		3
Ice Dealer	1															1
Insurance Agent							1									1
Laborer	1						1			1						3
Liquor Dealer	2										1					3
Mason										2						2
Merchant	1										2					3
Mine, Iron																
Blacksmith	1					2				2	3					8
Bookkeeper			1													1
Carpenter				2						1	2					5
Dry Tender											2					2
Engineer						2				1	3					6
Fireman										1	2					3
Foreman						2						1		2		5
Laborer	4						1				5			2	1	13
Mason	2															2
Miner	32	1			1	2	1			41	71	1		5		155
Motorman														3		3
Pumpman	1									1	2					4
Shift Boss						1										1
Teamster										1						1
Timberman	1					1					1					3
Tramper	68									1			3			72
None	137			5			3	1	10	41	61	3	3	1 9	1	284
Odd Jobs	13									1	1					15
Other	2			1							2			1		6
Own Income	1					1					3					5
Painter														1		1
Priest (RC)										1						1
Printer														1		1
Railroad																

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Occupations	Austrian	Canadian English	Canadian French	Czech (Bohemian)	Danish	Dutch	English	Finn	German	Irish
Barber		1								
Bar tender										1
Blacksmith										
Boardinghouse Keeper		1								
Carpenter					1				3	
Cook					1		1			
County Road Camp		1	2							
Deliveryman					1					
Farm Laborer									1	
Farmer		1								
Hotel Keeper	1									
Hotel Worker		3	1							
Laborer (Odd Jobs)		1								
Lumber Camp Foreman							1			
Timber Cruiser		1								
Woods Worker			6					2	2	
None		4	4	1	4			2	2	2
Railroad										
Boilermaker										
Car Smith									1	
Fireman										
Machinist									1	
Pumpman										
Section Foreman									1	
Section Gang Wiper			1						1	
Saloonkeeper	1									1
Sawmill										
Bandsaw					1					
Engineer										
Filer		1	1							
Fireman										
Laborer			1		1	1				
Mill Yard		1	1		3				2	
President										1
Scaler										
Shingle Sawyer										
Slabsawyer										
Sorter										
Teamster										
TOTAL	2	15	17	1	12	1	1	4	14	5

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Occupation	Austrian Yiddish	Belgian	Canadian	Canadian English	Canadian French	Danish	Irish	Finn	French	German
Boardinghouse Keeper		1				1				
Carpenter					1					
Clerk										
Cook									2	
Dressmaker					1	1				
Farm Laborer				1					2	1
Farmer	1	2	1	5	3				8	2
Grocer					1			1		
Laborer (Odd Jobs)				2					1	
Liveryman										
Merchant										
Mine, Iron										
Bellringer										
Blacksmith						1				
Captain						1				
Carpenter										
Conductor		1								
Engineer		1				3				
Laborer						1				
Machinist						1				
Mason									1	
Mechanic										
Miner		6			1	6	1		8	
Pumpman					1					
Shift Boss						1				
Teamster										
Timberman		1								
Trammer				1						
None		9		6	9				26	
Postmistress			1							
Pulp Mill Laborer				1						
Railroad										
Laborer										
Pumpman					1					
Section Foreman										
Switchman					1					
Salesman										
Saloon Keeper										
School						1				
Superintendent										
Servant										
Shoemaker										
Teacher						1				
Washerwoman										
Woodworker				3	3					
TOTAL	1	21	2	19	22	18	1	1	48	3

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Occupation	Austrian	Canadian English	Canadian French	English	Finn	German	Irish	Lithuanian
Farm								
Farm Foreman			2					
Farm Laborer		1	3					1
Farmer								
Lumber Camp								
Blacksmith			1					
Boss of camp		1						
Carpenter			1					
Chore Boy		1						
Cook			2	1				
Log Driver		1	4					
Pumpman								
Railroad				2				
Time Keeper		2						
Watchman			1		1		1	
Woods Worker	1	3	11			1	2	
Mason				1				
None		2	4					
TOTAL	1	11	29	4	1	1	3	1