

56 Redbridge Crs.,
Ph. Colborne, Ont.
Aug. 28/79.

Dear Mr. Mc. Dermott, -

We had a large wooden quilt box
in our attic with the name "Selma Emerick"
imprinted on the front - no date - in the 1800's. probably.

When we moved 4 years ago it was sold.
My mother may have told me who she was but
I do not remember, she died in 1970.

However, it was from her side of the family.
Not long ago I asked Aunt Mary Lee how the
lady was related but she did not know.

My mother's name was Ethel Lee, daughter
of Edward Lee of Scarborough.

Her mother's name was Leaha (Miller)
Emerick. I'm not sure which as she had a
half brother Henry Emerick. He was an early
Fort Erie postmaster about 1905.

Aunt Mary said my grandmother Lee
when a girl lived on a farm on the Bower Rd.,
think it is, south side, between the R.O.E. + the
Ridge road.

I heard my grandfather ~~to~~ speak of
the "Hershey girls", his cousins.

I was at their home once when a little
girl, with him, they lived in a big brown
house along the river south of the railroad
bridge.

I have never been one who had much
interest in family trees, so cannot give you
much information, pass my first, aunts, uncles
and cousins.

Hoping these names may give you
a lead.

Mrs. Howard (Gorn) ^{nee} Snider.

P.S. Just happen to think, you may have
come across the quilt-bag, just mentioned.
The last I knew an antique dealer in Welland
got it. He also called and wanted information
on the name.