

## Ott & Hay Collection – U

The Ott & Hay collection, consisting of 13,500 glass plate negatives, was saved from the tower of the Citizens and Northern Bank in Towanda, which was the location of their studio for many years. They were in business together until Mr. Hay's death in 1931. Mr. Ott continued the business until he sold in 1941. The collection covers the years from 1890 to 1915.

Each glass plate negative has the name of the person or persons who arranged for the photography appointment or paid for the photograph. Bank employee Richard Hall carried them to the Bradford County Historical Society in lots of 300 to 400 over a two-year period. Over time, Bradford County Historical Society staff and volunteers placed them in envelopes, labeled and filed them alphabetically.

Paul Newell volunteered to prepare this extensive collection for this website for our members and visitors. If you had ancestors in Bradford County during this time period they may well be in this collection. Copies are available by contacting the Bradford County Historical Society.

UHDEY SCHOOL		2517	JAN 31, 1896 - 25 BOYS & GIRLS
UNDERWOOD		8997	FLOWERS
UNDERWOOD	A.C.	5028	BABY
UNDERWOOD	A.C.	7068	
UNDERWOOD	C.	5132	
UNDERWOOD	CARL	5826	
UNDERWOOD	EDNA	7092	
UNDERWOOD	ETHEL	8497	& FRIENDS GROUP OF 3
UNDERWOOD	ETTA	355	& FRIENDS
UNDERWOOD	ETTIE	10185	
UNDERWOOD	LETTIE	7061	
UNDERWOOD	LIZZIE	6782	
UNDERWOOD	LIZZIE	11641	
UNDERWOOD	MABEL	8498	
UNDERWOOD	NETTIE	436	
UNDERWOOD	NETTIE	6927	
UNDERWOOD	NETTIE	8988	
UNDERWOOD	NETTIE	10163	MISS & GIRL
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UPDYKE	A.H.	7121	
UPDYKE	A.H.	7964	MAN 7 WOMAN
UPDYKE	A.H.	7965	WOMAN