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FLORENCE LAMON TSCHIRHART - 1911



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Florence Tschirhart was born and reared one mile north of Castroville. Her parents were Edward Lamon and Josephine Keller. Her mother died when Florence was thirteen years old, and she helped raise two small brothers. The Lamons raised most of their food and supplemented their income with the pecan crops and selling their fruit and vegetables, and eggs.

In 1930, Florence married Howard Tschirhart, a barber. They lived most of their married life in Castroville, Florence clerking at several stores in town. This second interview done with Florence covers life as it was in Castroville in the early part of this century.

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