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Photographic Collection

**Lake Delton**

Bailey House, 2-2003GK, Joseph Bailey House, Kilbourn, 1925  
Bartlett's Ski Show, UN1122  
Baseball Team, UN1153, c. 1940's-1950's  
Boat Landing. South Side Boat Landing, Delton. Ca. 1927. Photo from Kathrine (Bates)  
Hamblett, Reedsburg.  
GAR Hall, 2011.1.42. "G.A.R. Hall, Kilbourne, Wis. Where **Belle Boyd** appeared the last time  
with a theatrical company. H.E. Cole, Baraboo."

**Isabella Marie Boyd** (May 9, 1844 – June 11, 1900, best known as **Belle Boyd** or *Cleopatra of the Secession*, was a Confederate spy in the American Civil War. She operated from her father's hotel in Front Royal, Virginia and provided valuable information to Confederate general Stonewall Jackson in 1862. After the war, Belle Boyd became an actress in England. Following the death of her husband in 1866, she returned to the United States on November 11, 1869. She married John Swainston Hammond in New Orleans. After a divorce in 1884, Boyd married Nathaniel Rue High in 1885. A year later, she began touring the country giving dramatic lectures of her life as a Civil War spy. While touring the United States (she had gone to address members of a GAR post), she died of a heart attack in Kilbourne City, Wisconsin (now known as Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin) on June 11, 1900. She was 56 years old. She was buried in the Spring Grove Cemetery in Wisconsin Dells, with members of the Local GAR as her pallbearers.

Dell Queen, 41-1963 [S-28-41A], c. 1882  
Delton Academy, UN1267  
Home, Kerfoot, "Dawn" the residence of S.H. Kerfoot at Newport, Delton Twp., from 1893  
Sauk County map, loaned by Bud Cady to copy in 2005.  
Hotel, Cottage Home, UN1342, Lake Delton  
Mirror Lake, 2-2004AC, boat at dock.  
Morris Hotel, c. 1920, px from Donna Rygiewicz, 2522 E. Dayton St., Madison, WI 53704  
Newport Hotel, UN1937, here dilapidated, torn down about 1905  
Post Office, UN1263, c. 1913  
Ladies, 1989.12.34c: In Kilbourn.