

Lois Deerr

Introduction to Lois Deerr: Lois Deerr was born in Tilden, just west of Brownsburg, and moved to Avon in 1928, where she has lived the rest of her life. Lois worked in the Avon school system most of her working life. She was interviewed by Bud Ewoldsen, another long-time resident of Avon.

Hardscrabble

Bud: Did you live at one time near the Methodist church on old 36?

Lois: Yes, we did, in a place called Hardscrabble...right across the road from Bartlett's Chapel church.

Bud: I understand they had a dance hall [there].

Lois: Oh yes...it was quite busy all the time. Every Saturday night there was a big dance and people came from everywhere and had a great time....

