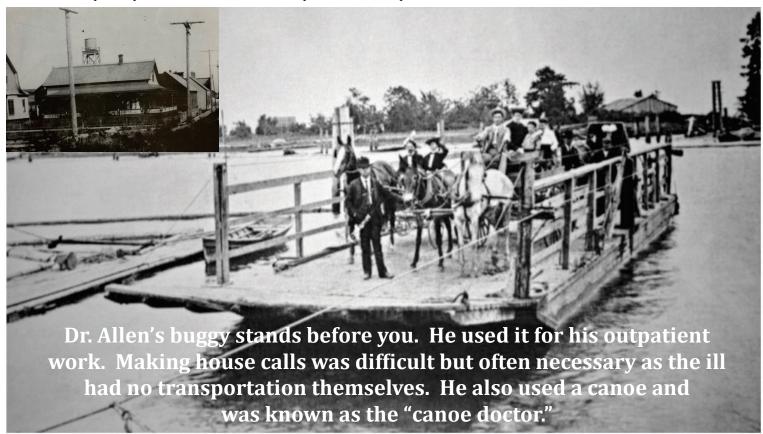
## PIONEER HEALTHCARE

## History

In 1898 Dr. Orville Reid Allen established a medical practice in Stanwood. In January of 1905 he opened the first Stanwood Hospital with the help of his wife Mary Gertrude Stockbridge (Allen). The hospital was located at the corner of Broadway and Augusta Streets and was described as a two-story facility, complete with surgery, six private rooms, a large ward, two baths, X-ray equipment and hot air cabinet for treatment of rheumatism and inflamed joints. Also included were nurses' quarters, a doctor's office, two sitting rooms, spacious dining room and kitchen, heating plant and its own electric light plant. The Stanwood General Hospital operated until 1943 and a replacement was planned, but never built as the 2 cities, Stanwood and East Stanwood, could not agree on a site.



The earliest transportation to Camano Island was by water. This ferry connected Camano to the mainland and was located east of the present Mark Clark Bridge. By 1909 the first bridge was built.

## **Ethnobotanical Gardens**

Native plant "starts" from Bonhoeffer Gardens (to your SW, by the I-5) illustrate 99 foods and materials available to the American peoples who lived here 10,000 years without the need to develop agriculture. Planter boxes contain:

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## **Legends & Lessons**

This location was known as the Village of Freeborn with its own church, cemetery, and red house of ill-repute; its restaurant's music was heard for miles. This house (to your left) also served as the area's outpatient health clinic (the reason why Dr. Allen's bug-

gy sits here). An elementary school's 1 acre parcel within walking distance is still owned by the Stanwood Schools, though closed in ~1920. (The District appears to never sell land.)



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