## **Sam Pedrick 1868-1963**

Pedrick was one of the original founders of the Ripon Historical Society in 1899. When interest started to lag in the society Pedrick still persisted in preserving Ripon's History.

Pedrick compiled a history of the people of Ripon. This is now known as the Pedrick Genealogy Notebooks. These are available on line through the Ripon Public Library. Both the research for the notebooks and the notebooks themselves are housed in the historical society archives.

Between 1932 and 1943 wrote articles about Ripon's history for the Commonwealth Press. After his death these were compiled into the 1964 book "A History of Ripon Wisconsin."