



Significant Date:

Industry and Invention (1875-1915)

Registry Year: 1977 Erected Date: 1977

Marker Location

Address: 891 Michigan Avenue

City: Benzonia

State: MI ZipCode:

County: Benzie

Township:

Lat: 44.61913500 / Long: -86.09898500

Web URL:

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Mills Community House

<div>This building was a girls dormitory erected in 1909 for the Benzonia Academy. Named Mills Cottage in honor of the Reverend Harlow S. Mills, pastor of the Benzonia Congregational Church from 1896 to 1916, it became the property of that church when the academy closed in 1918. Renamed Mills Community House, it hosts local gatherings and houses a public library. Its purposes are consistent with the educational and religious beliefs held by the town's early settlers.</div>

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