



THE MUSICIAN'S GAZETTE



No. 8

WALKING BOXES PRODUCTIONS

RISING FROM THE SWAMPS OF YORE

The piece of land where Betsy's Back Porch Cafe is currently situated was once in the midst of the swampy farmlands of Richfield. A map drawn in 1873 shows it to be such. That map, perhaps drawn after several years of plentiful rain, shows quite a bit of land in the area under water. By one account told, during dry years these shallow lakes could turn into swamps. One person tells of crossing Diamond Lake by jumping from muskrat house to muskrat house. Turn to page 2 to take a gander at the 1873 map and then look to page 3 to see how the land has changed.

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To keep up with all the happenings at Walking Boxes Productions, log on to www.walkingboxes.com. You can check there for upcoming shows, get on the emailing list, browse through the show & CD archives, and listen to music samples.

UPCOMING SHOWS

Walking Boxes Productions will be featuring two upcoming performances in April at the Acadia Cafe & Cabaret (just north of Betsy's on Nicollet & Franklin.) The shows will be on Saturday, April 15th and Sunday, April 23rd. Flyhard Jenkins will be back to kick off both performances with his "live-off-the-air" musical variety radio show which will be followed by the latest production from the crew that brought you Donovan's Brain. They've switched from radio to cinema for their unique new show: The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari. Turn to the back page to learn more...

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In addition to all our great sponsors (please support them with your business,) Walking Boxes wishes to publically thank: Paul Cameron, Steve Roth, Betsy & her crew, Jess Kelnhofer, and special musical guests: Aaron Spence, Sharon Roth, and Pat Bauer.



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