



**This is the site of the Nelson & Benson, later Nelson & LaDow, Straw Hat Manufactory.**

*This Historic Site is located on Main Street between Fiske and School Street. The abutting fields, as well as hundreds of additional acres of fields in Upton, were used to harvest hay for braid and hat making.*

**Upton Became the Largest Straw Hat Company in the World.**

