



THE SHEELEN BROTHERS' STORE. Standing at the corner of South Avenue and today's Sheelen's Crossing, Fanwood's first grocer and butcher shop was built as a branch of the Baker and Mead Store in Scotch Plains in 1893. Soon acquired by area residents Augustus and Charles Sheelen, the store became a popular meeting place in the new borough. It even served as a courthouse in the early 1900s.



FANWOOD CRUSHED STONE. Weldon Quarry, also known as Fanwood Crushed Stone, employed many local residents in the early 1900s. Area residents can still pass it on Diamond Hill Road in Scotch Plains, where the Weldon family has operated the business continuously since 1900.