

Julie Morse will take home a Bicentennial newspaper found in the History room and review it for items related to Wilmot.

Marc Davis will do the same with a 2007 Farmers Almanac.

Mary will attempt to digitize a Boston Globe Magazine article about Wilmot resident Clayton Nowell.

Curiosity Shop: The times and dates for the Curiosity Shop will be finalized in April

Preservation/Acquisition

Marc will visit Chuck Thompson to appraise the family diaries for acquisition and digitizing. This will give the Society specific information to use as the foundation for an application for another Barnard Grant.

Two Bean journals have been sent to Golden Images for digitizing. If the results are satisfactory, we will consider sending other bound volumes to them for digitization.

Mary and Judy are continuing to sort through and organize the collection in the history room.

Nice Stories about the Collection

We received a request from Toni Ryan, in CA, for information about the Rev. Robert Dickey family bible, which she discovered had been donated to the WHS. We were able to find the bible, send her copies of the relevant pages of genealogy and received a nice thank you letter from her.

During discussions about the Bean family collection donated by Sue Finch, the WCA was able to connect her to a hitherto unknown family member through Marc Davis.

Program

Fred and Janet will finalize the Steve Taylor Program on May 18 next month.

WHS Action Item List

- Julie is researching displaying the quilt safely in a public domain – perhaps the Library or the WCA.
- Judy and Marc considering a summer scanning project and photo contest 2014. Leading from the Cracker Barrel Program – special meetings with specific families.
- Lindy interview Dolly Fowler and others – Loretta Rayno and Jelly Ladies specifically
- Marc discuss the Mac Campbell and Charles Thompson family diaries as possible candidates for grant money.
- Fred process and report on Margaret Campbell diaries donation.
- Sue Finney will manage the Family Home Project of photos of all Wilmot Homes with residents.

Next meeting is at Wilmot History Room 1:00 P.M. April 14, 2014
Return of the Lindy Lady