

Inverness History Curator's Annual Report

Branch - Hallacetown N.I. 1984-85

District - West Elgin

Curator - Mrs. Harold Sloan

Hallacetown, Ont NOL 2M0

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- (1) We have a Inverness History Book.
- (2) We are working on Volume III.
- (3) We have two books microfilmed.
- (4) Motto - "The heart that is truly happy, never grows old."
- (5) Roll Call - A picture of your grandparents.
- (6) He did not have reports given monthly.
- (7) Our program meeting is usually in April along with our annual meeting. The Inverness book is displayed, also the scrapbook, which is kept as well containing clippings from local newspapers. At the meeting I usually give comments on the motto and a short story or article of historical nature.
- (8) I have added 36 pages this year.
- (9) 12 pages contain the picture and tracing the owners of older homes in the hamlet. 3 pages concern older farms near the village; 1 page on displays on our local fairs; 3 pages on education; 7 pages on our Institute officers - their biographies, picture and offices held over the years.
- (10) There are four house logs that I know of.
- (11) No articles published in paper - just an account of our meeting.
- (12) I designed and painted a cover for Volume III.
- (13) I have a copy of 1973 manual for compiling history.

I would like to thank all those who have helped this past year by contributing pictures and resumes; to Barbara Robb and Mary Manchester for typing for me and I would appreciate suggestions and help for continuing the history.

Sweedornian History Curator's Annual Report

1985-86.

Branch - Wallaceburg N.S.

District - West Elgin

Curator - Mrs. Harold Sloan

Wallaceburg, Ont. NOL 2M0.

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- (1) We have a Sweedornian History Book.
- (2) I have finished Volume III.
- (3) We have two books microfilmed.
- (4) Motto - "One thing that has not changed is 'Friendship'."
- (5) Roll Call - Name a person who made a name for
himself or herself in the community and tell why?
- (6) We did not have reports given monthly.
- (7) Our program meeting is usually held in April, along
with our annual meeting. The Sweedornian Book is
displayed, as well as the Scrapbook which contains
newspaper clippings. At the meeting I give comments on
motto and this year we have a discussion on "Advantages and
Disadvantages of them and now - education, nutrition and
entertainment." A skit on our first president was presented
at the West Elgin Water picnic.
- (8) I have added 23 pages this year.
- (9) 1 page under education; 3 pages on Citizens, 6 pages on
Community activities; 4 pages on officers, 9 pages on Older
Homes.
- (10) There are four house logs.
- (11) Just account of meeting published in paper.
- (12) Made title pages for categories.
- (13) I have a 1973 copy of manual.

I would like to thank all those who have helped this
past year by contributing pictures and resumes; special
thanks to Helen VanBuren for all the pictures she has
taken for me and donated for the book; to Barbara Robb
for my typing.

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Sweedamin History Curator's Annual Report 1986-87

Branch - Hallacetown N.S.

District - West Elgin.

Curator - Mrs. Harold Sloan.

Hallacetown, Ont. N5L 2M0.

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- (1) I am still working on Volume III - was able to get extensions for the
(2) parts.
- (3) We have two books microfilmed.
- (4) Motto - "Look back, give thanks."
Look ahead, have courage.
- (5) Roll Call - "Bring a small antique article and tell its history"
- (6) We did not have reports given monthly.
- (7) Our program meeting is usually held in April, along with our Annual meeting. The Sweedamin Book is displayed, as well as the scrapbook. At the meeting I give comments on the motto. We took part in the program at the Winter picnic, one of our members sang songs of the past 90 years.
- (8) I have added 15 pages to the book this year.
- (9) 2 pages on education; 5 pages on citizens (anniversaries) ^{50, 55 & 60.}
1 page on community activities. 7 pages on older homes, (2 in village and 5 in country)
- (10) There are five House Logs - Ruth and Helen did one.
- (11) Just account of meeting published in paper.

I would like to thank all those who have helped this past year by contributing pictures and information, special thanks to Helen Van Buren for all the pictures she has taken for me and donated for the book, also to Barbara Robb who does my typing.

(Branch report)

Sweedsmuir History Curator's Annual Report

Branch - Hellecetown N. J. 1987-88.

District - Elgin West.

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- (1) We have three volumes of Sweedsmuir Histories.
- (2) We have two books microfilmed.
- (3) Motto - "True Wisdom lies in gathering the precious things out of each day."
- (4) Roll Call - Name the former owner of your home and give an interesting item about it.
- (5) We do not have reports given monthly.
- (6) Our program meeting is usually in April, along with our annual meeting. The Sweedsmuir Book is displayed, also the Scrapbooks. Comments are given on the motto.
- (7) We have added 12 pages to the book this year.
- (8) Five pages on community and branch activities - Fair displays, district annual, our 75th Anniversary, Daffodil Tea and coffee break and the Winter Picnic. Seven pages as a booklet with a title page, a map, and the names of all residents in Hellecetown - as a memento of our 75th Anniversary last July. (293 residents)
- (9) There are five house logs in our community.
- (10) We published an article on our 75th Anniversary, also our meetings in the local paper.

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