

Cycle Historic Elgin

with Local History essays
and suggested routes by

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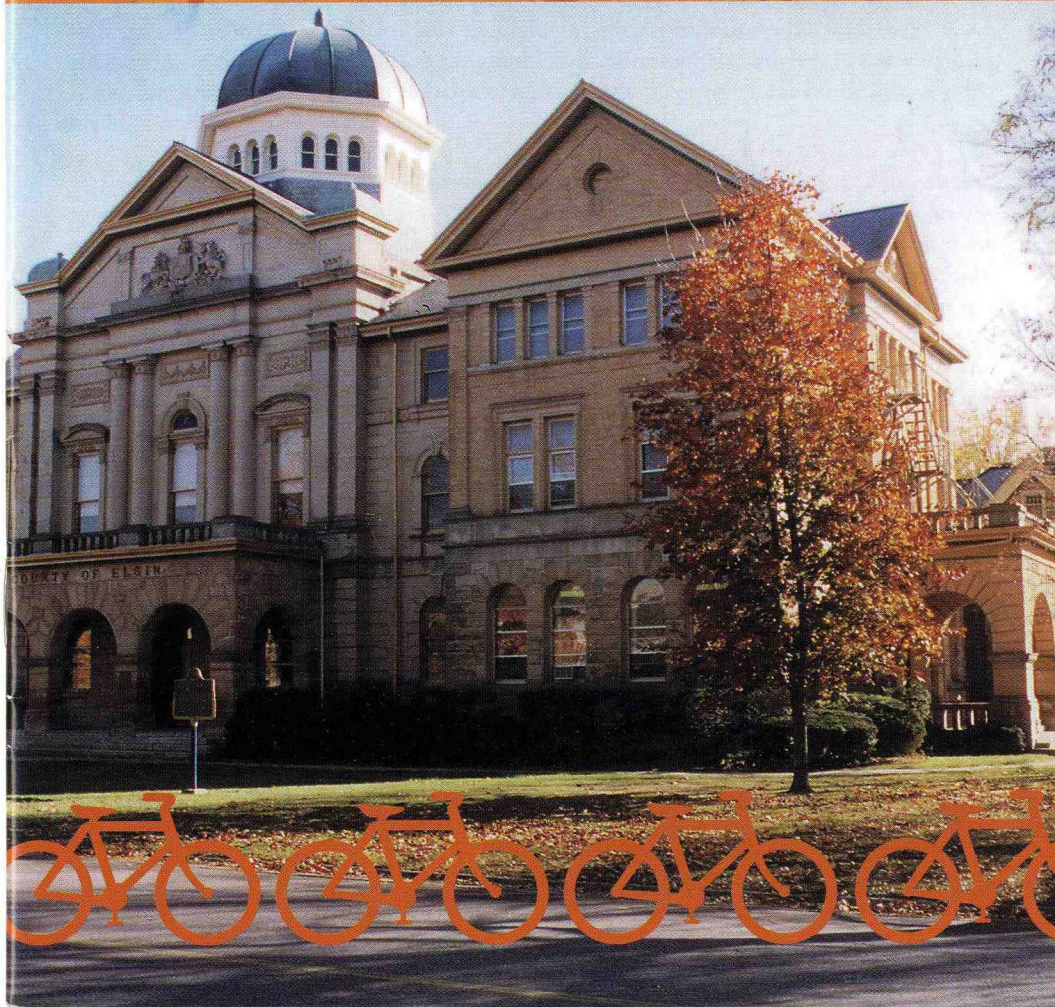


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SPICER TRAIL

JOHN E. PEARCE

PROVINCIAL
PARK

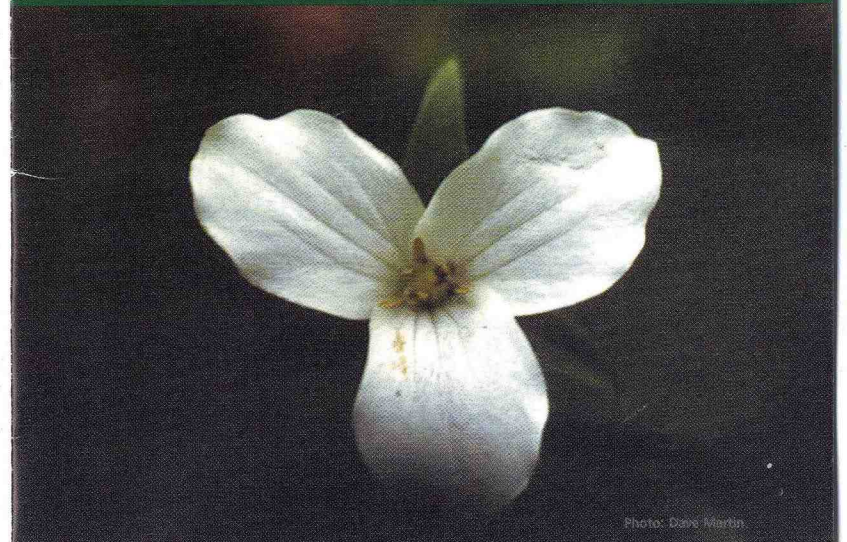


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ONTARIO
PARKS

Wallacetown Womens Institute ^{Members}
 Dec 16th / 2000 16 of us.

The history on the Tweedsmuir book was started by Lady Tweedsmuir, she ^{urged} recording of all rural histories. ^{recorded} by the Womens Institute. The Wallacetown WI started to keep the first Tweedsmuir in 1950 by Mrs. Maude Cameron Robb. In 1952, Mrs. J.A. Cameron Mrs. Flora McKellar and Ermyn Lucas compiled more Tweedsmuir history. In 1964 ^{it was} Mrs. Morley Page, Mrs. Hazel Mantelle, Mrs. Grace McKillop. Then Mrs. Gertrude Sloan as curator and ^{now} myself, Helen Van Brenk.

The Institute ladies took pages out of the six books to complete the book. We started six years ago and raised \$7000.00 in various ways including enumerating, working ^{twice} at advance polls on Election Days, serving dinners, pie sales, and ^{and clubs} ~~businesses~~ in the area that donated money. This year the Trillium fund donated ~~\$~~ \$6400, which made it possible for us to have it published at the Aylmer Express. Total cost \$12,179.81.

We are very proud of this book have 158 photos in it and 265 pages. This book is made up from stories from our six Tweedsmuir books. Here's a Thank you.

Dec 17th / 2000

Free Books - all Hand Covers. Total

- (2) ✓ Denton Library
- (1) ✓ Elgin County Library
- (1) ✓ ~~St Thomas~~ West Lorne Library
- (1) ✓ Highland Pharmacy
- (1) ✓ ST THOMAS LIBRARY
- ✓ Lewis Club. Denton

15 Books

✓ Masonic Cameron Lodge

✓ Optimist Club Wallacetown

✓ Point Talbot Ordoards

✓ Tall Tales Café Wallacetown

✓ Van Brouks Fruit Farm

✓ The Ontario Trillium Foundation
 Sheila Simpson = \$6400.00

(15)

(2) To Ottawa Wall-w.I \$7,000.00

(1) To Ningson the Lake

158 plates - 7
 265 pages - 7
 Total \$12,179.81
 cost of published book.

TWEEDSMUIR AND ANNUAL REPORT MEETING.

BRANCH. ----- WALLACETOWN WOMAN'S INSTITUTE. 2000.----- 2001.
DISTRICT. ----- ELGIN COUNTY.

CURATOR. -----HELEN VAN BRENK.
31760 ERIN LINE.
R.R. #1.
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1. HAVE SIX BOOKS ON TWEEDSMUIR HISTORY.
2. FIVE BOOKS HAVE BEEN MICROFILMED.
3. ROLL CALL. ----- BRING OR TELL SOMETHING OF YOUR HERITAGE.
MOTTO. ----- MEMORY IS A WONDERFUL TREASURE CHEST IF YOU KNOW HOW TO
PACK IT.
4. HAVE ADDED 30. PAGES TO NUMBER SIX BOOK THIS YEAR.
THIS BOOK WILL BE CLOSED AND #7 WILL BE STARTED.

1. PAGE ON ANNIVERSARYS; WEDDINGS; and GRADUATES from COLLEGE and
UNIVERSITY.
3. PAGES ON HISTORY OF WALLACETOWN UNITE CHURCH.

1. PAGE ON CAMERON LODGE.

9. PAGES ON OLD RECIPES FROM MEMBERS MOTHERS AND GRANDMOTHERS.

2. PAGES ON ANTIQUES AND COLLECTIBLE TREASURES.

2. PAGES ON CENTURY FARMS.

WALLACETOWN W. I. OUTINGS.

3. PAGES ON ARVA FLOUR MILL.

2. PAGES ON MEADOW SWEET FARM; AT BELMONT.

2. PAGES ON POT LUCK MEAL WITH YOUTH GROUP CROSS BEAT BAND AND NEW
SIGHT FROM THE PRESBYTHERIAN CHURCH.

4. PAGES ON DOT AND DON MONTEITH MEETING WITH PRINCE BERNHART OF HOLLAND

1. PAGE ON X-MAS DINNER MEETING AT KAY LILLEY HOUSE.

NUMBER SEVEN BOOK----- 4. PAGES ON THE PUBLISHED BOOK OF OUR TWEEDSMUIR HISTORY
ON WALLACETOWN COMMUNITY.

5. HAVE 6 HOUSE LOGS DONE IN OUR COMMUNITY.

6. FUTURE PROJECTS. ----- TO DO MORE ON CENTURT FARMS.