

Curator Report June 2021

Collections

- Our last report had a total of 8,983 items in Past Perfect. Since then, our total is now 9,264. Thus, we have added 281 more items into our catalog software.
- Volunteer and MDAB member Mike Duffy received papers belonging to some early families of Orland; the papers are in rough shape and will need to be cleaned and humidified
- Volunteer and MDAB members Susan Jamrose and Chris Donovan cleaned and reorganized the South Building

Exhibits

- Next exhibit is opening June 25th and we need to continue to PUSH this opener AND the program that will accompany it (1918 Spanish Flu pandemic). The opening event will be from 6-8PM.
- **WHAT ARE OTHER EXHIBITS YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE?!**

Programs

- The Afternoon Tea program at Stellwagen had 22 people and was successful. Had to cancel the blacksmith program because of low enrollment, however, the blacksmith will be coming out to an event at the farm on September 25th
- Had to cancel Lincoln as Storyteller program due to low enrollment
- The Cocktails with Tales program in August is filling up! Half full and we have not even advertised! Our American Girl camp has only two spots left. The camp is set to take place in July.
- **WHAT ARE PROGRAMS YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE AT THE MUSEUM AND THAT CAN DRAW IN A CROWD?!**

Other

- The next museum newsletter will be rolling out next month
- The total number of volunteer hours so far this year is...1,010 hours! The volunteers help with organization, processing and cataloging, housing, research, programs, and MUCH MORE!