



# Boonton Historical Society & Museum

at the Dr. John Taylor House

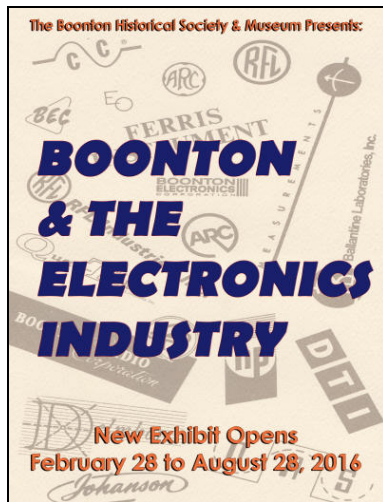
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## Boonton & The Electronics Industry

Please come and see our new exhibit now on display at the Boonton Museum!



Boonton's electronics companies were recognized internationally for the excellence of their products. Join us to learn more about Boonton's significant contributions to the electronics industry.

Sundays 1:00 – 4:00 PM or by appointment.

## Montville Township Historical Society

***A History of Montville Township  
(Pine Brook & Towaco)***

Monday, March 14, 7:30 PM

Presented by Kathy Fisher

Montville Township Senior House  
356 Main Road (Rt 202), Montville

Free admission

For further information call 973-394-0554

## Sheep Hill Astronomical Association

...is looking for help in saving the Sheep Hill Observatory!



Built in the early 70's, the dome has weathered extensively over time and is now in need of major repairs. Members of the organization have maintained the structure throughout the years performing minor routine maintenance.

However, the repairs needed presently will require professional outside contractors to complete properly. The dome presently has multiple leaks where the sheet metal has rusted away over time. This puts the telescope inside and all of the electrical equipment, optical equipment, records and literature, and the interior structure of the building in jeopardy.

Money donated will be used to fund the repair of the dome to get it back in proper working order. Any amount donated beyond the goal can be used for continued improvements on the telescope and other equipment.

To make a donation visit the SHAA web site <http://www.sheephillastro.org> or call (973) 335-5990.

## Make Each Penny Count



Key tag from 1943, presumably a promotional item issued by the Boonton and Mountain Lakes Savings and Loan. Can anyone tell us more about this interesting 73 year-old artifact?

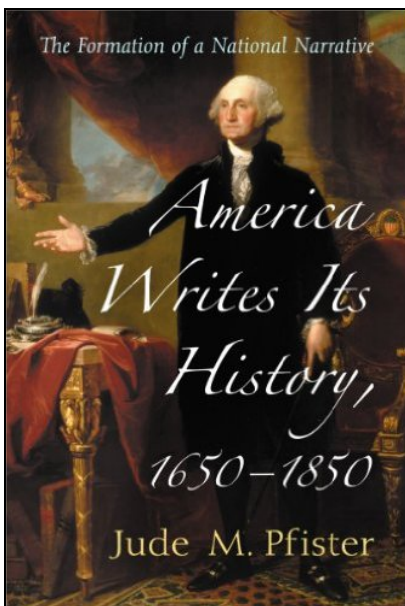
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## Lehigh Valley Heritage Museum

**Presents: America Writes Its History**

Saturday, March 5, 1:00 PM

Lecture & book signing  
432 W. Walnut Street, Allentown, PA



Dr. Pfister's talk will examine how history was shaped by events, and how events were shaped by history, and especially by historians. The writing of American history has followed the development of the country from the first tentative outposts in the early 1600s to the free, independent, and confident, nation of the early 1800s.

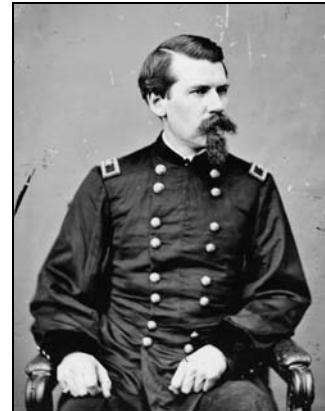
Free to Lehigh County Historical Society members, \$8 for adult non-members, and \$3 for non-member children. For more info, visit: [www.lehighvalleyheritagemuseum.org](http://www.lehighvalleyheritagemuseum.org)

## Twp Of Ocean Historical Museum

**New Exhibit: Local Stories of the Civil War**

Sunday, March 6, 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM

Eden Woolley House, Our Town Gallery  
703 Deal Road, Ocean, NJ 07712



The Civil War is the subject of more than an estimated 60,000 books, scores of movies, and a groundbreaking TV documentary. It's the most documented subject in the American archive. So it's a legitimate question to ask: What could our local history museum possibly add? The answer: local history.

This new mini-exhibit explores the impact of the Civil War on New Jersey and Monmouth County. It explains our state's ambiguous loyalties and looks at the roles played by a collection of New Jerseyans, both prominent and little known. Phone: 732-531-2136

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## Westfield Historical Society

**Vintage Toy Show**

Sunday, March 6. 1:00 - 3:00 PM  
The Reeve House  
314 Mountain Avenue

Westfield Historical Society will open a toy show featuring a collection of model cars, some as old as 65 years, including those from the classic era of the 1920s to the mid 1930s. Models of high-performance "muscle cars" built in the 1950s through the 1970s will also be present. Car models loaned to the society from the collection of David Rogers, a Westfield resident, will be featured. An assortment of toys and models that pioneered model car building will also be part of the show.

***50% OFF!***

***Anything  
GREEN!***



***and All  
EASTER  
ITEMS!***

**During March  
in our Gift Shop Annex**

- Boonton Historical Society and Museum -  
- 210 Main Street -