



# Modern Times



## Third Graders Learn About Local History

Curriculum guidelines have third grade students studying local history. In Granville, that study leads to on-site visits to local historic buildings, including the Society museum and Old Academy Building. They will tour the museum collections and get a taste of 19th century fun during “recess” at the Old Academy. Volunteers will also have them examine several items from the past and participate in a mini-what-is-it? contest. The young students also will tour the Avery Downer house and multiple spots along Broadway during their day-long field trip.



### Do You Know. . .

The Society has a fine selection of books about Granville for sale as well as an excellent selection of past issues of *The Historical Times*. If you are looking for information on Granville people and places, past issues may be just the right source to answer your questions. An index will help you find the right issue. \$2 per copy.



Society volunteers will be at the Granville Farmer’s Market on May 12, July 28 & Sept. 15 to promote membership and museum visitation. Pay for a membership at the market and receive a free box of note cards.

Third Grade students will be “in town” for discovery of local history sites on May 4, 8, 9 & 10. They will visit both the museum and Old Academy during their explorations of Granville history.

Turn Your Screen Off Week events continue thru May 5.

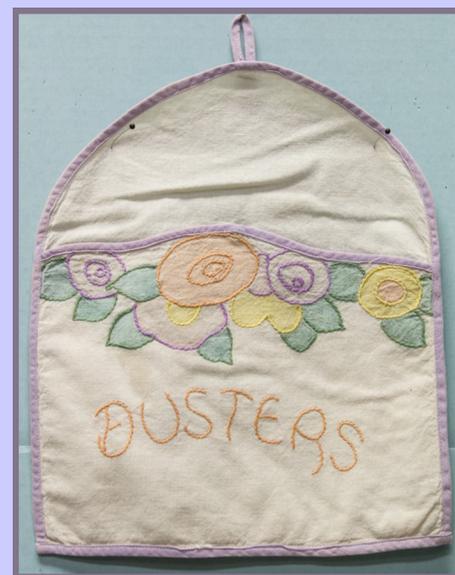
## New Brochure Describes Sites On “The Broadway”

After many years without a printed walking tour for visitors, a new brochure has been prepared to guide walkers to points of interest on Granville’s historic “Broadway.” A second brochure also is in production that will guide visitors looking for a longer tour to homes of interest on the streets just to the north and south of Broadway.

The Broadway tour takes walkers on a loop from the Historical Society Museum east to the Buxton and Granville Inn and back to the four church corner of Main and Broadway. The Historic Homes tour will head west on Broadway, up Burg St., east on College, south on Granger, west on Elm and back to Broadway on S. Main St., describing architectural features and historic events related to the houses along the way.

Plans are to have the brochures available at the museum and at other local spots where visitors may

## Artifact of the Month



This handmade bag, which has been embroidered and appliqued with multi-colored flowers, held dust cloths for the housekeeper of yesteryear. No doubt tucked away in the utility closet, the dust cloths were probably various pieces of well-worn flannel sheets, old shirts and diapers. In this age of “Swiffer” disposable, treated dusters, how many of these carefully created bags still hold the recycled remnants of clothing and household textiles?



### May & September

Saturdays - Noon to 4 p.m.

Sundays - 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

### June, July & August

Thursdays - 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Fridays - 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Saturdays - Noon to 4 p.m.

Sundays - 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Call for information on tours by appointment.

### Archives Hours

Researchers: Please use Robinson entry on the west side of the building. Archivists are available to assist researchers from 9 a.m. to Noon and 1 to 4 p.m. on Thursdays or by appointment.

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