

## **2025 ANNUAL REPORT – EMMA M. SEDORE, TIOGA COUNTY HISTORIAN**

**Hours in Office:** 381

**Number of Visitors:** 29

### **Talks:**

- 3/20 Belva Lockwood, at museum
- 7/29 Hiawatha Island, at Fred L. Waterman Center, Apalachin
- 9/24 Friendship / Merci Trains, Candor Historical Society

### **Meetings:**

- Legislative Committee: 1/7, 4/8, 8/5, 11/4 at 56 Main St.
- 2/11 Open Door Mission Officials at office
- 3/17 Wendy Post, Editor Pennysaver Press, at Owego
- 4/10 Municipal Historians , at office
- 4/22 & 4/24 Gerald Wood, NV Library Bell history, at office
- 5/11 David Allen, House History, at 113 Front Street, Owego
- 6/3 Map search at County Clerk's office
- 7/26 Chris Audet, Director of F.L. Waterman Center, Apalachin
- 7/27 TC Historical Society Annual Meeting, at Owego
- 8/18 Active Shooter Training, 56 Main St.
- 8/4 & 8/21 Richard Quest, at Museum, Research Lincoln's blood on Naval Jacket
- 10/9 Amber Duke, Board of Election history, at office

### **Miscellaneous:**

- I respond to all phone calls, Emails and Genealogy requests
- Maintain Surname file, ongoing Topic Files, Photographs, Scrapbooks, newspaper books
- Successfully completed the KnowB4 Test for the IT Dept.
- 9/20 Chaired a 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary program at the F.L. Waterman Center, Apalachin
- 9/28 Trip to Hiawatha Island by pontoon boat for walking tour and to update history
- Research: McMaster Half-Tract; History of Vesper Cliff mansion; Johnson/Cannawanna history; Wells on Hiawatha Island, Deans Tannery; town of Nichols schools; 1870 Indian Wars; Lumber Industry; other house histories, etc.
- I also continue to do a lot of research away from the office and at home.

### **Personal:**

- I am a Recognized member of the Association of Public Historians of NYS
- I am a published author
- A Lifetime member of the Tioga County Historical Society
- A Lifetime member of the Fred L. Waterman Conservation Education Center, Apalachin
- A member of the Candor Historical Society, The Spencer Historical Society and a member of the Tioga Council on the Arts.