



# West Pasco Historical Society, Inc.

6431 Circle Boulevard, New Port Richey, Florida 34652

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## PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

We sympathize with victims of the recent hurricane and other disasters. We are also humbled and grateful that this area was spared.

As we enter our second decade as a Museum we look forward to seeing the dream of an addition realized. We have found that visitors are interested in a variety of things to look at. If you would like to share your collectibles with the public, please discuss the possibilities with me. Many thanks to all who have volunteered through the years. I will not mention names. You know who you are. Once again I ask for any help you can give as we strive to present informative shows and disseminate information of a historical nature to the public.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank our Editor and his wife Julia for the wonderful job they have done on our newspaper. It is a very important service to inform the membership of happenings. Please, would someone come forth and volunteer to be Editor.

Thank you,  
Adele Gregos  
President/Curator

## FROM OUR LIBRARIAN

Our reference library has been of service during the summer. We were happy to help.

A lady from Atlanta, Georgia called for information about Anclote. We had history, but no statistics about medical matters.. We transferred to Glen Dill who helped her and asked her to call again in September.

A County representative working on the new Massachusetts extension spent all one afternoon and we went through Pasco County scrapbooks and our file material.



While there, the phone rang. I answered and it was a realtor from Main Street wanting information about the Arcade Building. Two men came over to read what we had and were pleased. On the way out one of them drew attention to the three pictures of Confederate Generals over our desk. He had donated them.

We will be glad when we have more room and customers will be able to sit down and research our history because we have a lot of material about it.

Jessie Hyde, Librarian  
Betty Jones, Asst. Librarians  
Mary Leitch

### KORNER STORE

During the summer many nice and new items have come to "COUNTRE KORNER STORE". If you are a collector, we might have the very thing you are looking for.

We welcome more volunteers to help. It becomes too demanding for one or two people every Friday and Saturday afternoon. We would like several people to take turns helping in the store. Could you take one afternoon a month from your routine to help out? All items are priced and no tax to figure, as it is included in the price,

FRANCES HOWLAND  
AUDREY O'NEIL

849-3451

Welcome to new members in 1992

James Scott

David & Gloria Ruffino

William Paladine MD

Claire Lazio

Missy McDonald

Clarence Underhill

Lorraine Beigel

Dorothy Hawkins

### **Roadside Reading**

OLD DOBBIN  
READS THESE SIGNS  
EACH DAY  
YOU SEE, HE GETS  
HIS CORN THAT WAY

HE MARRIED GRACE  
WITH SCRATCHY FACE  
HE ONLY  
GOT ONE DAY  
OF GRACE!

HE HAD THE RING  
HE HAD THE FLAT  
BUT SHE FELT HIS CHIN  
AND THAT  
WAS THAT

HENRY THE EIGHTH  
PRINCE OF FRISKERS  
LOST FIVE WIVES  
BUT KEPT  
HIS WHISKERS

GRANDPA'S BEARD  
WAS STIFF AND COARSE  
AND THAT'S WHAT  
CAUSED HIS  
FIFTH DIVORCE

IF YOU DON'T KNOW  
WHOSE SIGNS  
THESE ARE  
YOU CAN'T HAVE  
DRIVEN VERY FAR

**Burma-Shave**



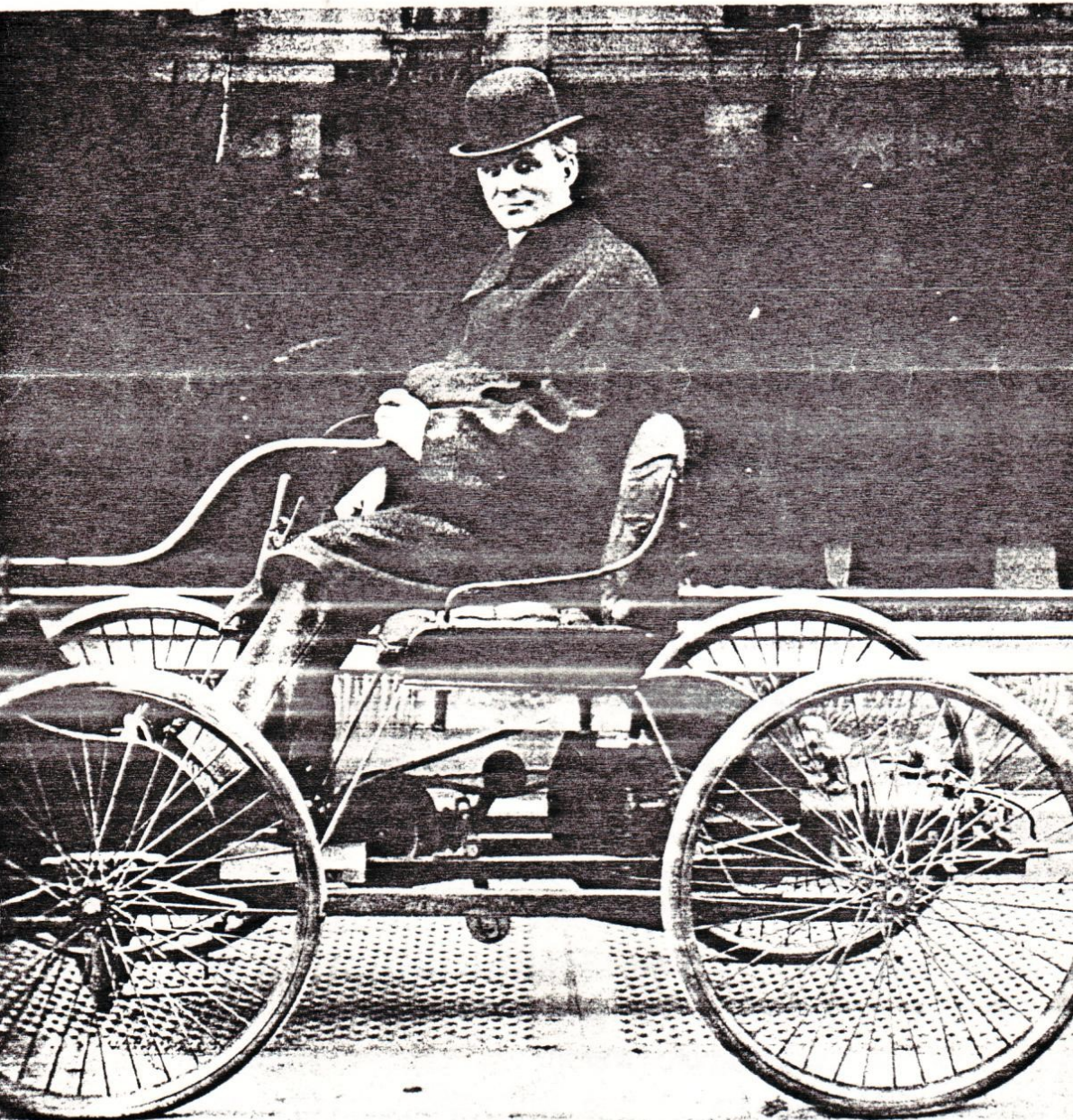
Another banner year lies ahead for West Pasco Historical Society. The third Thursday is our regular meeting night.

**September 17th** Come prepared to share Show and Tell.

**October 15th** In honor of the Quincentennial celebration of the discovery of America **ALAN WAYNE** will present the program "The True Columbus"

**November 19th** An auction is planned for the evening. Bring your items for sale. Always a fun time.

**December 17th** Christmas Dinner.



### Congress Looks Ahead

A new source of power, which burn[s] a distillate of kerosene called gasoline... has been produced by a Boston engineer [George Brayton]... This discovery begins a new era in the history of civilization; it may someday prove to be more revolutionary in the development of human society than the invention of the wheel, the use of metals or the steam engine. Never in history has society been confronted with a power so full of potential danger and at the same time so full of promise for the future of man and for the peace of the world...

We therefore earnestly recommend that Congress set up the Horseless Carriage Commission which will have a complete control over all sources of gasoline and similar explosive elements in all activities connected with their development and use in the United States. These measures may seem drastic and far-reaching, but the discovery in which we are dealing involves forces of nature too dangerous to fit into any of our usual concepts.

—Report of a Joint Congressional Committee on the Horseless Carriage, 1875

**DO YOU REMEMBER**

**HENRY FORD 1906**





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