

**August & September 2018 Historian Report for October 2018 Board Meetings
Marybelle Beigh, Westfield Town & Village Historian**

Historian Activities During August 2018:

- Attended August 1, 2018 Town Board meeting and provided July 2018 Historian Report
- Attended August 20, 2018 Village Board meeting; provided July 2018 Historian Report
- Unable to attend August 28, 2018 First Responders Memorial meeting; rushing to complete historian projects prior to leaving on vacation at the beginning of September.
- BeeLines articles and photos have been researched, written, and published in the Westfield Republican by editor, Aaron Lundmark, and also on the WestfieldNY.com Village-Historian webpage by webmaster Aaron Resnick, on the following topics:
 1. The 1837 Westfield Academy described from the memories of Miss Jennie Macomber; historic photo circa 1860s of 1837 Westfield Academy
 2. Mayor Mike's (and Westfield Historian's) project for a "Rogue's Gallery" of the Mayors (and Presidents) of the Village of Westfield (1833 to present); Image of minutes listing the first elected Village officials in 1833, from original minute book
 3. Pioneers who led Westfield – biographical sketches of first two Presidents (Mayors) of Westfield – James McClurg and Stephen Rumsey; Lithographic image of James McClurg.
 4. Remembering Wilson Auto Parts – recap of Marybelle's 1st BeeLines article from 2007; 1937 photo Wilson Auto Parts; 1927 photo Willis Wilson (Westfield mayor 1957-1961)
 5. Jennie Macomber – and the beginning of Westfield's YWCA; photo circa 1900 – Jennie Macomber in gardening clothes; photo of Jennie Macomber at YWCA office desk in Brewer Block, 2nd floor, over National Bank (probably sometime between 1895 and 1905)

Historian Activities During September 2018:

- BeeLines article about Jennie Macomber from materials shared by Marie Bruni, current archivist at the Westfield YWCA, in emails from August and September. Reprinted same photos, with corrected captions based on information and questions from Ms Bruni.