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TREASURES OF
NEW HAMPSHIRE



From the Collections of the New Hampshire Historical Society

Monday, September 17 at 7:30

The New Hampshire Historical Society's collections illuminate and interpret New Hampshire past and present. Since 1923, they have been gathering an array of objects that tell us about New Hampshire, and the people who lived here. This power point presentation looks at treasures such as a chest of drawers by New Hampshire cabinetmaker John Dunlap. It will include such diverse items as the Concord Coach, a Thomas Hill painting of Crawford Notch, a Hooked Rug from 1876, a Genealogical Register of the First Settlers of New England, and a manuscript proving that John Stark coined the state motto "Live Free or Die". We will discuss what these objects tell us about the past of New Hampshire, about life, and about ourselves.

The presenter will be *Wesley G. Balla, Director of Collections and Exhibitions* at the New Hampshire Society. Mr. Balla is a History major graduate of S.U.N.Y., and holds a masters degree in American History from the University of Rochester. He has extensive professional experience in historical related positions, plus published essays and reviews. In his present role, he has staged several major exhibitions at the N.H. Historical Society.

Come to hear about some of our New Hampshire treasures, and see how these New Hampshire items, goals, and principles also relate to our Society here in Campton.

The Campton Historical Society is located in the Old Town Hall on N.H. Route 175 south. The building is handicap accessible, and refreshments will be served. For further information, contact Jim Parziale at 726-7752

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