

**December 2015 Historian Report for January 2016 Board Meetings**  
**Marybelle Beigh, Westfield Historian**

**Historian Activities During December 2015:**

- Attended Town Board meeting Dec. 9, 2015 and provided November Historian Report
- Attended Village Board Meeting Dec. 21, 2015, and provided November Historian Report
- Interviewed Jennifer Johnson (Johnson Estate Winery) about the history of the Margaret Peacock house on West Main, and had a fascinating tour of their 200 year old mansion.
- Doing more research about the Bark Grill history pertaining to the origin of the bark-covered walls, including photos, for a client whose company has revived the architectural décor of peeled tree bark wall coverings, interior and exterior.
- Research continuing about a fourth Westfield Peacock Home
- BeeLines articles and photos are posted weekly to Westfield Historian Facebook website maintained by yours truly, as well as responses to readers comments and questions
- BeeLines articles researched, written and published with historic photos in Westfield Republican in December:
  1. Peacock Homes in Westfield, Part 1, Introduction, Peacock Grove, Connection with Judge William Peacock and Peacock Inn Mayville; photo Peacock Point/Grove circa 1890.
  2. Prehistoric Iroquois Village Excavation story (including reprinted Dibble's Dabbles), involving Wright and Peacock Families of Westfield. (no photo)
  3. Peacock Homes in Westfield, Part 2, Margaret Peacock Residence West Main Road; scanned drawing of Margaret Peacock Residence from 1881 Chautauqua County Atlas
  4. Westfield Peacock Homes, Part 3, Thomas Peacock House 31 Jefferson (Militello Antiques); photo circa 1975 from Westfield Architectural History article
  5. Buzzings with date corrections, plus Westfield Peacock Homes, Part 4, Charles E Peacock home 186 East Main; photo circa 1975 omitted from Republican due to space limitations.