In this issue's vintage photograph below are seen historic papers ready to be cataloged for the collection. When people say the days of the past, it is often myths that are perpetuated, such as Native Americans and the long log drums, long gone. In reality, there were small drums, and in the 1700s, they were made of cornhusks. In the 1700s, drummers were what were known as “corn masters.” They taught the young people the dances and songs of their ancestors. So, the next time you see someone holding a drum, remember the importance of preserving our history and the stories of our ancestors.

**Thank you for Supporting the L.C. Bates Museum.**

**During Museum Hours**

- **Thurs., Fri. & Sat.: 10am to 4:00 pm**
- **Tues. & Wed.: 1pm to 4:00 pm**
- **Sun.: 1pm to 4:00 pm and other times by appointment**

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- **• Free admission to the museum**
- **• 10% discount at the museum gift shop!**
- **• Member Benefits**

**November Museum Happenings**

- **1. Winter View Down Easler Road**
  - The Museum building is closed due to Safety Issues. Do come to the gift shop on Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays from 10am to 4pm, or call ahead to plan a time to visit.

- **2. Volunteer Lisa has rehoused important GWH archival documents. She carefully arranged many historic photographs and documents for preservation.**

- **3. Young visitors all recognize the kid-friendly objects in our Kid’s Kits for second to fourth grade students. Engaging Bird, Leaf and Insect Kid’s Kits are Now Available at the museum to enjoy the trails. For museum volunteers, please contact museum@lcbates.org**

**February 2022**

- **Visit us on Saturday, February 12th, at 1pm to enjoy the trails**

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**Museum Volunteers**

- **Over the past at GWH, Good Will children have researched collections and developed handouts for visitors. One student, Emma Baker, researched a collection of early European Railroad on Mount Vesuvius in Italy. This future exhibition. The historic image pictured below depicts the Funicular Railroad from the terrace by Mount Vesuvius in Italy.**

- **Another student, Charlotte Maurer, researched a collection of Middle Eastern photographs for a future exhibition. The historic image pictured below depicts the Funicular Railroad on Mount Vesuvius in Italy.**

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