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Our spring meeting takes place Wednesday, May 21st, at 8:00 p.m. The guest speaker will be Dr. Nelson R. Burr of West Hartford. A native of Hartford, educated at Princeton University, Dr. Burr was for 25 years on the staff of the Library of Congress in Washington. In his retirement he became associated with the Noah Webster Foundation and Historical Society; he is also the author of a history of West Hartford. He will speak to us on "West Hartford in the Colonial Period."

Since we live in a community with deep roots in the past, we are preparing a program with slides called "Recollections of Colonial Windsor." It will be an effective means of learning not only the town's history, but that of Colonial times generally. We hope to present it for school children as well as adults. The slides have been taken by Robert Silliman, Director of Photography; art work is by Lydia Wade; and the story is narrated and directed by Edwinna Hillemeier. Featured as Colonial ladies are: Dorothy Ball, Dorothy Blake, Julie Carlson, Jane Finley, Patricia Kirk, Laura Patterson, Lucile Wade, Lydia Wade, and Doris Zatti. The Colonial child is Cindy Kirk.

Be sure to join with fellow members at the May 21st meeting and enjoy an interesting program. Guests are always welcome. We will be glad to pick up anyone who would like a ride. Just call the Society at 688-3813.