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Three and a half miles of track were washed out by the Blackwater River at the Andover railroad station in 1927.

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Donation to Historical Society Reveals Destruction in Andover

Flood of 1927 washed out train tracks

Rita Norander
Andover Historical Society

The Andover Historical Society was the recent recipient of a gift which offered an unexpected snapshot view into the past – 1927 to be exact. The gift was actually a group of five small photographs donated by Winifred Little Williams via Florence Gove. “The Flood of 1927” is noted on the back of the photos.

One of the pictures is marked as being in the area of the Andover Railroad Depot, near present-day Blackwater Park, where 3.5 miles of track were washed out and 2.5 feet of water flooded

the train station. The Historical Society is pleased and grateful to receive these photos and will preserve this glimpse into the past for the benefit of all.

This gift is a good example of how you, too, can help the Historical Society by making similar donations of older photographs of people, places, or things pertaining to the town of Andover. If you can't bear to part with your pictures – and I don't blame you – how about allowing the Society to copy your photos? Your copies will be added to the Historical Society's collection, where they will be safe, preserved, and available for present and the future generations to enjoy.

For more information, contact Pat Cutter at Pres@AndoverHistory.org.

Andover Historical Society Meeting Features Steve Taylor

Talk on the Great Sheep Boom on October 16

Press release

The Andover Historical Society will be hosting Steve Taylor as our fall speaker at the Society's annual meeting at 7 PM on Thursday, October 16, at the Highland Lake Grange Hall. His topic will be *The Great Sheep Boom and Its Enduring Legacy on the New Hampshire Landscape*.

Prior to the talk, there will be a brief meeting to present and approve next year's slate of trustees.

Here is an overview of Steve's talk: “In a brief 30-year period in the early 19th century, the New Hampshire landscape became home to hundreds of

thousands of sheep. Production of wool became a lucrative business, generating fortunes and providing the only time of true agricultural prosperity in the state's history. It left behind a legacy of fine architecture and thousands of miles of rugged stone walls.

“Steve Taylor discusses how farmers overcame enormous challenges to make sheep husbandry succeed and how forces from beyond New Hampshire were to doom the industry with social consequences that would last a century.”

Please join us for what promises to be a lively, informative evening. Refreshments served. Free and open to all. Sponsored in part by the New Hampshire Humanities Council.