### THE PAULDING COUNTY HISTORICAL Society Est. 1977

The Paulding County Historical Society was formed in June of 1977 and first met at the Paulding County Courthouse, in Dallas. The Historical Society was the brainchild of Hon. William A. Foster, Jr., and others, who were concerned with the preservation of the history and heritage of Paulding County. Through the years the Historical Society has been at the forefront of preservation efforts in Paulding County. From improving the grave of the unknown Confederate Soldier to moving and preserving Dallas' first official school house. The Historical Society has tried to pass on to each consecutive generation a sense of the county's past with an appreciation of it's history.



### THE PAULDING COUNTY HISTORY MUSEUM EST. 1997

The building that now houses the Paulding County History Museum was originally the first schoolhouse in Dallas. For many years it functioned as an Academy for the children of Dallas and the surrounding countryside.

In the 1890's the building became a residence and was later acquired by the First United Methodist Church of Dallas. Recognizing the historical significance of the building the Methodist Church donated it to the Paulding County Historical Society in 1995. On January 19, 1997, the school was moved to its current location at **295**North Johnston Street. There it was restored to it's near original condition and dedicated as the Paulding County History Museum on June 13, 1999.



#### **BOOKS & ITEMS FOR SALE**

The Heritage of Paulding County, Georgia 1832 - 1999	\$80
Cemeteries of Paulding County, Georgia Revised	\$30
Paulding County It's People & Places by W.A. Foster, Jr Vol. 1	\$45
Cooking Through the Years with the Paulding County Historical Society	\$10
"Civil War Survivor" A History of Dallas Georgia's Historic Henderson House by Betty Fran Sparti	\$11
175 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary DVD. A 45-minute film that tells the story of Paulding County, Georgia. Includes interviews with long-time residents of Paulding County, Mary	\$ 10

Smith, Judy Hardy, and more.

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The Paulding County Historical Society meets 7:00 PM the third Monday of January, April, July, and October at the Paulding County History Museum.

#### MUSEUM HOURS AND ADMISSION

First & Third Saturday of each month 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM

Children: \$1.00 Adult: \$2.00 Group visits can be arranged

Located at: 295 North Johnston Street Dallas, Ga. 30132

The Paulding County Historical Society and Museum

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# Membership Application

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