

**“Wayne County: The Beginning”  
or  
“She Escaped By The Seat Of Her County”**

**A Richmond Civic Theater Fundraiser presented in the tent during the Wayne County Historical Museum’s Heritage Festival.**

\*Tickets for the show will be sold at the Tent\*

**Friday Sept. 10th - 7:30pm  
Saturday Sept. 11th - 2:00pm  
Sunday Sept. 12 - 2:00pm**

**Boo at the villainy, cheer on the heroic, sigh at the plight of the heroine.**

**A family fun Olde Time Melodrama written by Donald Mellen.**

*Dirercted by Donald Mellen and Jane Turner*

**The Cast (Egads!)**

**Neal Werle** - Stanley Trustwell - Our Hero, a dashing fellow

**Laurie Hiron** - Constant Hope - Our Heroine, sweet and lovely

**Donald Mellen** - Lucifus Landswipe - A dastardly sort

**David Jetmore** - Melvin Hope - Constant’s Father, a well meaning family man

**Paula Werle** - Annie Hope - Constant’s Sister, wise and steady

**Meghan Cooper** - True Hope - Constant’s Sister, a bit of a flirt

**Shelley Wambo** - Goldie - A Fallen flower. A heart of gold, but an empty purse

**Jack Werle** - John Addington/Benjamin Harris - One of a trio determining the county seat

**Phil Baisley** - George Holman/Samuel Walker - Two of a trio determining the county seat

**Steve Holthouse** - John Cox/Richard Maxwell - Three of a trio determining the county seat

Celebrating the bicentennial of Wayne County! The year is 1810 and the site for the county seat is about to be selected.

Two sites are being considered and Lucivus Landswipe has been acquiring land around those sites as part of his nefarious schemes.

But suddenly a third site near the land holdings of the Hope family is being considered.

This will ruin the plans of Lucivus Landswipe... or will it? What new villainy might be afoot?

Come out and watch “Wayne County: The Beginning” to find out.