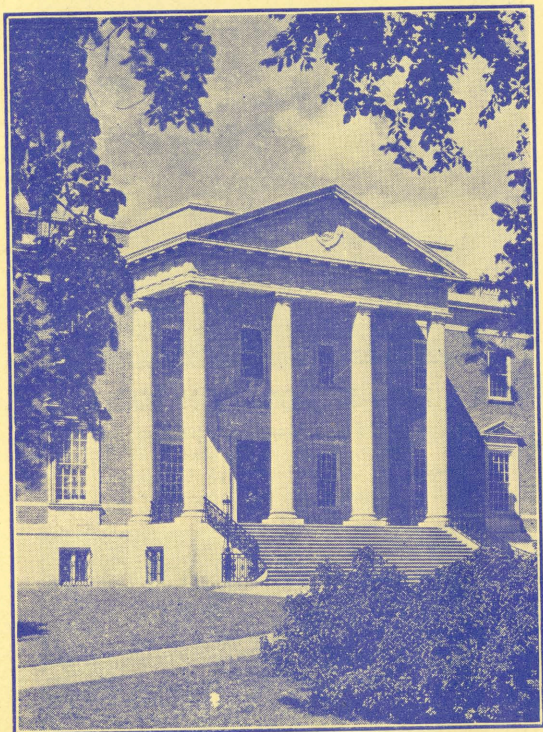


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CHICAGO HISTORICAL SOCIETY



LINCOLN PARK - CHICAGO
NORTH AVENUE AND CLARK STREET

HOURS

9:30 A. M. to 5:00 P. M. Week Days
12:30 P. M. to 5:30 P. M. Sundays

FREE DAYS

Monday

Wednesday

Friday

ADMISSION 25c

Tuesday

Thursday

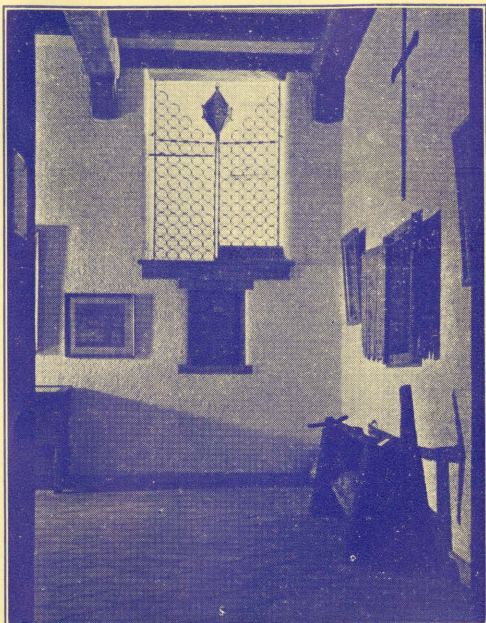
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Children Admitted Free

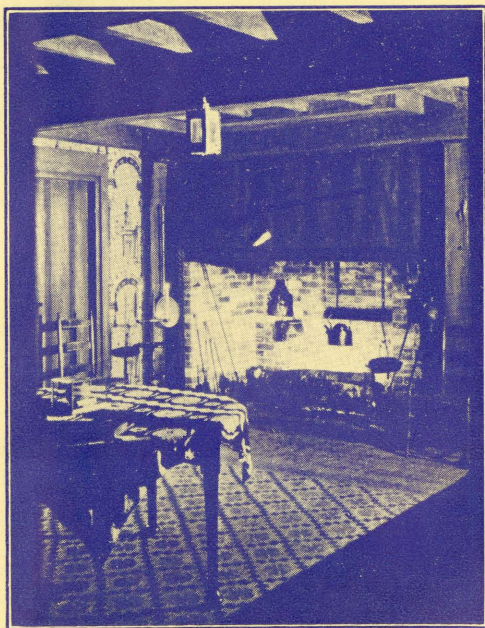
FOUNDED - 1856

SEE THE SPANISH EXPLORATION ROOM



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Anchor from the "Santa Maria," flagship of Columbus.
Doors and shutters from the house of Bartholomew Perestrello, father-in-law of Columbus.
Doors and cross from the monastery of La Rabida



PAUL REVERE HOUSE

Copy of living room from Paul Revere House in Boston, built about 1670 and bought by Paul Revere in 1770.

THE STORY OF A NATION

A trip through the new building of the Chicago Historical Society is an experience you will never forget. Here the story of the development of the United States is told in a series of beautiful period rooms depicting outstanding epochs from the days of Columbus to the present time.

SOME OF THE THINGS YOU WILL SEE

George Washington's black velvet suit
Tea from Boston Tea Party
Lafayette's dressing gown and other personal effects
Victorian parlor of the 1850's
Bed upon which President Lincoln died
Door from the U. S. battleship "Maine"
Eight dioramas depicting the history of Chicago
Chicago's first fire engine
Relics of the fire of 1871



FOYER OF THE CHICAGO HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Reproduction of the foyer in Independence Hall, Philadelphia

GUIDE SERVICE BY APPOINTMENT

MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS AND FRIDAYS

Group of twenty-five - \$3.00

TUESDAYS, THURSDAYS AND SATURDAYS

Group of twelve or more - free guide service

SEE THE FAMOUS LINCOLN COLLECTION



THE LINCOLN PARLOR

Reproduction of parlor of the Lincoln House in Springfield, with original furniture.



THE PIONEER ROOM

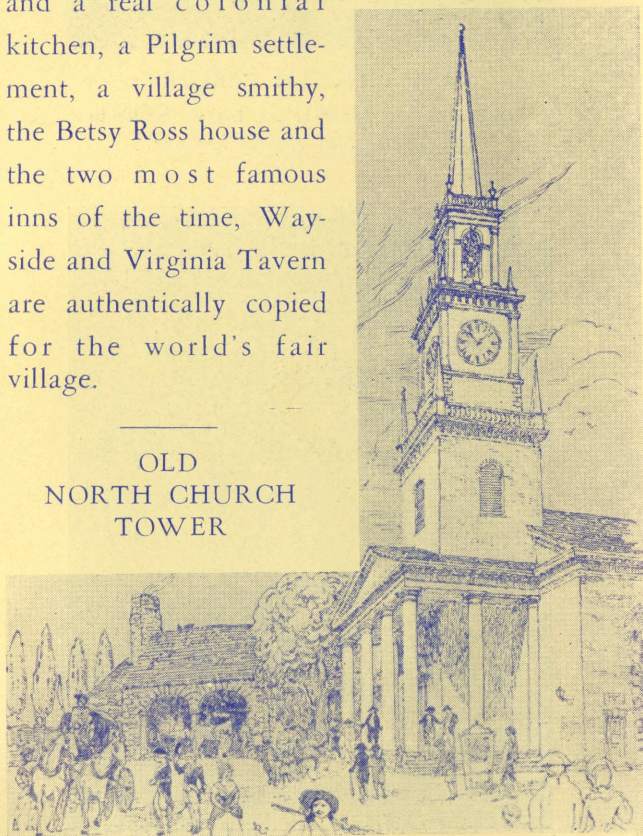
This room forms a background for the Pioneer Collection.

A VISIT to the Colonial Village at the world's fair this summer is like stepping out of the present time into another century. One hundred and fifty years of time drops by the wayside and the visitor is greeted by historic buildings filled with tales of early Americanism.

A village street lined with American maples and old-fashioned lamp posts, a colonial garden with yew and box hedges, bright with hollyhocks and old-fashioned flowers will be the setting for the reproductions of famous old buildings.

The Paul Revere house, Old North Church tower, Mount Vernon, the home of John Alden and a real colonial kitchen, a Pilgrim settlement, a village smithy, the Betsy Ross house and the two most famous inns of the time, Wayside and Virginia Tavern are authentically copied for the world's fair village.

OLD
NORTH CHURCH
TOWER



FACTS ABOUT THE CHICAGO HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Chicago Historical Society was founded in 1856.

Its new building was made possible by private donations.

The purpose of the Society is to collect and preserve objects, documents, books, maps, portraits, and prints depicting the history of the United States. Special emphasis is placed upon the history of Chicago and of the Old Northwest Territory.

EDUCATIONAL WORK

Saturday morning lectures for school children.

Observance of national holidays with appropriate programs.

The chronological arrangement of the period rooms in the Museum dramatizes the outstanding epochs in the history of the United States from the days of Columbus to the present time.

NO TAX SUPPORT

The Chicago Historical Society never has and does not now receive tax support.

It is supported by gifts, interest on endowment, memberships, and door fees.

MEMBERSHIP

Annual	\$10 a year
Life	\$100 (no dues)
Governing Annual	\$100 initiation fee and \$25 a year
Governing Life	\$500 (no dues)

Life Memberships Accrue to the Endowment Fund

PRIVILEGES OF MEMBERSHIP

Free admission to the Museum on pay days.

Use of the Library for reference work.

Invitations to special lectures, motion picture programs, receptions and teas.

Issues of the *Historical News Leaflet* and other publications.

You are invited to enroll and enjoy the many privileges of membership and to assist in the important civic work carried on by the Chicago Historical Society.

Charles B. Pike
President

L. Hubbard Shattuck
Director