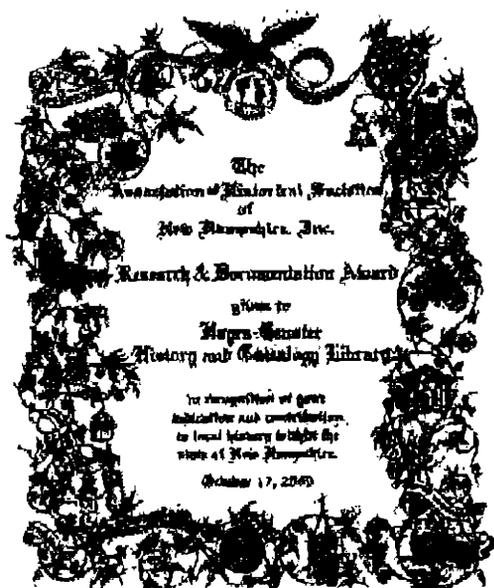

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Hayes-Genoter Library Wins Award



At a ceremony held at the New London, New Hampshire Historical Society complex on October 17, the Hayes-Genoter History and Genealogy Library, founded by Pelham historian William T. Hayes and Website designer Karen Genoter, received the 2009 Research and Documentation Award from The Association of Historical Societies of New Hampshire, Inc. The award was given in recognition of Hayes' and Genoter's dedication and

contribution to local history within the State of New Hampshire.

The Hayes-Genoter Library is one of the largest and most comprehensive online small-town history and genealogy libraries in the country. Using the latest in digital conversion technology, document enhancement software, and the Internet, the library is the first to grant historians, genealogists, students, and casual readers around-the-clock access to literally hundreds of thousands of pages of documents, publications, and old photographs relating to the Town of Pelham.

It is superior to the traditional paper library in that it does not require staff, limited hours of operation, buildings, utilities, and other costs usually associated with the traditional paper library.

Access to the library is free. The Internet address is www.pelhamnhhistory.org.