

Westford's 200th Plaque

Supply Down to 18

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WESTFORD — The last few remaining historical plaques recognizing the town's participation in the bicentennial have now gone on sale, down to a mere eighteen from the 2,088 produced by the town's committee as an official souvenir.

The commemorative tiles, soon to be a collector's item, feature four town landmarks that date back to Revolutionary times. Done in dark brown, tan and blue on a white background, it features the meetinghouse,

the original Westford Academy building, the Col John Robinson homestead and grave of Rev Willard, the town's first minister for nearly fifty years.

Sale of the plaques has produced over \$2,100 which is being used to restore the old academy building for a town museum. They are available at the J.V. Fletcher Library. Also on sale is the recently reprinted History of Westford (1883), of which already nearly 600 copies have been sold.