

## NEWS



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### **Press Pennypacker Mills Presents Photograph and Paper Ephemera Preservation Seminar**

**Schwenksville, PA (January 8, 2013)** – Every family has a collection of old photographs and important papers that gets passed down to the next generation. Daguerreotypes, ambrotypes, tintypes, and other old photographs all require special preservation techniques. To learn how to preserve photographs and other bits of history on paper, attend a free special seminar: "Photograph and Paper Ephemera Preservation" at Pennypacker Mills on Sunday, January 13, 2013 from 1:00pm to 3:00pm. Hear how to properly handle, store, and display old photographs, letters, and other important paper documents. Handouts will be provided. Pre-registration is required. The seminar will be held in the Classroom Building. Call 610-287-9349 to register today!

Pennypacker Mills was the home of former Pennsylvania Governor Samuel W. Pennypacker (1903-1907) and his family. Situated on 170 acres of bucolic farmland, this historic site embodies the early 1900s, and is operated by the Division of Parks and Heritage Services of the Montgomery County Department of Assets and Infrastructure. The site is open year-round for free guided tours, changing exhibits, education programs, and seasonal events. Pennypacker Mills is located at 5 Haldeman Road in Schwenksville, PA. For more information, visit the Pennypacker Mills page at <http://www.historicsites.montcopa.org/>.

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Historical postcard: Polychrome birds-eye view of Pennypacker Mills, Residence of Ex-Governor Samuel W. Pennypacker, Schwenksville, PA. Circa 1907-1914



Governor Samuel W. Pennypacker at his desk in Harrisburg, PA. Circa 1906.