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Mail the order form to:
 Mower County Historical Society
 1303 6th Ave. SW
 Austin, MN 55912

**Make checks payable to Mower County
 Historical Society**

All prices include tax.

Purchase books and other merchandise from the Mower County Historical Society for a Christmas present to family, friends, or your favorite history buff!

The Mower County Historical Society has a great selection of local history books, video, and other merchandise to help out with your Christmas shopping. Browse through this special insert for information on each item and then fill out the order form to mail back with your check. To ensure that all orders are filled in time for Christmas, please place your order on or before December 4th.

Order forms can be sent with checks payable to the Mower County Historical Society at 1303 6th Ave. SW, Austin, MN 55912. Sorry no debit or credit cards are accepted.

***City of Austin
150th Anniversary Pictorial***

This pictorial was created by the Mower County Historical Society for the 150th Anniversary of Austin in 2006. The book is filled with pictures of Austin yesteryear and serves as a wonderful coffee table book to share with visitors.

Large quantities still available!
\$35.37 plus shipping

***Brownsdale, Minnesota
1856-1996
By Grace Gillette***

Grace Gillette's history of Brownsdale commemorates the 140th Anniversary of this Mower County town.

Only 3 copies remain!
\$15 plus shipping

***Milwaukee Road 1004:
A Survivor of 100 Years
By James Gerhardt Sucha***

Take a journey with James Sucha as he details the history of the Milwaukee Road 1004. Sucha's history is a must have for any railroad enthusiast!

\$5 plus shipping

Milwaukee Road 1004 DVD

Watch original footage of the Milwaukee Road 1004 on its journey to retirement at the Mower County Historical Society site! Video created by Suchatone Productions.

\$10 plus shipping

Afghans featuring Mower County Townships and Historic Austin Buildings

Do you need something to keep you warm on those cold winter nights? Get your own historical afghan from the Mower County Historical Society! There are three different types of afghans: Mower County Townships, Austin #1 (features Paramount Theater, First National Bank, First Methodist Church, St. Olaf Hospital, Firehouse & Armory, Bandshell, Woolworth's, and the Tendermaid), and Austin #2 (features Shaw Gym, Opera House, First National Bank, 1884 Courthouse, Fox Hotel, Austin High School, George Hirsh Clothier, and St. Olaf Lutheran Church). They come in a variety of colors and are available for \$35 plus shipping.

Mower County Townships available in black (5 remaining) and blue (3 remaining)

Austin #1 available in green (8 remaining) and blue (7 remaining)

Austin #2 available in green (7 remaining), blue (8 remaining), and red (2 remaining)

***PLEASE NOTE YOUR TOP COLOR PREFERENCE ON THE ORDER FORM!**

***Mower County:
The Garden Spot of Minnesota
1915 History Book***

Look at life in Mower County in 1915. Written during that time period, the book includes historical information and advertisements of local businesses of the time.

Only 3 books remain!
\$5 plus shipping

***Remember Me to All Who May Inquire:
The Correspondence of the Vaughans of Mower
County, Minnesota and the Beans of Wisconsin
1848-1903***

Edited by Patricia M. Ranum

Read entries about a Mower County family as it tells of their experiences to a Wisconsin family.

Only 8 books remain!
\$10 plus shipping

***Of Days That Used to Be:
A Compiled History of Grand Meadow,
Minnesota 1876-1976
By Harriett Torgrimson***

Look back at the rich history of Grand Meadow with author Harriett Torgrimson during our country's bicentennial year.

Only 2 books remain!
\$15 plus shipping

***This is the Way It Was: Remnants of Memories
Rose Creek, Minnesota 1992
By Mae Kasten & Arlene Schnorenberg***

Go on a journey with Kasten and Schnorenberg as they interview Rose Creek residents about the way things used to be. Great read for the younger generation or someone wanting to reminisce about simpler times!

Only 7 books remain!
\$5 plus shipping

***Wind on the Prairie:
Taopi Station 125th Anniversary
By Marjorie A. Meier***

Learn about the history of Taopi with the late local historian Marjorie Meier. Meier's history is sure to be of interest to anyone!

Only 1 book remains available!
\$14 plus shipping

***Child of the Great Depression
By Richard Hall***

A favorite read for many people, Richard Hall's book has been reprinted again for the enjoyment of history enthusiasts. Hall describes life as he remembers it during the Great Depression.

Will be available starting November 16th!
\$10 plus shipping

***Burr Oaks School Days 1853-1953
Excelsior News 1859-1949***

Relive the days in these old one room country schools with two books! Each book focuses on information regarding independent schools located within Mower County. Great reminder of yesteryear for former and current teachers.

Each book is available for \$2 plus shipping. Only 5 copies remain of each! Buy the package together for \$3 plus shipping!

***Once Around the Mill Pond and Cedar River
By Richard Hall***

A new book from Richard Hall will be available soon! Hall puts a new spin on the settlement and history of Austin. The book focuses on early pioneers not regularly associated with scholarship on Austin history but were instrumental in its development.

**Presales are available! Book will arrive in late
November to early December 2009!
\$10 plus shipping**

Can't find anything that they might like? Try buying them a gift membership to the Mower County Historical Society!

Fill out the form below and we will send out the membership acknowledging the gift was from you. Or ask to have the information mailed to you so you can give it to that special history buff! Mail this form back with order form!

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