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Eric the show man

By Cathy DeDe

Chronicle Managing Editor

You may not have heard of 27-year-old Vermonter **Eric Mallette**, but maybe you've heard of Ed Asner? Judy Collins? Glenn Miller, Taylor Hicks, *50 Shades of Grey*?

They are just some of the performers Mr. Mallette has brought to the 300-seat Charles Wood Theater in Glens Falls in the past four years, starting when he booked 90s pop-rock star Richard Marx here in June 2010.

Last month, Mr. Mallette filled 650 seats across three weeknights at the Wood with *50 Shades! The Musical*, the touring, naughty, smart parody inspired by the best-selling

Meet the Vermonter who's brought to the Wood Theater everyone from Ed Asner, Judy Collins and the Glenn Miller Orchestra to '50 Shades of Grey'



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erotic novels.

Inspired by that impressive success, *The Chronicle* contacted Mr. Mallette to find out: Who is this guy? Mr. Mallette, a native of Brandon, Vt., is the programming director for

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Made case for small business

By Mark Frost

Chronicle Editor

The 2013 Washington County Small Business Awards, presented on Dec. 6, didn't just honor four particular enterprises; it

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Historic desk regained

By Mark Frost

Chronicle Editor

The Fort Edward Historical Association has purchased a mahogany "campaign desk" thought to have belonged to Revolutionary War hero Philip Schuyler — for whom Schuylerville is named.

"It could be as old as 1770," said Paul McCarty, who heads the historical association, which

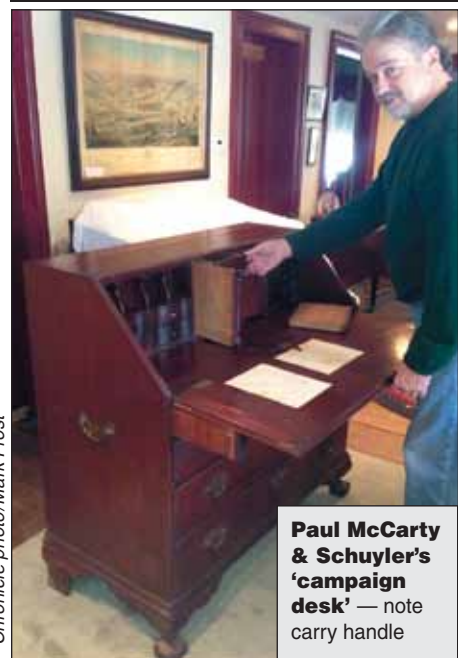
Fort House Museum buys desk thought to be Gen. Schuyler's; Wing family heirloom back from Alabama

operates the Old Fort House Museum in Fort Edward.

"This is our 60th anniversary. To have found this — it's a coup for Fort Edward. It's a coup for the entire area really."

The desk long belonged to Fort Edward descendants of Abraham Wing, the original settler of Glens Falls, but Mr. McCarty said it ended up in Alabama when Wing's great great grand-

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Paul McCarty & Schuyler's 'campaign desk' — note carry handle

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