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"The institution of the dear love of comrades."

—WALT WHITMAN.

The Whitman Club of Bon Echo

Founded by FLORA MACDONALD

"Neither master nor servant am I."—WALT WHITMAN,

THE SUNSET OF BON ECHO is the official organ of the Whitman Club, edited by Flora Macdonald.

For the idea, and the why; who was Whitman; what and where is Bon Echo, and who is Flora Macdonald—see Number 1.

Whitman

Have you a favorite Poet or Author?

I have found comfort and solace, joy and delight and inspiration in "Leaves of Grass."

It being the best book I have found, I would fain pass it along. The last number of the "Sunset of Bon Echo" is responsible for many volumes of Whitman finding their way to the study table of folks who had not known him.

The earnest of life is to learn and pass it along.

Having had the joy of reading Whitman over and over and over again, I conceived the idea of making Bon Echo a monument and symbol of his Democratic Ideals.

The urge to get busy—to crystalize my experience and knowledge into a definite, concrete work, seems more and more imperative as the days go by. One must work with the tools at