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"The institution of the dear love of comrades."

## The Whitman Club of Bon Echo

Founded by FLORA MACDONALD

"Neither master nor servant am I."-WALT WHITMAN

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

## WALT WHITMAN

Born May 31st, 1819 - Died March 26th, 1892. Centennial Celebration at Bon Echo, Ont., Canada, August 3rd to 11th, 1919.

## WALT WHITMAN

By Flora MacDonald

My tribute to Walt Whitman is whatever I have done, and whatever I may do to propagate his Democratic Ideals.

To me, the Great Teacher has come, and "Leaves of Grass" is his text-book

The Western Star has risen, and is shining brighter each year as it climbs towards the zenith.

The between of the Cradle and Coffin no longer holds us, and birth and death are only pages in the book of life.

Great Companion, who never yet has failed or faltered when we needed kindly light.

To you, Dear Walt; to you, True Friend.