



**So You Think
You Know the
Nutmeg State?**

**A Story of
Connecticut Told
In 100 Buildings**

If those walls could talk...
this is what they would say.
A story of Connecticut.

Where is America's oldest amusement park (page 33) Where did county fairs start in America? (page 19) What town was the cradle of Impressionism in the United States? (page 21)

Brownstone... octagon houses... the "Iron Prince"... iron horses... summer stock theater... fire towers... windmills... brass... insurance... water power... prestigious schools... the CCC... modern architectural icons... elephants... kit houses... the golden age of motoring... canals... hats... silk... Shakers... Buffalo soldiers... olive-hued glass... copper mines... Frank Lloyd Wright... movie sets... dance halls... drive-in movies... cider mills... Carnegie libraries... road racing... white clam pizza. This book will have you telling stories like a native in no time.

The photos and stories collected here are a fast and fun way to learn the explanations behind the quirks, the traditions and the secrets that make Connecticut uniquely Connecticut. What product was Connecticut's tallest building constructed to manufacture in 1909? Solved. What is America's oldest amusement park? A mystery no more. What golf course did Katharine Hepburn play growing up? Identified. What town was the cradle of Impressionism in the United States? Revealed.