

Friends of Eden Library proudly present

Reenactor Dennis Upton
as

Joseph Ellicott,
First Surveyor of
Western New York



The names “Joseph Ellicott” and “Holland Land Company” are interwoven local history threads found in every corner of Western New York. But who was the man who surveyed and organized this section of New York State when it was just early 18th-century wilderness? And what role did Ellicott play in bringing the Erie Canal to the area? Journey back in time with us to 1824 as Dennis Upton becomes Ellicott in this fascinating living portrayal.

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