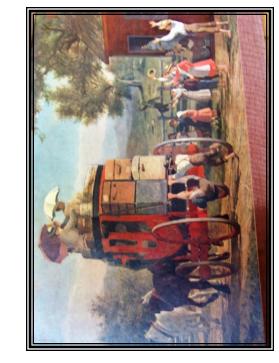
## **Spring House Tour Review**

Our new venture into "showing Monroe County off" was a great success with 564 visitors from across the Virginias with some even from the Midcontinent! The early May weather was chilly and spitting but the faces were smiling and friendly, and our members felt very encouraged by the reception. The Ante-Bellum mansions put on a show as did the "Old Sweet" and the "Old Salt", while the Museums were crowded like never before. This turned out to be our most successful fundraiser ever, with over \$10,000 taken in! On to next year!

## **Monroe County Heritage Days**



This 25-27 August we will work again with our "Living History" reenactors to sponsor "War Comes to Union". This proved to be popular last year and will again include, Federal and Confederate camps, living history scenarios, Friday evening cannon firings, Saturday Lady's Tea, a later Period Dance and a Sunday traditional church service. Why not plan to be with us for this reenactment of the occupation of Union by the Federal Army in 1864! For more information contact Chris Johnson at: 304-772-4712 or <u>wvaca@hughes.net</u>. Monroe County Historical Society P.O. Box 465 Union, West Virginia 24983



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