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# Pioneer History of Wise County

From Red Men to Railroads—  
Twenty Years of Intrepid History

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"Let us search more and more into the Past; let all men explore it, as the true fountain of knowledge; by whose light alone, consciously or unconsciously employed, can the present and the future be interpreted or guessed at."—Carlyle.

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"A people that take no pride in the noble achievements of remote ancestors will never achieve anything worthy to be remembered with pride by remote descendants."—Macaulay.



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