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UB history professor Dr. Albert Michaels, in his introduction to *Classic Buffalo*, presents in nine pages perhaps the best concise history of Buffalo that I have ever read. Although it is tempting to dive right into the photographs as soon as you have a copy of *Classic Buffalo* in your hands, take the time to read the introduction and you will learn almost as much about the city as you did in Lauren Belfer's novel *City of Light*.

It is easy to forget as you find yourself absorbed into the lushness of Andy Olenick's photography that the book is more than art for art's sake. Classic Buffalo is intended to help raise funds for the Canisius College History Project, an organization that identifies and designates as worthy of preservation threatened buildings with historical or architectural significance. To read Andy Olenick's and Richard Reisem's book is to become acquainted with the architectural wealth of Buffalo and to understand the benefits of preserving our unique heritage. \*Thank you to Buffalo Magazine

\*Below is only an excerpt from the article.

