



# The Friends of Historic Essex Spring Lecture 2010

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2010, 7.00pm  
at the Essex Record Office

## The Daisy Chain

*The Countess of Warwick's Circle and their  
influence in Edwardian Essex.*

### Vic Gray

*In the years before the First World War, an important group of writers, politicians and thinkers settled in western Essex and under the wing of the socialist socialite, Daisy, Countess of Warwick, explored ways of giving new life to the rural community, through drama, poetry, pageants and discussions. The group, their activities and impact, both local and national, will be explored in this lecture by Vic Gray, County Archivist of Essex from 1979 to 1993.*

This lecture is part of the Essex Book Festival, but Friends can purchase tickets at the reduced price of only £2.50.

(Ticket price includes glass of wine/soft drink before the lecture.)

To book call 01245 244620

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