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Regular meeting held first Wednesday of each month, 7:30 PM
Presbyterian Church, 6474 Beechmont, unless otherwise noted

DATES TO REMEMBER: Mark your calendars!

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5th - ATHS monthly meeting. The program will be an illustrated talk on the Early Ohio Valley and Cincinnati, given by David L. McNeil, a retired teacher from Mariemont and Wyoming High Schools. Mr. McNeil is a world traveler who is well versed in local history, so this should be an interesting program.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22nd and SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 23rd - COUNTRY STORE.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28th - Mystery Trip #2 (See below)

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3rd - ATHS monthly meeting. Program to be announced.

MYSTERY TRIP No. 2

On Friday, September 28 members of the ATHS will have another Super mystery trip. Our chartered bus will take us on a round trip of 265 miles to a beautiful park lodge where we will enjoy lunch.

We will leave from the parking lot of the Mt. Washington Presbyterian Church at 9:30 AM returning at 5 PM.

Cost is \$19.50. Reservations and money should be sent to Jim King before September 15th.

THANK YOU: To Marj and Vic Frame for arranging the opening of the Log House on weekends during July and August. The number of visitors was not great, but enough to make it worthwhile. The thank you includes the members who gave up a Saturday or Sunday afternoon to greet the visitors. Marj and Vic would like to continue having the house open during September, so if you would like to volunteer, call them at 231 6453.

To Harold Wiley for trimming the hedge in front of the Brick House. This is a long hedge that grows quite tall and blocks the view of traffic on Clough Pike.

To members who spent Friday and Saturday in front of Thriftway's Beechmont Store, advertising Country Store, selling chances on the raffle and other items. As we always say, "It isn't the money we make but it reminds and informs the community that an active Historical Society exists in Anderson Township."

RESEARCH: Roland Lowery. The fourth reprint of Steve Smalley's book, History of Mt. Washington, was ordered by the Research Committee. The book is now off the press and as soon as the Board approves a sale price, copies will be available.

ACCESSIONS: Nola Stimpert. The committee invites you to come see the new display of Children's clothes, now on the clothes rack upstairs in the Log House. Especially interesting is a linen under-drawer said to have been worn by a member's grandfather. The drawers are for a five year old boy and has buttons and buttonholes around the waist. Could he have worn a panty waist?

Equally old is a rocker originally covered in carpet but was later covered with a leather type material. The rocker will soon be on display with a carpet covering on the back and seat.

All furniture has been waxed. WE ARE READY FOR TOURS.

PROJECTS: Jane King - Tours. The following is a composite of the many notes received from young people who have toured the Log House this past year.

OVER

Dear Ladies. Thank you very much for showing us a very interesting visit to the Log House. We learned many things about pioneers and how they lived. Alisa's favorite was the big spinning wheel. Danny liked the kitchen, stairs, and back room. Jeff liked the fireplace and declared that he would come back at Christmas and it would be fun. Rhonda liked the deer skin best and was glad they got to come. Andy could not decide what he liked best so he included everything in the main room and upstairs. Elaine reported that when her class got back to school that day, they made pictures and wrote stories about what they saw. Thank you. SECOND GRADERS

P.S. You ladies did good. (In other words, the young visitors approved of our guides.)

MEMBERSHIP: Ruth Walters.

CHANGE OF ADDRESSES:

Mrs. Ruth Schafner, 1348 Pebble Ct., Cincinnati	45230	474-3645
Mrs. Arthur Holmes (Betty), 1556 Cohasset Dr., Cincinnati	45230	232-6681
Mrs. Dorothy McCann, 2127 Oxford Ave., Cincinnati	45230	231-9039
Mrs. Raymond C. Smith, 3657 Par Four Ct., Cincinnati	45245	
Mr. & Mrs. Harry Rimmer, 934 Gaskins Rd., Cincinnati	45245	752-2134
Mrs. Chas. Pence (Kay), 3939 Erie Ave., #104, Cincinnati	45208	271-1662
Mr. & Mrs. Lloyd Everhard, 6915 Thorndike Rd., #4, Cinti.	45227	561-1774
Mrs. Heloise Tucker, 6383 Clough Pike #1, Cincinnati	45244	231-1581
Mrs. Thos. R. Meyer, 7081 Stonington Rd., Cincinnati	45230	

NEW MEMBERS:

Mr. Lowell F. Mason, 2800 Crittwood Ct., Cincinnati	45244	231-6496
Mr. Michael Mason, 2800 Crittwood Ct., Cincinnati	45244	231-6496
Mrs. Edgar C. Shanabrook (Juliana), 957 Markley Rd., Cinti	45230	232-4414
Marilyn A. Kroll, 2579 Bushman Drive, Cincinnati	45230	231-1571

Some of our favorite members have failed to send in their dues for 1984. We do not want to lose you and hope that this will be a reminder to mail your \$3.00 individual or \$6.00 family membership to Ruth Walters, 1612 Mears Ave., Cincinnati, OH 45230. If you are in doubt as to whether you have paid, call Ruth- 231-9150.

EXTRA EXTRA

COUNTRY STORE EDITION

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22nd - 10 A.M. to 5 P.M.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 23rd - 12:00 to 5 P.M.

Dear ATHS Members: The time is getting closer! If you are not working on Country Store or if you have not volunteered to work - it's not too late. Please call one of the Committee Chairmen, listed below, or call me. It's fun to get involved - to be one of the working teams. The time is here to pass the word to your family and friends - invite them to come to the COUNTRY STORE.

NANCY RIMMER, CHAIRMAN

595-2406 - Office or 231 8983 - Home

BAKERY: The Bakery offers the fastest moving items at Country Store. The problem is the bake goods run out long before the customers. Let's help our chairpersons, RITA WEINER (232 2780) and DELVERA HILL (231 5192) stock their department to capacity this year. All home baked goods are welcome (except cream pies) and if you are not a "baker", your donation of flour, sugar, butter, margarine is very needed and appreciated. Rita and Del will be making calls, asking for your contribution to the Bakery. If baking is your talent, share it with them.

DRY MATERIALS AND ARRANGEMENTS:

ELIZABETH KUHLMAN, in charge of this department, is concerned that the supply of "beautiful weeds" gathered during the summer months, is very SLIM. Customers at Country Store look forward to purchasing Dry Grasses, Teasels, Money Plant, Yarrow, Dock, Bitter Sweet, Pine Cones, etc., etc. to use in making their own arrangements and our own talented arrangers need them for the lovely display of dried arrangements that sell so well. Will you call ELIZABETH (231 0575) and offer to help gather some of these sorely needed plants?

HERBS, POTPOURRI:

DOROTHY HUBER, (231 1356) and MARJORIE FRAME, (231 6453) have combined their "know how" in planning a very interesting department. Fresh herbs will be available in bunches and some growing in pots for your kitchen garden; dried herbs in large and small packets and a mixture of various herbs to use in salads, meats, dressings, etc. for seasoning. An enlarged feature will be culinary items, such as, herb teas, jellies, butter, salad dressing, vinegars, flavored sugar, and a limited amount of herb bread. Potpourri will be sold in packages so you can fill your own containers at home. Incidentally, containers will be available to use for herbs, potpourri

and gifts. Remember the TUSSIE MUSSIES that CLARA BERGER made last year? She will be back again this year, so plan to buy one for your best friend. Dorothy and Marj will appreciate a call from you if you can help set up on Friday, Sept. 21st or to help with the sale on Saturday and Sunday.

COBWEB CORNER:

MARIE ANDERSON, MARGUERITE AND ERVIN GROPPENBECHER, are busy collecting "unique junque" for this intriguing department! All things useful, old (as ANTIQUES), interesting, amusing will be happily accepted. Some suggestions: dishes, books, lamps, pictures, toys, linens, appliances, etc. etc. We cannot take clothing or large pieces of furniture. Pick ups can be arranged by calling Marg and Erv (231 7631) or Marie (231 8822).

COOKIE BOOTH:

Remember how all the children liked those Gingerbread Men, Peanut Butter and Chocolate Chip cookies at Country Store last year? RUTH WALTERS, in charge of the Cookie Booth, thinks chances are excellent that the children visiting this year will be looking for them. So, please call Ruth at 231 9150 and volunteer a batch. If you cannot deliver them to Ruth's home (1612 Mears Ave.) or cannot make it down to the Log House on Friday, Sept. 21st or Saturday or Sunday, Ruth will come to you.

FARMERS MARKET:

We understand that CLIFF and JANE REEDER and ELOIS HEIS are in NEED! They would like donations of home grown vegetables, fruits, nuts, pumpkins, potted plants, hanging baskets, bulbs, dill weed. If you can donate any of these items, or have friends with especially bountiful harvests, please contact the Reeder's (231 7008) or Eloise (231 6859).

RAFFLE:

A Raffle has not been a part of Country Store for the past three years. Customers have asked each year, "Aren't you having a Raffle? Would love to win a dinner for eight served at the Log House". This year members and guests will have just that chance. EDITH HOWARD will be in charge of selling tickets at \$.50 each or three for \$1.00 and you may obtain tickets NOW by calling Edith at 231 4313. Edith will furnish you tickets, not only for yourself, but for your friends and relatives. The first prize - DINNER FOR EIGHT, SERVED AT LOG HOUSE. Second prize - LARGE WREATH; third prize - ASSORTMENT OF HOME MADE JELLIES AND JAMS (donated by Marj Frame). Anyone willing to sell tickets in advance or to volunteer a few hours on Country Store Days, please call Edith.

STITCHERY:

BERNICE DUNHAM and HELEN CHAMBERS requests that you return any unfinished kits as soon as possible. Bernice suggests anything in the way of aprons, placemats, pot-holders, etc. will be most welcome. When last we heard from this committee, there were still a few pillow-top kits left to embroider. If you find yourself watching T.V. and find your fingers "itching" for some "fancy-work" to do, give Bernice a call at 231 7885.

STUFFED TOYS/DOLLS:

AMY LOWERY and BETTY WETTSTEIN report that their committee is moving right along and progressing nicely. They DO need (as always) materials, TRIMS (ric-rac and lace) and other such "pretties". These gals sew together most Thursdays and would welcome any one of you to join them in this very special 'labor of love'! You may reach Amy at 231 5169 and Betty at 474 0855.

CHEESE:

We hear from CATHERINE and JACK EWERS that the "cheese-man" has been contacted and that they plan to order around September 1. Plans for cutting and wrapping the cheese are "wrapped-up" (so to speak!) and the Ewers are very kindly donating the expenses of ice and wrapping paper to the Society.

CHILDRENS' NOOK:

JUDY JOHNS reports that visiting youngsters will again be given the opportunity to play the very successful Smurf Bean Bag Game. Neat prizes have been chosen for the winners. Judy will be on vacation during "Store" time, but she will be leaving both Smurfs and kiddies in good hands. Covering for Judy are DIANE STEVENS, JANE COX and IRMA ELDER.

KITCHEN:

Speaking of "needs", JANE KING (231 9557) has enough work to keep many willing workers as busy as "bees". A couple of people are needed to help clean the kitchen, prior to Country Store. Would you like to help shred beef for the Bar B-Q; bake a large cake; make German potato salad; make Shaker Soup (recipe provided); make sandwiches; cut cake and serve; clean tables? This gives you a nice variety, so please call Jane and tell her what you would like to do.

ATTENTION MEN

WOODWORKING:

If your talents lean toward WOOD - sawing, carving, glueing, nailing - whatever, please call WILLARD KUHLMAN (231 0575) and let him know how you can contribute to his department.

ARRANGEMENTS:

ROLAND LOWERY (231 5169) in charge of "setting up" for Country Store sorely needs man power on Thursday, Sept. 20th and Friday, Sept. 21st. This entails arranging tablets, shelves, lighting and it is a BIG JOB. Please call Roland and offer your help.

TRAFFIC:

JIM HUTTON, the "in charge" man, always has the traffic situation well in hand: however, you might give him a call to see if any help is needed. Telephone: 231 0653.

PUBLICITY:

CONNIE WHITAKER is new to Country Store and is doing a tremendous job as publicity chairman. We thank Connie for taking on this important department and Connie, in turn, wishes to thank those who have aided her thus far. Judy Johns for designing the poster which invites the community to "Come Home Again"; Alice Massey who arranged the visit from PM MAGAZINE which aired on Channel 12 on Friday, August 17th. Hope you all saw it. Posters will be available at the September 5th meeting of ATHS and volunteers to place posters will be appreciated.

WE HEARD:

Wood carvings by Cliff Reeder were on display at Sharon Woods Village during the Folk Music Festival on August 5. His decorative birds were the focus of the exhibit.

Mary Bissantz was honored at the "Tribute to Women" luncheon in Columbus, Ohio on July 21. Mary is past president of the Business and Professional Women's Republican Club of Hamilton County, and is current treasurer of the organization.

Ruth Smith, Editor (232 4313)

Florence Boers (231 5901)