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SOCIETY MEETINGS

FEBRUARY - The vocal presentation - accompanied by piano and guitar - by the Eastern Hills Jr. High Ensemble, under the direction of Mrs. Martha Scott was a real treat for the members in attendance. The young people did a wonderful job with their musical history lesson, which included gospel, folk, patriotic and rock.

MARCH - About 140 people turned out for this one! The "Potluck" dinner, superintended by Alice Hutton, was great. the "dessert" in the form of a display of marvelous and intricate weavings and hand dyed yarn, with explanations by Mrs. Hazel Keethler was really something. The business part of the meeting included the election of officers for the coming year. Unanimously elected were: James Magrish, President; Don Bogosian, Vice President; Ralph Whitehead, Treasurer; Ardelle Ertell, Secretary.

APRIL - An extremely interesting color slide program was presented by the inimitable Steve Smalley. His pictures of landmarks and artifacts were excellent, ranging geographically from Cincinnati's Dayton Street to the outskirts of Washington, Ky. A slate of five nominees for Trustee was presented. They included incumbents, Julie Meyers, Wilbur Reese, Betty Rempke and Jean Williamson plus a new candidate, Alvin Keethler. They received a unanimous vote.

REMEMBER - Our regular meetings are held on the first Wednesday of each month, at 8:00 PM, in the Education building of Salem Methodist Church (unless otherwise specified). Trustees meetings on the third Tuesday, 7:30 PM. Place varies. Members who wish to attend are welcome. Inquire of Sec'y for place.

SORRY - We have nothing at this time concerning future meeting programs. ...The May meeting will be devoted to business of the Society and the voice of the membership, so bring along your ideas for projects, progress, programs or peeves and let's have a good "rap session".

SOCIETY NEWS

COMMUNIQUE - I would like to thank all of you for giving me the privilege of serving as President of the A.T.H.S. this past year. I wish to express my appreciation and thanks to every member and particularly the Chairman of the various Committees who did such an outstanding job this past year to make the Club and its Projects a great success. Each of you, I am sure, will join with me in pledging ourselves to help Jim Magrish, our new President, and his Committees to make 1972 an even better year for the A.T.H.S. Sincerely,
Al Wettstein.

HONORS - Our President, James Magrish, will be the eighth recipient of the B'nai B'rith Guardian of the Menorah Award at a tribute luncheon on May 12 at the Terrace Hilton.

NATURE WALK - Don Bogosian is trying to arrange a wildflower hike for a mid-April Saturday, starting near the Garrard Station site and going through Stanberry Park to ?. If interested check with Don.

BUS TOUR - Mark Saturday, June 3 on your calendar as the date for the ATHS Spring Tour to quaint German Village in Columbus, Ohio. The trip will be by air conditioned chartered bus, with lunch in a German restaurant. Afterwards there will be a slide presentation and guided tour of the area. For reservations or information, call Nancy Kellin, 232-1509.

REMINDER - Tempus Fugit! and along with the May flowers comes time for payment of Annual Dues, says Treasurer Ralph Whitehead. Several people have already paid their \$3 individual or \$6 family fee. An envelope is enclosed for your convenience.

CABIN (LOG HOUSE) NEWS APRIL 1972

OOPS - We really should begin to use the term "Log House". According to log structure experts a log "cabin" is a temporary building, usually three sided, using untrimmed logs. Such structures are practically non-existent now. Buildings such as ours, made with hewn logs, were built as permanent homes and there are many of them still standing. But the habit of common usage is hard to break and somehow - log cabin - comes easier to the lips than - log house.

WHOOFS - Work has already begun on the second floor of the house and on the stone walks, fencing and grounds. The cold weather slowed us down, but now that Spring is here we hope to make much progress in the coming weeks, but we will need weeders, diggers, painters, wheelbarrow jockeys, etc, etc. We know that this is a busy time for everyone, but please try to save a little time for help at the "cabin" if you are able. Call M. Frame, 231-6453.

VISITORS - ATHS has been asked to open the house for the annual Garden Club Tour on June 6. Ardelle Birtel has agreed to be chairman of furnishing and decorating for this exciting event. Marge Frame has been "hostess" for several childrens groups - one all the way from Independence, Ky. - who have visited lately. If you know of any others who would like a "tour", contact her.

RSVP - Answers have been arriving daily to the questionnaire mailed on March 17, about the possibility of purchase of the house and some of the land next to us. If you have not yet sent yours, please do so today, whether the answer be yes or no. There were 216 mailed out - the Cabin Committee would like to receive that many answers. The response so far has been very encouraging.

GENEROSITY - A most generous gift has been received from the Federated Garden Clubs of Cincinnati and Vicinity. A planting of pines, oaks, witch hazel and crabapple will be made under the professional guidance of Mr. Henry Fletcher Kenny, with Mrs. Daisy Sticksel representing the Garden Clubs. Other gifts received recently include: Caned chair, Mr. & Mrs. Harold Ulrich; Forge and hand made blacksmith tongs, William Hornschemeier; Fire tools, Mr. & Mrs. C. D. Elder; Fire shovel, Gregg Bogosian; Milk separator, Mr. & Mrs. Edmund Motz; Grindstone, Mr. Donald Knabb; Quilt, members of Salem Methodist Church; Braided rug, Mrs. Joel Kollin; Beaded purse, anonymous. THANK YOU!

NEW MEMBERS

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WELCOME! Mr. & Mrs. Henry Brafford; Mrs. Helen Bressler; Mrs. Emery Gates; Colleen Gilpin; Mary Ruth Gilpin; Mrs. W. B. Johnston; Mr. & Mrs. Willard Muhlman; Mrs. Donald Scott.

BEG OR BARTER BOX

WANTED - Trading stamps: If you have an extra book, Grace Little will be most happy to get them. Purpose - folding chairs for use at the House. ...If you know anyone who could save 4 oz. baby food jars, please furnish their name to Jean Williamson, 561-8265. ...Leftovers from spring cleaning; saleable items (no clothing please) for the Cobweb Corner/Flea MarketInformation about men of Anderson Twp. who served in the Civil War, R. Lowery, 231-5169

FOR SALE - 4 antique, matching dining room chairs, over 100 years old, burl walnut, newly finished and hand caned. Also 3 antique chairs, 2 walnut, 1 walnut and maple. Marion Ulrich, 231-8977.

LOOKING BACK

CENSUS - Population of Anderson Township, 1820. Male, 1105; Female, 1010; free people of color; Male, 5; Female, 2; Total, 2122. Engaged in agriculture, 319; commerce, 7; manufacture, 98. Census of 1860, population, 3439.

COUNTRY STORE NEWS

1972

PLEASE READ THOROUGHLY

CHAIRMAN - MARIE ANDERSON - 231-8822

CO-CHAIRMAN - ANN FETZER - 231-1976

To accomodate the crowd better (remember last year?) and to spread the work among more people, the chairmen have decided to try an experiment. The Country Store will be divided into several different days throughout our season instead of being held all on one day. The sale of plants will be held in the spring instead of in the fall, along with woodcrafted articles. Also Cobweb Corner will become a summer event - a flea market for our members. All events will be held at the Cabin.

SCHEDULE

<u>Event</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Chairman</u>
Spring Plant Sale	May 13-14, 20-21, 27-28	10-4 Sat. 12-5 Sun.	Harold Wiley
Also:			
Woodcrafts	" " " "	10-4 Sat. 12-5 Sun.	Forrest Wolfinger
Bread Sale	May 13 only	10-4 Sat.	Marjorie Frame Helen Maddux
Nostalgia Exhibit	May 20-21, 27-28	10-4 Sat. 12-5 Sun.	James Hutton Roland Lowery
Summer - Flea Market	July 29	10-5 Sat.	Roland Lowery Edgar Noe
Fall - Country Store	Sept. 30 - Oct. 1	10-4 Sat. 12-5 Sun.	See Page 2
Winter - Christmas Open House	Dec. 2nd & 3rd	10-4 Sat. 12-5 Sun.	See Page 2

SPRING

PLANT SALE - More detailed description follows:

For many springs the log cabin was the place where people flocked to purchase plants. They still come, hoping to find them. This year, plants will be blooming there again. Harold Wiley, the above chairman of this event has ordered professionally-grown stock from Russell's Nursery which will be sold at competitive prices on three week-ends in May. Members, too, if they have plants, shrubs, or bulbs to divide or share are asked to bring these also to the Spring Sale. Is this you? Along with the plants, we will offer bird houses, feeders, outdoor woodcraft and all the special items made by our talented woodcrafters. Is this you? In addition, on one day only, May 13th, a bread sale will be held in the cabin, including all varieties of home-made bread. Is this you? The following two weekends, the nostalgia exhibit, a new venture will enable us to invite the public to enjoy our cabin with us. This display will encompass many things from antique to almost modern but largely featuring toys and games of the past decades.

WHAT YOU CAN DO

For the Plant Sale: Bring plants, shrubs, bulbs. Please identify clearly. Markers will be provided at the cabin. Someone will be at the cabin until 8 P. M. Friday, May 12th, to receive the plants. Same for the following weekends. Call Harold Wiley 231-3888 for information.

For the Bread Sale: Take advantage now of flour sales (and later on, sugar sales) in many stores for our bread bakers. You will be reimbursed if you choose to be. Bake bread now - any kind. Sweet breads, quick breads such as pumpkin, date and nut, etc. and gingerbread and brown bread, etc. are needed as well as yeast breads, rolls and sweet rolls. Fruit breads, herb breads, breads exotic and plain, just so they are somewhere in the bread category - and homemade. We have a freezer, remember, so we can start to stockpile. If you have not already done so, please start now. Ann Fetzer, 231-1976, Marie Anderson, 231-8822 or Marjorie Frame, 231-6453 will pick up your fresh-baked bread for the freezer if you are unable to deliver it to us. People who desire to do so, may contribute ingredients such as butter or margarine, baggies or glad bags, sugar, yeast, etc. Call one of the above named people for information.

For the Nostalgia Exhibit: A new venture - and something that should be lots of fun. It will provide an opportunity for us to offer a free-to-the public event. Did you ever walk on stilts? Play kick the can? Mumblety-peg? Or, did you ever read Dotty Dimple? Seckatary Hawkins? Or Captain Marvel? Were your knuckles ever cracked and sore from playing "knuckles down" at marbles? Did you have perpetually scraped knees in the spring from spills while roller-skating? Remember this in the Stedman writing book? Please help us with this very interesting project! Call us with your ideas, or drop a note to James: Hutton or Roland Lowery. We will be grateful for the opportunity to borrow "nostalgic" items from our members, especially toys and games. These need not be antique, though these are wanted, too, but items no longer seen in use. These will be carefully displayed so that if they are fragile they will not be handled. Items other than toys will be most welcome, too. Also YOUR GOOD IDEAS! Is this you?

SUMMER

FLEA MARKET - JULY 29th

This event will incorporate our society's Cobweb Corner with an opportunity for any individual (or group or members) to conduct his own sale. Space will be available for members "to set up shop". More detail will be furnished for this event at a later date. The important thing now is for every member to start setting aside things during spring cleaning and afterward. Items you want to give to the society for resale and also items you want to sell yourself will be needed here. Don't throw anything away! Any questions about this should be directed to Roland Lowery 231-5169 or Edgar Noe 231-7751.

REMEMBER - DON'T THROW IT OUT - SAVE IT FOR SUMMER!

FALL

COUNTRY STORE - SEPT. 30th - OCT. 1st

This event will be much as last year, though eliminating Cobweb Corner and the green plant sale (dried material - yes). More detail forthcoming later on this also. The chairmen for the various departments are:

- Baked Goods - Geneva Spaulding
- Kitchen - Marion Ulrich - Irma Elder - Ruth Smith - Edith Howard
- Woodcrafts - Forrest Wolfinger
- Parking - Don Bogosian
- Raffle - Lucy Houser
- Needlecrafts - Amy Lowery

WHAT ARE YOU MAKING, OR PLANNING TO MAKE?

WINTER

CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE - DEC. 2nd - DEC. 3rd

This event will feature Christmas Cookies, Christmas decorations and Ornaments but will emphasize OPEN HOUSE for our neighbors and friends. Chairmen for these departments are:

- Ornaments and Decorations - Edith Magrith
- Cookies - Nancy McClure
- Refreshments - Alice Hutton
- Decorating of cabin - Nancy Kollin

WE NEED: Supplies, such as -

- Flour, sugar, fruit of all kinds, butter, etc.
- Spice jars, 1'eggs hosiery containers, 4 oz. baby food jars
- Yarn, remnants of velvet and velveteen
- Please return quilted jelly jars

Volunteers - To help at sale - call the appropriate chairman, or Marie, or Ann. To sew pieces of velvet into 15 inch squares for a quilt (Featherstitching, too)

Our last two sales have been such overwhelming successes due to all the wonderful cooperation and generosity of our members. Let us all keep up our fine tradition of cheerful friendliness in these coming events. Choose your preferred niche and do you own thing!

SEE YOU AT THE PLANT SALE!