

GENERAL MEETING MVGS

May 14, 1994

Dannell Auckerman presided in the absence of president Ken Dielman; 35 members were present. Because of the new fire restrictions, meeting was held in the Methodist Church Social Room.

Judy Deal reminded members that the June meeting will be a pot-luck luncheon; society will furnish plates, silverware, and beverages, members to bring food to share, their own folding chairs. Business meeting will be at 12 noon, eating at 1±2:30.

Treasurer's report indicated a bank balance April 30 of \$1347.13.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Library: Several miscellaneous-new books have been donated. The CD ROMs ordered have been delayed. DAR books ordered six months ago have not yet been received; a tracer letter will be sent.

Fund Raiser: Garage sale June 4th at Jean Grube's home, 2020 N.W. 23rd St., Corvallis. Helpers are needed for shifts 8-10, 12-2, and 2-4 p.m. Edith Hughes donated a large collection of miscellaneous books in excellent condition, as she is moving.

Queries: ALBERT DENNY, who lived near Lewisburg around 1907.

Field Trip: Discussion of possibilities, Portland FORUM of Eugene-Springfield Genealogy Library. A majority preferred Eugene this trip. Denton Ct. Senior Center would provide van and driver for cost of 50¢ per mile per person. A date in late June will be selected and further information given at June meeting.

Service: Ed Stratton asked for help by relief from some of his responsibilities, especially for someone to do entries from the G.T. obits search onto database. Dannell Auckerman will resume the responsibility of our SURNAME FILES for Ed.

Membership: Most recent count is 114 members.

Newsletter: A correction; Ron Bremer program May 16 begins at 7 p.m., not 7:30.


PAF meetings will be discontinued. If help is needed, ask another PAF member user.

NEW BUSINESS

A benefit concert by Corvallis Concertante will be held June 12, 2 p.m., for the Denton County Historical Museum. We have been invited to join the Genealogical Council of Oregon, cost of \$10 annually. This group advises of all society projects throughout the state, thus avoiding duplication of efforts; advertises programs and events; and is active in state library issues. MVGS board has made decision to obtain group membership.

Our growth in membership and meeting attendance has caused the problem of overflow, fire restrictions limit the present meeting room to 28 attending. Various possibilities will be checked out so that a remedy can be found by fall. Meetings are discontinued during July and August.

Respectfully submitted,



Jo Triggs, Secretary.