

MID-VALLEY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY
December 13, 1985

The December meeting of the Mid-Valley Genealogical Society was called to order by the President. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Treasurer reported a balance of \$341.80 in the General Fund and \$30.10 in Petty Cash. She also reported that we had changed our account from Albany to Corvallis.

There were no visitors at this meeting.

Charles Dodge reported that the Book Committee has ordered four new books. There was a discussion of geological maps.

Mabelle Martsching has had queries on the surnames of Surcamp, Shugart, and Real.

John Matusczak reported that there will be a computer users group meeting at 7 o'clock on 18 December at Videx, 1105 N. E. Circle. They will show how a photo may be scanned and stored on a floppy disk.

Christmas cards were signed for Joan Mueller, Mildred Hawkins, Harriet Moore, Frances Hallam, Velma Parsons, Pam Frazier, Peggy Mason, and Bill Stryker.

A thank-you note from Velma Parsons was read.

Irene Schrock will give a one-day course in Genealogical Research at Linn-Benton Community College on Thursday, 9 January (two classes). She will also speak at our March meeting. Elizabeth Akins will also teach a ten-week class at Albany Center beginning on the 9th of January.

Jane Dodge is on the Board of the Benton County Historical Museum. She told us of the Christmas display of old Christmas presents.

Elizabeth Akin reported that Ron Bremer is speaking in Salem at Chemekata Community College in January.

The new officers were installed by Jean Grube. They are:

President - Becky Kiger
First Vice-President (Programs) - Lee Rudisill
Second Vice-President (Hostess) - Mary Martensen
Secretary - Marcielle Engberg
Treasurer - Margaret Abel

Becky presented Valerie with ^a gift of binder to hold
Genealogical Helpers.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned
for our annual tasting party and Christmas auction.

Respectfully submitted,

Jean B. Grube
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Secretary