MID -- VALLEY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY 13 December 1986

The meeting was called to order by the President. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and amended (list of nominations for 1987 instead of 1986).

The hostess introduced two new members:

Joanne Perry Janet Williams

The Treasurer reported a balance in the General Fund of \$620.42 and in Petty Cash of \$20.00.

Edith Worth has donated books on Indiana and Kentucky.

The President showed a final bound copy of the 1910 census, which we hope to sell.

Mabelle's husband has made a "Question Box" for members to ask questions about research problems.

The book committee reported; and newsletters from the Salem society and the Benton County Historical Museum were mentioned.

The antique show will be on February 28th and March 1st. After discussion, it was moved, seconded, and passed that the society participate. Danell offered her services as chairman. Volunteers are requested to help in the booth. \$45.00 will cover the cost of the booth. No new archival materials will be needed.

Mildred Hawkins' Creative Writing class will start the first Monday in January and will be held in Room 265, Two Rivers Market.

Joan Mueller reported that old family movies and slides can be put on videocasettes at One Step Video. Coles does slides; and sound can also be added.

Velma Parsons presented Becky with a beautiful poinsettia plant and a gift certificate from Hendersons in appreciation of her 1986 service as President of the society.

Becky thanked out-going officers and others who have assisted her during the past year.

Valerie installed the following officers for 1987:

President - Becky Kiger 1st Vice President (Programs) - Jean B. Grube 2nd Vice President (Hostess) - Damaris Reynolds, assisted by Fern Shaffer

Secretary - Mary Yoke Treasurer - Margaret Abel

Librarian - Charlotte Marshall, assisted by

Margaret Hayes.

The meeting was adjourned for our annual Christmas auction--Auctioneer, Ted Gump. This was following by refreshments and a social hour.

Respectfully submitted,

Jean B. Grube

Secretary pro tem