

Mid Valley Genealogical Society

Feb. 1980-Elizabeth Richie Room: Corvallis Public
Library. Corvallis Oregon.

The meeting was called to order by the first Vice President; Valerie Nichols, at one P.M. The Minutes for January were read. There was one addition; The name of Jo Zadina, who also brought her book to show her system of keeping tabs on your Ancestors. The Treasury report was read and approved. (attached) Mr. Van Cleave made a report on our Audit. It will be a two year Addit when finished.

Mr. Stryker noted 14 people have not paid their dues. we have 76 mem. Three new members were introduced by Martha, They were; Dorothy Jones, Liza Wilson and Ann Kimberling.

We had seven guest's. And Mary Peffer made the cookies.

Dr. Holcomb of Corvallis will be with us at our March Meeting with "Winning of the west"

Community Members Report; Mitch called Radio Station KFLY-K100 to ask them to please broadcast our Meeting. And our meeting is also advertized in the Albany Harold, Gazette Times and the Salem Statesman.

Unfinished Business: Valerie reported that Velma received a letter from a Mr. Harrell from Hermiston, who had mailed us \$ 5.00 to copy some records for him. He reports that he has never heard from us. Betty Wilson said she would answer his letter to find what his first letter refered to. Betty belongs on our Committee to answer letters, as is Mable Martsching.

We want to urge everyone once again to write your Congressman to let him know you want our Military Records to be Kept in the Archives in Washington. Where they now are.

Mr. Stryker found his check dated 14 May 1977 for 12 dollars to the Directory of Genealogical Society in U.S.A. and Canada. Mr. Stryker will call to their attention that we have not received our Booklet from them. Their 1980 book is \$15.00. We will not buy it. Valerie showed the members 3 pictures that someone did not pick up. Myrtle paid \$1.05 for them. Are they Yours??

Mrs Peffer brought her collection of old Valentines for us to see. Valerie brought her Grandmothers Valentine that was from Grandpa. It was in German and written in 1877. Valerie translated for us. Our New Member Liza Wilson and her Brother are preparing a talk and display of Chinese Pharmacy for us.

On our roaster we decided we would like States on each program instead of at the end of the Roaster.

After a brief intermission, Our program at 2 P.M. Featured Billie Snead Webb, discussing the Working Cousins. She passed out an Outline on her Book, published in 1965 (she sold 700) She shared everything she does in tracing her Family, Which has been in Oregon since 1852. We wont forget too soon about the RANDLEMAN FAMILY. A copy of her Family Work Sheet is here today for everyone.

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