

MID-VALLEY GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY
11 March 1989

The meeting was called to order by the president, Ed Stratton.

The minutes were read and approved.

The treasurer reported a balance of \$715.18.

Library: Betty Swan had nothing new to report.

Audit Committee. Jane Dodge reported that the books were checked on the 21st of February, and that they were in excellent condition.

Book Committee: Charles Dodge reported receipt of the usual amount of brochures, including some Oregon offerings. He mentioned that an order to Hunterdon House is in preparation and invited additional items. He reminded members that Danell Knight still wants names for the surname file.

Damaris Reynolds welcomed new members, Mary Torgeson, Ellen Lemke Wegner, and Mona and Tom McClanahan. She requested items for the Thrift Shop.

Joann Perry reported that Inez Myers will be unable to attend the meetings in the immediate future, due to the serious illness of her husband. The secretary will convey the sympathy of the group to Mrs. Myers.

Cemeteries: The work is nearing a close.

Membership: Jean Grube distributed copies of the list, and mentioned errata.

Ed Stratton reported for Danell Knight (absent due to her selling at the Antique Show) that a replacement was needed for the archival supply business. He noted that a decision should be made in the near future.

Merchandising: Daniel Froehlich reported that he was assessing what materials were available.

Old Business: Next month's meeting will begin at 12:30 pm in order to reassemble at the OSU Library for a tour of the map room guided by Joann Perry.

Mabelle Martsching and Jean Grube have Patriot and DAR application forms.

Jane Dodge announced her spring museum tour course through LBCC.

New Business: Ed Stratton announced that he had extended an invitation to Oregon State Representative Jim Edmunson to speak at our May meeting, the subject of which will be his bill to create a data base on Oregon families before 1900 at the State Archives.

Any information on donated or memorialized books should be given to Betty Swan, our librarian.

The Genealogical Forum, Portland, will be holding a day-long meeting, May 6, and the Albany group has invited us to join in chartering a bus for this event. Virginia Koos will have more information at the April meeting.

Damaris Reynolds mentioned that notebook file containing information and brochures filed according to state should be started.

It was moved by Mrs. Crosiar that the meeting be adjourned. Motion seconded and carried.

The program followed. John and Vee Matuszak described their recent transcontinental motor trip which involved genealogical probings.

Respectfully submitted,

Wm. A. Yola