

Mid-Willamette Valley Gene. Society

October 1976 Meeting

The regular meeting of the Mid-Valley Genealogical Society was held in the Elizabeth Ritchie Room of the Corvallis Library, October 9, 1976.

At one P.M. the meeting was called to order by the president, Mildred Hawkins.

Roll call was held with each person telling a little about themselves, their interests, and what they are working on in Genealogy.

The minutes of the September meeting were read and approved. There were no committee reports. There was no old business.

Announcements were made about the Genealogical Seminar to be held in Portland, October 15, 1976 and October 16th, 1976, with speakers from Salt Lake City. Also, the Oregon Heritage Council was holding a meeting in the Salem Library, Saturday, October 16th, 1976.

Rose Marie Shibley was appointed to look into expired food coupons in magazines or newspapers, to see if our Society could redeem them for cash and report back next month. Audrey Broodley reminded everyone to save Flavor Pak, Santiam, and Campbells food labels for cash redemption.

Velma Parsons, L. V. Stryker, Ralph Van Cleave, and Edna Wiese, were appointed to the nominating committee to find a slate of officers for 1977.

It was announced that the December meeting would be to honor Mrs. Mary Buchanan, reference librarian at the Corvallis Library, who is retiring. It has been greatly appreciated by the Society for all the help that Mrs. Buchanan has done for genealogists. Francis Hallams, Rose Marie Shibley, Velma Parsons, and Edna Wiese, appointed to plan the hospitality and program for December.

Mrs. Mary Peffer gave to the Society, Scotch*Irish lines of a branch of Taggart and Porter Families.

Valerie Nichols shared with the group how through correspondence she has received five generations on one family line.

The meeting was adjourned.