

Mid-Valley Geneological Society  
11 September 1982

The meeting was called to order by our president, Charles Dodge.

There was no treasurer's report or minutes of the last meeting read, for there was no regular meeting held in August. Instead, a group of members met and went to Salem to see what was available at the State Library.

The following announcements were made:

1. Seminars held
  - a. 24-25 Sept. in Medford
  - b. 16 Oct...Geneological Forum of Portland
  - c. 28-30 Oct....W. Coast Federated Gen. Forum in Calif. <sup>General</sup> <sup>PK, Cal</sup>
  - d. 13 Nov. Willamette Valley Gen. Society in Salem <sup>5. Pub. Li</sup> <sup>Lower</sup> <sup>Level</sup>
2. A tour of Washington, D.C., Williamsburg and Jamestown, Virginia is being made 28 Oct. It is sponsored by the Seattle Gen. Society.
3. A new chapter is being formed in Umatilla County . It is to be called the Blue Mountain Community Gen. Gp.
4. Edna Wiese's class, "Write Your Own Story", is to begin 1 Oct. at the Corvallis Sr. Center for a cost of \$7.50 ...#3.75 for Seniors. It is a 9 wk. class.

The new business of the society was a discussion about the advisability of changing the date of our monthly meetings to the third Saturday of the month. This was proposed to take place after the first of the year. This change would enable members to be able to attend meetings of other groups in the area and, in so doing, be able to avail themselves of the local libraries. Volunteers were asked to see if we would be able to have the use of the McLean Room at the First Christian Church on the third Saturday of the month. Further discussion will take place during the October meeting.

Program chairman, Becky Kiger, introduced Col. Lyle Grimes from the Salem Geneological Society who spoke on Scotch/Irish research.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

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