

Meeting was called to order at 7:30 by President Jan Morgan. Minutes of the July meeting were read and approved.

There were 18 people present. Members introduced themselves and told of the family names they were researching. Guest Randy Gladstone introduced himself and told of his interest in small towns and their history and some of his other collections.

Florence Hill told of her recent family reunion and the newsletter they have just started. She also described a questionnaire she used in family research. She showed copies of pictures she obtained at the reunion and other special family pictures she has.

John Castle told how computerized Roots can be used and of correspondence he has had in searching his roots.

Treasurers report was accepted as read with July Balance \$150.74
Current Balance 231.90

Other Reports

President Jan had several information and genealogy work sheets as pass outs.

A letter was read from the Church of Christ stating that the church has closed and asked the I.C.G.S. to remove possessions by September 15, 1996. President Jan Morgan has contacted The Vevey Township board and received permission for the I.C.G.S. to meet at the Vevey Township Hall with a trial period of 6 months. The township hall is located at 730 Eden Road. Meetings will be held on Thursday evenings.

Sam Pardee moved, Ray Yeutter seconded we accept the offer of the new meeting place and day and meet at the Vevey town hall for the September meeting. date is September 12, 1996 at 7:30 Pm.

Jan asked for a volunteer to make Flyers for distribution with the new meeting place and day. Greg James will do the flyers.

Jean Crawford will print postcards with new date and meeting place and dues reminder to mail to all members. Secretary will help with addressing..

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Joyce Darrow reported on the progress of coffee mugs project, picture had to be redone, Mugs will be here on Friday. members may pick them up at her house or at Jan Morgans if you are in Mason

Sam Pardee reported The Letter of Incorporation completion has been delayed because the lawyer has been on vacation.

Nominating Committee Ed Parker reported they still need persons for office of President and Secretary. Officers will be elected at the September meeting and take office in October.

Jan proposed we buy 3 ring notebooks for each officer. After discussion Joyce Darrow moved, Lynn Castle seconded, Each officer and committee Chair have notebooks to be passed on to newly elected officer and chairperson. Motion passed

Other New Business Sam announced Mid-Michigan G.S. needs help at the September Conference for room hosts and hall workers,

We also need a volunteer for Representative Agent on the Incorporation Papers.

Randy offered to do a tour of the Historical Library and offered suggestions and information for the society.

Discussion of installation of officers in October

John Castle moved we adjourned, motion seconded Meeting adjourned.

John Castle