Ingham County Genealogy Meeting May 13, 1999

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28 members and nine Guests. Our guests were Betty Engle, Shirley Giesey, Andy and Carol Mixter, Charles and Eleanor Leap, Rose Lamban, Betty Evans and Loraine L. Larkins.

Meeting came to order at 7:35 P.M. by President, Sam Pardee.

A motion was made by Joanne Brownfield to accept last months minutes and seconded by Lynn Brown.

Lynne Castle made a motion to accept the Agenda and it was seconded by Ron Turner.

Sam Pardee, President introduced our guest speaker, Chris Czopek, Lansing History Detective, The subject covered was Civil War Soldiers captured and what happened to them as prisoners during and after the war. He asked those present for help in locating two Michigan soldiers that seem to be eluding all traces. The names were John H. Cook and Martin Stark. John Castle was able to give Chris information on the John H. Cook. It was a very intriguing talk, followed by questions from the audience.

Break and 50/50 drawing 8:45 - 9:00 P.M.

Three new Members were received since our April Meeting.

They Are: Alvin Jenks

Joanne Hafeli

**Loraine Larkins** 

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John Castle reported that 45 folks participated in the tour of the Ingham County Clerks office.

Jean Crawford reported that the Eaton County Workshop Booth made a small profit.

Jean Crawford made a motion that we accept the invitation from the Washtenaw County to place a booth at their Workshop on October 16, 1999 and that If a tent used as our booth, not be any expense to the Society, that we participate at the Mason Down Home Days. Motion was seconded and carried.

Ingham County Genealogy Society's Genealogical Seminar will be held on Saturday November 13, 1999 at the Mason City Hall community hall. It will be from 9:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. and speakers will be Shirley Hodges and Jana Broglin, the charge is \$15.00 per person with lunch included.

Joyce Darrow would like to see more participation with the research room help, as well as stopping by as there is always something new to find there.

Keep the Spartan Labels coming!

Meeting closed at 9:35 P.M.

Margie Griffin, Secretary