

Ingham County Genealogical Society

June 12, 2003

The regular monthly meeting was called to order by President Sam Pardee at 7:05 pm. 24 members and guests were present. Guest was Jessica Parsons, daughter of Tammy.

Joyce Yeutter made a motion to accept the May meeting minutes as presented by recording secretary Alice Raatz. Eldora Spooner seconded. Motion carried.

Officer's reports:

President, Sam Pardee, received a packet from the Ionia society which contained 1933 newsletters from the 9th grade class of Lansing's Walter French School.

Family History Month will be celebrated in October with many programs planned at the State of Michigan library.

MGC will host a series of free programs on October 18.

State library and the Oral History Association of Michigan will host a program on Oct 25.

Abrams genealogical classes will be available also.

Treasurer, Marge James requests that any bills be held until the end of the month as she will be having surgery tomorrow.

Computer chairman, Greg James, reports that he received an email from the Holiday Inn in Salt Lake City offering reduced rates for anyone interested in visiting the area.

Barb Smith, Social committee, reports that \$50 from the coffee fund was given to treasurer, Marge and \$47 remains in the coffee fund.

New Business:

Sam reports that the outdoor pavilion has been reserved for our annual July picnic.

This will be held on July 10th at 6 p.m. Everyone should bring a dish to pass and their own table service. Friends and family members are welcome.

Librarian, Isabelle Wells, reports that the library is busy as usual and volunteers are needed. Tammy Parsons suggested that every member volunteer at least on day each year. The reference room will be closed on July 5th, but the Mason library will remain open. Isabelle also reported that she has joined the Friends of the Library to keep informed on the future plans for the Mason library.

Following a 10 minute coffee break, Jean Crawford won \$15 in the 50/50 drawing and a roundtable discussion was held.

Upcoming ICGS programs are:

July Annual Picnic

August Roundtable discussion and Nominating committee report.

Barbara Smith made a motion to adjourn. Seconded by all. Meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Submitted by Recording Secretary, Alice Raatz