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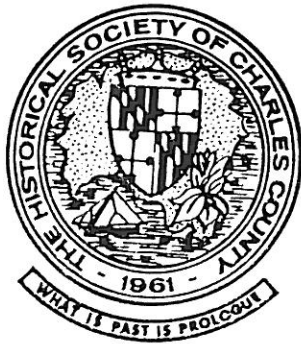
Carol Donohue

Coalition to Protect Maryland Burial Sites Representative:

George C. Dyson

Small Museums Association Representative:

Naomi Petrash



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THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF CHARLES COUNTY'S FALL DINNER MEETING

PRESENTS

MR. ELMER BILES LECTURING ON "THE HISTORY OF INDIAN HEAD"

SATURDAY, OCT. 14, 2000

MEETING AT 6:00 P.M.

DINNER AT 6:30 P.M.

ST. JAMES EPISCOPAL CHURCH
INDIAN HEAD, MARYLAND

MENU

HAM
CHICKEN
GREEN BEANS
POTATOES
SALAD

ROLLS
ICED TEA
COFFEE
PEACHES
ASSORTED DESERTS

\$15.00 PER PERSON

Directions: Travel South on Route 210 towards the Town of Indian Head. As you climb the hill going into Indian Head the church will be on the left side of Route 210 at the top of the hill. Parking is behind the church

PLEASE R.S.V.P. BY OCT 5, 2000

MRS. MICHAEL RUTH
9050 BRIDGETT LANE
LA PLATA, MARYLAND 20646
301-934-5717

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:
HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF CHARLES COUNTY, INC.

NAME _____ NUMBER ATTENDING _____ @ \$15.00 EACH _____
TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____

The Historical Society of Charles County
Post Office Box 261
Port Tobacco, Maryland 20677



Mr. & Mrs. Michael Mazzeo, Jr.
6795 Normadie Woods Dr.
LaPlata, MD 20646

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership

RECENTLY DECEASED MEMBERS:

Eleanor Higdon * (* Life member)
Lillian Medas *
Virginia Turner Mitchell

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS:

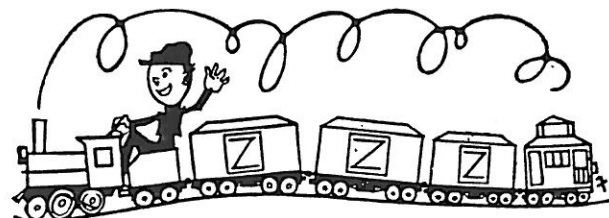
Albrittain, Henry & Lynne	La Plata, MD
Briggs, C. Karen	La Plata, MD
Cox, Janet	Nanjemoy, MD
Mathews, Francis & Bonnie	Newburg, MD
Powers, Charlotte	La Plata, MD
Roddy, James P.	Waldorf, MD
Rowe, Joseph Y.*	Orange, VA
Ruth, Michael & Judy	La Plata, MD
Sandy, Mary M.	Bryans Rd., MD
Stoorza, Jan & Larry	Issue, MD
Sturm, Margaret Fray	Hartville, OH
Whyte, Kenneth *	Waldorf, MD

NEW LIFE MEMBERS (already in H. S.):

deKeyser, Betty
Sparks, Elsie

NOTE: I am looking for a current address for life member:

Mrs. Peter Worrell (mail returned with no forwarding address)..



A WHOLE CARLOAD

Going to the Oct. 14th Dinner - Meeting.

Friendship House — What do we do???

The College of Southern Maryland President Dr. Elaine Ryan has asked me on several occasions if the College could use the Friendship House as office space for a few years. The Friendship House actually belongs to the College and we have a 99 year lease.

This is a decision I cannot make without you input. We have spent a lot of time, effort, and money maintaining the Friendship House yet we don't use it, it sorta just sits at the College collecting dust. We have the Friendship House open from 11:00 am to 4:00pm on Wednesday's, Saturday's and Sunday's and we never have visitors. Last year we were open from April through October with less than 50 visitors. We opened in April of this year and we have less than 50 visitors. We have three choices:

1. Give the Friendship House back to the College,
2. Lease it back to the College for three years
3. Keep it for the term of the lease.

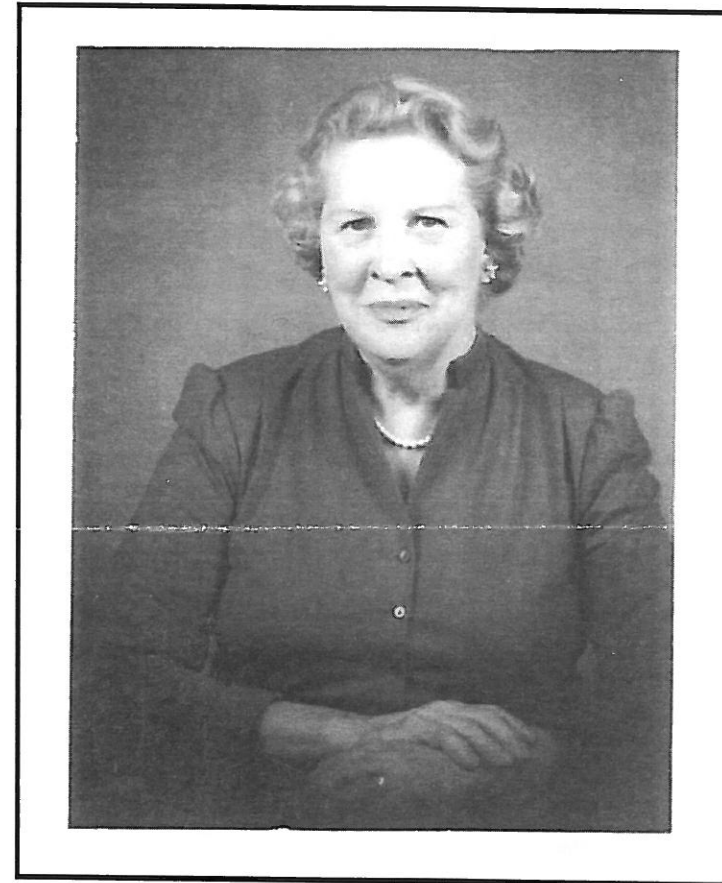
Please let me know your thoughts so I can relay them to the Board of Directors in September. Contact me on 301-934-0025 or write:

Wayne Winkler, President
Historical Society of Charles county
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Port Tobacco, MD 20677

Genealogy

Several people have expressed an interest in starting a genealogy club. Would you like to join and trace your ancestors? If there is enough interest then we can start a club and probably meet at the Community College. I have talked with several people who are quite knowledgeable about genealogy and they are willing to help us get started. Also, Ruby Dyson does volunteer work for the Historical Society and can probably help us. If you have an interest in joining then please give Wayne Winkler a call:

301-934-0025.



ELEANOR HIGDON

The passing of a special person

Eleanor Higdon passed away on August 13, 2000. Eleanor was a past Board Member and our Membership Chairperson for many years. She also worked as a volunteer docent at the Friendship House. When I became a Member of the Board of Directors I found that if I ever needed advice or had a question, I could call on Eleanor and she could give me the answer I needed. We will all miss her wonderful smile and good nature. With her passing I truly believe we have another friend in Heaven.



Secretary Vivian Malczyk retires after more than 20 years of service.

It saddens me to report that Vivian Malczyk decided to retire this year. She took on the role of Secretary at the Historical Society annual meeting on October 21, 1978. Because of her we probably have the most complete set of records of any non-profit organization in the State of Maryland. She has an eye for detail and made sure that no item to large or small went unrecorded.

The records of all meetings are located in the Southern Maryland Room of the College of Southern Maryland thanks to Vivian.

Vivian, we sincerely thank you for doing such a wonderful job and we will sorely miss you.

R. Wayne Winkler, President and the Board of Directors.



VIVIAN MALCZYK