



FAIR OAKS HISTORICAL SOCIETY NEWSLETTER VOLUME 36 -- APRIL, 1996

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961-7174

PARLIAMENTARIAN:

JUNE MELVIN
967-5605

QUARTERLY POTLUCK - GENERAL MEETING

APRIL 23, 1996 -- 6:00pm

**Program Speaker : BILL CAMPBELL
"FAIR OAKS COMMUNITY -- CIRCA 1930'S"**

**Location: Fair Oaks Community Clubhouse (UPSTAIRS)
7997 California Avenue.**

Please bring a casserole, salad, or dessert to share with members.

STANDING COMMITTEES:

BUDGET:

GAYLE ANITA
961-6912

HISTORICAL

BOB MASSEY
967-6197

MEMBERSHIP:

MARILYN PEARCE
961-8415

PROGRAM:

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967-1135

WAYS AND MEANS:

ROSEANNE CRANDELL
967-2102

GENERAL COMMITTEES:

AUDITOR:

DOROTHY DYKEMAN
967-6713

DOCENTS:

LOIS FRAZIER
967-2967

HISTORY CENTER

GAYLE ANITA
961-6912

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NANCY SHERMAN
967-1539

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966-2524

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RESIDENT'S MESSAGE : IVA LANGNESS

Welcome to our 2nd meeting of the 1996 Historical Society. Mark your calendar to April 23rd. We will meet upstairs in the Community Center down town Fair Oak -- with social hour 6-6:30 and a fantastic potluck supper at 6:30pm.

Our guest speaker will be William "Bill" Campbell who lives in Paradise, California. Bill will come down and show us pictures he has taken in 1930-1940's in Fair Oaks. We welcome Bill and his special picture collection of Fair Oaks History.

It has been an unbelievable, busy season for your Board of Directors.

I sincerely hope you will look over the following Committees and let us know the spot in which you would like to participate.

The ByLaws Committee will present the proposal ByLaw amendments.

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It is with sadness that we acknowledge the death of Dorothy McPherson, a member of Fair Oaks community for 45 years and an active Historical Society member -- We will always remember her bright smile and twinkling eyes.

2/21/96

My special thank you to Ralph Carhart for his well-organized and past term as President of the Society.

With this year's officers and chairmanships, I trust this term will be as interesting and rewarding for each of us. See the Officers and chairmanships listed to the left.

-- Iva



TREASURER'S REPORT : STEVE ABBOTT

Balance as of 1/23/96			\$6525.89
income :	membership	\$ 579.00	
	publications	342.50	
	raffle	135.00	
	wine	<u>39.50</u>	
		\$1096.00	\$1096.00
	TOTAL		\$7621.89
expenses :	coffee pot	\$ 40.00	
	refreshemnts	<u>47.52</u>	
		\$ 87.52	- 87.52
	TOTAL		\$7534.37



PARLIAMENTARIAN'S COMMITTEE REPORT : JUNE MELVIN

The committee members, which included Ed Eubanks, Don Kenmonth, Iva Langness, Harry Voth, Ralph Carhart, and June Melvin, have developed the following PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE BYLAWS which will be submitted to the General Membership Meeting this month for your approval and adoption. After approval, the complete new Bylaws will be retyped and distributed to the general membership with the summer newsletter.

- ARTICLE V : OFFICERS** Section 3, Paragraph d : insert a new last sentence to read " The Treasurer shall be Chairman of the Budget Committee and propose the annual Budget at the January Meeting".
- ARTICLE VII : COMMITTEES** Section 1 : rewrite entire paragraph deleting 'amenities' and 'refreshements' and insert "There shall be the following ten Standing Chairmen and subcommittees to be ratified by the Executive Board. The Chairman may assume full responsibilities or appoint subchairmen:
- a. Budget -- as provided in Article V, Section 3, Paragraph d, the Treasurer serves as the Chairman;
 - b. Dinner -- decorating, set-up, social hour, serving, clean-up;
 - c. Historical -- society history, vignette, newsletter article, annual report;
 - d. History Center Curator -- docents, inventory, insurance;
 - e. Liaison Repree-- to attend other historical societies and report;
 - f. Membership -- roster, new members, registration, greeting;
 - g. Newsletter -- editor, printing, mailing;
 - h. Program -- as provided in Article V, Section 3, Paragraph b, The Vice President shall serve as program chairman;
 - i. Publicity -- news releases and public relations;
 - j. Ways and means -- sale of publications, raffles, fund-raising.
- ARTICLE VIII : MEETINGS** Section 3 : increase from the number 8 (eight) to 25 (twenty- five) active members shall constitute a quorum..



DOCENTS' REPORT : LOIS FRAZIER (967-2967)

Like the Marines we need a "few good men and women" to volunteer to act as docents at the History Center. The Center is located in the Administration Building at the Fair Oaks Cemetery District Office. It is open to the public every second Sunday of the month from 1:00 -- 4:00pm. May I add your name in one of the vacant spots????

- January 14 : Lois Frazier
- February 11 : Meg and Larry Smart
- March 10 : Lois Frazier and Elva Reed
- April 14 : Darlene and Mike Aylward
- May 12 : Ed Eubanks
- June 9 : Leigh Landis and June Melvin
- July 14 :
- August 11 : Marilyn and Chuck Kendrick
- September 8 :
- October 13 :
- November 10 :
- December 8 :



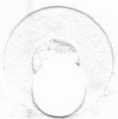
EDITOR'S COMMENTS : NANCY SHERMAN

.....As of the beginning of this year, the Secretary is now posting the current and past minutes of the general and board meetings in the Clubhouse meeting room.....

.....The general membership will be asked to approve the nomination of Mrs. Iva Langness as a Life Member to the Fair Oaks Historical Society.....

.....Per Warren and Janet McWilliams, Carol Melvin Brewer has presented the Society with the words and music and all rights therein to the music: FAIR OAKS, MY HOME. In addition, there is a 90-minute video tape of the 1st official Bicentennial Meeting, Fair Oaks Historical Society, January, 1995 available to be presented to the grammar schools in the area. For those interested in copies, please contact President Iva Langness.....

.....I would like to suggest to the ByLaws Committee the following correction for Article VIII:Meetings:Section3: use a percentage of those in attendance rather than a definite number that shall constitute a quorum.



APPLICABLE EXERP TAKEN FROM THE CURRENT BYLAWS COPIED AS FOLLOWS:

Article V, Section 3, continued:

- d. The treasurer shall receive all moneys of the society, keeping an accurate account thereof in a permanently bound book; shall deposit them in the name of the society in a bank approved by the executive board; shall pay all bills that have been approved by the executive board and make a financial report at each meeting. All financial transactions shall require the signatures of the treasurer and the president or secretary. The treasurer's books shall be audited annually and a written report given to the society at the first general meeting of the year.
- e. The parliamentarian shall act in an advisory capacity to the president, the executive board, and to the society.

ARTICLE VI - EXECUTIVE BOARD

- Section 1: Members of the executive board shall be the president, vice president, secretary, treasurer, immediate past president, parliamentarian and chairmen of standing committees.
- Section 2: Duties: The executive board shall:
 - a. meet at least once thirty-five days prior to a general meeting.
 - b. have general supervision of the affairs of the society between its general meetings, fix the hour and place of the meetings and perform such other duties as are specified in these bylaws.
 - c. fill, for the unexpired term, all vacancies in elective offices except that of president.
- Section 3: Meetings shall be held at the call of the president. Special meetings may be held at the call of any three (3) board members provided notification is made one week in advance of such meeting, limiting action to a specific purpose.
- Section 4: Five (5) members shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE VII - COMMITTEES

- Section 1: There shall be the following standing committees: Historical, membership, program, ways and means, budget, amenities, decorating and refreshments.
- Section 2: Other committees may be established by each administration as deemed necessary to carry on the work of the society upon recommendation of the president and ratification by the executive board.

ARTICLE VIII - MEETINGS

- Section 1: The regularly scheduled meetings of this society shall be held on the fourth Tuesday of January, April, July, and October of each year.
- Section 2: Special meetings may be called by the president at any time provided that members are notified by mail or telephone one week in advance of such a meeting, limiting action to specified purpose.
- Section 3: Eight (8) Active members shall constitute a quorum.

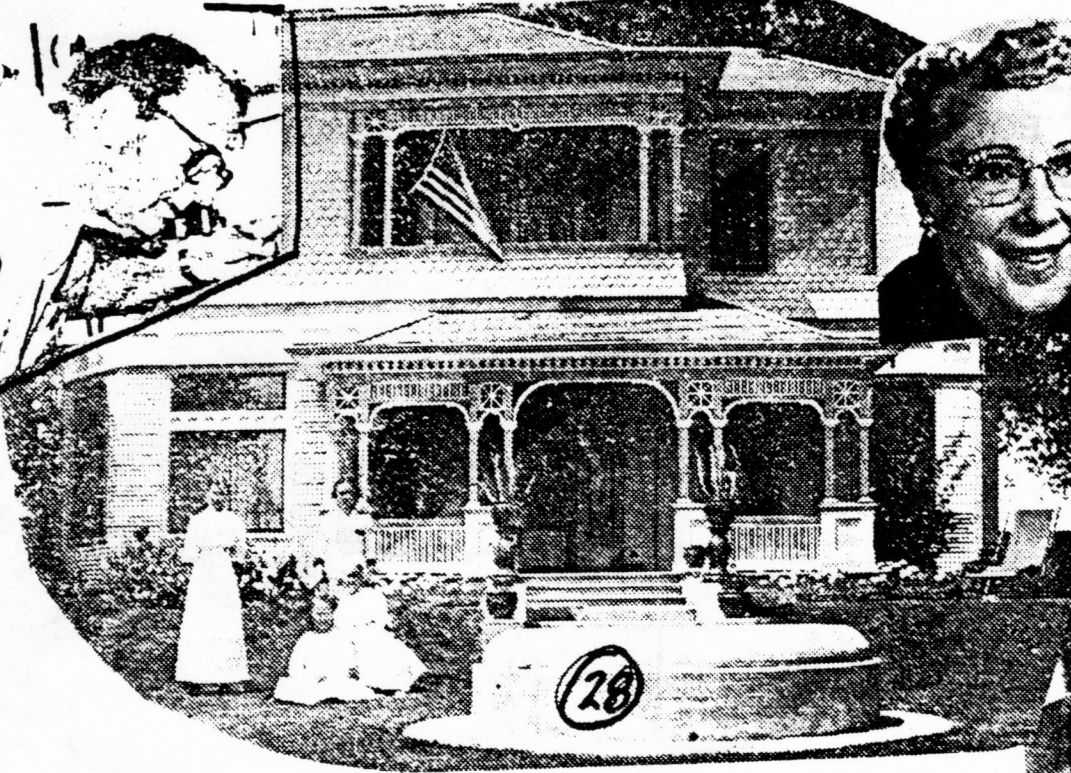


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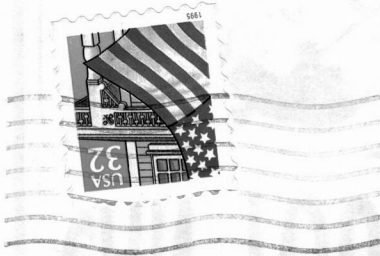
1. Frank Campoy
2. Myron Wood
3. Joseph Buffum
4. Ella Vaughn
5. Joseph Broadley
6. I.O. Rice
7. Murray Broadley
8. Margaret Roark
9. Eva Gregory
10. Mrs Roscoe Rice
11. Horace Massey
12. Mrs. Horace Massey
13. Will Gregory
14. Harold and John Dewey
15. Eula and Percy McMillan with
Norman Langness, George Kellam
Tom Curtis, Bill Dupen, Gerald Davis, and
Fred Boltres
16. Charles and Hazel Slocum
17. Ancil Hoffman
18. Mrs. I. O. Rice
19. Anthony and Ella Landis
20. Roscoe Rice
21. Felicia Wood
22. Emma Bramhall
23. Clayton Vaughn
24. Harry and Eileen Dewey
25. Dick Hill
26. Maude Hoffman
27. George Frazier
28. Joseph Broadley/Strachan House

Pictures were taken from the **FAIR OAKS AND SAN JUAN AREA MEMORIES**, published by the San Juan Press, 1960 and the **SACRAMENTO BEE --fair oaks then..and now,** Neighbors, November 17, 1983.

dr. Johnson (Cookie House)

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FAIR OAKS HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

NAME _____ (circle:renewal/new member) DATE _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY _____ ZIP _____

TELEPHONE _____ amount of \$ enclosed _____ for _____ number of persons.

I would like to be a docent at the History Center for this
month/months _____; no. of people with me will be _____.

ANNUAL DUES -- ALWAYS BEGINNING JANUARY 1 OF EACH YEAR

INDIVIDUAL	\$ 8.00	MAIL TO:Marilyn Pearce
FAMILY	12.00	4104 EARNSCLIFF AV
SUPPORTING --	25.00	FAIR OAKS CA 95628
(Organization/business)		
LIFE	100.00	
FAMILY LIFE	150.00	