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Mid-Valley Genealogical Society

NEWSLETTER

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Good News! Our Society is now officially enrolled and "numbered" with the OSU Folk Club Thrift Shop. This means that we have the opportunity to take articles to the Thrift Shop for resale and therefore help earn extra cash for our group as well as contributing to the needs of the community. What an easy way to do a good deed. Here's what you do:

1. Remember the name & number: Mid Valley Genealogical Society # 492.
2. The Thrift Shop is located at 144 NE 2nd. St.
3. Consignment hours are:
Tu & Th 9:30 - 2:00
Fri 9:30 - 12:30
Sat. 10:00 - 11:30
Summer hours: Tu & Th 9:30 - 2:00

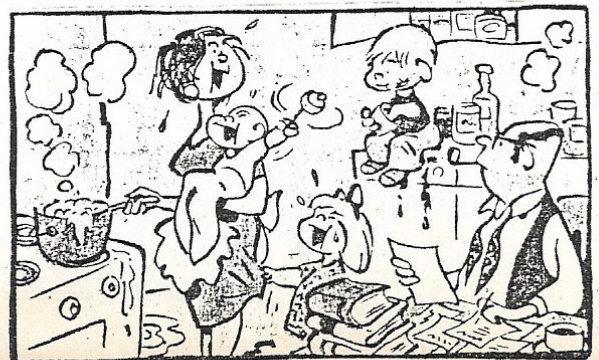
4. Articles for sale must be clean, good condition, and in season (clothing). Appliances in working order. No upholstered furniture or large pieces.

Our Thrift Shop chairman and liason person is Damaris Reynolds. She will take care of the business stuff, keep a watch on the sales and pick up the checks. She will even help you if you can't manage to take articles to the store. Thanks Damaris for being generous and helpful. We hope everybody will contribute their unwanteds. Money in the bank allows us to participate in a greater variety of projects and move forward without resorting to a raise in dues, which would hurt some of us. So lets say hurray for a new way to help that will be a continuing thing and takes its place along with flavor pac labels, book sales and the rest.

Traditionally the Society buys a library book in memory of a deceased member. These books are usually chosen as appropriate to the interest and state of study of the person honored. At present we have several memorials to make: for Peggy Mason, Ralph VanCleave, Cecilia Coon, and Lottie Chapman. We would appreciate any suggestions of books or areas of interest, and would welcome any donations toward any or all of these memorials.

Vacation time is here! We will not meet in July or August and the Library will not be open. Books checked out in June must be returned at the September meeting. If you wont be here, please make arrangements with someone to bring in your books. Next meeting will be September 13. See you then, in the meantime, have a good summer.

Again thanks to Mildred Hawkins for her contribution of the back page and to Mabelle Martsching for the cartoon.



"You'd better give up searching for your roots, Roscoe, and start helping me with your branches!"