

MORRIS AREA GENEALOGY SOCIETY
General Meeting
Feb 10, 1998

Members enjoyed a social time of talking, having coffee and cookies, which were brought by Ruth Grimm, for the 15 or 20 minutes preceding the actual meeting.

Meeting was opened by President Bogert Holly at 7 pm. There were about 55 people present. Bo welcomed the first time attendees who numbered about 4. He mentioned his next scheduled NYC trip, for tomorrow, and invited others to meet on train. Trip will be to NY Genealogical and Biographical Society.

Announcements: Bogert indicated that the society may purchase a 'clip-on' microphone and modification to equipment so that speaker need not hold microphone in hand.

Question time: No questions asked. Kevin should be contacted if anyone has questions about overseas research.

Officers for 1998-1999:

Slate of officers nominated for 1998-1999:

President:	Regina Springer
Vice President:	Roger Conover
Treasurer:	Henry Weis
Corresponding Secretary:	Linda Hart
Recording Secretary:	Emily Svenson

Jan Huth announced that our next meeting about Irish Genealogy will be at the Grace Episcopal Church in Madison. Directions will be in newsletter. Same starting time. Our 10th anniversary meeting will begin at 6:45 pm. No questions will be taken that night because a full schedule is planned.

Jan Huth introduced our speaker, Andrew Schick. Mr. Schick was worked with the Passaic County Historical Society for 10 years. He has a BA in history and an MA in Museum Studies. The Society meets at Lambert Castle on Garrett Mountain, Paterson. Mr. Schick's topic was "*Wish You Were Here*". This dealt with picture postcards. He showed slides of a great variety of cards. The Society has over 6000 cards in their collec

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tion. He reviewed the history of picture postcards; and the grudging acceptance of them by various national postoffice departments. It was an excellent presentation. Many questions were asked of Mr. Schick after his talk.

The meeting was adjourned and members socialized while enjoying more cookies and coffee.

Respectfully submitted,

Lois Weis
Recording Secretary