

MORRIS AREA GENEALOGY SOCIETY
General Meeting
May 9, 1995

This meeting was held at the temporary location, Grace Episcopal Church in Madison. President, Barbara Davidson, opened the meeting at 7:16 p.m. She welcomed new visitors and then read a humorous selection defining genealogists.

Treasurer, Bill Graves, reported a previous balance of \$3,551.44 and a current balance of \$3,638.10.

Minutes from the previous meeting were available at the exchange table. A correction has been made as the name of the newly elected treasurer should have been listed as "Bill Graves".

The Board had met briefly previous to this meeting and passed the following motion which was read by Corresponding Secretary, Jan Huth: "A motion to give \$1,500 to the Local History and Genealogy Department of the Joint Free Public Library of Morristown and Morris Township from 1994-1995 funds, to be added to the \$1,500 from last year with the recommendation to purchase a computer for the use of patrons in the Local History and Genealogy Department."

Kevin Elliott was asked to report on the Computer Group. Since he had been unable to attend the last meeting, an update was give by Alice Min. Computer programs had been shown to participants and questions were answered. There are no planned summer meetings but the group hopes to meet again in the Fall. Details will be announced at the general meeting. It is anticipated that the group will probably meet about four times a year. Meanwhile, members who wish to do so may contact others through the Surname Exchange List.

Alice Min, who is program chairperson for the coming year, noted that she is open to suggestions for future programs.

The business meeting adjourned at 7:23 p.m.

Alice then introduced Larry Dougherty who spoke on Cherokee Heritage and his search in finding records. This was followed by a question and answer period and continued social hour.

Respectfully submitted,
Janet Huth
Recording Secretary