MOUNT AIRY CLAY BREAKERS GARDEN CLUB DECEMBER 88

THE MEETING WAS HELD 8 DEC AT MARY ELLEN HEAGY'S.

TREASURER'S REPORT \$1068.60 BALANCE. THIS INCLUDED THE PROCEEDS FROM THE CRAFT SALE ON 2 DEC. SHE GAVE REPORT ON HOW DISPERSEMENTS WERE HANDLED.

CORRES SEC (MARIAN FOR ESTHER): READ THANK YOU NOTES FROM ANN DEBOESER AND PEGGY MARTIN.

CIVIC DEVELOPMENT (BETTY): SAYS SHE HAS 10 AZALEAS DONATED TO ROGER'S MEMORIAL GARDEN.

Ways & Means (JoAnn): Results of craft sale was \$595.90. JoAnn Thanked everyone who helped, especially Jimmie Nell, Ann, Marie, Peggy and Peg who helped the day of the sale.

FED DELEGATE (ANN): SAYS 22 NOV MEETING WAS A LOVELY DAY - THE PROGRAM WAS "LETS GO AWAY FOR THE HOLIDAYS" FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS WERE DISPLAYED FOR THE DIFFERENT COUNTRIES ENGLAND, BANGKOK, THE ORIENT ETC AND ANN DESCRIBED IN GREAT DETAIL BEAUTIFULLY. SHE ASKED US TO BRING CANCELLED STAMPS TO THE JAN MEETING FOR THE BENEFIT OF "BIRDS OF PREY". SHE ALSO TOLD US GUIDE CLASSES WILL BEGIN IN THE SPRING.

JIMMIE NELL HAD GONE TO GREENS SHOW AT THE BOTANICAL GARDENS. OUR JOYCE MEYER HAD DONE AN ENTIRE DISPLAY ON "ANOTHER SEASON ANOTHER REASON" DEPICTING THE MARDI GRAS.

HORTICULTURE (NANCY): HERBS FOR THE MONTH WERE "FENNEL AND ROSEMARY". SHE BROUGHT SOME FENNEL AND WE ALL GOT TO SAMPLE. WE LEARNED THAT FENNEL WILL KEEP US LEAN AS IT TAKES OUR APPETITE. FENNEL IS USED IN ITALIAN DISHES AND ALSO FOR COLICKY BABIES. ROSEMARY IS USED IN CHICKEN, LAMB DRIED OR FRESH AND IS A RELIGIOUS SYMBOL OF FIDELITY.

OLD BUSINESS: 7:30 THIS SAT. 10 DEC IS OUR CHRISTMAS PARTY AT DOTTIE GARRISON'S. 19 PLAN TO GO.

NEW BUSINESS: MARIE TOOK THIS TIME TO FILL OUT THE FORMS FOR OUR ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS FOR THE PAST YEAR.

PROGRAM (MARY ELLEN): GAVE A SHORT DESCRIPTION OF HER TRIP TO BATTLE CREEK THE NORTHERN MOST CYPRESS SWAMP IN THE UNITED STATES. ENCOURAGED US ALL TO GO FOR A TRIP INTO THE PAST.

MARY ELLEN IS SPECIFICALLY INTERESTED IN RECYCLING BOTTLES, CANS ETC. HOPES WE WILL ALL BEGIN TO DO THIS. THE RECYCLING PLANT CLOSEST TO US IS IN UPPER MARLBORO.

SHE THEN OFFERED A TAPE ON CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS. SUGGESTED WE USE CRAB APPLES AS A NEW DECORATION. SHE ALSO PASSED AROUND HER DRIED APPLE WREATH FROM THE KITCHEN.

MEETING WAS ADJ.

REFRESHMENTS WAS SERVED.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED. - MARIAN L. MORELAND

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