



SHERIDAN HISTORICAL SOCIETY
Record of Proceedings
March 28, 1996

Call to order The meeting was called to order by the President, Cliff Mueller, at 8:05 p.m.

Roll Call Present: Clifford Mueller, Richard Lynch, Bonita Hutcheson, Earl McCoy and Chuck West.

Approval of the minutes The minutes of February 22, 1996 were approved as presented.

Treasurer's Report Chuck West gave the report: in savings, we have \$6,611.76 and in the checking account \$145.30. Dues were paid by Bonita Hutcheson.

Sales Tax Exemption form was completed and submitted to the State of Colorado by Cliff Mueller. A copy is in the permanent file.

A Donation to Friends of Historic Fort Logan was discussed. They are busy getting the Field Officers Quarters restored at this time, and will need some funding. We have discussed in the past participating in the building by sharing a space for our memorabilia, and also doing some joint programs. The donation was taken under advisement by the Board.

Earl McCoy reported that no exhibits are planned at this time at the FHFL, since the rooms are not ready for use.

Retired electricians have been hard at work rewiring the building which was built in 1898. It will have up to date wiring, with track lighting ability if it should be wanted. Over 500 hours have been donated so far, and over \$13,000.00 in materials. Some plumbing volunteer work has been done, and the plasterers and masons will be volunteering their work after the electricians complete their work. At this time they are trying to get the main floor completed and then can work unrestricted on the second and third floors.

Spindles have been obtained from some of the other buildings to replace those missing in the entry hall, so they are a little closer to completing the entry which is named the Loren Blaney Reception Hall. The fireplace mantle and wood work has been restored, but a few tiles will need to be cast to restore the fireplace completely.

Taxation of non-profit property is on the next ballot for the State. This would affect all non-profit organizations. It causes some concern for our type of organization.

A Motion to pay the bill presented for the copying and mailing of the minutes \$13.72 was made by Lynch, seconded and carried.

Funds are requested for Students from Sheridan to attend a festival in Austria to sing. It was felt that if individuals wished to help they could.

Adjournment The meeting was adjourned at 8:55 p.m.

Bonita Hutcheson

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