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NOTICE OF MEETING:

SUNDAY, September 21, 1980 - 2:00 p.m.

PLACE: THOMAS E. McMILLAN MUSEUM on
campus of Jefferson Davis State Junior
College, in the Fine Arts Building fronting
on Elacksher St., just off Alco Drive,
Erewton.

SPEAKER: JAMES W. PARKER, ARCHAEOLOGIST

This Sunday meeting was set to give out-of-town members, visitors and guests an opportunity to come to a Society meeting and also to see the fine Thomas E. McMillan Museum and Escambia County Archives and Research Facility of which we are all so proud. You will, of course, be welcome to peruse the archives and research materials on hand. Already many have expressed their delight that this Sunday meeting is being held and we expect a large group to turn out. Talk it up so everyone will know!

JAMES W. PARKER, the archaeologist who has been assigned the responsibility of carrying out the archaeological survey for Escambia and Baldwin Counties under a \$35,000 grant from the Alabama Historical Commission, will be the speaker for the Sunday afternoon meeting, September 21. He was Assistant Archaeologist at Colonial Williamsburg, Virginia, before moving with his wife and children to Tuscaloosa where he has worked with the Fort Toulouse project near Montgomery and has just completed excavation of Fort Tombeckbee for Livingston University. His specialties are historic archaeology and historic ceramics. Mr. Parker will give a narrated slide program on historic archaeology in South Alabama, its significance, the field work, procedures used, etc.

1980 Dues are due! - \$6.00 - Some still have not paid their dues for this year. Look at your mailing label on this newsletter--if it has a red note stating "Dues are due!", please send in your dues of \$6.00. If we have made an error please let us know. We never like removing anyone from the mailing list, but costs being what they are for postage and paper it is sometimes necessary.

RENEWALS paid since August 18, 1980:

Mr. Henry W. McMillan, Hattiesburg, Miss.

MEMORIAL TRIBUTES:

IN MEMORY OF MABEL HOSKINS EINIEN

By: Mrs. E. P. Yeldell

Escambia County Retired Teachers Association

Mrs. Einion spent 27 years in the Brewton City School System. She began teaching in Brewton in 1924 to 1928 when she married Tom Einion. In 1946 she finished the 6th grade year for Laura Howel who married at Christmastime and had the required 6th grade operetta at the end of the year. The next year, Sept., 1947 she began teaching third grade until she retired in 1969. She spent several summers traveling. Two out West and two or three on the East Coast. She was very proud of her two children, Thomas and Jean, both teachers. Her son is a Band Director and has directed for two summers the International Band traveling over Europe and playing in the largest cities. He has written a book on Directing Bands and Band Formations. Her daughter teaches Special Education in the Columbus, Ga. schools. Mrs. Einion was also very proud of her three grandchildren, two of the girls were in Drama School and in plays. Her grandson is in Auburn and studying to be a doctor. She had a right to be so proud of her children, both graduates of the University of Alabama and her grandchildren. She enjoyed her membership in Alpha Delta Kappa Teachers' Sorority, serving as President two years and going to workshops and other activities.

IN MEMORY OF HASKEW PAGE II

By: Mrs. E. P. Yeldell

Mr. Page was a native and lifelong resident of Castleberry. He served as an educator in Escambia and Conecuh County schools for 33 years. He was a member of a prominent pioneer family. His early education was in the public schools of Castleberry then later a Masters Degree and A.A. Certificate from Auburn University. Mr. Page served in the Army Air Corps in World War II, then taught in the Veterans Education Program 5½ years. He served as Principal of the North Brewton Junior High School for 16 years. His mother, Mary Eose, taught for a number of years at Neal School. His son, Haskew Page III is a Funeral Director in Montgomery whose wife is a teacher. Maribeth Page, the widow of Mr. Haskew Page III is a teacher as well. They have all contributed so much for the benefit and education of the youth of our land.

MEMORIAL LABELS FOR BOOKS given to the Archives have been printed and are being placed in all books given to the Society as Memorials. They are attractively printed in bold old English print and read as follows:

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GIFTS FOR THE THOMAS E. McMILLAN MUSEUM AND ARCHIVES FOR THE MONTH:

Franklin Dewberry - small collection of tools, alligator pattern cross-cut saw, 1890's screwjack, pair of #10 cotton cards, 1820 handplane

Hank Locklin, Jay, Fla. - corn shuck broom, thin blade cross-cut saw circa 1900, Singer pedal powered tailor's sewing machine, circa 1900, commercial type, used at Robbins & McGowin Co. for many years.

Roger D. Anderson - Book on Revolutionary War in the South, pharmaceutical bottle of asperin, 1900's crank powered drill press

Rita Jane Boykin - 1920's pink and blue woven throw rug for use with sewing machine exhibit, E. C. BOYKIN DRUG STORE printed material, advertising etc. including ice cream spoon, 1 oak chair 1920, 1 patented Edison light bulb 1904, doll with tatted hat made by Myrtice West in 1920 and dress made by Mrs. E. C. Boykin also the doll's chair--handmade.

Carolyn Pugh Emerich - Word from Camp Pollard, C.S.A. by W.H. Davidson, Alabama Ante Bellum Architecture by Burkhardt; The Torch is Passed... The Associated Press Tory of the Death of a President...

John F. Kennedy; John Fitzgerald Kennedy, A Memorial Album, 33RPM record, Nov. 22, 1963; The Gibson Girl and Her America: The Best Drawings of Charles Dana Gibson, published 1969; Minutes of the Eighty-Ninth Annual Session, Conecuh County Baptist Association 1971; Heritage 17 bound volume; A Historical Review of Escambia County and its Communities published Sept. 30, 1976; 1979 and 1980 historical quarterlies as follows: Baldwin County Historical Quarterly, Eutaw County Historical Quarterly, Pensacola Historical Quarterly, Alabama Genealogical Society Quarterly, Alabama Review, published by Alabama Historical Association, Clarke County Historical Quarterly, and Pea Ridge Historical Quarterly.

OUT OF PRINT BOOKS REGARDING ESCAMBIA COUNTY and environs - Many have indicated an interest in helping to locate the out-of-print books listed in the August newsletter. Keep it in mind when you are visiting book stores that carry old books.

ESCAMBIA COUNTY HISTORY - Roger D. Anderson and Mrs. Annie C. Waters, co-authors of the official Escambia County history manuscript which they hope to have completed and ready for publication by the end of 1981 is progressing well. Any information you can give regarding Escambia County and its early pioneers will be appreciated. Send your information to P.O. Box 276, Brewton, Al. 36427.

QUOTATIONS

" If a good mule comes with the place, plow him... and learn from him."

--Senator Reo Kirkland, Jr.

(on being asked to explain this, Senator Kirkland stated that a mule that was raised on the place knew more than the new owner about the land)

MATURITY

A Definition by

ANN LANDERS, 1956

Maturity is the ability to do a job whether you are supervised or not; finish a job once it is started; carry money without spending it, and be able to bear an injustice without wanting to get even.

Maturity is the ability to control anger and settle differences without violence.

Maturity is patience. It is the willingness to postpone immediate gratification in favor of the long-term gain.

Maturity is perseverance, the ability to sweat out a project or situation in spite of heavy opposition and discouraging setbacks.

Maturity is the capacity to face unpleasantness and frustration, discomfort and defeat without complaint or collapse.

Maturity is the ability to make a decision and stand by it. The immature spend their lives exploring endless possibilities; then they do nothing.

Maturity is humility. It is being big enough to say, "I was wrong." And, when right, the mature person need not experience the satisfaction of saying, "I told you so."

Maturity means dependability, keeping one's word, coming through in a crisis. The immature are masters of the alibi. They are confused and disorganized. Their lives are a maze of broken promises, former friends, unfinished business and good intentions that somehow never materialized.

Maturity is the art of living in peace with that which we cannot change, the courage to change that which can be changed and the wisdom to know the difference.