

THE FEBRUARY 8th MEETING, given O'clock, Yamhill Christian Church - come and bring a guest or two! Remember that our meetings are always potluck affairs and each person or family brings his or their own table service.

THE MEETING usually begins at 8 o'clock. The program for the evening will be a 1908 report on "Yamhill County - Oregon's Garden Spot" by Dr. Odgers.

A SPECIAL BOARD MEETING was held on the afternoon of January 24. Among other action taken, Charles M. Teegarden was elected acting program chairman for the rest of the year. Places provisionally selected for meetings are: March, McMinnville Presbyterian Church; April, McMinnville Grange Hall; May, the Dundee Woman's Club House; September, Fernwood Grange Hall; October, Sheridan American Legion Hall; November, Gaston United Church of Christ; and December, the Yamhill Christian Church(?).

PROGRAM SUBJECTS - please make suggestions to Charles Teegarden as soon as possible.

THE JANUARY MEETING was poorly attended because of the bad weather and influenza but an excellent program was given by Ruth Stoller. Her subject was "Dayton Pioneers and their Donation Land Claims". An interesting feature of the evening was Ray Albert's presentation of souvenirs of early Dayton.

A BURNAGE SALE will be held on April 14 in the meeting room of the Farm Bureau Office, 10th at Alpine, McMinnville, for the benefit of the Museum. The committee will be pleased to receive suitable objects, which may be brought to the museum earlier if you wish.

Recent gifts to the Museum include a large photograph of the old Court House; and two very old cameras by Mrs. Gilliam's Studio, McMinnville. Mr. Frank Colcord, McMinnville, added to our picture collection by giving a large number of photo cards of McMinnville streets, schools and churches.

Mr. Rubanks, a well known Salem artist, has donated a framed drawing of a wooden pump. He is the author of "the History of the Pump and its Relatives" and a short history of the Museum's pitcher pumps and the Lafayette fire engine.

A crew has been continuing the paint and other repair work in the Museum building. Needed now are some book shelves.

WANTED, old school records, church and city histories, also family histories and trees.

1972 DUES ARE NOW DUE, if you haven't already paid yours to the Financial Sec.

Non-voting members (ages below 18).....	\$1.00
Voting members (ages 18 and above).....	2.00
OSMS Affiliates.....	7.00
Life members.....	50.00

NEEDED IMMEDIATELY - a good mimeograph machine. Who will give it or donate money for it?? Also a good standard typewriter.

We regret to report the death of Mrs. Helen Saxberg, who was a faithful member of our society, and we extend our sympathy to members of her family.

MUSEUM VISITORS: Fifteen grade school children from Springbrook Friends Church School, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Gillipian visited the Museum on January 14. Mrs. Helen Johnson was their bus driver.