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MAY MEETING TO BE HELD AT BEMC IN SUPPLY, NC MAY 8, 2006 7:30 P. M.

The next meeting of the Brunswick County Historical Society will be held at the Brunswick Electric Membership Corporation Building, 795 Ocean Highway West, Supply, NC. The meeting begins at 7:30 P. M. Refreshments will be served at 7:15 P. M. We always meet the 2nd Monday in February, May, August and November.

The speaker will be Dennis J. Mardis, a Methodist minister, who will speak about Francis Asbury, America's first Methodist Bishop. He will speak in first person as Jesse Lee, who was one of Asbury's riding companions during early travels. Rev. Mardis will share some anecdotes from Jesse Lee's adventures that reference life during the late 1780's. He will also bring documented reproductions of everyday items from Lee's period. Feel free to announce this at meetings you attend and at church services. We would like to have a large attendance.

Recently the Society's Charter was found and returned to us. It will be on display at the meeting.

The 1904 Family Life Room exhibit at the Old Jail in Southport is being completed. Call or e-mail Beverly Wyckoff, 457-5599 or beverlywyckoff@bellsouth.net to donate items, serve as a docent, add to the law enforcement exhibit, help with ticking mattresses for the cells or volunteer your time. A Wish List is found on page 2.

The Treasurer reports a bank balance of \$968.94. This bank balance is as of April 31, 2006. Total membership stands at 78. This includes 9 Life Memberships. Newsletters are sent to 5 libraries, 1 historical society and 1 historic site. For \$100 one can become a life member and never have to worry about dues again. Today, this is truly a bargain. Talk with your friends and invite them to the next meeting. Don't assume they know about the society. We are receiving good publicity due to Jarvis Baillargeon and the meeting notices he places in area newspapers.

DUES! DUES! DUES! Look at the list on page 2 and check your membership status. Are your dues paid?

Society Officers 2004-2006

President: Joe Carter
Vice- President: Bertha Grohman
Secretary: Tammy Sellers
Treasurer: Gwen Causey
Directors: Hulaine Holden, Donald Jenrette
Newsletter Editor: Gwen Causey

Refreshments: Janice Pigott Publicity: Jarvis Baillargeon

MEMBERSHIP LIST 2006

- Judy Holden, Life Member
- Sheldon & Janice Pigott, Life Member
- Tammi Cooke, Life Member
- 4. Mary Mintz, Life Member
- Sherry Cornwell, Life Member
- Albert Parker, Life Member
- Joe & Clara Carter, Life Member
- Bobby V. Inman, Life Member
- Donald Hickman, Life Member
- 10. Brunswicktown State Historic Site
- 11. Brunswick Community College Library
- 12. New Hanover County Library
- 13. NC Collection, UNC
- Columbus County Library
- 15. Ft. Wayne Public Library
- 16. Southport Historical Society
- 17. Anne Neroni
- 18. Warren Phelps 2006
- Roberta Brady 2006 & 2007 & 2008
 Carl E. Swain 2006
- 21. Lillian Batson 2006
- 22. Connie Schutte 2006
- 23. Glenn & Kay Kye 2006
- 24. M. L. Sellers
- 25. Barbara Wilson
- 26. Muzette Steck
- 27. Dorothy West 2006
- 28. Susie Carson 2006
- 29. Sarah McNeil 2006
- 30. Larry Maisel
- 31. Pat Kirkman
- 32. Harvard & Hulaine Holden
- 33. Grover Holden 2006
- 34. Jarvis Baillargeon
- 35. Helen Taylor 2006
- 36. Floyd Phelps 2006
- 37. Mildred Mercer
- 38. Ernestine Mercer
- 39. Doreen Holtz 2006
- 40. Janie Parker
- 41. Tammy Sellers
- 42. James Green
- 43. Ouida Hewett
- 44. Crystal Meares
- 45. Elmer Sellers
- 46. Wanda Porter
- 47. Beverly Pearson
- 48. Don Sellers 2006
- 49. Teresa Anderson 2006
- 50. Susan Hughes
- 51. Randy Jones
- 52. James D. Green
- 53. Earleen Shorey
- 54. Alex Moskowitz
- 55. Donald Jenrette 2006
- 56. Rose Hadnot
- 57. Dave Lewis 2006
- 58. Nellie Sue Creech
- Eloise Gibson
- 60. Richard Eisenman

- 61. Bertha Grohman 2006
- 62. Betty Sullivan
- 63. Jim Marlowe
- 64. Charles Clemmons 2006
- 65. Eddie & Carol Beauvais 2006
- 66. Noel Chisholm & Jackie Slocett 2006
- 67. Joseph Scott 2006
- 68. Annie Ruth Bracken 2006
- 69. Clara Robinson 2006
- 70. Mary Lou White 2006
- 71. James Herbert Robinson 2006
- 72. Martha Loughlin 2006
- 73. Nancy Heilhecker 2006
- 74. Gerald Kirby 2006
- 75. K. A. Clagett 2006
- 76. Les Mikalson 2006
- 77. David Holden 2006
- 78. Billy Wade Russ 2006
- * * * Those with 2006 beside their name have paid their dues for the coming year. Others can either pay at the meeting or send a check for \$10 to the Treasurer at PO Box 874, Shallotte, NC 28459.

WISH LIST For The "1904 Family Life Room" at the Old Jail in Southport, NC...

- ..wash board
- ..dishpan
- ..rolling pin
- ..dough bowl
- ..flat iron
- ..cups, mugs, glasses
- ..flatware
- ..flour sacks
- ..rug beater
- ..coffee grinder
- ..small pie safe
- ..small wash stand
- ..small bed
- .. 2 wooden chairs