

1967

The 55th Annual Herold Reunion was held on July 30, 1967 at the Verdilla Picnic Grounds, two miles northwest of Port Trevorton, Pa. with dinner and supper enjoyed by a good many at the new covered tables and a program at 2:30 P.M.

It was opened with devotions from the 46th Psalm also prayer by Rev Ben Herold who is now retired from the ministry. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The treasurer gave his report. A motion was made to contribute \$5.00 to the Grove.

A number of old pictures were brought in and enjoyed. Our president had a picture of Col. Wm G. Herold who is buried in the St. John's cemetery at Chapman. He also gave us a review of his article "Four Stone Houses" an example of close family ownership - of Homes built a century and a half ago - and of land for almost two centuries. This article appears in The Northumberland County Historical Society 1967 year book volume XXV which was published in June 1968 and is very interesting.

House #1 - The Col. Wm G Herold Plantation, now owned by Keller's Boat Industries.

House #2 - The Brubaker Farmhouse where Mr & Mrs George W. Herold live and own.

House #3 - The George Herold ^{Farm} Plantation where Mrs Eva Herold lives ^{is owned} in Chapman.

House #4 - The John Frederick Herold Farm now owned by Forest Troutman whose wife was a Herold.

175 present
300 cards printed & mailed out cost \$27.30 by Clifford Sheesby, Selinsgrove

Our asst. secretary Mrs. Ada Baulaker Reichenbach was born in house #3 and the family moved to Harper Kansas in 1902 when she was six months old and moved back in 1935 to the same house where she lived till she married.

Our father Joe L. Baulaker, kept the mules in the barn that pulled the canal boats and ^{often} got up in the night to get fresh mules for the boats. Our mother, Mary Herold Baulaker was a cook on the boat before her marriage. Her brother John B. Herold had charge of the boat. Our president, Dewey Herold's great grandfather was the original ~~boat~~ ^{rock} tender at this Chapman Rock.

Welcome Auber conducted election of officers as follows:

Pres. Dewey Herold, Vice Pres David Herold, 2nd Vice Pres. Marv Herold
Sec. Nora Schlagel, asst. Sec. Ada Reichenbach, Treas. George W. Herold
John C. Herold, pres. emeritus and Dr. Elwood Blanders, Historian

There were gifts for all present and special gifts for those coming longest distance - Mildred Herold Mildermonth family of Midwest City, Okla.
Oldest person - John C. Herold, Port Trevorton 78 years
Attended 50 meetings or more - Rev. Ben Herold, Phila, Pa.

Most in family - John C. Herold family with 26 present

First time present - Marian Herold Sabina daughter Jane Bandyak
son Alek Bandyak, N.J., Harriet Herold Metrolis, Hamburg, Pa. Mrs. Mrs.
Frederick H. Herold of Piscataway, N. J.

Deaths - Albert C. Schlagel, Lovie Herold, Charles Wilbur Baulaker,
Charles Milton Frymoyer, Charles H. Herold, Lloyd O. Wise,
Daniel E. Klingler and Frank A. Reif.

We will meet at same place again next year. Sec. Nora Schlagel