

ACGS
MEETING OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS

13 Nov 1997

CALL TO ORDER

✓ ROLL CALL

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✓ RECORDING SECRETARY (MINUTES)

✓ TREASURER'S REPORT

✓ PRESIDENT/
VICE-PRESIDENT

B + Graubner

✓ CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

COMMITTEE REPORTS

✓ Acquisitions —

✓ Buildings & Grounds —

✓ Computers —

✓ Conferences — ?

✓ Editorial

✓ Library

✓ Membership

? — ✓ Publicity

Office [unclear] ← ✓ Publications

Cheryl Haber ← ✓ Research

✓ Internet —

✓ Inventory

✓ Obituary Project

OLD BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

ADJOURNMENT

**ACGS
MEETING OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS
13 NOVEMBER 1997**

CALL TO ORDER A regular meeting of the Board of Directors was held on Thursday 13 November 1997 in the library. The meeting was called to order by president Albert Hamel at 18:57.

ROLL CALL A quorum was present. Bob Paquette and Sam Harris were excused.

RECORDING SECRETARY Two minor corrections were offered to the October meeting notes. **The notes were accepted with these corrections (no motion on this).** Jack Stanton distributed an updated officer/director/chair roster and asked those present to mark any corrections. A corrected roster will be brought to the December meeting.

TREASURER'S REPORT This month we paid a lot of bills, balance is down from previous month. Don Chaput questioned the negative balance in item 6.1; Gerry Lalonde says it was due to a bad check charge. Gerry Lalonde complained about Canadian members who send in insufficient dues (because of the currency exchange rate). He would like a form letter to return these checks. He also brought up the fact that overseas shipping of the American Canadian Genealogist is quite expensive ---- overseas membership should be \$50; Canadian should be \$30. **Anne-Marie Perrault so moved; Don Chaput seconded; motion carried.** Stationery is \$0.15 per page; do we need? Bob Maurier questioned the lack of the Fund Activity Report. Gerry Lalonde will work with Don Chaput on this. Report will be filed for audit. [See attachment 1.]

PRESIDENT Al Hamel appreciates Roger Lawrence and Lucille Caron-Lagassé and their years of service to the Society. This is our 25th year and he proposed that, in the tree, we remove the names and put a medallion that says "25 years of service" and do the same thing with the stationery and the envelopes. The Editorial Board has met and will make a recommendation for four characteristic covers for the American Canadian Genealogist for the 25th anniversary year. We must redo the trifold [See attachment 2.] and should comment as needed ASAP. We should add "occupation" to the application form. Also, is the applicant willing and able to participate in the activities of the ACGS? Anne-Marie Perrault objected to the wording, not the concept. Al Hamel agreed that the wording could be refined. Some thought it might be better done in renewals. Al Hamel recommends the following: develop simple language and repeat in renewal. Anne-Marie Perrault suggested "at the same address" instead of "in the same household". There were some comments about the "check here if"; no changes to be made in this regard. Bob Maurier suggested the wording "and secondary sources" for "references and reproductions" (Section II). Also suggested was "and electronic media" after "videos and documents". **Gerry Nash moved changes; Mary Jean Colburn seconded; motion carried.** Al Hamel noted that Helen Tuttle, a former Board member, lost her husband a few days ago.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY [See attachment 3.]

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Acquisitions: Bob Maurier said that he sent a letter to the Assembly of Bishops of Québec for permission for the Mormons to sell us records they may have done. Gerry

Lalonde said that he was in a bookstore (Depot #6 in Henniker) and found some books that could be valuable to us much having to do with real estate transfers. They cover every seigneurie in Québec from 1850-1863. The one for Québec (city) sells for \$450; that for Montréal, \$600; and La Couronne, \$200. Al Hamel suggested that Gerry Lalonde give the info to Bob Maurier for evaluation. Gerry Lalonde also noted that there was a book covering Nova Scotia immigrants up to 1867. It was published in 1992 by Leonard Smith and contains over 15,000 names.

Buildings and Grounds: Al Hamel said we're still looking for someone to take over. If we can't get a volunteer, we'll have to hire someone. Gerry Nash suggested that we write a letter to our Manchester members asking for help. Gerry Lalonde said that the Manchester Fire Department needs the name of an individual to be contacted in case of emergency. Mary Anna Paquette will get a count of those members in Manchester ZIP codes. [We (the Board) had earlier toured the 1st and 3rd floors and moved some things.] {See attachment 4.}

Computers: [See attachment 5.] We should have one more Windows 95 PC available for research only. [See Anne-Marie Perrault quote (See attachment 6).] Don Chaput questioned the need for speakers and a sound card. Al Hamel said that he has not been able to contact Ron Niquette re being Webmaster. **Gerry Nash moved** that we buy a PC with the specs on Anne-Marie Perrault's quote; **Gerry Lalonde seconded; Don Chaput abstained; motion carried.**

Conferences: Anne-Marie Perrault suggested that, if we're going to have a spring conference, we'd better begin. Item was tabled.

Editorial: : [See attachment 7] Anne-Marie Perrault publicly thanked Pauly Labbe for all the time she has spent as librarian. She has always been of help when Anne-Marie Perrault has called from home with questions. Guidelines: Anne-Marie Perrault and Roger Lawrence have met and things are moving. The obit project is just about done. It will continue with the 4 cities that are still being collected. Anne-Marie Perrault noted that the door monitor is on when we are not "officially" open should this continue? Mary Jean Colburn said that it should only be on if we are open. Anne-Marie Perrault noted that we could possibly lose out on deliveries. Many felt that it should be up to the individual who is here "alone". We're thinking of not continuing to take journals from France apparently OK with the Board.

Library: No meeting; next one will be 24 November.

Membership: No report.

Publicity: No report.

Publications: [See attachment 8.] We need more volunteers for data entry.

Research: We've found a Constance Hébert to take over from Bob Neveux at least the administrative part. Roger Lawrence asked what happened to Vi Dusseault. Al Hamel said that that had not quite worked out.

Internet: [See attachment 9.]

Inventory: [See attachment 10.] Jetté books are in Gerry Nash has been paid.

OLD BUSINESS


Anne-Marie Perrault said that Mary Jean Colburn needed more library volunteers. Mary Jean Colburn emphasized this and again asked that Board members to volunteer at least once a year. Mary Anna Paquette said that some Forget family genealogies were

returned. She noted that the sign out policy should be reinforced. Roger Lawrence said that we have had a contract with a Bob Rheault to do snow removal. His price will probably go up slightly. Do we wish to renew? Gerry Nash said that we'd better use him for tomorrow, but we should seek other bids. **Roger Lawrence moved** we hire Bob Rheault for this year; **Anne-Marie Perrault seconded**; Gerry Nash said add to his contract that the 2 doorways be cleared (Roger Lawrence and Anne-Marie Perrault nodded assent); **motion carried**. Mary Anna Paquette and Jack Stanton asked about a Board winter schedule. Jack Stanton will not be at the Feb, Mar, and Apr meetings. Gerry Nash will not be at the Jan and Feb meetings. Consensus is that we keep the present schedule Sundays last year were not popular. Gerry Nash said that we need a fundraiser to pay for the 1st and 3rd floor renovations. Anne-Marie Perrault said that a plea could go out in the American Canadian Genealogist due out around Feb. Gerry Lalonde noted that phone calls last time we had a fundraiser were quite successful. Al Hamel noted that Gerry Lalonde and Gerry Nash were volunteering to spearhead the drive.

ADJOURNMENT

Roland Marchand moved adjournment at 20:33; **Mary Jean Colburn seconded**.
Next meeting at the library on Thursday, 11 December 1997 at 18:30.

Respectfully submitted,



John R Stanton
Recording Secretary

Profit & Loss Statement
10/ 1/97 Through 10/31/97

Attachment 1

94-96-All Accounts
1/97

Category Description	10/ 1/97- 10/31/97
INCOME/EXPENSE	
INCOME	
1.0 MEMBERSHIP:	
1.1 Dues	5,529.90
TOTAL 1.0 MEMBERSHIP	5,529.90
2.0 PUBLICATION:	
2.1 Repertoires	417.00
2.2 Indexes	5.00
2.3 Video S & R	5.00
2.4 Jette	600.00
TOTAL 2.0 PUBLICATION	1,027.00
3.0 GENEALOGIST:	
3.1 Back Issues	171.10
3.2 Adv Sales	25.00
TOTAL 3.0 GENEALOGIST	196.10
4.0 LIBRARY:	
4.1 Photocopy	493.69
4.2 Maps-Charts	602.19
4.3 Guest Fees	380.00
4.5 Can Soda	140.66
4.6 Candy	73.00
4.7 Hats	19.00
4.8 Fiche Copie	5.00
TOTAL 4.0 LIBRARY	1,713.54
5.0 RESEARCH:	
5.1 Income	377.15
TOTAL 5.0 RESEARCH	377.15
6.0 CONFERENCE:	
6.1 Attend. Fee	-15.00
6.2 Raffle	42.03
TOTAL 6.0 CONFERENCE	27.03
7.0 SOCIETY:	
7.2 Bldg Fund	480.00
7.5 Sav Act Int	1.39
7.6 Bld Fnd Int	21.46
7.8 Ckg Act Int	15.07
TOTAL 7.0 SOCIETY	517.92
Income - Other	0.01
TOTAL INCOME	9,388.65
EXPENSES	
11.0 MEMBERSHIP:	

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94-96-All Accounts
1/97

Category Description	10/ 1/97- 10/31/97
11.1 Postage	100.00
11.2 Supplies	43.98
TOTAL 11.0 MEMBERSHIP	143.98
12.0 PUBLICATIONS:	
12.1 Postage	88.28
12.2 Supplies	121.18
12.3 Print Reps	557.75
TOTAL 12.0 PUBLICATIONS	767.21
13.0 GENEALOGIS:	
13.1 Postage	821.37
13.3 Printing	4,069.00
TOTAL 13.0 GENEALOGIS	4,890.37
14.0 LIBRARY:	
14.1 Postage	2.98
14.2 Supplies	38.15
14.3 Equip Main	50.00
14.4 Print Info	43.00
TOTAL 14.0 LIBRARY	134.13
17.0 SOCIETY:	
17.2 Supplies	266.59
17.4 Telephone	44.32
17.5 Oth Insur	458.00
17.8 Other	91.00
TOTAL 17.0 SOCIETY	859.91
18.0 BLDG&GRNDS:	
18.2 Electric	229.42
18.5 Maint-Rep.	488.00
18.9 Interest	36.32
TOTAL 18.0 BLDG&GRNDS	753.74
TOTAL EXPENSES	7,549.34
TOTAL INCOME/EXPENSE	1,839.31

Balance Sheet
As of 10/31/97

94-96-All Accounts
1/97

Acct	10/31/97 Balance
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ASSETS	
Cash and Bank Accounts	
BLDG FUND BNH	37,282.64
CASH ON HAND	0.00
CHECKING BNH	13,830.09
CHEQUING	100.85
PETTY CASH	100.00
SAVINGS SMB 07	704.81
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Total Cash and Bank Accounts	52,018.39
Assets	
BOOK INVENTORY	149,818.48
FURN. & EQUIP.	56,750.03
GAS CO. DEPOSIT	-58.31
LIBRARY BLDG.	179,782.24
PUBLICATIONS	21,000.00
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Total Assets	407,292.44
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TOTAL ASSETS	459,310.83
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LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
LIABILITIES	
Liabilities	
BUILDING LOAN	41,838.00
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Total Liabilities	41,838.00
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TOTAL LIABILITIES	41,838.00
EQUITY	417,472.83
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TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	459,310.83
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American-Canadian Genealogical Society

P.O. Box 6478

Manchester, NH 03108-6478

Co-Founders

Prof. Roger Lawrence #1

Lucille Caron-Lagassé #2



The American-Canadian Genealogical Society, founded at Manchester, New Hampshire in September 1973, by Professor Roger W. Lawrence and Lucille Caron-Lagassé, serves people interested in ancestral research.

Although centered in New Hampshire, the Society includes membership from the United States and Canada, as well as other parts of the world.

The chief aim of the Society is to serve as a resource center for the gathering, preservation and dissemination of American-Canadian genealogical information.

The American-Canadian Genealogical Society is a non-profit, tax-exempt 501(c)(3) organization, registered with the Secretary of the State of New Hampshire.

BUSINESS OF THE SOCIETY

1. The Society operates a library containing more than 5,000 volumes on Canadian and American genealogies.
2. Two general meetings and conferences are held each year (Fall and Spring) with speakers and workshops. Business activities and elections are held at the Fall meeting.
3. The President's Letter is published quarterly, (usually in the journal) summarizing the activities of the Society, the deliberations of the Executive Board, and other items of immediate interest.
4. The *American-Canadian Genealogist*, the official publication of the Society, is published quarterly.
5. The Board of Directors meets monthly to organize current activities, initiate new areas of society involvement in its goals, and the maintenance of membership participation. The Directors supervise the finances of the Society in keeping with the mandates of the members and the by-laws.
6. Working committees are an active part of the Society. These include the library board, the editorial board, the publication committee, the publicity committee, the research services (RS), membership committee, and the computer committee. Since we purchased our Library building in 1994, operating committees have been formed such as building maintenance, building fund, inventory control, and equipment maintenance and acquisitions. As the Society grows, so will the operations.
7. The Society can provide speakers for lectures, workshops and conferences upon request.

Paternal Grandfather _____

Paternal grandmother's maiden name _____

Their date and place of marriage _____

Maternal grandfather _____

Maternal grandmother's maiden name _____

Their date and place of marriage _____

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Aims of the Society

I. Gathering

- A. To acquire repertories, genealogies, notarial records, indexes, histories, biographies, journals, censuses, microfilms and all other pertinent data.
- B. To encourage individual members to research their family lineage, and to contribute a duplicate to the library.
- C. To encourage the gathering of any and all civil and church records for publication and genealogical research.
- D. To encourage the gathering of personal and public data, such as is found in bibles, newspapers, directories, histories, photographs and related sources.

II. Preserving

By its very nature, ACGS is dedicated to the preservation of all original documents, references and reproductions that pertain to American-Canadian genealogy. These include books, card files, microfilm, microfiche, conference videos and documents.

III. Disseminating

- A. Library
- B. Society journal, *American-Canadian Genealogist*
- C. Workshops & conferences
- D. Publication and sale of repertories, indexes of our journal, and our surname index.
- E. Public Media & Speakers' Bureau
- F. In the spirit of mutual cooperation, members are encouraged to help one another by sharing information from their resources. Requests for information are answered by the Corresponding Secretary. Experienced personnel are available to assist the Secretary to meet special needs.

Membership

Membership is open to any person wishing to join the Society. Application may be sent to the Membership Department at our P.O. Box in Manchester.

*Types of Membership

1. Individual member: **\$25 (U.S.)** for Americans **\$28 (U.S.)** for Canadians.
2. Family member: each additional person in the same household pays 50% of the individual dues in #1. above. Only the full paying member receives the *American-Canadian Genealogist* and other correspondence.
3. Student member: under 18, full time students, high school or college, 50% of Individual rate.
4. Life member: Fifteen times the yearly dues or **\$75.00** for Americans and **\$420** for Canadians.
5. Life Associate member (**Spouse only**) pays one-half the full life member's rate.
6. Institutions/Overseas membership: \$30 per year.

All dues are payable in U.S. FUNDS.

Membership begins in the month in which dues are paid and is renewable on the anniversary of your JOIN date.

Make checks payable to the: **American-Canadian Genealogical Society or ACGS**

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ACGS LIBRARY HOURS 4 Elm Street, Corner of West Baker Street Manchester, New Hampshire
Wednesday, 10 AM-9 PM Friday, 10 AM-9 PM Saturday, 9 AM-4 PM
Other days by arrangement. Call (603) 622-1554 during library hours

Membership Application

Name of Applicant _____

If married woman, give **Maiden name** here _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____

Zip _____

Phone _____

Applicant's birth date and **place** _____

Name of Spouse _____

Parents of Spouse _____

Date and **place** of your marriage _____

Applicant's father _____

Appl. Mother's **Maiden** name _____

Parent's date and **place** of marriage _____

Check here _____ if you **DO NOT** want us to include your name in mailings from other Genealogical information centers. We do not sell our mailing lists, but we have been asked to supply labels to other genealogically related companies that we think you may benefit from.

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Attachment 3

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Subject: Corresponding Secretary

November 6, 1997

FROM: Corresponding Secretary

SUBJECT: Report for Month of October 1997

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The following correspondence was sent during the month of October:

19 "Thank yous" for donations of money to either the building fund or library fund. They were \$25.00 or less.

15 "Thanks yous" for donations of books or equipment.

1 Application packet was sent in response to inquiries about ACGS.

1 Response to miscellaneous inquiries.

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36 Total

Respectfully submitted,  
Mary Anna Paquette

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FIRST FLOOR WORK  
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- (1) Remove all fixtures in mens & womens rooms & cap piping flush at floor and wall and patch where necessary.
- (2) Remove mirrors, dance bar and coat racks and patch any damage.
- (3) Paint all ceilings, 1 coat, white except 2 State rooms and boiler room.
- (4) Paint all walls, 2 coats, except 2 State rooms and boiler room.
- (5) Tile all floors except 2 State Rooms and boiler room. and install vinyl cove base (including east and west stair way and room of west hallway.
- (6) Single toilet room refurbish and install handicap toilet. Sign door Unisex/Handicap.
- (7) Refixture all lighting with 4 ft florescent fixtures in all rooms except boiler room.

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STAIR WELL WORK  
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- (1) East and west stairways paint and install matching tile and stair treads where needed.

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THIRD FLOOR WORK  
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- (1) Remove wall 3rd floor appxox. 21.5 ft. and patch remaing walls where needed after wall removale.
- (2) Relocate existing drain pipe to wall and fill exiting pipe hole.
- (3) Block and fill existing vent opening to 2nd floor and relocate grill on 2nd floor to 3rd floor ceiling.
- (4) Remove all toilet fixtures and <sup>PARTITION</sup> partition in old teachers room & cap piping flush at floor & wall and patch were necessary. Cover bad walls with sheet rock where necessary.
- (5) Activate 3rd floor mens and ladies toilets do all necessary to make functional. Repaint stall partions and paint ceilings.
- (6) Paint all walls, 2 coats, 3rd floor except north east room .
- (7) Install drop ceiling on entire 3rd floor, except bathrooms, includi<sup>ng</sup> stairwells, using 2x4 ft grid with 5/8" Mineral Fissured Tile, Armstrong or equal.
- (8) Refixture all 3rd floor lighting with 4 ft florescent fixtures.
- (9) Relocate all fire alarm equipment and exit lighting to be below ceiling grid.
- (10) Tile both bath rooms floors and install 6" vinyl cove base.
- (11) Install in all other room carpet using the used carpet stored on 1st floor and install 6" vinyl straight cove base. Shampoo all carpet after installation.



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Hi Al

This past month we received a CD-Rom of the PERSI index. This is an index of genealogical periodicals. We also received World Family Tree CD's Vol. 7 thru 12. We also got a new Family Tree Index that seems to include names in the World Family Tree CD's up to Vol. 9, as well as many other CD's published by Borderbund. I have installed a computer at the front desk to be used for the Q&A membership project. Presently I have one 286 computer ready upstairs. Everything else upstairs are 286's or less and all have some type of problems. Unless we have a specific need, I am not going to spend much time on that.

Roland A. Marchand



**CRC Data Systems**  
**535 Dubuque St.**

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# Quotation

Prepared Especially for

Anne Marie Perrault

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121 Danis Park Drive

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Goffstown ST NH Zip 03054

603-622-1591

Quotation Date

10/20/97



| Quantity | Description                     | unit price | Cost       |
|----------|---------------------------------|------------|------------|
| 1        | Mid Tower Case                  |            |            |
| 1        | Pentium Main Board              |            |            |
| 1        | Intel Pentium 166 CPU           |            |            |
| 1        | Ball Bearing CPU Fan            |            |            |
| 2        | 16 Meg 72 Pin EDO Simms 32 meg  |            |            |
| 1        | 2 Meg Video Controller          |            |            |
| 1        | 3.5" Floppy Drive               |            |            |
| 1        | 2.1 Gig Hard Drive              |            |            |
| 1        | 16 Bit Acer FX 3-D Sound Card   |            |            |
| 1        | 33.6 bps Internal Modem         |            |            |
| 1        | 24x CD-Rom Drive                |            |            |
| 1        | Pair Shielded Computer Speakers |            |            |
| 1        | 104 Key Windows 95 Keyboard     |            |            |
| 1        | 14" SVGA Monitor                |            |            |
| 1        | Mouse                           |            |            |
| 1        | Windows 95 Release B            | \$1,100.00 | \$1,100.00 |
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It is a pleasure to be able to provide you with this quote. CRC Data Systems will be happy to service your computing needs now and in the future!

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|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Parts                   | \$1,100.00        |
| Labor                   |                   |
| Shipping                |                   |
| 1 Year On-Site Warranty |                   |
| <b>Total</b>            | <b>\$1,100.00</b> |

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Subject: Editorial Board Meeting

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The Editorial Board met on Thursday, 6 NOV 1997.

Present:

Donald Chaput

Mary Anna Paquette

Roger Lawrence

Richard Fortin

Albert Hamel

Anne-Marie Perrault

Topics Discussed:

1. Exchange of journals with societies in France. Some will be eliminated due to lack of interest by members combined with the price of postage (\$4.25). Others will be kept, such as the Normandie society, and a few others from areas where immigrant ancestors came from.

2. Queries, the publication of marriages only; elimination of baptisms and burials

3. Communication to members about proper topics for queries; Roger to write article on this topic.

4. Letters to the Editor: Only letters about past articles in ACG will be included here. In the Spring issue, a new "department" will be created, along the lines of a "Member to Member" communication thing. That will be the place of other letters, not concerned with the contents of our journal.

5. Our WebSite

6. Cover for our 75th issue

7. Covers for our 25th anniversary (all 4 issues): This will be brought to the Board of Directors to consider. The Editorial Board recommends an all white glossy cover with medium blue lettering, elimination of the spruce tree for the year, and replacement with either a medalion or a banner which would indicate our 25th anniversary, or a message reading, "25 years of service". I will get prices from Lafayette on the covers.

8. Library Acquisitions: We need to publish these much more often. Mary



Anna

Paquette will produce this list from her catalogueing database. Richard Fortin will provide the Acadian list on a regular basis.

9. A final suggestion was made for a cover to Issue #75: a reproduction of the original cover to Issue #1.

Respectfully submitted,  
Anne-Marie Perrault, Chairperson, Editorial Board



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Reference meeting 13 Nov 1997

To the Officers, Board Members & Committee Chairpersons

Since the last official report on my part for the meeting of 14 August 1997 here are some of the items that have occurred in this department.

1) Completed, available for sale & in our library:

a) Baptisms of St Georges, Manchester, NH.



b) Marriages of Notre Dame des Canadiens, Worcester, MA (Vol III).

c) Marriages of Allenstown, NH (1888-1995) taken from a collection of books of the town reports. Missing 1891

2) From New York State completed in files, stored awaiting our loving attention:

a) Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Schuylerville, NY:

Marriages 30 Sep 1891 to 19 Sep 1987

Baptisms 20 Jun 1867 to 08 Nov 1987

Burials 15 Jan 1868 to 11 Apr 1987

THIS PARISH CLOSED IT DOORS IN THE FALL OF 1987 AND THE RECORDS ARE ARCHIVED IN THE FOLLOWING PARISH

B) Notre Dame de Lourdes, Schuylerville, NY

Marriages 03 Jun 1889 to 08 Mar 1997

Baptism 15 May 1889 to 13 Apr 1997

Burials May 1890 to 14 Apr 1997

3) From the local area Jeff Sauve brought in the baptisms of Our Lady of the Lakes, Lakeport, NH. (You will recall that the marriages were previously brought in and are also awaiting our pleasure.)

These baptisms are from Dec. 1928 to 12 Jun 1997. (You may also recall the delay in bringing the baptisms was that one register was missing from the rectory. It was not found and who knows what has happened to it)

After investigating the burials with even more registers missing, Jeff decided the information available was so scant, so poor and so much was missing that it was not worth copying what there was.

4) We can almost see the light shining at the end of the tunnel on the burials of St Georges, Manchester. Anticipate completion soon after the first of the year along with the update of Fr Croteau's marriages. Also anticipate one book for these two items.

5) Marriages of Notre Dame des Victoires, Whitehall, NY has been done for some weeks. We were requested to hold so that the events to the end of 97 could be included (four marriages!). It is felt that the Bishop will be closing this parish sometimes in 98. Holding would complete the publication from start to finish, except for the records that were lost way back when of course.

6) Data entry on the baptisms of this parish has been started and are moving along.

7) M-B-D of the Mission of Northern Mills, VT is 50% fully completed. You will recall I said we would be doing this at our leisure. We certainly are!

8) Data entry has been started on the marriages of St Joseph, Salem, NH



and that will our next local project doing full parish of M-B-D.

ANY QUESTIONS? Always available to answer with a smile even if at times I am wondering what I am doing----NH, VT, NY, M-B-D!

Also I have no adversity in accepting volunteers from any overburdened Officer or Board Member. Ask around, I'm not too bad to work for and I certainly do not bite.

Respectfully submitted

Pauline Genest Cote  
Publication coordinator

cc:; T Beaudoin, P Cusson, L Miville, Publication committee

PS IF YOU HAVE E-MAIL AND I DON'T HAVE IT, PLEASE ADVISED.



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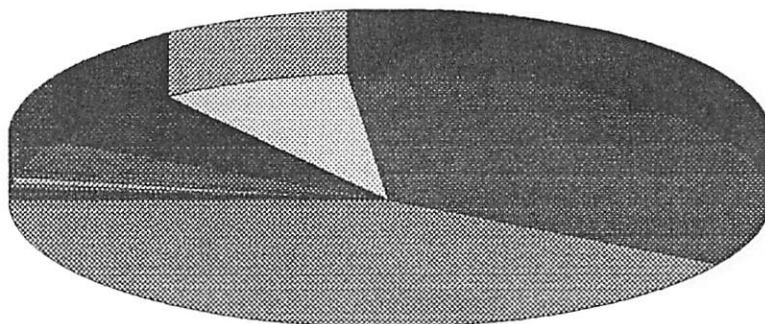
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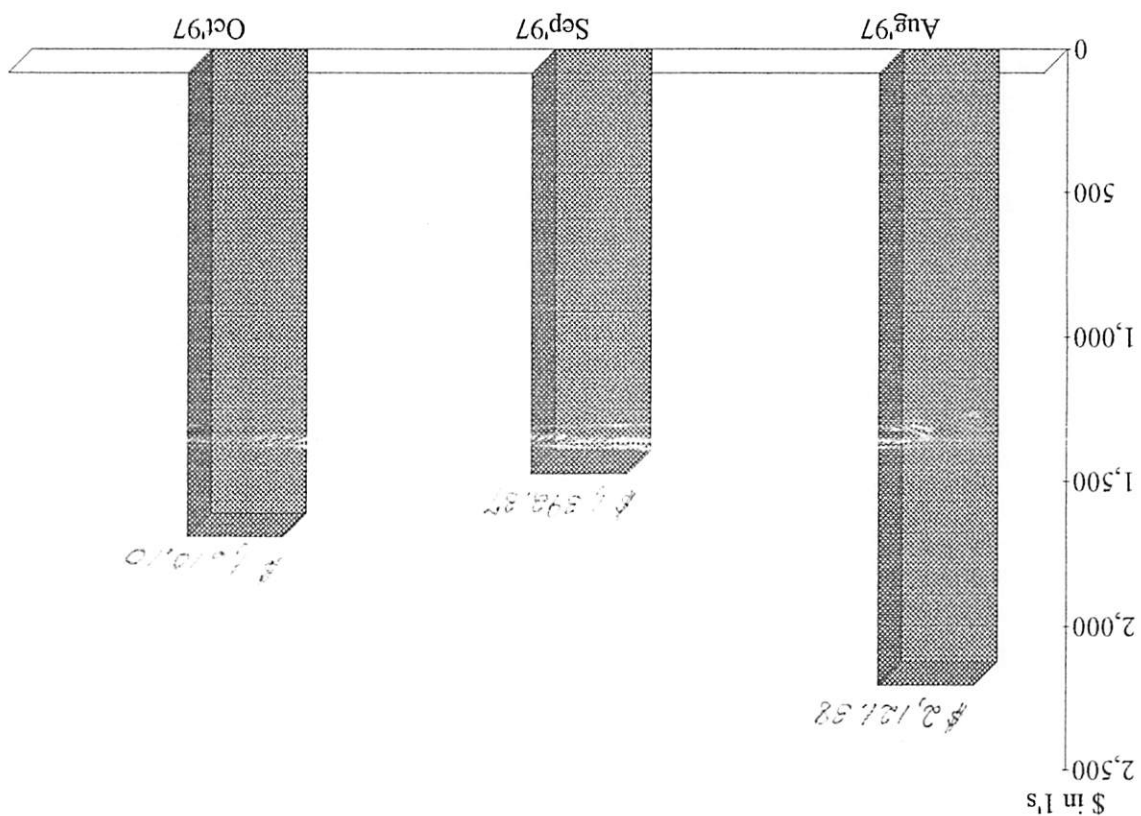
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gender: ever so slightly more males  
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years in home: 19.7  
% Franco: 69.5  
education level: 14.8  
# married: 389  
average # of children: 3.0





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| REPERTOIRES   | %41.67     |
| BOOKS         | 35.23      |
| GENEALOGIST   | 8.25       |
| CHARTS        | 7.41       |
| MAPS          | 4.05       |
| SHIPPING      | 1.00       |
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| FAMILY GENEAL | 0.78       |
| XCB002        | 0.29       |
| ACGS HATS     | 0.19       |
| Other         | 0.24       |
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