



The Library Lookout

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LATEST NEWS

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MYSTERY PLAY

After returning from their luxury cruise on the Flower of the Sea, our friends from Tranquillity Falls were successful in naming the villain responsible for Hal-the-Hoodlum's body being found wrapped around a buoy off Eastport Harbor. Who would have thought Uncle Teddy would have resorted to such violent behavior!

On October 19 at the Methodist Church, a large audience enjoyed the antics of the ten familiar characters in "Tranquillity Falls at Sea", followed by dessert of homemade pie with coffee or punch. Sponsored by the Friends, the event provided an evening of fun and earned \$1021.50 for the Library Renovation Fund.

The generous donation of time and talent by many people made the evening possible. First of all, our enthusiastic actors: Lynda Quinn, Mary Stuart, Carla Burnham, Jan Powers, Veronica Wright, Norman Dickey, Iver Lofving, Rick Bonneau, Jim Wright, and Mickey Powers. Hats off to an outstanding cast!

We also thank the Centenary United Methodist Church for the use of their facilities, the Town Office for printing our programs and scripts, and the Dove Society for helping to sell tickets.

There were many others who deserve a great deal of appreciation. Linda Powell and Dottie Lacasse were in charge of soliciting and serving the wonderful homemade pies. Their kitchen crew included Thelma Butler, Sharon Meade, Neola Davis, Alice Leavitt, Bob and Carol Withee, and Walter Powell.

Dressed as sailors, Katrina Lyons and Toni Gammon

handed out programs, changed the scenery, and collected "who done it" ballots during intermission. Maxine Russakoff was the hostess for the evening, Butch Asselin was the surprise Uncle Teddy, Kay and Alan Laney were in charge of the tickets at the door, Walter Powell controlled the lights, and lots of other willing helpers set up and took down chairs. Finally, we mustn't forget the excellent cooks who contributed the pies. To all, our thanks for a job well done.

GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY LUNCHEON

Marcia Granville, Kathy Hughes, and Corrilla and Jim Hastings served a sandwich lunch at a recent meeting of the Maine Genealogical Society. A profit of \$501.44, which has gone into the Library Renovation Fund, was earned at this event.

HALLOWEEN PARTY

On October 26 from 4 until 5 PM Friends entertained kids of all ages at a Halloween party in the Children's room. Games, refreshments and crafts were provided by Kathy Hughes, Christine Smith and Corrilla Hastings. Over sixty children attended this event, and fun was had by all.

SEARCH COMMITTEE

A search is now underway for a Library Director. Chaired by Carol Jarvais, the search committee consists of Toni Jo Blaisdell, Kathy Hughes, Carol Cooley, Bill Laney and Rick Anzelc.

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