

MOUNTAIN STARS QUILTERS GUILD
MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 12, 1987
WOODVILLE ART GALLERY, ROGUE RIVER

The regular meeting of the Mountain Stars Quilters Guild was called to order at 1:00 p.m. by President Dorothy Herberg. The minutes stood approved as printed in the Newsletter. The Treasurer's balance was \$980.84. Guest introduced were Betty Griffin, Lillian Thomblinson and Betty Cougar.

OLD BUSINESS: Gerry Lewis reminded members of the next Moonlighters' meeting to be held on September 19, 1987, at 9:00 a.m. The location will be the Calvary Church, Assembly of God, 520 N. 5th St., Jacksonville, OR. Volunteers are requested to bring: fabric, batting, sewing machines, basic sewing supplies, and an ironing board. A suggestion was made to make smaller lap size quilts to be given to local nursing homes. Luncheon reservations may be made for Plymale Cottage, 899-8807, or the Jacksonville Inn, 899-1900. There are other restaurants in Jacksonville, also.

Pat Hatfield invited everyone to attend the Hugo Quilt Show on October 3, 1987, the first Saturday in October. A stunning Amish style "sunshine and shadows" quilt will be raffled.

Dorothy Herberg gave a report on the pins featuring the club logo. The one-time fee for the die is \$49.50. The pins are 150 for \$120.00 or 200 for \$143.50. It was moved by Gerry Lewis and seconded by Helen Miller to order 200-1" gold pins with tie tack backs. We will sell the pins to members for \$3.00 and \$5.00 to non-members, plus shipping. It was agreed to abbreviate the name on the pin to Mt. Stars.

NEW BUSINESS: We received a letter announcing plans for the "Rogue Valley Women's History Month" project. It will be held the entire month of March in 1988. That stated purpose is: "To educate individuals on the wealth of women's history through the presentation of an annual women's history month celebration".

The next regular meeting will be December 5, 1987, in Ashland. Naida McDermitt and Judy Kaplan will select a restaurant and an announcement will be in the next "Newsletter". It was decided that we have a \$3.00 gift exchange for members who want to participate. Members may also bring Christmas tree ornaments, which will be given to a charity after the meeting.

ANNOUNCEMENTS: Dora Schedidecker announced a new book, Collecting Thimbles, featuring advertising thimbles. Marian Leman circulated a copy of "Quilting Today", a new magazine available to club members for \$12.30 per year for ten or more subscriptions. She also announced Kathy Koenig is recovering from surgery.

Pat Hatfield requested guild information to be sent to her for the Newsletter. The group thanked Pat for doing a wonderful job as Newsletter Editor.

Dorothy Herberg brought photographs of the jacket she designed and made for the Fairfield Fashion Show in Houston, Texas.

Gerry Lewis thanked members who helped create the quilt used in the play, THE QUILTERS. The immense size of 15 feet by 15 feet made a project of gigantic proportions. Many members donated their time to produce the 18" quilt-as-you-go blocks. Forty-nine blocks were needed for the quilt and sixteen

additional blocks for the story. Gerry estimated the total volunteer time to be 3,000 plus hours. The play will run September 16 through October 11 at the Cabaret Theater in Ashland. Tickets are \$8.50 - \$12.50.

Dora announce a showing of "Heritage Quilts" in the U.S. Hotel Ballroom from January 9-17, 1988, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Marian Leman will arrange a tour group for the May 1989 International Quilt Show in New York. It will include three nights at the New York Hilton, dinner at Tavern of the Green, dinner at Sardi's and a bus trip to Philadelphia, Lancaster County in Pennsylvania, and Williamsburg.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Vicki Newhouse

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