

MEETING OF THE COUNCIL OF THE MIAMI VALLEY FOLK DANCERS ON 9/25/63

The meeting was held at the home of Florence Seger at 9:00 p.m. Those present were Florence Seger, Chairman, RoseMarie Dennehy, Libby Ogdan, Caroline Stovall, Grace Wolff and Mitzi Manny.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer RoseMarie Dennehy reported that there is now \$437.45 in the club treasury, all bills having been paid. ^{the sum of}

Florence Seger announced that there is to be a jamboree at the Blue Moon (near Xenia), which is being sponsored by the Miami Valley Dance Council, on 9 and 10 November. Inasmuch as the MVFD are members of the M.V. Dance Council (by reason of being a city-sponsored group), we are expected to participate. The dancing at this jamboree will be almost entirely square dancing, however, our group has been requested to present two 20-minute ~~dance~~ folk dancing demonstrations during the breaks ~~at~~ at the Saturday night session. The price of admission to this session is \$1.50 per person. After some discussion of the feeling of the group which has already been expressed, Caroline Stovall moved that the club pay the expenses of those members who will participate in the demonstration. Libby Ogdan seconded this motion and it was passed unanimously. Grace Wolff, as well as the Council, felt that the price of admission is quite steep for our members, considering that most of them do not square dance, and she was going to see what could be done toward having this fee reduced.

It was also announced that Vits Belagajus will be visiting Dayton in October. It was decided to invite him to do some teaching on the 3rd or 4th Thursday night in October (depending on his dates for being in Dayton), and that the sum of \$30.00 would be paid him for his services. The motion was made by Caroline Stovall, seconded by Libby Ogdan and passed unanimously.

Grace announced that Jane Farwell will probably be coming to the U.S. in the spring and wanted to know whether she should write to her about conducting a spring workshop. The council decided to take a ~~xxxxxxx~~ poll among the members on Thursday, October 3, to see what the reaction is to having her.

Committee heads were named for handling the details of the coming Jerry Moris Lindsay weekend on 2 and 3 November. Libby Ogdan will head up the dinner on Saturday night, Caroline Stovall will handle the snacks, RoseMarie the registration at the door, and Mitzi Manny the Decorations, which includes ~~invitation~~ invitation covers, syllabus covers, wall and table decorations. Since J. J. Lindsay prefers to be considered an "international" teacher, a general mid-European theme was chosen. The dinner will be built around Hungarian chicken paprikas, and Mrs. Radvanski will be approached about cooking the chicken for the group.