

The Annual Reunion of Descendants of Jacob and Susannah Mauk

August 27, 1938

The thirty-eighth annual Mauk reunion was held at Ebenezer Church, Saturday August 27, 1938.

Weather conditions very favorable with plenty of sunshine and a nice refreshing breeze blowing over the hills.

The church grounds were found in a very presentable condition and the cemetery the most beautiful ever.

The forenoon hours were used in the usual greetings and handclasps of those whom we are glad to see and renew our friendships and relationships.

At noon the good wives and daughters of the Mauk Clan unpacked the usual boxes, baskets and other containers and spread a most bountiful dinner, and from all appearance those present did ample justice to the refreshments.

At about two p.m. those present gathered in the church for the usual business and entertainment program. Major J. C. Mauk, President of the reunion was unable to be present and Harry P. Mauk; Vice President took charge and opened the program with those present singing "We're marching to Zion".

Prayer – Rev. Roland, Pastor of Church.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Report of Treasury read and approved.

Song by Marilyn Lingenfelter

Story by Vice President H.P. Mauk

Report of Mrs. Clarence Caylor of cemetery committee. Reported William Shick donated a new lawn mower for use in cemetery. Reported mowing nine times during summer at a cost of \$20.00 and requested one ton of lime and some grass seed – sent 25 post cards requesting donations. Received \$6.00 making a total of \$12.00 received toward up keep of cemetery. Mrs. Caylor stated it would require at least \$30.00 to cover past expenses and future use for coming year.

Taking of collection.

Report of Mauk Reunion People who died during past year: Lincoln Mauk, Mrs. B.F. Mauk, Oklahoma, Molly Ramer Hoffman, Alva Marsh Evans, Mrs. Dalla Mauk, Mrs. Homer Wick, Aaron Hopkins.

Song by Isaac A. Carrier.

Introductions of those present who has not been present for some time.

Mr. H. Mauk , Vice President was the first person to arrive by air at the Mauk reunion, flying from Aliquippa piloted by Harry. Some dispute as to whether Lott Reed or William Eshalman were first to drive an auto to reunion.

Song by Deutsch by A. Miller, Chorus in English by Audience.

Election of officers.

Motion by Mrs. Clarence Caylor to have present officers J.C.Mauk- President, H.S. Mauk- Vice President, E.J. Shick – Sec. Treas. continue for year 1938-1939, motion carried.

Raising vote of thanks to Mrs. Clarence Caylor for good work in cemetery. Vice President appointed Mrs. Clarence Caylor to act as chairman of cemetery committee for another year.

Song “ I am Coming Home” by audience.

Song “God be with you”

Benediction – Rev. Roland

Financial statement

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| Brought forward for 1937 | \$ 14.47 |
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| Donation for cemetery to Mrs. Caylor | 12.00 |
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| Collection | 31.01 |
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\$ 57.48

Expenses

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| Mowing of cemetery – Lime,spreading lime | \$ 30.00- |
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| Advertising | 3.00- |
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| Donation to church | 3.00- |
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\$ 36.00-

Bal. In treasury

\$ 21.48

Bal on hand from 1936 church acct.

\$ 4.35

E.J. Shick, Sec. Treas,

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