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Fall Meeting, November 21

The Board of Governors has selected November 21 as the date of the next meeting. This is the annual meeting in Philadelphia and the usual rooms at the Historical Society are to be engaged for the evening.

The program? Details are in the hands of the president, Dr. James M. Anders, and he promises two interesting events, one a short one, and the other a little longer. Then there will be time to get acquainted with fellow-members. Plan now to come. Cards announcing the speakers will be issued a week or so before the meeting. Invite prospects to come with you.

Two New Members

Edgar H. Kurtz, of Pottstown, read of the meeting of the Society last spring, attended, became interested in his ancestors, bought one of the Genealogies, found he is descended from David Heebner (as is the Editor, and many another) joined the society and paid his dues. Another new member is Rev. H. R. Ziegler, of Elkton, Md. But an engineer in Fargo, N. D., was not so fortunate. He wants to join and sent his check and application; but so far the records do not show that he is part of our sacred circle! His name is the same as many of our Society, but unless he can hang his "line" on one of the original immigrants, the check will have to go back.

Life Membership, \$50

There is now \$650 in the permanent funds of the Society, from thirteen life

members. No more dues for them, whether business is good or poor!

A Tablet a Year?

Someone who has \$100 or more for the inspiration of our descendants and others might ponder this idea. Let us put up brass or stone markers to indicate the site of important events or buildings connected with the early life of our ancestors. Why not one every year? New England is full of historical markers. The country around Philadelphia is worthy of similar markers. Who will give the first one?

All Aboard for Silesia!

1934 will be here soon and with that year comes the 200th anniversary of the coming of St. Andrew and the families which braved the unknown country of Pennsylvania. Plans are under way for a pilgrimage, a return trip to Silesia. Dr. Johnson's son was in Europe last summer spying out the land and more than one member of the Society is saving pennies toward this most important pilgrimage.

Details will be announced later, but plan this trip to the old home town!

Any Dues Due?

The dues of this Society are only \$3 a year. Perhaps if they were \$10 we would pay them more promptly! It is well worth while to keep alive the spirit which gave our ancestors the urge they had to pioneer for things of the spirit. If by chance you have not made the treasurer smile by paying your dues, do it now!

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