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From The President's Chair

The last months have been busy in preparation for the retirement of our Executive Secretary Bob Brisson. Bob continues in our membership but he needs a break. We have been fortunate to have him step in and take over when Frank Fixmer died in 2000 and he has filled that position well. How fortunate is shown in

the fact we split his job three ways: A membership Secretary filled by Dean Einspahr, A Recording Secretary filled by Larry Gueller, and the corresponding secretary efforts to be split between the Chair and the Recording Secretary. We thank Bob for his great support of FHAW. Also thanks to Karen Brisson for sharing the time of her husband with us.

Activity has continued these past months on the critical review of the Wisconsin Historical Society Museum history series text *Learning from the Land* and the teachers guide. We have received correspondence indicating an acceptance of our comments but concern for making the corrections in the current printing. We are in the process of discussing better options. To me it has been an experience that underscores the need for an organization such as ours.

While we get enjoyment out of digging out the history of Wisconsin forests and the activities related to them, it is also important that the facts are true and understood in context of the time. In the case of *Learning from the Land* the text has an honest intent to help students learn respect for the land and its various uses, but, for the chapter on *Timber* the publication could have had better review up front. It is the kind of endeavor FHAW should be involved with at the earlier stages.

I can't let this opportunity go by without a pitch for your involvement with FHAW activities. There's always a need for articles to publish in *Chips and Sawdust* or the Proceedings, the FHAW display can always use some attention and some manning, and now we have a web site that will always need suggestions for material. If you have an interest in those areas please let us know. The us is the officers, the directors, committee members and any member you find with similar interests.

**DON'T MISS THE ANNUAL MEETING IN ASHLAND
SEPTEMBER 24 & 25**

Miles Benson, President

The Menominee Bay Shore Lumber Co.

"The Big Red Mill"

By Dick Quinlan, with a lot of help from many others.

In 1881, the Menominee Bay Shore Lumber Company was organized and incorporated in Menominee, Michigan, with a capital of \$60,000. In 1888, the company reorganized with Alex Soper, president; his brother James, vice-president; M.J. Quinlan, secretary; and H.E. McGraw, treasurer. Other members were John Rogers and Thomas R. Lovell.

The lumber industry was at its height in Menominee in the early 1890's, but the supply of logs could not last forever. Early in the twentieth century, many lumber companies broke up or left Menominee because of the failing supply of logs. Among those that moved was the Menominee Bay Shore Lumber Co.

In 1904, the company bought vast timberlands from the Chicago & North Western Railroad, in Forest and Marinette counties. Just south of the settlement of Wabeno, it purchased the first farm of Mr. Nierman, where its mills and other buildings were constructed. The new village was laid out in September 1904, by N.H. Smith and his son, Owen, a civil engineer. After the Smiths had the plat laid out, they had lunch with Mr. Soper and his wife in a little log cabin there, and the senior Mr. Smith said he had considered calling it "Soperton." Mr. Soper was pleased, so that name was given the settlement, with the post office being approved by the railroad company.

Soperton was established as a company town. Built in the heart of rich stands of virgin timber, the community - like the lumber company - was geared to last just ten years. Take the timber off the lands and scoot - that was the philosophy of those years; and it was the intention of the company to do just that. The company erred in its projected lifetime. It raced with profit through its expected lifetime of ten years - and then remained almost another thirty years.

Early on the Soper brothers gave evidence of their good citizenship and interest in the community that bore their name by giving the youth the use of a piece of land on the northeast corner of Rogers and Third Street, in the village, for the baseball park. James Soper established a scholarship at the University of Wisconsin for the assistance of graduates of Wabeno High School, which permitted a number of local young people to continue their education after finishing high school at home.

The Prescott Iron Works Co. of Menominee secured the contract to

build the new two-band sawmill. Part of the mill in Menominee was moved to the Soperton site, but the larger part of the mill was new, with the building beginning in October, 1904. The architect and builder was Gus Floctor, of Menominee. The machinery that was placed in the mill was shipped from Menominee. Barney Haasch came as the millwright. The first log was sawed on the 29th of May, 1905, marking the birth of Soperton.

Actual mill operations began June 7, 1905. Thomas Lowell was the first foreman and D.K. Nurson, the first yard foreman. Durley Perkins built the dam to form the log pocket. Alec Pedore, of Menominee, built the store, the boarding house, twenty homes, and part of the planing mill. After two years, Thomas Saler built a forty-foot extension onto the planing mill and the remaining number of homes. During the first year of operation, twelve miles of railroad were built, which extended as far as Otter Lake. It was titled, "The Wabeno, Otter Lake and Eastern." It chugged into the forest lands to haul the timber back to the mills. A dinky engine was used for hauling logs the first three years, and later was used to lay steel in the woods. Camps One and Two were built at the same time by Malcolm McEchen, who also managed them. Later, another Camp Two was built and operated by Walter Merrill.

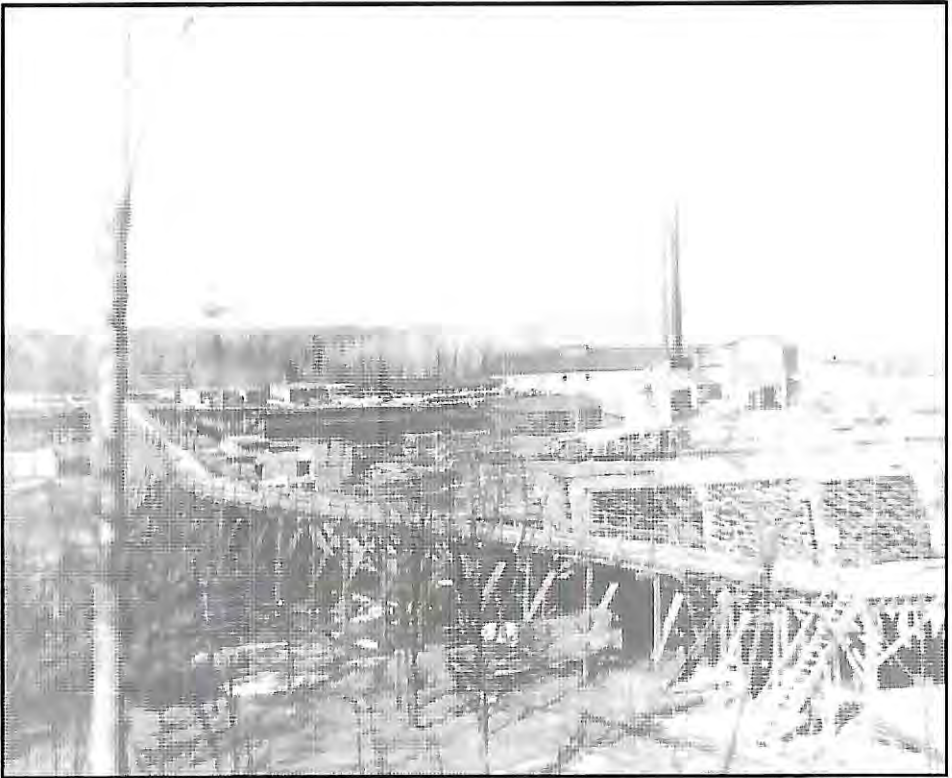


Front view of the Menominee Bay Shore Lumber Company.

The company operated one of the largest sawmills in the world, cutting up to 100,000 board feet of lumber a day. There were at least 200 employees at the plant and about another 200 in the woods, where there

were wonderful stands of hemlock, hard maple, birch, elm, ash, cherry, and butternut trees. The Menominee Bay Shore Lumber Co. owned up to 40,000 acres of these valuable timberlands and had a market for them all over the world.

A unique feature of the Bay Shore mill in Soperton was its system of "trams;" about a quarter-mile of elevated wooden runways throughout the lumber yard, which enabled the men to pile the lumber nearly twice as high as otherwise possible. Bob Geiter recalls buckets of water along the trams for use in case of fire, and recalls that in winter, chloride was added to keep the water from freezing.



This view shows the extensive tram system used for the piling & drying of green lumber.

Ray Schrader recalls that when his father, Fred Schrader, was head of the shingle mill, the Bay Shore would sub-contract the work. Fred would hire his own crew and perform the work, then the Bay Shore would pay Fred, and Fred would pay his men. As they were needed, Fred and his crew went from mill to mill and made shingles, including the Jones Lumber Co. and Connor Lumber Co., in Laona, etc.

It was the policy of the Bay Shore to strive for maximum efficiency and to cut waste to a minimum. In the 1920's, W.J. McHale, the mill foreman at the time, designed a machine that made it feasible to

efficiently utilize slabs and edgings in the manufacture of broom handles. The machine won first prize in the National Waste Elimination Contest, and was considered, by the judges, to be a noteworthy contribution in the effort to more closely utilize the product of the tree.



The log pile as can be seen piled next to the hot pond. Bay Shore utilized all of its timber.

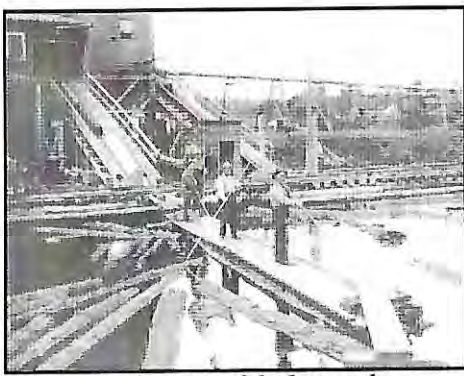
In another effort to utilize waste material, the Bay Shore, in 1935, began shipping wood ashes by carloads to outside markets. The ashes, put on runout land with a manure spreader, made an excellent fertilizer that farmers found a wise investment. John Volk, Sr., who operated the Bay Shore farm near old Camp 4, put the

ashes on a piece of runout land, and got an average yield of 2½ tons of hay to the acre. Before the application of the fertilizer, it was said the yield wasn't worth cutting.

Another example of how the Bay Shore attempted to cut costs is recalled by Mike Quinlan, who, as a teenager, worked in the mill summers, in the 1930's: "Repairing the (tramway) was no easy task. We had to work on both knees, hammering the replacement boards, dried hardwood and usually somewhat twisted, using salvaged nails that were rusty and needed straightening: After the second nail whistled by my face, I learned to hold the nail until it was about half-way into the hardwood."

While the mill did burn regular sawdust as waste, it made use of the shavings from the shingle mill. Called "shingle-toe," these curly trimmings were baled and marketed as packaging material, much as styrofoam is used today. It was also used as bedding for animals.

The economic depression of the 19030's affected the Menominee Bay Shore Lumber Co., as it did other industries. After being shut down for several years, the mill reopened in spring of 1933, planning to operate for about three months. This period stretched out to cover six months. The operation during those months gave the company a substantial stock of lumber in the yard. Then the lumber market fell off to such an extent that



Another view of the hot pond.

is was impossible to continue operations without a loss, so on December 20, 1933, the mill shut down again.

When production resumed in the later 1930's, the lumber company introduced and began manufacturing "Bay Shore Cottages," pre-fabricated models that were offered in eight-foot sections. Designed by J.V.

Quinlan, the sections could be shipped and assembled on sites to provide cottages of various sizes, from 16 by 32 feet (with an 8 by 32 foot screened porch and a 4 by 4 foot toilet) to 8 by 8 feet (with an 8 by 8 screened porch). The price of the largest model, erected on the owner's site within fifteen miles of the mill by highway, was \$675 complete! A number of these structures are still being used in the area at the time of the Wabeno Centennial, with at least five on Trump Lake. Ray and Margaret Eaton have even converted their Bay Shore Cottage on that lake into a year-round home.

Some of the people who worked at the Bay Shore mill at one time or another were: John Archambault, time keeper; "Big Bob" and "Big Jerry" blacksmiths; Harold Brandt, Ethel Johnson, Bill McAllen, Harry McGraw, Jr; and Norman Menarik worked in the office; Ernest and Gorman Brooks and Frank Neisius, shingle weavers; Ozzie Brooks and Matt Doyle, carriage riders; Joseph Burkhart, master mechanic, planing mill engineer, and head of the mill's blacksmith shop; Lee Carney, Ray Darrow, Pat Denee, Joe Enders, Emil Hassman, Tom LaRock, Antone Laury, Ralph "T-Bone" McEwen, Albert Miljour, Mike Miller, Pat Moore, Dan and Mike Quinlan, Joe and Rudy Niesius and Don Rudolph, wood yard workers; Jimmy Clavette, Earl Heller, Aaron Hosapel, Wally Johnson, and John Quinlan, Jr., lumber graders; Charles Darrow, Jerry Trudeau and Herman Vachon, head sawyers; Frank Derrah, sawyer; Bessie Doyle, Dorothy Moore and Frieda Thaves, waited on tables in the boarding house in summer; "Mickey" Doyle, yard crew foreman; Tony Fritsch, Curley Harms, George Hinderer, Len Monette, Bill Moss, and Don, Fran, and Godfrey Thurber, sawmill workers; Al Glasl and Harry "Swede" Johnson, ran the grain-door machine; Rudolph Glasl, Jr., mill superintendent; Fred Harms, slab sawyer; Albert Hassman and Frank Kegabauer worked in the fire hole; Aaron Hopper, loaded grain doors; Emil Johnson, and later, John MacDonald, planing mill foreman; Charlie Kadow, oiler; Louie Kaker, grain-door brander; Martin Kaker, grain-door crew foreman and train crew; Al Krause, millwright and oiler; George

Krause and Leon and Ray McEwen, train crew; Gilbert "Gib" LaFleur, drove horse on tram; Mac LaFleur, Clinton Alexander, George Michaels, Mr. Kexel, Sig Beck, Paul Lorenz, "Bones" Haasch, Ernest Carney, Mr. Colton, Clem LaFave, Vernon Howard, Antus Grant, Ellery Michaels, Joe Kazdo, Pete Lang, Happy McGuire, Ed Nellis, and Vern Ward, planing mill; George LaFleur, pond boss; Frank Lindberg and James Nolan, filers; Bill and Charlie McAllen, pond; H.E. McGraw, Sr., treasurer; W.J. McHale and George Walters, mill foreman; Fredrick "Doc" Milke, transfer chain worker; Nick Nellis, gang sawyer; Herman Nierman, carpenter; Charlie Peterson and Louie Thurber, team drivers; M.J. and later, J.V. Quinlan, general manager; Tom Quinlan and Mike Seeman, barn boss; John Rogers, woods boss; Nora Seeman ran the boarding house; Fred Schrader, head shingle sawyer; John Staege, lath sawyer; Fred Stemler, electric and steam engineer; Leonard Trudeau, tail sawyer; Ozzie Vachon and Tom Yonkers, edgermen; and William Vallier, woodyard foreman. There were many, many others who worked for the Menominee Bay Shore Lumber Co. and deserve to be mentioned, but their names are not known to this writer.

Al Krause recalls the beginning of the end of the Menominee Bay Shore era: "the timber in Soperton gave out in the early 1930's. From then on the timber was logged in and around Long Lake."

Most of the lands of the Menominee Bay Shore Company were sold at deflated prices to the federal government when it was establishing the Nicolet National Forest, while the plant and immediate grounds were sold to Joseph Burkhart, Rudolph Glasl, and J.V. Quinlan. In May 1940, these three experienced lumbermen announced the formation of the Soperton Lumber Company. This involved rearranging and making the original plant more compact for cutting an average of 5 or 6 million board feet a year. The new company would employ about 75 men. Among the contributing factors in making possible the Soperton Lumber Company were the cooperation and concessions by the Menominee Bay Shore Lumber Co. In the fall of 1939, when the Bay Shore decided to liquidate, the Sopers started to junk the plant, but when negotiations started for forming a new company, they held up the sale and cooperated in getting the new Soperton company started. The Bay Shore also sold 6 million feet of #3 soft elm to the three partners.

The Soperton Lumber Company ceased operations during World War II. Joe Burkhart retired, while Glasl and Quinlan worked in the lumber division of the War Production Board. After the war, Harold Brandt joined Quinlan and Glasl in forming a third sawmill, the Soperton Manufacturing Company, on the site of the old Bay Shore mill. That mill folded in the late 1940's. At the time of Wabeno's Centennial, the land upon which these three lumber companies had operated had been mostly developed into an attractive residential area.



FOREST HISTORY ASSOCIATION OF WISCONSIN

2004 ANNUAL MEETING

**NORTHERN GREAT LAKES VISITOR CENTER
ASHLAND, WI**

29TH ANNUAL MEETING

SEPTEMBER 24-25, 2004

The FHAW conference was developed within an educational partnership consisting of:

- Mason Area Historical Society • Ashland Historical Society • Northern WI Heritage Connection • Bad River Band of LS Chippewa • Red Cliff Band of LS Chippewa • Ashland County Forest • Bayfield County Forest • Iron County Forest • Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources • US Forest Service • WI Society of American Foresters • Michigan/Wisconsin Timber Producers • WI Professional Loggers Association • University of Wisconsin-Extension • Forest History Association of WI**

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday, September 24th Tour

- 8:00 Registration
- 8:45 Welcome/Board Bus
Parking lot at the Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center
- 9:00 Leave
- 9:15 Tour "Timeless Timber" Mill tour - east side of Ashland
- 10:15 Board bus, travel to Ashland Waterfront Trail
- 10:30 Ashland Waterfront Trail Tour
- 11:30 Board bus, travel to Lunch and Wood Carver Tour Stop
- 12:00 Lunch at the New China Restaurant
- 1:00 The Wood Carver Tour Stop
- 1:45 Washburn "Slabtown" & Historic Buildings
- 2:30 Board bus, tour Bayfield Historic Homes, enroute to Red Cliff
- 3:15 Tour at Red Cliff Tribal Fish Hatchery
- 4:45 Board bus to return to NGLVC
- 5:00 Arrive at NGLVC, tour ends

Saturday, September 25th

Conference

- 8:00 Registration, coffee, juice & rolls
- 9:00 Welcome, Local Official and FHAW President,
Mayor Fred Schnook
- 9:15 Mills of Chequamegon Bay - Jan Cameron
- 10:15 Break
- 10:30 Iron Mining & Forests in the Penokee/Gogebic Range -
Tom Salzman
- 11:30 Logging exhibit at NGLVC - Linda Mittlestadt
- 12:30 Lunch
- 1:15 FHAW Distinguished Service Awards
- 1:30 Exploitation of the Old Growth Forest within the Ceded
Territories - Joe Rose
- 2:30 Break/Refreshments
- 2:45 Logging in the Apostle Islands - Bob Makreth
- 3:45 FHAW Business Meeting
- 4:30 Fund Raiser - Auction of Historical Artifacts
- 6:00 Catered Dinner
- 7:00 Entertainment/Program

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Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center

The Northern Great Lakes Visitor Center is a 4-season facility capturing the unique qualities of the Great Lakes region. The interactive exhibits and special programs tell the stories of the regional natural and cultural history. A panoramic view of Lake Superior and the Apostle Islands region from our 5-story observation tower and a ¾ mile-boardwalk trail are not to be missed! An archives research facility in the Center serves a 9-county region in northern Wisconsin. This Center is open daily and located 2.5 miles west of Ashland.

ANNUAL MEETING REGISTRATION

Name(s): _____

Phone: _____

Friday Tour: # _____ @ \$24.00 = _____
bus, coffee, rolls & lunch

Saturday Registration: # _____ @ \$24.00 = \$ _____
luncheon, dinner & entertainment
There will be wine available (cash bar)

TOTAL \$ _____

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and send to:

NGLVC Attn: Nori
29270 County Hwy G.
Ashland, WI 54806

Questions: 715-685-2646

Forest History Association of Wisconsin
Minutes of Board of Directors
May 14, 2004

Call to Order

President Miles Benson convened the meeting at 10:00 A.M. in the Shawano County Courthouse, Shawano. Directors present included Albrecht, Baumann, Benson, Brisson, Einspahr, Grosman, Harm, Lambrecht, Rohe and Walkner. Other present included Larry Gueller, Bill Klase and Ray Noffke.

Minutes of October 10, 2003

President Benson asked for corrections or additions to the minutes published. None forthcoming, the minutes were allowed to stand as printed on motion by Einspahr, supported by Walkner, all in favor.

Secretary Report

Secretary Brisson reported there are 191 current members:

4 Corporate memberships	3 Family memberships
155 Individual members	20 Life members
6 Non-profit organization memberships	
3 Student members	

Brisson distributed a listing of Board and Committee members and a "Publications" list. He reported renewal notices will be sent to members in June. A motion by Lambrecht, supported by Einspahr to offer renewals at \$15.00 for one year or \$25.00 for two years was carried, all voting aye. A motion by Walkner, supported by Einspahr, to accept the Secretary's report was carried, all voting aye.

Treasurer Report

Treasurer Albrecht presented a report for the period July 1, 2003 to May 13, 2004. He explained details of the report showing operating receipts of \$7,213, operating expenses of \$3,552 and cash assets of \$55,009 at the end of the period. Albrecht reported "Ghosts of the Forests" sales are \$29,492 to date with expenses of \$2,957, for a net return of \$26,535. Rohe said 250 books remained in inventory at our purchase price of \$25.00 or a value of \$6,250. A motion by Einspahr, supported by Harm, to accept the treasurer's report was approved, all in favor. Albrecht stated a CD had matured and was deposited in checking; he requested direction for investments. A motion by Albrecht, supported by Baumann to authorized the executive committee to choose an investment strategy was approved, all voting aye.

Standing Committee Reports

Archives

Benson announced the Banzhaf Consulting Co. files have been turned over to FHAW for the archives. He introduced Larry Gueller who will chair the archives committee.

Distinguished Service Awards

Rohe recommended that a future Connor Award be considered to the Mason Historical Society for their depot restoration and the Fixmer Award to Mike Monte, Crandon, for his articles and book on logging railroads. Don Lambrecht suggested the Crivitz/Stephenson Historical Society be considered for their work on logging history in Marinette County.

Auction

Karl Baumann reported a need for artifacts, art works, books, tools or documents for the 2004 auction. Brisson stated he would pick-up, collect and store items until the annual meeting in Ashland.

Exhibits

Benson reported an exhibit would be at the Camp Five Forestry Field Day at Laona July 10, 2004. Albrecht said he would like to get the exhibit to the WDNR 100 Year Forestry event at Crystal Lake on June 6, 2004. The exhibit should be at the Lake States Logging Congress in Green Bay, September 9-11.

Forest Hall of Fame

Don Lambrecht recommended that Mac McLaren, the first industrial forester in Wisconsin, be nominated and if elected would be inducted at the FHAW annual meeting in Ashland, September 25, 2004. Moved by Albrecht, supported by Einspahr, to nominate McLaren and sponsor the induction. Motion carried, all in favor.

Publications

Benson reported the agreement with UW-EC resulted in Stephen Sydow being selected to edit the FHAW Proceedings/Journal. He distributed draft copies of this issue. Moved by Einspahr, supported by Rohe to continue the agreement with UWEC to edit the Proceedings/Journal. Motion carried, all in favor.

Ghosts of the Forest

Rohe reported he offered the book on Ebay with a starting bid of \$37.00 and "buy it now price of \$42.50, with an Ebay fee of \$3.00. A motion by Albrecht to authorize Rohe to offer the book at no less than \$25.00 was supported by Einspahr. Motion carried, all in favor

Scholarship

After discussion of the past program, Walkner moved, Einspahr supported, to offer a \$500.00 scholarship if a chair is found to operate the program. Move carried, Albrecht opposed.

Annual Meeting 2003

Bill Klase distributed a packet with a letter from John Grosman on the FHAW Strategic Renewal Project and requested input from the directors for the process. Klase played a seven minute tape from John Grosman on the meeting planned for September 24 and 25 in Ashland at the Great Lakes Visitor Center. He stated the program was set except for entertainment. Grosman offered some general guidelines for preparing an annual meeting. These included:

- A need to begin preparations more than a year ahead.
- Utilizing UW-Extension
- Using leaders from local historical organizations
- Establish a team with clear roles and responsibilities

Division of Executive Secretary Responsibilities

Benson requested a volunteer to become a Recording and Corresponding Secretary who would take minutes at director and member meeting, then prepare and distribute the recorded minutes. This person would also respond to requests for information. Larry Gueller volunteered to be Recording and Corresponding Secretary and Dean Einspahr volunteered to be a backup for the position.

Dean Einspahr volunteered to serve as Membership Director who would:

- Maintain a list of members by category
- Send packets of information to new members
- Solicit for renewals annually
- Keep the mailing list of members current
- Prepare the member application form

Benson volunteered to maintain the publications inventory, storage and distribution.

Official Address

Benson suggested FHAW obtain a Post Office box at Wisconsin Rapids or Stevens Point to overlap the phase-out of the Marinette address.

Membership Cards

Benson reported printed cards would cost \$160.00 for \$3,000. Walkner suggested wooden cards.

Nominations

Benson requested suggestions to get younger members to serve as directors. Gueller suggested soliciting the membership.

Wisconsin Historical Society Exhibit and Book

Benson distributed a letter from Bobby Malone, Director, Office of School Services, WHS detailing ways to use FHAW input.

Web Page

Benson requested that input for improving and expanding the web page go to Sara Connor.

Annual Meeting 2005

Dean Einspahr reported on the tour and meeting to focus on the Wade House State Historical Site in Greenbush and Kettle Moraine State Forest. He stated Sequins Resort on Elkhart Lake was a possible meeting place.

Annual Meeting 2006

Miles Benson reported this meeting may be held at Camp Five in Laona but plans are indefinite.

"Logging Camp Artifacts" Exhibit

Rohe reported the US Forest Service requested the return of the Sherry and Jerry Camp artifacts. A motion by Lambrecht, supported by Einspahr, to return the exhibit to the USFS was carried, all voting aye. Brisson volunteered to return the exhibit to Forest Headquarters, Rhinelander.

Summer Board of Directors Meeting

The board will meet in August, Benson will try and arrange to have it at Camp Five Museum in Laona.



FHAW Strategic Renewal Underway - Input Invited

An effort is underway to take a fresh look at the strategic direction and work processes of the organization. During 2003, President Miles Benson appointed a special committee to look at potential needed improvements in the way FHAW functions in today's world. This committee met during last year's Annual Meeting at Two Rivers.

The report of this meeting effort, and a new survey questionnaire are now being prepared to survey the entire board, as preparation for a meeting of the complete board on this issue later in 2004. At the meeting of the full board, we expect to: 1) review our Mission Statement and Organizational Goals, 2) look at how we are currently organized and funded to accomplish these goals, 3) Develop a list of recommendations for organizational improvement, which we will, 4) Publish as a complete report in 2005, to the entire membership, once again inviting comment for final revision, before final adoption.

For now, everyone is invited to take a fresh look at how we operate. How can we to better advance understanding the importance of our forest history? How can we better engage the educational community as partners in our educational efforts? How can we increase involvement of members in the work that needs to be done? How will we fund the things we propose to do? The questions can go on and on.

The current statement of purpose and goals are offered in the tri-fold promotional brochure FHAW publishes with the membership application. Everyone is invited to look at this information, and offer input advice on the renewal process, at any time. To contact us for comment, see the list of Board members on the inside cover of the newsletter or on the web-page. Consider contacting any of us by phone or US Postal mail with your ideas, or email Subcommittee Chair, John Grosman at johngrosman@newnorth.net.



Ghost of the Forest: Vanished Lumber Towns of Wisconsin

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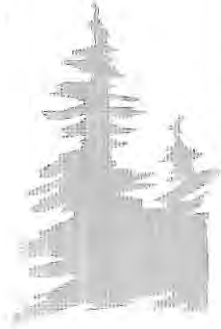
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- \$ _____ Student Awards
- \$ _____ Capital Fund
- \$ _____ Operations



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