DANCING RABBIT GENEALOGICAL & HISTORICAL SOCIETY

MAY 2018

President's Message

Greetings

Can you believe this beautiful spring weather? Weather to get those outside jobs done and we have been doing just that on some of them at the Eads-Mansell-Sudduth House. Week before last the sill on the north side of the house was replaced. Today, May 1st, the workmen converged on the house to work on the sill at the rear steps, which is still in progress. Brick masons came to repair the two fireplaces and that work is now complete. The fireplaces are beautiful and have exceeded my expectations as they were in such bad condition. In time we will make the house the beauty that we know she can be. Come by and see the progress that has been made.

Saturday, April 28, we finished our yard sale. The weather was in total contrast to how it was for Pickin' 35, when the yard sale began. Even though business was slow, it was well worth the effort. What a day to be outside! We enjoyed a beautiful time of food, fun and fellowship. Those manning the sale were; Sonny, Sally, Bob, Ruth, Kathy, Susan, Henry, Robert and Shirley. Thanks to everyone that contributed in any way.

Robert

See you at the MAY Meeting Wednesday, May 9, 2018 1:00 PM

Carthage-Leake County Library
114 E. Franklin Street, Carthage, MS

Program for May Meeting

Our president, Robert Evans, will present a program titled "The Significance of the Signing of the Treaty of Dancing Rabbit Creek".

See you there and bring a guest.

Mark Your Calendar

May Meeting	Wed.	May	9
Mother's Day	Sun.	May	13
Memorial Day	Mon.	May	28
June Meeting	Wed.	June	13
Flag Day	Thurs	June	14

Our June meeting is the last meeting before the summer break. No monthly meetings during July or August.

Remember to check our website

www.drghs.org



Carpentry work on rear entrance of Sudduth House has been completed.

Report on Program of April Meeting

At the meeting of DRGHS on April 11, Dianne Johnston presented her recommendations concerning the reconfiguration of the kitchen at Sudduth House. She had a detailed explanation of the placement of sinks, storage, shelving and appliances that will provide caterers the essentials for serving food at social and business gatherings at the house. They included the removal of a large cabinet in the kitchen and replacing it with stainless steel shelving. She recommended that a small stove be included in our plans as well as stainless steel carts for more workspace as well as for moving prepared dishes to the serving areas.

Dianne also provided examples of contracts that are appropriate for the public use of the Sudduth House. We want to make this home a place where the community can enjoy good experiences with safety and convenience.

Dianne and her partners have had years of experience in the catering business. We feel so fortunate and appreciate that she has taken the time to advise us and has made her expertise available to us as we move forward toward our goal of creating a community home.

Report prepared by Susan Stygler

Pedigree Book Available Again

After several requests, we have ordered reprints of the Leake County Pedigree book original published in 2004. This 457 page book of pedigrees had been sold out and unavailable for several years. Please see our Publication section below for information.

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