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An Invitation

YOU ARE INVITED TO A "TEA PARTY" AT THE VAN VELZER HOUSE
[FHS Headquarters, 260 Rocky Crest Road at Hill]

SUNDAY, JUNE 8

2 - 5 p.m.

[Please bring some of your favorite cookies, a cake,
or other "goodies" to share with your FHS friends.]

WELCOME your 1986-87 Officers, Directors, and Committee Chairmen:

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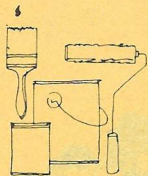
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[Remember, it takes many volunteers to make an organization strong.
If you have a "talent", idea, or just willing to "work", contact us!]

QUILT SQUARES - Marjorie's newest project. Individuals and organizations may embroider a square for a donation of \$10 to FHS. The quilt will be displayed at our new museum. Contact Marjorie Yackey for details. [I've seen the first two squares and they are great!]

CONGRESS OF HISTORY - will picnic at the Van Velzer House on June 14.
FHS will act as host society.

WORK



PARTIES

IT'S "SPRING CLEANING TIME" at FHS Headquarters!

We need to do some house cleaning inside and outside the Van Velzer House. And the "yard boys" need help in getting rid of weeds and debris on the grounds. So, put on your "grubbies" and show up on THURSDAY, JUNE 5, at 9 a.m. Bring your own tools, if possible. [We'll work fast and be home in time to watch your favorite noontime "soap".]

RECENT ACQUISITIONS

Report by Liz Yamaguchi, Archivist

[donated since '86 Annual Mtg.]

FROM AUGUSTA BRUMBAUGH: A 5'x10' American flag with 45 stars used at army post on the Colorado River in the early 1900's; a navigation drift sight; a volt meter; a miniature bow and arrow made by Mohave Indian artisans; 8 newspapers dated from Dec. 12, 1941 through Oct. 16, 1945 chronicling major events. [Pankey, 5/86]

FROM MARJORIE YACKEY: Early 1900's shirtwaists and a lace apron used by Anna Levering; hemstitched dresser scarf which belonged to Elizabeth Levering [about 1910-1920]; 1911 baby shoes, booties, celluloid backbrush and ivory teething ring used by Frank Levering. [5/86] These items will be displayed in the Van Velzer House to help create a more "lived in" atmosphere.

FROM RUSS ELAM: Seven aerial photos of Fallbrook in the 1950's and '60s; 1974 land use maps of the Fallbrook planning area and of San Diego County. These will be used for research and in displays of local development and history. [5/86]

FROM GEORGE YACKEY: 1918 U.S. government report on the floods of January 1916 in Southern California. [Yackey, 4/86]

THANKS TO THESE DONORS FOR REMEMBERING THE FALLBROOK HISTORICAL SOCIETY

President's Memo

The Annual Meeting was very well attended. We were happy to see you and thank all of you for coming. Plans are being made for next year.

The quilt is off to a good start and several lovely squares [plus the donations] have been received. Please call me at 728-7518 if you or your organization wish to participate.

There are some very interesting displays arranged at the Historical House [Van Velzer House] and we hope you come to see them on June 8th. Help us by donating an item of our past. You will be pleased to see it added to our items displayed now and then.

I thank the Board of Directors for electing me to serve as president for the coming year. I feel that we have some great people to work with and interest in the Society is growing and, as long as we can do something to keep that interest, we will continue to grow.

Thank you,

Marjorie