

Galway Preservation Society Monthly Minutes

March 4, 2019

18 members and 2 guests present

The meeting was called to order by Carol, who welcomed everyone and led in the Pledge of Allegiance. She thanked the refreshment providers: Sue Surdyka, Linda Bobar, and Virginia Sawicki.

The Secretary's Minutes for the February meeting were read and with no additions or corrections were accepted as read.

The Treasurer's Report for February was given by Richard English, and he noted that \$20 of publications were sold here last month as well as 2 of the Galway History books at other locations. With no corrections, it will be filed for audit.

There was no **Correspondence**.

Committee Reports – Pat Sanders from the **Program Committee** reported that next month will be a program on “The Building of the Conklinville Dam” presented by David Davison, the Town of Day historian. The **Nominating Committee**, chaired by Mary Lynn Kopper, is working on a slate of officers for the coming year to be announced next month. Also, **Publications** are available at a front table.

Unfinished Business - Carol gave an update on our donation to honor attorney John Cromie. He was very pleased about our gift, and requested it to go to Brookside Museum for the Chicken Project, which will be an exhibit to be presented this summer on how the chicken business impacted the economy in the 1800's. The check has been hand delivered to Brookside.

New Business – GPS decorates the small Gazebo in the Village Park for Memorial Day, and Carol asked for volunteers for that job. The cost is covered by GPS, or there may be materials available from other years. A sign-up for the June Picnic will be available at our April meeting. Once again, ideas for a fun activity would be appreciated.

GPS Announcements – Carol thanked everyone for replacing the tables and chairs after the meeting. There was also a reminder that the Galway History Book is now available for purchase at the Galway Public Library.

Carol adjourned the meeting.

Pat Sanders introduced the speaker, Jim Richmond, who presented a program on, “Milton, New York: A New Town in a New Nation”.

Respectfully submitted, Martha Brandow, secretary