

BOULDER JUNCTION AREA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Summer 2007

MEMBERSHIP NEWS

The BJAHS currently has 95 dues paying members. Thanks to all who are keeping their memberships up to date. Remember, your donations and memberships keep our organization going and growing.

Membership schedule:

Transport Daniel Demonstration
Individual:\$10.00
Family:\$25.00
Junior:\$ 3.00
Professional/Business\$25.00
Contributor:\$25.00
Life membership:\$300.00
Memberships and donations should be
sent to: BJAHS, P.O. Box 447 Boulder
Ict WI 54512 Thanks for your support!!

MUSEUM & BUILDING FUND UPDATE

Looking for contractors to put up interior paneling and flooring. The building fund as of 7/11/07:

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Donations:\$75,647.67	
Expenditures: <u>\$60,070.55</u>	
Balance:\$15,577.12	

FLEA MARKET STEADY SOURCE OF REVENUE FOR BJAHS

This summer when you clean out your cottages, attics, basements, closets and garages, think before you pitch it in the landfill. Remember, your junk might be someone else's treasure. The BJAHS accepts your donations at the flea market every Tuesday through the end of August. Help turn your unwanted items into money for the Society. Please, no TVs, microwaves, computers, or printers.

Volunteers are always needed to set up, sell, and pack-up. Just show up. We'll find something for you to do.

BLAISDELL PARK & DEPOT SIGNS

Paint repairs were completed by Schuass' Woodwork in Boulder. Many Thanks!!

MEETING & PROGRAM DATES

At the July meeting Paul Brenner gave an excellent talk on "Logging in the North Woods". Apologies to Paul for the projector problems.

Future Programs:

August 6 - Bruce Greenhill - Australia

September - TBA October - TBA

WANTED FOR MUSEUM

- Pictures of Guides with fish catches for display

- Gypsy Rose Lee fishing in BJ

- Bus from Minocqua to Boulder Junction

- Military Photos of any men/women in ser vice. Museum is trying to update the military history of the area. The goal is to produce a photo book with a brief description of the service and title held.

 Pictures of the "Musky Queens" throughout the 51 years of the event.

Contact BJAHS at P.O. Box 447, BJ, WI 54512 or Call Josie at 385-2007

Community, both in needed service and district publicity, he is sold upon the idea that unless a community now gives this accredited service, it will be off the map so far as air traffic is concerned. He is endeavoring to list the community around Boulder Jct. into a unit favoring the building of a local airport and have it ready

for next season's service.

Paquette is right: unless we prepare for this sort of transportation, we are simply out of luck in this day and age of gas transportation from the air. He states that there is a mighty good piece of ground near the village which he hopes to secure for an airport, and expects to call a meeting in that village soon to determine whether the other residents and resort owners feel as he does about creating a landing field for their people who wish to use the air in transportation from cty to the Big Woods.

(Minocqua Times November 15, 1929)

BOULDER BUS SERVICE STARTED MAY 1929

Thanks to Elmer we have a date for the start of bus service to Boulder Junction. This bus would eventually replace all train service to Boulder in the fall of 1932. In an article dated 5/17/29 in the **Minocqua Times**,

The Land o' Lakes Bus line of Wausau has started regular Bus service to the Trout lake territory for the summer season.... For the present connections will be made with the regular passenger train leaving Minocqua daily at 11:40... (arriving in) Boulder Junction at 1:10.... On or after June 3rd the schedule will be changed to conform with the fish train schedule.

PAQUETTE WANTS LOCAL AIR-PORT

Since Bill Paquette of Boulder Jct. has seen what a local airport will do for a



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