

Houston Historical Society

Meeting Minutes

March 11, 2008

Present: Jeff Gunnin, Nora Lane, Dorothy L. Everett, Lucille White, Tom and Betty Denton

Jeff updated the group with progress on Phase II for the jail. Betty and Tom reported on the PALS litter pick-up day which was March 2. More advanced notice will be given for future litter pick-up. We had 4 folks representing the Historical Society helping that day. Betty provided a brief financial report: all bills are paid to date with a balance in checking of \$4077.63.

There was a brief discussion of upcoming events such as the 4th graders' field trip to the jail and the county-wide Sesquicentennial Celebration in June. The April meeting will be for the purpose of collecting photos/stories for the Winston County History Book which is in development. Members of the community will be invited to bring pictures which will be scanned and returned to them that night and to provide story information about the families and the area.

Meeting adjourned at 6:45.

Betty G. Denton, Secretary/Treasurer

REMINDER: Annual Dues Renewal

UPCOMING MEETING TUESDAY, April 8, 2008

6 PM – Houston Memorial United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall

“Collecting Photos and Stories of the Area”

Rick Harris will be on hand to scan photos to be used in the Heritage of Winston County, Alabama II book to be published late this year. Individuals, families are invited to bring their photos and stories to tell. Photos will be copied and returned to individuals at the meeting. You are invited to publish your family history for free.