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October Happenings

Wed 2nd -- Don Patterson, our well known baker, will demonstrate making donuts at the cooking class, to be held in the kitchen of the Utah Community Center for the Deaf, 388 N. 400 E., Bountiful. Class starts at 10:00 am.

Thu 3rd -- Ogden Frat members meet at 7:30 pm at the USD Lecture Room. A social follows afterwards.

Fri 4th -- Connie Johnston Day, hosted by the Golden Spike Athletic Club of the Deaf, will be held at the Center for the Deaf, beginning at 7:00 pm. Meet the triple gold medalist of the XV World Games of the Deaf! The party will feature a program about Connie and the World Games for the Deaf. Admission is \$1.00 per person which includes refreshments. Chairpersons are Barbara and Fred Bass.

Sat 5th -- Due to circumstances beyond its control, the Utah Association for the Deaf board of director meeting has been **postponed** to **October 12th**.

Sat 5th -- Wasatch Golf Association of the Deaf will have its banquet -- **cancelled**.

Fri 11th -- Utah Board of Education members meet at its headquarters, 250 E. 500 S., SLC at 9:00 am for its monthly meeting.

Fri 11th -- Salt Lake Frat members meet at 6:45 pm at the Center for the Deaf; a "Spooky Party" follows. Members and families are invited to this party.

Sat 12th -- The Utah Association for the Deaf board of directors meet at 8:00 am at the Center for the Deaf for its monthly meeting.

Sat 12th -- Beehive Chapter of GCAA will host a supper meeting at the Center for the Deaf for its members and spouses. Dinner begins at 5:30 pm, Dennis and Valerie Platt are hosts.

Thu 17th -- Lee Ann Graham will discuss PMS (Pre Menstrual Syndrome) at a health class sponsored by the Center for the Deaf, beginning at 10:00 am at Conference Room #1.

Sat 19th -- UAD Fall Event -- **CANCELLED**.

Fri 25th -- Salt Lake Valley Ward movie and Hallowe'en party.

Sat 26th -- "Hallowe'en Spooktacular" is the theme of the party hosted by the Utah Community Center for the Deaf. It begins at 6:30 pm and costs only \$1.00 for seniors and children, and \$1.50 for all others. This promises to be a spooky but fun party! See flyer elsewhere in this issue.

Utah Scholarships Awarded

The Utah Scholarship Foundation for the Deaf has announced awards of three scholarships to hearing impaired students who are attending colleges or schools beyond high school graduation.

The winner of the \$250 scholarship is Frieda Shell of Draper, a sophomore at Brigham Young University in Provo. Her career goal is teaching deaf children.

Winners of \$125 scholarships are Weston Dillingham, a student at Utah Technical College in Orem, and Heather Stephenson, also a student at Utah Technical College in Orem.

The foundation makes annual scholarship awards to hearing impaired students who seek financial assistance for college for technical school expenses. Those seeking further information should contact Barbara Bass, secretary-treasurer of the foundation, at 5124 S. 2325 W. Roy, UT 84067.

UAD to Host Open House During Deaf Awareness Week

By now Utahns could have received a flyer...

On **Thursday, September 26**, the Utah Association for the Deaf will host an open house to mark the Deaf Awareness Week, which is sponsored nationally by the National Association of the Deaf.

The open house will be from 1:00 to 8:00 pm, and board members will be on hand during the open house to greet visitors and answer questions. Refreshments will be served.

Discounts are offered on various merchandise -- \$10.00 off on all decoders and most TDDs; \$5.00 on the Minicom II, \$1.00 on most books and \$.50 on children's books. This is a one day sale limited to merchandise on hand.

Come and spend an hour learning what we are, what we do and what we have!

Summary of Minutes of 31st Biennial Convention Utah Association for the Deaf

June 15, 1985 at the Utah Community Center for the Deaf

Convened at 9:35 am with D. Platt, vice president, presiding. Opening prayer was given by S. O'Neal.

Appointments were made by the vice president for convention committees as follows:

Elections committee: D. Laramie, chairperson; K. & P. Burdett; A. Bell.

Parliamentarian: R. Walker.

Sergeant at Arms: W. Morton.

Resolutions: K. Walker.

Law Committee: D. Platt, chairperson; R. DeSpain; R. Sanderson.

D. Platt, vice president, introduced our life member, Gladys Wenger, at the meeting.

P. Green (R. Sanderson) moved to accept the minutes of the previous convention as read. Passed.

R. DeSpain, secretary, gave the necrology as follows:

Woodrow Baxter, Tom Cook, Signe Fowkes, James Keeley, Kate Keeley, Bridget Laramie, Earl Smith, Floyd Underwood and Ray Wenger.

The president's report, given by Dave Mortensen, will be printed in the UAD Bulletin.

The vice president's report was given by Dennis Platt. He mentioned that at the UAD general meeting on April 20, twenty members were present and passed fourteen proposals, mostly 'housecleaning' --one important proposal now limits the presidency to two consecutive terms or a maximum of 5 years. Seven or eight more proposals will be brought up at this convention.

In addition to this, he mentioned that the UAD Achievement Award was given to Lance Gale, the first time since 1968.

The secretary's report, given by Robert DeSpain, was brief; he stated that he had enjoyed working with the 1983-1985 UAD board of directors.

The treasurer's report, given by Jerry Taylor, included a financial report from January 1, 1985 to May 31, 1985.

P. Green (K. Burdett) moved to accept the treasurer's report as read. Passed.

The United Way report was given by Robert Sanderson, UAD-UW liaison officer. One question was brought up, whether we could not have one full time and one part time interpreters instead of two full time interpreters (so that they can be paid more). The answer was that it

could be done by the UAD board of directors but that there is a problem -- who would be willing to become a part time interpreter?

The computer committee report was given by Dennis Platt. The UAD office now has a Macintosh personal computer with a printer.

There being no unfinished business, the meeting went on to act on proposals presented by the Law Committee. (Members who wish to see the exact working of the Bylaws proposals may ask the secretary for a copy).

Proposal 1 and 2: To have any alterations or amendments to the Articles of Incorporation go into effect and be in force immediately after adoption at any convention, general meeting or special meeting of the UAD. (one proposal applies to the Constitution and the other to the Bylaws) Passed.

Proposal 3: To specify a quorum of one-fifth of the active and life members of record be deemed necessary to transact any business at any convention or general meeting of the UAD. An amendment provided that this proposal would not be effective until the next meeting. Both the proposal and the amendment passed.

Proposal 4: To allow the president to become interim chairman of the board for the UAD board of directors' meeting in the event that the chairman of the board is absent. Passed.

Proposal 5: To direct the outgoing secretary to present to the newly elected members of the UAD board of directors, at its first meeting, a set of all active policies in effect; the newly elected board of directors shall review and indicate by form of a motion that they had seen and read the policies. Secondly, to direct the outgoing secretary to present a list of all active committees and their members to the newly elected board of directors; the board has the option to either assign new members or to keep the same members. Thirdly, to direct that the outgoing treasurer shall present a bank card(s) for all necessary signatures of old and new officers. Passed.

Proposal 6: To direct the chairman of the board of directors to prepare the agenda for the board meetings, and to see that the proper people be present to give their reports. Passed.

Proposal 7: A new section to the bylaws: That UAD active and life members make proposals for changes to or deletions from the UAD Constitution and Bylaws in writing to the UAD vice president at least 60 days before the next convention, general meeting or special meeting.

The law committee may also make proposals for changes to or deletions from the same. A copy of the proposals shall be sent to active and life members at least 14 days before the next convention, general meet-

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ing or special meeting. An amendment allows active and life members to make proposals during UAD meetings and conventions. Both the proposal and the amendment passed.

This being the last of the Law Committee proposals, the convention was recessed for lunch. Robert Sanderson, cochairperson for the 1986 NAD convention in SLC, gave a brief report about the convention and asked for volunteers for the convention. Robert DeSpain spoke on the Miss Deaf Utah Pageant to be held that evening at Woods Cross High School and encouraged people to buy tickets now.

David Samuelsen announced that fried chicken and potato salad were available for \$3.00 per person for lunch.

It was moved to reconvene at 1:30 pm sharp. Passed.

Further proposals came from members during the convention:

Proposal 8: To allow other officers authorized by the board of directors to sign bank checks in the event that either the president or the treasurer is absent for a period of 10 days. An amendment provides for the bonding of the treasurer, president, business manager, bookkeeper and other officers authorized to handle money. Both the proposal and the amendment passed.

Proposal 9: To declare a board of director' seat vacant after an absence at three regular meetings of the board of directors in a row, and to replace the board member at its next regular meeting. Failed due to lack of a 2/3 majority.

Proposal 10: To give the election committee more duties during the convention. Passed.

Proposal 11: To allow the vice president to become interim chairman of the board in the event that the president and the chairman of the board are unable to be present. This proposal is in addition to Proposal 4. Passed.

Proposal 12: To elect 9 directors for the board, and that these 9 directors get together to find 2 young people with strong influence on the young generation to make up the board. Referred to law committee.

New business then commenced. D. Samuelsen (L. Perkins) moved that the UAD sponsor at least one legislative workshop no later than December 1st of this year. Passed.

D. Samuelsen (G. Wenger) moved that the Miss Deaf Utah Pageant be held on a differently day/night apart from the UAD convention dates. Passed.

D. Samuelsen (L. Perkins) moved that all absent eligible members running for the board of directors be required to have their nomination slips personally signed by the candidate. Passed.

P. Green (D. Samuelsen) moved that there be speeches supporting the candidates before the election of the board. Passed.

Kirk Walker, resolutions chairperson, then took the floor to bring up resolutions. A summary of resolutions which passed follows:

Resolution 1: To show appreciation of Robert Sanderson's service to deaf people for many years before his retirement.

Resolution 2: To show appreciation of Valerie Platt for her time as UAD business manager.

Resolution 3: To show appreciation of KTVX, Channel 4 of SLC for closed captioning.

Resolution 4: To show appreciation of UAD Achievement Award committee: Barbara Bass, Celia May Baldwin and Kayleen Pugh.

Resolution 5: To show appreciation of 1983-1985 UAD board of directors: David Mortensen, Dennis Platt, Robert DeSpain, Jerry Taylor, Roy Cochran, Alden Broomhead, George Laramie, Stanley O'Neal, Lloyd Perkins, Glen Ross & Robert Sanderson.

Resolution 6: To show appreciation of closed captioning of the networks: PBS, ABC, NBC, CBS, and NCI.

Resolution 7: To show appreciation of the two UAD full time interpreters, Kirk Walker and Wilma Powell.

Resolution 8: To show appreciation of the job done by the chairman, Roy Cochran, and his committee: Bruce Van Kampen, Nellie Sausedo, Lynn Losee for the 1985 UAD biennial convention.

Resolution 9: To show appreciation of Beth Ann Campbell & UCCD staff for continuing the work at the Center of the Deaf.

There being no more new business, the meeting moved on to elections.

Dora Laramie, election committee chairperson, listed nominations. The vice president noted that we must vote up to 11 names; if more than 11 names, the ballot will be voided.

The following were nominated: D. Platt, D. Mortensen, R. Cochran, R. Sanderson, R. Nelson, R. DeSpain, N. Sausedo, G. Sparr, B. Allred, K. Walker, R. Simonsen, N. Farnworth, O.L. Richins, D. Samuelsen, J. Saunders, G. Ross, R. Welsh, R. Walker, G. Laramie, S. O'Neal, G. Gavros, L. Perkins and L. Losee.

More on Convention Minutes...

While waiting for the election committee to tally the votes, D. Samuelsen (C. Cook) moved that the UAD pay for the UAD delegate a combo ticket and any other expenses that the UAD board of directors decides for the 1986 NAD convention. Failed.

Elected to the 1985-1987 board of directors were: D. Platt, R. Cochran, R. Sanderson, R. DeSpain, N. Sausedo, K. Walker, R. Simonsen, J. Saunders, R. Welsh, S. O'Neal and L. Perkins.

Nominations were made for the 3rd trustee on the board of trustees (Celia May Baldwin moved up to 1st trustee and Fred Bass to 2nd trustee). G. Sparr, B. Allred, G. Gavros and D. Samuelsen were nominated.

Since the tally showed G. Sparr and D. Samuelsen to be tied, a run-off was held. On the second ballot, Glen (Corky) Sparr won the bid to become 3rd trustee.

K. Walker (S. O'Neal) moved that the board of directors make the delegate appointment.

The convention was adjourned at 4:40 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert G. DeSpain (signed)
Secretary

Sales Room Notes

We have just received a shipment of Superprint TDDs, a new model manufactured by Ultratec Inc of Wisconsin. It replaces the Miniprint TDD and is an improvement over the original printer. It sells for \$369.00. Come in and see it!

Those who have Miniprints may wish to take advantage of the cut in price on Miniprint thermal paper rolls, from \$1.75 to \$1.25. Also, we have two Superphones which we are selling for \$450 each, with one year's warranty. Don't forget that we also have Model 28 TTYs for sale at \$120 each. There is one Model 28 TTY with a coupler, for sale at \$300.

As noted elsewhere in this issue, there will be discounts on merchandise during the open house on September 26. Come in and check out our bargains!

Sports News

At the 15th annual Northwest Athletic Association of the Deaf softball tournament held in Twin Falls, ID, a California team, DCARA, captured first place and the right to represent NWAAD at the American Athletic Association of the Deaf softball tournament in ST. Louis, MO. First place in women's softball went to Peninsula.

Two teams from Utah played in the regional tourney -- the men's Golden Spike Athletic Club of the Deaf team, which placed 7th, and the women's Utah Athletic Club of the Deaf team, which came in 5th.

Nearly 50 Utahns, both players and fans, attended the three day event.

Holy Land Tour Planned by BYU

A tour of the Holy Land - Israel, Egypt and other countries - is being planned by the Brigham Young University.

Scheduled for May 31 - June 14, this tour will include an interpreter for deaf participants. Cost is approximately \$2,800 from Salt Lake City.

Write to Jack Rose at BYU Dept. of Travel Study, 310 HCEB, Provo, UT 84602 or call him at 378-3946.

News of Note

Robert Lunnen, who had been a TTY maintenance specialist, has retired as of August 30. He will now be able to spend more time at his second home in Southern Utah with his wife Nancy.

Ribbons, ribbons! Josie Lutton and Carol Masich each won 2 blue ribbons for their entries -- Cabbage Patch dolls. Vynola Perkins has 4 blue ribbons and 1 red ribbon to show for her entries -- a doll, baby mobiles and Christmas ornament.

Wanderlust

Louise Saathoff and Renee Koss drove to Portland, OR for a visit with Louise's family and their friends...John and Cleo Peterson flew to Vancouver, BC to join an Alaskan cruise...Lucy Greenwood spent over a month with daughter Virginia and family in South Carolina...

Interested in Tour with the Deaf?

Gallaudet College has some cruise and tour offerings for 1986. The first one is a 7 day Mexico cruise, to sail on Holland America's Ms. Noordam from Acapulco to San Francisco. This will be in April. The second is a 10 day escorted Russian tour in May, which includes Moscow, Leningrad as well as Helsinki, Finland. Another offering is a 17 day deluxe escorted tour of 7 European countries; this will be in summer of 1986.

All tours and cruises are accompanied by sign language interpreters.

For more information write to Alumni Tours, Alumni House, Gallaudet College, 800 Florida Ave., NE, Washington, DC 20002.

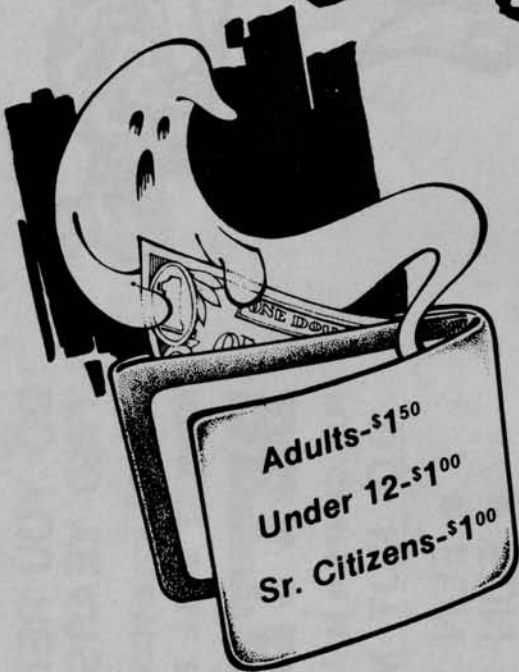
Update on Closed Captioning

(Programs listed below are offered with closed captioning. For exact date and time, check your local listing).

*** Football fans will be happy to know that all 16 telecasts of "Monday Night Football" and 5 specials on other evenings will be aired with closed captions on ABC. It became the first sports series to be closed captioned when it began its 16th season on September 9. Real time captioning is used to produce instantaneous closed captioning.



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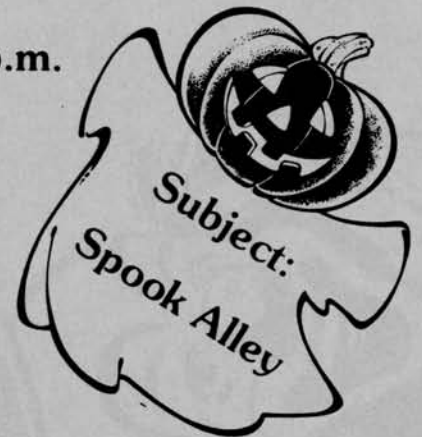
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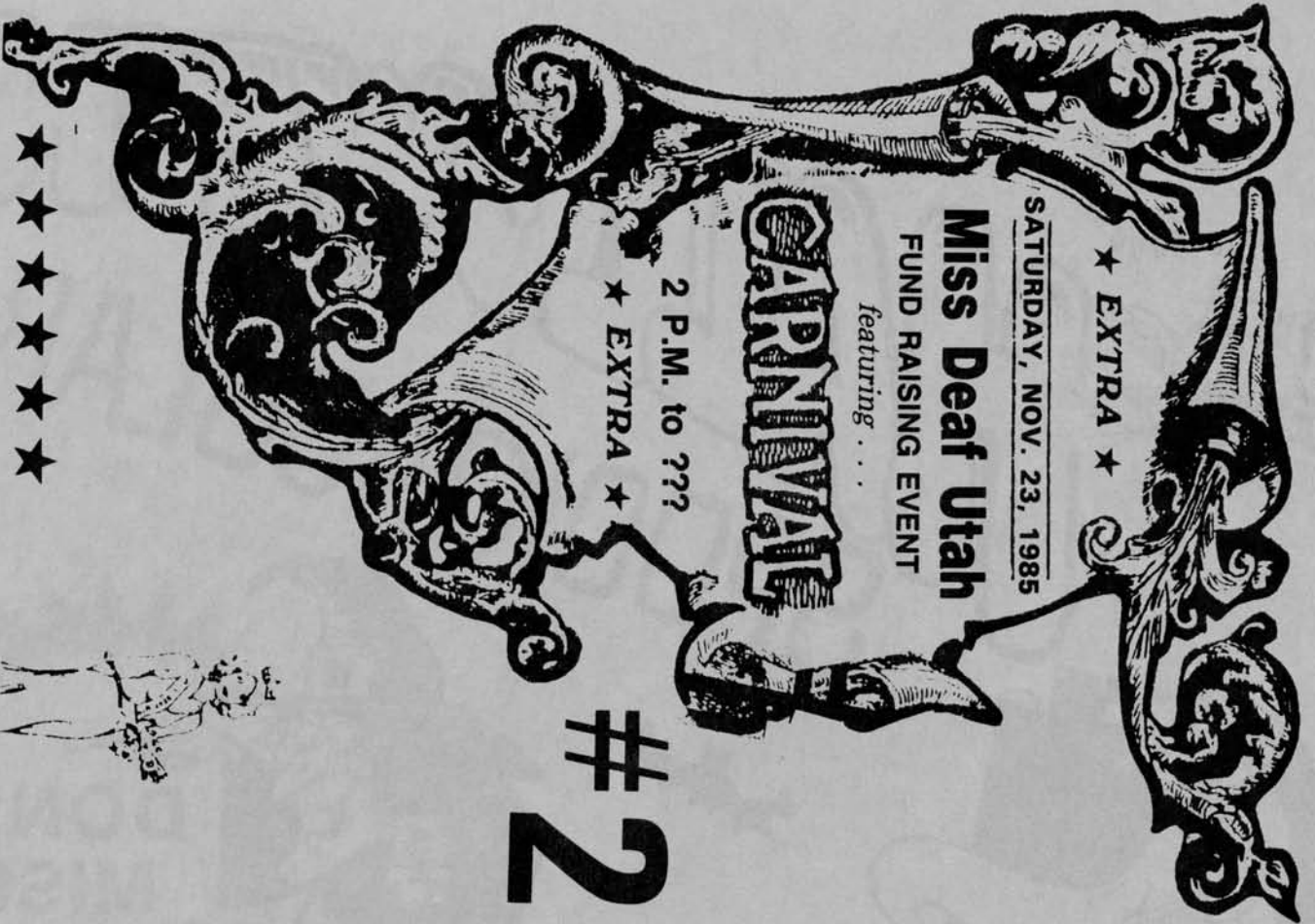
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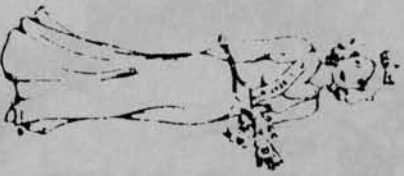
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Wedding Bells

September 7 -- Leslie Rusch to Robert Giles, united for time and all eternity at the Salt Lake LDS Temple. They were honored at a wedding reception held that evening at the Provo LDS Branch. An open house was held on September 14 in Sunnyvale, CA.

Rattles 'n' Powder

August 8 -- Cassie, daughter of Cappy & Mark Miller, and the first great-granddaughter of Edith Wheeler, all of Ogden.

August 20 -- A baby boy, born to Cynthia & Richard Freston, Plain City. The wee one is a great-grandson of Lillian Freston, Ogden.

August 28 -- Jessica Michelle, daughter of James & Wendy Wilson and a granddaughter of Walter & Mauna Wilson, WVC.

September 6 -- Jeffrey Michael, son of Dale & Venece Walker. The little one is a grandchild of Rodney & Georgia Walker, all of SLC.

To a Greater Glory

August 23 -- Gerrit Meenderink, 71, passed away in Huntington Park, CA of heart failure. Although born in Canada, he attended Utah School for the Deaf.

September 4 -- JoAnn Brown, 37, of Highland, lost her life when she was overcome by heat and smoke in a fire that started in a couch in her home. JoAnn was a daughter of John & Connie Snyder, Murray.

Hospital Rounds

August 20 -- Glen Ross was admitted to Holy Cross Hospital for surgery.

TTY Jotting

Work on the 1985 TTY Directory is nearing completion. As was mentioned in last month's Bulletin, the target date for sale of these reference books is the first of November.

Changes in phone numbers:

Marsha Thurston
Salt Lake City
596-7411

Greg/Deanne Montgomery
Jerome, ID
(208) 324-3955

BYU HC Services
Provo
378-2767

Wheels, Wheels

Roy & Darlene Cochran, 1985 Buick Century -- light blue /dark blue.

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