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August Meeting
Tuesday, August 3, 1982

Cloudmont Resort
7 p. m.

SPEAKER: James R. Kuykendall, Acting President,
Landmarks of DeKalb County, Inc.

We welcome one of the principal founding members of Landmarks, organized in 1969 for the purpose of "increasing and diffusing knowledge of historical information and to encourage preservation of structures of historical interest in DeKalb County." Accomplishments of Landmarks include restoration of the Fort Payne Opera House. Mr. Kuykendall will bring us up to date on Landmark activities. Introduction will be by Mary Ann Schroeder, program coordinator. The business session is presided over by director Bruce Bon Fleur.

REFRESHMENTS FOLLOW

NON-MEMBERS WELCOME

DICKER DAY: Second of the Dicker Days at the Mentone Springs Hotel will be August 14, beginning at 7 a. m. Featured again will be antiques and primitives, country crafts, bric-a-brac, fresh produce, collectibles, and good food, especially hot dogs and cakes. Call 634-4741 for information about booths or anything else. In the future, Dicker Day will be on the second Saturday of each month.

OFFICERS: The following new officers were elected at the July meeting: Bruce Bon Fleur, director; Sandra Padgett, associate director; Bernise Crow, secretary-treasurer. Marie Shadgett was chairperson of the nominating committee. Grace Howard withdrew her nomination as associate director. Mary Ann Schroeder was named program coordinator. A PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO LIMIT TERMS OF OFFICERS TO THREE YEARS WILL BE ACTED ON AT THE NEXT MEETING.

SUCCESS STORY: The Crafts Festival was the best ever, according to president Linda Brown, who thanks the many, many persons who contributed to its success -- especially the groups from the Church of God and the Valley Head Athletic Club for the good food booths, United Methodist Church for the baked goods, the Fire Department for the drinks, and the Wesleyan Youth Group for the cupcakes and other goodies. On August 5th (Thursday) at the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church at 7 p. m., a meeting will be held to evaluate this year's festival and to begin plans for next year. This is the last meeting of the Crafts Festival Committee until next March. All persons interested in the festival are invited to this meeting. Raymond Brown is vice president and Grace Howard, secretary-treasurer.

CONGRATS!!

