

SEVEN GALLON OPEN JAR FOUND

Some of you know we have been trying to purchase this rare-sized crock. And working absentia on the deal. Well, we were quoted a price; \$250. It is staying where it is but those of you who have this crock can be reassured you have a good piece of UHL stoneware!

MINIATURE JUGS

I have located a new contact in this line. We are buying all that he has and will pass the duplicates on to you at the next meeting at prices you won't want to miss.

DAYLIGHT AUCTION

What good advertising for us! Some mail has come in from the announcement that day about our society.

Jim Henager sent me some pictures you'll find copied in this newsletter. They don't show everything but give a good idea that it was a big sale.

SHOW COMPLAINTS

From me; the Inn messed up the time of public participation on their sign and for some reason in the Huntingburg area, printed sources were wrong. I'll do everything I can to correct this next year but I am not there to read your local papers so I need your help on that.

From some of you; complaints that all presented at our show was not UHL. Please let me stress we encourage people to bring pottery they are not sure of as UHL to get opinions from other collectors. Many pieces of UHL were not stamped with the name. We are a help society to one another. Perhaps this problem can be solved by placing the questionable items with a sign at the corner of your table "Is this UHL?". Other pieces are not to be brought to this show to sell. Hope this clears up the matter. We want you to be enthused!

THOUGHT FOR REFLECTION:

Live today as if it is the last day of your life. I'll talk to you in October!

UHL COLLECTOR'S SOCIETY

NEWSLETTER

AUGUST 1986

From the members.....

Thoughts on UHL

On our recent vacation we decided to look for UHL. We had little success but did find two miniatures in St. Louis. One was a blue square 2 oz. wine jug with a starshaped paper label-Chateau Roasard California Burgundy wine-bottled by Howard R. Young, Jefferson, Wisconsin. The other 2 oz. jug was a white octagonal with the same paper label. The best part of the find was the price--one dollar each.

Phyllis O'Neal

Phyllis also sent some information about Upton Stucky pottery. If you respond, I'll get the info to you.

Also received more from an Uhl family genealogist.

NEW LOOK...

No doubt you noticed the pre-stamped and printed envelopes addressed with a computer label. We are growing! It became necessary to mechanize the bi-monthly mailings. The cost of this changeover is about \$10. more than before but well worth time saved. Due to the bulk purchase of the envelopes our treasury is low. Our present savings account balance is \$4.53. The main expense from now until the business meeting next June will be printing costs. And we get very good rates on that from a business located in Angola.

1987 Commerative.....sorry, I don't have any information to pass on to you at this time. I do know that the president has been working on the project.

PLANS ARE UNDERWAY FOR THE 1987 MEETING

We will be using the Jasper Holidome June 20, 1987. Reserved are the Pecan, Maple and Sycamore rooms. The Sycamore Room will comfortably accomodate for our closed meeting in the morning. Our show will be set up in the other two in the afternoon. They are side by side. The registration table will be in the hall outside these rooms.

You are strongly encouraged to set up a table. If you don't think you have enough to bring to fill a table, share one with a friend. The cost will be \$5.00 per table. You may bring UHL to sell, just to show or both. Please get your reservations in early.

The Holidome has graciously blocked off ten guest rooms for us and given us a rate lower than our travel cards would. The outside rooms are \$43.00 per night and the poolside rooms are \$45.00 per night. As you can see from the brochure enclosed, the rates are excellent for the Holidome motels. I was requested to tell you that you need to get your reservations in early. They expect to be full capacity then so write today. Of course, we are not limited to the block of ten rooms; I didn't want to reserve too many.

Oh, be sure to mention you are part of the UHL pottery group when you register or your room will be more expensive. The phone number is 812-482-5555.

If you have been waiting on correspondence from me during these eight weeks since the meeting, I apologize. I have been attending summer school (Comp II) plus my regular schedule. I'll try to answer your questions in this mailing.

MAY I SOLICIT YOUR HELP?

Word of mouth is the best advertisement for promoting anything. Enclosed you will find a membership form to recruit a new member. Perhaps you have a friend or know someone in your area that is an UHL collector but does not belong to our society.

Also, I need to hear from you for the "From the members...." segment of the newsletter. Anything you wish to share about your UHL collecting. There is always so much to learn, it seems and we need your input.

Example of this: we were able to view three collections while in the Huntingburg^{area} last June. We learned that there are more colors than we had known before (lavendar), that UHL made small little jugs--much smaller than the one inch we knew about. We saw a rattlesnake piece, fell in love with the blue and white sanitarium crockery and had a lot of questions answered in our minds as to 'is it or isn't it UHL'.

When you write, if you have snaps available to send (not returnable), that helps us learn the lesson you are giving.

Thanks for your help. I know I can count on you to share in this endeavor. See you in October.

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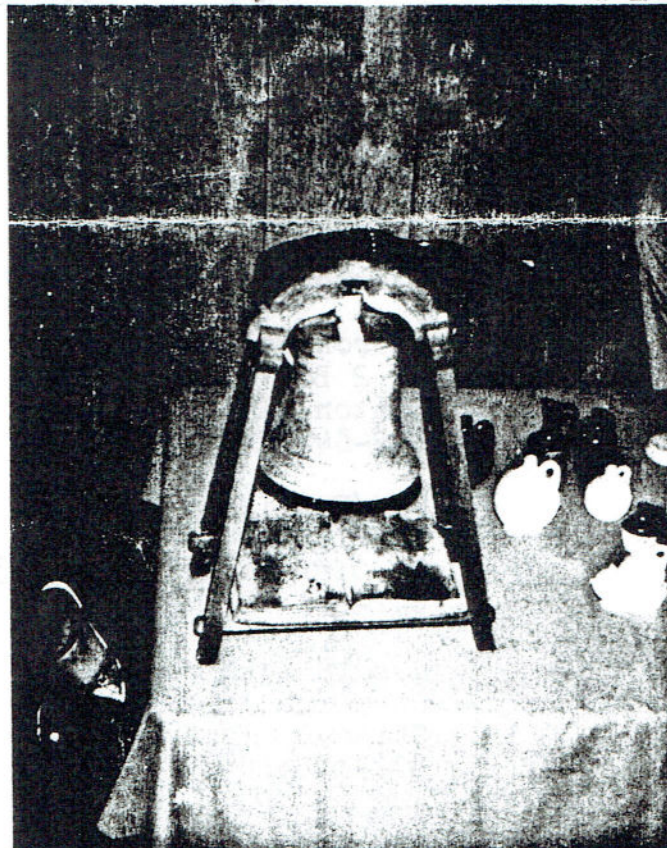
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