

REUNION--August 31,1940

Minutes of the Belnap Family Reunion held at Hooper Park and Amusement Hall at Hooper, Utah. August 31,1940.

A picnic lunch and get acquainted period was enjoyed by those present from 1:00 P.M. untio 3:00 P.M.

At 3:00 p.m. the assembly was called to order in the Hall by Pres. Wm. O. Belnap. Prayer by Amasa M. Hammond.

Minutes of the Reunion held at Franklin, Idaho, July 1,1939 were read by acting Secretary Jean B. Platt and with a few ammendments were approved.

Remarks of welcome by Pres. Wm. O. Belnap
The following program was given under the direction of Lorenzo Belnap.
Community singing led by Lorenzo Belnap, accompanied by Mabel Belnap
History of the life of Henriette McBride Belnap was given by Mary B. Lowe.
Cornet duets by Francis (Bud) and Earl Simpson, accompanied by Lois Cottle.
Reading by Beth Fowers.
Vocal duets with accordian, guitar and piano accompaniments by Joe and Mohn Lowe, including "Down in the Green Fields of Oakland."
Humerous stories and remarks by John Belnap.
Flute duets by Knight and Walter Kerr.
Vocal trios by Viola, Iola and Elma Belnap accompanied by Mabel Belnap.
Piano duet by _____ and _____ Palmer, grandchildren of Mary B. Lowe.
Remarks from Agustus R. Belnap.

Roll call by families showed the following numbers present;

Descendants of Ruben Belnap	12
" Joseph Belnap	6
" Jane Hammond	7
" Hyrum Belnap	6
" Gilbert R. Belnap	6
" Vincent Belnap	4
" Amasa Belnap	1
" Adaline B. Lowe	2
" Mary B. Lowe	12
" Lola B. Coolbear	13
" William J. Belnap	30
" Oliver Belnap	12
" Agustus W. Belnap	1
" Frank Belnap	30
" Isadora B. Stoddard	5

Introdustion of older members of Belnap family and remarks about each were given by Amasa M. Hammond. A 30 second tribute of silence was observed by all for Eliza Belnap, Joseph H. Belnap, Hyrum A. Belnap and Delsa Lowe who had passed away since the reunion last year. A motion was made by Amasa M. Hammond that the reunion for 1941 be held in Idaho, which was duly seconded and carried. It was suggested that all arrangements for the program and other events be under the direction of the Belnap families living in Idaho. The date was set for the last Saturday in August. The time and place to be announced later.

All officers as elected at the Reunion one year ago continued on in office for one more year with the exception of Secretary Joseph H. Belnap. Jean B. Platt was unanimously elected to fill vacancy caused by his death.

It was announced that dues of \$1.00 per family per year should be paid to the secretary.

After another song by congregation the meeting was adjourned until 7:30 P.M.

At 7:30 p.m. the congregation was again called to order in the amusement hall by Pres. Wm. O. Belnap. Community singing was led by Lorenzo Belnap.

The assembly was entertained by request numbers by John and Joe Lowe who accompanied their singing on the guitar and piano.

Several original comedy skits were put on under the direction of the daughters of Wm. O. Belnap, among which was the "Family Album" portraying different members of the Belnap family at early periods in their lives.

At the conclusion of the program dancing was enjoyed in the Ward Hall.