

Ackerman Family Reunion 1946
August 3, 1946.

Minutes of Meeting

The sixth reunion of the Ackerman families was held at Mineral Springs Park in Pekin, Illinois on August 3, 1946.

The business meeting was called to order by John F. Ackerman, President. The minutes of the 1942 Reunion were read and approved.

The following officers were elected:

Clyde Ackerman - President

C. W. Ackerman - Vice-President

Alice Hirstein - Secretary

Roy Ackerman - Treasurer

A collection of \$30.88 was taken and with the balance of \$18.20 in the treasury that made a total of \$49.08. The total expenses of the 1946 Reunion were \$41.35, thus a balance of \$7.73 was turned over to our new treasurer, Roy

Ackerman.

There being no other business, the meeting was then turned over to Alma Wittmer, Chairman of the Entertainment Committee.

The following contests were held:

Penny Guessing - Louann Rassi

No. of Pieces of Candy in Jar - Velma Ackerman

No. of Beans in Jar - John Wittmer

Pages in Webster's Dictionary - Corinne Ackerman

How Many Pins in Cushion - Ann Ackerman

No. of Inches of String - S. L. Ackerman

Youngest boy. 2 months - Donald Ackerman

Youngest girl - 9 months - Ruth Ann Wittmer

Oldest man present - 76 years - J. C. Ackerman

Oldest Lady present - 90 years - Mrs. Elizabeth Ackerman

Most recent married couple - Mr. + Mrs. Thomas Sumner

Oldest married couple - Mr. + Mrs. J. C. Ackerman

Largest family under one roof - C. S. Ackermans +
Elmer Hartters

Persons who came farthest - Lou Rassi family of
Milford, Indiana

Paper weights were given to the

following ex. service men: Clyde Ackerman, Raymond Ackerman, Edward Ackerman, Bob Strunk, Bruce Ackerman, Melvin Ackerman, Carl Rapp, Thomas Sumner, and Emanuel Jacob who served in World War I.

A paper weight was also given to the John Wittmer family in memory of their son Roy who lost his life in the service.

John F. Ackerman donated 1 lb. butter, Sam Ackerman donated 1 can of white enamel paint, and the Morton Pottery donated a shell vase for Door Prizes.

Joseph Ackerman won the butter, Abby Jane Ackerman the paint, and Sara Jane Ackerman the vase.

A pleasant afternoon was enjoyed by all who attended. Ice - cream was served before adjourning.

Respectfully submitted,
Eliza Ackerman,
Secretary.