

The First 25 Years

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Carnival Glass
Association, Inc**

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HOACGA HISTORY — THE FIRST TWENTY FIVE YEARS

Summarized from HOACGA bulletins by R.L. Grissom, President HOACGA

Originally, nine couples were meeting on a periodic basis for the purpose of displaying and discussing carnival glass. The nine couples were:

- Davis & Viola Shikles, Independence, Missouri
- Edwin & Mary Francis Derrendinger, Gladstone, Missouri
- R.D. & Dorothy Kavanaugh, Gladstone, Missouri
- Hurbert & Sadie Treff, Kansas City, Missouri
- Frank & Faye Ronk, Merriam, Kansas
- Alex & Sylvia Borris, Westwood, Kansas
- Jack & Mary Adams, Kansas City, Missouri
- Charles & Eleanor Mochel, Overland Park, Kansas
- Bill & Dorothy Taylor, Raytown, Missouri

When the original group met on April 31, 1972, they decided to call the group "HEART OF AMERICA GLASS ASSOCIATION" and to extend membership to other collectors. Kenny & Helen James of Olathe, KS and Florence Cunningham of Lake Quivira, KS were present as guests, they joined the organization at this time. A committee was named to prepare the By-Laws for the organization.

The next meeting of the organization was held May 7, 1972 for the purpose of voting on the By-Laws and electing officers. The officers elected were:

- Davis Shikles - President
- Hurbert Treff - Vice President
- Mary Francis Derrindinger - Treasurer
- Dorothy Taylor - Secretary

The dues established at this meeting were \$5.00 per couple and \$3.00 per individual. Honorary membership was conferred on O. Joe Olson, Rosalie White, Sherman Hand, Marion Hartung and Rose Presznick.

1973

After the initial beginning of eighteen members that first met to talk about carnival, the club had grown to approximately 165 members by March 1, 1973.

The first HOACGA convention was held on April 27 & 28, 1973 at the Western Hills Motor Hotel in Merriam, KS. All of the rooms at the motel opened to the

outside. For this first convention, the weather was very nice so people could visit from room to room in comfort. John Woody sold the carnival collection of Wilson Reed on Saturday during the convention. Approximately 250 people attended the auction.

The Banquet Speaker was Ed Gaida, from Victoria, TX. There were 115 persons present at the Saturday night banquet. After the banquet, several members donated items to be auctioned, the proceeds went to the club. \$1,250.00 was raised as a result of the auction.

Club officers elected at the business meeting after the banquet were:

- Bob Grissom - President
- John Britt - Vice President
- Mary Francis Derrindinger - Treasurer
- Dorothy Taylor - Secretary

The room sales at this convention were very brisk. John Britt had his room open until 3:00 A.M. on a Sunday morning.

The 1973 convention was more of a success than any of us could have imagined. Everyone in attendance seemed to have an enjoyable time. It was the consensus of those attending that the convention should become an annual affair.

At the August 1973 club meeting, it was decided to make a Souvenir. No one had any prior experience with such an endeavor and we did not have any particular piece to be made. At the September meeting, a sketch of the "Good Luck" water pitcher was presented for the members to consider. The shape of the pitcher was copied after the "Northwood Raspberry". It was decided to have the pitcher made in "Ruby Red".

Since no one had any previous experience at making a souvenir, we did not know where or how we were going to get the piece of glass made. Bob Grissom contacted a Mr. Ollie Ekstrom, who was a representative of the Indiana Glass Company of Dunkirk, Indiana. Mr. Ekstrom arranged for a meeting at the company in Dunkirk. Ralph & Florence Mullins, Bob Grissom and Mr. Ekstrom went to the Indiana Glass Co. to make preparations for making the pitcher. The company was willing to make the souvenir pitcher for us at a cost of \$4.00 each, which did not include the cost of the mold. They would make the mold first and then the club would pay for it before they would make any of the pitchers (the mold cost was \$5,300.00). The company did not require any advance payment, which was lucky for us since the club only had about \$1,000.00 in the treasury at that time.

The club decided to send a sketch of the souvenir pitcher and ask the members to pre-order. The pitcher information was sent out in September. Within 30 days,

one-half of the 500 to be made were preordered and paid for and all of the souvenirs were sold within 90 days.

In March, Frank & Faye Ronk took the AmTrak to Indianapolis. The train was three hours late and their motel reservations had been canceled. They then had to find another motel. The next morning they rented a car and drove to Muncie. There they rented a Ryder truck and went to the glass factory at Dunkirk. They were able to tour the plant while the glass was loaded onto their Ryder truck. When they left the factory it was snowing. They proceeded through the ice and snow to Indianapolis. The Ryder truck was not performing very well. When they got to Indianapolis, the truck quit completely at one of the major intersections. It took them about 40 minutes to get some help in getting the truck going again. The truck would not go any faster than 52 miles per hour. So, after 618 miles — 4 days on the road — the Ronks finally arrived in Kansas City. Frank did not volunteer to go after any more souvenirs.

1974

During the visit to the Indiana Glass Co., the Mullins & Bob Grissom were shown how the glass could be formed into different shapes (whimseys). We asked them to make 15 whimseys while they were making the pitchers. The making of the whimseys was not known to anyone but the Mullins and Bob Grissom. The idea was just to take them to the convention and surprise everyone. They would be auctioned during the convention. The proceeds from the sale would go to the club's treasury. Bob Grissom drove to the Glass Co. and brought them back just a few days before the convention.

The pitchers were taken to the convention and displayed at the banquet. These whimsey pitchers caused varying degrees of controversy. After much discussion about their sale, the discussions was not concluded until about 11:00 P.M. It was finally decided that the pitchers would be brought back to the convention in 1975 and be auctioned at that time.

It was also decided that the pitcher mold was to be destroyed. The mold was destroyed on April 29, 1974.

Don & Connie Moore were our guest speakers at the convention banquet. He displayed three tables of carnival glass. Their talk was "Off beat patterns, colors & shapes".

Sherman & Timmie Hand were in attendance at the convention. He brought his guitar for some late night entertainment and sing alongs.

Club officers elected at the business meeting were:

- Bob Grissom - President
- Ralph Mullins - Vice President
- Connie Anderson - Treasurer
- Dorothy Taylor - Secretary

It was decided that the souvenir for 1975 would be matching tumblers for the pitcher. These tumblers would be dated 1975.

The Corning Museum of Glass asked the club to donate a pitcher to the museum for the future of glass. Florence Cunningham donated one of her pitchers to be given in the name of the club.

Two days prior to the convention, Mrs. Marion Hartung was robbed of her carnival glass. A couple called and wanted to see her collection and she invited them in. They tied her hands and held her at gun point for three hours. They took her collection and some cash.

The May newsletter reported that Bob Vining had a heart attack on April 3rd, only one day after they had returned from the Columbus auction where they had purchased the ice green Master Grape & Cable punch set.

August - Bill & Muriel Triplett from Australia were in attendance at the monthly meeting. They were touring the States. They were also keeping their eyes open for carnival glass along the way.

It was reported in the bulletin that Charles & Eleanor Mochel had moved back to Kansas City from Chicago.

White Horse Antiques, John Roller, was robbed of approximately \$15,000.00 of carnival. He subsequently recovered about 70 percent of the glass from collectors who had purchased the glass from an individual. The thief was not apprehended.

September - The bulletin reported the finding of the first marigold "Birds & Cherry" plate. Rosalie White bought it from a glass picker. The blue plate sold at the HOACGA convention for \$1,050.00.

November - The Herb & Eva Cannon auction in Des Moines, IA. The auction consisted of 300 pieces of carnival glass which was auctioned by John Woody.

It was reported that the "God & Home" water set molds had been found.

The robbery of the Lloyd and Marge Stagner collection was reported. They valued the loss at \$30,000.00. Within about 45 days, a lady called George Loeschner and asked him about the price of two pieces of carnival that a person wanted to sell. George remembered that the Stagners owned these two pieces and he called

them. They were able to recover about 75% of their glass.

December - It was decided to order 700 sets of tumblers instead of 500 in order that the color could be matched up on all 500 sets that will be sold. The 24 extra "Good Luck" pitchers were destroyed.

1975

January - The January bulletin reported the first of the reproduced purple God & Home and the purple and marigold Stork & Rushes water sets.

Ten Stork & Rushes items were reproduced in purple & marigold covered sugar, creamer, spooner, and berry sets.

February - The bulletin announced the upcoming carnival glass sale of the John & Lucile Britt collection. The sale was conducted by John & LeVeta Woody on March 1, 1975.

Don Moore had completed publication of his book "The Shape of Things in Carnival Glass". A 120 page book covering over 200 items. Helen Greguire of New York had a book coming out "Carnival In Lights". The book contained 85 colored photographs of different lights and lighting fixtures.

John & Lucile Britt wrote their first educational article for the bulletin: "Collecting Carnival Glass Mugs Can Be Fun". The article gave a good description of each mug pattern and a brief discussion of each.

March - Mrs. Hartung recovered 25 pieces of carnival that were stolen from her collection.

Kenny & Helen James went to the Indiana Glass Co. in Dunkirk, IN and brought the 1975 "Good Luck" souvenir tumblers back to Kansas City for distribution at the convention. Everything at the plant was returned, even all of the broken pieces.

April - HOACGA was incorporated April 14, 1975. The incorporation number is N 16379. It is a Missouri Corporation.

The Third Annual HOACGA convention was held April 25, 26 & 27 at the Western Hills Motel, Merriam, KS.

The "Good Luck" water set was completed this year with the distribution of the tumblers.

The pitcher whimsies were sold after the banquet. The price received for them was \$2,292.00. The prices realized and the collector that purchased them are:

Cooley Miller	\$110.00	Fred Hatfield	\$170.00
Fred Andreatta	\$95.00	Virgil St. John	\$100.00
Christ Harnish	\$130.00	Carl Schroeder	\$125.00
Ed Knitter	\$150.00	R.D. Kavanaugh	\$110.00
Gary Houdek	\$62.00	John Britt	\$110.00
Joan Westerfield	\$180.00	Joe Olson	\$150.00
Bob Grissom	\$170.00	Rosalie White	\$180.00
Ralph Mullins	\$450.00		

Sherman Hand was the auctioneer for the sale of the whimsies.

April 14, 1975, HOACGA was incorporated as a Not-For-Profit corporation in the state of Missouri.

Officers elected at the 1975 convention were:

- Sarah Love - President
- Ralph Mullins - Vice President
- Dee Ann Yancey - Treasurer
- Cheryl Bollinger - Secretary
- Dorothy Taylor - News Editor

The job of Bulletin Editor and secretary got to be more than one person could handle, so the job was divided into two parts. From this time on, the Bulletin Editor has only been responsible for the monthly bulletin. The Secretary responsibilities include all correspondence, membership dues, orders for souvenirs and other record keeping duties.

June - The "Good Luck" tumbler mold was destroyed at the home of Ralph and Florence Mullins. The cost of the mold was \$2,690.00.

July - Dorothy Taylor started a publication on new carnival glass. The publication was called "Carnival Glass Encore". This publication was something Dorothy was doing on her own and was not supported by HOACGA.

October - Dorothy Taylor resigned as the club's bulletin secretary. Sarah Love, the president, appointed Helen James to be responsible for this duty.

November - It was decided to make a Whiskey Decanter set for the 1976 souvenir. The set would be copied from the old Grape & Cable set. Since 1976 is the bicentennial year, the Whiskey Decanter will be of a bicentennial design. As a result of a survey of members, it was decided to make 600 sets, a set being a

Decanter and 6 shot glasses. After inquiring of several glass companies, the Fenton Art Glass Company was the only company that agreed to make the souvenir. They also agreed to make the mold. The set would be sold for \$90.00. Each member could order only one set, a family membership could order two. It was also decided that no Whimsies would be made from this souvenir.

The mold costs would not exceed \$7,000.00.

All of the unsold "Good Luck" tumblers were broken at the November club meeting. Joan Westerfield was responsible to dispose of the broken pieces.

There were a total of 640 sets of the "Good Luck" tumblers sold.

1976

January - It was reported that Jack & Bonnie Pritchard of Stuttgart, Arkansas acquired a mint amethyst Gay Nineties pitcher from Joe Olson of Kansas City.

February - the bulletin reported the death of Ed M. Gaida of Victoria, TX. Ed was the banquet speaker at the first HOACGA convention, and had served as president of the ICGA.

The Mary Elizabeth Collier auction was held in St. Louis on February 6 & 7, 1976. An amethyst "Morning Glory" pitcher sold for \$7,000.00 and a marigold one sold for \$4,900.00. Mrs. Collier had bought these pitchers at the 1968 ICGA convention auction. She paid about \$550.00 for each of them. In 1968, these were unheard of high prices. Also selling at the auction was a marigold "Peoples Vase" which she purchased in 1968 at the ACGA convention auction for \$1,050.00. It sold for \$4,500.00. It was the only known marigold "Peoples Vase". The "Frolicking Bears" pitcher sold at the auction for \$6,000.00, and the tumbler sold for \$3,500.00. Three pitchers are known, all of them are green. This was the only known tumbler.

The first known Aqua Opalescent "Peacock at the Fountain" punch bowl and base was shown by a collector attending the auction.

The first known amethyst "Trout & Fly" plate was also available for viewing at this auction by Stephen Rudloff, a collector from Missouri.

March - The souvenir "76 Whiskey Decanter" started production at the Fenton factory on March 22, 1976. The Grissom's, Mullin's, and James were at the factory to observe the making of the souvenir. We met with Frank Fenton for six hours the next day and observed the problems of production and discussing the changes

necessary to make this souvenir. We were fortunate that the Fenton Art Glass Company decided to make this souvenir for us. If it were not for Frank Fenton's interest and generosity, this set could not have been made. The first day that we were at the factory, they made only forty Whiskey Decanters and they were all rejects.

The Clifford Cannons of Odessa, Missouri, HOACGA members, brought a piece of glass to the meeting, which they wanted identified. It was a Millersburg nappy, only one other was known to exist at that time. Note: These nappies have now been identified as being made by Dugan.

The Reverend N.E. Nething of Pennsylvania reported owning 5 aqua opalescent Grape & Cable punch cups. He wanted to know if anyone owned the punch bowl and base. He said that one AO punch cup was sold at the Cannon auction in April, 1972. Note: It took 20 years for the punch bowl & base and 5 more cups to come out of the woodwork.

April - Ron & Dee Ann Yancey left Kansas City on April 11, 1976 to pick up the souvenir "76 Whiskey Decanter & Shot Glasses". They did not arrive back in Kansas City until April 22, only one day before the convention.

The fourth HOACGA convention was held April 23, 24, & 25 at the Western Hills Motel, Merriam, KS. The weather was not very cooperative. It rained all three days and was cold. Since all of the rooms opened to the outside, most of the people kept their doors closed. Most of us were not very enthusiastic about going from room to room.

Club officers elected at the business meeting were:

- Cheryl Bollinger - President
- Sadie Treff - Vice President
- Dee Ann Yancey - Treasurer
- Le Re Kavanaugh - Secretary
- Helen James - News Editor

A few days after the convention, the souvenir Whiskey Decanter sets were packed for shipment to those members that had order them. They could not be sent out because UPS was on strike. The sets were finally shipped on May 19, 1976.

June - It was reported that Mr. Johnnie Ball of Ponca City, OK was robbed. The robbers entered his house through the back door while he was watching television. The robbers held a gun to his head and put a pillow case over his head. They were in his house for about 90 minutes while they were packing his glass. They took about 30 plates, 25 bowls, 7 water sets and several other pieces including a Grape & Cable punch bowl.

July - The Whiskey Decanter set molds were destroyed on July 7, 1976 at the home of Ralph & Florence Mullins.

Byron & Grace Rinehart of Charleston, West Virginia displayed their recent find at the ICGA convention: a marigold Apple Tree vase. It is the same shape and size as the pitcher but it does not have an applied handle.

Corning Museum informed us that Mr. Harold Ludeman has donated a Master Grape & Cable punch bowl and twelve cups for display in the museum.

George Lyman of San Bernadion, CA sent a drawing of a vase that he had purchased and wanted some help in identifying it. The vases we know now as the "Fish" vase which has been attributed to Jain Glass (India).

The bulletin reported the first of the Grape & Cable and Vintage pieces being reproduced with the Northwood trademark on them. The two pieces were a butterdish & nut bowl in a sickly amber color. They were also reproduced in ice blue.

November - It was announced by the convention committee (Cooley Miller, John Britt, & Davis Shikles) that the 1977 HOACGA convention would be held at the Holiday Inn in Overland Park, Kansas.

A very informative educational article named "Pin Trays", by Helen James, appeared in this month's bulletin.

December - The souvenir committee (Kenny James, R.D. Kavanaugh, & Marge Miller) reported that the 1977 souvenir will be a "Good Luck" hatpin holder to be made in red. The hatpin holder will be the same shape as the Northwood Grape & Cable. It was decided to make 620 pieces. 600 to be sold and the additional 20 pieces to be replacements for any possible breakage in shipment or any other damage. The company that would make the hatpin holder was not discussed at that time.

1977

January - The bulletin announced that the banquet speaker for the convention would be Jack & Mary Adams. They are one of the original nine collectors that started HOACGA. They now reside in Wisconsin. Their talk was on Millersburg glass.

The Harnish's reported finding a marigold "Goddess of Athena" epergne. As far as they knew, it was only the third one known.

Helen James had an educational article on "Advertising and/or Lettered Pieces."

February - The bulletin secretary included a letter in the bulletin from Bob Vining that he and Kitty were planning on attending the convention. Bob was the president of the ICGA.

Cheryl Bollinger, the club's president, submitted her resignation as an officer of the club.

The Souvenir Committee reported that the Smith Glass Company had been contacted about making the 1977 "Good Luck" hatpin holder. The price of the souvenir would be \$18.00. Some delay had been encountered in getting commitments on making the souvenir due to the Natural Gas shortage. It was also decided that a hatpin would also be supplied as part of each souvenir.

Roland Kuhn & Don Kime were appointed as a Convention Display committee for the 1977 convention. This was the first year that the club sponsored the room displays.

The bulletin contained a photograph of an amethyst Hobstar & Feather punch bowl. Byron & Grace Rinchart were looking for the base.

March - Due to the resignation of Cheryl Bollinger, Sadie Treff became the president.

Marge Miller, a member of the Souvenir Committee requested that she be sent to the Smith Glass Co., at the expense of the club, so she could view the souvenir being made. R.D. Kavanaugh, a committee member had already made a trip to the factory, at the club's expense. It was pointed out that on several occasions, executives at various glass companies and the mold company had expressed displeasure at having a group wasting so much of their time discussing glass making.

The Wishard auction was held in Louisville, Kentucky. The auction was conducted by Woody Auction Company and it took three nights and 2 days to sell all of the glass. Some pieces and prices were: green "Farmyard" bowl - \$7,500.00, amethyst "Peoples Vase" - \$5,900.00, "Grape & Cable" cuspidor - \$7,000.00, amethyst "Thistle" punch bowl - \$5,800.00, "Persian Garden" chop plate - \$4,000.00

Mr. Leonard Harsh of Bartley, Nebraska joined the HOACGA. Note: Mr. Harsh was the gentleman that always sat on the front row at the auctions and when he decided to buy something, he was always going to be the last bidder. John Woody would have to pack the glass after the auction and then deliver it to his home in Nebraska. When Mr. Harsh died, the glass was still in the box that John had delivered to his home.

John Woody sold part of the Ed Gaida collection in St. Louis. An amethyst "Morning Glory" water pitcher sold for \$6,300.00

The March bulletin contained a letter from Carlton Schleede, president of ACGA regarding the unauthorized use of the Northwood trademark which they own the sole rights to. He stated that they intended to pursue legal action against the people responsible for the reproductions and unauthorized use of the (N) trademark. Note: HOACGA contributed \$1,000.00 to ACGA for the necessary legal action.

April - Roland Kuhn was appointed as the HOACGA vice president.

The bulletin reported that there were 894 paid members with 241 members that had not renewed their membership.

The 1977 HOACGA convention was held April 22, 23 and 24 at the Holiday Inn, Overland Park, KS. The banquet speakers were Jack & Mary Adams. They presented a program of color slides of Millersburg glass. After the banquet, the members enjoyed the music of a three piece band, which lasted until 2:00 A.M. The Woody Auction Co. presented the collection of Dr. & Mrs. Wittman for auction. The auction included a large number of Grape & Cable pieces and mugs.

Officers elected at the business meeting were:

- Cooley Miller - President
- Bob Grissom - Vice President
- Cora Kilgore - Treasurer
- Lucile Britt - Secretary
- Donald Kime - News Editor

Cooley Miller became ill during the convention and was admitted to the hospital with a possible heart attack. He remained in the hospital for a week.

The winners of the room display awards were:

First Place Ken & Fran Abendroth, Appleton, WI
Second Place ... George & Mavis Loescher, Beloit, WI
Third Place John & Lucile Britt, Manhattan, KS

There were a total of 14 room displays.

June - It was decided to retain the hatpin mold for further use by the club.

One of the new members that was welcomed to HOACGA was Floyd & Cecil Whitley of Houston, TX.

July - The 1977-78 Souvenir Committee was Charles Mochel, Mary Francis Derrendinger, and Bill Dawson.

The 1978 Convention Committee was Davis Shikles, Ralph Mullins, and John

Britt.

The Imperial Glass Collectors Society was formed. One of the founders was E. Ward Russell.

Jack Wilson reported finding two stemmed Rosalind compotes. They have not been previously listed. One is amethyst and is about 6" tall and sits on a completely round base. The other one is marigold and is about 9½" tall and sits on an eight sided base.

The Woody Auction Co. held the Hufford auction on June 29th, in Fremont, IL. One of the featured pieces was the aqua opal Peacock at the Fountain fruit bowl, it sold for \$2,550.00. Another good piece was the Millersburg hobstar and Feather vase. When bidding stopped at only \$1,400.00, the owners pulled it from the sale. At that point, the auction was stopped. About 30% of the glass did not sell.

William Crowl was welcomed as a new member of HOACGA.

August - The Australian Carnival Enthusiasts Club reported a membership of 143 and they had celebrated their second anniversary on July 10th.

The bulletin contained a very informative article on marigold carnival by Don Moore.

Jack Stewart of Massachusetts reported finding two peach opal Fisherman's mugs.

September - Carlton Schleede, president of the ACGA, reported that ACGA had obtained an injunction against a John Jennings of Lafollette, Tennessee to restrain him from making, selling, or distributing glassware bearing the (N) trademark. In Mr. Jennings deposition, he stated that the butter dish mold is owned by Tom Mosser of Cambridge, Ohio, and the nut bowl mold is owned by Albert Boston of Cambridge, Ohio. Both pieces of glass were produced by the Mosser Glass Co. of Cambridge, Ohio for Mr. Jennings.

HOACGA contributed \$1,000.00 to ACGA to be used in the litigation of this case.

It was decided that the Corn vase would be made in red as the 1978 souvenir. A quantity of 600 pieces would be made. Twelve whimsys are to be made from the souvenir and sold at the 1978 convention.

It was reported that John Britt was recuperating from a heart attack on August 17.

Sherman Hand reported passing up buying the green "Farmyard" bowl for \$500.00. He bought the purple one for \$750.00 because he like it better. He also reported that Liberace also did not like the green bowl and he too passed it up because he did not like green.

The upcoming Presznick auction was announced for October 9, 1997. The auctioneer is to be Floyd & June Cooper of the Cooper Galleries. The auction will be in Cleveland, Ohio.

October - A decision was made to have the Fenton Art Glass Co. make the 1978 souvenir. The Island Mold Co., of Wheeling West Virginia would make the mold.

Singleton Bailey reported finding an ice green (N) footed "Blackberry" bowl.

Roland Kuhn reported buying a Northwood "Bushel Basket" in vaseline at an auction.

November - It was announced that the 1978 HOACGA convention would be April 28, 29 and 30. It would be held at the Holiday Inn, Overland Park, Kansas.

HOACGA adopted a complete set of By-Laws and new Articles of Incorporation.

The Greguire auction was held in St. Louis on November 11 & 12. The auction was conducted by the Woody Auction Co.

Two new books were announced for 1978, they were:

- Northwood - King of Carnival Glass by Bill Edwards
- The Collectors Encyclopedia of Carnival Glass by Sherman Hand - 19.95

December - O. Joe Olson was a special guest and speaker for the monthly meeting.

Mr. Frank Fenton was invited to be our banquet speaker at the 1978 convention.

The price of \$30.00 was set for the selling price of the 1978 souvenir "Corn" vase.

The 14 extra 1977 hatpin holder souvenirs were destroyed by breaking.

John & Lucile Britt wrote their first educational tumbler article for the HOACGA bulletin. The first tumbler article was on the unlisted and unnamed tumbler. John gave it the name of "Western Thistle". Six of these marigold tumblers were found by Chuck Adams in the Los Angeles area.

Larry Yung was welcomed as a new HOACGA member.

Donald L. Jarrell of Vista, California reported purchasing a Fenton "Peacock at Urn" bowl in aqua.

Wesley Strain, St. Louis, Missouri reported finding three Rising Sun pitchers. One of these had the pedestal base.

1978

January - Rosa Grissom was in charge of the room displays for the 1978 convention. She recommended a monetary award for the first, second, and third place winners of the room displays. First place - \$100 savings bond, Second place - \$75.00 savings bond, and Third place - \$50.00 savings bond.

Marie McGee of Fresno, California and Jane Dinkins of Houston, TX were welcomed as new HOACGA members.

John & Lucile Britt's second article on tumblers was on the unlisted "Herringbone & Mums" tumbler.

February - Tom Burns was welcomed as a new HOACGA member.

Shirley Henry of New York, New York wrote that she had been able to buy two Grape & Cable candle lamp shades for \$18.00 each at a local antique shop.

March - It was reported by the souvenir committee that 647 souvenir Corn vases plus 36 whimseys were made by the Fenton Glass Co. All of the vases and whimseys were shipped to the club. Only 600 were to be sold. Only 12 whimseys were to be sold. The remaining were to be destroyed.

The first of the Carnival Cameos by Don Moore appeared in the bulletin. It was on Corn Vases.

It was reported by Charlotte Williams that the California Club would hold its first convention in Oakland on June 29, 30, and July 1, and 2.

April - The first of the HOACGA mugs, used as the banquet table favor, was made for the convention. The mug was made in ruby red carnival, and was dated.

The 1978 HOACGA convention was held at the Holiday Inn, Overland Park, Kansas on April 28, 29, & 30.

Mr. O. Joe Olson was the speaker at the banquet. His talk was "History of Early Carnival Glass Collectors".

George Loescher gave an educational talk by showing slides of pieces made in

aqua opal.

Jack Wilson presented a educational program of Millersburg glass with a side program.

Bob & Betty Bryner of Miami, Florida reported finding a Millersburg Hobnail spittoon in an antique shop for \$8.00. The owner told her it was a new piece of carnival glass.

Club officers elected at the annual business meeting were:

- Cooley Miller - President
- Davis Shikles - Vice President
- Cora Kilgore - Treasurer
- Lucile Britt - Secretary
- Donald Kime - News Editor

275 people registered for the convention.

The Woody Auction Co. conducted the convention auction. The only known Millersburg "Big Fish" chop plate in purple sold for \$4,400.00. The plate was purchase by Henry Hawk.

The club secretary Lucile Britt reported that on April 26, HOACGA had 1000 paid members.

June - It was reported that Rose Presznick of Lodi, Ohio passed away on June 12.

July - Sadie Treff was appointed Chairman of the 1979 convention.

Roland Kuhn was appointed Chairman of the Souvenir Committee for the 1979 souvenir.

It was decided to make the "Loving Cup" as the 1979 souvenir. The piece would be made in ruby red by the Fenton Art Glass Company. Island Mold would make the mold.

Christ & Ethel Harnish reported buying an ice blue Grape & Cable hatpin holder at a local farm auction. The article did not state the selling price, but the bidding started at \$5.00 and went in \$2.50 steps.

August - The following collectors were welcomed as new members of HOACGA.

- M/M Joe Corrothers, Maumee, Ohio
- M/M Barry Wiggins, Rhodesville, Virginia
- M/M Robert Courts, Batavia, Ohio

- M/M Charles Echols, Marietta, Georgia
- M/M Jim Warren, North Tanawanda, New York
- M/M Robert Gallo, Pontiac, Michigan
- M/M Bud Heeley, Painesville, Ohio
- M/M Eldon Bicksler, Wadsworth, Ohio
- M/M Wesley Bicksler, Wadsworth, Ohio
- M/M John Resnik, Culver City, California
- M/M Robert McCaslin, New Castle, Indiana

The North East Florida Carnival Glass Club met on July 9 and decided to change the name of the club. They are now known as the Florida Orange Tree Carnival Glass Club with the Orange Tree mugs as their logo.

September - The decision to start the HOACGA Notebook was made. The first section was to be on punch sets. These sections would be given to the members at no charge.

Roland Kuhn, the Souvenir Committee Chairman, reported that the 600 Corn vases were all sold and the last one had been shipped.

John & Lucile Britt wrote their first Pictorial Pattern Parade article for the HOACGA bulletin. The article was about the Millersburg Peacock & Urn rose bowl, Millersburg Hobnail bowl, aqua opal Wishbone three footed bowl, and the Cambridge whimsey cuspidor from the Double Star tumbler.

The Educational article on tumblers by John & Lucile Britt featured the Butterfly tumbler. He stated that this tumbler was the most famous tumbler in Carnival glass. The tumbler was sold during the ICGA convention for the sum of \$5,000.00. This is the highest price paid for a carnival glass tumbler. In February 1976, the Frolicking Bears tumbler was sold at the Collier auction for \$3,500.00. In this same bulletin was a photograph of Floyd & Cecil Whitley of Houston, TX, the proud owners of the Butterfly tumbler. This article gives a good accounting of the past ownership history of this tumbler.

M/M Ken Osbon, Gresham, Oregon, M/M Clinton Fox, Dallas, TX & M/M Thurlin Cloud, Pontiac, Michigan were welcomed as new members.

A reporting of the cost of the legal fees by the ACGA in its defense of the (N) trademark was \$7,106.69.

Mr. Frank Roan III of McEwensville, Pennsylvania auctioned the collection of M/M Robert Marcum at the Tiger Hotel in Columbia, Missouri. The auction was held on August 18 & 19. It consisted of over 1000 pieces of carnival glass. Some of the price realized were:

P	Fluffy Bird water set	\$800.00
B	Peach water set	\$800.00
A	Marilyn water set	\$650.00
A	Oriental Poppy water set	\$650.00
M	Gay Nineties tumbler	\$850.00
M	Jeweled Heart pitcher	\$700.00
P	Perfection pitcher	\$2,500.00
P	Perfection pitcher	\$420.00
B	Milady pitcher	\$400.00
IB	Acorn Burr punch set	\$1,200.00
A	Morning Glory tumbler	\$350.00

October - M/M Marvin Loughmiller, Troutdale, Oregon was welcomed as a new member.

The Woody Auction Co. auctioned the Neal Markham collection in Effingham, Illinois on October 20 & 21. It was the last auction of the year. Some of the items sold were:

Amethyst	Goddess of Harvest bowl	\$2,700.00
Purple	Corn Husk vase	\$2,100.00
Marigold	Corn vase	\$425.00
Marigold	Town Pump	\$1,100.00
Purple	Town Pump	\$450.00
Marigold	Heart & Horseshoe bowl	\$375.00
Marigold	Concord plate	\$225.00
Blue	Good Luck (Electric)	\$300.00
Marigold	Coral plate	\$290.00
Purple	Wishbone & Spades chop plate	\$600.00

November - The 34 extra souvenir Corn vases were destroyed at the HOACGA monthly meeting by breaking them and destroying the pieces.

Angela Hallam, England and M/M Carl Hendrickson, Montpelier, Vermont were welcomed as new members.

It was reported that Cooley & Marge had purchased the only known aqua opal Orange Tree loving cup. The article did not mention the price.

1979

January - O. Joe Olson reported his initial publication of The Tumbler and Mug News. His first issue included articles by Don Moore and John Britt.

February - Lincoln-Land Carnival Glass club announced their fifth annual convention to be held in Joliet, Illinois on June 8, 9 & 10. The convention featured the largest auction of rare carnival ever to be sold in the Chicago area. Some of the featured pieces were:

Purple Farmyard bowl
Green Peter Rabbit plate
Elks plate
Green Grape & Cable lamp
Amethyst Rose Columns vase
Several pieces of red and aqua opal

March - Iris Herring wrote about the formation of the Texas Carnival Glass club on February 18. The first meeting was at the home of Jody Mitchell in Houston.

Officers elected were:

- Floyd Whitley - President
- Gerden Clark - Vice President
- Iris Herring - Secretary
- Roy Simms - Treasurer
- Jane Dinkins - Editor
- Jody Mitchell - Research Editor

M/M Donovan Doyle, Rockford, Illinois were welcomed as new members as was Ruth Schinestuhl, Absecon, New Jersey.

April - The club had received a letter from a member telling of the reproduction of the Dahlia, Floral & Grape, Grapevine Lattice, Vintage Banded and Heavy Iris water sets. These sets did not have any markings to identify the maker.

The 1979 HOACGA convention was held at the Holiday Inn, Overland Park, Kansas on April 27, 28, & 29. 314 members registered for the convention. The business meeting was held on Friday at 2:00 P.M.

Officers elected were:

- Cooley Miller - President
- Davis Shikles - Vice President
- Lucile Britt - Secretary
- Cora Kilgore - Treasurer
- George McGrew - Bulletin Secretary

There were 243 members in attendance at the banquet on Friday evening. George Loescher was the banquet speaker. His topic was "The Heart of Carnival Glass". The banquet room was so crowded that it was not possible to get out of your seat. The banquet meal was Cornish Hen. The kitchen personnel evidently

did not know how long to cook the chicken because all of the meals were rare. Rare Cornish Hen is not the best meal that you could ever have.

On Saturday night, the local club wives prepared a chuck wagon meal and it was served to all of the members. A band played Western music after the meal and the club supplied all of the refreshments. The band played and some of the members danced until the wee hours of the morning.

Harold Ludeman of Black River Falls, Wisconsin, gave an educational talk on Grape & Cable. Harold had a very outstanding collection of Northwood glass.

There were 43 room displays set up for viewing by members. The room display winners were:

The winners of the room display awards were:

First Place	M/M Byron Rinehart	\$100.00
Second Place ...	M/M Don Moore	\$80.00
Third Place	John & Lucile Britt	\$60.00
Fourth Place ...	Phillip Perry	\$40.00
Fifth Place	Lonnie Harper	\$20.00

The Woody Auction Co. handled convention auction. It consisted of the collection of Wilson Reed. Some pieces in the auction were: vaseline Millersburg Peacock rose bowl, amethyst Hobnail Whimsey bowl and an aqua opal Wishbone bowl and several plates.

The first section of the HOACGA Notebook was ready to be given to members. This section was on punch sets. The majority of the information was supplied by Bib Vining and Don Moore.

The 1979 souvenir was the ruby red Orange Tree loving cup. The piece was made by the Fenton Art Glass Co. 600 sets were made for sale to the members. The price for the loving cup was \$35.00.

13 Whimseys were made from the loving cups and they were auctioned at the convention. The total price of the whimseys was \$2,755.00.

Evelyn Russell sent information about The Nation's Capital Carnival Glass Club to be included in the HOACGA bulletin. They were planning the semi-annual antique show. The members used the antique show as a way of selling some of their carnival pieces. She stated that the club was the oldest carnival glass club - it was started in 1964.

M/M Elwood Funk, Lititz, Pennsylvania and M/M Herman Krattiger, Broadhead, Wisconsin were welcomed as new members of HOACGA.

The collection of Mrs. Laura Danney was auctioned by the Woody Auction

Co. at Galesburg, Illinois. Some of the items sold were:

Ice Green	Grape & Cable punch set, mid-size	\$1,500.00
Green	Chrysanthemum Nu-Art plate	\$850.00
Amethyst	Leaf Chain plate	\$75.00
Marigold	Concord plate	\$260.00
Marigold	Rose Show plate	\$90.00
Marigold	Illinois Soldiers/Sailors plate	\$450.00
Blue	Peacock at the Fountain compote	\$155.00
Aqua Opal	Hearts & Flowers compote	\$170.00

May - Six hundred of the red Good Luck Orange Tree loving cups were made, only a few were still available for sale. The loving cups sold for \$35.00.

The club welcomed new members M/M Bob Brown, Orange, Texas, M/M Leland Bell, Rocklin, California, and M/M Bernard Paulsen, Olathe, Kansas.

June - The membership dues were increased from \$5.00 to \$10.00 per year, effective June 1980, single or couples. The single membership can purchase two souvenirs if they so desire.

M/M Reginald Dunham, Jacksonville, Illinois and Harold Fortney were welcomed as new members.

July - The Souvenir Committee reported that only 37 of the loving cups were still available. The club only made 600 of these souvenirs.

Grace Rinehart had written an article about their trip to St. Louis to the Moog auction. The truckers were on strike, and they were concerned about being able to obtain enough gasoline to get to St. Louis and back. The price for gas then was .96 per gallon. She reported that the Frolicking Bears pitcher sold for \$9,200.00. She said that it was not obvious at the auction just who the successful bidder was but it was suspected that the pitcher would end up in a collection in Houston, Texas.

Singleton & Cheryl Bailey reported finding a Heavy Hobnail vase at one of their local flea markets. This vase had been reported in white carnival but this vase was blue. The vase is described in Hartung's book 8.

M/M James Vaughn, Hindsville, Arkansas, M/M Laverne White, Grafton, Iowa and M/M Estle M. Wells, Houston, Texas were welcomed as new members.

August - It was decided at the monthly meeting to make the red Grape & Cable candle lamp as the 1980 club souvenir.

The bulletin contained a letter from Frank Fenton of the Fenton Art Glass Company regarding their commitment to marking all of their reproduced and/or

new carnival glass.

Mr. Bill Edwards, Rushville, Indiana, Mr. Roland Church, Berwick, Pennsylvania, Mr. Robert Smith, Boston, Mass., and M/M Tom Sprain, Millbrae, California were welcomed as new members.

September - The cost of making the candle lamp souvenir was reported to be \$6,000.00 for the mold, the candle lamp cost is to be \$18.75 each, and the metal holder is to be \$10.00 each.

John & Lucile Britt reported on a pitcher made of iridized milk glass. The pitcher was made by the John E. Kemple glass company. The pattern on the pitcher was identified as Dewberry.

Singleton & Cheryl Bailey reported finding the first known vaseline Wildflower jelly compote by Millersburg.

October - The October HOACGA meeting was held at the Holiday Inn, Emporia, Kansas. Our special guest was Mrs. Hartung. After the meeting, the members were invited to her home to view her collection. M/M Carl Hendrickson, Montpelier, Vermont were present. They were on their way to Arizona where they would spend the winter.

It was decided that there was not enough time to make the candle lamp souvenirs before the 1980 convention, so the souvenir was changed to be the hatpin holder that had previously been made. This time, it would be made in ice green.

It was announced that the 1980 HOACGA convention would be held again at the Holiday Inn in Overland Park, Kansas.

M/M Robert Bishop, Dracut, Mass., were welcomed as new members.

November - Mr. Edwin Derrendinger, one of the HOACGA charter members, passed away.

It was decided to make 600 of the ice green souvenir hatpin holders and the price would be \$35.00 each. Twelve whimsys would be made and sold by auctioning them at the 1980 convention banquet.

1980

January - People were concerned about being able to attend the 1980 convention due to the price and availability of gasoline.

The bulletin contained a proposal to have a carnival glass auction in Hawaii. The price would have been \$1,250.00 for seven nights and air fare from Kansas City and return. The Woody Auction company was proposing to have the auction on Waikiki Beach. There was not enough interest, so this was one auction that was not held.

February - The bulletin contained a photograph of the only known marigold Birds and Cherries chop plate. This plate was to be auctioned at the 1980 convention.

Ruth Schinestuhl had an article in the bulletin about Tom Burns' first auction. The auction was held on April 19, 1980 at the Ramada Inn, Bath, New York. All of the glass was from Tom's own collection. Some of the pieces in the auction were:

Ice Green Opal Rose Show plate
Marigold Quill pitcher
Blue Flute toothpick holder
Aqua Opal 15 pieces

April - The 1980 HOACGA convention was held at the Holiday Inn in Overland Park, Kansas on April 24, 25, 26, & 27. Reverend Leslie Wolfe of Villa Grove, Illinois was the banquet speaker. Rev. Wolfe started collecting carnival in 1952. He was the first president of the Society of Carnival Glass Collectors (SCGC) and served as president of the ICGA.

The club served the Chuck Wagon buffet on Saturday evening. The meal was prepared by some of the local members and served at no cost to those in attendance. Lonnie Harper and his country music band entertained and supplied the dance music. The club furnished all of the liquid refreshments.

Officers elected were:

- Cooley Miller - President
- George Bolles - Vice President
- Lucile Britt - Secretary
- Cora Kilgore - Treasurer
- George McGrew - Bulletin Secretary

A motion was made at the Annual Meeting to limit the terms of the officers to two years. The motion failed to receive a majority vote.

The Air Capital Carnival Glass Club was formed and they held their first meeting on Sunday, March 9. The meeting was held in the home of Roland Kuhn & Don Kime in Wichita, Kansas. Ten people were present and they all paid their dues at the meeting. Roland Kuhn was elected as president and Don Kime was

elected vice-president, secretary and treasurer.

Thirty four whimsys made from the hatpin holders were auctioned. There were 12 whimsys from the ice green color, 17 were in frosty white, 2 aqua opal, 2 blue opal, and one red. The whimsys sold for a total of \$5,445.00.

305 members registered for the convention.

June - The Tampa Bay Carnival Glass Club was formed on April 13, 1980. The first meeting was held at the home of Ruth Argyros in Palm Harbor, Florida. Fifteen collectors were in attendance.

Officers elected were:

- Ruth Argyros - President
- Ruth Argyros - Secretary
- Arthur Smith - Vice President
- Alan Randall - Treasurer
- Raymond Argyros - News Editor

July - Herb & Sadie Treff and Frank Ronk were appointed as the convention Committee for the 1981 convention.

November - It was reported that the molds for the souvenir candle lamp would be \$6,000.00.

The bulletin contained a five page article by John & Lucile Britt about the Frolicking Bears tumbler. With the help of George Loescher & Rev. Leslie Wolfe, John traced the complete ownership history of the tumbler.

The club extended our deepest sympathy to Frank Fenton and to his family due to the recent death of his wife after a long illness.

The New England Carnival Glass Club was formed in the New England area. Eleanor C. Hart was elected as their secretary.

1981

January - It was announced that the collection of Ralph & Florence Mullins would be sold at auction by the Woody Auction Co. in St. Louis, MO. The auction was at the Midway Motel on February 7, 1981. Some of the items to be sold were:

Red	Autumn Acorn bowl	\$400.00
Green	Thistle plate	\$750.00
Red	Flowering Dill hat	\$250.00

Amethyst	Town Pump	\$350.00
Marigold	Inverted Strawberry cuspidor	\$525.00
Green	Greek Key water set	\$1,100.00
Amethyst	Farmyard square bowl	\$2,500.00
Aqua Opal	Orange Tree loving cup	\$4,000.00
Ice Blue	Dandelion mug	\$750.00
Green	1910 BPOE One Eyed Elk	\$500.00

March - Cora Kilgore resigned as treasurer of HOACGA. The bulletin stated that due to the increase in the volume of money coming into the club it was necessary to have a more professional set of financial books kept.

A special meeting of the Board of Directors was held on March 1, 1981 to appoint a new club treasurer. Mrs. Elizabeth Bolles was appointed.

The candle lamp souvenir was made at the Fenton factory on March 23, 1981. Cooley & Marge Miller and Bob & Rosa Grissom were at the factory to watch the making of the glass.

It was decided to allow each member to purchase a pair of the souvenir candle lamps. The reasoning was that the lamps would be used as pairs rather than as singles. A member could buy only one if they so desired.

April - The 1981 HOACGA Convention was held at the Holiday Inn in Mission, Kansas April 22, 23, 24 & 25, 1981. 325 members were at the banquet where Frank Fenton was the speaker.

Officers elected were:

- George McGrew - President
- George Bolles - Vice President
- Lucile Britt - Secretary
- Elizabeth Bolles - Treasurer
- Don Kime - Bulletin Secretary

The third section to the HOACGA Notebook was available to be picked up at the convention. This section is on table sets.

When the convention was over 411 of the souvenir candle lamps had been sold. Only 600 of these souvenirs were made. The souvenir sold for \$75.00.

A Chuck Wagon Dinner and Dance was supplied by the club at no cost to those attending. The club furnished the Sunday morning breakfast at no cost also.

May - M/M Arnold Snell of Englewood, Colorado were welcomed as new HOACGA members.

June - The secretary, Lucile Britt, reported the HOACGA membership at

1388 members (ones to whom bulletins are sent).

July - It was announced that Bill Heacock will be the banquet speaker at the 1982 convention.

Cooley Miller was appointed souvenir chairman for the 1982 souvenir. Janet Zahn was appointed as convention chairman for the 1982 convention.

August - It was decided at the meeting to make the Wishbone Epergne as our souvenir for 1982.

Norene Campbell (now Duran), New Mexico, Bill Crawl, Florida, Ray Notley, London, England, Frank Ott, New York and Michael Edwards, North Carolina were welcomed as new HOACGA members.

Effie Reece wrote about her find, it was a complete amethyst Checkerboard water set in mint condition. The set was found at an estate sale and was still packed in the original straw that it was originally packed in.

October - The cost estimate of making the souvenir Wishbone Epergne was to be \$29,000.00. It was decided not to pursue this souvenir due to the high cost of producing such a souvenir. It was decided to substitute the Corn vase. The Corn vase was made previously in ruby red. The 1982 souvenir will be made in ice blue.

Mrs. Hartung submitted an article about a piece of glass she found in an out-of-the-way antique shop in Arkansas. It was a Fenton Flowers nut bowl. It was not turned in at the top like the rose bowls and it had a smooth top. It was in cobalt blue base glass.

Bill Edwards reported a marigold butter dish in the Venetian pattern which was made by Cambridge Glass Co. He stated that a spooner and covered sugar are also known in a West Coast collection.

M/M Audrey Magan, Owesboro, Kentucky and M/M Jack Hamilton, Waco, Texas were welcomed as new members of HOACGA.

1982

January - The bulletin reported the death of Marcie Osbon, the wife of Ken Osbon. Ken was serving as president of the Pacific Northwest Carnival Glass club.

Byron & Grace Rinehart reported finding and purchasing the aqua opal

Wishbone bowl. Since it was purchased during the Christmas holidays, they referred to it as their Christmas gift. Not too bad a gift!

February - Marge Miller was appointed as chairman of the nominating committee.

Thirty one of the ice green hatpin holders were destroyed by breaking at the February club meeting. 600 of the souvenirs were to be sold, these were not purchased by the members.

March - It was announced that Tom Burns would be having a fine collection of glass for the convention auction.

A new carnival glass reference book was announced. It is the "Encyclopedia of Carnival Glass" by Bill Edwards.

The new book by Williams Heacock was reported. It is "Fenton Glass - The First Twenty Five Years". It covered the Fenton Glass production from 1907 until 1932.

Bill Edwards submitted an article about the Honeycomb and Hobstar vase by Millersburg. He reported that only two of these vases are known. One is in amethyst which is on display at the Cambridge Museum. The other vase in blue is in Canton, Ohio in a private collection.

The March bulletin reported on the Jack & Liz Wilson Millersburg carnival glass auction that was held at Strongsville, Ohio on February 26 & 27, 1982. Some of the auction results are:

Blue	Rose Column vase	\$8,000.00
Marigold	Hobstar & Feather punch set	\$1,600.00
Green	Hobnail spittoon	\$800.00
Amethyst	Hobnail Swirl vase	\$200.00
Green	Trout & Fly IC bowl	\$325.00
Marigold	Seacoast pin tray	\$275.00
Green	Marilyn pitcher	\$1,200.00
Green	Marilyn tumbler	\$550.00
Blue	Peacock bowl 10" ruffled	\$1,500.00
Amethyst	Rosalind compote, 6"	\$425.00
Amethyst	Rosalind compote, tall, ruffled	\$1,050.00
Vaseline	Acorn compote	\$3,000.00
Amethyst	Cherries table set	\$600.00
Amethyst	Cleveland Memorial ashtray	\$1,000.00
Marigold	Ohio Star vase	\$500.00
Marigold	Rose Column vase	\$900.00

April - "Carnival Glass Rarities", a new book by Don Moore was reported to be available for purchase for \$8.50. This is a forty page book on carnival glass rarities and lists the top 10 rarities.

John Resnik was seeking information on all advertising and commemorative carnival glass pieces. John is planning a book on such pieces.

The first section of the water sets for the HOACGA Notebook was ready for distribution to the members. The first section covered the patterns Acorn Burrs thru Jeweled Heart. All of the sections to the Notebook have been supplied to the members at no cost.

The 1982 HOACGA Convention was held on April 22, 23, 24 & 25 at the Holiday Inn in Overland Park, Kansas.

Officers elected were:

- George McGrew - President
- George Bolles - Vice President
- Diana Treff - Secretary
- Elizabeth Bolles - Treasurer
- Don Kime - Bulletin Secretary

Bill Heacock was the speaker at the banquet on Friday evening. He spoke about the life and times of Harry Northwood.

The ice blue Corn vase was the souvenir for the convention. 600 of these vases were made.

A glass identification program was held with Frank Fenton, Bill Heacock, John Britt and Tom Burns as the panel for identification.

The club served a Chuck Wagon dinner on Saturday evening which was followed by dancing to live band music. The party and dancing were reported to have ended at about 2:00 A.M. the next morning.

Tom Burns was the auctioneer for the about 250 pieces of glass.

May - HOACGA welcomed the following new members:

- M/M Yvan Beaudry, Quebec, Canada
- M/M Don Hamlet, Ashboro, N.C.
- M Garth Irby, St. Louis, MO
- M/M Dean Fry, San Diego, CA
- M/M Leroy Smith, Kutztown, PA

June - Lucile Britt had served as the club secretary for five years. During that time, the club grew from 957 members to 1500. Thanks to the efforts of the Britts.

The following new members were welcomed to HOACGA:

M/M Bruce Hill, Lake Worth, FL
M/M Norman Bosselman, Grand Island, NE
M/M Ray Knight, Tuscon, AZ
M/M Ray Hitchcock, Winterset, IA

July - Janet Zahn was appointed as the 1983 Convention Chairman.

Roland Kuhn was appointed as the 1983 Souvenir Chairman. He will also be responsible for ordering the table favor mugs. The 1983 color was marigold.

Davis Shikles was chosen to be responsible for shipping all club souvenirs, notebooks and any other miscellaneous material that needs to be mailed to members.

It was decided to offer the 1983 convention auction to any auctioneer that can supply an acceptable auction. All auctioneers were notified.

Kenny James of Olathe, Kansas passed away in June, 1982. Kenny and Helen were active in all of the carnival glass organizations. They were one of the early members and active workers of HOACGA. They were very avid and knowledgeable carnival collectors.

August - Janet Zahn resigned as the 1983 convention chairman.

The members at the club meeting choose to make three mugs utilizing the Frolicking Bears pattern. The mugs will be made in three different colors. The colors were to be red, aqua opal, and peach opal.

September - Bob Grissom was appointed to be the 1983 Convention Chairman.

Roland Kuhn reported on the 1983 souvenir, the Frolicking Bears mugs. It was decided that the problems of producing these would be too great. It was decided not to pursue this as a souvenir. It was then decided to make the loving cup as the 1983 souvenir and to make it in marigold over milk glass.

The 1983 HOACGA Convention is to be at the Holiday Inn in Overland Park, Kansas.

October - The 1982 souvenir, the ice blue Corn vase has not sold very well. Cooley Miller, the souvenir chairman suggested that the remaining vases be returned to the Fenton Glass Co. and have some gold gilding applied to these vases. The vases would then be offered to those members that had previously purchased the

original ice blue vases. No ice blue vases would be sold after September 30, 1982. All of those remaining would be returned to the Fenton factory for the addition of the Gold gilding. These will then be offered for \$45.00.

December - The clubs treasury has been declining due to the increased costs that the club has incurred over the past few years. The Board of Directors have considered several options to increase the club's income. (1) The HOACGA notebook inserts have previously been given to the members at no cost. The future inserts will be sold to the members at a cost of \$3.00 each. (2) Increase the membership fee from \$10.00 to \$20.00 per year. This increase will not be effective until the membership has an opportunity to consider it at the Annual Meeting in April, 1983.

1983

January - Some changes to the past convention format were announced. (1) All room reservations must be made by the use of the registration card which was sent to each member. Reservations will not be accepted prior to February 1, 1983. (2) The usual Saturday night Chuck Wagon dinner and dance will not be held this year, due to the cost to the club. (3) The room displays will be judged by three outside judges. This way, all displays will be judged and judged in the same manner.

The selling price for the 1983 souvenir, the loving cup in marigold over milk glass, was set at \$40.00 each.

February - John Britt had an article in the bulletin about a plate that sold at the Woody Auction in Lawrence, Kansas on January 8, 1983. The plate pattern was the Dragon & Strawberry without the Dragon. The dragons that usually appeared in the four different panels were missing. The plate sold for \$1,900.00 to Frank Hulse of Pawhuska, Oklahoma. Don Moore coined the name of "Absentee Dragon & Strawberry" for this plate.

Roland Kuhn, souvenir chairman, reported that the 500 of the 1983 souvenirs are made. 28 whimseys were made from the loving cup.

April - It was reported that the Woody Auction Co. sold the unusual shaped flat ice cream shaped Farmyard bowl for \$8,000.00 at his most recent auction.

The 1983 HOACGA Convention was held at the Holiday Inn in Overland Park, Kansas on April 21, 22, 23, & 24, 1983. The panel of Ray Notley, Frank Fenton, John Britt, and Tom Burns discussed and identified various pieces of glass

brought by members. Mr. Ray Notley of London, England was the banquet speaker. He spoke about glass made by European companies. John & Lucile Britt gave a program on wines, cordials and small pieces of carnival glass. Dorothy Taylor presented an informational program about some of the reproduced pieces of glass. The Burns Auction service presented an auction of the Don & Elsie Weiss collection.

Officers elected were:

- George McGrew - President
- Michael Basey - Vice President
- Diana Treff - Secretary
- Elizabeth Bolles - Treasurer
- Al Rettke - Bulletin Secretary

The annual membership dues change from \$10.00 to \$20.00 was approved by the members at the annual meeting.

May - Marion Hartung passed away on Wednesday May 11, 1983. She was buried by her husband in Salisbury, North Carolina on May 15.

The Burns Auction Co. reported on the Ed Garner auction on May 20 & 21, 1983. Some of the prices realized were:

Near Cut	Decanter (Cambridge)	\$3,500.00
Blue	Diving Dolphins compote (Millersburg)	\$2,500.00
Vaseline	Big Fish tri-cornered bowl	\$2,250.00
Green	Mitered Ovals vase (Millersburg)	\$1,800.00
Red	Dragon & Lotus bowl	\$1,550.00
Blue	Peacock at the Fountain compote	\$600.00

June - This was the first HOACGA bulletin issued with Al Rettke as the bulletin secretary.

Alan Perry, Houston, Texas and M/M Alden Tilberg, Baxter Springs, Kansas were welcomed as new members.

It was reported that 66 of the candle lamp souvenirs are still available for sale to the members. The Board of Directors decided to offer a candle lamp and a gold-gilded ice blue Corn vase at a price of \$100.00.

Several hundred pieces of glass that were seen at the convention were shown or listed in the bulletin. The pieces were:

A Brooklyn Bridge bowl that were missing the words.
A carnival Holly bowl in cobalt blue opalescent. Frank Fenton said that it would have been a factory mistake and extremely rare.

A N's Peacock bowl what was described as a blue/white slag base.
A peach opal Victorian bowl, ice green Mirrored Lotus bowl, ice green large Wild Strawberry large bowl

Florence Cunningham was appointed souvenir chairman for the 1984 souvenir.

July - Florence Cunningham resigned as the souvenir chairman. John Britt was then appointed as the souvenir chairman.

August - Cooley Miller and Davis Shikles were appointed as Co-Chairmen of the 1984 HOACGA convention.

It was reported that Paul Jankauer, Oak Brook, IL found the second known aqua opal Peacock at the Fountain punch set. The set was offered for sale for \$11,000.00 at the St. Louis auction in July.

September - Mrs. Leslie Tuthill told of a lady wanting to sell a piece of carnival glass. When the lady unwrapped the piece, it was an amethyst candy ribbon edge Farmyard bowl.

The bulletin contained a very informative article by Don Moore about the Stag & Holly and Two Flower patterns.

The 2800 piece collection of Bill Carroll was auctioned by the Woody Auction Co. on September 2, 3, & 4. There were 145 buyer numbers.

October - The 1984 Souvenir will be a Butterfly & Berry Fernery in red. The souvenirs must be pre-ordered. This will preclude having excess souvenirs and having the club's money in unsold souvenirs.

A \$5.00 registration fee is being implemented to help defray the cost of the convention.

Cooley Miller, Co-Chairman of the 1984 convention announced that the convention site would be moved to the Holiday Inn at the Airport.

John Muehlbauer wrote an article outlining his successful effort to buy an aqua opal Poinsettia bowl. This was the first of its kind to be found.

The Marion Hartung carnival glass collection was auctioned by the Woody Auction Co. on October 1, 1983. The main attraction at the auction was the aqua opal Acorn Burr punch set. The bidding opened at \$10,000.00 and was finally sold for \$12,000.00. Don Moore was the successful bidder. With the purchase of this punch set, Don now has the Acorn Burr sets in 8 different colors.

November - M/M John Mikkonen, Minnesota, M/M Gary Braden, Illinois,

M/M Tom Mordini, Illinois, & M/M Al Rodenhouse, Michigan were welcomed as new members to HOACGA.

Craig Heely reported finding a Millersburg Cherries 9½" IC bowl with the Hobnail exterior in blue.

1984

January - Eva Backer reported finding an unsigned vaseline bushel basket. At the time, this was only the fifth one known.

Jack Stewart had been able to obtain an ice green Daisy & Plume rose bowl. This was the first in this color reported.

Kenneth and Ester Moon gave 297 pieces of carnival glass to the Henry Ford Museum, Dearborn, Michigan.

Ivan Mitchell submitted an article on the Birds and Cherries pattern. The featured item was a blue 10" six ruffled bowl. It was the first one known in this size.

February - The 1984 HOACGA convention motel has been changed. It will be at the Holiday Inn at the Kansas City Airport.

The Keystone Carnival Glass Club was planning their first Keystone Convention. It is to be held May 25 - 27, 1984.

Ester Rodgers, Brinkhaven, Ohio reported purchasing a green Millersburg Blackberry Wreath spittoon at a local auction. It measures 4½" across the top and 2½" across the bottom.

Smokey Cloud, Michigan recently found an ice green Grape & Cable water pitcher.

Ray Notley, England found a red Fenton's Flowers rose bowl.

It was reported that John Muehlbauer found a peach opal Stag & Holly bowl in British Columbia. The bowl was not for sale.

March - O. Joe Olson passed away on Sunday, February 19. Mr. Olson was considered to be an authority on carnival glass and was the editor of the carnival glass News & Views. He was an honorary lifetime member of HOACGA.

John Britt submitted an article to the bulletin on the "Stream of Hearts" goblet with the Persian Medallion exterior. This is the only known goblet in this pattern.

The Stream of Hearts is known in a ruffled compote in marigold only.

It was reported that Rick Kojis, West Allis, Wisconsin found an aqua opal IC shaped Master Peacock & Urn bowl. When he went to see the man that had it, the man could not decide which one of the two that he owned to sell. Only two of these were known at that time.

James Moore, New York City, reported purchasing an iridized custard Peacocks bowl, marked with the "N". This is only the third one of these bowls reported.

Herb Treff was appointed as chairman of the nominating committee.

April - Marion Quintin-Baxendale writes of two Fenton, marigold on milk glass Peacock at the Urn ruffled bowls being found in England.

The 1984 HOACGA convention was held at the Holiday Inn at the Kansas City Airport

Officers elected for 1984-85 were:

- Cooley Miller - President
- Diana Treff - Vice President
- Lucile Britt - Secretary
- Karen Engle - Treasurer
- At Rettke - Bulletin Secretary

Helen James gave a talk at the Thursday luncheon. She reported on some adventures of carnival glass hunting by she and Kenny. It was a most interesting travelog of their experiences.

Thursday evening, a glass identification and panel discussion was held with Don Moore, John Britt, Frank Fenton, and Tom Burns as the panel. Several members brought glass for comments.

The Friday evening banquet speakers were Floyd & Cecil Whitley, Houston, Texas. They brought a fantastic assortment of rarities and told of how they had acquired them. The talk was by far the highlight of the convention.

HOACGA members Herb & Sadie Treff celebrated their 58th Wedding Anniversary during the convention.

The five room display winners were:

Harold & Arlene Cox - "Mr. Peacocks Ice Cream Parlor" (Seven different colors of Peacocks ice cream sets. He was able to add the eighth at the auction, an aqua opal set.)

Don & Connie Moore - Eight different colored Acorn Burrs punch sets.

Garth Irby - with a grouping of Lions in a Lions Den. The display consisted of two custard Lions plates.

Bob & Dorothy Gallo - had a display of baskets in an Easter Basket display.

Bob & Nancy Stremming - had a "White Christmas" theme showing all white carnival glass.

Corn Husk Vase.....	\$5,000.00
Goddess of Harvest bowl.....	\$3,750.00
Peacock & Urn bowl, aqua opal.....	\$3,000.00
Peacock at the Fountain punch bowl, white.....	\$2,250.00
Acorn Burrs water set, green.....	\$900.00
Acorn Burrs table set, green.....	\$650.00
Rose Show plate, ice blue.....	\$575.00
Border Plants bowl, purple.....	\$400.00
Nu-Art Homestead plate, white.....	\$600.00
Butterfly & Berry table set, blue.....	\$525.00

May - In the Don Moore "Carnival Cameos" article, he reported on the peach opal Orange Tree plate. He stated that this was the only known plate in peach opal.

It was reported that the white Beaded Shell mug sold for \$1,225.00 and an ice blue Dandelion (Knights Templar) mug brought \$1,000.00 at the Geisinger auction.

Lucile Britt reported that only 24 of the 1984 souvenir Fernerys are unsold.

June - The June bulletin had a photograph of Don & Connie Moore presenting a blue Grape & Cable "Pacific Coast Mail Order House" Orange Bowl to Frank Fenton for use in the Fenton Art Glass Company Museum. The bowl was purchased from the O. Joe Olson collection and it is damaged. The only other Grape & Cable Orange bowls with this advertising was sold at the Bill Carroll auction. They were both marigold and one of them was damaged. They sold for \$1,450.00 and \$950.00

Chuck & Peggy Bullard reported on their loss during the recent earthquake in Morgan Hill, California. They had only been collecting carnival glass for about three years, but some of the pieces they lost were: marigold Rising Sun water pitcher, ice blue Stretch Lemonade set, green Greek Key water set, green Hobstar & Feather giant rose bowl, and a blue Butterfly & Berry hatpin holder.

The bulletin reported that an Australian collector found a Goddess Of Harvest ICS amethyst bowl. This is the first ICS bowl reported. The ruffled bowl sold at the April HOACGA convention auction for \$3,750.00.

Larry Yung reported finding a 10 1/2" bowl in the Grape Frieze pattern. The base glass is custard, this is a Northwood pattern. The bowl has the Northwood "N" in a circle.

The bulletin reported a Vineyard tumbler with the pattern painted, Blue Grapes, Green Leaves & Vine on a pale Gingerale colored glass.

July - Al Rettke, bulletin secretary, reported seeing the lime green opalescent Orange Tree Variant pitcher that was shown by Bob Strasburger at the ICGA convention.

The fifth known Frolicking Bears tumbler was found by Bob & Dorothy Gallo of Pontiac, Michigan. The tumbler has some damage and was found in Indiana.

John & Lucile Britt's Pictorial Pattern Parade article reported on the Lotus & Grape bowl. This particular featured item did not have the grapes. They referred to it as the Absentee Lotus & Grape bowl. It is the first of these to be reported. A Fern Jackson of Orange, Virginia was the owner. The base glass of the ruffled bowl is Persian blue.

Tom Mordini reported finding the first Millersburg Night Stars Nappy in amethyst. The Night Stars pattern had been reported in a 2 handled bon bon and a card tray only.

John Britt was appointed Souvenir Chairman for the 1985 souvenir.

August - John Meuhlbauer reported that he was able to buy an aqua opal Master Peacock & Urn ice cream bowl.

It was reported that Elvis Randell was able to purchase a Toltec pitcher from Chester & Iris Herring. This is the only known pitcher with this pattern.

September - John Britt, Souvenir Chairman, reported on the 1985 and later souvenirs, a set of four bells. These bells would commemorate the founders of the companies that produced the major portion of carnival glass. The bell will have the portrait of the founder along with the Circle Scroll pattern. The first bell will be made in red and it will be the commemorative of Harry Northwood.

It was decided to have the 1985 HOACGA convention at the same Holiday Inn as in 1984. The Holiday Inn at the Airport.

November - Don Moore had an article in the bulletin "The Top Ten Pastel Water Pitchers". This is his top ten:

Lime Green Opal ... Orange Tree Variant, footed.....	Fenton
Vaseline Blackberry Block	Fenton

Ice Green	Dandelion	Northwood
White	Butterfly & Berry	Fenton
Ice Blue	Wisteria	Northwood
Ice Green	Grape Arbor	Northwood
Ice Green	Grape & Cable, Tankard	Northwood
Ice Green	Oriental Poppy	Northwood
Ice Green	Raspberry	Northwood
White	Ten Mums	Fenton

He also listed his ten runners-up:

White	Heavy Iris	Dugan
White	Cosmos & Cane	U.S. Glass
White	Blueberry	Fenton
White	Orange Tree Orchard	Fenton
White & Ice Blue	Peacock at the Fountain	Northwood
Vaseline	Concave Diamonds	Northwood
White	Orange Tree Variant	Fenton
White	Apple Tree	Fenton
White	Lattice & Grape	Fenton
White	Wreathed Cherry	Dugan

December - An advertisement appeared in the bulletin for the new book "Carnival Glass Tumblers New and Reproduced 1960 - 1984". The author of the book is Tom Sprain.

1985

January - The North-East Ohio Carnival Glass Club was formed and were seeking members. They were meeting in Parma, Ohio.

February - Herb Treff was appointed as the Nominating Committee chairman for the election of officers at the 1985 annual meeting.

March - The bulletin contained a tribute to Jack Stewart, who passed away in early February. A tribute was submitted by Dick & Diane Wetherbee, Rochdale, MA and Pat & Jim Call.

John Britt, souvenir chairman, reported that the 1985 souvenir bells featuring the portrait of Harry Northwood were made on March 18th. This is the first of the series of bells commemorating the early makers of carnival glass. This first bell is in red. Also, there were 33 whimseys.

April - The 1985 HOACGA Convention was held at the Holiday Inn Airport on April 25, 26, 27 & 28. The treasurer, Karen Engle, reported a fund balance of \$28,848.37 as of 3-31-84.

The souvenir for 1985 was the red Circle Scroll bell with the portrait of Harry Northwood. One of the souvenir bells was sent to Elizabeth Northwood Robb, the granddaughter of Harry Northwood. She supplied the photograph of Harry for the portrait.

Officers elected at the annual meeting were:

- Robert L. Grissom - President
- Nadine Paulson - Vice President
- Glenn Fortney - Secretary
- Karen Engle - Treasurer
- Marge Miller - Bulletin Secretary

Albert Rodenhouse was the luncheon speaker. Al has an extensive collection of carnival tumblers. He displayed and talked about his tumblers.

John & Lucile Britt were the banquet speakers on Friday evening. The talk was on glass made by the different glass companies. There were 233 members present at the banquet. The 36 whimseys were auctioned after the banquet. The prices varied from \$35.00 to \$300.00. Frank Fenton purchased an aqua opal bell and then donated it to the club.

The Saturday auction was the collection of Louis Bradford of Kentucky. Tom Burns was the auctioneer. It was reported that there were 130 bidding numbers given out. The total of the auction was about \$75,000.00.

A Chuck Wagon dinner was prepared by some of the local members and they also served the guests in a buffet style. Big Band dance music was supplied by Mr. Dooley Weilert.

The room display winners were:

Cooley & Marge Miller	Peacock Gardens	1st Place
Don & Connie Moore	Ice Green	2nd Place
Robert & Nancy Stremming	Rose Bowls	3rd Place
Don Kime & Roland Kuhn	Prize Catches	4th Place
Bob & Dorothy Gallo	Frolicking Bears	5th Place

August - Charles & Eleanor Mochel were appointed Co-Chairman of the 1986 HOACGA convention.

The San Diego County Carnival Glass Collectors Club had its first

organizational meeting on June 6, 1985. 26 interested collectors were present, 22 paid their dues that day. Their second meeting was held on July 23, 1985 with 36 collectors present.

Officers elected at the annual meeting were:

- Diane Fry - President
- Dee Sponsler - Vice President & Program Chairman
- Kim Landry - Secretary & Bulletin Chairman
- Kathy Harris - Treasurer
- Rusti Shupert - Historian
- Margaret Werdal - Refreshment Chairman

September - It was decided to have the 1986 HOACGA convention at the Holiday Inn in Southwest Lenexa, Kansas.

November - A decision was made to have a Hobnail Spittoon made as the room display award. Each person having a room display will receive a spittoon.

Elvis Randell reported finding and purchasing a very rare Rose Pinwheel bowl in green. This was the first green bowl reported. Two amethyst bowls are known. The maker is unknown, but it is believed that the company that made the rare Rose & Greek Key plate made this piece also.

December - The bulletin reported the death of a long time carnival collector and member, Ed Knitter.

It was reported that the second of the souvenir bell series will be lime green opalescent and will commemorate Frank Fenton, founder of the Fenton Art Glass Company.

Cecil Whitley announced the completion of her book on Enameled Tumblers. This is the first such book written on these tumblers. The book contains photographs and information on 60 different enameled tumblers. This is the first time some of these tumblers have been shown or named.

Elvis Randell reported finding a Stag & Holly bowl in what he called red vaseline. He said that the bowl glowed under a black light even out to the edges. The bowl has red feet and the collar base is yellowish with red streaks throughout the bowl. He advertised it for sale for \$2,500.00.

1986

February - John & Lucile Britt's Pictorial Pattern Parade article was about

the very rare Peacock Tail & Daisy bowl. This pattern is only shown in the Presznick Book - plate 155. It was first shown at an ACGA convention by Frank Fenton. It was first thought to be a Fenton pattern but was decided later to have been made by Westmoreland. The color of the bowl is amethyst and only one is known in carnival glass.

March - Diane Treff was appointed as chairman of the Nominating Committee.

Don & Marie Martin, St. Petersburg, Florida reported finding a blue opal Peacock on the Fence ruffled bowl.

Elvis Randell reported his latest find, a Millersburg Peacock large berry bowl in vaseline. He states that it is the only one known and it is very outstanding in color and iridescence.

Tom Burns announced the upcoming auction of Richard & Mary Noonan of Indiana. Some of the pieces in the auction were:

Cobalt Blue Raspberry water set
Cobalt Blue Grape & Cable Master punch set
Green Ivy Town Pump
Green Hearts & Flowers plate
Amethyst Concord plate
Marigold Cherry Cable & Thumbprint water set
50 plates
3 Peacock & Urn ice cream sets
15-20 water pitchers

April - At the annual meeting, the club's by-laws were changed to allow the officers to serve two year rather than one year terms and also to have the terms staggered. The vice-president, treasurer, & bulletin secretary will be elected at the same time. The president and secretary to be elected at the same time.

The treasurer Karen Engle reported:

June 1, 1985 beginning balance	\$23,305.10
March 31, 1986 balance	\$19,109.81

Officers elected at the annual meeting were:

- Robert Grissom - President
- Nadine Paulson - Vice President
- Glenn Fortney - Secretary
- Bernice Bell - Treasurer
- Michael Basey - Bulletin Secretary

Fifty Nine members had room displays. The room displays judged as the best were:

Same Pattern ... John Muehlbauer; Chris Reynolds

Same Maker Marie McGee; Jerry Stoner

Same Color Jane Brown; Bob & Rosa Grissom

Theme Design . George & Mavis Loescher; Roland Kuhn & Don Kime

Rarity John & Lucile Britt; Elvis Randell

George & Mavis Loescher gave a very informative and interesting seminar on their opalescent glass. George, in his humorous and unique way, reminisced about how they found and purchased each piece in their display.

John Resnik presented a program on advertising or lettered pieces. John has been able to collect one of the finest collections of advertising and lettered pieces.

John Muehlbauer gave a very interesting program on collecting carnival by color. John has always been very particular about the iridescence and color of his glass. The June 1986 HOACGA monthly bulletin has a very good detailed report of John's talk.

The 1986 souvenir was the green opal bell with the portrait of Frank L. Fenton, the founder of the Fenton Art Glass Co.

June - All of the HOACGA monthly bulletins to this time were always printed on white paper. This was the first bulletin to be printed on colored paper. The color was pink.

July - It was agreed to let Joan Westerfeld auction her carnival collection at the 1987 convention.

All of the broken pieces of glass from the green room display spittoons was given to Audrey Magan. He is to make a lamp shade from the pieces and then give the lamp shade to the club to be auctioned at the 1987 convention.

The Notebook binders with the peach opal Beaded Cable rose bowl on the front were available.

Ed Kramer, Prairie Village, Kansas attend his first HOACGA meeting.

It was decided to contract with Care Computer to maintain the membership list, and to supply the mailing labels each month.

Christ Harnish reported the passing away of Mr. Earl Bacon of Pennsylvania.

August - The By-Laws of the club state that the annual meeting is to be held

on the fourth Friday of the month of April. The convention is scheduled to coincide with the annual meeting. Due to a scheduling conflict at the Holiday Inn, Lenexa, Kansas, the 1987 convention site, the annual meeting and the convention will be scheduled one week later. The By-Laws will have to be revised to allow for the change in schedule.

It was decided to have the 3rd bell in the series made in cobalt blue and it will contain the portrait of John Fenton, the founder of the Millersburg Glass Company. The table favor mug and the room display hobnail spittoon will be made in the same color.

Jerry & Carol Curtis, Muskogee, Oklahoma and Milton & Marge Almquist, Omaha, Nebraska were welcomed as new HOACGA members.

The bulletin contained a very detailed article on vases by Don Moore. He listed the top 25 vases in the order of their rarity. The top rarity he listed as the Peoples Vase. The known colors were: two known in amethyst, one in green, blue, & marigold. He listed the prices at between \$8,000.00 and \$10,000.00.

November - Effective June 1987, the annual dues for foreign members was increased to \$35.00. This increase was necessary due to the cost of mailing the bulletin.

It was announced that Don & Connie Moore would be the 1987 convention banquet speakers.

Steve Davis, Macon, Georgia was welcomed as a new member.

December - It was decided to video tape all of the 1987 convention programs. This is the first time any convention programs have been taped.

Don Moore's Carnival Cameos reported on the very rare Peacock Tail & Daisy pattern. It was made by Westmoreland, it was only identified by Rose Presznick. It is reported in her book III, plate 155. Only one each of these bowls are known in amethyst (in the Fenton Museum), marigold and iridized blue milk glass (George Loescher collection).

1987

January - Ruth Clark announced the issuance of her book "A Carnival Of Iridescent Luster Buttons". The book has 147 pages and 850 drawings of old iridescent luster button designs.

Sam & Blanche McGill, Broad Brook, Connecticut, James & Ardonia Bucher, Imperial, California, and Joe & Shirley Williams, Prairie City, Iowa were welcomed as new HOACGA members.

Carlton Schleede passed away on November 23, 1986. Carlton was the past president of the ACGA from 1974 to 1978.

Dave Ackerman reported the second known marigold "1910 Detroit Elks" bowl. It was advertised in an auction in Rockford, Michigan. The bowl sold for \$1,025.00.

February - Daryl & Norma Strohm and Joe & Shirley Williams attend their first HOACGA meeting.

Thee Woody Auction Co. announced the auction of the Everett Henry collection. The collection consisted of nearly 1,000 pieces of carnival glass. Also, the Charles Adams, Los Angeles, California collection was to be auctioned in Lenexa, Kansas. This collection contained many advertising pieces.

Grace Rinehart reported the death of Joe Presznick of Lodi, Ohio on December 26, 1986 and Leslie C. Wolfe on January 14, 1987. Mr. Wolfe served as the first president of the ICGA in 19867. She also sent an article about the death of Faye Corrothers, Maumee, Ohio. Faye was the wife of Joe Corrothers. She suffered a massive heart attack.

Diane Fry reported the death of Charles Adams of Los Angeles, California on December 15, 1986.

Richard Hagood, Lexington, South Carolina reported finding a ten inch green Waterlily & Cattails ruffled collar base bowl.

March - Wilbur Bell was appointed as chairman of the Nominating Committee for the 1987 election of officers.

Nadine Paulsen was asked to be in charge of the Hospitality Room for the 1987 convention.

Norene Duran, Ocate, New Mexico reported the purchase of an amber Nu-Art Chrysanthemum plate and an aqua Cherry Circles bon bon.

Elvis Randell told of his finding a Northwood Good Luck bowl in cobalt blue opal with a slag effect throughout the bowl.

Some of the collection of Don & Connie Moore was auctioned by Tom Burns at the Holiday Inn in Richfield, Ohio on march 13 & 14, 1987. Some of the items sold in the auction and their prices are.

Marigold	Grape & Cable fernery	\$950.00
White	Grape & Cable centerpiece bowl	\$600.00
Marigold	Tornado Variant, vase	\$1,025.00
Ice Green	Leaf Column vase	\$275.00
Blue	Horses Head plate	\$500.00
Blue	Memphis fruit bowl	\$2,300.00
Blue	Peter Rabbit bowl	\$1,100.00
Green	Springtime table set	\$1,600.00
Green	Dragon & Strawberry bowl	\$450.00
Red	Holly bowl	\$650.00
Marigold	Peacock at Urn chop plate	\$2,800.00
Green	Tracery Square bon bon	\$900.00
Marigold	Lions Plate	\$650.00
Green	Feather & Heart pitcher	\$400.00
Peach Opal	Persian Garden 6" plate	\$300.00
Green	Orange Tree powder jar	\$375.00
Marigold	Inverted Strawberry water set	\$1,500.00

April - Hazel Kastel, Ottawa Lake, Michigan reported finding a Nautilus vase in marigold. This is considered to be a whimsey.

The Treasurer reported a balance of \$21,673.90 in the bank at the 1987 Annual Meeting.

The Board of Directors positions for election this year are president and secretary. Those listed to fill these positions for the next two years were:

- Bob Grissom - President
- Glenn Fortney - Secretary

Three educational programs were presented at the 1987 convention. Bob Grissom gave a program on Table Sets. 22 sets were displayed and discussed. Marie McGee, Visalia, California gave a talk on Millersburg compotes. The June 1987 HOACGA bulletin has a good article on compotes by Millersburg and other makers. John & Lucile Britt gave a very educational program on "Miniature Pieces".

Joan Westerfield's carnival glass collection was auctioned at the convention. Glen LaRue of Sweet Springs, Missouri was the auctioneer. She was very pleased with the results of the auction. Some of the pieces presented for auction and their prices are:

Amethyst	Honeycomb & Hobstar vase	\$6,500.00
Red	Vintage bowl, 10 inch	\$3,500.00

Blue	Inverted Strawberry Celery	\$1,250.00
Aqua	Tiger Lily water set	\$2,000.00
Green	Morning Glory tumbler	\$1,100.00
Amethyst	Grape & Cable water set	\$410.00
Blue	Peacock & Urn plate	\$425.00
Blue Opal	Hearts & Flowers compote	\$650.00
Blue	Milady water set	\$1,025.00
Red	Holly bowl	\$675.00
Blue	Good Luck bowl, stippled	\$250.00
Aqua Opal	Peacock on Fence bowl	\$500.00
Green	Grape & Cable candle lamp	\$550.00
Amethyst	Signing Birds water set	\$650.00
Amber	Ripple vase	\$30.00
Green	Whirling Leaves bowl	\$60.00
Blue	Apple Tree water set	\$820.00

Audrey & Sue Magan, Owensboro, Kentucky made a lamp shade using broken pieces from the green opalescent Hobnail spittoon room display award. The lamp was donated to the club to be auctioned after the convention. The lamp utilized a Fenton green opalescent Coin Spot vase. The lamp was completely assembled by the Magans. The lamp was purchased by Harold & Dorothy Meyer.

Don & Connie Moore were the speakers for the banquet. He spoke on "Pieces that Grandma Never Had". As usual with the Moore's talk, it was very informative and entertaining. He displayed several rarities which we do not have an opportunity to see very often.

Seventy Four members had room displays at the convention. The winners were:

All One Color	Bob & Nancy Stremming; Mildred Markley
All One Pattern	Roland Kuhn; Karen Engle
All One Maker	Norene Duran; Nola Guthrie
Theme	Helen James; William & Martha Gray
Rarities	John & Lucile Britt; Don & Connie Moore

Michael Basey was the chairman of the judging committee.

The third in the series of the souvenir bells were available at the convention. This bell commemorates the Millersburg Glass Co. It has the portrait of its founder John L. Fenton and is made in cobalt blue. Only 300 of these bells were made. These souvenir bells utilize the Circle Scroll pattern, are dated, and contain the Fenton logo.

May - Many members sent articles about some of their finds. Elmer Ridings, Lees Summit, Missouri wrote about a piece of glass that he sold. He was recuperating from a bout with bronchitis when he answered an ad of Carnival Glass Wanted. When the person came to look at his glass, they wanted to know what he wanted for a certain little bowl on the table. He sold it at a very reasonable price. After the people left, his wife wanted to know why he sold the blue Millersburg Hanging Cherries little bowl. He did not know that was the piece he had sold.

July - Grace Rinehart reported the death of Delber Hunter, Rochester, Indiana. Mr. hunter passed away on May 25, 1987.

September - It was decided to make the 1988 souvenir bell to commemorate the Imperial Glass Company. It will be made in marigold. It was also decided to make a fifth bell that would commemorate the Dugan Glass Company.

It was reported that John Britt had undergone major surgery. On August 12, 1987, John had a triple by-pass. It was reported that he was recovering fine and was now at home.

Roger Glasdsen reported the death of his wife Bea on August 19, 1987. Bea had suffered a massive heart attack. She had been confined to a wheelchair for the past 5½ years after suffering a stroke.

October - It was decided to proceed with the idea of being able to purchase the rights to and the existing hartung Carnival Glass reference books. A Mrs. Ione Henshaw owns the rights to and all of the remaining books.

It was decided to have the November 1987 monthly meeting at the Adventureland Inn in Des Moines, Iowa. Mr. Ray Hitchcock will present a program on carnival glass plates after the dinner on Saturday evening.

November - The bulletin contains a very informative article by Roland Kuhn on the Wishbone pattern. There is an additional Wishbone article by Ed Binstock.

December - The Woody Auction C. will be auctioning the Ivan Mitchell carnival glass collection at the 1988 HOACGA convention.

1988

January - Norene Duran recently purchased a pair of Imperial Grape water carafes in amber. She said that she did not know of any other carafe in the amber color.

February - It was reported that Ray Mummert, Muncie, Indiana died on January 23, 1988. Mr. Mummert was active in the ICGA and had served as their Treasurer.

March - HOACGA was able to purchase the Hartung reference books and also have the rights to renew the copyrights to these books. This transaction was obtained from a Mrs. Ione Henshaw. Mrs. Henshaw inherited these upon Mrs. Hartung's death. Book 3, 5 & 7 were out of print.

April - The 1988 souvenir bell was available at the convention. The bell commemorates the Imperial Glass Company. It has the portrait of Edward Muhleman, founder of the Imperial Glass Company. The color of the bell is marigold. The price of the bell is \$35.00.

Emma Tilton, president of the ACGA reported the end of the lawsuit for illegal use of the Northwood (N) trademark. The club incurred a debt of \$8,000.00 for legal fees in the defense of the lawsuit. They only were able to recover \$2,500.00 from the people who had used the trademark.

Three educational programs were presented at the convention. Norene Duran had a very beautiful display of Imperial Glass. She was assisted in the presentation by her brother Burney Talley and friend Steve Davis. Roland Kuhn and Don Kime had an outstanding display and presentation on the Wishbone pattern. Don & Roland have a collection of nearly all of the Wishbone pieces. It was very informative. Harold Fortney was assisted by Mike Basey on his presentation of the Two Flowers pattern. They discussed the different sizes, shapes and colors in this pattern.

The glass for the convention auction came from the collections of Ivan & Betty Mitchell and Sherman & Violet Kell of Houston, Missouri. The auction was conducted by the Woody Auction Company.

After the Saturday evening banquet, we were all entertained by the John & Lucile Britt Roast. The chief "Roasters" were Floyd & Cecil Whitley. They were assisted in the roast by Doyle Green, Harold Cox, Karen Engle, Bob Vining, Roland Kuhn. Much information was presented by Doyle Green and Floyd Whitley, some of it was probably unknown even to John & Lucile.

Club officers, vice-president, treasurer, and bulletin secretary terms expired. Officers elected at the annual meeting were:

- Eleanor Mochel - Vice President
- Douglas Peters - Treasurer
- Michael Basey - Bulletin Secretary

The room display winners were:

All One Color Ruth & Doyle Green; Helen James/ Karen Engle
All One Pattern Robert & Nancy Stremming; Don LaCock
All One Maker Norene & Tony Duran; Charles & Dorothy Propst
Theme Don Kime/Roland Kuhn; Jane & Bob Brown
Rarities John & Lucile Britt; Jerry & Carol Curtis

July - Don Kime wrote an article about their finding a green Wishbone tri-cornered plate. It was purchased at an auction in Ashville, North Carolina. This was the only plate known.

August - John & Lucile Britt started their "A Peek Into The Past" articles for the HOACGA bulletin. This information was taken from previous advertisements of carnival glass that had appeared in the Antique Trader.

The HOACGA year ending financial report was printed in the bulletin. The May 31, 1988 ending balance was \$20,377.97. This amount of money was transferred from the outgoing treasurer Bernice Bell to the incoming treasurer Doug Peters.

September - The death of Bill Heacock was reported in the bulletin. Bill had done much research into carnival glass makers. He had written several books.

Bev Franzen, Gladstone, Oregon reported her find of a blue Millersburg Rays & Ribbons 9½" bowl. She said that they had been gone from home for two weeks and had stopped in several antique shops. They had decided that this was the last stop on their trip when she found this bowl stacked among several common bowls.

A rare find in Macon, Georgia. Steve Davis reported finding a 10½", 8 ruffled, stippled (N) Peacock & Urn bowl in super pastel marigold.

October - Charles Mochel reported that Bruce Hill had found a blue Tornado vase with interior ribbing.

Richard & Carol Cinclair, Plano, Texas reported finding a lime green opal Bobby Bayou and a Diamond & Oval Thumbprint vases. They are both very rare but the Diamond & Oval Thumbprint is the most rare.

Mary Hanenkrat, Waynesfield, Ohio reported the organization of a new carnival glass club. On September 11, 1988, twenty one collectors met at the home of Henry & Beverly Hawk to form the Western Buckeyes club. The club will meet four times a year.

November - The treasurer Doug Peters reported \$21,461.38 in the clubs treasury.

The Carl & Louise Hendrickson's carnival glass was sold at St. Louis by the

Woody Auction Company on November 11 & 12. There were nearly 800 pieces in the auction. Some of the prices realized were:

Ice Green.....	Poppy Show plate.....	\$3,500.00
Marigold.....	Hobstar & Feather punch set.....	\$1,250.00
Green.....	Peacock & Urn compote.....	\$1,100.00
Ice Green.....	Embroidered Mums plate.....	\$1,500.00
Blue.....	Good Luck bowl.....	\$850.00
Aqua Opal.....	Peacock on Fence.....	\$900.00
Ice Blue.....	Wishbone bowl.....	\$800.00
Ice Blue.....	Rose Show plate.....	\$2,000.00
Green.....	Rose Show bowl.....	\$1,450.00
Red.....	Dragon & Lotus bowl.....	\$900.00
Amethyst.....	Peacocks on Fence plate.....	\$625.00
Marigold.....	Peacock & Urn chop plate.....	\$1,600.00
Ice Blue.....	Grape & Cable Fernery.....	\$1,300.00
Celeste Blue.....	Bushel Basket.....	\$1,900.00
Aqua Opal.....	Three Fruits plate.....	\$2,700.00
Marigold.....	Tree Trunk Elephant foot, (2).....	ea. \$2,900.00

December - James Moore, New York, New York wrote about his latest finds. A green Lotus & Grape plate for \$65.00, he didn't even ask for a discount. He also found an electric blue Good Luck bowl. The price marked on it was \$20.00, but when he went to pay for it the man said that he had it marked half price.

1989

February - The Treasurer reported \$15,849.61 as the bank balance as of December 30, 1988.

Fred & Cathy Roque wrote a very interesting article about their Christmas vacation family outing. Since they happened to pass an antique shop they decided to see if there was any carnival glass. They spotted a pie crust edge aqua opal stippled Grape & Cable bowl for the price of \$95.00. They did ask the usual question "If the owner could do better on the price".

March - The Treasurer reported \$13,005.30 as the bank balance as of January 31, 1989.

Norene Duran reported the purchase of not only one but two blue 9" Open Rose bowls. These are the only two reported to date.

The bulletin contains a very interesting article by Albert Rodenhouse regarding rare tumblers. He lists 25 tumblers that he considers more rare than the Frolicking Bear.

April - The term of the offices of president and secretary were up at the 1989 Annual Meeting. The election results of the annual meeting were as follows:

- Robert Grissom - President
- Nadine Paulsen - Secretary

The 1989 HOACGA Annual Meeting and convention was held at the Holiday Inn in Lenexa, Kansas on April 27, 28, 29 & 30, 1989.

Michael Basey resigned as bulletin secretary effective immediately. Eleanor Mochel of Mission, Kansas was appointed to fill the unexpired term of the bulletin secretary.

Three educational programs were presented during the convention. The first of these was a program by John Mikkonen of Shakopee, Minnesota. John displayed and talked about the Holly pattern. John has a very impressive collection of the Fenton Holly pattern. It was a very informative and educational talk. Bob & Nancy Stremming displayed a very impressive collection of rose bowls for the Friday morning talk. Bob & Nancy had about 125 different rose bowl patterns in their educational talk. On Thursday evening, there was a panel discussion of "The effects of damage to carnival glass". The panel consisted of 5 knowledgeable collectors.

Jim Seeck presented the auction glass from the collection of Toni & Norene Duran's. Some of the prices were:

Marigold.....	Pipe Humidor.....	\$5,000.00
Marigold.....	Many Stars CRE bowl.....	\$525.00
Vaseline.....	Two Flowers footed Sauce.....	\$210.00
White.....	Heavy Grape chop plate.....	\$500.00
Red.....	Orange Tree bowl.....	\$1,250.00
Marigold.....	Holly plate.....	\$110.00
Aqua Opal.....	Rose Show bowl.....	\$800.00
Marigold.....	Nippon plate.....	\$450.00
Amethyst.....	Age Herald plate.....	\$950.00
Red.....	Stag & Holly bowl.....	\$950.00
Amethyst.....	Apple Blossom Twigs plate.....	\$600.00
Blue.....	Peacocks plate.....	\$525.00
Purple.....	Christmas compote.....	\$1,600.00
Amethyst.....	Farmyard CRE bowl.....	\$2,700.00

Red	Dragon & Lotus ICE bowl	\$1,050.00
Red	Plume Panels vase	\$650.00
Red	Persian Medallion bowl	\$2,050.00
Ice Blue	Poppy Show plate	\$1,400.00
Blue	Concord bowl	\$140.00
Green	Seaweed 10" CRE bowl	\$450.00

The speaker for the Saturday evening banquet was Dave Richardson, owner of the Richardson Printing Co. and Publisher of the Glass Collectors Digest. His talk was on Northwood glass.

The 1989 club souvenir was the teal bell which commemorates the Dugan Glass Company. It has the portrait of Thomas E. A. Dugan, the founder of the Dugan Glass Company.

The room display winners were:

All One Color	Steve Davis; Elvis Randall
All One Pattern	Robert & Nancy Stremming; Don & Sandy Brumfield
All One Maker	John & Lucile Britt; Charles & Dorothy Propst
Theme	Joe & Shirley Williams; Jack & Eleanor Hamilton
Rarities	Tom & Sharon Mordini; Jerry & Carol Curtis

May - Paul Berube, Tiverton, Rhode Island wrote about his unique experience when he was able to purchase a blue Fisherman's mug and an ice blue Poppy Show plate. The plate had been sitting in an unheated garage for more than eleven years with other pieces of glass stacked on top of it. The plate was in mint condition.

June - Marge Miller, wife of former HOACGA president Cooley Miller, died on June 13, 1989. Marge had served as the club's bulletin secretary for two years. Marge was a very active member and she and Cooley had put together a nice carnival collection.

Ivan Mitchell died on June 26, 1989 of congestive heart failure. Ivan was always bidder #1 setting on the front row at all of the auctions.

August - Thomas Esliger told of his recent purchase of a green Inverted Thistle compote. The compote was signed "Near Cut" which is the Cambridge Glass Company logo. This was only the second one of these compotes known.

September - The Treasurer's report showed \$12,614.59 as the fund balance as of May 31, 1989. This was a decrease of \$7,763.38 for the Fiscal Year 1988-1989.

Gary Lickver reported of finding two green Peacock & Grape footed plates at

a local flea market. The same person had both of them and since Gary was willing to take both of them he would sell them both for \$60.00.

October - A member of the North East Carnival Glass Club's collection was stolen from his home while he was attending their convention. A total of 59 pieces were stolen.

Bob & Kitty Vining reported the death of Jewell Bennett of East Point, Georgia. She passed away October 3, 1989. She was an active member of the Peach State Carnival Glass Club.

John & Lucile Britt reported the death of William "Bill" Harmon of North Vernon, Indiana. He passed away October 18, 1989.

November - Don Moore wrote about the earthquake that hit the area of California where he lived. They were visiting in Iowa when the earthquake occurred. They could not reach anyone by telephone so they left by car and drove almost straight through. He said that they were very fortunate not losing more than they did. They lost a white Rustic Funeral vase, a pastel marigold Peacock & Urn Master ice cream and 5 sauces. Several pieces were on the floor but they were undamaged. He had considerable damage to his condominium.

December - Dan Mohne of Bixby, Oklahoma wrote about the theft of 168 pieces of his carnival glass. His back patio door had been kicked in during the day.

The bulletin reported the death of Sherman Hand. Sherman was an active carnival collector and an author of several books about carnival glass.

The Woody Auction Company sold the aqua opal Poppy Show bowl at his auction on November 17, 1989 for \$18,500.00. This was the highest price paid for a piece of carnival at a public auction. The previous high was the aqua opal punch set for \$12,500.00. The bowl belonged to Phyllis Whitworth of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Betty Klutts had traded the bowl to Mrs. Whitworth for a purple Acorn Burr water set.

1990

February - Norene Duran wrote about some of her purchases during 1989. Some of the pieces were:

Smokey Amber	Rose Show Plate
Custard	Rose Show plate
Marigold	Garden Path Variant chop plate

Red	Ribbon Tie bowl
Red	Cherry Chain ICS bowl
Red	Waterlily bowl, footed, 10"
Ice Blue	Wisteria water set
Amethyst	Morning Glory pitcher
Green	Frolicking Bears pitcher

Norene said that none of the pieces were exactly a bargain, but she was very glad to be able to purchase the items.

Tom Burns announced the upcoming auction of the Ruth Schinestuhl collection on March 16 & 17, 1990.

March - Robert & Ernestine Brooks of Nova Scotia, Canada wrote about their finding a Star of David rose bowl. They purchased it in New Philadelphia, Ohio while they were there to attend the ACGA convention. After they purchased it, they could not find any reference to the rose bowl in any of the carnival reference materials. They thought they had made a bad purchase. But they started showing it to those attending the convention and it soon started getting a lot of attention.

April - The 1990 HOACGA convention was held at the Holiday Inn in Lenexa, Kansas on April 26, 27, 28 & 29.

The terms of the offices of vice president, treasurer, & bulletin secretary were up. The results of the elections of these officers was as follows:

- Daryl Strohm - Vice President
- Douglas Peters - Treasurer
- Eleanor Mochel - Bulletin Secretary

The first "HOACGA Educational Series - Book I" was available during the convention. This book consists of articles which have appeared in the bulletin written by John & Lucile Britt. The book consists of approximately 150 articles written by the Britts. It does not include tumbler articles. The price of the book was \$12.50.

After much discussion at the Annual Meeting, it was decided not to issue membership cards unless the member especially requested one. The discussion was that most collectors did not every have a need for a membership card. It takes a lot of time for the secretary to issue each members card on an annual basis, plus the cost of sending each card.

Everyone attending the convention were treated to four outstanding programs. The first program on Thursday evening was presented by Singleton Bailey of Loris, South Carolina, on "Millersburg Glass." He displayed the Peacocks, Peacock

& Urn, Trout & Fly, & Big Fish patterns for his talk. The Thursday evening program was on Small Bowls (ones that have a matching larger bowl), presented by Garth Irby of St. Louis, Missouri. Garth displayed and discussed 60 different patterns from his collection. The third program was on Friday morning and was presented by Joyce Seale, Bob Allaire and Richard Cinclair. The program was on red carnival pieces. The display consisted of 58 pieces with 50 different patterns displayed. Richard Cinclair was the spokesman for the talk.

The Albert Rodenhouse collection was auctioned by Jim Seeck. Albert had collected pitchers and tumblers, many rare and unusual pitchers and tumblers were included in the auction. Some of the prices realized were:

Vaseline	Blackberry Block pitcher	\$2,750.00
Amethyst	Farmyard bowl, square	\$2,850.00
Aqua Opal	Three Fruits plate	\$1,800.00
Green	Peacocks plate	\$900.00
Ice Green	Peacocks plate	\$450.00
Green	Peacocks bowl, PCE	\$1,050.00
Peach Opal	Fisherman's mug	\$1,000.00
Ice Green	Embroidered Mums plate	\$1,850.00
Marigold	Rising Sun tumbler	\$250.00
Purple	Fashion tumbler	\$250.00
Marigold	Morning Glory tumbler	\$825.00
White	Beaded Shell mug	\$400.00
Ice Blue	Drapery rose bowl	\$1,075.00
Green	Orange Tree mug, shaving	\$1,150.00
Amethyst	Birmingham Age Herald plate	\$2,100.00
Blue	Lily of the Valley pitcher	\$4,000.00
Blue	Lily of the Valley tumbler	\$425.00
Amethyst	Harvest Flower tumbler	\$1,000.00
Blue	Fentonia Fruit tumbler	\$300.00
Blue	Stork & Rushes mug	\$700.00
Green	Dandelion mug	\$700.00
Amethyst	Gay Nineties tumbler	\$650.00

Harold Cox was the banquet speaker. He displayed and discussed his Peacock & Urn ice cream sets. Harold celebrated his 71st birthday as our banquet speaker. He said that he was taking the Peacocks back home to roost.

There were 80 different room displays. The winners were:

Color	Robert Stremming; Todd & Susan Kuwitsky
Pattern	Jerry & Bertie Metzger; Larry & Judy Nesbit

Maker Charles & Dorothy Propst; Roland Kuhn
 Theme Doyle & Ruth Green; Clint & Jean Fox
 Rarities John & Lucile Britt; Tom & Sharon Mordini;

The treasurer Doug Peters reported \$14,804.00 as the treasury ending balance as of April 30, 1990.

The total sale of the whimsies was \$2,100.00

June - Barbara Nelson of Moultonboro, New Hampshire wrote that she had just recently acquire her late mother-in-laws carnival collection, which had been packed away for over twenty years. Two of the pieces that she unpacked were the amethyst Concord plate and a green Blackberry Block tankard pitcher.

July - Stephen & Glen Thistlewood of Hampshire, England and Ron & Mary Ann Roque of San Francisco, California were welcomed as new members to HOACGA.

Jerry & Carol Curtis of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma reported their find of an unlisted Millersburg chop plate. They found it at a flea market which was recommended by John Britt. The pattern is Trefoil Fine Cut. The pattern is on the back of the plate. The front of the plate does not have any pattern at all.

Tom Courts of Pensacola, Florida told of his find in a newly opened antique shop in Mobile, Alabama. As he entered the building, he saw this blue Rose Show plate sitting on the edge of a table. It did not have a price on it. When he asked the owner about the price he told him it was the best piece of carnival glass that he had ever had. He said that he was going to ask \$60.00 for it but if he wanted it, he would take \$40.00. When he could stop from shaking he was able to write the check and leave.

August - The bulletin reported the death of Nancy Stremming of Strasburg, Illinois. Nancy and Bob were in attendance at most of the carnival conventions and auctions. Nancy had a long illness due to cancer.

The August bulletin reported some of the prices realized at the Ivan Mitchel auction. The sale was conducted by the Woody Auction Company on April 6 & 7, 1990. Some of the prices were:

Green	Thistle plate	\$2,750.00
Aqua	Three Fruits plate, stippled	\$1,600.00
Blue	Rose Show Variant plate	\$2,500.00
Aqua Green Opal	Rose Show plate	\$3,000.00
Amethyst	Concord plate	\$2,700.00
Red	Orange Tree bowl, ruffled	\$1,300.00

Red	Vintage ICS small bowl	\$1,300.00
Blue	Dragon & Lotus plate	\$3,400.00
Red	Peacock & Urn compote, Fenton	\$1,700.00
Green	Three Fruits bow, stippled	\$1,100.00
Red	Vintage bowl, 9"	\$1,150.00
Amethyst	Birmingham Age Herald plate	\$1,500.00
Blue	Milady water set	\$1,100.00
Amethyst	Inverted Strawberry water set	\$1,600.00
Green	Mitered Ovals vase	\$4,500.00
Blue Opalescent	Embroidered Mums bowl	\$3,800.00
Marigold	Dragon & Lotus plate	\$2,700.00
Green	Lotus & Grape plate	\$1,300.00
Red	Persian Medallion bon bon	\$1,050.00
Green	Peacocks on Fence PCE bowl	\$1,400.00

September - The bulletin contained a very good article by Don Moore where he compared a top 100 rarities that was issued by Mr. O. Joe Olson in 1970 to his top 100 rarities in 1990. The number one by Joe Olson was amethyst Peoples vase. Don Moore's number one was aqua opal punch set in Acorn Burr.

November - Bob Vining of Chatsworth, Georgia died on October 16, 1990. Bob and his wife Kitty were active members of most of the carnival glass clubs. He had served as president of the ICGA in the past. He was very active and one of the early pioneers of carnival.

It was reported that Shirley Sheibley of New Cumberland, Pennsylvania, died September 21, 1990.

1991

January - The club offered a marigold Rose Show Variant bowl as a raffle piece to be given away at the 1991 convention. This is the first time that a raffle has been held as a way of raising money for the club. The raffle tickets are to be sold for \$1.00 each or twelve tickets for \$10.00.

Marie McGee placed a request for information for Millersburg glass. Marie wanted to obtain additional information about Millersburg glass in order to start assembling information for her Millersburg book.

February - The membership dues were increased from \$20.00 to \$25.00 per year for U.S. and Canadian members and increased to \$40.00 for all foreign

members. This increase in cost will allow the membership dues to cover the cost of printing and mailing the bulletin.

Doyle Green, Cleburne, Texas died on February 6, 1991. Doyle was a past president of the Texas Carnival Glass Club. He and Ruth were active members in most of the carnival clubs.

It was decided to make a souvenir for the 1991 convention. The souvenir will be a small plate with the Peacock & Dahlia pattern on the frontside. The souvenir will be made using an old Imperial mold of the Lustre Rose pattern. Fenton will make a new plunger with the Peacock & Dahlia. So the plate will have the Lustre Rose pattern on the backside and the Peacock & Dahlia on the frontside. It is to be made in ruby red. The plate will sell for \$37.50 each.

The Treasurer's report showed an ending balance as of December 31, 1990 of \$11,340.09.

A new Northwood book was announce: "Harry Northwood, The Early Years 1881-1900". The authors of the book are Heacock/Measell/Wiggins. The book sold for \$21.95.

Richard Hagood wrote of his finding a low ruffled shallow bowl in the Peacocks on the Fence pattern, the color is a light blue opal. He also found a green Lovely bowl. He believes this is only the second known bowl.

Janet Knechtel reported her find of a white Orange Tree mug for a price of \$12.00 but she was able to get it for a more reasonable price of \$8.00. She also found a moonstone Corinth vase for \$45.00.

Singleton Bailey announce an upcoming auction on March 22 & 23 of some of the glass from his collection and the collection of Henry Hawk.

March - Tom Burns auctioned the collection of John Muehlbauer on February 23, 1991 in Richfield, Ohio. Some of the prices realized were:

Marigold on Custard Rose Show plate	\$12,000.00
Marigold Rose Show Variant plate	\$575.00
Marigold Rose Show plate	\$2,100.00
Ice Blue Grape Arbor pitcher	\$2,750.00
White Acorn Burrs punch set	\$3,500.00
Ice Blue Peacock at the Fountain pitcher	\$1,750.00
Blue Peacock & Urn plate	\$2,300.00
Red Dragon & Lotus ICS bowl	\$1,500.00
Aqua Opal Embroidered Mums bowl, ruffled	\$4,100.00
Ice Green Acorn Burrs punch set	\$10,000.00

Blue	Captive Rose plate	\$250.00
Aqua Opal	Peacock at the Fountain punch cup	\$1,300.00
Aqua Opal	Three Fruits plate, stippled	\$2,500.00
Blue	Embroidered Mums bowl, ruffled	\$550.00
Marigold	Peacocks plate	\$600.00
Green	Holly plate	\$350.00
Ice Blue	Embroidered Mums bowl	\$850.00

April - The HOACGA 1991 convention was held at the Holiday Inn in Lenexa, Kansas on April 25, 26, 27 & 28, 1991.

The educational programs were presented. Thursday afternoon, Jerry & Carol Curtis presented a program "Heinz 57 Variety Carnival Collection". They displayed about 60 different pieces from their collection and told how and where they had obtained them. They had some different and unusual pieces.

Thursday evening, LaVeta Woody with some help from John gave us an inside view of what it takes to put on a successful carnival glass auction. They also answered many questions about auctions.

Friday morning, Clint & Gene Fox displayed about 100 hatpins. Many different colors and patterns were discussed. Because of their smallness, Clint presented most of the talk using slides so the patterns could be seen by the audience.

Our Saturday evening banquet speakers were Carl & Fern Schroeder of Kendall, Wisconsin. They entertained and educated us about some of the pieces from their collection.

The offices of president and secretary expired at the annual meeting. The following officers were elected at the Annual Meeting on April 26, 1991:

- Robert L. Grissom - President
- Vicki Merritt - Secretary

The room display winners were:

Color	Norene Duran; A.G. & Sue Magen
Pattern	Elvis Randell; Ronnie Schwentorus
Maker	Todd & Susan Kuwitzky; Marnen & Betty Robertson
Theme	Jerry & Carol Curtis; Craig & Brenda Kuckelburg
Rarities	Eugene Cox; Tom & Sharon Mordini;

Mr. Harold Moore of California, Kentucky was the lucky winner of the raffle of the marigold Rose Show Variant bowl

The souvenir for 1991 was the red Peacock & Dahlia 7" plate. This was an original Fenton pattern. The pattern was utilized on the frontside of the old Imperial Lustre Rose 7" plate. The small plate was made by the Fenton Glass Company. Only 300 of the plates were made in ruby red. The selling price was \$37.50.

June - The bulletin reported the death of Kitty Vining of Chatsworth, Georgia. Kitty along with her late husband Bob were active members of most of the carnival glass clubs.

The first Chuck & Marge Kremer "On The Auction Trail" article appeared in the bulletin.

July - The bulletin reported the death of Rosa Grissom on June 15, 1991. Rosa was diagnosed with cancer on April 27, 1991. She and Bob had been collecting carnival glass for about 17 years. She enjoyed the glass very much. Rosa had been an active member of HOACGA since its first convention.

October - Barbara Hobbs wrote an article on her find of an ice cream shape red Plaid bowl at an auction mall for \$60.00. Someone had been using it to grow a house plant. Her method of cleaning the calcium residue from the bowl was to use denture cleaning tablets.

The Woody Auction Company held an auction of the John & Lucile Britt collection on August 30 & 31, 1991 at the Harley Hotel in St. Louis, Missouri. Some of the prices realized were:

Nile Green	Panther Master berry bowl	\$5,500.00
Aqua Opal	Beaded Cable rose bowl	\$300.00
Green	Tracery bon bon, square	\$675.00
Amethyst	Trout & Fly bowl, 3 -n- 1	\$700.00
Blue	Little Stars 7½" bowl	\$2,500.00
Marigold	Ohio Star vase	\$600.00
Red	Panther sauce, ruffled	\$325.00
Aqua Opal	Grape & Cable bowl, PCE	\$2,500.00
Green	Grape & Cable butterdish	\$250.00
Green	Feather & Heart tumbler	\$200.00
Green	Loving cup	\$300.00
Vaseline	Acorn compote, Millersburg	\$2,200.00
Purple	Ohio Star vase	\$1,050.00
Blue	Greek Key plate	\$2,800.00
Marigold	Dragon & Lotus plate	\$2,600.00
Amethyst	Holly plate	\$1,050.00
Blue Opal	Poppy Show plate	\$5,000.00
Amethyst	Age Herald bowl	\$1,100.00

Lime Green Opal	Bushel Basket	\$3,200.00
Blue	Lily of the Valley pitcher	\$3,700.00
Ice Green	Rose Show bowl ruffled	\$1,600.00
Red	Dragon & Lotus bowl, ICS	\$2,000.00
Ice Green	Hearts & Flowers bowl, PCE	\$1,700.00
Amethyst	Millersburg Cherries compote	\$900.00
Smoke	Parlor Panels vase, 4"	\$400.00
Blue	Roses & Fruit bon bon, Millersburg	\$2,600.00
Vaseline	Bushel Basket	\$2,600.00
White	Embroidered Mums bon bon	\$1,000.00
Green	Peacocks plate	\$1,500.00
Green	Nippon plate	\$500.00

November - The bulletin reported the death of Bill Dawson. Bill and his wife Donna were active members of HOACGA. They were also active in the Gateway Carnival Glass Club of St. Louis.

Vicki Merritt, the secretary of HOACGA, resigned. Doug Peters will act as secretary until a replacement is found.

1992

February - The bulletin reported the death of Don Moore of Alameda, California. Several members wrote of their respect and admiration of Don. He was one of those collectors that made every one feel comfortable. He was always willing to help.

The bulletin reported the death of Vivian Van De Perre. Gus & Vivian were some of the early carnival collectors and attended most of the conventions.

John Resnik wrote about his purchasing a book from the FJS Publishing Company of Iowa City, Iowa. The book was advertised to contain valuable information about Westmoreland Carnival Glass. When he received the book, it did not have any information about carnival glass. He returned the book, but he did not get the book or his money back.

March - Lawrence & Theresa Ashely wrote about buying their first pieces with the Crackle pattern. This bowl was different, it had the words "Home Tea Company" impressed in the bottom.

Ed Kramer was appointed to fill the vacancy created when the secretary Vicki Merritt resigned.

April - The bulletin reported the death of Vaunda Tilberg, wife of Swede Tilberg of Joplin, Missouri.

The HOACGA "Educational Series - Book II" was available for distribution at the 1992 convention. The book contains articles on 177 different tumblers. All of the articles were written by John & Lucile Britt and have previously appeared in various monthly bulletins. The book sells for \$17.50.

The 1992 HOACGA Carnival Glass Convention was held on April 23, 24, 25 & 26 at the Holiday Inn in Lenexa, Kansas.

The offices of vice president, treasurer, and bulletin secretary were to be selected at the Annual Meeting.

The officers elected were:

- Daryl Strohm - Vice President
- Doug Peters - Treasurer
- Jackie Fortney - Bulletin Secretary

Approximately 350 members were in attendance at the convention.

Three educational programs were provided for those in attendance. Thursday afternoon there was a panel discussion of unusual pieces and colors of pieces which were brought by members. The panel was Frank Fenton, Tom Mordini, and John Britt.

Thursday evening the program was on the Peacock & Grape pattern. It was a display of various edge shapes, colors and shape variations. The program was presented by Harold Fortney and Bob Grissom.

Friday morning, Jack & Eleanor Hamilton presented a program on miniature (small) pieces. The Hamiltons have a very nice collection of small plates and other miniature pieces of carnival glass.

The Saturday evening banquet was attended by 215 members. Dr. James Measell gave a slide program on Harry Northwood, with a tour of his factory. The talk included some photographs of the Northwood relatives in England.

The room display winners were:

- Same Color Charles & Eleanor Mochel (Electric Blue);
Bob Grissom (White)
- Same Pattern Jim & Sue McKee (Tornado Vases);
Bob & Betty Stremming (Persian Medallion)
- Same Maker Glenn & Jackie Fortney (Imperial Pansies);
Roland Kuhn (Northwood Grape & Cable)

- Theme Marvin & Sharon Gill (Our Easter Goodies);
Jerry & Carol Curtis (You Light Up My Life)
- Rarities John & Lucile Britt (Heinz "57");
Tom & Mordini (Millersbirds)

The winner of the raffle piece, aqua opal Peacocks bowl was Charles & Dorothy Propst of Osceola, Iowa.

The Woody Auction Company presented some of the carnival from the collection of Don & Connie Moore of Alameda, California for the convention auction. Some of the prices realized from the auction were:

Blue	Good Luck PCE bowl	\$260.00
Red	Holly ICS bowl	\$1,500.00
Blue	Dragon & Lotus plate	\$1,550.00
Ice Blue	Poinsettia bowl, footed	\$2,125.00
Red	Rustic base, 10"	\$3,700.00
Red	Fenton Flowers rose bow	\$1,800.00
Red	Ribbon Tie bowl	\$5,500.00
Green	Hearts & Flowers compote	\$2,000.00
Red	Holly compote	\$1,000.00
Smoke	Estate Perfume w/stopper	\$1,100.00
Green	Greek Key plate	\$1,100.00
Marigold	Strawberry plate, stippled	\$1,550.00
Green	Trout & Fly ICS bowl	\$750.00
Red	Two Flowers bowl 10"	\$2,000.00
Aqua Opal	Dragon & Lotus bowl	\$1,400.00
Ice Green	Peacock at the Fountain	\$10,750.00
Red	Lustre Rose bowl, footed	\$2,400.00
Ice Green	Hearts & Flowers compote	\$1,000.00
Blue	Thistle banana bowl	\$425.00
Purple	Grape & Cable hatpin holder	\$575.00

July - The bulletin contained the first of a series of articles Chuck & Marge Kremer wrote about table sets.

September - A very nice article appeared in the bulletin on collar base bon bons. The article was presented by Dean & Diane Fry. The article describes the top twenty bon bons and has a colored photograph of the top ten. The article is very informative.

December - Bob & Aggie Natali of Fresno, California wrote about their finding a green Northwood compote with the Near Cut pattern. This was believed to be

the only green compote with this pattern.

1993

February - It was announced that the raffle for 1993 convention will be three Orange Tree hatpin holders, green, blue & marigold. There will be three winners, they will be given away in the order listed. The raffle tickets were \$1.00 each or twelve for \$10.00.

The bulletin reported the death of Gene Fox of Dallas, Texas. She was survived by her husband Clint.

March - The bulletin contained an article by Dean & Diane Fry on footed bon bons. The article shows thirteen different bon bons, all in color.

April - The 1993 convention was held at the Holiday Inn in Lenexa, Kansas on April 22, 23, 24, & 25.

The raffled drawing of the three Orange Tree hatpin holders was held at the convention. The winners were:

Green E.A. Seppiere of Virginia Beach, Virginia
Blue Mary Boyers of Keezletown, Virginia
Marigold Judy Maxwell of Redlands, California

Frank Fenton was presented with a beautiful cranberry hand painted vase with the inscription "Frank Fenton, Friend of Carnival Glass Collectors, Presented by HOACGA, April, 1993". This was in recognition of the work that he had done on behalf of the club. The vase was signed by two generations of Fentons.

HOACGA initiated the "John & Lucile Britt Award For Excellence In Carnival Glass". This first of a series of awards was presented to John & Lucile for the many hours of time that they have given to the carnival glass hobby. Testimonials to John & Lucile were given by Diane Fry, Chuck Kremer, Marie McGee and Richard Cinclair. Richard Cinclair presented Lucile with a dozen red roses. A Fenton Cranberry vase was presented to the Britt's with the inscription "John & Lucile Britt Award For Excellence In Carnival Glass". HOACGA will present this award each year to a member that has demonstrated commitment to the carnival glass hobby. This award was presented at a luncheon on Friday. 190 members were in attendance.

The officers of president and secretary expired this year. Officers were elected

for these vacancies at the Annual Meeting. Officers elected were:

- Bob Grissom - President
- Ed Kramer - Secretary

The Thursday afternoon educational seminar was presented by Bob & Betty Stremming. Bob displayed and discussed the Two Flowers pattern. He displayed over fifty pieces and described each piece.

The Thursday evening seminar was on "Small Plates". The display was presented by Smokey Cloud. He had a display of 100 small plates. Smokey has one of the best collection of small plates of any carnival glass collector.

The Friday morning educational seminar was a presentation by Richard Cinclair on blue and variations thereof. He displayed some of the various blues i.e. renninger, ice blue, teal, blue opalescent, celeste, persian, smokey, powder, cobalt, electric & aqua opalescent. He used fifty different pieces to demonstrate the different blues.

The Saturday evening banquet speaker was Tom & Sharon Mordini. Tom's talk was on Rose Show and Poppy Show bowls and plates. Forty-nine different pieces were displayed and discussed. Other members also contributed glass to the program. It was a fantastic display of glass.

Eighty rooms had displays for the judging. The winners of the room display contest were:

Same Color Jerry & Carol Curtis (Red);
Doug & Sharla Peters (Marigold)
Same Pattern Ed Kramer (Butterfly & Berry vases);
J.D. & Bev Widner (Grape & Cable)
Same Maker Bob McGee (Memphis punch sets);
Jerry & Bertie Metzger (Fluffy Peacock - Fenton)
Theme Clint Fox (My Treasure Chest);
Jack & Eleanor Hamilton (Miniatures & Small Plates)
Rarities John & Lucile Britt (Variety);
Norene Duran (Goddess of Harvest)

John & Jeanette Rogers of North Carolina attended the convention. Then after the convention, Jeanette had to be taken to a local hospital as an emergency. Jeanette had to undergo surgery and had to spend almost a month in a Kansas City hospital. John had an extended stay at the Holiday Inn.

The Burns Auction Service brought the glass and conducted the convention auction. There were over 300 pieces of carnival glass in the auction.

The souvenir for the 1993 convention was a 6" red Good Luck plate. Only 300 of these plates were made. The cost to the members is \$37.50 each.

August - Dean & Diane Fry of San Diego, California wrote about seeing a green Inverted Feather bon bon. It was a whimsey, which was made from the bottom of the Cracker Jar. This was the only one known at the time.

September - Dave Doty produced an Appointment Book with photographs of Carnival Glass pieces. The book contains 60 photos of rare and unusual carnival pieces. It sells for \$10.00.

November - A new book, "Carnival Glass Of Australia", has been published. It consists of 100 pages of colored pictures of the various pieces of Australian carnival glass. It cost \$30.00 in Australian money and it is in hardback cover.

Richard Cinclair reported that he finally got a call about the blue Kittens saucer that he had been advertising for in the HOACGA bulletin Wants section for eight years.

Sharon Mizell reported finding a small Peacock Tail plate in cobalt blue at an antique mall. The plate was setting on a shelf with a sign "footed candy dish". She was told that only one other was known.

Dean & Diane Fry reported a phone conversation with a collector that had found a Prayer Rug bon bon in an unlisted size. It is the same size as the Fenton Strawberry bon bon.

1994

January - The January bulletin contained a request for those interested in obtaining a copy of a Butler Brothers and others catalog. This book containing over 300 pages of reproduced catalog pages from the old Butler Brothers catalogs and a few other companies will be published in the future if enough interest is expressed.

February - The bulletin announced the resignation of the treasurer Doug Peters. This resignation was effective on February 1, 1994. This resignation was prompted due to several uncovered errors in the status of the clubs treasury. It appeared at this time that several thousands of dollars were misappropriated.

March - Glen Fortney died on February 25, 1994. Glen had served as the club's bulletin secretary from 1986 to 1989. Glen was instrumental in obtaining the Hartung Carnival Glass Pattern Books for the club.

April - The 1994 HOACGA convention was held at the Holiday Inn in Lenexa, Kansas on April 21, 22, 23, & 24.

Because of the loss due to theft by the treasurer, no souvenir or book was planned. It was originally planned to publish 1000 copies of the reproduced Butler Brothers catalogs. The SDCCGC issued the catalog instead.

Three educational programs were presented. On Thursday afternoon, John & Lucile Britt gave a program on miniatures. They displayed and discussed about 200 different miniature from their collection. About 180 people were in attendance for their presentation.

Thursday evening, the program was on table sets. Bob Leonard, Chuck Kremer and Bob Grissom displayed and discussed table sets. All of the known table sets were presented in the display.

Friday morning, a "plate" program was presented by Ruth Green. Richard Cinclair conducted the discussion about the various plates. Most of the plates were from the Ruth Green collection.

After the luncheon on Friday, the "John & Lucile Britt Award For Excellence In Carnival Glass" was presented to Floyd & Cecil Whitley. They were the first recipients of the award. Carl Schroeder, Bob Allaire, Jim Seeck, George Loescher, and Richard Cinclair each gave some interesting comments about the Whitleys. The award, a 12" tall Cranberry vase with the award inscription was presented by John & Lucile.

On Friday afternoon, the room display judging was completed. The winners were.

Same Color	Bob Grissom
Same Pattern	Bobby & Earline Flanagan
Same Maker	Bob & Cathy Brown
Theme	Jim & Pat Vaughan
Rarities	Charles & Eleanor Mochel
Outstanding Display	Dick & Jeanie Hostetler

The Seeck Auction Company conducted an auction of the Ken & Bev Osborn collection. 144 bidding numbers were taken out for the auction. Everyone thought the glass sold very well for the owners.

The Saturday evening banquet speakers were Dean & Diane Fry from San Diego, California. Their talk was "A Plethora of Patterns". They had a display of approximately 100 different patterns. They gave a very interesting and detailed description of each of the patterns. It was a very informative and educational talk.

The glass was displayed very nice. After their talk on patterns, they discussed all of the various Farmyard bowls that had been brought by other collectors for the discussion. All of the various colors and shapes of the bowls were displayed. Daryl Strohm was responsible for coordinating the Farmyard bowl display.

At the Annual Meeting at 2:00 P.M. on Friday evening, the theft by the former treasurer Douglas Peters was discussed. A detailed statement of the situation was read by Bob Grissom, president.

The terms of office for vice president, treasurer and bulletin secretary had expired. Persons elected for those offices were:

- Daryl Strohm - Vice President
- Cliff Ball - Treasurer
- Jackie Fortney - Bulletin Secretary

The convention concluded with the breakfast on Sunday morning.

May - Ann McMorris & Fred Stone wrote about their finding a blue Millersburg Blackberry Wreath frisbee shaped 7" bowl.

Ogie Sacristia of San Francisco, California wrote an article about a recent find of a very rare Corn Husk vase. It was found in an antique shop locally.

The bulletin reported the loss of another of our very active carnival members. Smokey Cloud of Auburn Hills, Michigan died in March. Smokey was one of those persons that was always willing to help in any way he was asked.

A new reference book, "A Collectors Guide To Northwood's Carnival Glass", has been published and is now available. The author is Carl Burns of Rumford Center, Maine.

June - Elvis Randell wrote about seeing the Northwood Peacock & Urn large ice cream bowl in Pearl carnival. This is the first of these that has been reported.

The first complete listing of the glass that sold at auction was printed in the bulletin. This was the duplication of the original sale bill with the prices written by the item. It was the result of the auction at the HOACGA convention.

July - The Board of Directors agreed to a settlement with the Surety Bonding Company, Western Surety, for \$25,000.00 due to the theft by the past treasurer Douglas Peters. At this time, Doug Peters has been charged and has appeared at his arraignment of the stealing charge. No trial date has been set.

October - John Britt wrote an update to a previous article that he had written about the various colors of the Fenton nut cups. This article showed a complete

set in the Wisteria color. The complete set was found by Jerri Sue Lucas of Federal Way, Washington at a local antique mall.

A new carnival glass book, "Iridescent Hatpins & Holders From The Carnival Glass Era", has recently been published. The author is Jerry Reynolds of Tacoma, Washington. The price of the book is \$15.35.

December - A convention reservation form was in the bulletin for the First Annual San Diego County Carnival Glass Club and the Southern California Carnival Glass Club convention. The convention was to be held at the Sheraton Inn in Bakersfield, California.

Doug Peters, former treasurer, pleaded guilty to a class C felony - stealing from the treasury of the HOACGA - in Jackson County Circuit Court in Independence, Missouri. He admitted to destroying all of the club's financial records. He received 5 years probation. He is to make restitution of a total amount of \$14,400.00 over the five years of probation.

1995

January - John Britt wrote about a piece of carnival in his Pictorial Pattern Parade that had not been reported before. It is a Lotus & Grape rose bowl in marigold. This is the first rose bowl in this pattern every known.

April - The bulletin contained a notice of the death of Bill Taylor of Raytown, Missouri. Bill and Dorothy were one of the original members of HOACGA. Bill & Dorothy published the first club bulletins, they were printed in their home on the Ditto machines

The bulletin contained the first series of Questions & Answers by John Resnik.

Don & Peg Carter of Rialto, California reported in an article of their stippled Grape & Cable butterdish in amethyst. They have had this butterdish for almost 20 years and did not know that it was any different than the other Grape & Cable pieces. They had it in a display at the convention in Bakersfield when someone noticed it and told them how rare it was. Now they need the other three pieces.

Bob & Donna Courts of Batavia, Ohio requested a response for those interested in publishing a book about carnival glass people. They wanted a photograph and a brief description of each collector that would like to be included in this book. They will seek responses for a year before deciding about the feasibility of printing such a book.

The 1995 HOACGA convention was held at the Holiday Inn in Lenexa, Kansas on April 27, 28, 29 & 30.

Three educational programs were presented for the enjoyment of those in attendance. Thursday afternoon, Dick & Jennie Hostetler presented a program on "Millersburg" with glass from their collection. They displayed and discussed the 100 pieces that was from their collection.

Dave & Joan Doty of Chicago, Illinois gave an excellent program on Swung Vases. They had many examples of the different swung vases and different patterns. They had many of the different sizes of Ripple vases. Their talk demonstrated the method of swinging to obtain the desired height. They discussed about 30 different vase patterns.

John Mikkonen of Shakopee, Minnesota gave a very enlightening talk on the Fenton Holly pattern. John has an example of 60 different pieces made in the Holly pattern. The only known piece in the pattern that he does not have is the red plate. Only one plate is known in red.

The recipients of the "John & Lucile Britt Award For Excellence In Carnival Glass" were Carl & Fern Schroeder of Kendall, Wisconsin. The presenters were Jim Seeck, George Loescher, Richard Cinclair, and Tom Mordini.

The offices of president and secretary expired this year. Election of officers was held at the Annual Meeting to fill these vacancies. Officers elected were:

- Bob Grissom - President
- Ed Kramer - Secretary

The status of the past treasurer, Doug Peters, was reviewed at the meeting.

The Woody Auction Company presented the convention auction. The auction consisted of 411 pieces. Over 140 bidding numbers were issued for the auction.

A plain Good Luck hatpin was the 1995 souvenir.

Two hundred members were in attendance at the banquet Saturday evening. Floyd & Cecil Whitley were the banquet speakers. They displayed and discussed all of their People and Rose Column vases, and their Loving Cups. It was a display that we will not be able to see again. Just to see the display was a unique experience. Floyd & Cecil did their usual exceptional good job of entertaining also.

Marnen & Betty Robertson of Camarill, California won the iridized Swans Burmese vase that was given for pre-registering.

The Sunday morning breakfast was attended by about 150 people.

There were more than 50 room displays. They winners were:

Same Color	Jack & Eleanor Hamilton - Shades of Purple
Same Pattern	Harold Fortney - Peacock & Grape
Same Maker	Marie McGee - Millersburg
Same Shape	Joe & Shirley Williams - The Rose Room
Theme	Daryl & Norma Strohm - Past Pleasures in Carnival Glass.
Rarities	Elaine Benedict - Superb Drape Vase
Best Overall	Don LaCock - Punch Bowl Sets

During the convention, an Audit Committee, consisting of three club members (Cathy Brown, Chuck Kremer, and Don LaCock) audited the financial records of HOACGA. They verified all incoming checks were deposited in the club's bank account and they were able to account for all of the purchases made. The audit committee made five recommendations, which the Board will implement at a later date.

October - John Britt's Pictorial Pattern Parade article was about the very rare green Millersburg Hobnail Swirl spittoon. The top of this piece is not as flat as the amethyst and marigold ones. The article also stated that a blue Millersburg Hobnail Swirl vase had been reported by Marie McGee.

November - Greg Dilian told of his dream coming true when he was able to purchase an ice blue Rose Show bowl and six golf balls for \$55.00 at a garage sale in Long Island, New York. The bowl was in mint condition.

December - Wilma Stone of Cape Coral, Florida found an ice green small size Grape & Cable punch set. The set was found in an antique shop in Hot Springs, Arkansas. The original price was \$1,200.00 but the dealer discounted it to \$950.00. The dealer stated that the set came from a home in Hot Springs. Only about five of these sets are known. The article was written by John Britt.

1996

February - Elaine Blair of Carrollton, Texas reported the publication of her "Carnival Hunters Companion: A Guide To Pattern Recognition". This book takes you from the things that are visual on the piece to a cross reference to the Edwards or Hartung pattern and the book and page number for each reference.

The bulletin reported the death of Marge Kremer. Marge and her husband Chuck have been active members of most of the carnival glass clubs and

organizations. They are usually present at all conventions and auctions.

Sadie Treff's death was reported in the bulletin. Sadie and her husband Herbie were one of the original members of HOACGA. Many members remember Sadie for her help with some of the Western Barbecue dinners that the ladies of the club served at some of the early conventions.

April - James Moore of New York, New York reported his find at a flea market, of a lime green opalescent Rose Show bowl and a blue Rustic funeral vase. Both of the items were in mint condition. The price for both items was \$950.00. The flea market was held on a very cold snowy day, both of the items were sitting outside of a pickup in a pile of snow.

The 1996 HOACGA convention was held on April 25, 26, 27 & 28 at the Holiday Inn in Lenexa, Kansas.

Cliff and Jo Ann Ball and Bob & Imogene Grissom had an open house so those members attending the convention could visit and view their glass.

Norene Duran presented an educational program on Imperial glass. She was assisted by Elvis Randell and John & Lucile Britt. Some members brought glass from their collections. Approximately 200 pieces of Imperial glass was displayed and discussed.

Friday morning, Howard Seuffer (Fenton's Quality Control Manager) presented a program on different molds and how they are used for the production of glass. He was very entertaining and was very knowledgeable about all of the different molds and their uses. The program was a variation from the usual programs, but everyone found it very educational. About 160 were in attendance at the presentation.

Chuck and the late Marge Kremer were the recipients of the "John & Lucile Britt Award For Excellence In Carnival Glass" award. Richard Cinclair, Alan Pickup, Carl Booker, and Bob Grissom were the presenters for this award. John & Lucile Britt made the presentation to Chuck.

The offices of the vice president, treasurer, and bulletin secretary became vacant at the Annual Meeting. Officers elected to fill these expired terms were:

- Daryl Strohm - Vice President
- Cliff Ball - Treasurer
- Jackie Fortney - Bulletin Secretary

The Audit Committee made an audit of the Treasurers financial records for the club. They found the financial records in order and all monies were accounted for.

The Seck Auction Company conducted the convention auction which consisted of the Bob & Faye Allaire of Tyler, Texas, carnival glass collection. 160 bidding numbers were issued, with about 300 people in attendance. Some of the results of the auction were:

Marigold	Many Stars plate, Millersburg	\$4,750.00
Blue	Peacock at Urn Master IC bowl	\$1,200.00
Amethyst	Zig Zag square bowl	\$450.00
Amethyst	Seacoast pin tray	\$575.00
Ice Blue	Embroidered Mums ruffled bowl	\$625.00
Red	Vintage bowl, 3 -n- 1	\$4,500.00
Ice Green	Peacock at Urn Master IC bowl	\$1,100.00
Ice Blue	Peacock at Urn Master IC bowl	\$1,050.00
Green	Peacock at Urn Master IC bowl	\$1,200.00
Green	Tracery Square bon bon	\$1,200.00
Red	Waterlily sauce, ruffled	\$1,900.00
Marigold	Christmas compote	\$2,250.00
Marigold	Two Flowers chop plate	\$1,600.00
Marigold	Peter Rabbit plate	\$6,000.00
Red	Panther sauce, ruffled	\$750.00
Ice Green	Embroidered Mums plate, ribbed	\$1,000.00
Purple	Butterfly & Tulip bowl, square	\$2,350.00
Green	Dolphins compote	\$4,500.00

The complete auction results were reported in the June 1996 HOACGA bulletin.

The Saturday evening banquet was attended by 225 people. After the banquet, Carl & Eunice Booker presented a program "Rare Is In The Eye Of The Beholder". Their presentation was of some unusual glass that they have collected for many years. They had 160 pieces of carnival glass on display.

The Sunday morning breakfast was attended by 130 members.

July - Richard Cinclair reported that Fred Stone & Brian Pittman of Topeka, Kansas have created a computer homepage which is devoted to the collection of old carnival glass. The homepage was created on February 24, 1996. You may select to view books, clubs and activities, a gallery, for sale glass, glass wanted, a daily discussion group and more.

September - John & Lucile Britt's Pictorial Pattern Parade article discussed the peach opal Soutache plate. This is the only known plate, it is known in bowls only in this pattern.

December - John & Lucile Britt wrote an article about the purchase of the

aqua opal Grape & Cable punch set. Punch cups have been known for several years but this is the first punch set found in this color. It is the small size punch set.

1997

February - The bulletin, starting with this month, has been reduced in size. This reduction was implemented in order to get a reduction in mailing cost of about 10 cents per bulletin. The reduced size goes as letter size.

It was announced that the 1997 HOACGA Convention would be held at the Embassy Suites at the Kansas City Airport.

March - The bulletin contains an interesting and educational article about some of the Imperial Glass Geometrics patterns. The Crabclaw, Hobstar Flower and Blaze are discussed by Stephen & Glen Thistlewood of England.

April - The HOACGA Convention was May 1, 2, 3, & 4, 1997 at the Embassy Suites, Kansas City Airport. The dates were changed from the normal 4th Friday in April in order to have the convention at the Embassy Suites.

The room rate was \$87.00 per day with a free cooked-to-order breakfast and a free 2 hour Managers Reception each evening.

There was not any souvenir or education book published for the convention. The second section of the Vases section for the Notebook was available, this covered patterns D thru G.

The recipient of the "John & Lucile Britt Award For Excellence In Carnival Glass" is Marie McGee. Marie's favorite carnival glass has always been Millersburg. She authored a book on Millersburg Carnival Glass in 1995. Richard Cinclair, Tom Mordini and Bob Gallo gave a brief talk about the contributions that Marie has made to carnival glass.

Two educational programs were presented. On Thursday evening, John Muchlbauer presented a program about "Iridescence and other Attributes of Carnival Glass". John displayed and discussed some of the various base glass colors and various aspects of judging iridescence. John displayed about 50 pieces from his collection for the program. About 175 members were present.

On Friday morning, Judy Maxwell of Redlands, California and Elvis Randell of Tulsa, Oklahoma presented a program on Carnival Glass Plates. 65 plates were on display for Judy and Elvis to discuss. About 200 members were in attendance

for the presentation.

The Annual Meeting was attended by approximately 40 members. The treasurer, Cliff Ball, reported that as of February 28, 1997, the club's treasury was \$23,069.44. The Audit Team of Arnold Snell, Jennie Hostetler and Alan Pickup gave a report of the financial records of the club. They reported that all of the incoming and outgoing monies of the club were accounted for and that the records were in order. The terms of the offices of the president and secretary expired at this time. Bob Grissom and Ed Kramer were re-elected to the offices of President and Secretary respectively.

The Seeck Auction Company presented the Carnival Glass collection of Daryl & Norma Strohm, the club's vice-president, for the convention auction on Saturday. 172 bidding numbers were given out for the auction. The auction prices were very good, the sellers were pleased with the results. All of the pieces found a new place to reside. The complete auction results are listed in the July 1997 HOACGA bulletin.

About 250 people attended the Saturday evening banquet. We were pleased to have George Fenton (President of the Fenton Glass Company) in attendance at the banquet. Gary & Deborah Heckenberger were the banquet speakers. Gary presented a slide program on Northwood glass. He had photographed and had slides made of his Northwood collection.

For the first time, everyone attending the convention had a room with a window in order to show their room display. Eighty seven rooms had a display. The room display winners were:

Same Color	Bob & Imogene Grissom for their display of Peach Opalescent.
Same Pattern	Gail Eichhorst for his display of the Mikado compotes.
Same Maker	Arnold & Dorothy Snell for their display of Millersburg Trout & Fly and Seacoast pin trays
Same Shape	Dick & Jennie Hostetler for their display of Ice Cream shape bowls
Theme	Jerry & Carroll Curtis for their display of "Mothers Treasures"
Rarities	John & Lucile Britt
Best Overall	Will & Judy Schutz for their miniatures displayed in a doll house that Will had made

A New Video Book - "Hooked on Carnival Patterns. Volume 1: Peacocks, Flowers and Fruit". This video book was made by Stephen & Glen Thistlewood

of England. The price is \$25.00 plus \$3.00 for shipping.

June - A new auctioneer, David Ayers announced that he was going to have his first carnival glass auction. He had just recently graduated from the World Wide College of Auctioneering located in Mason City, Iowa. The auction was to be held at East Peoria, Illinois on September 20, 1997.

July - Bob & Kandis Richmond of Ottumwa, Iowa reported their find of a Thistle & Lotus 7¼" flat plate. This is the only known plate in this rather unusual pattern. A photograph of the plate appears in the September 1997 bulletin.

October - The bulletin reported the death of Roland Kuhn of Wichita, Kansas. Roland was instrumental in the formation of the Air Capital Carnival Glass Club. He had served as Souvenir Chairman of HOACGA during the making of the red Corn vase and the Loving Cup.

December - Keith & Nola Schmoker reported their purchase of a rare marigold Rose and Greek Key plate. They traveled 2,400 miles in four days to get the plate and return home. This is the second plate with this pattern that has been reported.

1998

January - The bulletin reported the death of one of the "Giants" of carnival glass and a long time HOACGA member, John Britt. John has left his influence on carnival through his many documented articles and video recorded talks and his thousands of hours that he has spent talking to collectors about the thing he loved, carnival glass.

Plans are being made for the Clubs 25th convention anniversary.

February - One of the special programs being planned for the clubs 25th anniversary is a display of aqua opalescent pieces. The bulletin contained a listing of the known aqua opalescent pieces that is hoped will be on display at the convention in April.

Bev Franzen of Oregon City, Oregon reported that Randy & Debbie Hughes had found a marigold Imperial Three Row vase; only about 5 of these vases are known in marigold. She also reported that the Hughes had also found a blue Fenton Wine & Rose pitcher. This is the first blue pitcher known. All other known pitchers in this pattern are marigold.

March - It was reported that a Orange Tree Loving Cup is being made in white carnival for the 25th convention anniversary souvenir. The table favor for

the convention will be an Orange Tree wine glass also made in white carnival. Fenton is making both of these pieces. Both pieces will be marked "25th Anniversary".

A new club, The Sunshine State Carnival Glass Association, will hold its first meeting on March 21, 1998 at the home of Craig and Susan Evans in Coral Springs, Florida.

Craig and Susan Evans reported finding a Sea Foam Green Three Fruits PCE, plain back bowl with a nice pastel iridescence. It also had a reasonable price tag on it.

Carl Burns announced his new upcoming book on Dugan/Diamond carnival glass.

Daryl & Norma Strohm of Kansas City, Missouri reported finding a blue Millersburg Blackberry Wreath 7" ICS bowl.

April - The 1998 convention auction will be conducted by the Seeck Auction Company and will be the collection of Bobby & Joyce Seale. The auction collection consists of 390 very nice pieces of carnival glass.

A display and program of aqua opalescent carnival is being planned. It is hoped to have all known patterns represented in this display.

HOACGA CONVENTION TABLE FAVOR MUGS AND VOTIVES

1978.....	Red Mug
1979.....	Ice Blue Mug
1980.....	Green Mug
1981.....	Vaseline Opal Mug
1982.....	Blue Mug
1983.....	Amber Mug
1984.....	Purple Mug
1985.....	Light Lavender Mug
1986.....	Ice Green Opal Mug
1987.....	White Mug
1988.....	Teal Blue Mug
1989.....	Shell Pink Mug
1990.....	Red Mug (repeat)
1991.....	Rosaline Mug
1992.....	Light Teal Blue Mug
1993.....	Plum Mug
1994.....	Amber Mug (repeat)
1995.....	Ice Blue Mug
1996.....	Aqua Opal Votive
1997.....	Plum Opal Votive
1998.....	White Orange Tree Wine Glass

SOUVENIRS

1974.....	Red Water Pitcher
1975.....	Matching Red Water Tumblers
1976.....	Red Whiskey Decanter Set with Six Shot Glasses
1977.....	Red Hat Pin Holder, 2 Hat Pins
1978.....	Red Corn Vase
1979.....	Red Loving Cup
1980.....	Ice Green Hat Pin Holder
1981.....	Red Candle Lamp
1982.....	Ice Blue Corn Vase
1983.....	Marigold Milkglass Loving Cup
1984.....	Red Fernery
1985.....	Red Bell
1986.....	Green Opalescent Bell
1987.....	Cobalt Blue Bell
1988.....	Marigold Bell
1989.....	Teal Bell
1990.....	Educational Series - Book I
1991.....	Red - Peacock & Dahlia 6" Plate
1992.....	Educational Series - Book II
1993.....	Red Good Luck 6" Plate
1995.....	Plum Good Luck Hat Pin
1996.....	Educational Series - Book III
1997.....	No Souvenirs or Book
1998.....	White Orange Tree Loving Cup, 25th Anniversary

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Good Luck Fluted Bowl

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Beauty is in the eye of the beholder

HOACGA ADVERTISEMENT ACTIVITY

The First 25 Years

For Sale - 1972					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January					
February					
March					
April					
May					
June	2	15	3,610.50	240.70	19
July	5	32	2,576.00	80.50	10
August	12	74	7,531.50	101.77	26
September	16	62	7,924.00	127.80	68
October	5	34	5,214.00	153.35	16
November	11	69	6,472.50	93.88	31
December	14	81	11,080.00	136.79	26
TOTALS	65	367	44,407.00	121.00	196

For Sale - 1973					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	14	118	9,010.50	76.36	51
February	10	72	6,092.56	84.61	29
March	6	46	5,185.00	112.71	34
April	8	60	8,410.60	140.17	47
May	13	105	13,395.60	127.57	50
June	2	15	3,575.50	238.00	23
July	5	35	3,005.00	85.85	14
August	12	92	6,306.50	68.54	31
September	13	57	7,755.00	136.05	51
October	7	27	4,478.00	165.85	21
November	11	69	8,586.00	124.43	31
December	12	82	16,253.10	198.20	25
TOTALS	113	778	92,053.36	118.32	407

For Sale - 1974					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	12	89	10,667.50	119.85	57
February	10	76	7,967.00	104.82	71
March	13	93	7,355.00	79.08	61
April	16	74	5,415.85	73.18	55
May	9	82	4,310.00	52.56	25
June	25	173	41,107.50	237.61	66
July	8	35	4,844.00	138.40	30
August	6	20	2,154.50	107.72	15
September	9	56	5,532.00	99.50	32
October	12	66	7,708.00	116.78	24
November	7	41	2,067.00	50.41	37
December	9	68	6,838.00	100.55	35
TOTALS	136	777	106,006.35	136.42	508

For Sale - 1975					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	6	37	3,185.00	151.66	21
February	9	40	3,867.50	96.68	56
March	13	88	10,175.75	115.63	44
April	4	27	3,068.00	113.63	22
May	11	81	7,739.00	95.54	41
June	9	67	61,675.00	99.47	54
July	12	81	6,486.50	80.08	38
August	7	80	4,408.00	88.16	22
September	11	51	3,966.36	77.77	28
October	12	92	13,601.00	147.83	9
November	8	44	5,508.50	126.93	7
December	13	83	7,423.97	89.44	15
TOTALS	115	741	131,104.58	176.92	357

For Sale - 1976					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	7	61	5,150.34	84.43	15
February	6	67	4,820.00	71.94	20
March	4	42	3,252.50	77.44	44
April	4	30	3,469.00	115.63	30
May	10	74	6,945.50	93.85	29
June	10	87	7,803.34	89.69	37
July	5	44	2,561.50	58.21	23
August	12	103	9,622.50	93.42	47
September	11	79	12,471.50	157.85	32
October	7	60	8,826.00	147.10	8
November	17	122	22,994.55	188.47	35
December	3	28	2,472.84	88.31	16
TOTALS	96	797	152,896.08	191.83	336

For Sale - 1978					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	12	106	12,402.00	117.00	41
February	12	110	9,005.00	81.86	61
March	23	179	14,975.00	83.66	49
April	13	104	8,878.00	85.37	55
May	9	53	6,345.00	119.72	15
June	10	80	13,639.00	170.49	24
July	8	67	5,653.00	84.37	30
August	13	117	11,173.50	95.50	56
September	12	96	10,339.70	107.71	59
October	17	145	14,036.00	96.80	66
November	16	152	11,484.50	75.56	43
December	6	88	5,965.00	67.78	25
TOTALS	151	1,297	113,556.00	87.55	524

For Sale - 1977					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	6	72	8,310.50	115.42	24
February	14	140	10,238.00	73.13	37
March	14	135	11,966.50	88.64	41
April	14	144	16,545.50	114.90	74
May	6	62	6,449.00	104.02	48
June	12	111	9,659.50	87.02	49
July	6	51	5,349.50	104.92	74
August	7	60	9,980.00	166.33	39
September	16	140	10,426.00	74.47	26
October	14	116	10,448.50	90.07	23
November	11	113	12,172.50	107.72	18
December	12	108	17,401.00	161.12	63
TOTALS	132	1,252	128,946.50	103.00	516

For Sale - 1979					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	8	75	5,541.00	73.88	64
February	12	95	9,191.69	96.75	35
March	13	119	11,082.00	93.13	40
April	17	139	12,588.50	90.56	39
May	12	95	6,308.00	66.40	44
June	13	106	11,077.50	104.50	87
July	11	83	8,056.50	97.07	44
August	20	171	12,401.50	72.52	103
September	21	176	12,334.00	70.08	68
October	16	137	20,054.50	146.38	46
November	20	195	29,152.50	149.50	54
December	11	176	18,088.50	102.78	77
TOTALS	174	1,567	155,876.19	99.47	701

For Sale - 1980					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	17	159	15,700.00	98.74	62
February	16	139	18,885.00	135.86	54
March	16	130	13,017.00	100.13	51
April	21	167	23,843.50	142.77	45
May	15	122	15,326.50	125.62	24
June	13	112	7,783.00	69.49	50
July	12	141	17,625.00	125.00	32
August	18	146	14,880.00	101.91	46
September	10	91	12,012.00	132.00	38
October	15	127	11,621.00	91.50	35
November	19	157	15,404.00	98.11	51
December	19	149	16,111.50	108.13	72
TOTALS	191	1,646	182,208.50	107.71	560

For Sale - 1981					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	21	168	18,181.00	108.22	59
February	15	126	10,474.50	83.13	47
March	20	178	17,700.50	99.43	79
April	11	94	12,799.50	136.16	36
May	11	101	14,187.00	140.46	77
June	20	175	18,874.00	107.85	71
July	16	143	12,733.50	89.04	61
August	21	188	19,345.00	102.89	83
September	23	211	20,727.00	98.23	67
October	35	293	26,816.00	91.52	121
November	32	269	279,171.50	103.78	112
December	30	259	30,335.00	117.12	60.00
TOTALS	255	2,205	211,216.50	106.90	873

For Sale - 1982					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	24	231	26,095.50	112.97	55
February	23	189	17,855.66	94.97	57
March	22	186	18,650.00	100.26	71
April	22	178	17,717.50	99.37	71
May	25	226	17,939.50	79.37	69
June	29	269	25,701.50	95.54	110
July	26	213	20,730.50	97.32	70
August	29	256	32,677.00	127.64	111
September	29	243	26,653.00	109.68	116
October	41	366	43,235.05	118.12	99
November	28	258	26,102.00	101.17	63
December	27	233	96,495.00	414.40	57
TOTALS	301	2,617	343,753.71	130.72	894

For Sale - 1983					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	23	192	30,869.50	160.77	75
February	24	179	28,142.00	157.21	92
March	28	199	31,785.55	159.72	72
April	30	269	28,433.00	105.69	52
May	19	160	12,295.50	76.84	59
June	15	73	22,107.00	147.38	59
July	15	120	15,069.54	125.57	49
August	18	159	18,320.09	115.22	18
September	34	261	25,100.50	96.17	32
October	23	182	25,871.50	142.15	70
November	34	288	30,615.50	106.30	70
December	25	206	53,534.00	259.87	75
TOTALS	288	2,288	322,143.68	137.74	723

For Sale - 1984					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	25	218	23,022.00	106.51	53
February	31	253	21,922.00	86.64	75
March	29	243	23,909.00	98.39	100
April	28	262	28,337.56	108.15	65
May	18	171	17,795.00	104.06	62
June	33	286	46,398.25	162.23	74
July	27	225	27,451.00	122.00	16
August	32	240	32,665.95	136.10	54
September	32	262	31,405.75	119.86	77
October	27	230	33,965.45	147.67	62
November	35	288	40,106.80	139.25	81
December	30	271	39,950.05	147.41	49
TOTALS	347	2,949	386,928.81	231.89	768

For Sale - 1985					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	27	250	38,466.50	153.86	45
February	36	320	29,001.50	90.64	48
March	33	274	33,416.00	121.95	67
April	29	265	30,523.00	115.18	74
May	19	71	7,189.50	101.26	27
June	19	177	16,207.20	91.56	51
July	21	175	26,566.50	151.80	56
August	28	224	29,476.50	132.89	26
September	34	300	47,985.25	141.13	65
October	15	140	14,878.50	106.27	42
November	38	216	39,693.00	183.76	84
December	38	313	45,753.00	146.17	51
TOTALS	337	2,725	359,153.45	128.03	636

For Sale - 1986					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	24	194	32,964.00	169.91	38
February	35	337	46,554.00	138.14	96
March	35	314	41,245.00	131.35	98
April	25	212	21,393.00	100.91	35
May	23	195	25,063.00	128.52	46
June	28	249	43,329.00	174.01	53
July	26	226	33,841.00	149.73	45
August	28	256	40,764.00	159.23	71
September	38	335	59,181.00	176.65	44
October	30	269	40,834.00	151.79	76
November	39	329	52,616.00	159.92	61
December	33	309	46,155.00	146.36	82
TOTALS	364	3,225	483,939.00	150.05	745

For Sale - 1987					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	36	323	67,737.00	209.71	90
February	36	317	59,353.00	187.23	90
March	30	272	48,660.00	178.89	85
April	31	292	53,935.00	184.70	67
May	27	228	29,930.00	131.27	63
June	28	247	54,098.00	219.02	64
July	31	252	49,650.00	197.02	64
August	26	247	54,414.00	220.29	69
September	33	290	52,294.00	180.32	97
October	32	267	42,109.00	157.71	54
November	41	357	58,048.00	162.59	110
December	37	343	55,780.00	162.62	60
TOTALS	388	3,435	626,008.00	182.24	913

For Sale - 1988					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	29	272	42,439.00	156.02	88
February	34	301	60,198.00	199.99	86
March	32	316	61,326.00	194.06	94
April	32	282	52,116.00	184.80	98
May	30	274	36,940.00	134.81	82
June	25	219	31,659.00	144.56	57
July	23	203	30,888.00	152.15	55
August	32	287	53,788.00	187.41	61
September	45	399	67,762.00	169.82	75
October	37	326	62,188.00	190.76	71
November	42	354	66,789.00	188.66	100
December	34	296	64,962.00	219.46	61
TOTALS	395	3,529	631,055.00	178.81	928

For Sale - 1989					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	36	329	57,729.00	175.46	70
February	28	248	46,713.00	188.35	96
March	25	213	43,617.00	204.77	34
April	34	313	62,900.00	200.95	83
May	28	242	55,312.00	228.56	107
June	34	267	55,019.00	206.06	57
July	24	223	51,398.00	230.48	70
August	33	290	41,484.00	143.04	106
September	42	278	63,407.00	228.08	133
October	32	292	52,337.00	179.23	93
November	41	336	64,836.00	192.97	88
December	40	358	65,629.00	183.32	77
TOTALS	397	3,389	660,384.00	194.86	1,014

For Sale - 1990					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	28	245	36,543.00	149.15	53
February	42	354	71,748.00	202.67	96
March	44	387	75,245.00	194.43	103
April	33	270	51,441.00	190.52	85
May	52	431	72,265.00	167.66	129
June	36	309	66,050.00	213.75	84
July	41	351	60,046.00	171.07	83
August	35	313	42,949.00	137.21	67
September	44	397	84,763.00	213.50	120
October	48	444	89,872.00	202.41	131
November	41	392	110,293.00	281.35	101
December	44	383	129,819.00	338.95	87
TOTALS	488	4,276	891,134.00	208.40	1,139

For Sale - 1991					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	25	200	35,138.50	175.69	47
February	40	334	62,155.00	186.09	100
March	33	299	43,130.50	144.25	85
April	39	356	93,397.00	262.35	121
May	48	412	84,141.50	204.23	109
June	40	374	88,802.50	237.44	67
July	44	382	92,861.00	243.07	87
August	21	192	31,263.00	162.83	62
September	46	408	72,232.50	186.84	38
October	37	325	96,845.50	297.99	76
November	52	444	99,425.50	223.93	80
December	33	307	58,121.00	189.32	81
TOTALS	458	4,033	822,374.50	203.91	906

For Sale - 1992					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	35	305	83,496.00	273.76	70
February	40	346	53,008.00	153.20	91
March	40	322	42,167.50	130.95	48
April	28	254	45,479.00	179.05	73
May	30	246	47,048.50	193.62	77
June	30	266	68,906.00	259.05	71
July	25	189	41,509.50	219.63	82
August	32	279	59,633.00	213.74	85
September	42	343	54,473.50	158.81	111
October	31	281	50,446.50	179.52	70
November	37	349	127,895.50	366.46	144
December	38	331	47,564.50	143.70	108
TOTALS	408	3,508	725,135.50	206.71	1,030

For Sale - 1993					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	22	209	35,396.00	169.36	42
February	33	295	59,622.00	202.11	112
March	30	283	37,140.00	131.24	74
April	32	296	47,876.00	161.74	53
May	29	273	56,381.00	206.52	71
June	30	270	51,060.00	189.11	89
July	37	306	63,136.00	206.33	90
August	35	304	74,523.50	245.14	107
September	32	266	64,841.50	243.77	102
October	35	319	63,623.50	199.45	78
November	46	408	68,640.50	168.24	74
December	37	372	75,208.50	202.17	70
TOTALS	398	3,601	697,448.50	193.68	962

For Sale - 1994					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	30	259	57,137.00	220.61	42
February	44	364	59,344.50	163.03	77
March	34	297	53,722.50	180.88	96
April	35	295	48,341.00	163.87	74
May	37	323	67,620.00	209.35	132
June	32	270	64,227.50	237.88	75
July	37	319	69,049.50	216.46	100
August	40	370	101,969.50	275.59	87
September	44	397	89,798.00	226.19	105
October	40	355	83,046.00	233.93	129
November	34	314	64,148.00	204.29	90
December	41	385	81,257.50	211.06	103
TOTALS	448	3,984	839,661.00	210.76	1,110

For Sale - 1995					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	24	208	42,098.00	202.39	58
February	34	338	59,374.50	175.66	131
March	37	330	45,055.00	136.53	118
April	34	343	68,610.50	200.03	99
May	30	309	40,278.00	130.35	86
June	40	394	86,523.50	219.60	141
July	31	329	64,780.00	196.90	81
August	36	345	72,192.00	209.25	66
September	40	397	108,900.00	274.31	115
October	44	439	93,878.50	213.85	115
November	51	525	112,089.50	246.36	128
December	42	426	104,949.00	246.36	128
TOTALS	443	4,383	898,726.50	205.05	1,256

For Sale - 1996					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	29	285	51,275.00	179.00	52
February	46	448	76,742.00	221.00	120
March	39	361	72,968.00	202.00	85
April	51	450	95,456.00	212.00	108
May	44	394	120,057.00	305.00	90
June	44	414	83,362.00	201.00	105
July	42	366	96,910.00	265.00	83
August	48	454	101,183.00	223.00	75
September	44	399	88,048.00	221.00	89
October	54	486	97,389.00	200.00	105
November	49	459	94,302.00	205.00	109
December	47	428	104,302.00	244.00	65
TOTALS	537	4,944	1,081,994.00	219.00	1,086

For Sale - 1997					Number of Wanted items
Month	Number of Ads	Number of Items	Total Dollars	Average \$ per item	
January	34	323	69,315.00	214.60	60
February	42	393	88,369.00	224.86	85
March	54	497	93,552.00	188.23	100
April	47	425	93,472.00	219.93	78
May	38	357	76,446.00	214.13	117
June	53	495	129,183.00	262.25	92
July	49	473	112,153.00	237.11	142
August	49	450	98,923.00	219.83	108
September	47	451	105,119.00	233.08	127
October	49	464	84,250.00	181.58	114
November	53	490	109,683.00	223.84	128
December	47	432	91,733.00	212.34	135
TOTALS	562	5,250	1,152,828.00	219.59	1,286

