

### 36. HEART OF AMERICA

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The October 8 meeting was held at the Johnson County Library in Overland Park, Kansas with approximately 40 members and guests present. The chapter welcomed ~~seven~~ <sup>eight</sup> new members along with two past members who renewed their local affiliation.

A report on the Mid-Missouri Regional meeting was given by Dr. Harry Knauft. He asked for the consensus of the Heart of America Chapter on the cost of registration, mart, programs, etc. President Norman Karl and Dr. Knauft will coordinate an informal survey at the Christmas meeting in December regarding ideas and suggestions for the 1973 regional meeting in Columbia, Missouri. Plans were made for a silent auction to be held at the regular

December meeting A "Show and Tell" feature was part of the October meeting. Several interesting steeple clocks were brought to the meeting by members as the "type" featured. A brief overview of each clock was presented by the owners of these clocks. Mr. Chris Miller from Mexico, Missouri presented the main program on "Bushing And Repairing" A Clock" which was very interesting and informative.

Refreshments were coordinated by Mrs. Frances Knuth and Mrs. Laura Tenny.

Dr. Harry Knauft hosted an open house immediately following the meeting.

The December 10 meeting will be held at the Johnson County Library with a short business meeting and a "silent" auction. An open house will be held at the home of Florent and Mrs. Casper Wagner immediately following the regular meeting.