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Diablo Valley Chapter #107 Pleasant Hill, Cal.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WATCH AND CLOCK COLLECTORS

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Nominating/ElectionR.	English

Club Motto: Accent on Education

Our first year as a chapter is drawing to a close. From our charter membership of 34 members, we have grown to a total of 58 paid members entering the December meeting!

There is still much to be done, and we need your help in getting it done. If you want to get involved, let us know. There is room for all who want to help, and a great deal yet to be done. If you have a particular talent around which we can build a program, don't keep it a secret. There is a great deal of talent lurking amoung our members, and I'm sure those with the talent could have a lot of fun developing a program for presentation to the group.

The bulletin as you have received it this month is a preview of the future. If it is financially feasible, we will have our own printed Mart from which we can all benefit! Let us have your comments pro or con via the suggestion box. It will be at the next meeting with plenty of paper and pencils. We will try and keep ads free as long as possible - so if you have anything you want to sell or buy, use our Bulletin. Eventually, it may be possible to accept limited advertising from suppliers (although they are not standing in line waiting). We hope this will benefit all of us, and make the exchange of horological items and information easier.

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Dorothea

Walnut Creek, Cal November 1978 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

THE MAILBAG

Questions & Answers

I'm reconstucting a Patti V.P. pendulum hanger. Would like a look at an original, or call and describe.

John Sanderson
937-6272

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#### FOR SALE

English Grandfather clock c. 1810 William Scales of Kendal - beautiful hands - Oak and Rosewood - Date and Calandar hand. Listed in Ballie. One of the repairmen scratched on the plate also listed in in Ballie! A real collectors clock. \$1000. Call John Sanderson 937-6272

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We still have Clock Description forms available. They are \$2.25 for a packet of 50. They are invaluable in supporting a claim in the event of loss. They will be available at the next meeting.

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#### WANTS

Movement for Mission Wall Clock - call J. Sanderson 937-6272

Old Watch band for a 1910 Molly Stark watch Call D. Sanderson 937-6272

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Oval Glass Dome 7" wide x 4 3/4 Deep x 10" High

Movement for Junghans Swinger

T & S Movement for Seth Thomas 30 hr. mantle clock 2 7/8" between wind hole centers & 2" from wind hole center to hand shaft center. John North call 676-9188

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If you wish to place ads in the next Diablo Valley Bulletin, please call Dorothea Sanderson at 937-6272 or mail to Box 23315 Pleasant Hill, Cal. All Ads must be in by the 10th of the odd numbered months i.e. January, March, May, July, September, and November.

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Fred Cuthill is organizing a contingent to the Northwest Regional in Seattle in February by AMTRACK. He wants a full carload of clock and watch happy people. The fare is \$75.00 round-trip, and it departs from Antioch. See Fred at the next meeting for details.

Mart Set Up 12:00 Noon

Meeting begins 1:00pm

Display theme - Pictures - Bring all of them - Put your favorite on the table or if you prefer - your favorite watch or clock instead.

This meeting will be a buffet and social. We ask that each of you bring a dish for the buffet. It can be either hot or cold, dessert, salad or meat. There is room for crackers, dips, cheese balls, and chips. Check with Hallberg, our Refreshment Chairman, 284-4720, before bringing a salad or dessert.

### THERE WILL BE DOOR PRIZES!

ELECTIONS 2:00pm

Installation of Officers and passing of the gavel and charter 2:30pm

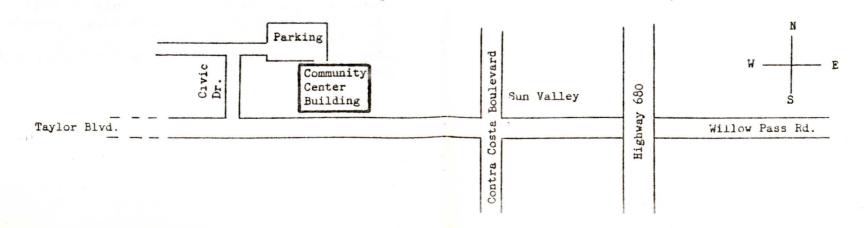
Mart will reopen after Installation

Place: Pleasant Hill Community Center Club Room

320 Civic Drive

Pleasant Hill, Cal. 94523

Donations to our Library will be welcome.



ELECTIONS		9
Nominating CommitteeChair	R.	
Report: The following persons are pl for the position indicated. interviewed, and will serve	Each ha	as been
	Yes	No
PresidentJohn North	Note the second	
V. President.Roger Wilcox		
V. President.Don Giannini		
SecretaryJim McElroy		
TreasurerBob Gustafson		
DirectorWarren Hampton		
DirectorGareth Busher		
Director John Coulter		

NOMINATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED FROM THE FLOOR.

You need not be present to vote. However, please mail your ballot to Sandra Cuthill before December 8th in order to have it counted.

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#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

There will be a class starting in January. Our own Royal English will be teaching the class. Interested people should contact Royal.

The Library is ready for lending. See Sandy Cuthill at the next meeting for available books.

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We did not hear from Bob Gustafson with regard to the suggestion box at our last meeting through no fault of Bob's. He was ready, but we goofed! We'll hear from Bob at the December meeting.

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Dues for 1979 are payable by January 1st, 1979. Let's avoid a crunch at the February meeting and renew memberships at the December meeting, or send your check to the Membership Chairman at Box 23315, Pleasant Hill, Cal. 94523

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The Directors being replaced in this election are: Bob Gustafson, Bruce Millar, and Roger Campbell. They have been of immeasurable help during this past year.

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TIPS

Lacquering.....

If brass weights and dials tarnish quickly, lacquer with 30% lacquer and 70% lacquer thinner. This mixture is so thin, it can be brushed on without showing brush marks. It is preferable, however, to spray or dip the article to be lacquered. WARNING...........
BE SURE YOU USE THE SAME BRAND LACQUER AS THINNER, TO ELIMINATE CRYSTALLIZATION.

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