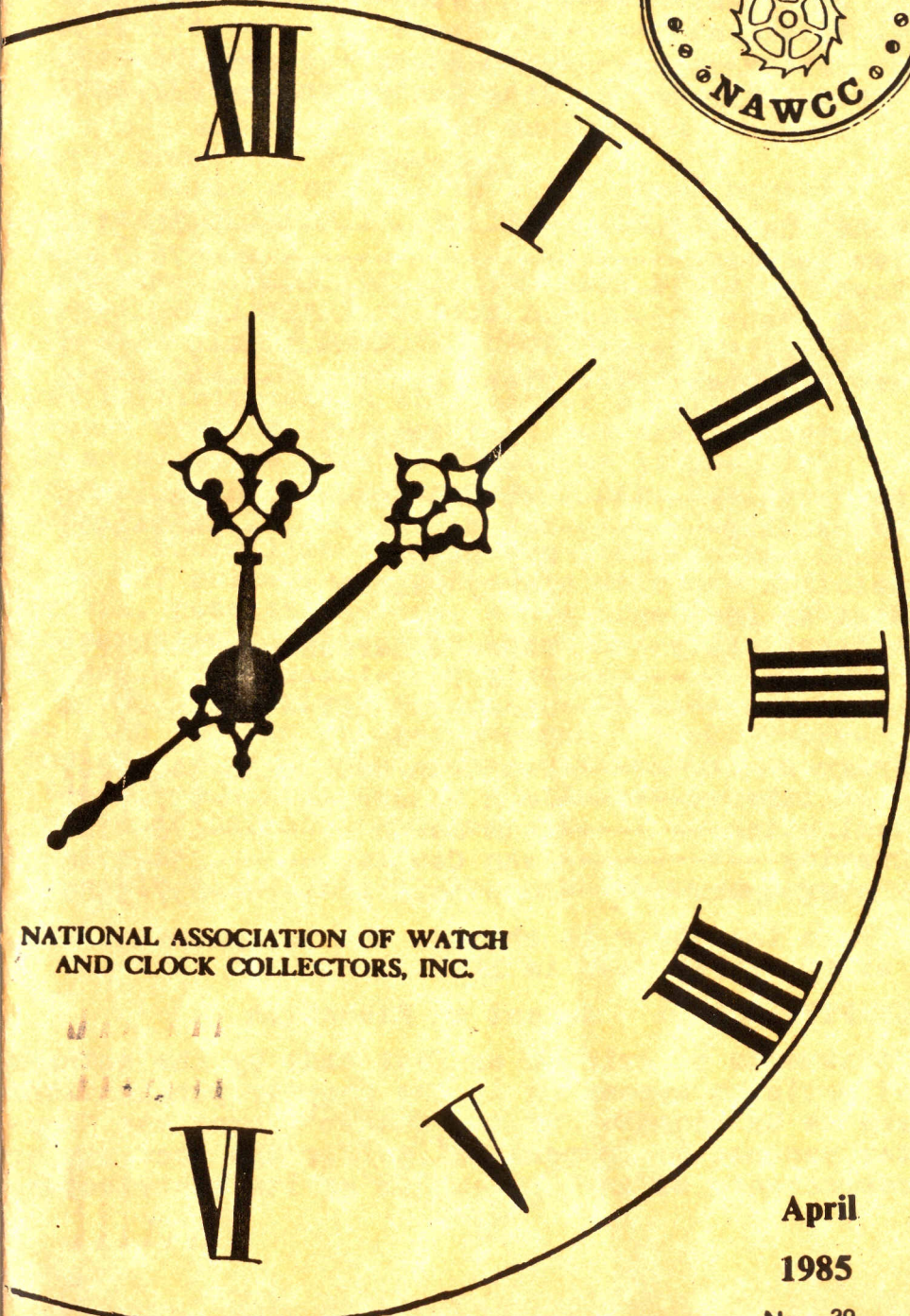
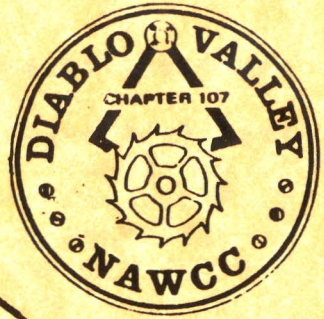


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CHAPTER MOTTO: Accent on Education

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I would like to thank John Sanderson for
 the interesting talk and slide presentation
 on his visit to the NAWCC Museum and American
 Watch and Clock Museum.

I would also like to thank those members
 who brought items to the 'show and tell' disp-
 lay.

The turnout for the February meeting was
 one of the largest we have had at that time of
 the year. Let's make this turnout even larger.

To all "New and Old" members who have not
 yet participated in the chapter activities,
 please contact John North if you are interested
 in an elective office, or see me if you wish
 to assist any of the chair officers now or for
 next year.

I would like to see more items in the Cha-
 pter 107 Bulletin. Anything is welcome- Articles,
 Trivia, puzzles, quotes, wants or sales, or any
 information you think is important- Get them
 to Bob Prochnow.

Members bringing guests - Please remember
 to sign them in at the membership desk. Every-
 one should be wearing a tag with their name.
 It's a lot easier to say "Hi John!" instead of
 "Hi-er,er haven't seen you..."

See all of you at the April 14th Meeting.

Fred



***** Meeting Information *****

Date: April 14, 1985

Mart Set-Up: 11:30 A.M.

Mart Opens: 12:00 Noon

Meeting Begins: 1:00 P.M.

Display Theme:

Common Character Watches

Program Speaker: Yen Kwan

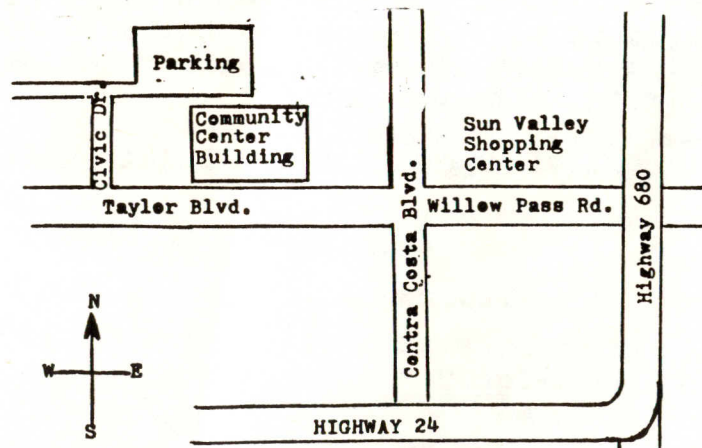
Program: Novelty & Character Watches
Unusual small alarm clocks

Dues: Chapter Members \$15.00 per year

Refreshment Donation is \$1.00 for
Non-Members.

Mart: FREE

Silent Auction: FREE



APRIL MEETING DISPLAY THEME

Our meeting display theme for April is Common Character Watches (Mickey Mouse, Popeye, et al) Also the display will be novelty, character and unusual small alarm clocks.

With our emphasis on Education we are asking each member to bring a display item to support our program--so see what you have to bring-AND BRING IT! !

The 'Show and Tell' display programs are always a highlight in the support of the main program. For the Shy ones-you do not have to talk about your display-just bring one and help will be provided in telling about its uniqueness. BRING A DISPLAY ITEM !

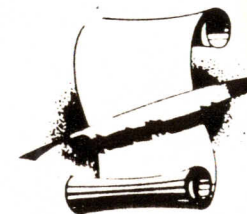
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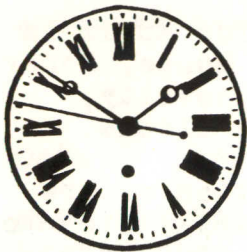


WANTED!!!

The Chapter is looking for a member who likes to write. Needed is someone who can submit reports on our chapter meetings to the National for publication in the Chapter Highlights section of the Bulletin.

Check with the Secretary, John Stohr, if willing....





COUNTER CLOCKWISE
by
Karl Kochmann

OUR NEW PRESIDENT

Congratulations, Fred Cuthill! You are our new President for 1985-1986. Good wishes for fruitful guidance under your leadership.

Fred and Sandy began clock collecting more than a decade ago. One clock from my collection has multiplied into many. Though they specialize in "ALL" clocks, clocks and many cats always find a good home with the Cuthills. Fred and Sandy are equally interested in the intellectual aspects of clock collecting and are charter members of the Diablo chapter of our organization. New officers give the "hobby organization" new projects, creative programs, and a lively exchange of ideas. The gathering of friends of old clocks every meeting benefits us all. Clock collecting educates us on man's innovative, artistic, and technical ability and trains our mechanical skills.

While our new president cannot expect monetary gain, he can look forward to the cooperation of all members. Fred will inspire everyone, no matter at what level is their interest in old clocks. He will cultivate the mutual horological hobby among us, so that we can share and add to each other's potential for learning.

Fred, you deserve the honor to serve as our President, and all the BEST WISHES FOR YOU.

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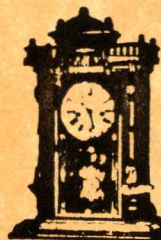
Please pick up your autographed pre ordered copy on the forthcoming meeting APRIL 14/85
Thank you

Karl Kochmann

BOOK REVIEW:

The Book of American Clocks
by Brooks Palmer (318 pages)

This book is usually one of the first to enter any horological library. Well Known for its long and detailed list of clock-makers of America. It also includes a brief history of both clocks and watches and gives insight as to the start of both in America. There are many illustrations of some very fine clocks although very few of some of the average clocks. This is a good book to just look at and "Drool". There is also a small Glossary of Terms. This is just one of many books in our library just waiting to be checked out.



Bob Prochnow

LET'S HEAR FROM YOU!

Let's hear from all the yet-to-be discovered writers out there. Everyone has picked up little tid-bits of information which that the group would be eager to learn. Sooo!! Take a break from that Novel you're writing to meet the May 25th deadline. For all you artists and/or joke writers out there...You are welcome to submit your work (Horologically related, of course).

Bob Prochnow