

January 4, 2016 *Galway Preservation Society Monthly Meeting*

23 members plus 7 guests present

Richard called the meeting to order, welcomed everyone and called for the Pledge of Allegiance. He thanked Carol Schweizer and Martha Brandow for providing the baked goods; and Sue Surdyka and Virginia Sawicki for the beverages.

Old Business - **Secretary Minutes** from the December 7 meeting were read and Neil Goes made a motion to accept the minutes which was seconded and approved. Richard gave the **Treasurer's Report and Book Account Report** for Linda Carpenter. Bonnie Donnan made a motion to accept the report which was seconded and approved.

Committee Updates and New Business - Virginia reported for the **Book Committee** that 604 Galway books have been sold, many of which were sold through the holidays. Mary Cuffe-Perez reported that the **Newsletter Committee** had their meeting. They came up with ideas and people to take part in them. The main articles for the rest of the year have been decided, but they still could use recipes with a short story behind them, and photos of old tools for people to identify. All ideas are welcome.

Announcements - The next **Board Meeting** is scheduled for January 13, at 7 pm, at the Town Hall. All members are always welcome to attend. The **next monthly meeting** is scheduled for Monday, February 1, at 7 pm. The topic, "George Washington and the Mohawk Frontier," will be presented by Norm Bollen from the Fort Plain Museum. Dusty Rhodes made a motion to adjourn which was seconded and approved. Virginia introduced Anne Clothier, the Director of Education at Brookside Museum. Her topic was, "Lost Landmarks of Saratoga County."

Respectfully submitted, Martha Brandow, secretary