



Uhl Collectors Society



September / October / November 1996

Members Gather for 1996 Convention

The 1996 Uhl Collectors Society Convention started Friday June 21 with several excellent room displays of pottery.

Commemorative distribution began Friday afternoon also, workmanship on the Thieves Jar commemorative was superior this year. Although the new policy of personal pickup started with this issue, few members had a problem with following the new rule.

A superb evening dinner was enjoyed by 735 members and guests.

After dinner the annual auction began. This year a separate

Huntingburg Basketball Award sells for \$2200 at auction.

room with security personnel was used since the dining room was near capacity. There were 119 pieces up for sale to the highest bidder.

This time members had a rare opportunity to bid for a late 1930's issue Uhl Basketball Award. Given to the Huntingburg team members these "basketball on a stand" trophies are very hard to find and the winning bid of \$2,200 is proof.



We will publish auction prices in this newsletter also.

Saturday morning started with the membership show and sale. Due to scheduling conflicts 3 individual conference rooms were used which made for some viewing difficulties. This problem should be eliminated for next year's convention because the dining room should be available for set up.

The business meeting started with a presentation of commemoratives to Tom and Donna Uebeler (outgoing Secretary-Treasurer), Tim and Barb Hodges (outgoing newsletter publishers), also Jim and Iris Allen (outgoing directors).

Nominations for directors ended up with Herman and JoAnn Stock as new board members.

The Secretary/Treasurer nominations followed with Elma and Beverly Leslie winning that position.

Discussion during the meeting included the next location for convention 1997, closed membership, bonding of the treasurer and voting right for the newsletter publishers.

After the annual meeting adjourned it was decided that the first meeting of the new board will be held July 27 at the Jasper Holiday Inn.

Club Officers:

President - Don Swartz
Vice President - Joe Earbacher
Secretary/Treasurer - Beverly & Elmia Leslie
Newsletter Publishers - Dave & Donna Swick

Board Members:

Dave and Tammy Lottes
Joan Carson
Herman & JoAnn Stock

Letter from the President

Greetings Fellow Uhlers

Our 11th annual convention is now history, and the bottom-line assessment by your board, was that despite the cramped quarters on Saturday morning, and other situations we intend to rectify, the compliments by far exceeded the complaints. My personal thanks are extended to all those members who helped to make the convention happen, especially to the other board members.

This past convention was of course the largest attended in our history. There were 735 reservations on Friday. The hotel informs me that there was 125 rooms reserved by Uhl members. It is my hope that we will continue to grow and also to improve the society.

Your board met on July 27, 1996, and we have already begun to make plans for the 1997 convention. I can share with you that the location change to the French Lick Resort is cost prohibitive at this time. Cost figures at that site were secured and presented to the board. It was determined that our 1997 convention will again be held at the Holiday Inn at Jasper, Indiana. The dates are set for June 20 and June 21, 1997. Mark your calendars. More information will be given in future newsletters.

I want to welcome the newly elected members to the board, Elma and Beverly Leslie, as Secretary-Treasurer; Herman and JoAnn Stock, as our 3-year members; and our newsletter editors, Dave and Donna Swick. I look forward to leading and working with the current board in the coming year. Let us hear from you.

It is my intention to continue to keep the members abreast of Uhl Society matters in each of the newsletter publications. We do want to hear your suggestions and concerns, so feel free to contact myself or any other board member as we strive to improve the organization.

May The Uhl Find U,
Don Schwartz, President

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St. Louis Area Mall Prices
This is a random Sampling of
items taken August 9, 1996.

2 qt. Squat Grape Pitcher, Blue, No Mark	\$85.00
2 qt. Tall Grape Pitcher, Blue, No Mark	\$250.00
2 gal. Standard White Jar w/Acorn mark	\$35.00
12 gal. Standard white Jar w/bails, Acorn Mark	\$95.00
5 gal. Shoulder Jug Dark/White, Acorn mark	\$49.50
1 gal. Shoulder Jug Dark/White, Acorn mark	\$20.00
12 oz. Plain Barrel Stein, Tan, Stamped	\$15.00
Pint Canteen Jug, Brown, No mark	\$18.00
8 gal. Standard white jar w/bails, Acorn mark	\$45.00
Football Mini Jug, Brown, No mark	\$40.00
1 qt. Tall Grape Pitcher, Blue, Stamped	\$149.00
#114 Cut flower vase, ivory, stamped	\$45.00

Strictly Classified



Members may place
ads for wanted or for sale
items free of charge.

Please give a good
description of items and
include contact information.

Board Meeting

The new board met for their first meeting
at the Holiday Inn in Jasper, IN.

It was agreed that membership dues will
remain the same.

Publication dates for the upcoming
newsletters will be September and December 96,
March and June of 97.

Convention arrangements were on the
agenda with a lengthy discussion about the Jasper
Holiday Inn and the French Lick Resort sites.

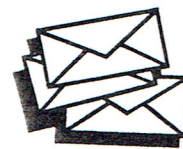
Prices for the Holiday Inn site averaged
\$62 per room and the dinner meal averaged \$9.50 per
person.

French Lick Resort prices were estimated
at \$90 per room while dinner prices ranges from \$18
to \$36 per person.

Board members then gave their
assessments of the 1996 convention.

Commemorative ideas were exchanged
and it was determined that input from the potteries
was necessary before a final decision will be made.

The next board meeting will be held in
October at the Jasper Holiday Inn.



Members Forum

Sharing information is
essential for our
organization to exist.

Drop us a line. We
look forward to hearing
your views.

**Officers
and
Board Members**

If you have a comment or suggestion concerning the Uhl Society, you can contact any or all of the officers and board members below.

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1996 Convention Auction Prices

Lg brown Lincoln Pitcher M	\$300
8 gal Evansville dbl hnd jug	\$350
Blue Hnd Turned Plate M	\$200
1 qt brown grape pitcher	\$20
Lg green teapot	\$125
Rose Dispenser	\$60
Purple medium jug	\$90
Brn. handturned cookie jar	\$40
Pink coffee mug M	\$20
Blue Bulbous Jug	\$40
Rose Grecian Jug M	\$60
Strawberry Jar Mold	\$25
Lg. White Baseball M	\$500
Bl swat grp pitcher w/lid M	\$150
#2 Gallon churn w/dasher	\$125
2 qt. blue/white grape pitcher	\$200
Yellow Medium Teapot M	\$125
Brown mini mug	\$70
Blue teapot #131	\$150
Rose Grape swat pitcher M	\$80
1994 Commemorative	\$70
Red 2 handled mini jug	\$50
Harvest Jug w/stone handle	\$400
Brown mini tank	\$750
1943 X-mas jug	\$1100
IU vs TX brwn/wht mini jug	\$300
Liberty Bell Lamp	\$200
Lg brown Lincoln Pitcher M	\$300
8 gal Evansville dbl hnd jug	\$350
Blue Hnd Turned Plate M	\$200
1 qt brown grape pitcher	\$20
Lg. pink teapot M	\$160
8 gal dbl hnd jugs	\$180
#525 bird house	\$270
Lg sponge Bulbous pitcher	\$475
#156 white vase	\$50
1936 Hunt Basketball	\$2200
Small pink Lincoln pitcher M	\$270
Pnk Polar Bear Jug w/stp M	\$375
Blue Vase M	\$70
Purple mini boot M	\$410
Blue hand turned plate M	\$220
Mini acorn shoulder jug	\$450
Dutch pot w/acorn	\$170
10 gal jar	\$90
5 gal jar	\$60
Blue Jug bank	\$220
1 pair blue military boots M	\$250
5 gal Evansville Jug	\$120

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"M" Denotes Marked

Blue Lg Vase Double M	\$200
1992 Commemorative	\$160
1996 Mother's Day Jug	\$100
Flour Crock	\$500
Rose Hanging Planter	\$35
Bl Sng Handled Bean Pot M	\$250
Purple Mini Jug	\$150
Rose mini pitcher	\$95
1987 Uhl Comme w/box	\$450
3 qt. Blue Grape Pitcher M	\$200
3 gal Ice water	\$310
Tan mini barrel mug M	\$90
Pink Small Salad Bowl M	\$50
1 qt shoulder jug Glenmore	\$125
1930 X-mas Jug	\$800
Pink Water Jug M	\$50
Blue baby shoe M	\$130
Mini Football jug	\$40
Blue Casserole w/lid M	\$50
Pink Casserole w/lid M	\$50
Pink Salad Bowl M	\$85
3 gal Evansville Jug	\$95
Brn #183 Grp Bulbous Pit M	\$50
Blue Swat grape pitch w/lid	\$150
Medium Frog	\$500
Blue mini prunella jug	\$100
5 gal white jug	\$90
6 gal ice water w/wood lid	\$275
Blue casserole #151 w/lid	\$45
3 gal churn w/lid	\$125
4 gal churn w/lid M	\$95
Green mini bud vase M	\$140
Blue picket fence bowl	\$50
Pumpkin vase M	\$90
1990 Commemorative	\$120
Mini blue/white jar w/lid	\$1200
Prunella X-Mas Jug br/w/wh	\$310
Purple 2 handle mini jug	\$90
Blue Egyptian jug #162	\$50
1995 Comm. Churn	\$70
Black 2 handled mini jug	\$45
Hnd turned Vase	\$65.
1933 X-Mas Jug (restored)	\$650
Blue Vase #15 12" H	\$275
Uhl Sales Receipt	\$40
Lt. blue mini mug M	\$120
Lg Brown teapot M	\$45
Small yellow teapot #131	\$70
4 Small blue grape mug	\$300

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1996 Auction Prices Continued

Mini shell ashtray	\$300
Bl Ice water pitcher w/stop	\$30
4 gal Evansville jug	\$150
Sm pumpkin Bulbous Pitcher	\$60.
Yellow rabbit planter	\$15
Blue Tulip Bowl #120	\$65
1 pr brown pig banks	\$115
McCurdy's Uhl Paperback	\$100
Yellow jar w/lid	\$85
#184 pk grp bulbous Pitcher	\$45
Blue/White spittoon	\$60
Purple dlb hndled jug	\$200
#183 Lt Bl Grp Bolbous Pter	\$80
4 Tan Mugs (USA)	\$45
Blue mini flower vase	\$300
Uhl Pottery Medallion	\$250
Blue casserole M	\$50
Special Commemorative	\$340
Tan Special Commemorative	\$200
Tan w/green stripe Spc Comm.	\$525
Blue w/sponge Special Comm.	\$525

WELCOME

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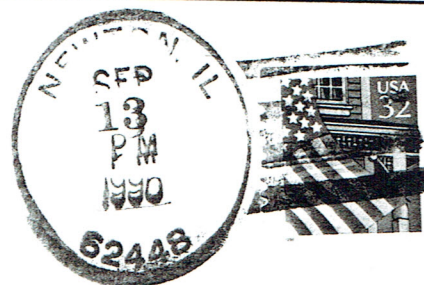
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