

The 7th Killian Reunion was held Aug. 7, 1941 at Salem Lutheran and Reformed Church. The meeting - was opened with the singing of America followed by prayer offered by Rev. J. Rippard. The president offered a few remarks after which the minutes were read and approved. A historical sketch of the John Killian family was given by Raymond Helner. A suggestion was made that a list of all veterans in each war be compiled and listed with the clerks of court of the different counties. Mr. Killian stressed the fact that some member of each branch of the family bring that branch up to date and place in the history of the Killian family. The work is too large for one person to undertake it all. A resolution was passed that we endeavor to compile as complete a record as possible of all Killians.

A permanent date of meeting was to be the first Thursday in Aug. and place of meeting was left to the Executive Committee. The officers were selected -

The president was given power to appoint 3 or more members to help the Ex. Committee which was to consist of the officers in arranging a program and entertainment for the reunion.

Dr. Roselle gave an inspirational address. Few attended the meeting because of recent rains which had swelled the streams and at places made it unsafe to cross the bridges.

Since 1941 no meetings have been held first because of the rationalizing of gasoline and food which were needed for the war - and last year on account of polio.

After an enjoyable lunch and a chattering together we separated never dreaming that before we meet again many of those dear to us and the instigators of the Reunion would be called from our midst. Today we miss them and the prayer in our hearts is that all is well with them and that we may be as true to our family, our home, our country and our God as they were and their lives may be an inspiration to us for a better living.

Guy Killian Pres.
Dora Rhoads Carpenter Sec.

Thursday Aug. 7, 10:30 A.M. - 1941

America

Prayer - Rev. Lippard

address by President

Suggest law

minutes read & approved

family historical sketch of John Killian by Raymond Hefner.

Joseph Family -

Compile a record of all the Killian Civil War veterans - list filed with Clerks of different Counties.

Fredrick Killian brother of Joseph Gladys Stines' ancestor

J. Yates Killian - want every family take copy home and write your family history for one man can't do it.

Collection: (9. 26)

Business

Officers - selected

Voluntary Collection

resolution:
we endeavor
to compile
as complete
a list of all
Killians &
others

in Civil War and others be gotten
and send to Raymond Hefner
Hickory, N. C.

Committees:

Executive

Pres. be given power to appoint

3 or more members, on the chairman
names - Simon Newton
Raymond Hefner Hickory
John Carpenter Maidsen

Program

Entertainment

Executive

Carried

Officers be a part
of the committees -
Carried
left to Ex. Com.

Place of meeting

Time of meeting: first Thursday in Aug;
permanent date

Address: Dr. Roselle

page 488. Aubrey's Journal - tear picture of old
Killian home out and place in Killian book -

How much you know - New Eng.
How much property you have - N.Y.

What can you do - asked in West
N.C. Who your grand father was?

What is your name: meaning of the name -

- 1. work
- 2. locality
- 3. physical peculiarity

Prov 22:1 A good name is rather to
be chosen than great riches.

Edgar Guest - My Name

Dismissed by Lippard.