KILLIAN REUNION SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 13, 1964.

The annual reunion of the descendents of pioneer Andreas Killian was held Sunday afternoon September 13th 3:00 o'clock at Salem Lutheran-Reformed Church Lincoln County with our President Ware L. Killian of York, S.C. presiding.

The meeting was opened by singing Bless be the tie that binds, and led in prayer by Rev. James D. Rumley pastor of the Reformed congregation. Rev. Rumley also conducted our devotions dwelling on the subject of our home life and the importance of it.

He cited the desire within us to belong to some family and what our part in it should be as christians, comparing it with the Holy family that is ours to be with the communion of Saints.

Guest soloist Mr. Clarence Gallagher of Charlotte thrilled our groupe by singing the Holy City -- He was accompanied on the organ by Mrs Robert Patton Reid organist of the Tabernacle A.R.P. Church Charlotte.

President Killian gave a word of welcome to our visitors, members and friends -- He empathized that we should have closer ties in our familys, especially with our children if we expect them to become good citizens.

Among the guests introduced were Mr & Mrs Clarence Gallagher of Charlotte, Dr Carl Dan Killian of Cullowee College, Archie J. Killian & Family of Hickory and Rev. Fred Hintze and family of Daniels Lutheran Church.

Our faithful and loyal members Mr. & Mrs/Odus Carpenter were absent for the f first time owing to the illness of Mrs Carpenter.

The minutes of the previus meeting and Treasurers report were read and approved by motion.

The following officers were proposed by our Nominating Committee.

J. Edward Jenkins of Charlotte.

For Vice President Wm. D. Killian of Lincolnton. For Secretary and Treasurer Guy C. Killian Gastonia

For Greeters Mr & Mrs Frank Killian of Lincolnton they are to seclect

any others they wish on this committie. Mrs. For Historians- John F, Carpenter, Maiden- Gladys Stine of Lutz, Fla. Jesse C. Sigmon of Newton and Mrs Wm. D. Killian, Lincolnton. Upon motion duly seconded they were all elected unanimously.

Communications were read from Mrs Leota Killian of Rochester, N.Y. Mr. Tom Rhodes of Asheville, Mr & Mrs E.H. Killian of Edgemore, S.C.

and picnic the 2nd Sunday in September 1965, also the same time of day.

Upon Motion of Jesse Sigmon duly seconded the sum of \$15.00 was ordered to be paid to Salem Church as a part of the maintance on cemetary.

The congregation was asked to stand in silent meditation in memory of the following reported deceased -- Our former President John F. Killian of Gilkey, John Killian of Denver and Kemp Nixon of Lincolnton.

After the benidiction by Rev. Fred Hintze the groupe gathered around the picnic tables which were full of all the delicayes the ladies had prepared.

Guy C. Killian, Secretary

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