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TRADITION FIVE

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by Bill Wilson
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Says the old proverb, "Shoemaker, stick to thy last." Trite, yes. But very true for us of AA. How well we need to heed the principle that it is better to do one thing supremely well than many things badly.

Because it has now become plain enough that only a recovered alcoholic can do much for a sick alcoholic, a tremendous responsibility has descended upon us all, an obligation so great that it amounts to a sacred trust. For to our kind, those who offer alcoholism, recovery is a matter of life or death. So the society of AA cannot, it dare not, ever be diverted from its primary purpose of AA to them; as a movement we shall be beset to finance and endorse other causes. Should our present success continue, people will commence to assert that AA is a brand-new way of life, maybe a new religion, capable of saving the world. We shall be told it is our bounden duty to show modern society how it ought to live.

Oh, how very attractive these projects and ideas can be! How flattering to imagine that we might be chosen to demonstrate that olden mystic promise: "The first shall be last and the last shall be first." Fantastic, you say. Yet some of our wellwishers have begun to say such things.

Fortunately, most of use convinced that these are perilous speculating alluring ingredients of that new heady wine we are now being offered, each bottle marked "Success"!

Of this subtle vintage may we never drink too deeply. May we never forget that we live by the grace of God - on borrowed time; that anonymity is better acclaim; that for us as a movement poverty is better than wealth.

And may we reflect with ever-deepening conviction, that we shall never be at our best except when we hew only to the primary spiritual aim of AA. That of carrying its message to the alcoholic who still suffers alcoholism.

WE WELCOME YOU....

The following are the Themes for the coming issues of newsletter.

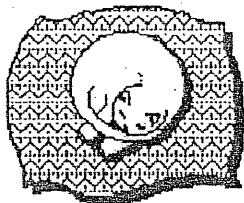
- June: Willingness
- July: Humility
- August: Brotherly Love
- September: Justice

We hope that this will spur you to think about writing an article or some other demonstration of your thoughts on these Topics.

THIS MONTH :
THEME : INTEGRITY

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Helen's Corner ...



You either have integrity or you don't. When a person has integrity we can be assured that his actions will match his words. Integrity is not for the wishy-washy. No amount of money can buy even a drop of integrity. It's a quality of character that a person can develop over time, if they are willing to commit to living on the up and up, not because it will impress other people, but because it gives the person a feeling of inner peace.

A person with integrity lives the saying, "To Thine Own Self be True", 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. In other words, if you try to please every one, no one is pleased; if you try to please yourself, at least one person is pleased.

But how do we become a person with integrity? By living the word "integrate". To integrate means to make or become whole or complete; to bring parts together into a whole; to remove barriers. This may be obvious but, isn't this the purpose of doing the 4th and 5th Step? Getting our act together, accepting our warts and dimples and living in peace with ourselves are essential needs of every recovering alcoholic. Being comfortable with the person we really are is the greatest gift we can give ourselves.

When the day dawns that we can say - "Today, I am o.k. I no longer have to "act" my way through life, pleasing others but not myself. Today, I love all my warts and dimples and I give myself permission to come out of hiding and show the world the me I know. Now, I can join the parade of life without fearing my needs or emotions. Now, I can join the parade of life without fearing my needs or emotions. I count and God Loves me just the way I am "we will know we are a person of integrity.

Yours in the Spirit of AA,

Helen S.

10 Reasons To Think Before You Act

by Kate N. Hazeldon -
1986 Excerpts

None of us want to be mindless reactors to the events and people we face each day. Instead, we can take time to think about our choices within the situations that confront us. Here are ten specific reasons for thinking about our options before taking action.

1) You can act within your value system.

2) You can act on what you need rather than on what you want.

3) You can be objective and not act on preconceptions and prejudices.

4) You can think the consequences of your actions through and decide whether or not you can afford them.

5) You can decide not to act while you give a situation time to work itself out.

6) You can live your mistakes more easily if you've thought through your decision and know you've done the best you could.

7) You can make our own decisions; you won't be swayed by other people.

8) You can act on constructive rather than destructive motivations.

9) You can take action rather than passively letting things happen to you.

10) You can act calmly and rationally, instead of reacting emotionally and destructively.

A sense of integrity involves acceptance of responsibility for one's own life without blaming others for the past or present misfortune.

OPEN TO HOPE
by Tom W., ? Group

By any standard, there was little hope for me when I arrived at AA. Regardless and without hesitation, the hand of AA reached out to me. I'm a low bottom, cross addicted, double diagnosed alcoholic, that had little fight left in him, and also one with too many years of drinking practice. I remember the suggestion that Jim K. gave me when I left the Clinic in Ohio to come home, back to Buffalo. I pulled him on the side and said: "Jim, tell me your secret. Why are you so full of life. What do you have to be so happy about?" He replied; "Tom you have a big job ahead of you. All that you need to know is this: "Don't drink, go to meetings, you'll be contacted." That was it. The extent of my hope rested on Jim's secret. The next day I would return home and wait to be contacted.

I couldn't ignore the tremendous job in front of me. To achieve sobriety I needed to get honest, abstain (no mind altering), seek God, continue to clean house, seek God, help others, and nurture my own soul. It was easier waiting for contact, however, I felt compelled to act, so I did. But who was I fooling? I felt overwhelmed, defeated, sunken, and perplexed by such thoughts, of doing the work necessary for me to follow the Path. Something was wrong. I just couldn't be alcoholic. They must have made a mistake with me. And besides, how could they have released me, set me free in this society? I must be dreaming. No that's not it. Oh! I must be insane. It seemed like it was too much for me to handle.

I begin to fight. I cried. I laughed. I raved. I'd vacillate from rage to depression. All this time I went to my AA meetings. One day in particular, I found myself outside the parking lot of a church, after a meeting yelling at these two smiling faces, telling them "you guys just don't get it. I have all this other stuff wrong with me, besides alcoholism." They empathized and replied; "we know how you feel."

They took me for coffee and told me that it was good for my spirit to be so mad, like I was. These guys really accepted me. Unconditionally. It was none of this, take two aspirin, call me in the morning stuff, like I was use to. The guys were for real. What can I say?

I was late coming home from that meeting. As I unlocked the door to our apartment, I caught the figure of my woman standing there. My heart started its double time act. I looked closer and I could see fear written all over her face and stature. Alcoholic thoughts raced through my brain. The car, where is the car? An accident, who is hurt? Oh! someone died. No-that's not it. Of course, how could I be so blind to her feelings. She figures that I stopped for a few. No wonder she looks so terrorized. Her voice cracked when she looked at me and said "I'm glad you're home, Tom." she gave me a big hug and kiss. I looked at her square in the eye and said "we need to talk." She brewed coffee, we talked.

No doubt about it. I was mentally, physically, and spiritually spent when I came here. The people at AA told me that I didn't have to live that way anymore, and that there was only one "rule" to remember, for the time being (and always). Don't drink, go to meetings, work the steps. That's it. However, even as sick as I was I tried to complicate it. It (achieving sobriety) had to be more difficult than just working the steps. Little did I know the "secrets". But I found out that, that is It. There are no secret meanings. Everything that we need to achieve sobriety is already here for us.

I was taken out of a "wet" environment and plopped down in a "dry" one. I drank and drugged all those years avoiding legitimate pain. I had no hope then, because hope could not take hold on me, when I was "wet". First I had to survive the transition of going from this "wet" to "dry".

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COMING EVENTS

MAY 4 - SATURDAY - SATURDAY NITE DISCUSSION - is having a dance at 340 Military Rd.-7:30PM-speaker-8PM-music-9PM, buffet-10PM. Donation:\$6.00 per person.

MAY 4 - SATURDAY - THE BIG BOOK STUDY group is sponsoring a "Third Step Spiritual Workshop" at the Amity Club, Hertel & Military. Registration: \$2.00: Noon - 1PM, Workshop: 1PM - 4PM. Lead Speaker: Sr. Ann.

MAY 4 - SATURDAY - FIRESIDE'S DAY OF SHARING - EOC - North - Student Ctr. Wehrle Dr at Youngs Rd. 9AM -4PM Speakers & panels. No charge other than lunch.

MAY 17 - FRIDAY - LIBERTY WOMEN'S group is having its 4th Anniversary celebration at 8:00 PM, Church of the Advent, 54 Delaware Rd., Kenmore. Guest Speaker: Mabel H., 45 years sobriety. Refreshments served. All are welcome!

MAY 18 - SATURDAY - COMMON PROBLEM - 5th Annual 50's&60's Dance-Queen of Heaven Ch., 4220 Seneca St., W. Seneca. Doors open-8:30PM Donation: \$7.00. Contest.

MAY 22 - WEDNESDAY - LIVING SOBER - group's 23rd Anniversary celebration with an Open Speaker, eating meeting. Kenmore Meth. Ch., Delaware & Landers, Kenmore.

MAY 25 - SATURDAY - IRON HORSE - Annual Picnic will be at the McI innon Shelter, Chestnut Ridge Park, 10 AM to 7 PM. A dish to share gratefully accepted.

MAY 26 - SUNDAY - WHY group is celebrating their 17th Anniversary with an Open Speaker meeting. Kenmore Pres. Ch., 2771 Delaware Ave., Kenmore-8:30PM.

JUNE 1 - SATURDAY - EARLY BIRD is celebrating their 1st Anniversary with an eating meeting and Speaker - United Meth. Ch., Ontario & Tonawanda-10:00AM.

JUNE 2 - SUNDAY - JUST FOR TODAY-In thanksgiving for 50 years of sobriety on the WNY Frontier, we cordially invite all AA's to join us 2:30PM - 4:30PM. in celebration of our "Moments of Spirituality" Mother of Divine Grace, 120 Old Maryvale Dr. Cktg.

JUNE 7 - FRIDAY - SOUTH BUFFALO group's 47th Anniversary celebration-8PM - Speaker, food, dance - St. Simon's, 200 Cazenovia St. South Bflo. 8PM

JUNE 16 - SUNDAY - SUNRISE COURT - 37th Anniversary breakfast-11:30AM.

JUNE 22 -SATURDAY - NEW FRONTIERS - 7th annual celebration-\$6.00 donation.

JUNE 29- SATURDAY - CHEVY - group's 20th anniversary, with dinner & dance.

GENERAL COMMITTEE MEETING

SUNDAYS - May 5 & June 2, 7:00 PM.
at 80 Goodrich Street behind Buffalo General.

REMEMBER
Everyone Welcome.



PLEASE SUPPORT THE
ENVELOPE SYSTEM!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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NEW MEETINGS

NORTH JAVA - 8PM - SUNDAY - C - St Nicholas Convent, Rt 98 & NY 5, N Java, NY. No papers will be signed.

HONEST DESIRE - 8:00PM - MONDAY - OD - 182 Clark St., Kolbe Ctr., Bflo.

DAILY COMMITMENT - 7:00AM - TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS - OD - 1280 Main St., Bflo.

POSITIVELY LIVING-EAGLE - 12:30PM - TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS - OD - 134W.Eagle, 5th fl.

NEW FREEDOM - 10:00AM - SATURDAY - O - 211 E. Main St., McAuley Hall (next to YMCA), Batavia, NY - Non-smoking.

PLEASE NOTE:

BIDWELL - THURSDAY MAY 2 & MAY 23, NO meeting due to church activities.

HAPPY HOUR - THURSDAY - 5:00PM - Holy Cross School, 341 Seventh St., Bflo. is pleased to announce that a BIG BOOK STUDY meeting has been added

CHAPTER IX - TUESDAY 257 Deerhurst - 8:00PM can use members & support.

WENDE STATE CORRECTIONAL FACILITY can use some support. The AA group meets FRIDAY 7:00 PM & SATURDAY 1:15 PM. Call Tom Mc. 693-4136 for more info.

WE ADMITTED & MORNING AFTER help us update our membership lists.

T'n'T - TUESDAY - THURSDAY - 6:00PM, ECC-North - Rm.409B - Faculty Lounge, Bretschager Bldg. is a SMOKING meeting.

There is meeting space available Monday through Friday at 1280 Main St. Bflo.

SEASONAL MEETINGS:

SERENITY IN THE PARK-MONDAY - 7:00PM -Delaware Park Rose Garden. Starting May 6th.

MARINA - SATURDAY - 8:00PM - June 1, weather permitting, at the pavilion in front of the Miss Buffalo Dock. Bring your own coffee and picnic supplies.

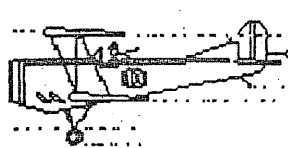
MEETING CHANGES:

WHY - SUNDAY - 8:30PM - Kenmore Pres. Ch, 2771 Delaware Ave. OPEN last wk.

ALL groups meeting in the Church of the Nativity, 1530 Colvin Blvd. are now NON-SMOKING due to church policy. These groups are: ACCEPTANCE - TUES -10AM- GRATEFUL WED. - 8:00 PM, (Note time change), WELCOME FRI.-10:00 AM.

ALL meetings at the Deerhurst Pres. Ch, 257 Deerhurst are NON-SMOKING. SEARCHING FOR SERENITY - MON - 6:00PM, CHAPTER IX-TUES & KENMORE-THUR. - 8:PM.

ACTIVE ACHIEVEMENT - Monday - 8:30PM - is now called BY THE BOOK - CD - SMOKING - Amity Club, 340 Military at Hertel Bflo.



Movin' On In Sobriety

WHY GROUP

Geno N. 13yr.
 Jeff B. 10yr.
 John W. 4yr.
 Fred R. 3yr.

HAPPY HOUR

Marcus W. 5yr.
 Mary C. 1yr.
 Elvis N. 1yr.
 Rudy O. 1yr.
 Linda M. 1yr.
 April S. 1yr.
 Denny H. 1yr.
 Robin T. 1yr.
 Terry W. 1yr.
 Karen F. 9mo.
 Theodore T. 9mo.
 Edward C. 9mo.
 Sabrina H. 9mo.
 John H. 9mo.
 Ted Q. 9mo.
 Shirley J. 6mo.
 Betty W. 6mo.
 Trina H. 6mo.
 John F. 6mo.
 Sue M. 6mo.
 Boykins D. 3mo.
 Raymond W. 3mo.

LET GO & LET GOD

Marcus W. 5yr.
 Mae W. 4yr.
 Henry M. 4yr.
 Bill L. 3yr.

JUST FOR TODAY

MaryEllen S. 11yr.

NORTH BUFFALO

Mel R. 14yr.
 Tom B. 12yr.
 Dave P. 12yr.
 Roger P. 10yr.
 Kristina G. 5yr.
 Dennis G. 3yr.
 Katie McD. 3yr.
 Donald H. 1yr.
 Harmen A. 1yr.
 Tom W. 6mo.
 Mike D. 3mo.
 Walter W. 3mo.
 Ronald D. 3mo.

NEW FRONTIERS

JoAnn 1yr.
 Jim 1yr.
 April S. 1yr.
 Anita B. 3yr.
 Bud W. 4yr.
 Sandra P. 4yr.
 Les McC. 5yr.
 Kevin F. 5yr.
 Esther L.* 11yr.
 Joe O. 6mo.
 April S. 1yr.
 Donna B. 10yr.
 Lynne C. 10yr.

GIVING GROUP

Joe O. 6mo.
 April S. 1yr.
 Donna B. 10yr.
 Lynne C. 10yr.

AMHERST/SNYDER

Frank D. 33yr.
 Richard M. 12yr.
 Betty C. 10yr.
 Carol R. 9yr.
 Doris S. 8yr.
 Dick M. 8yr.
 Richard M. 8yr.
 John B. 7yr.
 MaryEllen M. 6yr.
 Dave C. 5yr.
 Don B. Jr. 4yr.
 Clair S. 4yr.
 Roy H. 4yr.
 Charlie B. 3yr.
 Scott H. 2yr.
 Al C. 1yr.
 Gary I. 1yr.
 Mark I. 1yr.
 Ron K. 1yr.
 Charles S. 9mo.
 Jim L. 9mo.
 Richard D. 9mo.
 Richard D. 9mo.
 John F. 9mo.
 Mickey G. 9mo.
 Roger I. 6mo.
 Andy H. 6mo.
 Trevor P. 6mo.
 Paul B. 6mo.

SHERIDAN/HONESTY

Lynn C. 16yr.
 Tom B. 12yr.
 Carol R. 9yr.
 James S. 5yr.
 Christian B. 4yr.
 Dan G. 3yr.
 Tina H. 2yr.
 Gregory F. 2yr.
 Brian McD. 2yr.
 Gere O. 3mo.
 Mike A. 3mo.

COLD SPRINGS

Lynn C. 10yr.
 Kevin F. 5yr.
 Willie G. 2yr.
 Betty R. 1yr.
 Laverne J. 1yr.
 James L. 1yr.
 Dave C. 9mo.
 Kenneth C. 6mo.
 Keith C. 6mo.
 Frank B. 6mo.
 Willie B. 6mo.
 Blane H. 6mo.

IRON HORSE

Helen B. 9yr.
 Terry F. 7yr.
 Dave H. 5yr.
 Ron K. 5yr.
 Joel H. 5yr.
 Frank B. 2yr.
 Pat C. 1yr.
 Dan M. 1yr.

LOVEJOY

Bob H. 6yr.
 Nancy D. 1yr.
 Jim S. 1yr.
 Doug P. 9mo.
 Bob G. 9mo.
 Greg N. 9mo.
 Kate C. 6mo.
 Wayne B. 6mo.
 Tom C. 6mo.

THURSDAY BIDWELL

Richard L. 8yr.
 Peter C. 6yr.
 Barbara R. 4yr.
 Dan B. 4yr.
 Kelly H. 1yr.
 John C. 1yr.
 April S. 1yr.
 Ron 1yr.
 Norman M. 9mo.
 Elizabeth F. 5mo.

KENSINGTON DISCUSSION

John T. 29yr.
 Ron W. 14yr.
 George I. 10yr.
 John I. 6mo.
 Bill K. 5yr.
 Mark C. 3yr.
 Jerry C. 1yr.
 Tom D. 3mo.
 Norm K. 3mo.

SENECA 12 & 12

Bill K. 5yr.
 Mark C. 3yr.
 Jerry C. 1yr.
 Tom D. 3mo.
 Norm K. 3mo.

MONDAY

BIDWELL
 Elizabeth D. 4yr.
 Nancy H. 2yr.

SOUTH BUFFALO

Pat B. 25yr.
 Don B. 22yr.
 Ann H. 20yr.
 Rita E. 17yr.
 donna C. 11yr.
 Joe W. 11yr.
 Don B. 10yr.
 Teresa C. 7yr.
 Cliff H. 6yr.
 Harold C. 6yr.
 Jack Mc 5yr.
 Alice E. 2yr.
 Andy M. 9mo.
 Bob G. 9mo.
 Karen K. 9mo.

KENMORE

John T. 20yr.
 Mike K. 9yr.
 Harmon A. 1yr.
 Debbie M. 9mo.
 Winnie B. 3mo.

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THE MYSTERY GROUP

Donnette K. 15yr.
 Walter K. 9yr.
 Terry A. 8yr.
 Doris S. 8yr.
 Ron Z. 8yr.
 Mark P. 6yr.
 Darrell M. 4yr.
 Pat B. 3yr.
 Joe K. 3yr.
 Karen O. 3yr.
 Ed Z. 3yr.
 Traci B. 2yr.
 Paul K. 2yr.
 Sandy M. 2yr.
 Scott S. 2yr.
 Danny K. 9mo.
 Jim S. 9mo.
 John F. 6mo.
 John i. 6mo.
 Norm L. 6mo.
 Maggie M. 6mo.
 Stephen P. 6mo.
 Jerry S. 6mo.
 Norman W. 6mo.
 Edward W. 6mo.

THRUWAY

James C. 15yr.
 Mary Ellen S. 11yr.
 Judy F. 11yr.
 Brian J. 7yr.
 George L.** 7yr.
 Mark P. 6yr.
 Diane Z. 6yr.
 Joann C. 5yr.
 Wesley M. 4yr.
 Lee M. 4yr.
 Mildred M. 3yr.
 Debra S. 3yr.
 William S. 3yr.
 Sue S. 1yr.
 Carol H. 1yr.
 Gary G. 9mo.
 Eugene C. 9mo.
 Dick D. 6mo.
 Maggie M. 6mo.

BRASS GROUP

Esther L.** 11yr.
 Darlene 9yr.
 Harry 5yr.
 Robin 1yr.

HARMONY

Clifford S. 2yr.
 Cyndy D. 9mo.
 Lonny L. 9mo.
 John N. 3mo.
 Dwain S. 3mo.

EYE OPENER

Jim L. 9yr.
 Ed Z. 5yr.
 Terry L. 2yr.
 Bob S. 1yr.
 Karen S. 1yr.
 Jim C. 9mo.
 Gene K. 9mo.
 Sean M. 9mo.
 Roger F. 6mo.
 Eric M. 6mo.

SUNRISE COURT

Ann H. 20yr.
 Esther L.* 11yr.
 Lynne C. 10yr.
 Chris B. 3yr.
 Alice H. 1yr.
 April S. 1yr.
 Jim L. 1yr.
 Bobby G. 9mo.
 Darryl V. 6mo.
 Scott W. 3mo.

LET GO AND LET GOD

I AM RESPONSIBLE..

To Be Or Not To Be

I (the smallest word in a book I know), have been in AA for over 17 years and have been very ill since February of 1990. I have been on screeners for about 3 years. I cannot do the twelve step work that I would like to due to my health, but when and if I get better I definitely will go back on the 12 step list.

My reason for writing to you is that the people on the 12 step list apparently do not want to be on this list. I have personally made at least 12 calls in the last 3 months to help one girl. Every time I get someone to say that they will go and take her to a meeting they never show up. They say they will call her, I have gotten 2 girls to call but are not willing to really continue because they do not give her their phone numbers. As a result they never call her again, and she is just left with my phone number. Where is the good old fashioned people that came immediatley when I called over 17 years ago. If you do not want to be on this list please get your name off. I have hung in only by telephone so far because she has no one else. If it were not for my God as I understand Him I could not have done this. My God does not say to me this one is hopeless NOR does He say this one is Helpless. There is no greater love than one drunk has for another, or so the saying used to go. By the way she has been in treatment and sober for over 3 months that I know of (this girl I am talking about above).

I have also had trouble with this: "Oh, he (or she) is a slipper, they cannot be helped or they do not want help". That is up to their God not up to anyone to judge them here on this earth. We all could slip but for the grace of God there go I.

I knew a person for about 10 years who could not stay sober, but not one person gave up on him and he died with one year of sobriety. Who are we to play God.

Please I beg of you if you do not want to do twelve step work take your name off the list, and I hope that these people have at least 2 years of sobriety that are on the list.

Well, thank you for letting me get this small resentment out because my God says do what you can and then give it to Me, and this is all I can do.

With love, unity and service, I remain,
Your faithful servant in Christ,
Carolyn R.

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Next I had to face the fear of not having that drink to control my mood, settle me down. To deal with life on lives terms, I have been given this simple 12 step program of one day at a time, recovery. It's works well for me when I hold no reservations. I've been graced with the Fellowship of AA and humans that share their hope with me.

I could see that I couldn't fool (lie to) others around me at AA, so I quite trying. My moods were okay with my new friends. I went to the source of their Power. Quietly I thanked God, as I understood Him, and asked Him if I could stay on for awhile. I also thanked Him for operating in my life all those years. I asked Him for forgiveness. As He opened me up to the possibility of going a "day without a drink" I became open to all the legitimate pain that I had avoided by drinking all those years. I think of it as being open to Life. When I'm open to God, to Life, to Hope, I never know what is going to happen. I simply have faith in the process.

Today my life is getting better. I have a new family at AA that I fit in with. I have experienced enough of this "legitimate pain" to know the difference between reality and illusion. When I don't feel hopeful, that is when I have shut myself off to life. Today I have hope., hope that He may open my eyes to all that is here for me. Hope that I will no longer live in the shadow of my disease. I am grateful to God, as I understand Him, and to the Fellowship of AA. I think that I'll stay around for today.

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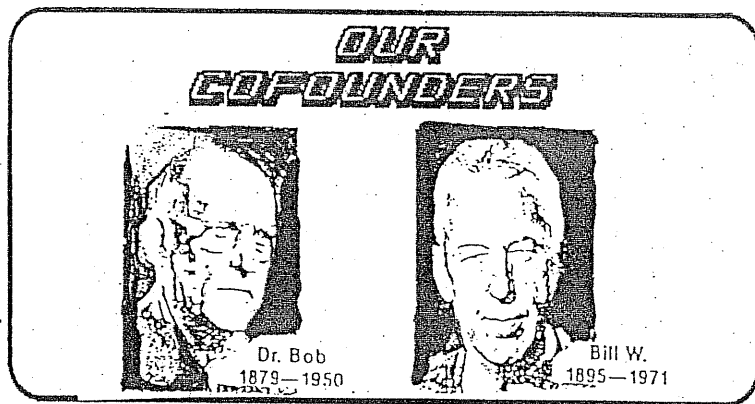
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EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO ATTEND THE GSA MEETINGS.



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MAY 1, 1991

NEW MEETINGS

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POSITIVELY LIVING-EAGLE-12:30PM-TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS-OD-134W. Eagle, 5th fl.

NEW FREEDOM-10:00AM-SATURDAY-O-211 E. Main St., McAuley Hall (next to YMCA), Batavia, NY - Non-smoking.

PLEASE NOTE:

THURSDAY MAY 2 & MAY 23 NO BIDWELL meeting due to church activities.

HAPPY HOUR-THURSDAY -5:00PM- Holy Cross School, 341 Seventh St., Bflo. is pleased to announce that a **BIG BOOK STUDY** meeting has been added

CHAPTER IX-TUESDAY 257 Deerhurst-8:00PM can use members & support.

WENDE STATE CORRECTIONAL FACILITY can use some support. The AA group meets **FRIDAY 7:00 PM & SATURDAY 1:15 PM.** Call Tom Mc. 693-4136 for more info.

WE ADMITTED & MORNING AFTER help us update our membership lists.

T"n" T-TUESDAY-THURSDAY-6:00PM ECC-North-Rm.409B-Faculty Lounge, Bretschager Bldg. is a **SMOKING** meeting.

There is meeting space available Monday through Friday at 1280 Main St. Bflo.

SEASONAL MEETINGS:

SERENITY IN THE PARK-MONDAY-7:00PM-Delaware Park Rose Garden-May 6th.

MARINA-SATURDAY-8:00PM-June 1, weather permitting, at the pavilion in front of the Miss Buffalo Dock. Bring your own coffee and picnic supplies.

MEETING CHANGES:

WHY-SUNDAY-8:30PM-Kenmore Pres. Ch, 2771 Delaware Ave. OPEN last wk.

ALL groups meeting in the Church of the Nativity, 1530 Colvin Blvd. are now **NON-SMOKING** due to church policy. These groups are: ACCEPTANCE-TUES-10AM-GRATEFUL-WED.-8:00 PM, (Note time change), WELCOME-FRI.-10:00 AM.

ALL meetings at the Deerhurst Pres. Ch, 257 Deerhurst are **NON-SMOKING.**
SEARCHING FOR SERENITY-MON-6:00PM, CHAPTER IX-TUES & KENMORE-THUR.-8:PM

Active Achievement-Monday-8:30PM-is now called BY THE BOOK-CD-SMOKING-
Amity Club, 340 Military at Hertel, Bflo.

COMING EVENTS:

MAY 4 - SATURDAY - SATURDAY NITE DISCUSSION - is having a dance at 340
Military Rd.-7:30PM-speaker-8PM-music-9PM, buffet-10PM. Donation:\$6.00 per person.

MAY 4 - SATURDAY - THE BIG BOOK STUDY group is sponsoring a "Third Step
Spiritual Workshop" at the Amity Club, Hertel & Military. Registration: \$2.00: Noon-
1PM, Workshop: 1PM-4PM. \Lead Speaker: Sr. Ann.

MAY 4 - SATURDAY - FIRESIDE'S DAY OF SHARING - ECC-North-Student Ctr. Wehrle
Dr at Youngs Rd. 9AM-4PM Speakers & panels. No charge other than lunch.

MAY 5 - SUNDAY - CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEETING - 7:00 PM - 80 Goodrich.

MAY 17 - FRIDAY - LIBERTY WOMEN'S group is having its 4th Anniversary
celebration at 8:00 PM, Church of the Advent, 54 Delaware Rd., Kenmore. Guest
Speaker: Mabel H., 45 years sobriety. Refreshments served. All are welcome!

MAY 18 - SATURDAY - COMMON PROBLEM - 5th Annual 50's&60's Dance-Queen of
Heaven Ch., 4220 Seneca St., W. Seneca. Doors open-8:30PM Donation: \$7.00. Contest.

MAY 22 - WEDNESDAY - LIVING SOBER - group's 23rd Anniversary celebration with
an Open Speaker, eating meeting. Kenmore Meth. Ch., Delaware & Landers, Kenmore.

MAY 25 - SATURDAY - IRON HORSE - Annual Picnic will be at the McKinnon
Shelter, Chestnut Ridge Park, 10 AM to 7 PM. A dish to share gratefully accepted.

MAY 26 - SUNDAY - WHY group is celebrating their 17th Anniversary with an Open
Speaker meeting. Kenmore Pres. Ch., 2771 Delaware Ave., Kenmore-8:30PM.

JUNE 1 - SATURDAY - EARLY BIRD - is celebrating their 1st Anniversary with an
eating, Speaker-United Meth. Ch., Ontario & Tonawanda-10:00AM.

JUNE 2 - SUNDAY - JUST FOR TODAY-In thanksgiving for 50 years of sobriety on
the WNY Frontier, we cordially invite all AA's to join us 2:30PM-4:30PM. in celebration
of our "Moments of Spirituality"-Mother of Divine Grace, 120 Old Maryvale Dr. Cktg.

JUNE 2 - SUNDAY - CENTRAL COMMITTEE MEETING - 80 Goodrich - 7:00 PM

JUNE 7 - FRIDAY - SOUTH BUFFALO group's 47th Anniversary celebration-8PM-
Speaker, food, dance-St. Simon's, 200 Cazenovia St. South Bflo. 8PM

JUNE 16 - SUNDAY - SUNRISE COURT - 37th Anniversary breakfast-11:30AM.

JUNE 22 -SATURDAY - NEW FRONTIERS - 7th annual celebration-\$6.00 donation.

JUNE 29- SATURDAY - CHEVY - group's 20th anniversary, with dinner & dance.

5th MONTH - 5th STEP "Admitted to God, to ourselves, and to another
human being the exact nature of our wrongs."

5th MONTH - 5th TRADITION "Each group has but one primary purpose--to
carry its message to the alcoholic who still suffers."

Yours in the Spirit of AA,

Delphine A. Hoy, Executive Secretary PLEASE SUPPORT THE ENVELOPE SYSTEM!

The meeting was opened at 7:08 PM with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer. The Preamble, Purpose of Central Committee, and the Twelve Traditions were read. It was moved by Pat M, Rainbow, and seconded by Norma F., Kensington Disc. to dispense with readings of the minutes from the last meeting.

44 GROUPS WERE REPRESENTED:

DISTRICT #1 Bidwell - Bidwell Monday Nite - Delaware Discussion - Fresh Start - Happy Hour - Live & Let Live - New Zion - Open Mind - Sharing & Caring - Sunday Niters - Sunday Court

DISTRICT #2 Brass - Kenmore - Living Sober

DISTRICT #3 Casting - Iron Horse - Lovejoy - Perry Disc - Rainbow - Security - Seneca 12&12 - Southgate - Tuesday Womens Disc - Urban

DISTRICT #4 Lake Shore - Orchard Pk Step DISTRICT #5 Turning Point DISTRICT #6

DISTRICT #7 Achievement - Beginnings - Cold Springs - Feelings - Hand - Harmony - Honesty - Kensington Disc - North Buffalo - Sheridan - Stay Clean - United Brotherhood

DISTRICT #8 Attitude Adjustment - Matt Talbot - New Life - Thruway - Williamsville

ENVELOPE SYSTEM: Roger P.

	1990	1991	
APRIL	\$ 622.00	\$ 684.00	\$ 62.00 (10.0%) Increase
YEAR TO DATE	\$3,207.00	\$3,134.00	\$ 73.00 (2.3%) Decrease

Roger introduced Burrill E. for Central Committee approval as new Envelope System Chairperson.

STEERING COMMITTEE - APRIL 30, 1991

Delphine H.

Steering Committee Chairman, Jack C., opened the meeting informally at 6:00PM. The only other members present were Scott T. and Delphine H.

Cindi C., from the North Java Group had been invited to attend to replace George B. when he did not respond to a letter regarding his inability to make the meetings. Central Committee will be asked to approve Cindi's appointment to finish the term as representative of District #6.

More old business discussed was a representative for District #7 - Bflo Northeast - The name of Kevin C. had been called into the office by the North Buffalo Group. The Committee agreed to appoint Kevin with the Central Committee approval.

The Convention surveys which were mailed out to ALL the groups have not been sent back to the office in any quantity to review yet. We are asking that the groups please take this opportunity to speak out.

When the Committee members are prepared, the group lists will be gone over and groups will be reassigned to different districts where the representative feel it would be geographically more logical.

Going over the materials on the Fall Convention one simply point was evident which was that the event will cost considerably more than previous Conventions with fees we have never faced before, as meeting room rental fees and additional Convention Center charges, such as union requirements, equipment rentals, security etc. which are yet to be stated by Center's Licensor

The letter to go to District #2 for the '93 Convention was reviewed and approved to be sent to the groups involved. Meeting was adjourned at 7:30PM

FINANCIAL REPORT:

Larry B.

(See Attached)

TREATMENT FACILITIES: Don H.

1. Starting speaker meeting at Columbus Hospital at 7:00 PM, Monday night beginning May 13. Looking for volunteers among those who attend meetings in the vicinity of Columbus to support this meeting and eventually run it. TFC members, Shawn C. and Don H. are starting this meeting.

2. TFC meeting at Renaissance House will be turned over to a group which is being formed from outside members who have been attending this meeting, as well as clients at the facility. The meeting is now open to all AA's. It is a closed discussion meeting, with an open speaker meeting the last Wednesday of the month. The meeting starts at 8:00 PM and meets in the gymnasium. There is no smoking on the premises.

CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES: Toni H.

Please announce at all meetings the need for support at the Wende State Correctional Facility meetings. To attend a meeting, please call the Office.

SCREENERS REPORT: Norma F.

No changes at this time. Everything is okay.

CENTRAL OFFICE: Delphine H.

A.A. INFORMATION	747		
PIC		12 STEP	11
CPC		LITERATURE REQUESTS	96
AL-ANON	52	REFERRAL TO OTHER AGENCIES	23
AL-ATEEN	3	REFERRAL FROM OTHER AGENCIES	28
ACOA	29	CENTRAL OFFICE	
METROCOMM SERVICE GROUP		OUTGOING CALLS	220
INCOMING CALLS	469	OUTGOING MAIL	\$231.71
OUTGOING CALLS	34	VISITORS	251

NEW FRONTIERS: Larry E.

Everything running smoothly. This is your newsletter. I apologize for not getting every article in the moment it is written. We are working on that.

BUFFALO FALL CONVENTION: Margaret H.

The fourth organizational meeting of the 50th Fall Convention was held on April 27th in the Executive room of the Hyatt. Plans for the convention are falling into place. We now have a P.O. Box number. Sorry I let it home. Please tell your groups to send all info to the Office. Our next meeting will be held June 1, 1991 in the board room.

CHRISTMAS VIGIL: No Report.

COURTESY REPORTS

G.S.A. - GENERAL SERVICE ASSEMBLY Bill M.

1. Next full assembly will be Sunday, May 19th, hosted by Lifeline group, Lutheran Church, North 4th Street, Alleghany, NY.
2. Traditions Day - September 7, 1991 - Best Western Hotel, Lockport.
3. N.Y. State Convention July 5,6,7, 1991 in Binghamton, NY.

P.I.C. - PUBLIC INFORMATION COMMITTEE: Marcia W.

Completed: 4/10 - Millard Fillmore School of Nursing - 1:00 PM-2:00PM - Alcohol Awareness Day. Approximately 75 people. Talk & rack of pamphlets.
4/27 - Ken Ton "Wellness Fair" - Kenmore West High School. 10:00 AM-2:00PM. Approximately 200 persons. Found that staying away from or in front of display caused many more people to look at the literature.
5/3 Sweet Home High School - 2 Health classes - 1:10PM-2:30PM Approximately 50 students
Coming Up: 5/15 - Bryant Stratton (Boulevard Mall) 10AM-11AM. 1 class-36 students.
Thank You letters from Ken-Ton & Akron PTA, even though we were not at Akron.

C.P.C. - COOPERATION WITH THE PROFESSIONAL COMMUNITY. No report.

RE-CAP

OLD BUSINESS: The following motions were made, seconded and accepted by the body:
Burrill E., Sunday Niters, as Envelope Chairperson, motion was made by Darryl P.,
Thruway and seconded by John B., Orchard Park Step. Cindi C., North Java, District #6
Steering Committee Representative to fill out George B.'s term, motion made by Bill M.,
Attitude Adjustment, seconded by Chuck W., Matt Talbot. Kevin C., North Buffalo,
District #7 Steering Committee Representative, motion made by Norma F., Kensington
Discussion and seconded by Jay S., North Buffalo.

NEW BUSINESS: None.

A motion was made at 7:37 PM by Bill M., Attitude Adjustment to adjourn the meeting,
seconded by Barb H., New Zion. The meeting closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Respectfully Submitted by
Marcia Walker,
Acting Recording Secretary

Financial Report of 50th Anniversary
of Alcoholics Anonymous in WNY

Sheraton Inn
April 12, 1991

Income

A.A. Central Office	500.00	
GSA of A.A.	500.00	
Reservations (140) paid	<u>3,500.00</u>	\$4,500.00

Expenses

Deposit on Room	500.00	
Greeter's Ribbons	30.00	
Tickets & badges	99.00	
Flowers for Speakers	55.50	
Gold Placards	200.00	
150 Prime Rib dinners - hor'd, coffee and gratuity @\$24.66 (minus \$300 deposit)	3,698.48	
Bank charges	<u>4.50</u>	<u>4,387.48</u>

Balance \$ 112.52

Abbott Men's Disc.				46.00
Action				125.00
Amherst Snyder		10.00		50.00
Beginnings				25.00
Chapter IX		15.00		75.00
East Aurora		10.00		50.00
Eternal Vigilance				60.00
Fireside		25.00		75.00
Happy Hour				20.00
High View				3.00
Hill Billy				30.00
Honesty		7.00		7.00
Kenmore				65.00
Lake Shore		50.00		75.00
Live & Let Live				50.00
Living Sober				15.00
New Zion				25.00
North Buffalo		10.00		50.00
Orchard Park Step				10.00
Rainbow				25.00
Rush Manor		40.00		40.00
South Buffalo				10.00
Spirit of Hope				10.00
Sunday Morning Breakfast				20.00
Sunday Niters				20.00
Sunrise Court				90.00
Twin Cities				30.00
University Men's		25.00		125.00
We Care		20.00		60.00
WHY				100.00
Anonymous				40.00
Total receipts		212.00		1446.00
			Check#	Am't
Expenses	C.O.-Research Inst		171	108.00
	C.O.-VA supplies		172	41.13
	C.O.-Columbus		173	73.50
	C.O.-Tapes for Agencies		174	150.00
	C.O.-Renaissance-supplies		175	30.40
	Total expenses			403.03
RE-CAP				
Balance Per Checkbook	4/25/91		202.64	(+*170 voided \$22)
Add Receipt	4/25/91 - 5/25/91		212.00	414.64
Deduct Expenses	4/25/91 - 5/25/91			403.03
Balance Per Checkbook	5/25/91			11.61
Operating debit	5/25/91		(191.03)	

GROUP			Chapter IX	15.00	75.00	Giving		
1st Things 1st			Cheektowaga			Golden Slipper		
6th Step			Chevy #1			Good Life		
A Day At A Time		72.00	Clarence Men Disc II			Grand		
A Helping Hand		100.00	Clarence Men Disc		350.00	Grand II Joy Of Living		120.00
Abbott Mens at VA			Cold Springs		50.00	Grateful		
Abbott Mens Disc		60.00	Common Hour			H.A.N.D.	60.00	160.00
Acceptance		230.00	Common Problem			Half & Half		
Achievement		240.00	Community Center		75.00	Hamburg		
Action		150.00	Cornplanters Again		100.00	Handicappers		50.00
Active Achievement			Courage		120.00	Happy Hour		60.00
Age Doesn't Matter			Delaware Disc		87.55	Harmony	10.00	45.00
Albion		30.00	Derby		30.00	High Noon		
Alexander			Desire		25.00	High View		12.00
All Women			DeVeaux Disc		25.00	Hill Billy		180.00
Amherst Tree of Life		120.00	Downtown Disc			Honesty	30.00	150.00
Amherst Snyder	50.00	250.00	Downtown Men's		20.00	Humbly Willing		
Amsdell Lakeshore			Dunkirk		40.00	Ignatia		
Any Age			Early Beginnings			Inner City		100.00
Arcade			Early Bird			Inspiration		25.00
As Bill Sees It		10.00	Early Start			Iron Horse		
Attitude Adjustment			Easier Softer Way			It		10.00
Attraction	100.00	280.00	Easy Does It			It's About Time		
Awakening			East Amherst		60.00	Just for Today		
Back To Reality			East Aurora	40.00	200.00	1st Step		
Beginner's Table			Eden-North Collins			Keep It Simple, Sister 20		80.00
Beginning in Sobriety I			Ellicott	25.00	100.00	Keep on Comin	10.00	20.00
Beginning in Sobriety II			Ellicottville			Kenmore		65.00
Beginnings		25.00	Emergency			Kensington	25.00	50.00
Bidwell		30.00	Eternal Vigilance		250.00	Ladies Night		
Bidwell Monday Disc			Everybody's		20.00	Lakeshore		20.00
Big Book			Eye Opener		300.00	Lakeview		
Big Book Study		30.00	Faith and Actions			Lazy Bee Ranch		
Blasdell			Father Baker	100.00	250.00	Let Go & Let God		75.00
Blasdell Monday Nite		100.00	Feelings			Lewport		
Blissfully Sober			Fireside	600.00	1500.00	Liberty Women's		146.00
Boulevard Women,		60.00	Fireside P.M.		25.00	Life Today	171.75	171.75
Brass			Ford			Lighten Up		100.00
Broadway-Bailey	25.00	75.00	Fredonia Bkft. Meeting			Live and Let Live		89.00
Brocton Discussion		25.00	Fredonia Discussion		30.00	Living Sober	35.00	175.00
By the Book			Freedom	25.00	125.00	Lock City		50.00
Came To Believe		31.25	Fresh Start			Lockport #1		
Campus - Buff State			Friday Nite Discussion			Lockport Disc		
Casting			Friendly			Lockport Ladies		100.00
Cathedral Park			Friendship Fireside			Lockview		100.00
Caz Manor			Frontier		25.00	Lovejoy		
Cazenovia			Gah Nee Goin Geh			Lower River		72.00
Central Park			Gardenville			Marilla	20.00	20.00

Matt Talbot	30.00	150.00	Salamanca			Thursday Afternoon	75.00	125.00
Mc Kinley Winners			Salamanca Freedom			Thursday Nonsmokers		
Medina New Life			Sally			Today		
Mercy		60.00	Salvation Army			Tri-County		25.00
Mid-day			Saratoga			Tuesday Men's Disc		70.00
Midnite			Saturday Earlybird			Tuesday Women's Disc.		10.00
Miracle			Saturday Night Disc	20.00	80.00	Turning Point		25.00
MOD			Saturday Night Alive			Twin Cities		125.00
Morning After			Saturday Nite Live			United Brotherhood		
Never Too Late			Searching for Serenity			Unity	64.00	229.00
New Awakening			Second Chance			University Mens	160.00	800.00
New Beginnings			Security		10.00	University 12 & 12		
New Frontier			Seneca 12 & 12		20.00	Urban		90.00
New Frontier Womens			Serendipity			V.I.P		
New Life	10.00	40.00	Serenity		150.00	V.I.P. Sunday		
New Westside			Sheridan	30.00	150.00	Valley		
New Zion		150.00	Silver Creek			Veterans		
Niagara Frontier Men's			Sober Trail			Victory		
Nite People			Sober Winners		25.00	We Admitted		
North Buffalo	100.00	500.00	Sobriety Men's Disc		25.00	We Are Not Saints		
North Java		50.00	Somerset			We Care	30.00	120.00
One Day at a Time			South Buffalo		60.00	We Choose Life		12.00
Open Arms			South Town			We Have a Dream		5.00
Open Mind		30.00	Southgate		14.00	We Need You		
Opportunity			Southwestern		40.00	Wednesday Lunch		
Orchard Park Step	15.00	30.00	Spirit of H.O.P.E.		20.00	Welcome	267.00	267.00
Pass It On			Spiritually Willing			Welcome Home		
Patchin			Springville			West Seneca Sat. Nite		70.00
Peaceful			Springville-no smoking		30.00	Westfield		
Pendleton-Chapter V			St. Barnabus	60.00	60.00	Westminster		
Perry			St. Mark's			WHY		100.00
Positively Living			St. Thomas Group			Williamsville		
Positively Living II		83.85	Step		30.00	Willing To Grow		10.00
Primary Purpose			Stepping Stones			Wilson		
Progress	200.00	200.00	Suburban			Women's Westside Disc.		
Purpose			Sunday Morning Bkfl.		50.00	Working		
R.I.P.			Sunday Niters	20.00	100.00	You'll Never Walk Alone		
Rainbow		100.00	Sunday Third			Young, Sober & Free		
Ray of Hope		150.00	Sunrise Court		140.00	Youngstown		
Remember When			SUNY-Amherst Campus		60.00	Sharing & Caring		10.00
Renaissance I		50.00	Survivors					
Renaissance II			Swinging Door					
Renewal		50.00	T'n'T			35 Groups contributed		2882.75
Restored to Sanity			TGIF			Last month accum. contr.		11864.65
Rush Hall		125.00	Thankful	40.00	125.00	Accumulated total		14747.40
Rush Hour			The Road To Recovery					
Rush Manor	100.00	100.00	The Way					
S.S. Sobriety			Thru-way	300.00	1550.00	MAY 1991		

35 Groups contributed		2882.75
Joint Meeting (expenses \$ 11.25)		24.85
New Frontiers Subscription		70.00
Envelope System		408.00
Literature		2413.09
Miscellaneous:	50th Anniversary reimbursement	54.46
	Mini-Convention	20.00
	Total receipts	5873.15
DISBURSEMENTS		
	#10 Ellicott Square Court Corp.-rent	542.00
	Community Mental Health Cir-CC mtg	35.00
	Mary Ellen Stachura	65.94
	Helen J. Brady	120.74
	Delphine A. Hoy	314.05
	Roger Pratt-Envelope System-stamps	30.00
	Mary Ellen Stachura	94.30
	Helen J. Brady	120.74
	Delphine A. Hoy	314.05
	M&T Bank-federal withholding tax	576.98
	Happy Spring Water-mtly	28.35
	Delphine A. Hoy-health insurance	815.63
	The Buffalo News-mtly	279.60
	Mary Ellen Stachura	65.94
	Helen J. Brady	120.74
	Delphine A. Hoy	314.05
	David F. Williamson Co., Inc.	77.37
	Mary Ellen Stachura	65.94
	Helen J. Brady	182.80
	Delphine A. Hoy	314.05
	New York Telephone-mtly	142.52
	Metrcomm-answering svc	132.17
	US Postmaster-meter refill	1000.00
	Mary Ellen Stachura	65.94
	Helen J. Brady	120.74
	Delphine A. Hoy	314.05
	The Grapevine-tapes	400.00
	Petty Cash	50.00
	Bank charges	2.51
	Total Disbursements	6706.20
Balance Per Checkbook 4/25/91	12993.70	
Add Receipts 4/25/91 -5/25/91	5873.15	18866.85
Deduct Expenses 4/25/91 -5/25/91		6706.20
Balance per checkbook 5/25/91		12160.65
Operating debit for 5/25/91	(833.05)	
	M&T Savings Accounts	21276.28
	M&T Checking Accounts	12160.65
	Total Monetary Assels	33436.93
	Projected Prudent Reserve	-36000.00
	Reserve debit	(2563.07)