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Annual Historical Society Meeting

Saturday, April 6, 2013 at 10:00 a.m. St. Francis Public Library, Hoppe Room

This past year was marked with both challenges and unique opportunities. Please come to our annual meeting on Saturday, April 6 at 10 a.m. in St. Francis Public Library's Hoppe Room. President Bill Drehfal will give a review of the events and the Society's efforts this past year as well as our 2013 challenges. The Historical Society is currently trying to get all members' E-mail addresses to help inform you of our programs. When you renew your membership, please include your E-mail address. There will be an election of directors and officers for 2013. We hope to see you there.

The following newsclippings were found by Terry Duffey. We will be featuring them for your enjoyment.

Thompson Avenue School Notes -November 18, 1938

Plans are being made for a Music Festival to be held in the new gymnasium sometime during the month of December. Proceeds for this festival will be used for the school band.

Those members of Thompson PTA who are interested will meet again this week to carry out further plans concerning a 4-H club.

Armistice Day was observed at the school with an appropriate program, and because of the mild weather, Miss Olive Brader, the principal, a number of parents and young people attended the American Legion Dance at Cudahy.

Miss Schueck, the new music teacher at Thompson school, entertained a group of boys and girls one day last week, when she played several numbers on her violin.

A new Reading Circle Chart has been put up in the third and fourth grade rooms. Thus far Jean Ipsen and Margaret Breutzmann lead in the number of books reported on in the third grade, and Dorothy Risse leads in the fourth grade.