

Fairview Cemetery Preservation Association  
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NEWSLETTER

May 1995

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14<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL CLEAN-UP MAY 20, 9:30 A.M., 6<sup>TH</sup> POTLUCK LUNCHEON AT NOON AT  
CEMETERY - BRING COLD PICNIC FOOD

TWO \$2,000.00 GIFTS FROM TWO DONORS WE THANK THEM  
FROM JANE CARLSON, GRANDDAUGHTER OF DR. HARRY MERA  
FROM ANN ESPE DIETZ, DAUGHTER OF THEO & ALICE ESPE

UPDATED FAIRVIEW HISTORY FOR BENEFIT OF NEW COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

PAVING FAIRVIEW ROADS WITH COLD MILLINGS BY COUNTY NEEDS COMPLETING

NEW COMPUTER BRINGS NEW FORMAT TO FAIRVIEW NEWSLETTER

NEW GRASS IN SECTION E CAME THROUGH WINTER WELL - WORK WILL CONTINUE

SANTA FE TRAIL ASSOCIATION - END OF TRAIL CHAPTER TO MEET AT FAIRVIEW  
JULY 15 - SF "TRAILERS" GRAVES TO BE MARKED FOR PROGRAM - YOU'RE INVITED

WONDERFUL TOTAL OF \$8010 IN DONATIONS - THANK YOU

INTERMENTS - HEADSTONE OFFER AGAIN BEING MADE - HUGHES HEADSTONE FOUND

14<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CLEAN-UP AND 6<sup>TH</sup> POTLUCK  
LUNCHEON, SATURDAY, MAY 20, 9:30 AM. IF YOU  
CAN'T WORK, COME TO EAT

It may surprise you to know that we have a great time at our clean-up and luncheon. Try to talk your kids or grandkids into coming with you this year. After having our potluck out-of-doors at the cemetery last year, we decided to do it again. The children who came could run around to their hearts content, and some of the older ones were very good helpers. Having lunch outside means having cold picnic food, so please bring any kind of cold meat—fried chicken, cold cuts: ham, turkey, etc. Salads can be potato, pasta, fruit plate, etc., and of course, any dessert. We will provide paper plates, utensils, and soft drinks. We also ask that anyone who has a cardtable and folding chairs to bring them. We will be eating in the open area near the gate.

Please bring your own tools. For anyone who feels up to it after cleaning your own family plot, we will have a list of other work which needs to be done, such as raking, clipping low growth on old trees and shrubs, picking up trash, etc.

Trash bags will be provided and will be hauled away by the County.

TWO \$2000.00 GIFTS TO OUR ASSOCIATION FROM  
JANE CARLSON AND ANN ESPE DIETZ

The first of these two generous gifts came in January from Jane Carlson. She is the granddaughter of Dr. Harry Mera, who with his brother Frank, will be the subjects of the Centennial Biography in the next issue. We thank Mrs. Carlson for her generosity. Harry Mera designed the New Mexico state flag with its Zia symbol.

The second \$2000.00 gift arrived just as we were preparing this newsletter. It was from Ann Espe Dietz, daughter of Theodore and Alice Espe who are buried at Fairview. Mr. Espe was the manager of an insurance company in Santa Fe before his death in 1938. We will try to have more information on them for the next newsletter. We are indebted to Mrs. Dietz for her gift.





As usual in the summer, we will order a headstone for unmarked graves, at a price which is close to cost. These are plain gray granite. The price remains the same as last year, which is nice. A small marker, 8"x16" is \$180; standard size, 12"x24" is \$320. This includes the setting fee, mileage from Albuquerque and 3 lines of text: name, birth and death dates.

#### **HENRY J. HUGHES HEADSTONE FOUND UNDER SOD**

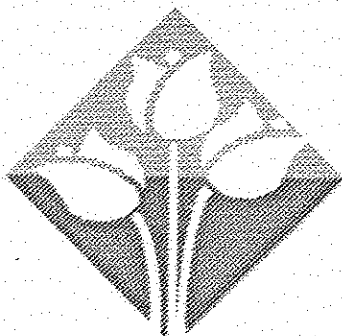
Year before last at the Clean-up, Stephen Hughes, his son, and Marian Meyer searched diligently for the headstone of Henry Jackson Hughes, but without success. We knew it was there because it appeared on an inventory Marian did of the section several years ago. According to the small map we have of Section B, Front, we dug where it should have been. Late last fall, when Marian had a hired helper at Fairview to plant a tree,

they took time out and dug the other direction and there it was, under more than two inches of sod. So now Mr. Hughes can come out and find his lost relative.

#### **CENTENNIAL BIOGRAPHIES**

Because of the Fairview history, we do not have room for the Centennial Biography this issue.

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**SPRING CLEAN-UP POTLUCK LUNCHEON  
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