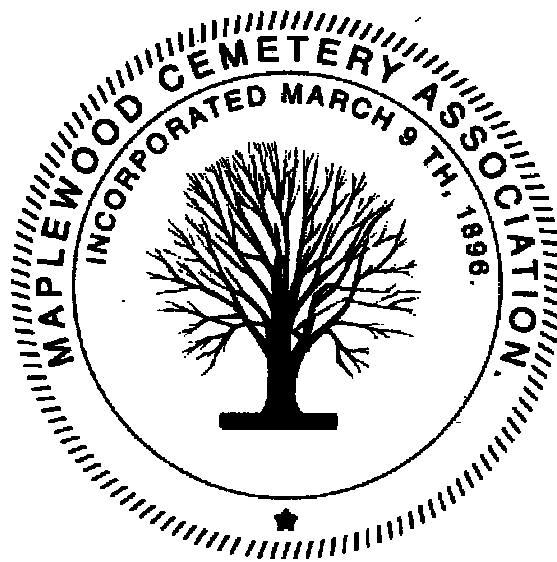


Maplewood Cemetery Association Annual and Director Meetings

1949 - 1959



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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE
Maplewood Cemetery Association

will be held at the Cemetery Grounds in the Town of Henrietta, Monroe County, N.Y., Saturday, September 17th, 1949, at 2 P.M. At such meeting two directors to serve for three years will be elected and other important business will be transacted.

You are earnestly urged to be present at this meeting.

JOHN N. CALKINS, President
H. F. REMINGTON, Secretary

Henrietta, September 2nd, 1949.

The 53rd Annual Meeting of the Maplewood Cemetery Association was held at the Cemetery grounds on Saturday afternoon, September 17th, 1949. Mr. Calkins called the meeting to order and Jane Pett acted as Secretary: Such meeting was held pursuant to the following call:

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The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and approved as read.

The Treasurer's report of the General fund, perpetual care Fund and Investments of the Association was presented and on motion duly approved.

Mr. Calkins then addressed the meeting and discussed in general the financial condition of the Association. He stated that there was over \$9,000.00 outstanding in delinquent assessments, most of which are against lots where ~~there are~~ the original owners are dead and the address of any of the heirs is unknown. Mrs. Knowles suggested that these lots be listed for sale of single graves or as many graves as were available. The question of law regarding such sales ^{was} and no action was taken pending further information on the subject.

Mr. Buyck reported for the Committee appointed to look after the matter of replacing the dead trees. He said the trees have been condemned by the County and will be removed at the expense of the County. As soon as the trees are removed they will be replaced at the proper time for setting trees, presumably in the spring of the year. He could give no definite date as to when the trees were to be removed. The matter of painting the fence is still under discussion. It being the aim of the Committee to have this work done at the least possible expense to the association.

Mr. Howland asked if it would not be advisable to have the meetings of the Association in the evening, as a large number of members could not be present in the afternoon. Mr. Calkins said that so long as there was no town hall or other suitable place in the Town at the present time, he thought the Association ~~meetings~~ would have to continue to hold its meetings in the Cemetery Grounds.

Miss Feasel stated that their lot was in need of repairs to the retaining wall. Supt. Steffenhagen stated that he put new soil on the lot each year to replace the soil which was washed out. Mr. Calkins authorized Mr. Steffenhagen to make such repairs to the retaining wall as would be practical.

On motion ~~Earl Chase~~ ^{John Calkins} and Martin Fagan were elected Directors for the term of three years to succeed themselves. And on motion Paul Dell was elected to serve for 2 years, the unexpired term of H. F. Remington. ✓

Meeting then adjourned.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE
Maplewood Cemetery Association

will be held at the Cemetery Grounds in the Town of Henrietta, Monroe County, N. Y., Saturday, September 16th, 1950, at 2 P. M. At such meeting two directors to serve for three years will be elected and other important business will be transacted.

You are earnestly urged to be present at this meeting.

JOHN N. CALKINS, President
JANE PETTY, Secretary

Henrietta, September 2nd, 1950.

The 54th Annual Meeting of the Maplewood Cemetery Association was held at the Cemetery Grounds on Saturday afternoon, September 16th, 1950. Mr. Calkins called the meeting to order and Jane Petty acted as Secretary: Such Meeting was held pursuant to the following call:

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The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and approved as read.

The Treasurer's report of the General Fund, Perpetual Care Fund and Investments of the Association was presented and on motion duly approved.

On motion, Earl L. Chase and Leonard W. Buyck were elected Directors for the term of 3 years to succeed themselves.

Miss Feasel reported that the repairs to her lot had been taken care of satisfactorily

The meeting then adjourned

Jane Petty,
Secretary

The meeting of the Board of Directors was held immediately afterwards and the following officers were elected:

President - John N. Calkins
Vice President: Earl L. Chase
Secretary & Treasurer : Jane Petty
Superintendent : William Steffenhagen

Jane Petty,
Secretary

The 55th Annual Meeting of the Maplewood Cemetery Association was held at the Cemetery Grounds on Saturday afternoon, September 8th, 1951. Mr. Calkins called the meeting to order and Jane Petty acted as Secretary; Such meeting was held pursuant to the following call:

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The minutes of the last Annual Meeting were read and approved as read.

The Treasurer's report of the General Fund, Perpetual Care Fund and Investments of the Association was presented and on motion duly approved.

President Calkins then addressed the meeting and discussed in general the cemetery conditions and reported that Maplewood Cemetery was the only cemetery out of five in Henrietta that was cared for. He further discussed the dead trees in front of the cemetery that need to be removed and reported that it was up to the Highway Department to remove them and that everything was being done to take care of it. There was a general discussion regarding keeping the pigs out of the cemetery and the distruction they were causing to certain graves and the grounds. The owner had been notified and everything was being done to correct the situation.

Motion was made that Chris Jacobs be elected Director to replace William Zornow and Paul Dell to succeed himself for a period of 3 years

The meeting then adjourned.

Jane Petty
Secretary

The meeting of the Board of Directors was held immediately afterwards and the following officers were elected.

President - John N. Calkins
Vice Pres.- Earl L. Chase
Secretary &
Treasurer- Jane Petty
Superintendent - William Steffenhagen

Calkins - } Directors
Fagan - }

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE
Maplewood Cemetery Association

will be held at the Cemetery Grounds in the Town of Henrietta,
Monroe County, N.Y., Saturday, September 6th, 1952, at 2 P.M.
At such meeting two directors to serve for three years will be
elected and other important business will be transacted.

You are earnestly urged to be present at this meeting.

JOHN N. CALKINS, President
JANE PETTY, Secretary

Henrietta, August 23rd, 1952

The 56th Annual Meeting of the Maplewood Cemetery Association was held at the Cemetery Grounds on Saturday afternoon, September 6th, 1952. Mr. Calkins called the meeting to order and Jane Petty acted as Secretary. Such meeting was held pursuant to the following call:

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The minutes of the last Annual Meeting were read and approved as read.

The Treasurer's report of the General Fund, Perpetual Care Fund and Investments of the Association was presented and on motion duly approved.

President Calkins addressed the meeting with general remarks regarding the ^{financial} condition of the cemetery and thought things were in good condition considering the amount of money expended. He also reported that the ^{dead} trees had been removed, after five years

Mr. Zornow addressed the meeting and commented on the condition of the cemetery grounds and gave due credit to Mr. Steffenhagen, our Superintendant.

There has been some complaints regarding the pump at the cemetery grounds and several requests made to have it repaired. Mr. Calkins said it would cost 15 to 20 dollars to get the work done and said that he had a promise that the pump would be repaired for the association, free of charge. Chris Jacobs volunteered to help if he was notified.

and seconded
Motion was made/that John W. Calkins be elected Director to succeed himself for a period of three years.

Director
Motion made and seconded that Samuel Zornow be elected/to succeed Martin Fagan, for a period of three years.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, Motion was made and seconded that the meeting be adjourned.

Jane Petty, Secretary

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE
Maplewood Cemetery Association

will be held at the Cemetery Grounds in the Town of Henrietta, Monroe County, N.Y., Saturday, September 12th, 1953, at 2 P. M. At such meeting two directors to serve for three years will be elected and other important business will be transacted.

You are earnestly urged to be present at this meeting.

JOHN N. CALKINS, President
JANE PETTY, Secretary

Henrietta, September 1st, 1953

The 57th Annual Meeting of the Maplewood Cemetery Association was held at the Cemetery Grounds on Saturday afternoon, September 12th, 1953. President Calkins called the meeting to order and Jane Petty acted as Secretary. Such meeting was held pursuant to the following call:

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You are earnestly urged to be present at this meeting.

JOHN N. CALKINS, President
JANE PETTY, Secretary

Henrietta, September 1st, 1953

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President Calkins addressed the meeting with general remarks regarding the financial condition of the Association and thought things were in good condition considering the amount of money expended.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and approved as read.

The Treasurer's report of the General Fund, Perpetual Care Fund and Investments of the Association was presented and on motion duly approved.

The Secretary read the letter received from the Division of Cemeteries of the State of New York containing the recommendations regarding the cemetery operations as reported by Mr. Hagerty. After due discussion the following resolution was adopted:

*This Jacobs - 54 - 57
Jane Petty - 54
Geo Jones - 57*

"RESOLVED that the sum of \$1011.50 owned by the General Fund to the Perpetual Care Fund of Maplewood Cemetery Association be replaced in the Perpetual Care Fund as soon as funds are available for the transfer from the General Fund and that from the balance of \$133.13 now in said General Fund, the sum of \$50.00 be transferred to the Perpetual Care Fund and the Treasurer is hereby authorized to make any and all such transfers to liquidate said indebtedness at the earliest possible date."

The matter of having the pump repaired was again generally discussed and several members volunteered to see that this work was done.

Motion was made and seconded Leonard W. Buyck be elected Director to succeed himself for a period of three years.

Motion made and seconded that Raymond Lincoln be elected Director to succeed Earl W. Chase for a period of three years.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, motion was made and seconded that the meeting be adjourned.

Jane Petty, Secretary

A Meeting of the Board of Directors was held immediately after the adjournment of the Association Meeting and the following officers were elected:

President - John N. Calkins
Vice Pres.- Chris Jacobs
Secy-Treas-Jane Petty
Supt. -William Steffenhagen

Meeting then adjourned.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE
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You are earnestly urged to be present at this meeting.

JOHN N. CALKINS, President
JANE PETTY, Secretary

Henrietta, September 1, 1954

The 58th Annual Meeting of the Maplewood Cemetery Association was held at the Cemetery Grounds on Saturday afternoon, September 11th, 1954. President John Calkins called the meeting to order and Jane Petty acted as Secretary. Such meeting was held pursuant to the following call:

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The Minutes of the last annual meeting were read and
a approved as read.

The Treasurer's report was read and approved.

President Calkins opened the meeting and a general discussion was had regarding matters of the cemetery. ~~xxxxxx~~

Chris Jacobs stated that the pump which has caused so much discussion should be put in working order and it was agreed by some of the members present that the pump would be in working order by next summer.

It was suggested that there should be a sign placed on the main road, giving the location of the cemetery, but after general discussion, it was decided that it was necessary, inasmuch as most anyone in the vicinity of Maplewood could give directions.

Miss Feasel asked permission to erect a retaining wall along one side of her lot No. 91 and asked if the cemetery would fill in some of the soil that had washed out. Mr. Calkins said she would have to make arrangements with Mr. Steffenhagen, the Supt.

The question of changing the date of the Annual Meeting was discussed, but no action taken.

Motion was made and seconded that Chris Jacobs be elected director to succeed himself for a period of three years.

Motion was made and seconded that George Jones be elected director to succeed Paul Dell for a period of three years.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, and the temperature making it rather urgent, the meeting was adjourned

Respectfully submitted,

JANE PETTY.

A meeting of the Board of Directors was held immediately after the adjournment of the Association Meeting and the following officers were elected:

President - John N. Calkins
Vice Pres. - ~~Leonard W. Buyck~~ *Chris Jacobs.*
Secy-Treas. - Jane Petty
Superintendent - William Steffenhagen

Meeting adjourned.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE
Maplewood Cemetery Association

will be held at the Cemetery Grounds in the Town of Henrietta,
Monroe County, N. Y., Saturday, September 10th, 1955, at 2 P. M.
At such meeting two directors to serve for three years will be
elected and other important business will be transacted.

You are earnestly urged to be present at this meeting.

JOHN N. CALKINS, President
JANE PETTY, Secretary

Henrietta, September 1, 1955

The 59th Annual Meeting of the Maplewood Cemetery Association was held at the Cemetery Grounds on Saturday afternoon, September 10th, 1955. President John Calkins called the meeting to order and Jane Petty acted as Secretary. Such meeting was held pursuant to the following call:

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The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and approved as corrected, Chris Jacobs - Vice President.

The Treasurer's Report was read and on motion accepted and approved as read.

Motion made and seconded that John N. Calkins be elected Director to succeed himself and a period of three years. Motion also made and seconded that Samuel Zornow be elected director to succeed himself for a period of three years. On motion the Secretary was directed to cast one ballot for these two candidates, hearing no objections, it was so ordered.

Samuel Zornow made a motion that the Cemetery Association go on record in expressing their appreciation for the interest and work done by President Calkins and his Officers for the Association. Special mention was made that a new pump had been installed.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, motion made and seconded that we adjourn.

JANE PETTY

SECRETARY

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held immediately after the adjournment of the Association Meeting the following officers were elected.

President - John N. Calkins
V. Pres. - Chris Jacobs
Secy-Treas. - Jane Petty
Supr. - William Steffenhagen

Meeting adjourned.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE
Maplewood Cemetery Association

will be held at the Cemetery Grounds in the Town of Henrietta, Monroe County, N. Y., Saturday, September 8th, 1956, at 2 P. M. At such meeting two directors to serve for three years will be elected and other important business will be transacted.

You are earnestly urged to be present at this meeting.

JOHN N. CALKINS, President
JANE PETTY, Secretary

Henrietta, August 29, 1956

The 60th Annual Meeting of the Maplewood Cemetery Association was held at the Cemetery Grounds on Saturday afternoon, September 8th, 1956. President John N. Calkins called the meeting to order and Jane Petty acted as Secretary. Such meeting was held pursuant to the following call:

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President Calkins addressed the meeting, and gave a report on the damage done to some of the stones in the Cemetery. The matter was satisfactorily settled and the damage repaired and no action was necessary. There were some stone broken during a storm and these stones are being repaired.

The Secretary read the minutes of the last annual meeting and there being no corrections, they were approved.

The Treasurer's Report was read and approved.

On motion of Samuel Zornow, Director Leonard Buyck was elected to succeed himself for a period of three years. Motion seconded.

On Motion of Samuel Zornow, Frank Lamberton was nominated to succeed Director Raymond Lincoln, for a period of three years. Motion seconded. The Secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for these two nominees,

Samuel Zornow made a motion that the officers of the Association be complimented on the interest shown in the affairs of the Cemetery and the fine job they were doing.

The Secretary was instructed to write a letter to Mr. Lamberton advising him of ~~his~~ his election as director.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, motion was made and seconded that we adjourn.

JANE PETTY
Secretary.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held immediately after the adjournment of the Annual Meeting of the Cemetery Association, the following officers were elected:

President	-	John N. Calkins
V. Pres.	-	Chris Jacobs
Secy-Treas	-	Jane Petty
Supt.	-	William Steffenhagen

Meeting adjourned.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE
Maplewood Cemetery Association

will be held at the Cemetery Grounds in the Town of Henrietta,
Monroe County, N. Y., Saturday, September 14, 1957, at 2 P. M.
At such meeting two directors to serve for three years will be
elected and other important business will be transacted.

You are earnestly urged to be present at this meeting.

JOHN N. CALKINS, President
JANE PETTY, Secretary

Henrietta, September 3, 1957

The 61st Annual Meeting of the Maplewood Cemetery Association was held at the Cemetery Grounds on Saturday Afternoon, September 14th, 1957. President John N. Calkins called the meeting to order and Jane Petty acted as Secretary. Such meeting was held pursuant to the following call:

President Calkins addressed the meeting and requested the Secretary ~~Treasurer~~, Jane Petty, to read the minutes of the meeting held September 8th, 1956. Minutes read and approved as read.

The Treasurer's report was read and ~~accepted~~ approved.

A general discussion was had by the members present regarding the condition of the cemetery. President Calkins said due to the difficulty to obtain help, the cemetery had not been properly cared for this past year, but promised that the following year would be better.

Motion made and seconded that Chris Jacobs be elected Director to succeed himself for a period of three years. Motion Made and seconded that Martin Fagan be elected director to succeed George Jones for a period of three years.

Samuel Zornow reported that flower pots had been stolen from ^{the Petty's} his lot. It was also reported that the watering can had to be replaced frequently.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, motion was made and seconded that we adjourn.

JANE PETTY, SECRETARY

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held immediately after the adjournment of the Annual Meeting of the Cemetery Assn.

the following officers were elected:

President - John N. Calkins

V. Pres. Chris Jacobs

Secy-Treas. Jane Petty

Meeting adjourned.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE
Maplewood Cemetery Association

will be held at the Cemetery Grounds in the Town of Henrietta, Monroe County, N. Y., Saturday, September 13th, 1958, at 2 P.M. At such meeting two directors to serve for three years will be elected and other important business will be transacted.

You are earnestly urged to be present at this meeting.

JOHN N. CALKINS, President
JANE PETTY, Secretary

Henrietta, September 2, 1958

The 62nd Annual Meeting of the Maplewood Cemetery Association was held at the Cemetery Grounds on Saturday afternoon, September 13th, 1958. President John N. Calkins called the meeting to order and Jane Petty acted as Secretary. Such meeting was held pursuant to the following call:

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President Calkins addressed the meeting and gave a brief report on the operation and general condition of Maplewood Cemetery in comparison with ten other cemeteries in the Town of Henrietta. He stated that this cemetery was in much better condition than the others, and at a very nominal cost.

The Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved after the following correction. "The flower pots were taken from the Perry Lot, instead of the Zornow Lot."

The Treasurer's Report was read and approved.

There was a general discussion regarding the cost of installing a new fence, and it was decided that the present fence could be repaired at a much less cost.

Motion made and seconded that Samuel Zornow be elected a Director to succeed himself for a period of three years. Motion made and seconded that John N. Calkins be elected a Director to succeed himself for a period of three years.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, motion made and seconded that we adjourn.

JANE PETTY, SECRETARY.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held immediately after the adjournment of the Annual Meeting of the Cemetery Association, Leonard W. Buyck was nominated for President to succeed John N. Calkins. Mr.

Buyck immediately declined the nomination, and nominated John N. Calkins for President. Nomination approved by the Board of Directors and John N. Calkins was elected President, for the coming year.

Leonard W. Buyck was nominated for Vice President, to succeed Chris Jacobs, was was duly elected. Jane Petty was re-elected Secretary and Treasurer for the following year.

Next The Board of Directors Authorized Leonard W. Buyck to trim the shrubs and bushes in the cemetery in accordance with the provisions set forth in the By-Laws pertaining to this subject.

Meeting Adjourned.

Jane Petty Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE
Maplewood Cemetery Association

will be held at the Cemetery Grounds in the Town of Henrietta, Monroe County, N. Y., Saturday, September 12, 1959, at 2 P. M. At such meeting two directors to serve for three years will be elected and other important business will be transacted.

You are earnestly urged to be present at this meeting.

JOHN N. CALKINS, President
JANE PETTY, Secretary

Henrietta, September 1, 1959

The 63rd Annual Meeting of the Maplewood Cemetery Association was held at the Cemetery Grounds on Saturday afternoon, September 12th, 1959. President John N. Calkins called the meeting to order and Jane Petty acted as Secretary. Such meeting was held pursuant to the following call:

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The Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The Treasurer's report was read and approved.

President Calkins addressed the meeting and gave a report on a Meeting of the Board of Directors which was held for the purpose of considering the purchase of additional lands for the Cemetery. They proposed to add approximately five acres which adjoined the ~~xxxxx~~ present cemetery grounds on the east and south. The price for said lands to be \$500.00 per acre. President Calkins stated that the price for land in this vicinity averaged from \$750.00 to \$1000.00 per acre, but he had succeeded in getting the price of \$500.00 from Mr. Walter Orr, Sr.

President Calkins then asked Secretary Jane Petty to give a report on the procedure to follow to purchase this property, if it was approved by the Cemetery Association. The report was as follows:

According to the ^{Cemetery law -} ~~Secretary's law~~ in order for a cemetery to purchase additional lands for cemetery use, it must first have the lands inspected and approved by the State Board of Cemeteries. Then a Petition and Order must be presented to the Supreme Court for permission to purchase additional lands and for permission to use the Cemetery Funds for such purchase. This petition and order should also provide a means for repaying this money. A copy of the Petition and Order should be submitted to the State Board of Cemeteries for approval before it could be presented to the Supreme Court.

There was a general discussion by the members of the association

and it was thought advisable to acquire this land at this time in order to be prepared for the future . President Calkins asked for a motion approving the Board's recommendation. This motion was made and seconded and President Calkins instructed the Secretary to take whatever steps were necessary in order to close the deal. A motion was made and seconded that the Board of Directors should meet with Mr. Clemens and Mr. Schultz of the State Board of Cemeteries, and Mr. Orr for the purpose of inspecting the land and having it approved by the Inspectors. The Secretary was also instructed to prepare an Option to Purchase and have it signed by Mr. Orr and at least 2 members of the association in order to hold the deal until the necessary proceedings could be completed.

A suggestion was made by Miss Lyons that there should be some sort of a marker or sign posted at the corner of the main road and the name of the cemetery and an ~~arrow~~ Calkins Road with ~~An~~ arrow pointing to Maplewood Cemetery. There was some discussion as to whether this would be permitted by the Town Board and no action was taken at this time.

A motion was made by Miss Dean that the price of graves should be raised to \$50.00 which would include Perpetual Care. Motion seconded.

A motion was made and seconded that Leonard W. Buyck be elected a Director to succeed himself for a period of three years. Motion made and seconded that Karl Bartholomay be elected a Director to succeed Frank Lamberton for a period of three years.

Chris Jacobs announced that he would be willing to sell one-half of his lot.

Chris Jacobs made a motion that a vote of appreciation be given President Calkins, Vice President Leonard W. Buyck, and the Secretary for their fine work for the past year.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, motion made and seconded that we adjourn.

JANE PETTY, SECRETARY.