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A Message from your President.....

The date is set for August 25th. The place is the Holiday Inn, Cambridge, Ohio. The event is the National Cambridge Collectors quarterly meeting, highlighted by an all Cambridge Glass Auction.

This is the first of our club sponsored money making projects for our Museum Fund. Aside from the annual plate sales, this is our only means of adding funds to our treasury.

We are hoping for complete support from the membership for this exciting event. Any donations of Cambridge Glass for the Auction will be gratefully accepted. We certainly encourage consigned items in any category of Cambridge Glass.

All consigned items will be sold at a 20% commission rate with the commission going to National Cambridge Collectors, Inc. The services of the Auctioneer are being donated to the Club at a special rate.

We know that you will all give this project your immediate attention as so

many of you have asked for this auction. Not only is it necessary for as many members as possible to provide merchandise for this auction, but your presence is needed also. We are hoping for a big turn out, and if this First is as successful as we anticipate, we will plan another such event for you in the future.

The Auction will precede the quarterly meeting which will also be held in the Holiday Inn, so plan to come and spend the day in Cambridge.

The next item on the agenda is the CRYSTAL BALL. As mentioned several times in the past by more than one of our contributing editors - in order to bring you more information in the way of reading material, the work load will have to be carried by more members than the handful that are now on the CRYSTAL BALL staff.

There is only so much we can write about, so we need you to provide us with that extra material that seems to be missing. We don't expect you to provide us with a monthly article, but if each of you would just send us some bit of information, we will be happy to edit it and this will give us something to turn to for fill in material.

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SOUTH CENTRAL OHIO STUDY GROUP

On May 18, 1974, the South Central Ohio Cambridge Collectors met at the home of Frank and Vicki Wollenhaupt.

The members present were: Frank and Vicki Wollenhaupt, Dave and Sue Rankin, Jack and Sue Rettig, Bill and Phyllis Smith and four new members, Don and JoAnn Herman and Ed and Dorothy Lentz.

The topic of the evening was the past Cambridge show and convention. Everyone was still dazed from the amount of Cambridge that appeared at the show and display room. We all had a few laughs going back over the convention and how things happened.

During the evening, we had the pleasure of the many photos that Dave had snapped and the color slides Frank had taken. Everyone seemed to find things that they had missed seeing. We also viewed color slides of last year's show.

The find of the month was a Feather, Amethyst Carnival creamer - the proud owners being Don and JoAnn Herman.

Refreshments were served and small talk took over, naturally about Cambridge glass. This concluded our monthly meeting.

Very respectfully
Vicki Wollenhaupt

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Patterns

by Ruth Forsythe

This month, another interesting and beautiful Cambridge Glass Company pattern, called simply DESIGN 2653.

The overall design consists of large squares covering the body of the piece except for a deep plain rim. The rim is scalloped on some pieces and plain on others. The squares are staggered around the body in horizontal rows making them appear spirally or diagonally. Each square has high bevelled sides with corners sliced off and concaved. The top of the square carries an octagonal star; all stars are alike. Note in the photo, the interesting handles on the ice cream tray and the celery tray.

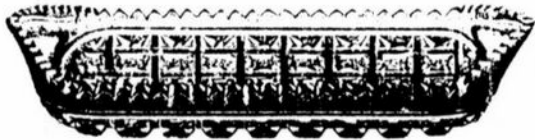
The pattern was made in creamer, sugar, covered cracker jar, celery tray, ice-cream tray and square saucer, tumbler, goblet, custard cup, footed sherbet, jelly compote, punch bowl, two-handled celery vase, quart and two quart tankard pitchers (the two-quart pitcher was made with applied handle), four-piece table set, several flat bowls, carage, cruet, and open salt.

Made in the early 1900's.

Happiness is a set of goblets in NEARCUT DESIGN 2653.

*Ref. Minnie Watson Kamm

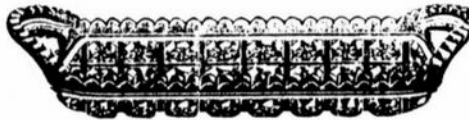
"NEARCUT" DESIGN 2653



Ice Cream Tray.



5 in Square Ice Cream.



Celery Tray.



Half Gallon Tankard, with Hand Made Stuck Handle.



Table Tumbler.



Goblet.

from your President - Cont.

This is the only way we can hope to keep the CRYSTAL BALL informative and interesting to all our members.

Feel free to write to me at any time to express you comments and ideas for National Cambridge Collectors. I am including my address in this issue for your convenience.

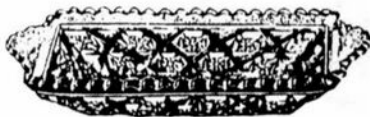
Remember, this is your organization and your CRYSTAL BALL and without your support and participation, we can not move onward.

Until next issue . . .

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Pickle Tray.



Footed Jelly.

COLLECTORS CORNER

Frank Wollenhaupt

COLLECTOR'S CORNER

Hello again from Dayton, Ohio - hope this finds all of you in good health and finding lots of Cambridge glass.

A lot has been happening since I wrote last month's column.

First, I want to reference my last story (Collector's Corner, June 1974). This bit of information comes from Gary Campbell. He has found a pair of original Cambridge stickers still on them. The stickers gave the production dates for these sachet bottles. The two dates were March 15, 1946 and April 14 and 15, 1946.

I understand that some nice Cambridge items were found at a recent Columbus show. A Windsor Blue Nude Comport found a new home near Newark. I understand that only five or six of these comports are known to exist at the present. Do any of you lucky people out there own one of these and you are holding out on us? A five and one-half inch Carmen swan and a Carmen, ring stem, Ivy ball have been keeping company with an eight and one-half inch crystal with satin finish, draped lady figure flower frog at a home in Columbus since that recent show.

A few items have surfaced in Azurite - the large rectangular cigarette box and

two of the Azurite plates trimmed in gold.

I recently attended an auction where there was a plentiful supply of Cambridge milk glass.

The other items that have been found recently have been not one but two eight and one-half inch moonlight draped lady figure flower frogs, a Dresden Lady in milk glass, two Dresden Ladies, a crystal cracker jar and feather, crystal water tumblers and I thought the Cambridge Show was over!

Are all of you getting ready for the first all Cambridge Auction? Now is the time to get rid of that extra piece of Carmen, Cut Wild Rose and Moonlight Caprice. This will probably be the place to get that extra Rosepoint bowl, that Moonlight Caprice stemware and heaven knows what else. I'll have to put my ear to the ground and find out what sort of goodies will show up in the Auction and I'll let you know next month. I would assume that quite a few of the top Cambridge glass buyers will be at the auction. By top buyers, I mean all of those people that are members of the Cambridge Collectors. Start saving your money for the auction.

Talk to you next month

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