PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS

Well we only have a few more weeks before we start setting up Lollipop Lane. Time sure goes by fast. We are going to need help decorating the trees and getting everything ready for all our little friends who are anxiously awaiting Santa's arrival. We are also in need of volunteers to be Santa and Mrs. Claus. One of our Santas moved out of town and will be unable to help us this year. We wish Bill and Judy Turner good luck in their new home and hope they will be able to find time to stop by Lollipop Lane and say hi.

The behind the scenes preparation for Lollipop Lane is already in progress. We hope that as many as can will help us have another successful Lollipop Lane.

Due to Thanksgiving, we are holding our November meeting on November 20, 1996, so please mark your calendars and plan to attend. Remember we need both your help and your presence. Just take out an hour or so to attend our meeting.

We would like to enroll new members in the Society. If you can think of anyone you'd like to have join us, bring them to the meeting. We'd also like to get some teenagers and those in their 20's and 30's involved.

We wish everyone a very Happy Thanksgiving. I would like to remind you that the Park District is holding a meeting on the restoration or demolition of Chevy Chase. The meeting is being held on December 3, 1996 and I hope as many Society members as possible attend this meeting and voice their opinion as to what they would like to see done to Chevy Chase. For further details please contact the Wheeling Park District because they are asking for citizen input.

Again may I say I hope to see you all at the November meeting. Remember, if you have not yet paid your dues, they are way overdue. The dues are $5.00 for single membership; $8.00 for family membership and $100.00 for Life membership. Take your pick. Please pay at the meeting or send dues to Wheeling Historical Society, P.O. Box 3, Wheeling, Il. 60090.

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