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"Better Personality for Better Living"

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"Beyond our Heritage"

PURPOSE

The purpose of the American Business Women's Association shall be to elevate the social and business standards of women in business by uniting them nationally for training designed to make them more efficient, more considerate, and more cooperative toward their work, their employers, and their customers, thereby increasing their earning ability, success, and happiness.

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THE PRESIDENT SPEAKS:

Dear Colonelettes:

There are several things to be keeping in mind at this time. One is our Spring Enrollment Event, which will be held on March 21st. Our chairman, Sarah Ford, is planning a gala BICENTENNIAL PARTY. You should have received your letter and the pink hand of friendship form to be used in submitting the names of prospective members. We, as women, have a lot to share in our patriotic heritage and the progress of women's independence in today's society.

As we stop to reflect on the historic moments, we can point out ABWA's goals to support the advancement of women's rights. ABWA has had a notable part in promoting the achievements that women have enjoyed and it will continue to help in all future needs. I am hoping that each of you will share the story of ABWA to those you contact and encourage them to become a part by sparking some interest in all of the personal and professional development of women in business.

Also, remember the Regional meeting in Nashville that will be in May. Your new Women in Business contains a Reservations form and it is not too late to get your name in the pot. Early reservations enables us to get in the full program. I am hoping many of you will plan to attend.

Another reminder about our dues. Some of you need to get in touch with Virginia at your first opportunity. Also, on your National Dues. You will receive this notice from National in plenty of time before it is due.

Looking forward to seeing you on the 27th at the Red Carpet.

A Unique & Different Calendar for the
Year

A Calendar

January brings the snow,
Makes our feet and fingers glow.

February brings the rain,
Thaws the frozen lake again.

March brings breezes, loud and shrill,
To stir the dancing daffodil.

April brings the primrose sweet,
Scatters daisies at our feet.

May brings flocks of pretty lambs,
Skipping by their fleecy dams.

June brings tulips, lilies, roses,
Fills the children's hands with posies.

Hot July brings cooling showers,
Apricots, and gilly flowers.

August brings the sheaves of corn,
Then the harvest home is borne.

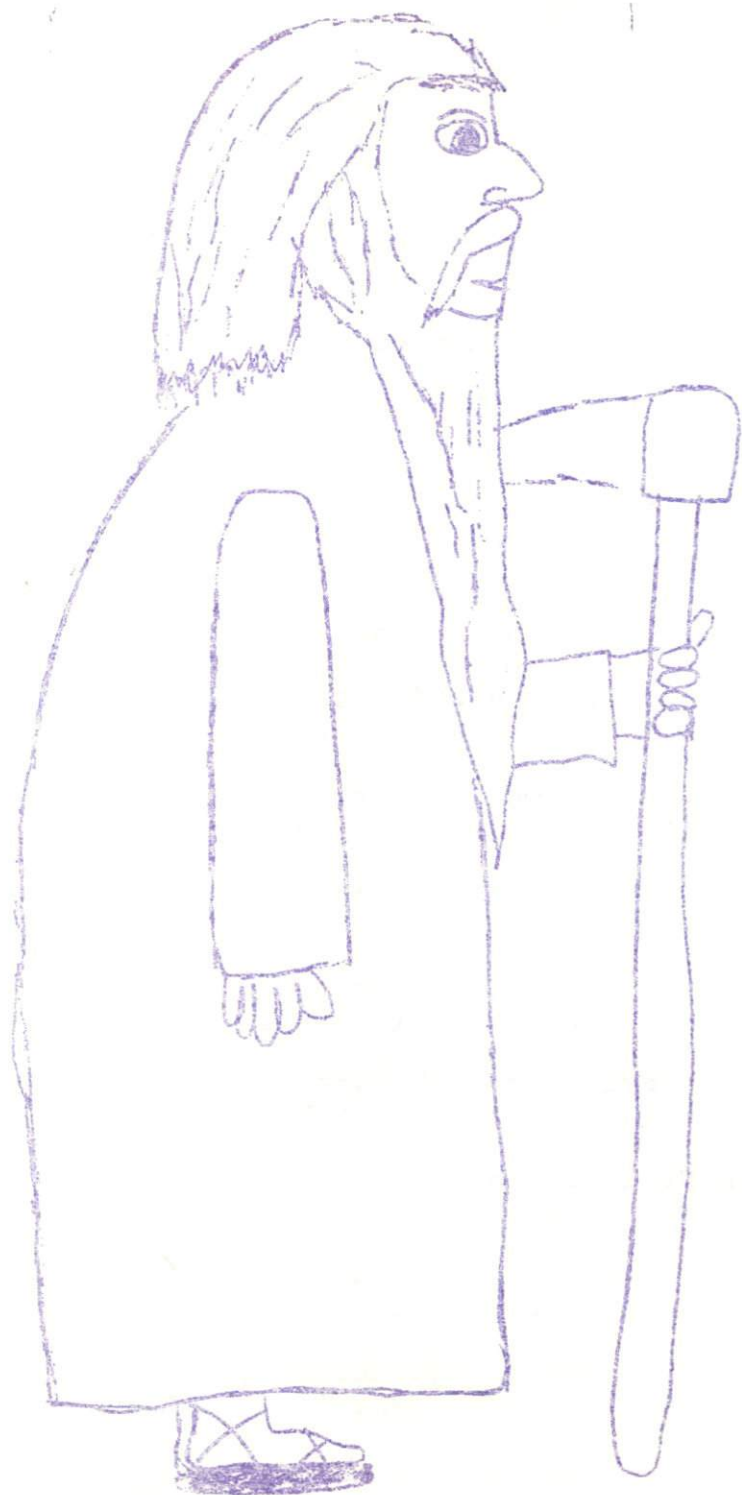
Warm September brings the fruit,
Sportsmen then begin to shoot.

Fresh October brings the pheasant,
Then to gather nuts is pleasant.

Dull November brings the blast,
Then the leaves are whirling fast.

Chill December brings the sleet,
Blazing fire and Christmas treat.

Sara Coleridge





WHO'S WHO - ABWA

Pat Cole, our Bulletin Chairwoman, is a very dynamic personality and is sure to do us a good job on the bulletin this year. Although she has only been in ABWA for a short while, (she entered in the Spring of 1973), she has already held an office, Recording Secretary. She also has had the honor of having her boss, Howard Dawson, named 1975 Boss of the Year. Pat is an accountant (also "Girl Friday") with Southeastern Utilities, a contracting firm here in Bowling Green. Pat is originally from Lexington, Kentucky, and a graduate of the University of Kentucky where she received a B.S. in business education. She lists reading, crafts, tennis, and dancing as her special interests. Pat is also single, so I'm sure men are also a BIG special interest.

Belle Hunt known by some of her close associates as "Luke" lives on Cumberland Circle with her husband, Mike, and their dog (who thinks he's a person), Clke. Belle is an elementary school teacher at Morgantown. Her philosophy on teaching is speak softly and carry a big paddle (After all you have to get their attention first). She has a very outgoing personality and enjoys dancing, sports, working with young people. She has been active with youth in church as well as sponsor of drill team and cheerleading at school.

WHO'S WHO - ABWA

Peggy Richardson resides at 412 Thames Avenue with her three children, Judy, Mike, and Mark. Peggy is a secretary for Joseph P. Wilk, AIA, Architect. She attended Bowling Green Business University and Western Kentucky University. Peggy has served ABWA actively as Recording Secretary and as the latest Past President. She is also a Kentucky Colonel. Peggy lists sewing, reading, and watching movies as her hobbies, and her children as her special interests. She says her personality is "average - with flaws like everyone else". I'm sure she is much too modest. Peggy suggests that everyone in ABWA should work together toward one common goal instead of dividing into groups to out-do each other.

Brenda Campbell resides at 1430 Neal Avenue with her husband, Kenneth Ray. Brenda is a teacher in the Bowling Green Independent School System. She attended Western Kentucky University where she received a B.S. and M.A. She is a member of KBA, NEA, and CEC professional associations and President Elect of BGEA. Ceramics, cooking, camping, and being a part-time farmer occupy Brenda's free time. She states her personality as being "reserved" and says everyone should "live today and be true to themselves".

NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS - 1976

Martha Raymer - "Trying to be a better person".

June McWhorter - "To get to work on time".
(She broke it the first day.)

Sally Crider - "Lose weight".

Mary Scantland - "I resolve to have all the
information and things the
boss needs before he knows
he wants them."

Jane Whitaker - "To give up being single."

Carolyn Schoenbauer - "Write my family more
often."

Brenda Williams - "To accomplish as much as I
can in one year."

Francis Jones - "Lose weight".

Pat Cole - "Not to date any man less than five
feet tall."

Virginia Cross - "Shed some of this weight."

Word Power

Lachrymal - (lak'-ra-mal); adj., pertaining
to weeping or tears.

INVOCATION

Lord, in the quiet of this evening hour,
Welcome to Thee for Wisdom, and for Power;
To view thy world through only love-filled
eyes;
To grow in understanding; to be wise
And sure to see thy guiding light, and thus
To know each other as Thou knowest us.

Amen.

BENEDICTION

O Guiding Spirit, Guardian of our days,
Be with us as we go our separate ways,
Help us to feel those thoughts that lift
and bless,
To know a closer bond of friendliness,
To see thy beauty always - everyday,
Translated into living - this we pray.

Amen.

ABWA'S CREED

"IF YOU WORK FOR A MAN, in Heaven's name, WORK for him. If he pays you wages which supply your bread and butter, work for him, speak well of him; stand by him and stand by the institution he represents. If put to a pinch, an ounce of loyalty is worth a pound of cleverness. If you must vilify, condemn and eternally disparage - resign your position, and when you are outside, damn to your heart's content, but as long as you are part of the institution do not condemn it. If you do that, you are loosening the tendrils that are holding you to the institution, and at the first high wind that comes along you will be uprooted and blown away, and probably will never know the reason why."

ALWAYS GIVE YOUR BEST

NO ONE CAN ASK MORE OF YOU.