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MUSEUM MOMENTS

by J. D. Hanes

As I write this in early September, we all send our hopes and prayers that all of our members in Florida and Louisiana survived hurricane Andrew's fury. I did get a phone call through to Mark Nye on the Monday night that the hurricane hit his area. I'm sure he will tell more in his article, but he did make it through relatively unharmed.

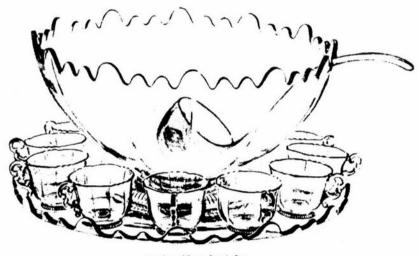
On to what is happening with the Museum. July and August were both great months for visitors. We had a bus group from Mansfield. They had read about the museum in the Ohio Pass magazine, and they had very kind words for the museum and all the displays.

In August I also had some "non-human" visitors. The one that I see all the time I have named A.J. I think you can guess after whom. He (or she) is a rather large ground hog who has a large hole, and apparently a series of tunnels, under the storage building. Many times he sits and watches me as I go to get items for the museum. But, he never lets me get too near before he takes off into his hole. The other one is a beautiful deer. It looks to be about an 8 point buck. The last one, that I hope is gone, is a snake. Snakes are one thing that I cannot stand. Needless to say, I am very aware of looking down on the way to the storage building anymore.

In last month's article I promised to write more about the Martha punch bowl set that Peg and Dale Gotschall donated at the Convention. This set has a very interesting history. According to Peg, she was given this set by William Booth who was an employee at the factory.

He worked until the contents of the factory were sent to Imperial. This punch set was a "loaner." The factory would loan it to civic groups and apparently private individuals for use at receptions, etc. When the last group who had borrowed it returned it, there was no one at the factory, so they took it to Mr. Booth.

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Martha—15 pc. Punch Set 1—478 15 in. Bowl (10 qts.) 12—488 5 ox. Cups 1—111 ladle 1—129 18 in. Tray

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At this time, Peg and Dale were neighbors of Mr. & Mrs. Booth. Mrs. Booth had health problems and Peg Gotschall helped in caring for her. During the years, the friendship grew and so did the Gotschall's love of Cambridge Glass. One day, in appreciation of the Gotschall's friendship and help with Mrs. Booth during her illness, Mr. Booth gave this punch set to the Gotschall's. The set consisted of the punch bowl and 46 punch cups. Mr. Booth said that it probably had 48 to begin with and an under plate but two cups and the under plate had been broken.

In later years, the Gotschall's used this set and went to the trouble of finding an under plate for it. When the Gotschall's donated this to the Museum, they said for us to put it on display or use it at club functions or both. The opinion of the Museum Committee is to do both. We hope to have a special case for it and use it at club functions such as the November Quarterly Meeting and the Former Workers Reunion. We are also going to have the history of this punch set printed and placed in the case with the set. I hope to have a picture of this set for the Crystal Ball in an upcoming issue.

I should also remind you that the museum will be closing for the season on October 31. We will reopen on March 1, 1993. If you are thinking of a nice weekend "getaway" type trip, southeastern Ohio is beautiful in the fall. (See map on page 20).

I hope to see many of you at the November Quarterly meeting. Until next month, take care!

1949-53 Catalog by Mark A. Nye

National Cambridge Collectors, Inc., in conjunction with Collectors Books, in 1978 published a reprint of the 1949 Cambridge Glass Company catalog. This reprint contains the original 1949 catalog and all of the then known supplements issued between June 1949 and the initial plant closing in 1954. Thus it has been designated the 1949-53 catalog reprint. A great deal of effort went into the preparation of this reprint, especially when it came to determining the existence of supplemental pages, approximating the dates they were issued, and locating copies suitable for reprinting. The NCC members involved in this work are to be commended.

Recently, a previously unknown catalog page, issued as a supplement to the 1949 Cambridge catalog, was found. Numbered 154-C, this page shows No. 3796 Cambridge Circle and No. 3797 Cambridge Square stemware. It was probably issued during the summer of 1951 as this is when these two lines were first advertised in trade journals. While no new information is gained from this page, one more small piece to the giant puzzle that is the history of Cambridge falls into place. A reprint of the page accompanies this article.

The catalog in which the new page was found also contained a copy of Cambridge Circular Letter # 13 issued January 3, 1951. The first sentence of the letter is somewhat ambiguous: "We are sending with this letter a new index for catalog dated September 1950 and the following new illustrated pages: ". The index is dated September 1950 and there is no question about that, but one can also interpret the sentence to mean there is a catalog dated September 1950. At this point, the assumption is that the sentence was poorly constructed and that the new index was intended for the catalog issued June 1949 combined with its subsequent supplements. Reprints of the letter, the original June 1949 catalog index and the September 1950 index accompany this article.

From the contents of the letter, we now have an accurate date for the actual issuance of the listed catalog pages. We also now know that while the index is dated September 1950 it was probably not issued until January 1951.

The items shown on the supplemental catalog pages issued in January 1951 may have already been in the Cambridge line for several months. A price list dated September 1950 has been known for a number of years. It contains listings for the items illustrated on the pages listed in the January 3, 1951, Circular Letter #13. Since Circular Letter #13 did not mention the September 1950 price list, it is probably a safe assumption that the price list had already been distributed. Items often appeared on price lists before their appearance on catalog pages.

In a future issue, a revised FOREWORD to the 1949-53 catalog reprint will be published.

I thank Mary Martha Mitchell for sharing the catalog page and circular letter with us.

[The next five pages show the new catalog page; Circular Letter #13 dated January 3, 1951; the original June 1949 index; and the September 1950 index.]



The Cambridge Glass Company







3796 Goblet



3796 Sherbe



3796 Cocktail



3796 5 oz. Ftd. Tumbler



3796 1 oz. Cordio

Cambridge Square



3797 Goblet



3797 Sherbet



3797 Cocktail



3797 Cordial



3797 5 oz. Ftd. Tumbler

January 3, 1951

CIRCULAR LETTER #13
TO ALL AGENTS

We are sending with this letter a new index for catalog dated September 1950 and the following new illustrated pages:

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This now completes all illustrations of everything in the line except the new items just brought out for January 1951.

Complete supplement with the new index is now in the process of being mailed to all accounts that have had our catalog and a complete catalog is being mailed to all that had not had a catalog.

Yours truly, THE CAMBRIDGE GLASS COMPANY H.A.Lovelady

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INTERESTING HAPPENINGS IN THE LIFE OF A. J. BENNETT

(as told to me by W. L. (Wib) Orme, Jr.)
by Bud Walker

According to Wib, even though busy running the Cambridge Glass Company, his grandfather never forgot his homeland. About every five years, Mr. A. J. Bennett would return to his place of birth, London, England, to visit his family who remained in England. Upon returning from one of his visits, he let it be known that he had hired a builder who was instructed to build two identical homes. When asked why they were identical, his reply was that, I have two sisters and they are never going to be able to say that I gave one more than the other.

Another time Wib told me that when his grandfather was working in New York as a china importer, he met a young man who wanted him to go into partnership with him in a new type of store. Mr. Bennett would only have had to invest three hundred dollars to become a partner with Mr. F. W. Woolworth when he opened his five and dime store. Mr. Bennett claimed that he knew nothing about that type of store and declined to invest in it. Lucky for us. If he had invested, there probably would have been no Cambridge Glass for us to collect. Mr. Bennett and Mr. Woolworth remained friends for the rest of their lives. Whenever A. J. was in New York, he would either have dinner or stay at Mr. Woolworth's home. Wib told me that his grandfather had a dollar bill that F. W. had given him, and that it hung on the wall behind his desk at the plant.

Now that my friend, Wib, is gone, I truly miss the first hand stories about the plant and the people that made it the success that is was.

President's Message

OCTOBER!

Football, leaves change colors, Halloween and there is a chill in the air. The outdoor yard sales and flea markets decrease in number. How do you occupy your time until Spring?

Please make necessary reservations now to attend the November quarterly meeting. Information can be found on page 20 for selecting your dinner entree. You will enjoy our entertaining speaker.

After the November meeting, Thanksgiving and Christmas will be upon us before we know it.

After New Year's Day dishes are washed and put away, mark your 1993 calendar for the first NCC event of the year. The auction is always a bright spot at the end of the long winter. Lynn always compiles a really nice assortment of items for the auction. It is a time to see old friends and, perhaps, add a nice item to your collection. If you are unable to attend in person, exercise your option to offer a mail bid. Many of these bidders are successful as evidenced by the number of boxes I helped Lynn pack after the last auction.

I have transported you right back to Spring in just 3 paragraphs. The older I get, the faster time flies.

I look forward to seeing many of you in November. Until then, continue collecting Cambridge glass and may you find a rare collectible just around the next corner.

Club News

On August 13, 1992, at the Ocean City (New Jersey) Civic Center Summer Lecture Series, Bud Walker, of Egg Harbor, New Jersey, gave a talk on the History and Colors of the Cambridge Glass Company.

Bud had approximately one hundred pieces of Cambridge Glass on display. The pieces covered nearly the entire span of production from the early years to the final closing in 1958. More than forty of the colors that Cambridge produced were included in the display.

The color and variety of pieces made by the Cambridge Glass Company created much interest among those present for the final lecture of the 1992 summer season.

Submitted by Bud Walker

Study Club News

Study Group #15 - Cambridge Collectors of North Texas

The Cambridge Collectors of North Texas met on May 17 at the home of Mary Pfanensteil. Fourteen members and 1 guest were present.

Because the slide show shipped by NCC did not arrive, each member brought several favorite or unusual pieces for a "Show and Tell" discussion. Mary Pfanensteil showed her entire Willow Blue Cleo collection and gave a history on how and where she found the more unusual pieces.

We had no trouble filling time during a very rainy Sunday afternoon.

Submitted by Margaret Bowman

Study Group #13 - Southwest Ohio "Miani Valley, Ohio"

The Miami Valley (Ohio) Study Group held their meeting September 8 at the Huber Heights Public Library. There were 11 members present and three guests.

Various items of business were discussed including the results of our very successful money raising project held at the convention which netted the group \$616.00 toward the cost of publishing the Etching Book.

Dave Rankin provided an update on the Etching Book project. Jim Kennon and Mac Otten provided an update on the proposed Combined Study Clubs Show with the Heisey and Fostoria study groups.

The Christmas party will be held at the home of Phyllis Smith with our usual gift exchange taking place.

The program consisted of a large "Show and Tell" we entitled Summer Finds. The following items were shown: Crystal Caprice #36 13" cake plate; Ebony Special Articles #14 10" bowl with red-orange enamel decoration; Crystal Caprice #136 7" tall comport; Pistachio Caprice #38 cream and sugar; Crystal Ca-

price powder box and cover; Crystal Everglade #19 12" footed oval bowl, frosted; Crystal Everglade #2 candlestick, frosted; Forest Green Everglade #24 sherbet; Light Emerald frosted Everglade 3 footed nappy; Amber twist candlestick; Crown Tuscan #274 10" footed bud vase; Emerald Green #1401 goblet; Peach Blo #8701 juice E. 726 Poppy; Crystal #7606 6 oz. tall sherbet E. Marjorie; Crystal #532 6" tall comport D/1063 Talisman Rose; Crystal #3725 cocktail Rock Crystal engraved #1011 Bijou; Light Emerald 10 1/2" plate E. 715 Willow with gold encrusted border; Crystal #1195 bathroom bottle E. ALCOHOL; Crystal #2970 Gothic tall crushed fruit jar and cover; Emerald Green #1070 36 oz. pinch bottle with crystal stopper; Milk glass W87 12" covered urn; Crystal #1542 20 oz. Life Saver bottle with enamel and gold decoration; Crystal P.290 6 oz. oil Rock Crystal engraved Rondo; Blue 2 #1917 Plain Ware #20 6 oz. sugar and creamer; Helio #2800 Community 15 1/2" basin; Crystal #3200 Cut Wild Rose 1/2 gal tankard; Crystal #2656 Star 1/ 2 gal water pitcher; Yardley cold cream jar; Crystal #1263 French Dressing bottle engraved "Oil and Vinegar"; Carmen #1311 4" footed ash tray; Crystal #628 3 1/2" candlestick E. Rose Point; Crystal #1324 decanter, enameled "Here's Looking at You" with golf ball stopper; Milk glass Mt. Vernon W85 4 1/2" puff box and cover with Charleton decoration; Crystal #2860 Lexington 8" footed vase, A shape; Paperweight with hand painted upper portion of Crown Tuscan nude inside; Carmen #3797 Cambridge Square #150 6 1/2" ash tray; Crystal flower pot insert for 10" swan; Emerald Green Caprice #66 13" oval bowl, crimped and 4 footed; Carmen #1408 60 oz. cocktail mixer with chrome churner; Blue Bell #1222 turkey; Amethyst #2651 Feather covered butter - carnival; Moonlight Blue #2 Star 4" candleholders; Moonlight Blue #1327 1 oz. cordial/favor vase; Crystal Tally Ho cordial with engraving; Mulberry #1 4 1/2" muddler; Amber #1 4 1/2" muddler; Forest Green #1330 5" Sweet Potato vase; Crystal #3200 Cut Wild Rose 5 oz. punch cup; Mandarin Gold #1237 9" vase - all one color; Light Emerald #3120 cocktail with crystal stem and foot; Crystal #1041/1050 swan candleholders; Crystal #1043 8 1/2" swan; Willow Blue #647 6" 2-lite candlesticks - pair; Willow Blue #647 6" 2-lite candlestick - same as previous but with holes on outer portion filled in; Crystal #1 Star 2 1/2" candleholder; Moonlight Blue Caprice #62 12 1/2" belled bowl, 4 footed; Willow Blue #513 13" draped lady; Peach Blo #820 serving tray; and Amber #820 serving tray.

Submitted by Sue Rankin

Hurricane Andrew by Mark A. Nye

My usual article this month is somewhat shorter than normal since Miami had a most unwanted visitor early Monday morning August 24. I came through with only minor damage to my house but did lose several trees. Surprisingly, I never lost telephone service but was without electricity for seven days. I had stored water prior to the storm and thus was not really affected by the fact that water had to be boiled or purified by some other means before it could be drunk. Water service to my area was maintained and since my hot water heater is gas, I always had hot showers available.

I also have a gas cook stove and for about ten days was cooking not only for myself but a number of other people who were not as fortunate. Until electric power was restored, some of the cooking was done in the evening by candlelight. (A Cambridge candelabra no less!)

While I suffered little damage, some friends and their neighbors living farther south were not so fortunate. I spent most of the two weeks following the storm helping them remove trees, obtaining supplies, and making emergency roof repairs. Never in my wildest dreams did I ever expect to be a roofer!

Besides the damage to homes, businesses and the human suffering well documented in the news media, the storm also had a disastrous effect on all types of wildlife. Birds and tree lizards have lost their homes and many still appear dazed and confused. Yesterday I saw a large tree lizard on a tree stump that ended just above its head. One could imagine the confusion in its brain; it was on a tree but there was no tree except for the stump.

Our local zoo suffered major damage to its landscaping and buildings but the animals were not harmed. They had been locked in their night pens, most of which are made of concrete. The aviary was destroyed and many birds killed or lost. Already some animals have been moved to other locations and unofficial reports that the zoo will never reopen have been heard. It is expected new species of birds will become established in the wild as a result of birds escaping not only from the zoo but also from private aviaries.

Credit has to be given to our newspaper "The Miami Herald" and its delivery people. A street edition was published Monday after the storm had subsided and in some areas home delivery resumed the next day. The often berated postal service resumed limited delivery within two days and they are to be praised for their fast recovery. By the end of the first week, delivery service in those areas not heavily damaged was almost back to normal.

For the most part, people pulled together and cooperated in a manner that benefited all. One of the problems encountered was the lack of functioning stop lights. Many people failed to recall Florida law requires that drivers coming to an intersection normally controlled by traffic lights must treat the intersection as a four way stop when the lights are not working.

The word "shade" has all but vanished from the vocabulary of people living in much of Dade County. In some areas only a few trees of any size remain and in others not a tree is left standing. It is surprising how fast nature attempts to recover from such damage. Those trees, shrubs and bushes that lost their leaves or were otherwise damaged are already sprouting new leaves and, in some instances, new branches.

We will recover. The cities of Homestead and Florida City along with smaller municipalities to the north of them will be rebuilt; perhaps slowly but they will arise from the "ashes." Electricity and telephone service will someday again be available in places where today not a pole stands. Trees will be replanted and wildlife will return to make them their home. The South Florida we knew on Sunday, August 23, 1992, is gone and it will be years before anything resembling it exits again. Someday traces of the storm will be hard to find and it will be nothing but a bitter memory.

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WANTED TO BUY: Rosepoint #3016 stems. Write price and description. Nancy & Jim Finley, 816 South Barrett, Sedalia, MO 65301. Phone: (816) 826-5032 or 827-0101.

Collecting Cambridge Ivy Balls, Flying Lady bowls, Perfume bottles. Susan Davis, 12840 Oakknoll Dr, Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33418, 407-622-3664.

FOR SALE: (6) Georgian tumblers, Crystal, 9 oz. ground bottoms - \$10 each ppd. Steven Weinberg, 73 Winding Wood Rd, Rye Brook, NY 10573.

RANDOM THOUGHTS FROM YOUR EDITOR

by Sue Rankin

As I sit down to begin preparation of my third issue as Editor of the Cambridge Crystal Ball, I must take a moment to thank Phyllis Smith for all of her hard work and dedication during her 15 years as Editor. I have known Phyllis since 1973, and knew how hard she worked and how concientiously she always took her duties as Editor, but until I took over the job, I never really knew how much she did for us - the collectors of Cambridge Glass.

Phyllis, THANK YOU!!

Like Phyllis, I too need help. If you have questions, please drop me a note and we will include the answer in the Crystal Ball. If you have information, please share. If you have ideas for improvement, please let me know. And, of course, if you have wants or glass for sale, please send ads.

Now that the kids are back in school, they have probably written their first composition usually entitled "How I Spent My Summer Vacation". Herewith is mine:

HOW I SPENT MY SUMMER VACATION

Shortly after mailing the September issue of the Crystal Ball, Dave and I left for a 10 day vacation. We visited the St. Louis Science Center, Colorado National Monument, Arches National Park and Canyonlands National Park in Utah, Mesa Verde National Park, Four Corners, Chaco Canyon and the Cowboy Hall of Fame in Oklahoma City.

We feel that we pretty well covered the spectrum from the geology of pre-history to the astronauts, from the indians to the cowboys.

But, along the way, we stopped at flea markets, shops and antique malls. Some observations follow:

There is Cambridge glass out there; 24 pieces less now. Many reproductions, reissues and confusing items are encountered. Some dealers know what they have, others don't, especially the dealer selling a reissue which the dealer labeled "Chambridge".

Many dealers don't know what they have; therefore, much of the pricing is either very high or very low.

At every stop that included a book dealer, I looked for the NCC books, and didn't find one. WE STILL HAVE A LOT OF EDUCATION TO DO AND A LOT OF BOOKS TO SELL.

Antique Malls take all the fun out of bargaining.

In Memoriam

Vivian Gragg Ypsilanti, Michigan

Word has been received that longtime member, Vivian Gragg, passed away January 11, 1992, in Boca Raton, Florida.

Our deepest sympathy is extended to her husband Howard, family and many friends.

Mary Lucille Kolb Maynard, Ohio

Mary Lucille Kolb, mother of past-president Willard Kolb, passed away September 5, 1992, in Wheeling, West Virginia.

Our deepest sympathy is extended to Willard and his family.

Gladys P. Meighen Cambridge, Ohio

Gladys P. Meighen, the oldest former employee of The Cambridge Glass Company, passed away August 26, 1992, in Zanesville, Ohio.

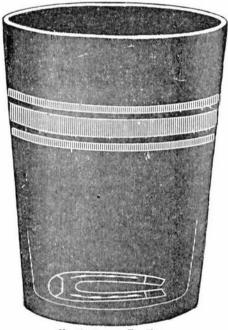
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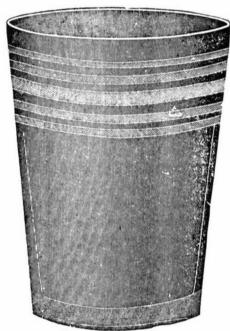
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Common Tumblers.

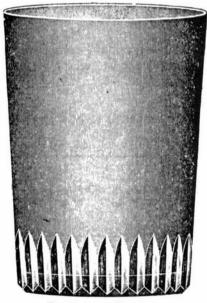
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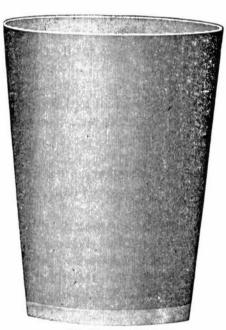
No. 185 9 ounce Tumbler, Packed 23 dozen in a barrel.



No. 186 9 oounce Tumbler. Packed 23 dozen in a barrel.



No. 187 8 ounce Tumbler. Packed 21 dozen in a barrel.



No. 188 9 ounce Tumbler. Packed 25 dozen in a barrel:

Table Tumblers.

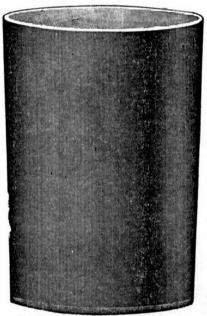
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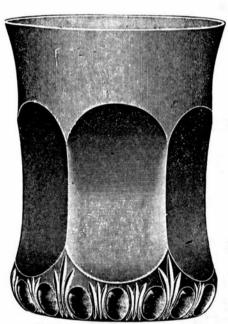
No. 62 81/4 ounce Tumbler, Band No. 3. Packed 20 dozen in a barrel.



No. 65 91/4 ounce Tumbler, Band D. Packed 18 dozen in a barrel.



No. 71 9 ounce Light Table Tumbler. Packed 20 dozen in a barrel.



No. 75 8 ounce Old English Tumbler. Packed 18 dozen in a barrel.

Table and Hotel Tumblers.

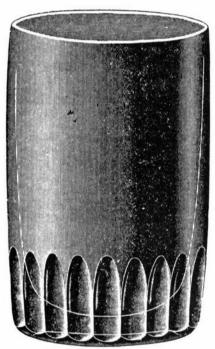
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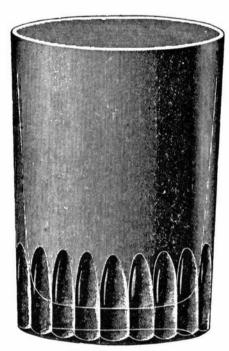
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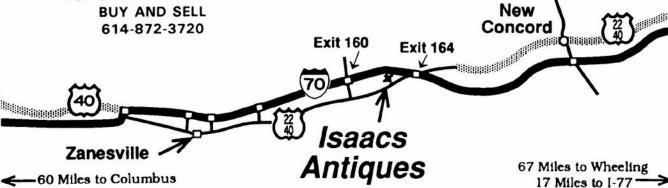
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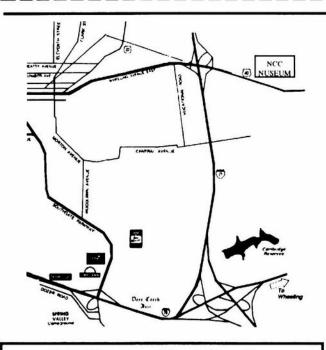
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