

**MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF IOWA BRANCH
OF THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY OF THE
UNITED STATES COURTS IN THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT**

June 18, 2010

The annual meeting of the Southern District of Iowa Branch of the Historical Society of the United States Courts in the Eighth Circuit was held on Friday, June 18, 2010, at 2:00 p.m. at the Iowa State Bar Association Office, E.6th & Court, Des Moines, Iowa. Present were President F. Richard Lyford, Vice President Russell Lovell, Treasurer Nancy Adams, Secretary Helen Adams, Judge Gritzner, Judge Vietor, Clerk of Court Marge Krahn and Erin Lain.

The minutes of the annual meeting held on June 26, 2009 and the 2010 Treasurer's report were approved. As of June 18, 2010, the Treasury has \$14,574.14.

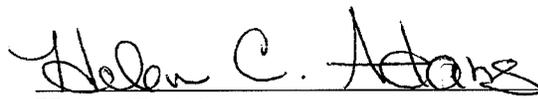
As Retired Magistrate Judge Richard W. Peterson was unable to attend, no District Historian's report was given. Clerk of Court Marge Krahn indicated that several old federal court docket books were located in the Scott County Courthouse and will be given to the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Iowa. President Lyford reported on the activities of the Branch. He continues to assist the Friends of the Iowa Judiciary and working on videos of former Iowa Supreme Court justices, including Justice Harris and Justice Snell. President Lyford and Erin Lain gave an update on historical society projects such as preparation of sections to be added to "No One is Above the Law" and replication of the original seal of the District of Iowa before it was split into 2 districts.

Vice President Russell Lovell reported on the activities at Drake University. United States Supreme Court Justice Alito will be presenting at Drake as the Opperman lecturer in 2010. The Eighth Circuit Court of Appeals will hold oral arguments at the Drake Law School on November 4, 2010.

The election of officers was then held. The officers elected for next year are:

President	F. Richard Lyford
Vice President	Russell Lovell
Secretary	Helen C. Adams
Treasurer	Nancy Adams

The meeting was adjourned.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Helen C. Adams". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Helen C. Adams

Secretary