

PALMYRA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Progress Update On The Fisk Carlin House

The Palmyra Historical Society meets four times a year and has just had its Annual Meeting and picnic. The 36 members present heard from Alan Pape of Old World Wisconsin how fortunate the residents of this community are to have a benefactor like Mr. Fisk Carlin who is interested in preserving the heritage of the area.

Mr. Carlin purchased the house on Main Street at Third, formerly owned by Libby Morris and has donated it to the Village of Palmyra as an historical site. The house is being restored by the Historical Society and will be operated as an educational museum home of the period from 1893, the year Mr. Carlin was born, to 1903.

The house was built in the mid 1840's and is of grout construction which is unique to this area.

Anyone with early pictures of the building or who knew the occupants are urged to communicate with any of the members of the Restoration Committee.

While the house is in a good state of preservation, there is understandably much work to be done. Money and time are very much needed. The members of the Historical Society are certain that there are many citizens of this area who would like to take an active part in this restoration. Anyone who is interested is invited to call any member of the Restoration Committee.

Carol Calkins, Chairman	495-2432
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