# MOUNT VERNON COMMUNITY TRUST





serving all of Knox County

38th annual report 1982

#### THE MOUNT VERNON COMMUNITY TRUST

#### What it is....

It is a charitable fund made up of numerous gifts placed with the Trustee at different times by individuals, families, corporations, and service groups to serve permanently the educational, charitable, health, and welfare needs of the community.

#### How it works....

These gifts are in the keeping of the Trustee Bank, (The First-Knox National Bank), which invests them for safety of principal and income and certifies quarterly to the Distribution Committee the amount available for distribution as directed by the donors. In the absence of such direction, the amounts available are disbursed at the discretion of the Committee in accordance with the purpose of the Trust.

### Why it works....

Since the Cleveland Foundation was established in 1914, many such charitable trusts have proven their value in communities throughout the country. The plan is attractive to donors since gifts of property, such as stocks and bonds, are accepted at full market value on date of transfer, free of any capital gains or federal income taxes. The plan is flexible so that a donor can be certain his fund will be used effectively, even though conditions change. If a cause or purpose selected by the donor becomes obsolete, ceases to exist, merges with others, or no longer requires financial aid, the fund is then used for the support of activities in a field similar to the one mentioned by the donor.

#### Who it works for ....

It works for the donor by safe-guarding the principal and disbursing the income of this gift long after his decease and by winning for him a certain immortality in the memory of friends, neighbors, and specific beneficiaries.

It works for the people of the community, all of whom are benefited by gifts for civic improvements.

Gifts can be channeled through the Trust to educational, charitable, and benevolent organizations not only throughout the United States but anywhere in the world.

# Suggested forms of bequest to the Mount Vernon Community Trust

Property of any kind may be given to any bank or trust company, having fiduciary powers, in trust for The Mount Vernon Community Trust. The following forms of bequest are suggested:

Bequest for General Purposes
I give and bequeath to(name of bank) in trust for The Mount Vernon
Community Trust, the sum of
Dollars (\$) for
the purposes and upon conditions named in that certain Resolution and Declaration of Trust of December 18, 1944, creating The Moun Vernon Community Trust, recorded in Vol. 1, at Pages 521 - 530 of the Miscellaneous Records of the Recorder of Knox County, Ohio
Bequest for Specific Purposes
Add to the above:
Provided, however, that the net income therefrom (or principal) shall be devoted to the support of
(name of particular charitable institution or object)
until such time as The
Mount Vernon Community Trust may otherwise direct in the manner provided in the said resolution and Declaration of Trust.
Memorial Bequest
Add to the above:
It is my desire that the foregoing gift be known as the
MEMORIAL FUND

## THE DISTRIBUTION COMMITTEE FOR 1982

Frederick N. Lorey, Chairman

Appointed by the joint action of the Knox County Judge of the Court of Common Pleas and the Judge of the Probate Court. Succeeded J. Gordon Bone, Deceased.

Dale E. Foster

Appointed by The Knox County Savings Bank

Dr. Richard L. Smythe

Appointed by the City Council

Donald E. Steele

Appointed by the Directors of The Mount Vernon Area Chamber of Commerce

J. Robert Purdy

Appointed by The First-Knox National Bank

James J. Cullers, Secretary

Elected by the Distribution Committee

Others who have served

Distribution Committee:

Beatty B. Williams, Clyde G. Conley, Bert W. Martin, Thomas McDowell, E. L. Miller, O. W. Stanley, Stanley E. Johnson, Jr., John W. Rudin, C. R. Jones, J. Abbott Herron, J. W. Rudin, Jr., Dr. John C. Drake, and J. Gordon Bone.

Secretary:

Charles M. Zelkowitz and Fred Barry, Jr.

Members and the Secretary serve without compensation

# TRUSTEE

The First-Knox National Bank, Mount Vernon, Ohio William A. Stroud, *President* Herbert L. Belden, *Vice President and Trust Officer* 

#### **FOREWORD**

The past year saw the Community Trust attaining a goal of several years — the start of a scholarship program.

With income from a major bequest from the late Robert C. Appleton, designated for scholarship purposes, supplemented by unrestricted income of the Community Trust, we were able to award five scholarship grants for education beyond high school. These are renewable for up to four years of study for Knox County students. Additional grants are to be offered in 1983 and yearly thereafter.

At year-end in 1982, the Knox County Probate Court gave the Trust responsibility for administering a fund of more than \$700,000 from the estate of Pauline B. Freeman, which is to provide college scholarships for graduates of Danville High School and East Knox High School. First grants from this fund are being offered in 1983 and the addition of the Freeman assets to the Trust will be reflected in the annual report for 1983.

In 1982 the Trust continued to help educational institutions of the community move into the computer age, with payments to Danville and East Knox High Schools to help establish computer instruction programs.

Mention of the Trust's activities in scholarship and computer fields is also a reminder to all citizens of Knox County of the importance of supporting the Trust with gifts of money or securities, or through bequests in wills. The Trust works with money provided by local supporters, and tax-deductible gifts can help the Trust do more each year in our community.

Assets of the Trust grew modestly in the past year, from \$2,095,550 on December 31, 1981 to \$2,108,677 on December 31, 1982. Gifts and bequests were received from the Sara Cannon estate, the Icel Hensler estate and the George B. Imhoff Memorial Fund as additions to principal.

The Trust approved grants of \$177,510 from unrestricted funds, of which \$85,000 is to be disbursed in 1983-1984. Included were major grants for completion of the Mount Vernon High School Stadium, to Mount Vernon Nazarene College for construction of a new classroom building, and the Knox County Airport Authority for runway extension. An additional \$113,401 was paid out for income from designated and special funds as specified by the donors.

Faithfully
The Distribution Committee

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## Condensed Report of Condition as of December 31, 1982 Taken from Report of Examination

by Kenneth E. Dennis, C.P.A.

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Principal and Receipts Unexpended Balance	_	2,095,550.01 122,576.92 124,807.15 -0- 7,041.57 2,349,975.65
Disbursements		
(See "Schedule B" for details)		
From Designated and Restricted Funds \$113,401.34		
From Unrestricted Funds 127,896.42		
Total Disbursements	<u>\$</u>	241,297.76 2,108,677.89
SCHEDULE A - Principal Acquired During	198	2
Designated:		
George B. Imhoff Memorial Fund \$ 160.00	\$	160.00
Unrestricted:	-	30000
Sara M. Cannon Fund	\$	6,881.57

7.041.57

# SCHEDULE B - Grants and Disbursements during 1982 as Authorized by the Distribution Committee

From Designated and Restricted Funds

### PAID FROM INCOME

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Bowling Green University - R. C. Appleton Scholarship Fund \$2,000.00
Ohio Dominican College - R. C. Appleton Scholarship Fund 2,000.00
Ohio State University - R. C. Appleton Scholarship Fund
Kenyon College - Gordan & Roberta Chalmers Library Fund
Mina Clark - Garfield & Mazie Colgin Memorial Fund 5,909.78
Amortization of bonds - Garfield & Mazie Colgin Memorial Fund
Knox County Heart Association - Jennie Debes Heart Fund 2,282.00
St. Paul's Episcopal Church - Arthur & Grace Rawlinson Memorial Fund 984.50
Hannah Browning Home - Arthur & Grace Rawlinson Memorial Fund 984.50
First Congregational Church - Zenno & Mae S. Taylor Fund f/b/o First Congregational Church 4,668.96
Mount Vernon YMCA - Mae S. Taylor Fund f/b/o Mount Vernon YMCA 2,324.68
Mount Vernon Community Trust General Fund - Zenno & Mae S. Taylor Fund
Hannah Browning Home - Amy F. Williams Memorial Fund 1,000.00
First Congregational Church - Amy F. Williams Memorial Fund 2,000.00
Salvation Army - Amy F. Williams Memorial Fund
Mount Vernon Y.M.C.A Amy F. Williams Memorial Fund 9,000.00
Mount Vernon Public Library - Beatty B. Williams Library Fund 4,083.53
Mount Vernon Community Trust General Fund - Lawrence F. & Ruby Williams Fund 10,546.00
Mount Vernon Community Trust General Fund - Beatty B. Williams (N.Y.C.) Fund

### SCHEDULE B (Continued)

United Way of Knox County - Beatty B. Williams (N.Y.C.) Fund
First Congregational Church - Beatty B. Williams (N.Y.C.) Fund 3,292.00
National Board of U.S.A. Y.M.C.A
Beatty B. Williams (N.Y.C.) Fund 3,292.00
International Board of U.S. and Canada
Y.M.C.A Beatty B. Williams (N.Y.C.) Fund
Y.M.C.A Beatty B. Williams Community Endowment Fund 12,402.17
First Congregational Church - First
Congregational Church Fund 297.99
First Congregational Church - Howard S. Tarr Fund
First Congregational Church - Walter
T. Starr Fund
Congregational Church Building Fund 211.62
Ohio Eastern Star Home - Ellen Heckler Fund283.80
Gay Street Methodist Church - H. Grant
Heckler Fund473.00
Bird Cemetery - Zack Hollister Fund 183.24
Girl Scout Council - Alice Jewell Fund75.77
St. Paul's Episcopal Church - W. M.
St. Paul's Episcopal Church - W. M. Kahrl Fund
St. Paul's Episcopal Church - Fletcher
Devin Fund
Knox County Cancer Society - Rose
Blair Fund
Knox County Heart Association - Rose Blair Fund
Mount Vernon Public Library - Ethel H. Lyman Fund511.40
Knox County Chapter Red Cross -
Fletcher Divan-Fund America Kalamata 25.06
Hannah Browning Home - Mae S. Taylor Fund 1,045.80
First Presbyterian Church - Martha
Walker Fund94.60
TOTAL PAID FROM INCOME

\$ 113,401.34

## SCHEDULE B (Continued)

PAID FROM UNRESTRICTED FUNDS	
First-Knox National Bank - 1981 Fees \$11,715.83	
John Gerlach & Company - Preparing Form 990 for 1981	
Baker & Hostetler - For legal services rendered303.01	
East-Knox Local School District - For computer program 3,846.00	
Baugher's - For plantings on square 392.00	
Knox County Cooperative	
Jacket Backers, Inc Grant 50,000.00	
Mount Vernon Nazarene College - Grant for Marilyn Rutherford 2,000.00	
North Central College - Grant for Cort Springer 1,200.00	
Danville High School - For computer center 2,996.00	
Columbus Technical College - For Michael Thomen - Zelkowitz Fund500.00	
Mount Vernon Nazarene College30,000.00	
Kenyon College - For athletic facility 20,000.00	
Coyne Printing - For letterhead, flyers & envelopes450.80	
First-Knox National Bank - Reimburse for postage163.46	
Treasurer, State of Ohio - Charitable trust fee for 1981	
Odell Advertising & Marketing - Annual reports & envelopes891.75	
Dennis, Miller & Schisler - Year end tax work	
Knox County Treasurer - Real Estate Tax - Gelsanliter Family Fund	
Centerburg High School	
TOTAL PAID FROM UNRESTRICTED FUNDS	\$ 127
TOTAL GRANTS & DISTRIBUTIONS	\$ 241

# SCHEDULE C - Principal and Income as of December 31, 1982

Total Unrestricted Funds	\$ 705,562.13
Restricted Funds	
Frank L. and Anna L. Beam Memorial	
Fund\$10,000.00	
Alice M. Beecher Memorial Fund 3,235.98	
H. L. Beecher Fund	
Charles F. Colville Memorial Fund 1,000.00	
Mr. & Mrs. Frank L. Fairchild Memorial Fund	
First Federal Savings & Loan Association	
in Memory of J. W. Rudin, Sr 5,000.00	
Fred W. Kahrl Fund 1,000.00	
Knox County Savings Bank Fund 4,000.00	
Lamb Glass Company Fund 5,000.00	
R. M. Lamb Fund 1,000.00	
The Mount Vernon Bridge Company	
Fund	
Pond Motor Sales, Inc. Fund	
J. W. Rudin, Sr. Fund	
J. W. Rudin, Jr. Fund	
W. M. Rudin Fund 1,000.00	
The Rudin Company Fund 10,000.00	
John W. Rudin, Sr. Memorial Fund 170.00	
Annie Sommerville Scholarship Fund 1,000.00	
Mrs. Walter Sperry & Family Fund 2,808.00	
Fred A. Surlas Fund	
Harry Strodtbeck Fund 1,000.00	
Z. E. Taylor & Mae S. Taylor Fund 12,000.00	
Claude F. Turben Fund 1,000.00	
Arthur C. & Adah B. Wolfe Memorial	
Fund	
TOTAL RESTRICTED FUNDS	\$ 93,638.98
Designated Funds	
Character Building Activities Fund 2,500.00	
Clyde G. Conley Memorial Fund278.00	
Cooper-Bessemer Corporation Scholarship Fund	
First Congregational Church Fund 3,150.00	
First Congregational Church Fund-Tarr 2,625.61	
First Congregational Church Building Fund	
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# SCHEDULE C (Continued)

First Federal Savings & Loan
Association Fund 6,500.00
William Grohe Memorial Fund
Larry Hall Scholarship Fund 1,863.97
Headington Family Memorial 1,000.00
Ellen Mill Heckler Memorial Fund 3,000.00
H. Grant Heckler Fund 5,000.00
H. Grant Heckler Memorial Fund 305.00
Zack T. Hollister Fund-Bird Cemetery 1,937.65
Dr. George B. Imhoff Memorial Fund438.00
Alice Jewell Memorial Fund801.40
William G. & Jennie Johnson Memorial
Fund
F. William Kahrl Memorial Fund 3,174.00
Knox County Cancer Society Fund 1,903.80
Knox County Heart Association Fund 1,903.81
Knox County Historical Society Fund 5,631.22
Ethel H. Lyman Memorial Fund 5,406.02
James K. Lyman Memorial Fund 265.83
Mount Vernon Livestock Co-Operative
Association Fund 2,074.55
Mount Vernon Theatre Guild Fund 262.56
Fred R. and Edna E. Osborn Memorial
Fund 1,000.00
Walter M. and Jane Rudin Fund 389.60
Sanderson-Salisbury Memorial Fund 5,114.75
St. Paul's Episcopal Church Fund 1,010.00
Walter T. Starr Fund 2,570.41
Student Scholarship Loan Fund 500.00
Mae S. Taylor Fund f/b/o Hannah
Browning Home
Martha Turner Walker Memorial
Fund 1,000.00
Edith H. Williams Fund 16,683.67
Charles Zelkowitz Memorial Fund 5,000.00
Charles M. & Helen E. Zelkowitz Fund 6,578.51
TOTAL DESIGNATED FUNDS \$ 104,117.05
Special Funds
R. C. Appleton Scholarship Fund 112,747.06
Gordon & Roberta Chalmers Library
Fund

# SCHEDULE C (Continued)

Garfield & Mazie Colgin Memorial       73,212.05         Fund       73,212.05         Jennie Debes Heart Fund       23,989.23         Gelsanliter Family Scholarship Fund       21,500.00         Arthur & Grace Rawlinson Memorial       Fund         Fund       3,005.08         Regina & Richard Smythe Fund       3,005.08         Zenno & Mae Taylor Fund f/b/o The       51,138.80         Mae S. Taylor Fund f/b/o Mount Vernon       Y.M.C.A.       25,493.23         Zenno & Mae Taylor Fund       198,762.87         Amy F. Williams Memorial Fund       92,533.25         Beatty B. Williams Library Fund       35,886.57         Lawrence F. Williams & Ruby C.	
Williams Fund	
Beatty B. Williams Community Endowment Fund 115,668.90	
TOTAL SPECIAL FUNDS	\$1,080,011.51
TOTAL PRINCIPAL	\$1,983,329.67
Income Cash - General Fund \$27,990.87	
Income Cash - Special Funds 97,357.35	\$ 125,348.22
Unexpended Balance December 31, 1982	\$2,108,677.89

# OTHERS WHO HAVE MADE CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE TRUST OVER THE YEARS

Ralph P. Atlas Lucy E. Beckley Big Bear Store J. Gordon Bone W. R. Bouton C. Monroe Boyard Ralph L. & Doris Boyer James E. Brown Edmund F. Budd A. M. Buxton Thomas J. Caie Oscar E. Carlin Lucia W. Capron Clyde G. Conley Lillian Conley Ruth E. Conley Citizens Building Loan & Savings Association Continental Can Co. Cooper-Bessemer Corp. Cooper-Bessemer Employees' Charities **Ethel Cooper** Mrs. L. Tate Cromley George T. Culbertson, Jr. Cora D. Debes James H. Debes Jennie J. Debes George E. Deeley Grover H. Detmer Fletcher M. Devin Dr. John C. Drake John Ewing C. Floyd & Margaret Ellis Jack V. Fearn I. W. Ferguson The First-Knox National Bank of Mount Vernon Foster's Pharmacv Dennis L. Gallogly Hewitt A. Gehres George Gelsanliter Gelsanliters, Inc. C. W. Gilchrist Hyman Goldberg Paul E. Goulding William G. Gower Gregg Manufacturing Co. Heckler Drug, Inc. F. B. & Gertrude J. Herendeen J. Abbott & Mary Herron Dr. R. H. Hoecker **Hotel Curtis** Houbler Oldsmobile-Cadillac Co. Ralph M. Jewell Stanley E. Johnson, Jr. S. E. & Dorothy Johnson, Sr. K. Allin Kahrl Kincaid Buick Co. George Kingsberry

**Knox County Community Fund** Knox County Guernsey Calf Club **Knox County Medical Society** T. O. Kuivinen Rhea H. Larson H. D. & Priscella Lescalleet Peter & Alexandria Letz David Leventhall Lawrence C. Lewis Frederick N. & Genevieve Lorey Rev. J. Dayton McCormick Maude McCreary Manufacturing Printers Co. Bert W. Martin Lorenzo D. Mathews, Jr. Curt H. Meltzer Louise Meltzer Eugene L. Miller William L. Moore William Mosholder Mount Vernon High School -Class of 1907 Northwestern Elevator & Mill Co. Ohio Cumberland Gas Co. Arthur J. Packard, Jr. Packard Hotels **PPG Industries Foundation** Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co. Fred A. Pond William E. Pond Dr. Gordon H. Pumphrey Purdy Sand & Gravel Co. Dorothy S. Reed Republican Publishing Co. J. S. Ringwalt Co. Ralph C. Ringwalt Estate John W. & Grace Rudin Anna M. Salisbury Charles W. Salisbury Margaret Scarbrough Fred D. Seibold Helen C. Sevitts Shellmar Products Co. Robert W. & Doris Simpson Mrs. Charles M. Stamp Edward Starr Robert Steinbrink Helen D. Strong Fred A. Surlas Mrs. Zenno E. Taylor James W. Tighe & Son Timken Roller Bearing Co. Frank J. VanVoorhis W. Kav Walker Paul A. Warner Harold Weidner Dr. Robert L. Westerheide Florence L. Westlake Charles L. White Wise Jewelers, Inc. Jack T. Zeller

# Dennis, Miller, & Schisler Gerified Bublic Accountance

Kenneth E. Dennis William R. Miller Larry A. Schialer

The Mount Vernon Community Trust Mount Vernon, Ohio 43050

We have examined the statement of investments of the Mount Vernon Community Trust (an Ohio non-profit organization) as of December 31, 1982 and the related statement of receipts and disbursements for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and, accordingly, included such tests of the accounting records and such other auditing procedures as we considered necessary.

In our opinion, the above statements present fairly the financial position of the Mount Vernon Community Trust at December 31, 1982 and the receipts and disbursements of the Trust for the year then ended, in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a consistent basis.

Dennis, Meiler & Schriler

Mount Vernon, Ohio May 5, 1983

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