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ATS Tour Group at the Romanian Parliament in Bucharest

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

By Denise Aeling Crawford ATS Nat'l President



Issue 17

As I write this column, I am sitting on the bus, traveling around Transylvania and Romania. Our 79 people arrived on Wednesday, July 31, relatively easily in Bucharest. We had one lost passenger and a few lost suitcases, but by the time we left the hotel in the morning, everyone and everything had arrived. Our first stop was the Romanian Parliament Building. What a beautiful place, with a very dark history. Nicolae Ceausescu started building the palace. He wanted to show off his power. The marble and wood, with very few exceptions, came from Romania. When the Revolution happened in 1989, the building was only half finished. There was a great debate about whether to tear it down or finish the construction. It was decided that it would be less money to just finish it. One of the ways that Ceausescu paid for the construction was by letting people, including our Transylvanian Saxon relatives, buy their way out of Romania. Families paid big amounts to get their relatives out of the country and into Germany, Austria, and North America. The Parliament building itself, is the largest in Romania, and most of the world. The only one bigger is the Pentagon building in the USA.

Next stop was Hermannstadt or Sibiu. We arrived late Thursday evening, due to the extra time it took to travel from Bucharest. The Romanian Minister of Transportation closed the four-lane highway between the two cities, which required every truck, car, and bus to travel the two-lane road with very few places to pass. Friday started with a walking tour from our two excellent tour guides for the trip. Bogdan and Alex are so knowledgeable, with lots of history and stories of all walks of life in the country.

Then, everyone was on their own for the entire weekend. I had some official duties to do. One was being part of the Federation awarding German rock star Peter Maffay the Gold Star of Honor. He was born in Transylvania and left when he was a teenager. He has done lots of charitable deeds back in his homeland. The Parade was Saturday morning. I was very proud to have some of our tour people march in the parade. I was proud to sit on the stage and watch, along with Federation officials, Romanian politicians, the female mayor of Hermannstadt, and President Klaus Johannis and his wife. For those that don't know, the President is Transylvanian Saxon. All the groups marching past were fantastic. The differences in the Trachts of the ladies are fascinating, as most of the villages had something a little different than the rest. For example,

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Tax on Social Security benefits draws criticism and new proposals

If you have just begun retirement planning, you might be surprised to find that Social Security payments are taxed, a fact that has drawn criticism and a number of proposed fixes.

About 70 million people receive Social Security payments every month. About 40 percent of those beneficiaries pay taxes on their benefits.

The IRS formula for taxing benefits means (roughly) that if your income exceeds \$25,000 (filing individually) or \$32,000 (filing jointly), you have to pay federal taxes on some portion of your benefits. Generally, if Social Security is the only source of income, it probably will not be taxable, although 12 states collect their own taxes Social Security. About 40 percent of beneficiaries pay federal taxes on benefits.

One of the latest bills to address this issue was proposed in January 2024 with the "You Earned It, You Keep It Act," introduced by Rep. Angie Craig (D-MN). This bill would eliminate federal taxes on benefits, which would increase income for some retirees, but would apply Social Security tax to more of the income earned by higher income working individuals, according to Money.com.

At least one analysis projects that the bill would keep Social Security solvent through 2054, decades longer than the projected collapse in 2031. However, as with other bills proposed by members of either party, passage of the bill is uncertain or downright unlikely, according to US News. Alliance of Transylvanian Saxons Home Office: 5323 Pearl Rd., Cleveland, Ohio 44129 Telephone: (440) 842-8442 FAX: 440-842-5442 E-mail: office@atsaxons.com Website: www.atsaxons.com

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my grandparent's village of Gross Scheuern has a scarf that hangs from the side of the apron. Not all villages do that.

Following the parade, I had lunch with the dignitaries (minus the President), then off to Thalia Hall for speeches and presentations. During this time, there was a presentation about the Diploma Andreanum. I will explain more about this later. After that, my official duties were over. There were lots of exhibits and events to attend all over the "old town". Sunday, there was a church service in the Evangelical Church. I did not attend, however, because my relatives from Germany took my mother and my cousin to Gross Scheuren for services in the church of our grandparents. To have communion in the same church that our ancestors had taken communion and where they were baptized was a real treat. As it turned out, the Pastor at the Evangelical church, Klaus Untch, hurried from that church to our church for our noon service. A big shout-out to Udo Muller, head of the Transylvanian Saxons from Ingolstadt, Germany, who arranged the event in our village. Speaking with Udo and Pastor Untch topped off a very nice day.

The concerts in the Grosser Ring (Big Square) were great. Some Saxon boys played on Friday evening, Peter Maffay played on Sunday evening. Dance groups and brass bands rounded out the rest of the weekend.

Monday morning, we departed Hermannstadt and headed for the Carpathian

here's a list. A lot of the answers were the same, but a few were different.

• Marching in the parade and having parade watchers say "Welcome Home" to the Americans.

 Seeing the village and church of my ancestors.

· Seeing the house that my grandfather built.

· Seeing the house that I was born in.

· Meeting family members from Germany and Austria who I haven't seen in a while.

· Hanging out in Hermannstadt.

 Meeting relatives In Oma's village and receiving Oma's apron from 1912.

· Organ concert in the church in Hermannstadt.

· How beautiful the countryside is.

· Tales of Dracula.

• Fortified Churches.

· Wooden Church.

· Bogdan and Alex singing.

· Meeting the other people on the trip.

 Hanging with Dad in his Dad's hometown.

• The Divorce Room.

· Bogdan's and Alex's corny jokes.

· The entire Sachsentreffen!

Did you know that 2024 is the 800th anniversary of the **Diploma Andreanum? This** is the "Golden Charter" that was created in the year 1224 from King Andrew II from Hungary, who allowed the Transylvanian Saxons to govern or rule themselves. The original document was lost. However, a new document was written and signed by King Charles I Robert in 1317 when he re-wrote and re-approved the document. This copy was kept in the Archives of



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Check the airbag

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Check the airbag indicator light on the dashboard. It should glow briefly when the car is first started, which is part of the car's diagnostic system. If the light never comes on or stays on continuously, the air bag probably isn't functioning.

If you still aren't sure if the airbags will perform as expected, have a trusted mechanic inspect the car for air bags. Body shops and dealers have a scanning tool to look at the system and see if there are any faults. There will be a charge for the service -- but it could save your life.



The intent of this program is to provide financial support in the form of a grant to qualifying ATS members who have graduated from college, have been out of school for at least two years, and still owe on their student loans.

Selection of grant recipients will be determined by a random drawing conducted by the ATS Scholarship Committee. Selected recipients will be awarded \$500, payable to the lending institution.

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Mountains and various Saxon villages and hometowns. I'll talk more about the rest of the trip next issue.

On Wednesday, I asked our travelers their favorite part of the trip so far, and

the Saxon Nation in Hermannstadt in the old town hall, and now in the Romanian/Sibiu State Archives. It was on display during the Sachsentreffen weekend. Until next time...



Tuesday or Thursday in the Office Check Out the Menu All food is prepared and Served by Marko's Catering

Menu (Delicious) Appetizers on Your Table Roast Beef / Gravy Chicken Francaise w/ Lemon Sauce Italian Sausage w/Peppers & Onions Honey Glazed Baby Carrots Garden salad Dinner Rolls & Butter Coffee & Fruit Drink Cake for Dessert 5:30 ... Doors Open ... Open Bar 6:30 ... Dinner Is Served 7:45 ... Reverse Raffle Starts

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FRATERNAL CALENDAR

NATIONAL EVENTS

October 19 - 20, 2024 ATS Open Bowling Tournament Host: New Castle Bowlers July 11 - 13, 2025 North American Saxon Heimattag

LOCAL EVENTS

August 18, 2024 **Cleveland East Annual Summer Picnic Penitentiary Glen** Lorain Br. 5 Summer Picnic, Lakeview Park August 24, 2024 **Cleveland Sachsenheim / GCM** Summer Oktoberfest September 15, 2024 Chicago Br. 9 Banquet, Lone Tree September 28, 2024 **Cleveland Sachsenheim Clambake** October 19, 2024 **Cleveland Saxon Dance Group Traubenfest** October 25, 2024 **Cleveland West Children's Halloween Party** December 7, 2024 **Cleveland West Sausage Sale** December 14, 2024 **Cleveland West Children's Christmas Party Cleveland Sachsenheim/GCM Krampus Fest**





Dry eyes need consumer awareness



Symptoms of dry eye can range from mildly irritating to almost debilitating. They include painful scratchiness, light sensitivity, and stinging.

About 25 percent of eye doctor visits are for dry eye-related complaints.

What causes all these dry eye problems?

• Age. Most patients are over 40.

• Soft contact lenses. They absorb fluid on the eye surface.

• Vision correction surgery. Dry eye can be a side effect of the 1.4 million eye surgeries done each year in the U.S.

• Eyelid surgery. Sometimes results in a sliver of an opening when eyes are closed, which dries the eyes.

• Activities in which the eyes are not blinked regularly, including computer use and watching television.

• Wind. Outside or from heating and cooling systems in the home and car.

• Dust or allergens in the air. With a huge need for dryeye treatments, many pharmaceutical companies offer a plethora of remedies, with more in the works. Right now, here's what's available:

Lubricating drops such as Systane, TheraTears, and Refresh.

Proclear and Acuvue Oasys, which are contact lenses meant to alleviate dry eyes for contacts wearers.

Omega-3 fatty acid (a nutritional supplement). A 2005 Harvard study showed

BRANCH 27, NEW CASTLE By Dolores Both

We ladies met August 1, 2024 at the club for our monthly meeting. Dan Both and Jonathan Baisch, Branch 25 officers, were present to discuss the tentative merging of Branch 25 with Branch 27. The discussion was very productive, and many areas of concern were raised. The committee from the ladies will be meeting with the committee from Branch 25 to discuss this issue. This is a serious matter, and members present felt it should be carefully handled for the benefit of maintaining the Eintracht and continuing the rich cultures of the German and Saxon peoples for future generations.

President Judy Both had emailed the minutes from the July meeting to members before the meeting. Copies were available to members who did not have email. Getting the minutes mailed before our meetings will help to save time at the meetings.

We were glad to welcome back Beca Baisch to Branch 25.

Oktoberfest planning is underway for September 21. The Fest will be held 2:00 to 10:00 p.m. at the grounds. Hopefully the weather will cool of by then! Our branch will have the raffle again this year. Katy Both is chairperson and will buy the items for several baskets and a door prize. She will need volunteers scheduled to help sell tickets. Slowly and surely with everyone pitching in to help with the various tasks, we will have a successful celebration.

It was decided to change our meeting places for the rest of the year. The new schedule of meeting times and locations is: September 5 at the club at 6:00 p.m. October 3 at the club at 6:00 Picnic at the grounds from 3:00 to 6:00 in the afternoon. Families are encouraged to attend with their children. Katy Both and her daughters Brooke and Mandy will be there to conduct rock painting for the children. It will be lots of fun for the children. The Falcons Club is partnering with Branch 25 on this picnic and people are encouraged to bring their children.

Speaking of rocks, we have gone rocky! We will make a Ladies Rock Garden at the picnic grounds in time for the Oktoberfest. We'll be painting rocks red, yellow and black after our September meeting so bring some extra brushes and supplies to help in this colorful project. It was suggested that a future project for the ladies could be replacing the playground equipment at the picnic grounds.

After all our discussions and planning, we sure enjoyed the cookies and dessert Judy brought for all to enjoy. Judy also made a note card for everyone with the email address of the Volksblatt for members interested in reading the paper on line. The post office doesn't deliver the issues to members in a timely manner and it can be read on line much earlier.

Don't forget to contact Judy Both (724-654-0573 or jboth1512@comcast.net) to purchase a beautiful Wendell August ornament depicting the Eintracht Hall. What a perfect Christmas gift! Only \$20 plus \$5.50 if mailed in the continental US. Also consider "A Brief History of the Transylvanian Saxons" compiled by Ron Hietsch for an additional \$1.

See you down at the club on September 5 at 6:00 pm. We'll be painting rocks for the ladies garden at the



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Written by your fellow Saxons. Copies are \$25 each. Send checks payable to ATS 5323 Pearl Road Cleveland, OH 44129 Call the ATS Home Office at (440) 842-8442 for more information. the benefits of tuna for eye health.

Restasis, an FDA-approved prescription drug that has good results in many cases, but doesn't work for everyone.

Goggles: Those by Panoptx and others create a moisture chamber around the eye. They are available at ski shops and motorcycle shops. Boston Scleral Lens. A custom-fitted prosthetic device that creates a reservoir over the cornea. p.m., and November 7 at grounds -- Could you say Soni's at 5:30 p.m. it's a paint and sip party in August 18 is the Family the making???





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10:00 Service Nursery Coffee following service Senior Circle

The Lighter Side

She was at a loss for words

Dear Abby, I have a man I can't trust. He cheats so much, I'm not even sure the baby I'm carrying is his.

Dear Abby, I joined the Navy to see the world. I've seen it. Now how do I get out?

Dear Abby, My forty year old son has been paying a psychiatrist \$150 an hour every week for two years. He must be crazy.

Dear Abby, I was married to Joe for three months. I didn't know he drank until one night he came home sober.

Dear Abby, You told a woman whose husband lost interest in sex to send him to a doctor. My husband lost interest in sex and IS a doctor. What can I do?

The frog and the engineer

An engineer was crossing a road when a frog called out to him, "If you kiss me, I'll turn into a beautiful princess." He put the frog in his pocket. The frog said, "If you kiss me and turn me back into a beautiful princess, I will stay with you for one week."



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abe Carpathian Region in the High Middle A

When King Andrew II of Hungary confirmed the rights of the German settlers of southern Transylvania in 1224 in a document later called the "Andreanum", the farreaching autonomy defined in it was nothing unique for that time. It only became so through its consistent preservation and expansion over the centuries. On the basis of this document, which was confirmed many times until the 17th century, the Germans of Transylvania finally became the state-supporting state and were able to maintain their special legal status until 1876 – centuries of experience then enabled them to adopt modern forms of organization up to the present day. This long-lasting effect of a piece of parchment from 800 years ago is the subject of a trilingual – German, English and Romanian – travelling exhibition.



The traveling exhibition of The Andreanum aka "Goldene Freibrief" (Golden Charter).







We remember our Sisters and Brothers who have departed this life in recent days. Our sincere sympathy is extended to the members of the bereaved families.

Barbara A. Rinda Age 91 Died: April 05, 2024 Branch 30, Youngstown

Donald E. Dixon Age 98 Died: June 14, 2024 Branch 30, Youngstown

Naomi Schuller Age 94 Died: July 3, 2024 Branch 30, Youngstown

Managing finances when a loved one dies



The single most important thing you can leave to your heirs is a current list of passwords and access codes, according to Kiplinger.com.

Conventional advice is to involve both partners in financial decisions and management. But as a practical matter, one spouse usually handles these matters. The key is making it easy for a surviving spouse to take over. First, make sure your spouse knows the password or access codes for your computer and phone. This gives them access to email and texts, which can help pay bills, identify and manage monetary accounts, and contact friends.

have. When a partner dies, survivors need immediate access to money for funeral arrangements and living expenses. Both spouses need to know who their financial advisor is and how to contact him or her.

For savings, checking, and investment accounts, make sure both partners own the accounts so the survivor can access them immediately.

Then the frog asked, "What is the matter? I've told you I'm a beautiful princess. Why won't you kiss me?"

He said, "Look, I'm an engineer. I don't have time for a girlfriend. But a talking frog? Now that's cool."



Make sure your spouse knows, at least roughly, where your money is saved and invested and what insurance policies you may Household details are also important. Couples should keep a running list of bigticket items. Take a walk through the house with your spouse, make a list of important items like the water heater and furnace, and write down the approximate year they were installed. While you are at it, note the name of the company or professional you used for the job and, if you remember, how much you paid.

"We are not uprooted" The 2. Big Sachsentreffen took place in Sibiu

For three days and three nights, the Transylvanian Saxons celebrated at the second Great Saxon Meeting in Sibiu and the whole city joined in. Around 20,000 people were delighted with the 89 events that took place under the motto "Home without Borders". There was a lot of dancing, laughing, singing, tears of joy and emotion flowed and for many participants it will continue until mid-August, because the hometown communities have organized their meetings all over Transylvania.

To say it in advance: Everything went flawlessly, and all participants praised the organizers - with the Transylvanian Forum at the top.

The meeting was opened on Friday on the Great Square, where the first shouts of joy sounded and the first tears of emotion flowed for the reunion. At the Great Square, you could also exchange your first memories at the long tables, and there was food and drinks from morning to evening. Of course, the mici (Chevapcici) were one of the most popular dishes, with which a cold beer could not be missing. The participants already had something in common: the badge (our picture), which could be purchased in the Forum House together with the program for 80 lei. The badge was also the ticket for the many events that took place in the center of Sibiu. In addition to the many events, small concerts took place on every corner, where the participants could spontaneously shake their legs. By the way, dancing legs: On Friday and Saturday evening, after the conclusion of the official program at the Großer Ring, it continued with at least two parties in Neppendorf.

Perhaps the most touching item on the agenda of the meeting took place on Saturday morning: the traditional costume parade. More than 2,000 people wearing traditional costumes started at the Kleiner Ring, greeted the guests of honour on the stage at the Großer Ring, and then continued through the Generalloch. The 82 groups came mainly from Germany, but of course there were also villages from Romania, Austria and Switzerland, even from the United States and Canada. After the traditional costume parade, the greetings and the awarding of the Federation's Star of Honour took place on the stage on the Great Square. The guest of honour was President Klaus Iohannis, under whose patronage the Great Saxon Meeting was held, who took to the stage together with his wife Carmen.



Saturday in the Great Square



Sunday night, enjoying the music of Peter Maffay

Chairman of the Transylvanian Forum, Martin Bottesch, welcomed the participants, who were received to the applause of the audience. Mayor Astrid Fodor also welcomed the guests who gathered from all corners of the world: "One of the wonderful qualities that we have received from our mothers and fathers is the care of the community."

After the speeches, Rainer Lehni, President of the Federation of Transylvanian Saxons, presented Peter Maffay with the Federation's Star of Honour. Visibly moved, the musician explained: "Most of us live in two worlds, the old and the new. But we are not uprooted because of this, on the contrary, we profess to be part of the European culture as a whole, across borders such as faith, skin color or ethnic origin." On the last evening, shortly before the Peter Maffay concert, Martin Bottesch spoke a closing word and thanked the participants, but also especially the many invisible helpers who ensured the success of the festival. A big thank you also went to the Romanian state

for the important financial support.

The organizers of the meeting were the Democratic Forum of Germans in Transylvania, the Evangelical Church A. B. in Romania, the Association of Transylvanian-Saxon Hometown Communities, the Associations of Transylvanian Saxons in Germany, Austria, the United States and Canada, the Transylvanian-Saxon Youth in Germany, the German Youth Association Transylvania, the Democratic Forum of Germans in Romania and the Forum of Germans in Sibiu. the Department of Interethnic Relations of the Government of Romania and the Saxonia Foundation. The partner was the M&V Schmidt Foundation. When the third Great Saxony Meeting will take place is still to be decided, but in any case it is certain that the 34th Saxony Meeting will take place in Zeiden/Codlea in 2025. Ruxandra STĂNESCU



Our Saxon Federation leaders: From left, Rainer Lehni Germany and Federation Chairman, Rebecca Horeth, VP Canada, Denise Crawford ATS President, Manfred Schuller, Austria.



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Choruses

CLEVELAND, SECTION 1 EINTRACHT SAXONIA SACHSENCHOR

We are sad to report the disbanding of the Eintracht Saxonia Sachsenchor. Since its founding in 1897 as the "Eintracht Singing Society" the choir has promoted the Transylvanian Saxon love of song and culture. The choir will be missed.

Thank you for the melodies.

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- from our fraternal
- program and be a part of

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