

September 1999

# Maine Woodturner

## Member AAW

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Big things coming for the new year! Robert Rosand will be coming up in January of February depending on the weather. He does fantastic Christmas ornaments and other turnings. He also writes for the AAW and sits on their board of directors. I'm working on getting Lyle Jamison for the November meeting. He demonstrated at the symposium last year in Ohio. He does a lot with special hollowing tools that don't take a lot of size or energy to operate. It should be interesting.

### Maine Woodturners Unite!

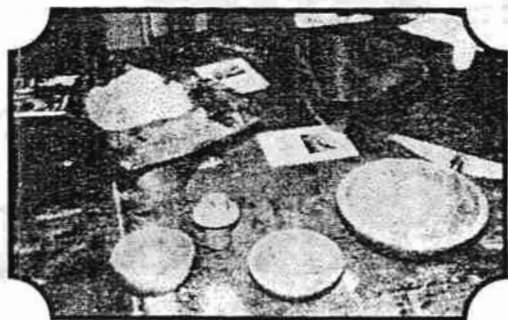
The unofficial meeting this summer at Jack Versery's went very well. There was a turnout of about 20 turners and 6 or 7 significant others. Everyone had a good time, made tools, rubbed elbows, ate, and sweated a lot. There were chips flying everywhere, metal and wood. We will be having a meeting soon where more participation will be involved. It seems that everyone wants more big name woodturners and more hands on, so that's what your going to get.

## \$ Dues Time

Bring your checkbooks and support your association. If you are not going to be at the meeting, send your dues money to Bob Morrell at: 16 Coffin St., Brunswick, ME 04011 **Dues: \$25 Sep. 1999 - Aug. 2000**  
Member must be in good standing by Sep. 30, '99 to receive October Newsletter



There will be a wood auction at this meeting, so bring lots of wood and lots of money. Mac Ray came by a big old sugar maple tree just a little while ago so there will be some beautiful curl and spalted wood at the auction.



Part of last Meetings  
Show-&-tell

This Month's Meeting — September 15th  
@ ERSKINE ACADEMY 7 to 9 PM



## Let Us Demonstrate

The Demonstrator for this meeting will be our own President who with the help of some of the other fine turners in our association will be demonstrating gouge, scraper, and other tool techniques. We will be using all the lathes available so everyone can handle a tool and practice a cut or two. If you have a tool and it doesn't work for you, bring it in and we will try to figure it out or sharpen it more.

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### June Meeting Demonstrator

Steve Gleasner

If you do it this way you can  
save a lot of good wood for  
other projects

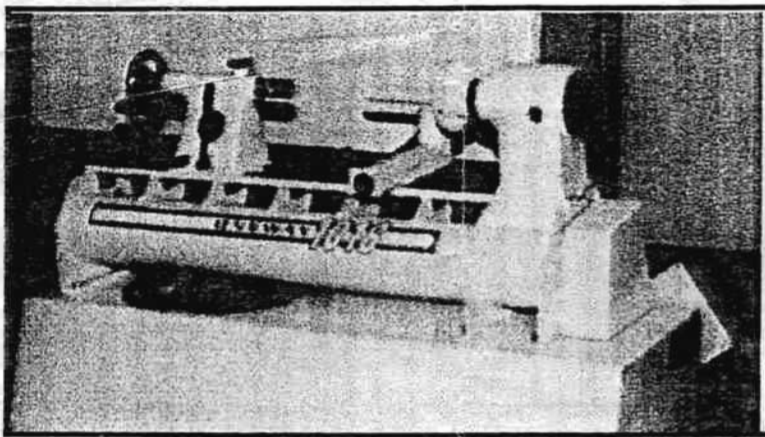


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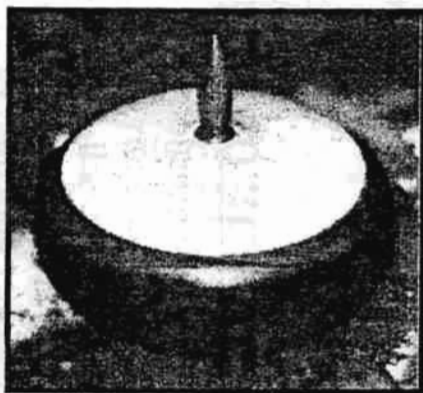
### Coming next month.

Complete list of paid up members of the Maine Wood Turners Association.

**Don't be left out!**



The new Oneway 1018 Lathe presented to the  
Erskine Academy Shop for their use.  
Ownership still belongs to the Association.



Another fine piece of work  
shown at the June Show & tell.



#### Library News

Don't forget to bring in  
any books or tapes that belong  
to the association. They can be renewed if  
you still need them, but it lets Mark know  
where they are if someone else needs them.

Thanks.



The Bring Back Raffle  
was won by Bob Hackett's  
brother in June. I guess  
that sort of puts you on  
the hook, Bob. This is  
always an interesting part  
of the meeting. One never knows the  
extent of the ingenuity of wood turners.

**How many interesting  
projects are we going to  
have made from the exotic  
wood pieces that Dave  
Barden left us with last  
June?**