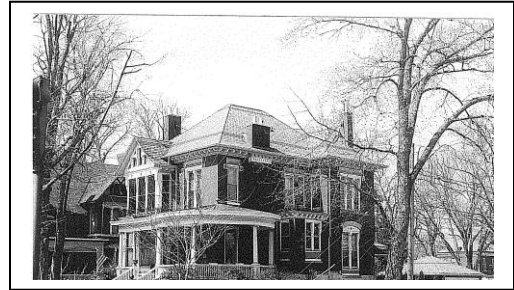


## ***We welcome you to Quincy, Illinois***

The Quincy club is looking forward to having fellow Altrusans visit our city. We have tried to plan a good time with lots of fellowship as well as an experience that is educational. Our theme is ***Reading on the River!***

Friday, prior to the conference starting time, we have arranged a bus tour of Quincy (conducted by our own members) along with a tour of one of Quincy's historic homes. There will be a separate charge for those wishing to take this excursion. The trip will begin at the hotel at 11:30 am and last until 2 pm. The package will include a box lunch.



This is the house we will be visiting.

The conference will provide several opportunities to learn more about Altrusa and there will also be a few workshops just for fun. Friday will feature a .....Sweet Treat Decorating.. ..and Saturday will include a workshop on jewelry making. Since we need to plan for supplies and have a limited number that can be handled for these two workshops, we do need you to register in advance. The sign up information will be included in your registration packet.

The Friday night speaker will be Father Philbert Hoebing, who will speak about the Mississippi River and regional folklore. Following his presentation we will be entertained by the Quincy High School Show Choir.

Saturday night will be a trip to Hannibal, Missouri with a ride on the Mark Twain Riverboat. Rumor has it that Tom, Becky and Mark Twain himself will be our guests!

During the conference we will have a hospitality room to enjoy snacks, view displays of yearbooks, brochures and projects of other clubs throughout the district. Also, connected to the hospitality room will be the Shop and Swap area. These two areas will provide an excellent view of the Mississippi River.

The Mission Project this year will be supplies for Haiti. A list of items needed will be forthcoming later in February. T-shirt order forms will be coming in February.

***Make plans now to enjoy Quincy's unique attractions!***