

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING
OF

THE ATHENAEUM SOCIETY
The Elks Club
HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY
January 7, 1971

Meeting called to order by President Rorie at 7:30 P.M.

Excuses for absences from previous meetings were presented and accepted.

Colonel Howard B. Coffman, was presented to the Society as the guest of the secretary.

Roll call found 29 members present and 10 absent.

Minutes of the December meeting were read and approved.

There being no further business the secretary call the program for the evening:

Norman Lazare presented a paper entitled;

"Notes From The Trail Of The Two Backed Beast".

T. Fintan Burke presented a paper entitled;

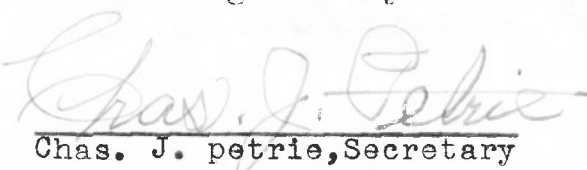
" The Revolution In Relationship To Western Civilization".

The papers were very good, 18 members participating in the discussion.

Two rules of the Bylaws were slightly bent, if not broken, in that one paper was of a religious nature and the discussions, almost without exception, ran considerably over 3 minutes each.

The program ending, the secretary named the program for February, Brooks Major and Littleton Pardue.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:45 by President Rorie.


Chas. J. petrie, Secretary

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February 4, 1971

Meeting called to order at 7:20 P.M. by President Rorie.

Roll call found 28 members present and 11 absent.

Excuses for absences from previous meetings were presented ~~and accepted~~
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Minutes of the January meeting were read and approved.

The Society was informed of the dropping of Ray Glenn from the Rolls because of non-attendance.

There being no further business the secretary called the program for the evening:

Brooks Major presented a paper entitled;

"Causes And Prevention Of Boiler And Pressure
Vessel Accidents".

Littleton Pardue presented a paper entitled;

"The Myth Of Overpopulation".

The papers were well recieved and caused a most voluminous discussion period-20 members participating.

The February program was named- Grady Ruff, Robert Sively.

The program having ended and there being no further business the meeting was adjourned 9:30 by President Rorie.


Chas. J. Petrie, Secretary

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March 4, 1971

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Meeting called to order 7:25 by President Rorie.

Roll call found 32 members present and 7 absent.

Excuses for absences from previous meetings were presented and accepted.

The president requested the membership committee to act as a nominating committee and present the slate to the Society in April and to be voted upon at the April meeting.

The membership committee presented the name of William Bostock, for consideration as a member of the Society, to be voted upon at the April meeting.

The secretary was then requested to call the program for the evening.

William Turner presented a paper entitled;

"A Journey To Cerulean Springs"

Robert Sively presented a paper entitled;

"The Status Of Women, in History, Legend,
And Mythology"

The papers were quite well received, 15 members participating in the discussion.

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The secretary was requested to ~~call~~ the program for April:

Thomas Riley-----Grady Ruff

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 9:55 P.M.P by President Rorie.


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April 1, 1971

The meeting was called to order 6:45 P M By President Rorie.

Roll call found 31 members present and 8 absent.

Minutes of the March meeting were read and approved.

The vote on William Bostock for membership was favorable.

The Nominating Committee presented the following slate for consideration as officers for 1971-72:

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| President | Grady Ruff |
| Vice-President | Benjamin E. Boone |
| Sec't'y-Treas. | Chas. J. Petrie |

The vote was favorable.

There being no further business the secretary called the program:

Thomas L. Riley presented a paper entitled;

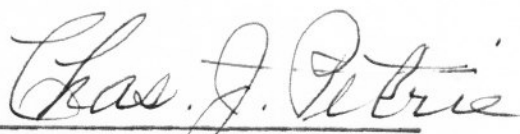
("Beware Of Dirty Air-filters".
~~***Meditation*** Being Practiced Today").~~

Grady Ruff presented a paper entitled;
" Ambulance-Inadequate ".

The papers were excellent and well received-13 members participating in the discussion.

The Secretary named the program for the May (Open Session) Meeting.

The program having ended The Society was adjourned at 9:15 by President Rorie.


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May 6, 1971

Open Session meeting was called to order at 7:45 PM by President Rorie.

There were 101 present for the meeting-64 guests and 37 members.

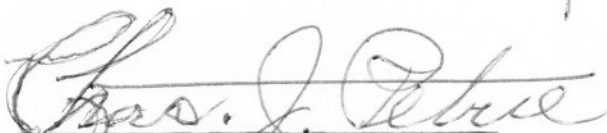
The regular business meeting was dispensed with and the Secretary called the program for the evening:

Thomas E. Morris presented a paper entitled;
"MY TWO LOVES"

Leslie B. Crane presented a paper entitled;
"Robert Burns-Reminiscences"

The papers were excellent and were very well received, 15 participating in the discussion.

The program having been completed, The Open Session was adjourned at 9:45 by President Rorie.


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September 2, 1971

Meeting called to order at 7:30 PM by Prewitt Owen, acting secretary for the evening.

There were 25 members present and one guest with James Wooldridge.

The Society voted to dispense with the reading of the minutes.

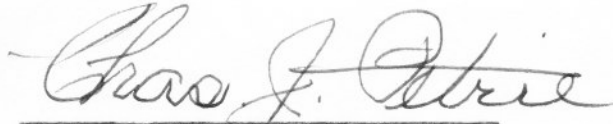
Dr. Owen called the program:

Ira D. Smith presented a paper entitled:
"The Road To Cadiz And Beyond."

Gladstone Major presented a paper entitled:
"The Child Is The Leader."

Seven members participated in the discussion.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:30 PM.


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October 4, 1971

Meeting called to order 7:15 by President Ruff.

Roll call found 31 members present and 7 absent.

Minutes of the September meeting were read and approved.

The secretary made an explanation in regard to the error that was made on the program notification cards and accepted the deserved rebukes .

Excuses for previous absences were presented and accepted.

The membership committee presented the names which follow, for consideration as members and will be voted on at the November meeting:

Ben Self---Ben Wright, Jr.

There being no further business, the secretary called the program for the evening:

Branch Henard presented a paper entitled;

"Fly Me To The Moon And Leave Me There".

Filling)-Gladstone Major presented a paper entitled;
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Boone.) "Lack Of The Ingredients Of Awareness".

The papers were well received, 11 members took part in the discussion.

The secretary named the program for the November meeting;

Frank A. Yost
Wendell H. Rorie

The Meeting was adjourned at 9:05 PM by President Ruff.


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November 4, 1971

Meeting called to order by President Ruff at 7:20

Roll call found 28 members present and 10 absent.

Excuses for previous absences were presented and accepted.

Minutes of the October meeting were read and approved.

Candidates Ben Self and Ben Wright, whose names were presented at the October, to be voted upon at the November were presented and voted upon;

This dealt with a person nominated but not accepted for membership & is censored from the scanned minutes on motion of the Society Sept 2016.

The Secretary called the program for the evening:

Frank Yost presented a paper entitled;

"Intelligence--Environment or Heredity ?"

Wendell Rorie presented a paper entitled;

The Great Cycle Mystery"

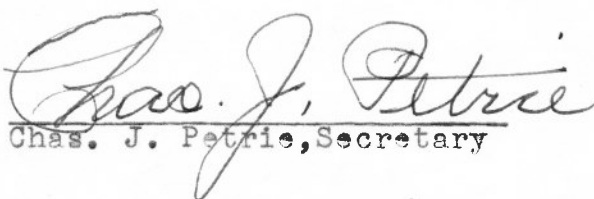
The papers were very well received, and a very lively discussion followed- 17 members participating.

The Secretary named the program for December:

Wallace Henderson

George Boone

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 10:00 P.M.


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December 2, 1971

Vice Boone
Meeting called to order at 7:20 by President ~~Ruff~~.

The president presented Ben Self to The Society as a new member.

Roll call found 31 members present and 8 absent.

Excuses for previous absences were presented and accepted.

Minutes of the November meeting were read and approved.

A motion was passed that the secretary make no notes, to put in the minutes, in regard to the rejection of a candidate for election as a member of the Society.

The business session having been completed, the secretary called the program for the evening:

Wallace Henderson presented a paper entitled;

"A Stroll Down Memory's Lane"

George Boone presented a paper entitled;

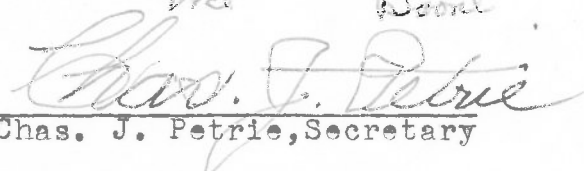
"The Current Relevance Of The Magna Charta"

The paper were well received by the members and a lively discussion followed, 18 members participating.

The secretary named the program for January;

J. Thomas Soyars
Robert M. Fairleigh

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:55 PM by President ~~Ruff~~.

Vice Boone

Chas. J. Petrie, Secretary