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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

S. C. Jay, Entomological Society of Manitoba

During the past year the Executive of the Entomological Society of Manitoba has emphasized three things:

1. Good Fellowship -

This was accomplished through the social held at Dave Smith's home when Dr. A. Anderson was our guest of honour as well as through the various luncheons held during the year. Not only was there good fellowship at these luncheons but the informal scientific talks given by members of the Society were both stimulating and enjoyable. The Executive recommends that these luncheons continue.

2. An Interest in Young People -

This was accomplished by Lauri Smith who contacted science teachers and wrote for their newsletters etc, in order to assist students to prepare Entomological displays for Science Fairs and to interest them in Entomology as a vocation or avocation.

Too, we were delighted to have had every graduate student of the Department of Entomology (University of Manitoba) present papers at our Annual Meeting. The Executive recommends that the Society continue to take an active interest in these young people.

3. Member Participation in Activities of the Society -

This was evident in many ways this year but most especially in our Annual Meeting where nearly every Entomologist in Manitoba participated by presenting brief reports of their current research. All are to be commended for the high standard of research being conducted in Manitoba. The Executive recommend that if possible this format be continued.

I thank the Executive for their cheerful and consistent support, Phil Barker for editing a fine Journal, and Lauri Smith, Harry Westdal and Walter Romanow for willingly accepting many "extra-curricular" jobs for us. I especially thank Grant Robinson for organizing such a splendid Annual Meeting for us.

I thank the members of the Society for the honour of allowing me to be your President this year and I wish the new Executive an enjoyable year working for the interests of Manitobans through Entomology.

MINUTES OF THE 1971 ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

The Annual Business Meeting was held at the North Star Inn, at 1:30 p.m. on November 5, 1971.

PRESENT

S. C. Jay, W. R. Allen, J. E. Guthrie, A. G. Robinson,
A. J. McGinnis, S. R. Loschiavo, F. L. Watters, L. B. Smith,
D. L. Smith, P. S. Barker, V. Hildahl, A. J. Kolach, G. L. Ayre.

1. Acting Secretary:

Barker - Guthrie moved that A. J. Kolach in T. V. Cole's absence be installed as Acting Secretary.

CARRIED

2. Minutes of 1970 Meeting:

Robinson - McGinnis moved that minutes of the 1970 business meeting be adopted as circulated.

CARRIED

3. Error in 1970 Proceedings:

NOTE: P. S. Barker brought to the attention of members the omission of the Committees and persons who arranged the 1970 Joint Meetings, in the 1970 Proceedings.

4. Report of President:

S. C. Jay commented on the year's activities noting the good fellowship during the various socials of the Society, the promotion of entomology at Science Fairs and the active participation of the members in the various affairs of the Society including the presentations made during the program.

Guthrie - Smith (D.L.) moved the adoption of this report.

CARRIED

5. Report of Treasurer: V. Hildahl

Financial Statement, Nov. 1, 1971

Bank Balance Nov. 1, 1970	\$	366.07	
Income (Nov. 1, 1970 - Nov. 1, 1971)			
Dues, Entomological Society of Manitoba		142.70	
Subscriptions, Manitoba Entomologist		143.77	
Reprint and Page Charges, Manitoba Entomologist		648.00	
Interest on Investments		<u>56.00</u>	
			\$1,356.54
Expenditures (Nov. 1, 1970 - Nov. 1, 1971)			
Typing Costs	\$	150.00	
Incidental Expenses (postage, luncheon meetings, safety deposit box, etc.)		27.23	
Transferred to Endowment Fund ...		<u>130.00</u>	<u>307.23</u>
Bank Balance, General Account, Nov. 1, 1971			\$1,049.31
Investments			
Canada Savings Bonds			
i) Issues purchased Nov. 1969, ..	\$	800.00	
Royal Trust Company			
i) G.I.R. #649195 (Oct.13/72)		1,600.00	
ii) G.I.R. #641099 (Oct.21/72)		1,200.00	
iii) Savings Account Balance - November 1, 1971		<u>496.01</u>	<u>4,096.01</u>
TOTAL ASSETS			<u><u>\$5,145.32</u></u>

On a suggestion by V. Hildahl that the Society invest a certain portion of the assets in long term investments, the following motion was made,

Loschiavo - Robinson, moved that the Society purchase either an investment certificate or Canada Savings Bond and that this be carried out by the Trustees of the Endowment Fund,

CARRIED

A further motion was made by Robinson - Barker, that the incoming executive reappraise the position of C. H. Buckner as a Trustee of the Endowment Fund,

CARRIED

A further motion was made by Hildahl - Smith (L.B.) that the Editor's report next year include an inventory of the expenditures and assets from the Journal.

CARRIED

6. Report of Editor:

P. S. Barker was optimistic that the next volume of the Manitoba Entomologist would be out early in 1972. An appeal was made for top quality papers to be included in Volume 5.

Barker also suggested a letter be sent to the Manitoba Department of Agriculture asking for continued assistance in the publishing of the Manitoba Entomologist.

McGinnis clarified that the official Editor of the Society now is P. S. Barker.

7. Report of Regional Director:

S. R. Loschiavo as proxy to P. S. Barker, presented a lengthy report of his involvement in the recent Canadian Entomological Society Meetings at Victoria. Included in the report was a progress report of the Employment Committee as chaired by Loschiavo.

Robinson - McGinnis moved that the new executive determine the next representative of our Society to the National Society Meetings.

CARRIED

8. Report on Student Projects:

L. B. Smith reported that a prize was not awarded in 1970 due to the fact that only one exhibit on entomology was entered which was also a poor exhibit. An article outlining methods of collecting and preserving insects was included in the Manitoba Science Teachers Bulletin. The problem of unavailability of insect collecting and preserving equipment was noted. Smith suggested that the Society consider supplying this equipment. Watters suggested that a collectors

kit could be prepared as a project of the Society,

Smith (L.B.) - Loschiavo moved the adoption of this report.

CARRIED

9. Report of Common Names Committee :

A. G. Robinson reported that no common names were submitted at the National meetings.

Robinson - Barker moved the adoption of this report.

CARRIED

10. Report of Nominations Committee :

A. J. Kolach (L. B. Smith and W. Hanec) presented the following slate of officers for the 1972 executive.

Past President	-	S. C. Jay
President	-	D. L. Smith
President Elect	-	A. J. McGinnis
Secretary	-	T. V. Cole
Treasurer	-	V. Hildahl

Allen - Barker moved that nominations cease.

CARRIED

Kolach - Smith (L.B.) moved the adoption of this report.

CARRIED

11. Other Business :

a. Auditor

Allen - Guthrie moved that the new executive appoint an auditor for the treasurer's report.

CARRIED

b. Retirement of Ed Reeks

Robinson - Guthrie moved that the incoming executive prepare and send an appropriate letter of recognition to Ed Reeks upon his coming retirement.

CARRIED

McGinnis suggested that the incoming executive consider the possibility of including certain past members as honorary members in the Society.

c. Membership Committee

Barker - Loschiavo moved that Gordon Ayre be chairman of a membership committee.

CARRIED

It was suggested also that an informal get-together be arranged by the new executive to meet the Belleville Entomologists who will be stationed in Winnipeg.

d. Future Meetings

McGinnis endorsed the idea of holding future meetings in similar surroundings. Loschiavo expressed concern about lack of attendance possibly as a result of conflict in lectures.

Loschiavo - Guthrie moved a vote of thanks to the Program Committee and students for an excellent program and student participation.

CARRIED

Hildahl suggested that the Secretary correspond with members of the Society who have been transferred to determine if they wish to remain as members.

McGinnis - Smith (L.B.) moved a vote of recognition to the past executive for their fine efforts.

CARRIED

D. L. Smith, the incoming President, commended S. C. Jay and his executive for a successful year and adjourned the meeting.