

JANUARY 24, 1960

The meeting opened at 3:30 p.m. Sunday with Pres. R. Babcock presiding,

CALL OF OFFICERS: All present

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and a motion was made by N. Tober seconded by R. Whittall to accept them as read, carried.

TREAS. REPORT: Balance \$675.88 J. Kerr made a motion seconded by R. Whittall to accept the Treas. report as read, carried.

BILLS: Electric \$4.77  
County Taxes \$56.55  
F.E.C.S.C. past dues \$30.00

N. Tober made a motion to pay the bills seconded by E. Maxwell.  
J. Kerr made a motion seconded by R. Andres to table for one month  
paying of our 1960 dues to the F.E.C.S.C., carried.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: It was reported that H. Hartman and E. Gerber were to be Honorary members for the year 1960.

NEW MEMBERS: Alexander Baron sponsor K. Blum - Emblem and Key  
Marvin Bauss sponsor E. Gerber - Emblem and Key  
Anthony Molinari sponsor A. Grup - Emblem and Key  
Harry Speyer - sponsor G. Christian - Emblem and Key

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: E. Maxwell's \$5 prize for a deer taken by a member operating out of the camp was awarded to R. Linsmaier. Ray Andres led the membership in a unanimous vote of thanks to E. Maxwell for his generosity.

NEW BUSINESS: At this time the meeting was turned over to R. Andres who did a magnificent job of installing the B. of D. and officers of the club for the year 1960.

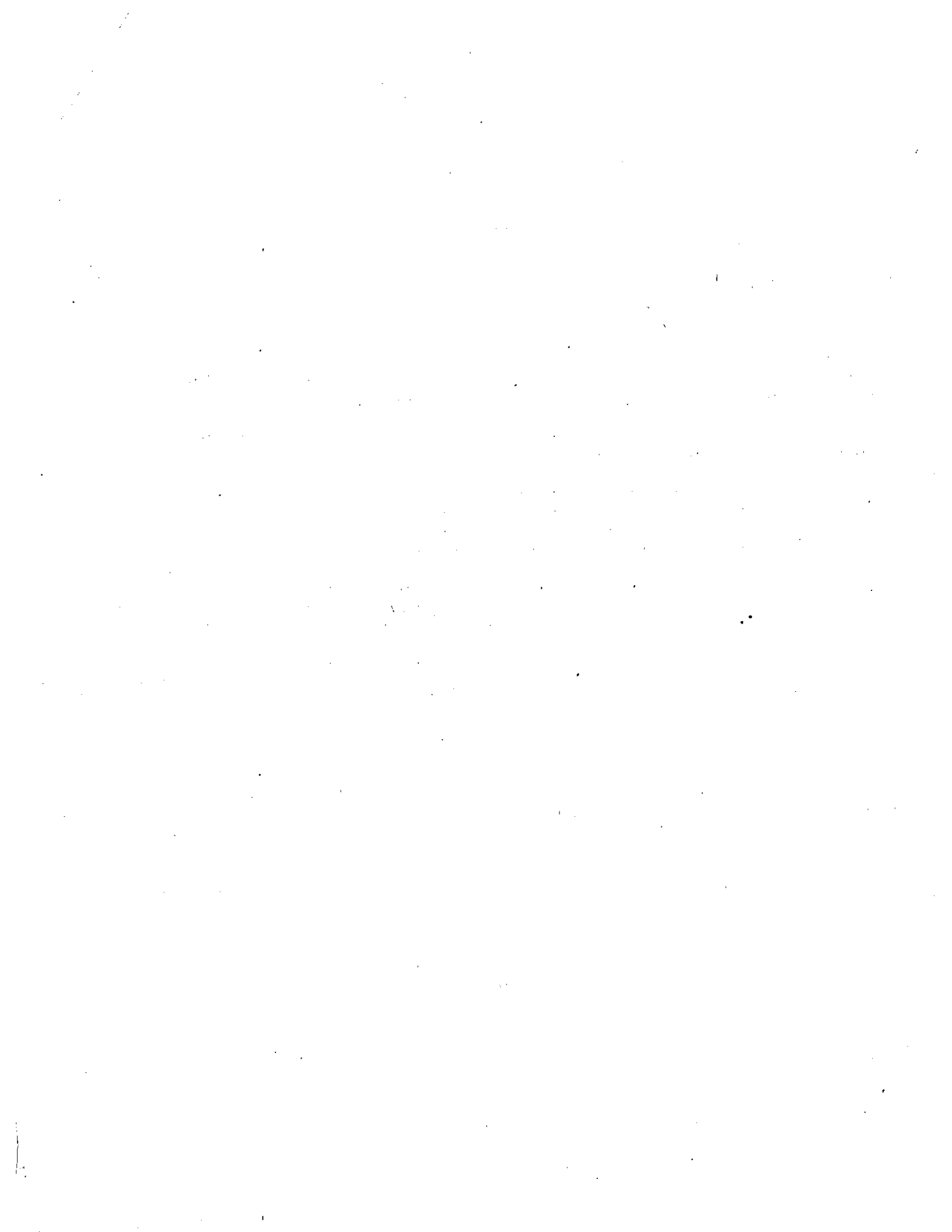
The next monthly meeting will be held Sunday Feb. 28 3:30 p.m.

GOOD AND WELFARE - E. Maxwell was appointed chairman of a committee which is to look into the purchase of new land adjacent to the camp area. Working with Ed are R. Whittall and R. Babcock. There was a discussion of a raffle. N. Tober suggested that until we received a report from this committee concerning the available land no action should be taken.

A motion to adjourn was made by R. Andres seconded by A. Lindner, carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Dorald C. Kelker  
Secretary



FEBRUARY 28, 1960

The meeting opened at 3:30 p.m. Sunday with V. Pres. Russ Andres presiding.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: Absent R. Babcock

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and a motion was made by C. LaRonde to accept them as read, seconded by C. Kruse, carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT - Balance \$691.81 J. Moslow made a motion to accept the Treas. report as read, seconded by R. Burk, carried.

NEW MEMBERS: Ronald Lang sponsored by R. Kobel - Emblem and Key

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: There was a discussion as to the benefit of our club belonging to the F.E.C.S.C. K. Blum made a motion seconded by M. Kobel that the secretary contact the federation requesting them to send an officer or delegate to our next meeting informing us on the advantage of membership in the federation.

NEW BUSINESS : In conjunction with New York State Conservation Department Sportsmen's Club Registration for the year 1960, V. Pres. Andres appointed A. Grupp as Chairman of the Game Distribution Committee and R. Andres as Chairman of the Fish Distribution Committee.

GOOD AND WELFARE: R. Burk informed the club of an outboard motor and gun for sale, anyone interested was to contact him.

Ray Andres made a motion to adjourn, seconded by A. Lindner, carried.

Respectfully submitted,



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Donald C. Kelker

Secretary

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March 17, 1960

The meeting opened at 8:30 p.m. with Pres. R. Babcock presiding.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: All present

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and a motion was made by N. Tober to accept them as read, seconded by R. Burk, carried.

TREAS. REPORT Balance \$730.22 T. Kozak made a motion to accept the Treas.' report as read, seconded by M. Kobel, carried.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: none

NEW BUSINESS: none

GOOD & WELFARE: Trap shooting was discussed and the possibility of having some permanent means such as concrete slabs, put in the ground at camp was brought up. This was to be checked into.

Russ Andres made a motion to dispense with any further form of business, and introduce our guest speaker, seconded by K. Blum, carried.

Matt Groblin and Norm Hertz from the F.E.C.S.C. spoke to the membership on the advantage of the individual clubs maintaining their membership in the federation. They told the membership how the federation attempts to propose or defeat the bills in state legislature according to the consensus of the clubs. They reported that there are slides available on wild turkey's also B. Perry will come and show slides on Oak Orchard. They also informed the membership that pheasant release sites can be chosen by the member clubs and a committee from the federation; will check it to see if it is suitable and if it ~~is~~ will release pheasants there at the proper time.

A. Grupp and M. Kobel volunteered to be delegates to the F.E.C.S.C.

K. Blum made a motion to adjourn seconded by A. Moser, carried.

Respectfully submitted

Donald C. Kelker

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APRIL 21, 1960

Meeting opened at 8:30 p.m. with Pres. R. Babcock presiding.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: Absent: R.Kobel

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and a motion was made by N.Tober to accept them as read, seconded by R. Burk, carried.

TREASURERS REPORT: Balance \$758.77 C. Ahr made a motion to accept the Treasurers report as read, seconded by R. Whittle, carried.

DELINQUENT LIST: G. Kobel, G. Allein, and K. Allein - These men were dropped from the membership rolls since they were delinquent for more than 3 months and duly notified.

E.F.C.F.C. M.Kobel reported oil pollution in the river. He also reported that May 26, 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. for children 8 to 14 years old, there would be a fishing contest at railroad pond.

REFORESTRATION: R. Andres reported that approximately 300 more trees and some berry bushes would be planted at the camp.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: N.Tober made a motion to pay the 1960 dues to the E.F.C.F.C. seconded by R. Whittle, carried.

Also Sun., April 24, was the new date set to remove the lumber from E.ToWilson's yard.

BUSINESS: R. Andres made a motion to appropriate \$25.00 for the purchase of supplies, seconded by M.Kobel, carried. Pres. R. Babcock appointed R. Andres, Chairman for the coming fishing party.

GOOD AND WELFARE: May 1, (Sun.) was set for a work day at camp.

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Arrangements were discussed for the family picnic and the date set for August 14. A. Lindner made a motion, seconded by R. Burk that \$150.00 be appropriated to the picnic. After much discussion regarding fund raising and raffels, it was decided that this matter be tabled until the Fall meetings. Pres. R. Babcock appointed G. Ahr as Chairman of the camp committee.

R. Andres made a motion to adjourn, seconded by A. Lindner, carried.

Respectively submitted,

D. C. Kelker  
Secretary

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CC: President





MAY 19, 1960

The meeting opened at 8:30 p.m. with Pres. R. Babcock presiding.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: Absent R. Kebel

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and a motion was made by N. Tober seconded by R. Burk to accept them as read, carried.

TREAS. REPORT - Balance \$800.27 R. Andres made a motion to accept the Treas. report as read, seconded by A. Lindner, carried.

Bills: Hertz truck rental (for lumber taken to camp) \$19.58 - E. Maxwell made a motion to pay the bill, seconded by R. Whittall, carried.

DELINQUENT LIST: John Hoffman, Ken Levelless and John Morlock. These men were dropped from the membership rolls since they were delinquent for more than 3 months and duly notified.

REFORESTRATION COMMITTEE: R. Andres reported that approximately 300 trees would be planted at camp Sunday, May 22.

C.C.F. OF S.C.: M. Kebel reported that the Marine Division of the Sheriff's Dept. has 2 boats and they will patrol the waters from Cattaraugus Creek to Grand Island issuing summons for any infraction of the waterways. Also all boats must be registered with the state.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: G. Ahr reported that the posts would be sunk in concrete in a week or two for the new shelter that is to be constructed at camp. All material was donated except sheeting on top.


NEW BUSINESS: R. Andres made a motion, seconded by J. Meslew that the club appropriate \$15 for the lunch and beer at camp for work days; E. Maxwell amended the motion that the money be used from the camp improvement fund for the lunches, seconded by R. Burk, carried.

M. Kebel reported that for about \$25 some boy could be sent to conservation camp for a week. He would like to check into this matter with A. Grupp a little further with the thought that possibly the club could send someone. There would be more details at a later meeting.

GOOD AND WELFARE: The secretary read notice of a boat and trailer and motor for sale.

R. Andres made a motion to adjourn, seconded by M. Kebel, carried.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Donald C. Kelker  
Secretary

CC: President



BUFFALO ROD AND GUN CLUB

JUNE 16, 1960

The meeting opened at 8:30 p.m. with Pres. R. Babcock presiding.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: Absent R. Kobel

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and a motion was made by N. Tober to accept them as read, seconded by W. Smitty, carried.

TREAS. REPORT Balance \$630.74 G. Christman made a motion to accept the Treasurer's report as read, seconded by A. Lindner, carried.

NEW MEMBERS: KEITH MOHLER Sponsored by W. Smitty  
PETER FRAZON Sponsored by F. Frazon  
(Emblem and Key)

REFORESTRATION COMMITTEE: Ray Andres reported that all of the trees were planted that the club purchased.

FISHING PARTY COMMITTEE: Ray Andres reported that the fishing party would be held June 19, Sun. 7:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Ray urged all attending to bring their own bait. The suggested prizes for the largest blue or yellow pike - largest bass - largest perch and a special prize for the heaviest fish. About 15 members planned to attend.

E.C.F.W.C. M. Kobel reported that any drunk hunter in Niagara County would have his hunting license revoked. It was also reported that Judge Eagen claims a member of a gun club should have no trouble in obtaining a pistol permit.

BUILDING COMMITTEE: C. Ahr reported that the stanchion's were up where the fencing was to be put.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: none

NEW BUSINESS: R. Andres made a motion seconded by F. Frazon, to appropriate \$10 prize money for the fishing contest, carried.

E. Chickowicz made a motion seconded by N. Tober to appropriate enough money to pay for baseball shirts for the little league ball team at Forestville, carried.

PRES. R. BABCOCK appointed M. Kobel - A. Grupp - K. Blum to emblem committee. They are to submit prices and patterns to the membership.

F. Frazon suggested to the membership that possibly a meeting or two could be held in the Riverside location at L. Kish's tavern. This matter was left to the Board of Directors to decide.

C. Ahr made a motion to adjourn, seconded by J. Moslow, carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Donald C. Kelker  
Secretary

CC: Pres.

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BUFFALO ROD & GUN CLUB

SEPTEMBER 15, 1960

The meeting opened at 8:30 p.m. with Pres. Babcock presiding.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: All present

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and a motion was made by C.Ahr seconded by T.Huber to accept them as read, carried.

TREAS. REPORT - Balance \$492.24 - N.Tober made a motion to accept the Treasurer's report as read, seconded by C.Ahr, carried.

BILLS: \$12.00 for 400 post cards - R.Kerr  
\$2.25 for 75 post cards - D.C.Kelker  
\$37.99 - 1960 school tax

N.Tober made a motion to pay the bills seconded by A.Lindner, carried.

PICNIC COMMITTEE: Russ Andres turned \$25.27 over to the club which was left over after all picnic expenses were paid from the club's appropriation and moneys made on the raffles. Russ thanked all who helped make the picnic a success.

F.E.C.S.C. - M.Kobel reported that a hunting license of a previous year must be produced in order to obtain a new hunting license this year. He also reported that a doe could be taken if a party of at least 4 are hunting in the Adirandick area, provided they obtain a special permit from the state.

FISHING COMMITTEE: It was reported that the following men were prize winners in the recent fishing contest. J.Worz - \$3.00 largest perch  
Ray Andres - \$3.00 - largest black bass, Ray Andres, \$1.00 - largest fish,  
Since there was no pike caught \$3.00 from the appropriation was turned back to the club.

BUILDING COMMITTEE: C.Ahr reported that the canoe was completed and thanked all for their help.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: The emblem committee is still checking.

NEW BUSINESS: C.Ahr was authorized to obtain 25 keys for the cabin.

M.Kobel reported a trap gun was donated by E.Kobel and suggested a working party be set up for October 1, and 2, to install it at camp.

GOOD AND WELFARE It was reported a Fox Hunt at Forestville was to be held October 1, and 2nd. It was reported by President Babcock that Stan Sabolewski's daughter died.

N.Tober made a motion to adjourn, seconded by E. Cichowicz, carried.

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OCTOBER 19, 1960

The meeting opened at 8:30 p.m. with President Babcock presiding.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: Absent R. Andres - R. Kobel

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and a motion was made by M. Kobel to accept them as read, seconded by R. Burke, carried.

TREASURERS REPORT: Balance \$72.19 - C. Ahr made a motion to accept the Treasurer's report as read, seconded by A. Grupp, carried.

CORRESPONDENCE: The secretary read a card of acknowledgement and appreciation from Mr. & Mrs. S. Sobolewski for flowers sent.

Delinquent List: The following members were dropped from the membership rolls since they were delinquent for more than three months and duly notified: Marvin Bauss - Dan Curry.

C. & E. KRUSE - R. Monat - J. Nowakowski - A. Rath and E. Towison.

F.E.C.S.C. - A. Grupp reported that small game hunting this year should be better than last. He also reported that anyone bitten by an animal should check with the Doctor immediately for rabies.

CAMP COMMITTEE - C. Ahr turned \$7.81 back to the club from the \$300 camp improvement appropriation. He also thanked all who worked up at the camp. C. Ahr instructed the secretary to send a thank you letter to Mrs. Kleine for her donations of stanchions and braces which were used on the lean-to. J. Kerr lead the membership in a rising vote of thanks to all who worked so hard at camp.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

M. Kobel reported that emblem samples would be brought in. He also reported that the trap gun installation would be left to Spring.

NEW BUSINESS: A Grupp made a motion that the club have a \$5.00 prize for the biggest buck and legal doe taken in New York State during the regular hunting season, seconded by E. Maxwell, carried.

E. Maxwell once again offered his special \$5.00 prize for the biggest buck taken by a member hunting out of camp. R. Andres made a motion the club buy one ton of coal for camp seconded by R. Whittall, carried.

H. AIKINS (EMBLEM)  
N. KAZMARK (EMBLEM)  
N. PALUCH (EMBLEM)  
D. SCHERGER  
R. BURK (EMBLEM)

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GOOD & WELFARE: Mrs. Kleine won a used 16 ga. Ithica shot gun in a raffle and donated it to the club to raffle or sell as we saw fit. William Sager made a motion the club raffle this shot gun, seconded by R. Burke, E. Maxwell amended the motion to the affect that since the gun was a used gun it wouldn't be proper for our club to raffle it, but it should be offered to the membership for 30 days for sale to the highest bidder, Mr. M. Kobel seconded the amendment, carried. *The motion & action the shot gun situation was tabled.*  
President Babcock reported that some of the members left the meeting place in quite a mess after the last meeting ; also, some of the utensils were missing. He urged all members to be true sportsman in the future, and conduct themselves as such.

Ray Andres made a motion to adjourn, seconded by R. Burke, carried.

Respectfully submitted,

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Donald C. Kelker  
Secretary

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NOVEMBER 17, 1960

The meeting opened at 8:30 p.m. with Pres. Babcock presiding.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: Absent Russ Andres

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and a motion was made by R. Andres, seconded by R. Whittall, to accept them as read, carried.

TREAS. REPORT - Balance \$532.10 Wm. Sager made a motion to accept the Treas. report as read, seconded by R. Whittall, carried.

F.E.C.S.C. - A. Grupp reported that the federation was anticipating an increase in dues and change in the voting system according to the number of members in the member clubs. Our membership advised our delegate to inform the federation that the Buffalo Rod and Gun Club was opposed to the new proposal of dues and voting system.

EMBLEM COMMITTEE: It was reported that emblems similar to our present pattern would cost 70¢ for 114 or 47¢ for 228

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: After much discussion and conflicting motions and amendments to motions, it was decided that the Board of Directors should determine how the 16 gage Ithica shot gun, which Mrs. Ke ine donated to the club, should be disposed of. The Board of Directors decided to raffle the gun to the membership after the meeting for \$1 a chance. A. Fischer won the gun. *\$43 WAS MADE ON RAFFLE.*

NEW BUSINESS: P. Christman made a motion that the membership appropriated <sup>\$20.00</sup> ~~\$8.20~~ for a Christmas present for Burt Covert and his wife, for all the work he has done for us at the camp, seconded by Wm. Sager, carried.

Pres. Babcock appointed a nominating committee consisting of A. Moser, Chairman, Wm. Sager, W. Smitty.

GOOD AND WELFARE : Sunday, December 11, at 3:30 p.m. was set for the next regular meeting.

E. Cichowicz made a motion to adjourn, seconded by K. Blum, carried.

Respectfully submitted,



Donald C. Kelker

Secretary

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BUFFALO ROD AND GUN CLUB

DECEMBER 11, 1960

The meeting opened at 3:30 p.m. with President Babcock presiding.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: Absent - Russ Andres

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and a motion was made by Wm. Sager, seconded by R. Burk to accept them as read, carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT Balance \$563.11 E. Cichowicz made a motion to accept the Treas. report as read, seconded by R. Burk, carried.

F.E.C.S.C. - A. Grupp reported that the Zoar Valley was being considered as one of the new State park sites.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: A. Grupp won the \$5 club prize for the biggest buck taken and also was eligible for the \$5 prize that E. Maxwell offers to a member that gets a deer hunting out of the camp.

NEW BUSINESS: Wm. Sager made a motion, seconded by K. Blum that the club purchase a new electric coffee urn, price \$16.22, carried. W. Sager made a motion that the next regular meeting be held on Sun. January 22, 3:30 p.m. and we have a hot meal, seconded by K. Blum, carried.

GOOD AND WELFARE Wm. Sager reported that any member could get a good price on a Christmas tree purchased at Weslow's Grocery located at Kehr and French.

R. Burk made a motion that the club purchase 228 emblems at 47 cents each, seconded by W. Smitty, carried.

Pres. Babcock reported a Remington semi-automatic 22 rifle for sale for \$40.

Pres. Babcock called for the report of the nominating committee. Chairman A. Moser reported that R. Babcock, G. Kohl, D. Kelker, R. Kobel, and M. Kobel were the men nominated for the Board of Directors by the nominating committee. A. Grupp and A. Moser were nominated from the floor.

Wm. Sager made a motion that nominations be closed, seconded by R. Burk, carried.

The five men elected to the Board of Directors were reported by the tellers as follows:

R. Kobel 28

M. Kobel 24

R. Babcock - 27

G. Kohl - 26

D. Kelker - 25

The newly elected Board of Directors met to elect the 1961 officers of the club and their results were:

Pres. - R. Babcock

Sec. - D. Kelker

Sgt. at Arms - M. Kobel

V. Pres. - R. Kobel

Treas. - G. Kohl

For the year 1961 the 5 Board of Director members are also the officers of the club.

Pres. Babcock thanked all for the cooperation throughout the year and wished everyone a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

F. Frazon made a motion to adjourn, seconded by E. Cichowicz, carried.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Donald C. Kelker  
Secretary

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