

allowed to ask a friend to the Supper at the same price as a member. Seconded by Mr John Cassidy and agreed. The following nominations were then made. Mr James Pollock proposed by Mr W<sup>m</sup> Watson. Seconded by Mr Robert Porteous. Mr J. ~~Reame~~<sup>Reame</sup> proposed by Mr W<sup>m</sup> Watson. Seconded by Mr Robt Porteous. Mr W<sup>m</sup> Shed proposed by Mr Tho. Pryde. Seconded by Mr Robt Porteous. Mr John McHaskin proposed by Mr Tho Pryde. Seconded by Mr J. Brown. Mr Jas Dempster proposed by Mr Robt Bruce. Seconded by Mr J. Brown. This being all the business the remainder of the evening was spent in harmony. Robert Porteous President

Receipts of the evening Contributions 11/-  
Sheephead Inn

Duddingston

14<sup>th</sup> January 1922.

A special <sup>Supper</sup> Committee meeting was held on above date an hour previous to general meeting for the purpose of drawing up recommendations to put before said General Meeting. Mr Robt Porteous occupied the Chair.

The chairman at first read 3 different Supper menus at the following prices 3/3 3/6 & 3/9 the committee agreed to recommend 3/3 menu. Tickets were next discussed it was agreed we recommend tickets to be sold at 6/- for members & 4/6 for a friend. Mr Alus McDonald and Mr Jas Hilton along with Secretary were appointed to visit Mr Whitelaw to see if he would assist us by giving

a half barrel of Beer free. It was then left to general meeting to decide whether we should ask Rev Adam Hunter or Mr W<sup>m</sup> Heron to propose "Immortal memory" This terminated the meeting.

Robert Porteous - President

Sheephead Inn

Duddingston

14<sup>th</sup> January 1952.

The Monthly General Meeting was held on above date Mr Robt Porteous President occupied the chair the minutes of previous meeting were read and approved of on the motion of Mr Alex Williamson seconded by Mr Ans Rae and agreed. nothing arising from previous meeting the Chairman then asked if it was the feeling of the meeting that the supper should be carried on Mr Alex Williamson after a few remarks made a suggestion that we carry on this was seconded by Mr Robt B Brown and agreed. The Chairman then read the three different menus along with Committee's recommendations Mr Tho Pryde proposed we accept 3/9 menu. Seconded by Mr Jas Devine after some discussion Mr Pryde on the consent of Mr Devine withdrew it was then agreed we accept committee recommendation of the 3/3 menu; It was then agreed we ask Rev Adam Hunter to propose the "Immortal Memory" before this agreement it was proposed on the motion of Mr Alex Williamson Secd by Mr J Hilton we ask Mr W<sup>m</sup> Heron, Mr Alex McHood proposed we ask the Rev. A Hunter Seconded by Mr J Hilton

but on the vote being taken which resulted for Mr Heron 5  
Rev Adam Hunter 4. Mr Alex Williamson suggested that  
each member who proposes a friend should put down  
1/- to be returned in 6 months. Mr James Smith  
suggested 2/6 "being initiation fee" this was ~~agreed~~  
seconded by Mr Jas Hilton on a vote being taken  
for Mr Smith's amendment. 1 motion 2 it was therefore  
decided that each member proposing a friend to  
become a member should pay 2/6. Mr And<sup>rs</sup> King  
then suggested that each becoming member should  
be present before commencement of meeting which  
was agreed. It was also agreed that President  
Secretary or Treasurer should interview them before  
being admitted. Mr Alex McDonald proposed we  
have a Financial Statement and election of Office  
Bearers at next General Meeting seconded by Mr  
Alex Williamson and agreed. On an invitation from  
Newtongrange <sup>St. 2. 20. 1845</sup> to attend their supper Messrs And<sup>rs</sup> King and  
Thos Bowie were appointed to represent our club.

This being all the business the remainder of the  
evening was spent in harmony

Edw. Peacock Esq

# Sheephead Inn

Duddingston

11<sup>th</sup> February 1922.

The Monthly General Meeting was held on above date Mr Robert Porteous President occupied the chair. The minutes of previous meeting were read and approved on the motion of Mr Andrew King seconded by Mr Alex McDonald. nothing arising from previous minutes, the Chairman then asked Secretary to give a report of Supper which was held on 24<sup>th</sup> January. The Income of which was £15.10.0. Expenditure £22.0.6 leaving a deficit balance of £6.10.6. it was agreed that the £2.1.10 which Treasurer had in refreshment fund go to help this deficiency, leaving a debit of £4.8.8 it was therefore agreed that we get this amount from the General fund the same to be returned from refreshment fund when this amount accumulates. The Treasurer then gave a Financial Report showing Income £17.19.1. Expenditure 9.8.11<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> leaving a balance of £8.10.1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> credit. Mr Alex Williamson moved report very satisfactory seconded by Mr J. Smith and agreed. Mr Alex McBeth not knowing we had received the Ballot Box asked what progress we were making with same, the Chairman informed him ballot box was purchased and in use two meeting ago, he was then shown the box and thought we had paid too much for it, Mr Alex Williamson who was left in charge of purchasing the box gave Mr McBeth full particulars regarding price which he

accepted and agreed it was quite alright, The Office Bearer  
for the ensuing year were then appointed, as follows:-  
Hon. President: Col. David Whitlaw, Hon. Vice President  
Mr. W<sup>m</sup> Meier, President Mr. Robt. Porteous, Vice President  
Mr. And<sup>rs</sup> King, Secretary Mr. Matthew Love, Treasurer  
Mr. Robt. B. Brown. Members of Committee Messrs James  
Pollock, John Robertson, John Brown Jr. Jas. Hilton  
Michael James, Tho<sup>s</sup> Pryde, J<sup>m</sup>. Ramsay & And<sup>rs</sup> Todd  
This being all the business the remainder of the  
evening was spent in harmony

Sheephead Inn  
Duddingston

11<sup>th</sup> March 1922.

The monthly General Meeting was held on above  
date. Mr. Robert Porteous President occupied the Chair  
The minutes of previous meeting were read and  
approved of on the motion of Mr. William Watson  
seconded by Mr. James Robertson. Mr. Tho<sup>s</sup> Pryde then  
proposed we run a Ball for the Benefit of the Club.  
Seconded by Mr. Robt. McEushan. after some discussion  
it was thought the season was too far gone for a  
Ball to turn out a success. Mr. John Robertson then  
suggested if it was possible to make it a success to  
carry on same at first opportunity, it was therefore  
agreed we carry on the Ball but wait on a  
definite decision at next meeting. Mr. Robt. McEushan

then moved we have a quarter of an hour interval during the meeting for members to leave the room if they desired. Seconded by Mr James Perine. after some discussion it was agreed we give this a trial. Mr W<sup>m</sup> Watson suggested we give a little towards prizes to the children to shew the public the formation of our club. this was left till next meeting for discussion. This being all the Business the remainder of the evening was spent in harmony.

Sheephead Inn.

Duddingston.

8<sup>th</sup> April 1922.

The Monthly General Meeting was held on above date. Mr Rob. Porteous President occupied the chair. The minutes of previous meeting were read and approved of on the motion of Mr Rob. B Brown seconded by Mr Rob Porteous. no other member being present who was at the previous meeting. Ball arrangements were then brought up. after some discussion Mr Tho. Pryde the proposer and who's hands the arrangements were left with not being present. it was left in Mr William Williamsons hands to see Mr Pryde and report at Special General Meeting to be held on 15<sup>th</sup> inst. Mr W<sup>m</sup> Watson proposal for prizes to children. Mr Watson not being present his proposal was left till next meeting. This being all the business the remainder of the evening was spent in harmony.

J J Smith

Sheephead Inn

Kuddington 15<sup>th</sup> April 1922

A Special General Meeting was held on above date  
Mr Rob. Porteous President occupied the chair.

The meeting was called for 7 pm. Mr Pryde not  
being present it was delayed till 7.30 pm at this time  
Mr Pryde arrived and gave his statement regarding dance  
arrangements after some discussion it was agreed on the  
motion of Mr John Robertson seconded by Mr Thos Pryde  
we carry on with the dance. The following sub-committee  
were then appointed namely Messrs Thos. Bowie, Thos Pryde  
Alus Williamson, John Robertson, Robt. B. Brown, Wm. Williamson  
& Mr Loe. on the motion of Mr. Ans<sup>d</sup> King second it was  
agreed Mr Alus Williamson be convenor of this dance committee

This being all the business the remainder of the evening  
was spent in harmony. J. D. Smith

Sheephead Inn  
Duddingston

11<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1922.

The first Monthly meeting of the season was held on above date, Mr. Robt. Porteous President occupied the chair.

The meeting being opened in the usual way Mr. Alex McCurdie made a proposition seconded by Mr. Tho. Sneddon that the monthly contributions be reduced from 1/- to 6/- this to be brought up at a special General Meeting to be held on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> inst.

Mr. Andrew King moved that members only be allowed at the Supper, this was seconded by Mr. Robert B. Brown, to be discussed at same meeting.

It was agreed the refreshment fund be carried on, and any surplus to go to the benefit of the club. It was also recommended that 2/6 expenses incurred by Mr. James Pollock on the musical night be refunded, and that we thank him for the musical night he provided the club with on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> October. Childrens welfare was then brought up, but left for discussion at General Meeting to be held on 25<sup>th</sup> inst.

The following new members were then admitted

namely, Messrs James O'Raw, Angus McMillan,  
David Gordon, Cha<sup>s</sup> Dodero, Alex<sup>r</sup> Purves, and  
Walter Archibald.

Receipts for the evening; Initiation 15/-  
Contributions of refreshment fund 1/9½. Total £1.4.9½

This being all the business the remainder  
of the evening was spent in harmony.

Sheephead Inn  
Duddingston

25<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1920.

A Special General Meeting was held on above date. Mr Andrew King Vice-President occupied the chair.

In the absence of the Secretary through illness, Mr W<sup>m</sup> Watson acting Secretary read the minutes of previous meeting which were approved of on the motion of Mr James Pollock seconded by Mr John Ramsay.

Mr Alex McCurdie's proposition brought forward from last meeting regarding the reduction of contributions was then brought up. Mr McCurdie not being present Mr James Pollock made the proposal seconded by Mr W<sup>m</sup> Heron, and on the voice of the meeting it was unanimously agreed that contributions be reduced (but to be brought up again at next General Meeting to discuss in what form reduction will be made.)

Mr Andrew King's proposition regarding members only to be admitted to the supper was next brought up, it was unanimously agreed this proposition remain good. Children's welfare was next discussed and on the motion of Mr W<sup>m</sup> Heron seconded by Mr James Pollock it was agreed to carry on, arrangements for same left in the hands of Messrs Andrew King and Mr Bowie. Supper arrangements were next discussed, on the proposition of Mr Mich Innes seconded by Mr Alex

Purves, it was agreed that Standing Committee carry through arrangements and General Meeting asked to accept their recommendations. Rule 10 was next discussed Mr. Innes proposed it be adhered to, seconded by Mr. Wm. Heron, after which Mr. Heron proposed we make an annual subscription in place of monthly contributions this was seconded by Mr. Angus McWilliam, and left in the hands of Committee.

Receipts for the evening Contributions & refreshment fund 1/1/25

This being all the business the remainder of the evening was spent in harmony.

Sheephead Inn

Duddingston

16<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1922.

The monthly General Meeting was held on above date. Mr. Rob. Porteous occupied the chair. The minutes of previous meeting were read and approved of on the motion of Mr. Tho. Brown seconded by Mr. Wm. Heron. Previous to the opening of this meeting the Committee met regarding place of meeting for Annual Supper, and agreed to recommend to General Meeting that it be held in Club Room. On this recommendation to the General Meeting a discussion followed. Mr. Rob. McGlashan proposed we hold it in the Hall Newcraighall, seconded by Mr. Wm. Heron. Mr. Wm. Watson proposed the Club Room

Seconded by Mr Alex Purves, on a Vote being taken which resulted, 9 for Club Room Mr Watson's proposal and 7 for Mr McElashans motion. It was therefore agreed that Supper be held in Club Room on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> January 1923. The following were then admitted members of the Club, Messrs Robt Davidson, & Walter McMillan, and the following were then proposed to become members, Mr David Gordon proposed by Stevenson, seconded by Mr Angus McMillan, Mr Robt Bowie proposed by Mr Richd Bowie, seconded by Mr W<sup>m</sup> Watson, Mr Jas Pollock proposed Messrs Dickson, Weyse, Chalmer, Christie & Gordon seconded by Mr John Ramsay.

This being all the business the remainder of the evening was spent in Harmony.

Sheephead Inn  
Duddingston

13<sup>th</sup> Jan 1923

The monthly General Meeting was held on above date Mr Robt Porteous President occupied the chair. The minutes of previous meeting were read and approved of on the motion of Mr James Pollock seconded by Mr Robt Davidson. The Supper arrangements were then discussed Mr W<sup>m</sup> Watson proposed the ticket at 5/- be accepted seconded by Mr John Ramsay. Mr Robt Porteous & Mr Robert B Brown were then appointed to interview Col. Whitclaw & Mr A Hunter.