

10<sup>th</sup> Jan 1931. Sheephead Inn  
Duddingston

A Committee meeting held on the above date <sup>Mr</sup> Jas Smith  
President occupied the chair ten members being present.  
The business being supper arrangements, It was recom-  
mended the ticket be 6/6 to do away with any levy  
and also we follow the lines of 1929 programme.

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The monthly general meeting held on the above date  
Mr Jas Smith President occupied the chair. The minutes  
of the previous meeting were read and approved on the  
motion of Mr R Porteous, seconded by Mr W Plain, nothing  
arising out of the minutes. It was moved Mr Jas Robertson  
seconded by Mr A Watson that we send the Infirmary  
sheet round at the supper. The committee's recommend-  
ation of 6/6 per ticket for supper and that we follow the  
lines of 1929 programme was agreed to. It was  
left to committee to arrange <sup>new member Mr Wm Johnston</sup> programme. This  
<sup>proposed by Mr R Porteous, seconded by Mr J Smeddon.</sup> terminated the business, Subscription 3/5  
Refreshment fund 1/- The remainder of the evening  
was spent in harmony.

J Smith

18<sup>th</sup> Jan 1931 Old Hall

Newcraighall

A Committee held on the above date Mr Jas Smith President occupied the chair. The business be the arrangement of the programme which was duly carried out.

14 Feb 1931 Shephard Inn

Duddingston.

The monthly general meeting was held on above date Mr Jas Smith President occupied the chair. The minutes of previous general meeting were read and approved of on the motion of Mr R Porteous seconded by Mr R W Gleshan. The treasurer gave report on supper showing a balance of 1/2 which was unanimously agreed to. Mr J Robertson and Mr G Nicolson were delegated to interview the schoolmasters. After some discussion Mr Plaine and Mr Court's prizes be given best girl and boy competitors Newcraighall school was agreed to. Mr Smith brought up Bannockburn appeal but it was left on table. This being all the business the remainder of the evening was spent in harmony.

J Smith

14 March 1931 Shephard Inn

Duddingston.

The monthly general was held on above date Mr Jas Smith President occupied the chair. The minutes of previous general meeting were read and approved of on the motion of Mr J Bowie seconded by Mr R W Gleshan.

The President said a few words in honour of our late worthy secretary W<sup>m</sup> Watson and it was agreed to send a letter of condolence to his sorrowing family. W<sup>m</sup> R Porteous gave a very satisfactory report of his interviews with the schoolmasters. Competitions going on as usual. It was agreed that three available members be present at presentation of prizes as requested by Niddrie Mill schoolmaster. Bannockburn appeal left over. Visitors to be entertained in the usual manner. Invitations to closing meeting to be sent to W<sup>m</sup> Murdoch, W<sup>m</sup> Belford, W<sup>m</sup> West Keir, W<sup>m</sup> Horne and W<sup>m</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Vic. This being all the business the remainder of the evening was spent in harmony. J Smith

11<sup>th</sup> April 1931 Shephard Inn  
Duddingston.

The monthly general meeting was ~~held~~ held on the above date, W<sup>m</sup> Jor Smith President occupied the chair. The minutes of the previous general meeting were read and approved of on the motion of W<sup>m</sup> W Young seconded by W<sup>m</sup> W Plain. It was agreed on the motion of W<sup>m</sup> R Porteous seconded by W<sup>m</sup> R Brown that we carry on the bowling match with the Jewel and that the secretary write for a date. It was agreed unanimously that we try and secure W<sup>m</sup> West Keir for the Immortal memory. Refreshment fund 2/- The rest of the evening was spent in harmony. W<sup>m</sup> W Murdoch (Canty Young) was the guest of the evening.

June 28<sup>th</sup> 1931

A special meeting was held in the Park Newcraighall to arrange team for bowling match. Mr Jas Smith in the chair. The following rinks were drawn to play at the Jewel on Sat 11<sup>th</sup> July at 4 P.M.

no 1 <sup>skip</sup> R Porteous	no 2 <sup>skip</sup> R Brown	no 3 <sup>skip</sup> A King	no 4 <sup>skip</sup> J Bowie
J Swan	Canby Young	D Robertson	J Nicolson
A McKirdy	W Plain	C Neilson	A Williamson
W Johnston	D Macdonald	J Sneddon	A Purves

It was agreed that we accept the 1/3 teas and that the Secy arrange the catering.

Sept 13<sup>th</sup> 1931

A Special meeting was held in the Park Newcraighall to arrange return bowling match. Mr R Porteous in the chair. It was agreed to have 1/3 teas secy to see to catering. The rinks drawn to be at the Jewel on Sat 19<sup>th</sup> Sept at 4 P.M.

Mr Maclocks (Canby young) took part in game as guest of club. The Jewel club won by 3 shots on the double match.

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10<sup>th</sup> Oct 1931.

The opening general monthly meeting for the session was held on the above date. Mr Jas Smith president occupied the chair. A letter was read from Mr West Thert accepting

with pleasure our invitation to give the Immortal memory  
at the Supper. The minutes of previous meeting were read and  
approved of on the motion of Mr R McGlashan, seconded by  
Mr W Johnston. Mr J Smith gave a very satisfactory report of  
competitions at Newcraighall and Tiddrie Mill Schools and  
that the deputations were very well received at both places.  
Mr A King gave a good report of the Annual Conference,  
he was well entertained and fully enjoyed himself. The  
following office bearers were appointed for the ensuing year  
President. Jas Smith Vice President. Robt Porteous Hon Vice  
President Edward Miller. Treasurer. Robt Brown Secretary  
Jas Robertson. Members of Committee Geo Robertson W<sup>m</sup> Plain  
Chas Neilson Robt McGlashan Geo Robertson (Jnr) W<sup>m</sup> Johnston  
Thos Smeadon. The following were appointed to represent  
our club on executive of Edinburgh association. Andrew  
Watson, Thomas Bowie, and Robert Brown. The Treasurer gave  
his report which proved very satisfactory. The copies of  
Robert Brown and the Peer are to be sold at 6<sup>d</sup> each on  
the motion of J Smeadon seconded by W. Plain. Alms  
collection to be taken at every meeting and always to  
be put on the agenda. Mr J Smith proposed, John  
Diamond, Newcraighall and James Aitchison Woolmet Cottages  
to become members, seconded by Mr J Robertson. This  
terminated the business the rest of the evening was  
spent in harmony. The secretary was instructed to secure  
hall for supper.

14 Nov 1931

Sheephead Inn

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The monthly meeting was held at the above Inn on the above date Mr James Smith (President) in the Chair the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved of on the motion by R. Fordeus seconded by D. Nicolson. The first item before the meeting was the reading of the Association Annual Report which referred to the death of our late Secretary William Wilson. Mr Fordeus then moved that the delegates to the first executive meeting be instructed to thank the members for the references contained in their annual report, which was unanimously agreed to. Jas. Robertson then proposed John Robertson as a member seconded by John Swan. The Secretary then resigned his position leaving the members to appoint another at the next general meeting. This terminated the business the rest of the evening was spent in harmony.

James Smith 12/12/31

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The monthly meeting was held on the above date at the above Inn Mr James Smith President occupied the Chair the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved of on the motion by John Swan seconded by James Wilson a discussion arose as to the appointing of another Secretary Mr Fordeus then moved that the present Secretary remain in the position till the end of the session which was seconded by John Robertson. The next item was the delegates

From the excursion meeting report which proved very satisfactory the chairman then remarked the time was drawing near for our annual Supper & whatever arrangements we arrived at would have to be forthcoming next meeting. Reference to Mr Brown it was agreed we obtain a list of menu prices from the Co-operative store manager & bring them to our next monthly meeting. Mr John Swan then proposed Peter Connor as member. Seconded by D. Hickson this concludes the business the rest of the evening was spent in harmony. R. Porteous Wm Young James Smith

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The monthly meeting was held on the above date Mr Jas Smith occupied the chair the minutes of the previous meeting were then read and approved of on the motion by Mr R Porteous Seconded by Mr Wm Young the estimates for our annual Supper were considered and the menu of 3/ agreed to, on the motion by Mr Wm Young Seconded by Mr Porteous it was then agreed that the Supper ticket be 6/6. It was then moved by Mr A King that a special meeting be held for the purpose of drawing out a programme & settling other items of business which was agreed to. Mr John McLeod was then made a member this being all the business the rest of the evening was spent in harmony.

J. Smith