

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

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

Sheephead Inn
Duddingston

13th Jan 1923

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 James Pollock Seconded by Mr John Davidson. The Supper arrangements were then discussed Mr W^m Watson proposed the ticket at 5/- be accepted Seconded by Mr John Ramsay Mr Rob Porteous & Mr Robert Brown were then appointed to interview Col. Whiteclaw & Mr A Hunter.

for the Immortal Memory and the Ladies O. respectfully.
The Chairman then intimated that election of
Office Bearers would take place at next meeting
This being all the business the remainder of
the evening was spent in harmony

Sheephead Inn
Duddingston

10th Feby 1923

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 Robt B Brown seconded
by Mr James Pollock. Nothing arising out of the minutes
The following Office Bearers for the ensuing year were
then appointed. Hon President; Col W. Whitelaw
Hon Vice President; Mr Wm Muir. President; Mr And^w
King; Vice President; Mr Jas Robertson. Treasurer;
Mr Robt B Brown. Secretary Mr Wm Wauchope
Members of Committee Messrs James Pollock, Mr
Bowie, John Ramsay, James Hillon, Alex Williamson
And^w Todd, Mr Davidson & John Robertson
Mr And^w King then occupied the chair.
The date for Childrens Competition was then fixed
for Friday 13th April and the following Committee
appointed. Messrs James Pollock, Robt Porteous, And^w King
Mr Bowie, Treasurer, & Secretary. It was then

agreed to give Mr W^m Williamson, and Mr
who acted as No 6's at the dance of each

It was then agreed on the motion of Mr
Alex Williamson, Seconded by Mr Mr. Sneedon
that Treasurers be granted £1-0-0 and Secretary
£1-10-0 for their services.

Mr Alex Williamson made ~~a~~ a motion that
we remove our Club meeting place, coupled with
no matter where our meetings are held that we
hold our Annual Supper in the Village Hall
Newcraighall, this to be discussed at next
General Meeting. It was then agreed that each
member pay 3 each for their Pince Card

This being all the business the remainder
of the evening was spent in harmony during
which Mr Mr Davidson was granted permission
to have a friend Mr Johnston from Colphiston Club
although they are not a Registered Club.

Sheephead Inn

Duddingston

10th March 1973

The Monthly General Meeting was held on above date
Mr James Robertson Vice-President occupied the Chair
The Minutes of previous meeting were read and
approved of on the motion of Mr Rob. Posterus Seconded
by Mr John Robertson. Mr Alex Williamsons motion
which was on the table was then discussed. Mr

Robt. Porteous moved an amendment that we remain at Sheephead this was seconded by Mr Alex Purves on a vote being taken the motion was carried by 9 votes to 5. It was then agreed that the members of Committee look out for new premises. Mr Robt. Porteous then moved seconded by Mr Jas Robertson that members be notified for next General Meeting. Mr Robt. MacLachlan moved seconded by Mr Jas. Hillon we get 400 tickets printed for Childrens Competition which was agreed. This being all the business the remainder of the evening was spent in harmony.

Sheephead Inn
Duddingston
31st March 1973.

A Special General Meeting called by Committee was held on above date Mr And^{rs} King President occupied the Chair. Mr Robt. Porteous then moved that we hold our next General Meeting in the Village Hall Newcraighall and have a Social along with business. Seconded by Mr John Robertson and agreed. Mr Alex Williamson then moved that tickets should not exceed 2/- seconded by Mr Robt. B Brown, and agreed.

Mr Robt. Porteous & Mr John Robertson were appointed convenors. Mr Robt. B Brown to look after 1/2 Pint Beer promised by Hon President Col W Whitclaw. It was then agreed that members be notified for this meeting and to reply to Secretary by 11th April if they intend

being present. Childrens Competition was then discussed and agreed to accept programme by Mr. Wyseman, Educational Authority and a later date to be fixed. This being all the business the remainder of the evening was spent in harmony.

Andrew King

The Hall.

Newcraighall

15th April 1923.

The Monthly General Meeting was held on above date. Mr. Andrew King President occupied the chair. The minutes of previous meeting were read and approved of on the motion of Mr. Wm. Heron seconded by Mr. J. P. Sneddon. The removal of premises from Sheephead Duddingston was then discussed. The following premises were then recommended, by members of Committee Mrs. Jenkins, Mr. Alex. Hamilton, Mr. Wilson Arms Hotel, and Wm. Muir. on a vote being taken, it was agreed we remove to Mr. Wilson's Arms Hotel, Musselburgh. It was then agreed that members be notified of special General Meetings through Post.

Childrens Competition was then discussed, nothing could be done. So it was left in the hands of the School master & Committee.

Messrs. Williamson, Hilton & Todd, were then appointed

to remove the pictures from Duddington to our present quarters. Mr Ennis proposed and seconded by Mr Jas Nixon that Mr Jas Wilson become a member of our club. This being all the business the remainder of the evening was spent in harmony members partaking of Col. Whitelaws hospitality 1/2 Barrel Beer.

Andrew King

Musselburgh Arms Hotel.
5th October 1923

The first Monthly General Meeting for the session was held on above date. Mr Andrew King President occupied the chair. The minutes of last meeting of previous session held in the Hall Newcraighall were read and approved of on the motion of Mr Alex Williamson seconded by Mr Robert B Brown. The Treasurer then gave his financial report of the Childrens Competition namely Income £ 9. 1. 1 Expenditure £ 6. 19. 6. (£ 3-5-3 Prizes. 12/6 Piano. 10/- Hall 1/6 Printing) 5/- Mr Marshall, 10/- Mr Weir 2/6 Mr Glen 3/6 Mr Donald, £1. 1. 0 walking sticks for the two School Masters, (Mr Home & Mr Tennant) 1/3 inscription on Saming leaving a balance of £ 2. 12. 6. after a great deal of discussion the report was adopted on the motion of Mr John Robertson seconded by Mr Alex Williamson.

proceeds of Competition go to a Local Fund.
This was left for further discussion.

Mr Robert Porteous then conveyed to the Club the School Masters appreciation of their gifts and we could rest assured they would lend us a hand on any future occasion.

The Chairman then asked what was to be done regards our own Concert, Mr Williamson suggested we carry on, and ask Schoolmasters to assist us, this was left over to next meeting.

The second competition for children was next brought up. Mr John Robertson proposed that they be given a test piece seconded by Mr Thos. Bowie after some discussion the matter was left over to next meeting.

The following nominations were then made
Mr John Swan proposed by Mr Robert Porteous seconded by Mr Alex Williamson, Mr James Wilson proposed by Mr Robert Porteous seconded by Mr James Hilton, Mr Thos. Cameron proposed by Mr And^{rs} King seconded by Mr Alex Williamson, Mr Marshall Thomson proposed by Mr And^{rs} King seconded by Mr James Hilton; Mr Jas. Warnock proposed by Mr James Hilton seconded by Mr James Robertson, Mr Robert Bowie proposed by Mr Thos. Bowie seconded by Mr Andrew Todd. It was then

agreed we admit them in block. I being present.
Messrs Thomson, Cameron and Bowie were
then made members of our club.

On the motion of Mr. Andrew King seconded by
Mr. Robert Porteous and agreed that each member
on entering the meeting enter his name on
the club roll.

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

Andrew King

Musselburgh Arms Hotel
3rd Nov 1923.

The monthly general meeting was held on the above date
Mr. Andrew King occupied the chair. The minutes of
the previous meeting could not be read the secretary
not being present. As time was drawing near for
our annual childrens competition this being the most
important business on the table a discussion on the
same took place. It was then unanimously agreed that
the committee carry it through. Mr. R. Porteous and
Mr. A. King were appointed to interview Mr. Horne
and Miss Denholm the School Teachers. The following
were then admitted members of the club. Messrs
Wm. Hay, John Preston & D. Nelson. This being all
the business the remainder of the evening was
spent in harmony.

Musselburgh Arms Hotel

1 Dec 1923

The monthly general meeting was held on above date Mr Andrew King President occupied the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved of on the motion of Mr Tho^s Sneddon, seconded by Mr John Robertson. Mr Wiseman's syllabus for the childrens competition being read and proved satisfactory except one item regarding (Hye Johnnie Cope) this not being a Burns song. It was then agreed by a motion of Mr W^m Heron seconded by Mr Rob^t Porteous that the secretary write Mr Wiseman as to altering (Hye Johnnie Cope) and substitute something else. On the motion of Mr Rob^t Porteous seconded by Mr Jas Robertson and agreed that we supply the school teachers with copies of "Paterson's Musical Festival Series". It was then left for Mr Rob^t Brown to see to same. Mr W^m Heron made a motion seconded by Mr Jas Robertson that we take an annual subscription in place of the usual monthly contribution this being unananimously agreed to a discussion arose as to what the annual fee should be. Mr Rob^t Porteous moved 1/- seconded by Mr Jas Wilson. Mr John Robertson moved 1/6 seconded by Mr Tho^s Plyth Mr W^m Heron moved 3/6 seconded by Mr Tho^s James, on a vote being taken Mr W^m Heron's motion carried. It was then agreed by a motion of Mr Jas Robertson seconded by Mr Tho^s Bowie that we carry on with monthly contribution till April. This being all the business the remainder of the evening was spent on Harmony.