OREGON FEDERATION OF SQUARE AND ROUND DANCE CLUBS MINUTES OF STATE MEETING HELD JAN. 28, 1979 EUGENE. OREGON

The meeting was called to order at 12:35 by PRESIDENT, RAY MURRAY (DOROTHY). The invocation was given by AL WESTPHAL (FRAN), PAST PRESIDENT. The flag salute was led by GEORGE WINTERFELD (BARBARA), SECOND VICE PRESIDENT.

ROLL CALL - All officers and delegates were in attendance except HISTORIAN, JAY CLARK (BEVY) and SUNSET DELEGATE, ART FAUST (RUBY). All GOODWILL AMBASSADORS were present except AL and CADDY BOYER and WAYNE and GEORGIA PUCKETT.

Motion to approve minutes. CLINTON BARNES (LUCILLE), FIRST VICE PRESIDENT, moved the reading of the minutes of the last meeting be dispensed. Motion seconded. Minutes accepted as mailed.

OFFICER'S REPORTS

FIRST VICE PRESIDENT - CLINT BARNES (LUCILLE) No report.

SECOND VICE PRESIDENT - GEORGE WINTERFELD (BARBARA) reported the delegates have the new officers rosters. There are three for each club. The dues and the forms are to be sent first to each area secretary. She will keep one copy and mail the dues and one copy of the roster to the membership chairman and send one copy to the second vice president. She also sends the "When and Where" to pumula for the OFN.

PAST PRESIDENT - AL WESTPHAL (FRAN) said as co-chairman of the Fairview Dance he wished to urge all clubs to have some activity or in some way support this dance.

RECORDING SECRETARY - ROSE MARY CRAWFORD (DON) No report.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY - LANGLA PRATT (LESTER) said she had mailed a delegate bar to HAROLD BRESSLER (FATE) and state badges to CAL and ARLA THOMPSON. She has mailed state directories to nine western states and to British Columbia. She received News Notes and a thanks from Alburquerque, New Mexico. She has envelopes and stationery.

MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN - PHIL RENNICK (JO) Announced there was one new club in the Portland Area. It is salled Turkey Trottors.

PARLIAMENTARIAN - BUDDY BANDALL (NA NOY) Bo report.

FINANCIAL ADVISER - GLEN PFEFFERKORN. No report.

SCATE REPORTER - BILL WAGGONER (SHIRLEY) No report.

HISTORIAN - JAY CLARK (BEVY) absent.

PUBLICITY - JOHN NASHOLM (BEV) had no report but he introduced BEN SHAFFER (BEV) who reported that 10 Portland Area clubs had combined to sponsor TV commercials and the clubs had good turnout. BEN said we were in the State Fair for 10 days 12 hours a day. A committee will pick a spot in March, 20 clubs are needed to spend time at the fair. There will be six shows daily. ED WARMOTH (MARY) will be talent scout and M.C. on Saturday afternoon. This will also be on TV. A Salem coordinator is needed. BEN also said the Port of Portland has a dock they would like to fill with square dancers. They figure it will hold 1200 dancers. The Port will foot the bill for the dance on May 19. Evergreen Council (Wash.) and the Portland Council are working together on this. There will be 100 acres of parking. It's all free. Any interested clubs are invited to participate.

OFN - RAY SCOFTELD (RAE) introduced ANNE LAUDERDALE who will be the new editor beginning in September. The OFN clinic was well attended.

RAY MURRAY THANKED THE EMERALD EMPIRE AREA for the arrangements for the state meeting and for a great dance.

DELEGATES REPORTS

CENTRAL OREGON - ANNA ASHBY (LESTER) No report.

EASTERN OREGON - BILL COLLINS (DAISY) said their area thought it would be a ll right to drop the "When and Where" from the OFN. They also would like to see a directory sent with each OFN subscription. Their area had a subscription dance.

EMERALD EMPIRE - FRED SMITH (PAT) thanked JIM and DORENE for being chairmen of the Mid-Winter Festival.

INTERSTATE HIGHLANDERS - DON CRAWFORD (ROSE MARY), alternate, said the Highlanders had had a dance to help make up the deficit from the summer festival.

LINCOLN - TILLAMOOK - RUSSELL HUFFMAN (EMMA), alternate, No report.

MID-WILLAMETTE - HAROLD BRESSLER (FAYE) reported their area have a new club that is being formed. They are also having a subscription da nee. \$5.00 gives a couple a subscription to the OFN and an evening of dancing.

PORTLAND AREA - JACK BROCk (JOY) reported they are busy with plans for the Rose Festival and many other activities.

ROGUE SIS-Q - CAL THOMPSON (ARLA) said their area thought the "When and Where" might be published quarterly.

SOUTH COAST - KATHY ASH (GENE) reported they were discussing the possibility of using a bus to take clubs to other dances.

SUNSET - absent.

TEEN - JAY DELAPP said they still need the club constitutions and by-laws. The TEENS met and elected the following officers:

President Terry Clem Portland Area

Vice President Mike Bolte Mid-Willamette Area

Secretary Sheila Millard Emerald Area Treasure Deanna Millard Emerald Area

Delegate Jay DeLapp Mid-Willamette Area

THREE VALLEY - LARRY HALL (DAPHNE) No report.

UMPQUA - ROBBIE ROBERTSON (WILMA) No report.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

MID-WINTER FESTIVAL - JIM MILLARD (DORENE) reported 1631 ribbons sold. They took in \$7444.70. The TEENS kad 15 squares on Saturday night and 91 TEENS skated until 2:00 A.M. JIM thanked FRED and RAT SMITH for being co-chairmen. FRED and PAT will be chairmen for the dance next year.

Motion to postpone decision on bids for summer festivals until May

FESTIVAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE - CLINT BARNES reported two areas have said they would each like to have a festival. If these areas will set a meeting date the committee will go over their plans and budgets. A motion was made and seconded that we postpone the decision concerning the Rogue Sis-Q and Central Area bids for the summer festivals until May. Motion carried.

FRANCIS BORTNER (MARGARET) recommended areas receive the guidelines sconer.

179 SUMMER FESTIVAL - GEORGE MCCULIX (DIALE) said May was too late for Rogue Sis-Q to receive the decision about the Summer Festival. GEORGE said the delegates had the booklets about the festival and thanked Graham Wood for selling the ads for the booklet. They are advertising nationwide. There is a German delegation inquiring about staying in Oregon homes during the festival. A clogging group is needed. The new building will not be completed. They are planning on putting down a 26,000 sq. ft. floor in the horse arena. Please pre-register. So far 50 couples have pre-registered. CHUCK MCDONALD is in charge of the booths. They are planning on having only Oregon stores. Child care will be available. Delegates please advertise the festival and encourage people to pre-register. GEORGE also suggested the clubs discuss good manners at dances. He felt walking through squares, standing on the floor during a tip and crowding too close to exhibition dancing showed poor manners.

GOODWILL AMBASSADORS - VERNE and RUTH MCKNIGHT presented a trophy to the people who did the most to promote square dancing. The trophy this year was presented to JIM and DORENE MILLARD and their three daughters DEANNA, SANDRA, and SHEILA. ED WARMOTH (MARY) said plans are being made to travel to Germany in the fall of 1930. RUTH MCKNIGHT also suggested we go to the Reno Silver State Festival as LLOYD and ELISE WARD are doing rounds and DARYL CLENDENIN (YVONNE) is the Friday night caller. JIM and HELEN COCHRANE told of the trip to Montana and to Salt Lake where they promoted Oregon square dancing.

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OLD BUSINESS

*80 WINTER FESTIVAL - FRED SMITH (PAT) said the festival will be Feb. 2-3.

GEORGE WINTERFELD said he had extra directories. His address is 13825 S.E. Beech, Milwaukie, Or 97222, if you wish to write to him.

GEORGE GRIFFIN (LORENE) said they had received a lotter from the Cruchella's who send everyone good feelings.

Motion to recognize people who write a round of the month.

HAROLD BRESSLER made a motion that we send recognition to people who have written a Round of the Month for Oregon. This is for all rounds chosen. BUD and SHIRLEY PARROT wrote the Round of the Month for January and LLOYD and ELISE WARD wrote the Round of the Month for February. Motion was seconded. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

CLINT BARNES will meet with representatives from Rogue Sis-Q Area and Central Area to plan meeting dates for the Summer Festival Committee.

AL WESTPHAL, CHAIRMAN of the NOMINATING COMMITTEE presented the following list of people for officers for next year:

President CLINT BARNES (LUCILLE) Mid-Willamette VERN MEYERS (MAE) Portland

First Vice President HAROLD BRESSLER (FAYE) Mid-Willamette GEORGE WINTERFELD (BARBARA) Portland

Second Vice President BOB INGLIS (DOROTHY) Portland PHIL RENNICK (JO) Rogue Sis-Q

Treasurer JAN ADAMS Mid-Willamette JEAN BRIGTE Emerald

Recording Secretary DORIS JENKS Portland
NORMA SHEPHERD Portland

Corresponding Secretary ANNA ASHBY (LESTER) Central WARREN ENGDAHL (FLORENCE) Umpqua

Membership Chairman ART FAUST (RUBY) Sunset
JIM MILLARD (DORENE) Emerald

AL suggested the nominating forms list the duties of the officers on the back.

RAY MURRAY announced the next meeting would be at the SOUTH COAST AREA. It will be the third weekend in May. RAY also asked the delegates to remind the area secretaries to send copies of the area minutes to the state president and first vice president.

Meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted, Rose Mary Crawford Recording Secretary