

Minutes of Annual Meeting
at Birchcliff Lodge Aug. 11. '54.

Chairman - Lloyd Nourse
Secretary - W. M. Redford.

The president reported on the lake level. It was agreed that 14' should be the minimum level. and the president stated he would call Mr. Walter Rice to see what could be done to change the agreement.

Quillen-Wright - That the Dept. of Public Works be requested to change the minimum lake level to 14'.
The secretary to send a letter to Mr. Walter Rice, Queen's Park.

Van Court - Hicks - That the works committee see to levelling off the approach to the dock.

Marston - Hicks - That a sign be erected at the community dock to read, "This dock erected by the Baptiste Game and Fish Protective Association for the use of its members." Clarence Marston was named to have the sign painted and the works committee was to put it up.

Canning - Morowitz - That Carl Vetter be paid \$6. to cover cost of paint for buoys. (Reg Canning received this money to relay to Carl.)

Doug Bleeker and Clarence Marston reported on road conditions.

Carl Heintz described condition

in West Bay and ask for suggestions re getting a road in.
Mr. Wright reported having caught a "muskie"

Canning-Wright - that 5 picnic tables be ordered and paid for by the works committee. Will Holbrook to place them around the lake.

Reg Canning reported that no new workers had volunteered to work on the regatta so he and his committee had decided to suspend operations this year to see if there was a real demand for this type of entertainment. It was decided to call a regatta meeting early in July 1955 to detail the work.

Re-stocking report.
3,600 adult fish netted in 2 neighbouring lakes.
1000 large-mouth bass
9000 small " "
1,000,000 pickerel eggs.

Arnold-Van Court:- That Reg Canning go ahead with Henry Chamberlain and the Dept. of Lands & Forests to place game fish in Chub L. to be guarded until such time as the Dept. saw fit to transplant them into L. Baptiste.

Rock bass are a problem. Dept is to be approached to control same.

It was decided to pay Bob Redford 10¢ per ticket sold in order to stimulate a membership drive. W. J. Quillen was to supervise this plan.

Arnold-Canning. - That a letter be sent to the Dept of Lands and Forests protesting the new licence fees for non-resident fishermen.

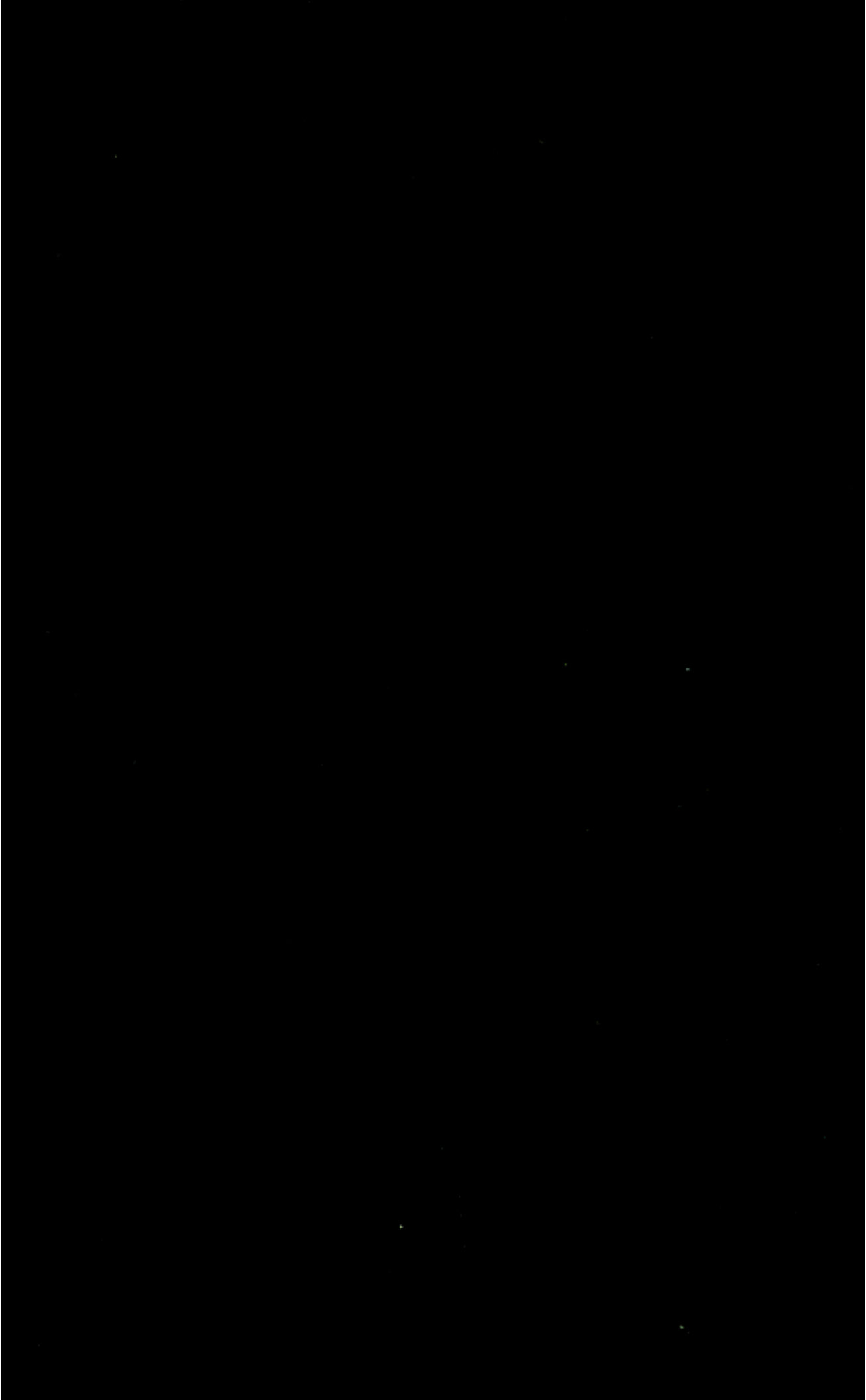
Results of Elections.

Castles. -	Lloyd Mourse
President -	Dougall Blecker
Vice-Pres. -	Bill Redford
Treasurer -	W. Jack Quillen
Secretary -	Frank Hicks.

District Representatives -
Burger, Arnold, French,
Van Court, & Mullett.

Committee Chairmen.

Fish and Game. -	Art Nicholl
Entertainment -	Reg Canning
Works. -	Wilf Holbrook
Membership. -	W. J. Quillen



Minutes of Annual Meeting of the
 Profits Fish & Game Association
 held at Buck Cliff Lodge on
 Aug. 11/54 with 15 persons present.

Chairman - President Floyd House
 Secretary - Will Rufford

The minutes of the last meeting
 were read & adopted.

The level of the lake was
 reported as being too low at 13 feet.
 A phone call was made to
 Mr Rice to maintain a level of 14'.

A motion was made by Mr Gwilling
 and seconded by Mr Wright that the
 Dept. be requested to maintain the
 level of 14'.

A long discussion followed in
 regard to the approach to the Public
 Dock.

Mr Van Combs and seconded by
 F. Hicks that a committee be appointed
 that approach was ruled off.

A discussion followed regarding a light
 on the dock & it was turned down.

It was moved by C. Munton and
 seconded by F. Hicks that a suitable
 sign be erected at dock advising the
 general public who was responsible
 for the location of the dock.

A discussion of road conditions followed with an exchange of letters with the Reeve being discussed. A suggestion was made that a local group of cottagers go to council.

Moved by P. Canning and seconded by Mr Wright that 5 picnic tables be adopted and paid for and well located in suitable locations.

The report of the Regatta followed. A meeting was called and 12 notices sent out but only 4 turned up for meeting, thus no Regatta. The consensus of opinion was that a regatta should be held in 1955 to promote a general feeling of friendship & good time among ourselves. It was decided to call a regatta meeting early in July of 1955.

A Fish & Game report followed with some excellent log work being done by Ray Canning while in Toronto. A discussion of rock bass situation followed. No definite solution to problem as yet.

It was decided in the general meeting that followed that Rod Riffled & Jack Guilber form a membership team.

A discussion of license fee followed with all agreeing that rate was too high. Many camps reporting cancellations mostly due to higher fee.

By the election of officers that followed, the results were as follows

President - Doug Clarke
 Vice President - Will Palford
 Treasurer - Jack Guillon
 Secretary - Fred. Hicks

District Representatives

Mr. Bury Mr. Frank
 Mr. Arnold Mr. Van Court
 Mr. Mallett

Committees

Fish & Game - Mr. Wood
 Regatta - Mrs. Goring
 Works - W. Holbrook, Palford & Brubinson
 Membership - Jack Guillon

The meeting closed at 6⁰⁰ PM on the motion of Mr. Palford.

Minutes of the Annual Meeting of
the Bassists Fish & Game Protective
Association held at Bush Cliff Lodge
on July 27, 1955 with 26 persons present.

Chairman - President, Doug Balaban in Chair

The minutes of the last meeting
were read and adopted.

Reports of the lake level was
presented by Doug Balaban who referred to
it as an inter-departmental matter
between Hydro, Dept. of Lands & Forests
and Dept. of Public Works. There was
a sudden drop in level when ice
went out. Mr. Geo. Bunker of
Monroft in charge of dam now
wishes to be controlled so as to regulate
flow from 13' in Feb. to 12' in March.
This should allow fish to escape.

A letter was received from P. H. Harbour
promising that his dept. would release
adult fish in the lake.

A motion was made by Mr. Gullen
& seconded by Mr. Wright, that a letter
be sent to Dept. asking for a man
to investigate rock bass nuisance.
This was done & a crew spent 10
weeks this spring setting rock bass.

Four letters were read at the
meeting, two from Mr. Clancy & two
from Dept. re plant nuisance and
trout fishing regulations.

The Treasurer's report showed a balance of \$502.74 with a paid up membership of 73.

A. McCall reported that 5000 small mouth bass were placed in the lake, approx 600 of these were between 6" - 15"

A further report followed from A. McCall of a dead fish in Mud Creek. A letter from Mr. Swift was read suggesting that pressure be brought to bear on Dept. of Public Works.

It was suggested that the location of the launch tables be included in the Newsletter.

Motion was made by Mr. Conroy and seconded by Mr. A. Swift that garbage holes be dug and signs placed at picnic spots. Left to water dept.

Motion made by Mr. Gueller & seconded by Mr. Miller that more tables be secured from Dept. and expense of installation be borne by our Association.

The membership report showed a total of 73 persons.

On the new business the merits of a poster regarding the rock bass were discussed. Advice children to fish for them.

In reply to a letter from the Dept. a motion was made by Mr. Zell + seconded by Mr. Miller that trout fishing be banned in Lake Superior during winter months. This motion carried 12-4. A letter according to the motion was sent to Dept.

Mr. Gullen and Mr. Zell suggested that reflector or luminous paint be placed on community dock.

Motion was passed by Mr. Conway and seconded by Mr. Weir that report for courtesy of speed boats to smaller boats be made in Newsletter. Also that regulations re licenses + lights on boats.

Ken Lewis was elected to replace Mr. Arnold as district Rep.

Motion made by Mr. Wilson + seconded by Mr. Murphy that all officers serve a second term without exception.

Meeting adjourned at 5³⁰ P.M.

Minutes of the Annual Meeting of
the Benthic Fish & Game Protective
Association held at Birch Cliff Lodge
on ~~July~~ Aug. 22, 1956 with 16 persons
present.

The minutes of the previous meeting
were read and adopted.

The Treasurer's report was read in
detail, all accounts and expenses &
donations in connection with the regatta
were given. There was a balance of \$853.00
It was moved by Jim Pemberton & seconded
by Ray Corning that Treasurer's report be
accepted.

A very interesting debate on lake
levels followed. Details of the visit
to Toronto to Dept. of Lands & Forests
were discussed and all agreed that
the Dept. is doing a much better job
in handling the lake levels.

Mr. Russell McWhitfield, biologist
for our district was in attendance at the
meeting. He remarked that he had
found evidence of "Winter Kill" from
lack of water along shores of Maud Creek.
Maps showing water depths were
presented and we all agreed that
an increase of 1' in the minimum water
level would be very beneficial to
our lake in the winter.

Mr. McWhitfield's report showed
that the men netted

3000 Pickard	269 Ling
921 Sm. mud loach	3000 Sandhill
677 Bullheads	10,000 Rock Bass

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- 119 Large Mouth Bass
- 106 Perch
- 2 muskellunge
- 1 Spotted Trout
- 2 Whitefish

Mr Whitfield's report showed an abundance of fish in North Lake based on the ratio of good fish to some fish. A discussion followed on relative merit of placing Pike or Musky in the lake.

Moved by Jack Guiller, seconded by Roy Canning that we contact Mr. Vail of Burlington district to determine how his much program is doing so that any help we may add will not undo his efforts.

Moved by Jack Guiller, seconded by Roy Canning that after having with Dept. of Parks & Forests and other who all remain rendered of to comment on the excellent job that was done.

The Regatta Committee reported that there were fewer in attendance last year but they felt that with proper previous arrangements people would come another year.

Moved by Sam Burdison & seconded by Jack Guiller that the log across the channel in the lower river be removed & that the channel be marked with suitable buoys or markers to the Down of to the High Falls.

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Minutes of meeting held at B.C.S. on July 24

The minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted.

A discussion of water levels followed. It was agreed that we would wait for results of winter under ice melting before asking for change of water levels.

A further discussion of ^{introduction} mounds of ^{marsh} peat & marsh followed. The Dept. of Lands & Forests have agreed to introduce marsh in the lake next spring. This change helps to ease the rock base situation & at the same time provides us with good sport.

Motion Miller - Rose - that we persist in our efforts to get peat placed in our lake.

Motion Wood - Bland - that our Assessor go after a 13' minimum lake level.

A discussion followed re mounds of marshing channel to B. Main Lake and adjacent lake & the Dam.

Motion Miller - Vrieff - that some 6 tree holes be marked by poles or buoys. Works committee to look into this

Discussion followed of mounds of coating our picnic tables with oil & kerosene.

Motion Quillen - Brumison - that our tables be given a coat of preservative wax/compound.

Motion

M. M. - M. M. - That the medium of our news Bulletin that we advise all residents in against law to demb grade in Lake.

The Treasurers report showed a balance of \$902.00, with a fund of membership of 63 of which 20 are members of Church & Ruby Club

Disunion of meeting Madamoka Valley Association followed. Was felt of most present that ~~inclusion~~ to more lenient for commercial lodges to join rather than us join as an association. This matter to be discussed by executive at a later date. and proposed resolution to open meeting.

Disunion followed re safety of boats on lake. Was felt that a few of the boats could be more careful especially in the evening.

Motion

Quellen - matter & that we discuss price of a plane thrown for centrally plus 4 moquitos.

New stock party lot discussed also advisability of getting a new or Community Dock to protect boats in rough weather
Meeting adjourned at 5:00 PM

M. J. Reardon

Reproduced.

Minutes of the meeting of the Baptists Fish and Game Assoc. held at B.C.C. on July 28 with 12 persons present. The meeting opened at 2 pm.

Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

1 A discussion on water levels followed. It was decided to await for the report on ~~water~~ the results of under the ice netting before fishing for a change of water levels.

2 A discussion followed about woods of pike & musky introduction. The Dept. is definitely getting in musky to help control the rock bass and at the same time provide us with better fishing. This plan is in accordance with the plan under way on Elephant Lake District.

3 Miller - Rare - that persistent efforts be maintained to have pike introduced.

4 Meical - Blvd - Motion made that we go after 13' minimum level.

5 The Treasurer was absent but the President reported a profit of \$6.55 from regatta.

6 Discussion followed about means of making channel to Elephant Lake. Miller - Vinoff - Route to Elephant Lake be marked by poles, also route to dam. This to be done by Works Committee. Suggested that

poles to be anchored at proper
springs along channel.

Discussion followed about proper
method of protecting our picnic tables.
Gullen-Burtonson - that tables be
upon a sort of pavement by water
committee.

Miller-Moravitz - that residents of the
lake be advised to burn all
garbage, advised also that it is
against the law to dump garbage in
the lake.

The Treasurer's report showed a
bank balance of \$961.74

Our guest Mr. J. P. Peavey
spoke re the roads in our vicinity. The
council has a salary of \$32,000 for 150
miles. He explained how the snow
removal takes a lot of the money. Mr.
Peavey agreed that the roads need
brushing out and he felt that the
council is ~~not~~ ^{not} getting a fair break.

~~Council - to be~~

Minutes of Meeting of the Baptist
Fish & Game Association held at
P. C. S. on Aug. 14 with 18 persons
present.

1. Minutes of previous meeting were
read & adopted.

2. Treasurer's report was read &
adopted. Bank balance of \$924.74

3. Report on regatta given by the
regatta chairman, Jim Brubaker, Met
receipt of \$6.00. It was a wonderful
day for the children, most of the money
was spent on prizes.

Com. - Morant - That an executive
meeting be held on 15th Wed. of July
to discuss plans for regatta.

Bruce Morant - requested permanent
type of poster for advertising our regatta.

Morant - By-laws - Regatta for 1958 to be
held on Wed. following Civic Holiday

The Fish Committee reported on
the nettings at Clifton Lake

Pickup - 3400	Sea Fish - 503
Mass - 528	Lucius - 576
Redheads - 256	Rock Bass - 18,000
Long 1	Morant - 70

A Murrel reported that a log was
jammed in at the dam & it was
quite a job to remove it.

Mr. Dorman of Dept. of Lands
& Forests was interviewed ~~before~~ on
the spoke on the merits of Mucky
fishing and said that the Dept.
would like us to try Mucky before
asking for any Pike. He stated that
the Mucky is a fast, heavy fish
& should eat a lot more than
the Pike. He suggested that Commercial
fishermen be invited to help remove
the rock loss. He thought that the
Dept. would put in at least
30,000 & they would be 5-6" long

Blond - B. Johnson - that we have
more rocky facilities near Grant's
store, suggested that we try to
obtain permission to use valley
that Bert Grant is using

Canny - B. Johnson - that money owing
H. B. ever for stone fill be paid

Oullen - Lewis - that executive affairs
be made committee.

Mr. Canny very graciously offered
the use of his large warehouse
for any worthwhile cause for card
parties, large, all-ages etc

election followed

Pres. - R. Canny

Part Pres. - Bill Reed

Treas. - Bruno Moravaty

Vice Pres. - J. G. Sullivan

Secretary - J. Grant. Fisher

entertainment - R. Canny

Fresh & Game - H. M. Small
 Pigeons - B. Woodard J. Mulmison
 R. Carrin B. Morawetz
 B. Redford L. B. Wray

~~Board~~ Committee -

A motion of Thanks was offered
 to H. M. Small for the use of his
 building for the meeting
 R. Banning

Minutes of Meeting of the Baptiste
Fish and Game Protective Association
held at Birch Cliff Lodge, Baptiste
Ont, August 1958

- 1 Minutes of previous meeting were read and adopted.
Moved by Guellen
seconded by Baker

No new business arose from the minutes.

- 2 Treasurer's report followed. A bank balance of \$1,020.
- 3 The membership report showed a paid up membership of 45 persons.
- 4 A report from the fish committee noted that over 20,000 musky and 500 large mouth bass had been placed in the lake around June 1. A report from Tweed indicated that more test netting would take place next year.
A discussion followed on the rock bass situation. Poisoning and netting was talked about but all agreed that it was very difficult to do. It was suggested that we contact Dept. of Lands & Forests for advice on handling of situation. A two man committee of A. Mead & R. Corning was to look after this.

Morawitz - Uetler - That a committee be empowered to spend \$100.00 in the repair, replaing. & painting of our picnic tables. This committee was to report to the chairman on steps necessary.

Morawitz - Gaddow - Motion that a committee be formed to investigate the possibility of putting a dock at Grant's store. Blond & Stortley were empowered to look over the dock locations.

5 A letter composed by your exec. & written to the Hydro was read to the meeting, asking for no lowering of water level below 13'6".

6 Muel - Blond - Motion that if no favorable reply recd. from the letter that we request another meeting with Dept. officials in Toronto

7 Gullen - Mial - That a committee of 2 be formed to approach Dept of Lands & Forests for more tables, more fireplaces & garbage disposal.
This committee to consist of Blond & Stortley.

8 Several letters, enclosed, were formed & mailed by your executive.

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A rezatta discussion followed, all agreed that it should be advertised now. It was felt that there was not enough co-operation from the people and not enough help given to the rezatta committee.

Lewis - M. ual - A map to be made showing location & names of cottages.

The following were to supply the necessary information.

Dog Bay - Perraine
Dog Bay to Narrows - Blond

West Bay - Morawetz
Larally Bay - Guillen
Larally Bay to Dog Bay - Hicks
Suburms to
Paulood - Staley.

Morawetz - Canning
That meeting be adjourned.

R. Bang