

Voted that the Secy be instructed to renew
our subscription to the list of newspapers
and periodicals (now taken) for 1886
The Book Committee submitted a list
of books and by vote the Secy was in-
structed to purchase the same
Meeting dissolved
C D Monroe
Secy

January 4 1886

Regular Meeting of the Committee held the
evening of J M Cochran at 8 o'clock
Present Messrs Cochran, Krummer, Jagger
Lovell and Wells
G H Wells chosen Secy pro tem
Voted that the Librarian send a small
lot of books to F M Marcy of Worcester as
he offers low prices
Voted that the Sunday World be left off
the rack
Meeting dissolved
G
Secy pro tem

March 1, 1886

Regular Meeting of the Committee held this
evening at 8 o'clock at J M Cochran's office at
which the following were present; Cochran
Lovell, Begin, Jagger and Monroe
The annual reports of the Secretary and the
Librarian were presented and the same were
approved and adopted
Voted unanimously that the Librarian be paid

\$850- the ensuing year. The same to cover salary, pay of all assistants, janitor, and to cover preparing the card and numerical catalogues, and preparing a catalogue of all new books purchased during the current year, ready for publication, and all labor connected with the Library.

Voted that we recommend an appropriation of \$1,500- and the dog fund for 1885 to defray the expenses for the year ensuing.

Meeting dissolved

C. G. Housen
Secy

Annual Meeting Comm for 1886-7

3 years	2 yrs	1 year -
Mrs H. Wilson.	J. M. Krummer.	J. M. Lockman
Jas Jagger.	Clement Pegin	Os. W. Wells.
C. C. Bradford.	G. M. Whitaker	G. M. Lowell

The annual meeting of the Library Comm was held at the office of J. M. Lockman on Monday evening Apr 12. at 7.30 P.M. Present Messrs Lockman, Krummer, Jagger, Lowell, Wells, Wilson, Pegin and Bradford. J. M. Lockman called the Committee to order and they proceeded to elect by ballot a Chairman, Secy and Book Comm resulting as follows. Chairman J. M. Lockman Secy C. C. Bradford;

J. M. Lockman }
J. M. Krummer } Book Committee.
G. M. Whitaker }

G. M. Lowell }
C. Pegin } Executive Committee.
M. H. Wilson }

G. M. Wells } Finance Committee
Jos Jagger }
C. C. Bradford }

J. M. Cochran } Committee on Library
G. M. Wells }
G. M. Lowell }

Resolved that the Book Committee act as a com-
on exchange of books.

Resolved that the By Laws, as to loss of books
be suspended, so far as they relate to the two
books, lost by H. L. Brainerd in the fire at
Globe Village.

Resolved to refer the question of what firm
would be willing to purchase books to Secy. & report at
next meeting.

Resolved to accept the donations of G. M. Lowell, 4 books
and a lot of magazines, of Jos Brackett 6 books,
and of G. M. Whitaker 1 book. also the curiosities of
Mr Brackett for deposit in the Museum.

The meeting then dissolved.

C. C. Bradford,
Secy

May 4. 1886

Regular meeting of the Library Committee at
J. M. Cochran's office at 7 1/2 P.M. at which the
following members were present Messrs
Cochran, Wells, Krummer, Baquir, Jagger,
Lowell & Bradford. The meeting was called to
order and the minutes of last meeting read and
approved.

Resolved That the donations of Rev Mr Eastbrook of
the Leominster for the year, be accepted with thanks.

Resolved That Messrs Whitaker & Cochran be appointed a com-
to procure a desk.

Resolved That the matter of shelves now be referred to
com on Library.

Voted that we buy the \$10 set of Dickens.

Voted To buy our books for the ensuing year of Clevens & McDonald.

Voted To accept the list of books as presented by the Book Com.

The meeting then dissolved,

C. C. Bradford
Secy.

June 7 1886

Regular meeting of the Library Committee in
J. M. McCormick's office at 7:30 P.M. at which the follow-
ing members were present - Messrs Cochran, Lowell,

Hemmen, Jagger, Wilson & Bradford. The meeting
was called to order by the chairman. The report of
the Lib. Com. on the arrangement of more shelf-room
was called for and read by Mr Lowell.

Voted To accept the report of the Com. and that
they be authorized to make the required change.

Voted That the matter of providing new gas fixtures
be left to Lib. Com.

Voted To accept the donation of forty two volumes
by Geo M Whitaker with thanks.

Voted That the Secy be instructed to purchase new
cards for the use of the Lib.

Voted To buy the list of 7 books presented by Mr Lowell.

The meeting then dissolved.

C. C. Bradford
Secy

Aug 2^d 1886

Special of Meeting of the Com to pass resolutions
on death of Rev J. M. Krummer
Present Messrs Wells Lowell Jagger Wilson
Bryce Bradford.

The following resolutions were adopted.
Whereas a sudden dispensation of Providence has
removed from our midst, Rev J. M. Krummer,
whose genial disposition, sound judgment, broad
intellectuality, appreciation of a public library
and firm belief that it should be a means of
popular improvement rather than entertainment,
made him a conspicuous co-laborer, a
valued, highly respected, member of this
Committee, and one whose death is a public loss.
Resolved That this tribute to his worth be entered
upon our records, and that copies be furnished
his sisters, and his late parish.

C. C. Bradford, Secy

Regular Meeting Sept 6. 1886

Present Wells Jagger Whitaker Lowell Corman
& Bradford. The meeting was called to order

by the Chairman, and then proceeded to
ballot for the vacancy caused by death of
J. M. Krummer. F. W. Rowley was elected to
supply the vacancy for the remainder of the year
Voted to refer the matter of repairing the stove
in the Reading-room to the Lib Com.

Voted, The Secy to buy a supply of coal for
ensuing year

Voted The Chairman to investigate the matter of
repairing the old picture of Globe Village in Reading Room
Ball for vacancy on Book Com. Mr Lowell elected.
Voted To accept the list of books presented by
the Book Com. The meeting then dissolved.

C. C. Bradford, Secy

Regular Meeting - Oct - 1886
No Quorum ✓

Regular meeting - Nov 11, 1886

Present - Messrs Rowley Jagger Lowell Whitaker
Cochran and Bradford

The meeting was called to order by the Chairman
Voted To accept the list of Books presented by the com.
with the addition of the Waverley novels.

Voted To refer the matter of subscribing to Libbourns ~~order~~ to
the next meeting.

Voted To receive with thanks the Book presented by Ch. Paige

Voted That - Mr Whitaker be appointed to confer with
Mr Willard and others about the restoration of the
old picture of Globe Village now hanging in Reading
Room. The meeting then dissolved.

C. C. Bradford
Secy.

Dec 8 1886

Regular Meeting of the Libbourns held this evening
in office of J. M. Cochran at 7-30

Present - Messrs Wells Lowell Whitaker Cochran &
Bradford.

Voted To have the hours of opening and closing
the Library painted upon both sides of the iron door

Voted To furnish facilities for lighting shelves
lately put in in anti-room

Voted To receive with thanks a copy of the Emancipator
1837 presented by Mr Geo Wells

Voted To subscribe for Scribner's New Monthly

Voted That the list of French books presented, be
referred to Book Com in regular order

Voted To subscribe for Am Agriculturalist -
in place of Mass Ploughman

Voted To pass and spread upon the records the
following resolutions

Whereas Dea Samuel M Lane was one of the most active and influential men engaged in promoting the organization and establishment of the Public Library, and gave both of his time and influence toward the accomplishment of that office - And served upon the Library Committee for nine years (being Chairman all that time) until failing health compelled him to cease from further service And has since that time been connected with the Committee as an honorary member.

It is therefore resolved, that in the death of Dea S. M. Lane the Library loses one of ~~the~~^{its} most active and zealous friends

That we as a Committee desire to unite with the general public in recording our tribute to his great services in its behalf, as also to his upright - faithful and God-fearing life in our midst.

That these resolutions be spread upon the records of the Committee.

The meeting then dissolved.

C. C. Bradford
Secy

Regular Meeting Jan 3. 1887

The regular monthly meeting of the Lib Com was held this evening in the office of J. M. Cochran at 7.30. Present Messrs Lowell, Jagger, Begin, Cochran. & Bradford.

Voted to buy a mat for the use of the Library

Voted to accept with thanks the portrait of Dr Samuel Huttonell presented by his family

Voted to accept the list of books as presented by the book com.

Voted to refer the matter of the Globe Village picture to the next meeting.

The meeting then dissolved.

C. C. Bradford Secy