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1968 ANNUAL MEETING

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JUNE 17, 18, 19, 1968

MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING
NEW ENGLAND AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS COUNCIL

University of New Hampshire
Durham, New Hampshire
June 17, 1968

Attendants:

Malcolm Bevins, University of Vermont (Secretary-Treasurer)
James Bowring, University of New Hampshire
Arthur Dewey, University of Connecticut
Homer Metzger, University of Maine
Thomas Morrison, University of Connecticut (Chairman elect)
Niels Rorholm, University of Rhode Island
Silas Weeks, University of New Hampshire (Chairman)
Jean Wyckoff, University of Massachusetts
Frederic Sargent, University of Vermont

The committee accepted the minutes of the Executive Committee meeting of December 14, 1967. The treasurer's report indicated a balance on hand June 10, 1968 of \$392.11. This included dues through May 29, 1968. The report was approved.

Addition to Proceedings

It was agreed that the minutes of the annual business meeting and a one-page summary of the award winning thesis be placed in the proceedings each year. The University of New Hampshire will have the responsibility for preparing the proceedings in 1968.

1968 Newsnotes

After discussion of possible substitutes for the news notes, it was agreed that the council continue the practice of publishing annually a short statement summarizing staff activities in each of the participating universities. Mr. Morrison indicated he would send a memorandum to each University indicating format and deadlines for the news notes.

Plans for 1969 Annual Meeting

The University of Connecticut extended an invitation to hold the 1969 annual meeting at Storrs. Details will be announced later.

Name of Council

Discussion continued on the name of the organization. It was agreed that since the American Farm Economics Association had recently changed their name to the American Agricultural Economics Association that the name of the New England group was comparable.

Appointment of Auditor

Dr. Verle Houghaboom was appointed as a one-man auditing committee to review the books of the treasurer prior to the annual business meeting.

Annotated Bibliography of Experiment Station Publications

Dr. Sargent proposed that the council sponsor publication of a bibliography of Experiment Station publications, general articles, and books produced by council members over the last 10 years. Considerable discussion followed. No action was taken.

Conference of Economists Studying the New England Economy

Dr. Sargent proposed that the New England Agricultural Economics Council and the New England Center for Continuing Education sponsor a conference for all economists in New England engaged in studying economic activity of New England. It was proposed that this be a two or three day conference. The Executive committee felt that this was an excellent idea and felt that this should be discussed at the general business meeting. An ad hoc committee composed of Drs. Bowring, Morrison, and Sargent was appointed and asked to report to the executive committee at the December meeting. (The Secretary assumes that this committee made its report at the Executive Committee meeting on June 19 and is now superceded by the committee composed of Weeks, Craig, and Henry.) It was suggested that someone contact Mr. Day of the New England Center to gain his support. It was also felt that the group must consider the activities of the Regional Science Association.

Respectfully submitted,

Malcolm I. Bevins
Secretary-Treasurer