Proceedings of the Annual Meeting

OCTOBER 18, 2002
ANTIQUARIAN HALL, WORCESTER

THE ONE-HUNDRED-AND-NINETIETH annual meeting of the American Antiquarian Society was held in Worcester, from Thursday, October 17 through Saturday, October 19, 2002. The following members were present: Robert Comey Achorn, Charles Beach Barlow, Georgia Brady Barnhill, Robert Charles Baron, George Athan Billias, George Francis Booth II, Karl Lombard Briel, Richard David Brown, Nancy Burkett, Randall Keith Burkett, Harold Cabot, Mary Valentine Crowley Callahan, Joanne Danaher Chaison, Fairman Chaffee Cowan, Ronald Sears Davis, Henry Bowen Dewey, Jane Kenah Dewey, James Corcoran Donnelly, Jr., Ellen Smith Dunlap, Dorothy Brewer Erikson, Linwood Mandeville Erskine, Jr., John F. Gately II, Joel Paul Greene, Robert Alan Gross, John Bixler Hench, John Herron, John Herron, Jr., Cheryl Hurley, Darrell Hyder, M Howard Jacobson, John Jeppson 2nd, Maureen McGady Kelleher, Julian Lee Lapides, Linda Zeva Fishman Lapides, Sidney Lapidus, Ann Terese Lisi, Polly Ormsby Longsworth, Weyman Ivan Lundquist, Marcus Allen McCorison, Catherine Jean McDonough, Ogretta V. McNeil, Harold Taylor Miller, Edith Jennifer Monaghan, Barrett Morgan, Kenneth Moynihan, Donald Frederick Nelson, Kathryn Lee Conway Preyer, Ann-Cathrine M. Rapp, Barnes Riznik, David M. Rumsey, Lance E. Schachterle, Arthur F. Schrader, Robert Hyde Smith, Jr., Jay T. Snider, Daniel Grant Tear, George William Tetler III, Alden True Vaughan, and Meridith Daniels Wesby.

On Friday, October 18, 2002, at 3:30 P.M., the members convened in Antiquarian Hall. Ms. Wesby read the call of the meeting. Chairman Baron presided. The reading of the minutes of the semiannual meeting of April 19, 2002, was waived. Mr. Baron reported the following changes in membership.

W. Curtis Carroll Davis, died February 1, 1997, elected October 1979

John H. Hauberg, Jr., died April 5, 2002, elected October 1991 Robert G. Hayman, died April 9, 2002, elected October 1996 Bruce G. Daniels, died April 26, 2002, elected October 1968 Robert E. Cazden, died May 10, 2002, elected October 1987 Frank O. Spinney, died June 4, 2002, elected April 1958 William B. Ruger, died July 10, 2002, elected April 2000 Edward C. Carter II, died October 1, 2002, elected October 1987

Mrs. Hurley gave the report of the nominating committee. The following persons were proposed for election as officers and councillors of the Society: Chairman (2002–2003), Robert C. Baron; Vice Chairman (2002–2003), Julian L. Lapides; Secretary for Foreign Correspondence (2003–2005), Richard D. Brown; Councillor (2002–2005), John Herron, Jr.

The tellers were Mr. Vaughn and Mr. Riznik. The following persons were elected by ballot to membership in the Society: Catherine Allgor, Sande P. Bishop, Cushing C. Bozenhard, Wesley A. Brown, Fred H. Daniels, Morgan B. Dewey, Thomas L. Doughton, Joanne B. Freeman, Dorothy Tapper Goldman, Janette T. Greenwood, Lesley S. Herrmann, Christine Heyrmann, Kenneth A. Lockridge, Daniel K. Richter, Jonathan Rose, Barbara Shailor, and Deborah Gray White.

The report of the Treasurer was presented by James C. Donnelly, Jr., following which Mrs. Dunlap gave the report of the Council.

The meeting adjourned at 5:30 P.M.

Meridith Daniels Wesby Recording Secretary

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