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AMERICAN BUSINESS WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION KENTUCKY COLONEL CHAPTER Bowling Green, Kentucky

REMEMBER THIS

If you work for a man, in Heaven's name, WORK for him. If he pays you wages which supply you bread and butter, work for him; speak well of him; stand by him and stand by the institution he represents. If put to a pinch, an ounce of loyalty is worth a pound of cleverness. If you must vilify, condemn and eternally disparage - resign your position, and when you are outside, damn to your heart's content, but as long as you are a part of the institution do not condemn it. If you do that, you are loosening the tendrils that are holding you to the institution, and at the first high wind that comes along, you will be uprooted and blown away, and probably will never know the reason why.

by Elbert Hubbard

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6:30 Social

Holiday Inn

Fourth Tuesday

7:00 Dinner

Kentucky Room

THE COLONELETTE

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"Equality Through Responsibility"

PURPOSE

The purpose of the American Business Women's Association shall be to elevate the social and business standards of women in business by uniting them nationally for training designed to make them efficient, more considerate and more cooperative toward their work, their employer, and their employer's customers, thereby increasing their earning ability, success and happiness.

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Women in Business

MINUTES OF THE APRIL 1971 MEETING OF THE KENTUCKY COLONEL CHAPTER OF ABWA

The meeting called to order by Pat Glasscock, President, was held at the Holiday Inn (Midtown) with 34 members and one guest in attendance. The Invocation was given by Sue Eicher and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Shirley Martin. Immediately following Anna Sue Jackson presented the Kentucky Colonel Commission to Pat Glasscock, who in turn presented a Kentucky Colonel Commission to Anna Sue Jackson. Brenda Williams introduced her guest, Neva Watt, payroll clerk at the Electric Plant Board. Mr. Herb Moore, Owner and Creator of Mammoth Cave Wax Museum, spoke on the artistic liberties artists make and showed us some samples. He also told us how he and his wife make the figures that are in the museum. Florence Perkins, Assistant Manager of Detrex Cafeteria, gave the Vocational Talk. Her duties include making orders, paying bills, and filling in as manager when her husband is out of town.

The minutes of the March meeting were read and approved. A letter from National Headquarters congratulating our Chapter for the installation of the new members at the March Tea was read as was a sympathy note for Arlene Rountree. Thank you notes were read from Elizabeth Wilson and Una Mayhew. Bonita Springs now has the same phone number for work and home. The Treasurer reported:

On Hand Last Report	\$	616.24
Amount Received		991.00
Disbursements		342.81
Remainder	\$1	,264.43

The report from the Standing Committees: Program, Mr. David Medford, Assistant Director for University Relations, WKU will be the guest speaker for May; Bulletin, all information for the May Bulletin is due by May 12, 1971; Scrapbook, Maxine Strickland reported the scrapbook is being added to since it was on display at the Tea and at the District Meeting; Employment-Housing-Transportation, Ann Bays reported on plane fares to National Convention in Anaheim, California; Social, Mary Frances Brown is responsible for the door prize for the May meeting; Ways and Means, Jean Fulkerson reported on Boss Night ads and advised us that over \$700 had already been sold. All ads must be sold by May 28. "Little Mister Bowling Green" is scheduled for the fall with JoAnn Stacker as chairman, Carol MacDougal as co-chairman, and Anna Sue Jackson, as advisory chairman; Anna Sue Jackson reported so far the net return on "Little Miss Bowling Green" was \$556.15; a special thanks was expressed to her co-chairmen, Barbara Farley and Elizabeth Wilson, as to all members; Publicity, Sally Parr reported she succeeded in obtaining a photographer from the Park City Daily News for the "Little Miss Bowling Green Pageant"; Membership, Iva Miller displayed the candle holders the Chapter received for reaching our guota at the Tea and she congratulated the members who had sponsored new members; Banquet, Una Mayhew, Becky Morehead, and Joyce Tabor will be hostesses at the May meeting; Educational projects , Mary Frances Brown read a letter proclaiming May as Scholarship Month and asked that we donate \$135 to SBMEF in memory of Arlene Rountree; she also read the proclamation from Governor Nunn about ABWA Scholarship Month; Mary Frances read a letter from Virginia Devries giving us \$125 for our scholarship fund with the recommendation that Brenda Taylor be a recipient.

Other Business: Florence Perkins reported that Boss Night will be June 19, 1971, at Ramada Inn and that the theme was "Our Kentucky"; her co-chairmen are Brenda Williams and Barbara Farley. The Minutes of the Executive Board were read and approved.

New Business: Florence Perkins made a motion that we donate \$135 to SBMEF in memory of Arlene Rountree. The motion was seconded by Becky Morehead. Brenda Williams made the motion that we re-apply for a SBMEF outright grant renewal for Wendy Burkes in the amount of \$150, it was seconded by Gladys Walker. Jean Fulkerson made the motion that we accept Brenda Taylor's application for \$150, for a local scholarship.

Following the Benediction given by JoAnn Stacker, Pat Glasscock adjourned the meeting. Neva Watt was installed as a new member.

> Anna Sue Jackson Recording Secretary

May is that month when we know summer is just around the corner and it is time for another school year to come to an end and we can plan for that much needed vacation.

We of the Kentucky Colonel Chapter know May is synonymous with SCHOLARSHIP. We look forward to the opportunity of having our scholarship recipients as our guests. We also focus our attention to those hallowed halls of ivy for a guest speaker---this year is no exception. Brenda has a representative from Western as speaker.

May also means ANNIVERSARY AND BOSS NIGHT plans are in the making. For our new members and perhaps a reminder to our seasoned members, may I set the scene for our upcoming events.

Anniversary is that time we celebrate the establishment of our Chapter and honor those members who have made outstanding contributions to our Chapter. Perfect Attendance at regular dinner meetings recognition is a highlight. Perfect Attendance is counted from June to June. Our By Laws, Article VII: The regular meeting of the Chapter shall consist of a dinner meeting at which a pre-planned program or speaker is presented, which is followed by a regular business meeting and shall be held on the fourth Tuesday of each month. If for some reason you have to miss our Chapter regular meeting, National has provided a way to maintain perfect attendance. Any member who misses a meeting of her chapter, but who has a reasonable excuse, may maintain her record of perfect attendance by attending a meeting of a sister chapter either in her own city or elsewhere, provided the meeting is attended thirty days before or thirty days after the date of the meeting which is missed. Our sister chapter, Bowling Green Charter, meets on the first Tuesday of each month at the Greenwood Interchange Holiday Inn. I challenge each of the new members to strive for perfect attendance and encourage our seasoned members to maintain their perfect records.

BOSS NIGHT needs our attention! Be sure your Boss of the Year Letter is ready for the May dinner meeting. Get your RESERVATIONS to Becky as soon as possible. Pat Glasscock, President

HOW TO STRENGTHEN OUR ORGANIZATION

Attend Meetings Regularly

- Make it a matter of principle to attend meetings regularly. You can't participate unless you are physically present.
- 2. Be more than a "joiner" or dues-payer. If you think an organization is worth joining, then it deserves your personal, active, and continuing support.
- Don't stay away from meetings just because they are not run the way you think they should be. Strive patiently to improve them and encourage others to do the same.
- 4. Remember, you have little right to grumble about meetings if you don't bother to attend them.

Keep in Mind the Purposes of Your Organization

- Occasionally review the By Laws in the <u>Procedure</u> Manual.
- Persuade fellow members to stick to the purposes of the organization.

Live up to the Duties of Membership

- A good member willingly fulfills the responsibilities that go along with her rights.
- A good member knows that what she does or leaves undone, helps or hurts everybody.
- A good member realizes her limitations, but does what is reasonably expected of her.
- A good member opens her ears to listen as well as opens her mouth to speak.
- A good member carries out decisions promptly and intelligently.

Show A Personal Interest

- Work in any organization can become quite cold and impersonal unless the members go out of their way to inject a warm, personal note to everything they do.
- 2. Be cordial instead of distant or hostile.
- Blend gentleness with firmness when you must take a stand.

- 4. Keep lines of communication open.
- 5. Disagree without becoming disagreeable.
- 6. Give assurance to those who are frustrated.
- Respect the feelings and viewpoints of others no matter how much they differ from yours.
- Listen attentively when others have the floor. Whispering or causing distractions is discourteous, to say the least.

Be a Peacemaker

A sign hangs on the wall of one dedicated official who is often caught in the middle of various opposing groups. It reads: "Blessed are the peacemakers---for they shall catch the devil from both sides!" When misunderstandings arise, you can help clear the air by trying to reach a peaceful accord.

Give your Officers Respect and Co-operation

Even if persons whom you did not support are elected to office, they represent you. They should get the wholehearted help you would expect if you were in their place.

- 1. Offer constructive suggestions.
- 2. Don't tell them only what you think they want to hear.
- On the other hand, don't keep serving up a stream of narrowly critical complaints.
- 4. Speak well of your officers to non-members.

Encourage Don't Discourage

A "wet blanket" is defined as: "A person or thing that quenches or dampens enthusiasm, pleasure, or the like.

- "Wet blankets" are quick to complain about a situation, * but slow to do anything about it.
- They are more interested in fault-finding than in fact finding.
- They are accustomed to speak of the group as "they" instead of "we".
- 4. Don't be a "wet blanket". Be a candlelighter, more anxious to improve than disapprove, more interested in getting action than fixing the blame for inaction, more concerned with winning cooperation, than winning agruments.

Persuade Capable Persons to Run for Office

Leaders seldom rise much above the level of those who take a hand in choosing them.

- Point out to individuals with the capacity and motivation what great good they can do by serving in positions of leaderships.
- 2. Find out beforehand their qualifications: Do they represent the best thinking of the group? Will they move ahead prudently or rest on their oars? Can they get along with people? Do they have vision and initiative? Will they train new persons to understudy them? Are they persons of moral character?
- Act on the basis of such qualifications, not personal loyalty or selfish advantage.
- 4. Stand by them once they are elected.

Samuel Johnson once said "Great works are performed not by strength, but by PERSEVERANCE."

WELCOME NEVA WATT

Our newest member is Neva Kaye Watt who is payroll clerk at the Electric Plant Board. She and her son Roger Allan Watt reside on Route #3, Smiths Grove, Kentucky. Her hobby is sewing. Neva's favorite color is blue and her favorite food is salads. We are real glad to have you as a member of our organization!

MAY IS SCHOLARSHIP MONTH

Be sure to get acquainted with our scholarship recipients at the May dinner meeting. Our local scholarships went to Cassandra Belcher, Susan Bray, and Brenda Taylor. Wendy Burkes is on an SBMEF Outright Grant.

REMEMBER BOSS NIGHT - JUNE 19 - AT RAMADA INN

IMPORTANT DATES

TUESDAY, MAY 25, 1971 - Regular monthly meeting***Be sure to have your BOSS OF THE YEAR letter ready (follow the form given to you at the April meeting).

MONDAY, JUNE 14, 1971 - All reservations must be in by this date---the cost is \$6 per person---all reservations are to be made with Becky Morehead, Treasurer.

SATURDAY, JUNE 19, 1971 - Boss Night---Mrs. Florence Barrett as guest speaker---selection of the Boss of the Year---a happy night for all.

TUESDAY, JUNE 22, 1971 - Anniversary Night---Recognition for deserving members---"A Special Treat".

A Big THANK YOU to Allen Dodd, Jr. for the donation of refreshments served during the social hour at our April Meeting when Mrs. Bert Combs was honored.

MEMORIAL DAY

MAY 31

Commemorative to yourself, to prove that the unnecessary was not done for the ungrateful. The testament of these peoples worth is inscribed in the minds of the ones who knew them.

Remember your loved ones May 31.

FINAL REPORT OF THE "LITTLE MISS BOWLING GREEN PAGEANT" 1971

The fourth annual "Little Miss Bowling Green Pageant" was held at McNeill School on April 23, 1971, and can be termed only a SUCCESS. This was due mainly to the participation of each member of our Chapter.

All age groups were filled with twenty to each group. The winners were: Stacy Fryrear, 1 - 2 years; Melanie Thornton, 3 - 4 years; and Jodie Stephens, 5 - 6 years.

The gross amount received was \$648 and \$102.08 in expenses as of May 12, 1971, left a net of \$545.92.

I haven't had an opportunity to say thanks to each of you for your cooperation, but let this be my opportunity to say a big "THANKS" to all.

> Anna Sue Jackson Chairman

BOSS NIGHT-----JUNE 19, 1971

Our 1971 Boss Night will be June 19 at the Ramada Inn, The social hour will begin at 6:30 P.M. with dinner at 7:30 P.M. The cost of the dinner is \$6 per person. Reservations are to be made with Becky Morehead.

We are very happy to have Mrs. George (Florence) Barrett as our guest speaker. Florence is National Co-ordinator and Editor of WOMEN IN BUSINESS. You won't want to miss her!!

Our theme, OUR KENTUCKY, covers a great deal as this is our heritage---a place to be proud of.

All of the committee chairmen have been appointed and are hard at work with their committees.

We would like for each of you to bring your boss, as this is HIS night!

Boss of the Year letters must be in by May 25, 1971.

Florence Perkins Chairman

KENTUCKY COLONEL CHAPTER AMERICAN BUSINESS WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

PROGRAM	MAY 25, 1971		
SOCIAL HOUR	6:30 to 7:00 P.M.		
INVOCATION	Member		
DINNER			
GUESI	SPEAKER		
INTRODUCTION	Brenda Williams		
	David Medford, Assistant Director - Western Kentucky University		
	ner, Bowling Green High School		
BUSIN	ESS MEETING		
BENEDICTION	Member		
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BIRTHDA	Y CARNATIONS		
Iva Miller	May 8		
Betty Jean Moulder	May 8		
Joyce Tabor	May 8		
Gladys Walker	May 16		
Lucille Walton	May 21		
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REMEMBER: BOSS NIGHT	, June 19, 1971, 6:30 P.M. at		

Ramada Inn.

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INVOCATION

Lord, in the quiet of this evening hour, We come to Thee for wisdom, and for power; To view Thy world through only love-filled eyes; To grow in understanding; to be wise And sure to see Thy guiding light; and thus To know each other as Thou knowest us.

Amen

BENEDICTION

O Guiding Spirit, Guardian of our days, Be with us as we go our separate ways, Help us to feel those thoughts that lift and bless, To know a closer bond of friendliness; To see Thy beauty always---every day, Translated into living---this we pray.

Amen