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President Bob Innes of Gillette, WY called the Annual Meeting of the U.S. Targhee Sheep Association to order on July 12, 1996 in River Falls, WI at Farm #2.

The Directors and the new secretary were introduced. The 1995 financial reports were distributed. George Mann, Fairchild, WI moved to approve the financial report as written. Glenn High, Lexington, OH seconded the motion. Motion passed. The reading of the minutes from the previous meeting were dispensed of as there were no additions or corrections.

Committee Reports

NSIP: Judy Scanlan, Dayville, OR reported on the upcoming Sire Summary. With the new program implemented true EPDs rather than FEPDs are reported. To encourage increased participation on in the NSIP Yearling Ram class at least \$200.00 will be awarded to the recipient of the John C. Paugh Outstanding NSIP Ram award.

PROMOTION: Nick Isaacs, Keldron, SD asked for another Promotion Committee participant. The Directory has been updated and reprinted. Copies are available at the Show and Sale. The PEP flier will be reprinted this fall, the committee met earlier to discuss changes. A 10-15 minute video will be produced featuring Targhee sheep. The video will be edited from tapes that the membership sends to the office. The video will be sent to serious perspective buyers &/or members. New promotions committee members are Linda Clements, Byron, MI and Rob Zelinsky, Arlington, WI.

MD SHEEP & WOOL FESTIVAL/E. REGIONAL TARGHEE SHOW: Linda Clements updated the membership on the festival. Six exhibitors entered the show with 33 head. We need 35 head to maintain a separate breed show in 1997. Good response was noted from spectators. The MD Sheep & Wool Festival is the 1st weekend in May.

SALE COMMITTEE: Rudy Erickson, Wilson, WI asked consignors to please park away from the building during the sale. He commented that everything had gone smoothly and the quality presented was outstanding. A Fund Auction will be held at the evening banquet.

Old Business

No old business was brought up.

New Business

Our association has no provisions for recalling an inspector. Bob Innes reminded inspectors that when they inspect an animal and sign the application they are responsible for the integrity of the application. Lambs that are inspected and later develop faults are not the isolated instances the membership is concerned about--we are trying to alleviate the blatant violations. Karla Turbiville, Mill Iron, MT moved and Nick Isaacs seconded the motion to approve the following **Inspector Notification of Inspector Recall:**

If any member of the association observes an instance of blatant disregard of breed standards by an inspector, that member may file a written, signed complaint with the breed secretary. A complaint must include the date of the observed problem, the nature of the problem, the name of the inspector and the registration number of the sheep involved. (Substantiating evidence, such as photographs, could be included if desired.) The secretary shall send notification of said complaint to the inspector involved. Upon receipt of three complaints from three different people, the directors may consider whether to revoke inspector status of the named individual. The named individual will receive written notification of the complaint and have the opportunity to defend his actions prior to this revocation.

Motion passed. Bob Innes instructed the secretary to send a copy to all inspectors and to also place the information in an upcoming newsletter. This policy will also be sent to all new inspectors with their inspection handbooks.

Selling four tooth yearling rams were discussed. Gerry Scanlan, D.V.M. noted that 6 months is the time frame from the eruption of the tooth until the time the tooth is in wear. The four tooth rule will be a host state prerogative.

Judy Scanlan moved and Charlene VonKrosigk, Riverton, WY moved and seconded that the Association floor price for ewes, rams and lambs will be \$150.00. Individuals may set their own floor prices prior to the beginning of the auction. Motion passed.

Carolyn Green, Melville, MT and Karla Turbiville, Mill Iron, MT were nominated for Montana Director. Carolyn Green was elected. An unanimous ballot was cast for Eastern Director Duane Scheibe, Jeromesville, OH.

There was discussion of holding our National Show & Sale in conjunction with another sale or event such as Sedalia. The secretary will gather information to present. A mini Show and Sale at the 1998 World Sheep & Wool Congress in California was discussed.

Charlene VonKrosigk invited the membership to attend the 1997 Show and Sale in Riverton, WY on July 17, 18 and 19. The Show and Sale will be held at the Fremont County Fair Grounds. She encouraged everyone to make reservations now as there are other area events.

Carolyn Green requested that Montana would like to host the National Show and Sale in 2001--that would be the 50th anniversary of our breed.

Annual banquet location in the lower level of the Clifton Hollow Supper & Golf Club was announced.

Rob Zelinsky inquired about redoing the registration certificates to include more pedigree information and perhaps room for inclusion of performance data. The secretary will check into the request.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Cheryl M. Schudt

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ATTENTION

Any one interested in the part-time secretary/treasurer position with the U.S. TARGHEE Sheep Association, please contact Deb Mrozinski or Bob Innes **imme-**

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Jan Gilger, SD reported on the promotion committee. She noted interest in the development of **TARGHEE** history/producer book. Lambing record books were well received and about gone. Jan explained the cost of organizing a promotion video. A promotion committee meeting will be held Saturday, July 15 at 8:30 a.m. by the 4-H building. All interested people were welcome to come and share ideas.

There was no NSIP committee report. Sire summaries and young sire summaries are available upon request from the National Office.

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Dan Gilger, SD presented the Amendments to be voted on. After a lengthy discussion on Amendment 1 and Amendment 2 were defeated in a ballot vote.

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1994 U.S. TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING MINUTES

The 1994 Annual Meeting of the U.S. TARGHEE Sheep Association membership was called to order by President George Mann (WI) July 14 at 4:15 p.m. at Longmont, CO.

Reading of the secretary's/treasurer's report was dispensed of due to the fact membership received copies in a past newsletter. Glenn High (OH) moved to approve the report. Linda Clements (MI) seconded and the motion passed.

Membership had a discussion concerning number of rams per membership (consignor) which may be entered in the national sales. Glenn High (OH) moved and Fred Moeller (WY) seconded the rule remain the same as past with one yearling ram and one ram lamb per membership. Motion passed.

Fred Moeller (WY) moved to approve directors' recommendation that NSIP Yearling Rams have the option to show in the Yearling Ram Class. Chuck Pitkin (NE) seconded and motion was defeated. Jack McRae (MT) moved the Outstanding NSIP Yearling Ram compete for the National Champion Ram and the remaining NSIP yearling rams sell in a random draw. Charleen Von Krosigk (WY) seconded and the motion passed.

Term limitations for directors was the next item on the agenda. James Faulstich (SD) moved the By-laws be changed so directors be elected by their respective region membership and not the total membership. Jeff Voeltz (SD) seconded. Point of order was called due to By-laws.

Judy Scanlan (OR) and Bob Innes (WY) were nominated for the West Region Director. Bob Innes (WY) elected. Duane Scheibe (OH) and Linda Clements (MI) were nominated to fill Judy Scanlan's directorship representing the East Region. Duane Scheibe (OH) was elected. Judy Scanlan (OH) and Charleen Von Krosigk (WY) were nominated for the Director At-Large. Judy Scanlan (OH) was elected.

Location for the future National TARGHEE Show and Sales were discussed. Tentative locations are as follows: 1995 — Miles City, Montana; 1996 — Wisconsin; 1997 — Wyoming.

It was announced the board recommended \$100 floor price for the 1994 National TARGHEE Sale. Glenn High (OH) moved to set the floor price at \$150. L.B. Turner (MT) seconded and the motion passed.

Jan Gilger (SD) gave a report on the promotion committee. Membership made suggestions on ways to spend the promotion fund.

Glenn High (OH) suggested Banner Sale Management be sent a thank you for their cooperation in holding the 1994 National TARGHEE Show & Sale in conjunction with the Top of the Rockies.

A short discussion was held concerning sore mouth vaccination rules for future National TARGHEE Shows & Sales. It was recommended that consignors and buyers develop an isolation program whenever bringing sheep into their flocks.

Glenn High (OH) moved and Bobby Clements (MI) seconded to adjourn

1993 U.S. TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING MINUTES

The 1993 Annual Meeting of the U.S. TARGHEE Sheep Association membership was called to order by President, Bob Innes (WY) July 23 at 3:05 pm at Brookings, SD.

Reading of the secretary's/treasurer's report was dispensed of due to the fact membership received copies in a past newsletter.

Jack McRae (MT) gave the NSIP Committee Report. His comments included complimenting judge Fred Eagleson for his confirmation comments and a copy will be sent to 1994 judge as an example of what is expected.

Glenn High (OH) gave the Promotions Committee Report. This committee recommends a \$10.00 annual promotions fee for all membership, excluding junior members, currently registering TARGHEES due September 1 of each year. After a lengthy discussion Fred Moller (WY) so moved and Noonie Barton (IL) seconded. Motion passed.

Jack McRae (MT) moved and Chase Hibbard (MT) seconded a promotion fee of \$1.00/head registered. (CORRECTION: A PROMOTION FEE OF \$1.00/HEAD, AFTER 10 HEAD REGISTERED.) After discussion motion failed. George Mann (WI) reminded secretary to change fee schedule.

A special "thank you" was given to Fred Moller (WY) for the backdrop for pictures, that he made and donated.

OLD BUSINESS:

Chase Hibbard (MT) explained the necessary steps to adopting the Article of Corporation to strengthen and make consistent with the original intent of by-laws. Glenn High (OH) moved and Duane Schiebe (OH) seconded to approve by-laws. Motion passed. Jack McRae (MT) moved and Chase Hibbard (MT) seconded to re-elect current directors with current terms. Motion passed.

Alternative lot numbering techniques for future show and sales were discussed. Si-ro mark was recommended and used at the 1993 National TARGHEE Show and Sale. Future sales will work with any recommendations which come from ASI or from paint test results.

NEW BUSINESS:

Jerry Scanlan (NH) moved and John Paugh (MT) seconded a \$100.00 floor price for the 1993 National TARGHEE Sale. Motion carried. Auctioneer, Dean Stoltenberg was introduced and consignors were reminded to set a higher floor price they must communicate their terms directly to the auctioneer.

Rachel Baker, Ag Images, Ltd. representative, would be available Saturday, July 24 to discuss the up-coming directory ads.

Glenn High (OH) moved and Jack McRae (MT) seconded National TARGHEE Show & Sale entries postmark after set date would be charged \$10.00/head with no guarantee of sale catalog listing. Motion passed.

Membership had a lengthy discussion concerning location for the 1994 National TARGHEE Show & Sale. Directors will make a final decision after getting more facts.

Explanation of geographical areas in which directors would be elected was given. Judy Scanlan (NH) nominated and Ernest Knipfer (MT) seconded Carolyn Green (MT) for the Montana Director. John Paugh (MT) moved and Mike Green (MT) seconded a unanimous ballot be cast for Carolyn. Motion passed.

George Nann (WI) nominated and Moonie Barton (IL) seconded Dale Albricht for the Eastern Region. Glenn High (OH) nominated and Barb Case (IN) seconded Judy Scanlan for the Eastern Region. Judy Scanlan (NH) was elected.

1993 National TARGHEE Sale Orders were distributed. Jim Faulstich (SD) and Marcia Ruzicka (SD) were given a round of applause for their job as co-sale chairpersons. They each were given opportunity for comments.

Meeting adjourned.

MINUTES OF THE 1992 U.S. TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING

The 1992 Annual Meeting of the U.S. Targhee Sheep Association membership was called to order by President, Bob Innes (WY) on July 24, at 3:15 pm at Thermopolis, WY.

Paula Brakke (SD) moved and Carol Hafner (WY) seconded to dispense of reading the 1991 annual meeting minutes and treasure's report as the membership received a copy. Motion passed.

OLD BUSINESS:

Jack McRae (MT) reported on the NSIP Yearling Ram Class Committee. More detailed explanation of evaluation to be given by both judges (records judge and animal judge) and comments should be posted for prospective buyers.

30 day advance registration is required for the National Targhee Show and Sale and secretary is instructed to enforce this rule.

Secretary, Deb Mrozinski gave a report on the new directories. Membership is to inform any possible advertiser that checks were cashed by a publisher in Helena, Montana and he did not print the directory. Description of head correction needs to be printed in the next directory.

Table-top display has been in about 10 different states and is currently in Michigan. Barbara Case (IN) was commended on a job well done at the Maryland Wool Festival. Those who have used or seen the display relayed positive comments on the display. Membership was reminded that new ideas and pictures are continually needed to make the display attractive and productive.

Les Smith (WY) moved to approve By-laws. Lance Stover (OR) second and motion passed unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS:

Dean and Charleen Von Krosigk (WY) gave a summary of the 1992 National Targhee Show. They thanked the WY Wool Growers for use of the sale ring at no charge, Farm Credit Services provided the coffee and donuts and all those who volunteered to help put the show & sale together. Fred Moller (WY) moved to set the floor price at \$100.00. Alyce Krakow (WY) seconded and motion passed. Consignors were reminded if they wish to set a higher floor price they are to speak with the auctioneer directly.

The secretary read the recommendation for registration prior to 90 days of age: A temporary non-transferable registration certificate may be issued at any age of the animal. The temporary certificate expires at the animals age of 12 months. For rams to be permanently registered the ram must pass inspection after the age of 90 days by an association approved inspector. The fee for permanent registration is the same as the temporary certificate and the permanent certificate will replace the temporary certificate at no additional cost. The afore mentioned rules regarding rams are the same for ewes except that inspection of ewes is not required but highly recommended by the association. Betty Hill (NY) so moved, George Mann (WI) seconded, and motion passed.

Election of two directors was then held. Karla Turbiville (MT) nominated Marcia Ruzicka (SD). Jim Faulstich (SD) seconded. Paula Brakke (SD) moved nominations be closed and unanimous ballot be cast. Roger King (MT) seconded and motion passed. Duane Schiebe (OH) nominated Glenn A. High (OH). Marcia Ruzicka (SD) seconded. Jerry Scanlan (NH) nominated George Mann (WI). Fred Moller (WY) seconded. Betty Hill (NY) nominated Judy Scanlan (NH). Pat Jordan (MT) seconded. Fred Moller (WY) moved

and helped in the various capacities to make the National Show & Sale a success.

The NSIP ram class was held for the first time and those breeders that entered and participated should be commended. We think we can continue to improve on the way this class is presented so that the production end of the TARGHEE can be showcased to the rest of the sheep industry. Certainly we have some work to do but the enthusiasm and interest continues to be very high. Judy Scanlan and Jack McRae have put in hours of work on this project. If you have any thoughts, opinions, or suggestions for the 1993 NSIP yearling ram class please take time to call either Jack, Judy or myself.

A new committee was established for promotions and advertising. The members of the committee are Glenn High, Jan Gilger, and Charleen Von Krosigk. Please feel free to contact these three individuals if you have some ideas for promoting the TARGHEE breed.

The TARGHEE Association is in the process of putting together a video tape to demonstrate an acceptable inspection technique along with examples of sheep that have certain unacceptable characteristics for stud registry. This tape will help clear up some questionable situations for people who are learning the inspection procedure. New breeders should also benefit when evaluating their stud ewe or stud ram candidates. The tape should be completed by January 1.

I know that it seems early but all TARGHEE people need to start plans for attending the 1993 National TARGHEE Show and Sale in South Dakota. Marcia Ruzicka and Jim Faulstich are leading a very enthusiastic group of breeders from South Dakota, Nebraska, North Dakota, and Minnesota in organizing the event. They are on the ball--already I have seen advertising for the 1993 sale in some of the regional livestock publications. I urge you as members of the U. S. Targhee Sheep Association to plan on attending either as exhibitors and consignors, or as a buyer or both. A very wise inspector and current TARGHEE Hall of Fame member, Mel Lynch always told me when we started selecting sheep each year for the National TARGHEE Show & Sale, "always take a sheep to sell that you would be willing to buy yourself, never take something that you are culling". If everyone uses this as a rule of thumb, both buyers and consignors will be satisfied.

There are numerous other subjects and items I would enjoy discussing with you but I must wind it up for now. If you are curious as to what those other subjects may be I would be delighted to visit with you. If you prefer to talk to someone that is much more on top of things than myself, call Deb at the office.

I wish each of you a pleasant winter complete with happy holidays and a very profitable spring in 1993.

Sincerely,

President, Robert Innes

nominations be closed. Sven Svenson (MT) seconded and motion passed. Nominees were given an opportunity to speak on their own behalf. George Mann (WI) was elected by secret ballot.

Marcia Ruzicka (SD) invited membership July 22-24, 1993 to the 1993 National Targhee Show and Sale at the Animal Science Complex, Brookings, South Dakota.

Glenn High (OH) will chair a promotions committee. Jan Gilger (SD) and Charleen Von Krosigk (WY) will also serve on this committee. Please communicate ideas and suggestions to those serving on the committee.

Fred Moller (WY) volunteered to make a back-drop for the National Targhee Show & Sale to aid in picture taking at the future shows.

A discussion on National Targhee Show and Sale hosts may hook up with a state fair as to help with the expenses. Jack McRae (MT) reminded the membership it is up to the host state to chose location.

Bob Padula, ASI representative, commended the U.S. Targhee Sheep Association for their show and the addition of the NSIP Yearling Ram Class. He continued to say ASI does not approve of paint branding with a non-scourable paint. Discussion on the subject continued and alternative numbering methods will be investigated.

Jack McRae (MT) reported on his future adventure as a representative to the World Sheep & Wool Congress.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

DIRECTOR MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Glenn High (OH) will chair the promotions committee. Charleen Von Krosigk (WY) & Jan Gilger (SD) will serve on this committee.

Secretary has been informed to enforce 30 day advance registration for Targhees entered in the National Targhee Show & Sale.

Please read the annual meeting minutes concerning registration of animals prior to 90 days of age.

New approved inspectors include: James Caldwell, Granger, Washington
Richard D. Gressley, Fogelsville, Pennsylvania
Roger P. King, Augusta, Montana
H. James Mueller, Pine Bluffs, Wyoming

Bob Innes (WY) elected President and Carolyn Green (MT) elected Vice President.

The board approved hiring Deb Mrozinski as executive secretary for the next fiscal year.

U.S. TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION NEWSLETTER DECEMBER, 1992

It has been brought to my attention that the 1992 U.S. TARGHEE Association Annual Meeting minutes should read, "Bob Padula, ASI representative, was voicing the opinion of the wool mills regarding the paint brands and not ASI".

MINUTES OF THE 1991 NATIONAL TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING

The 1991 Annual Meeting of the U.S. Targhee Sheep Association membership was called to order by President Glenn A. High (OH) on July 26, at 3:10pm at River Falls, WI.

George Mann (WI) moved and Linda Clements (MI) seconded to dispense of reading the 1990 annual meeting minutes as the membership received a copy. Motion passed. Rodell Singert (WI) moved to dispense of the treasure report as membership will receive a copy. Duane Scheibe (OH) seconded and motion passed.

OLD BUSINESS:

None.

NEW BUSINESS:

President Glenn High (OH) read the 1992 NSIP Yearling Ram Class committee report. Bob Innes (WY) suggested Wyoming would have a market for the additional ram class at the 1992 National Targhee Sale. The hosting state should determine the estimate for number of ram sales. A short discussion concerning number of micron tests per side of NSIP ram was held. A show of hands determined one sample verses two samples would be acceptable. Rodell Singert (WI) suggested the rules be reviewed after first year. Randy Cutler (WI) moved to accept the committee rules as presented by committee. Duane Richards (WI) seconded. After continued discussion concerning judging of the class, Randy amended the motion to draw sale order and have the judge give an oral evaluation of each ram. Duane Richards (WI) seconded. The main motion and amendment passed.

Dean VonKrosigk (WY) reported 1992 National Targhee Show & Sale plans were well underway. Wyoming pins and brochures were passed out. A Junior Targhees show is to be on the 1992 show agenda. The Jr. exhibitor would not have to sell their Targhees. Charleen VonKrosigk (WY) suggested the banquet may be dropped due to the cost and perhaps the membership is ready for something different. Watch for details as time draws nearer.

Jack McRae (MT) moved the Board of Directors set where and when the 1992 National Targhee meeting will be. Dean VonKrosigk (WY) seconded and motion passed.

Jack McRae (MT) moved to accept a resolution to support the ASI "Vote Yes Campaign". Dean Von Krosigk (WY) seconded and motion passed. Where as, the success of the US sheep industry is based on improved sales of lamb and wool, and where as the U.S. Targhee Sheep Association supports the efforts of American Sheep Industry Association; therefore the U.S. Targhee Sheep Association encourages all members to vote "yes" in the National Sheep Referendum August 19-30, 1991.

Rodell Singert (WI) moved to accept the same floor price as last year for the sale being \$125 for lambs and \$150 for yearlings. Duane Richards (WI) seconded and motion passed. Rudy Erickson informed consignors, if a higher floor price is desired, that individual must communicate their wishes in writing to the auctioneer.

Election of two directors was then held. Judy Scanlan (NH) nominated Dean VonKrosigk (WY). Paula Brakke (SD) moved nominations be closed and unanimous ballot be cast. Rodell Singert (WI) seconded and motion passed. Rodell Singert (WI) nominated Bob Innes (WY). Rusty Roush nominated Fred Moeller (WY). Marcia Ruzicka, (SD) moved nominations be closed. Karla Turbiville (MT) seconded and motion passed. Bob and Fred were given an opportunity to speak on their own behalf. Bob Innes was elected by secret ballot.

Brief discussion held concerning a table top display. Membership should send ideas and pictures to the secretary. Shipping to producer is the expense of association. The return postage is the producer's responsibility.

Glenn High (OH) asked if the U.S. Targhee Sheep Association would be interested in supporting a regional show. Dean VonKrosigk (WY) moved to support regional show in the eastern area. Linda Clements (MI) seconded and motion passed.

Charleen VonKrosigk (WY) moved the U.S. Targhee Sheep Association membership thank the WI Targhee Association and Rudy Erickson and family for sponsoring a good National Show and Sale. Carolyn Green (MT) seconded and motion passed. Thank you Rudy Erickson family and the Wisconsin Targhee Sheep Association on a job well done!

Duane Scheibe (OH) moved to adjourn the meeting. Rodell Singert (WI) seconded and the meeting was adjourned at 5:00pm.

DIRECTOR MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Sifting committee report discussed and updated. Revised report will be sent to next years show and sale manager.

NSIP committee report presented to membership and supported. The report will be mailed to membership at a later date.

Registration application 30 day in advance to national show still required.

Bob Innes (WY) elected President and Carolyn Green (MT) elected Vice President.

TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP to be mailed to secretary within 45 DAYS or fee DOUBLED.

The U.S. Targhee Sheep Association's fiscal year will be January 1 to December 31.

The board approved hiring Deb Mrozinski as executive secretary for the next fiscal year.

WEEK-END HIGHLIGHTS

Hall of Fame recipients were: Art Pope, Glenn Richards, and Carl Rydberg.

Congratulations to Albricht Farm, Colfax, WI for Premier Exhibitor and to Brian Beach, Ekalaka, MT for Premier Jr. Exhibitor.

Thank you for your efforts to make the 1991 National Targhee Show & Sale a success:

- Art Pope-National Targhee Show Judge
- Mark Goehring, North Central Wool Marketing-Wool Judge
- Rudy Erickson Family-manager and hosts
- University of WI-Madison-facilities
- Sara & Barb Johnson-hosting picnic at their farm
- George Mann family-awards and video
- Randy & Sally Cutler-organizing banquet
- Larry Bauman-accurate DVM
- Rodell Singert-branding and sifting committee

Video of 1991 National Targhee Show available upon request from secretary.

Von Krosigk Family donated the sale of a ewe lamb to fund the 1992 Jr. Show. Mrozinski family purchased the ewe for \$200 and redonated her to sell again. Double J Targhees, Platteville, WI repurchased the ewe lamb for \$175. \$375 was raised on behalf of the Jr. Show from the sale of the Von Krosigk ewe lamb. Thank you for your support.

Thank you to all consignors and sale supporters for making the 1991 Nation Targhee Show & Sale a success.

MINUTES OF THE 1990 NATIONAL TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING

The 1990 Annual Meeting of the membership of the U.S. Targhee Sheep Association was called to order by President Glenn A. High on July 27, at 3:30pm at the Winter Fair Office, Bozeman, Montana.

Secretary's report was read and approved. A combination of July 1, 1989-March, 1990 and Feb. 1, 1990-June 30, 1990 treasurer's report was read. A copy of the treasurer's report will be mailed to the membership with the minutes from the 1990 annual meeting.

OLD BUSINESS:

Jack McRae gave a report on the poll that was taken on methods to raise revenue for advertising. After a brief discussion, Rudy Erickson(WI) moved to assess a \$10.00 fee to producers who register 10 or more Targhees/year. Chase Hibbard(MT) seconded, motion passed.

NEW BUSINESS:

Rudy Erickson(WI) invited the U.S. Targhee Sheep Association to have their 1991 National Show and Sale on July 26-27 in River Falls, Wisconsin. John Paugh(MT) moved that the board accept the invitation. George Mann(WI) seconded. After a short discussion the motion passed.

Chase Hibbard(MT) moved to incorporate a thank you in the 1990 annual meeting minutes to Jack McRae for the outstanding job he had done while serving as the U.S. Targhee Sheep Association's executive secretary. John Paugh(MT) seconded, motion passed.

Dave Lusk(CA) stated, that in his judgement, the quality at the National Targhee Show has improved over the years he has attended.

There was a short discussion on the date of the National Targhee Show and Sale. No permanent date set, thus the state hosting the National would determine the date.

Bob Innes(WY) reported that the board of directors recommend a floor price of \$125.00/lamb and \$150.00/yearling for the consignment at the 1990 National Targhee Show and Sale. If the consignor prefers a higher floor price, that individual must communicate their wishes to the auctioneer. Rudy Erickson(WI) so moved. George Mann(WI) seconded, motion passed.

Election for two directors was held. Lawrence Capra(MT) nominated Carolyn Green(MT). Sven Svenson(MT) moved that a unanimous ballot be cast. Larry Arnold(MT) seconded, motion passed. Rudy Erickson(WI) nominated Duane Richards(WI) for another term. Jack McRae(MT) moved to close nominations and that a unanimous ballot be cast for Duane Richards(WI). George Mann(WI) seconded, motion passed.

It was also stated that the board of directors would not make any recommendations on Ovine Progressive Pneumonia(OPP). They felt it is up to the individual Targhee producers to determine their flock OPP status.

Dean VonKrosigk(WY) stated that an up-date on the by-laws would be presented at the 1991 annual meeting.

Linda Clements(MI) asked about the new directories. It was reported that Chase Hibbard(MT) talked to Mr. Dunham, the contracted printer, and they should be to the secretary in three weeks.

Judy Scanlan(NH) asked if the directors meetings were open to the membership. Glenn High(OH) responded yes and the next directors meeting would be 7:00 am Saturday, July 28, 1990.

Dean VonKrosigk(WY) stated he felt the 1990 National Targhee Show and Sale was well

hosted by the Montana Targhee Association. Glenn High(OH) thanked Carolyn Green(MT) for all her work in organizing the week-end. Carolyn Green(MT) thanked Jack McRae(MT) and Pat Jordan(MT) for their help and support.

Dean VonKrosigk(WY) gave an overview of the scur issue. He stated that every year the issue of scurs is discussed. It is time the association adopt a policy and put that statement in the breed standards. Keith Beach(MT) feels the association is making contradictory statements about scurs. Chase Hibbard(MT) stated he is an advocate of a clear rule or standard, however it must be manageable as to not to eliminate a broad genetic pool. Rudy Erickson(WI) remembers 20 years ago one could tell by looking at the Targhee as to who produced it. Today, Targhees are more uniform. Keith Beach(MT) requests the National regulate a clear rule so the producer knows where the association stands. Chase Hibbard(MT) believes it is easy to enforce a rule, but the problem comes with interpreting it. Jerry Scanlan(NH) stated that the standards say scurs are not acceptable, but yet we allow them. Polled breeds do not accept a horny tissue attached to the skull. Scurs are a product of the skin. Chase Hibbard(MT) moved the breed standards read, "Targhee sheep are a polled breed (a naturally hornless animal). The horn socket shall be free of any growth that is attached to the skull." Lawrence Capra(MT) seconded, motion passed.

Lawrence Capra(MT) moved to adjourn the meeting. Duane Scheibe(OH) seconded and the meeting was adjourned at 5:00pm.

Thank you Jack McRae for an outstanding job while serving as the U.S. Targhee Sheep Association executive secretary. The association will benefit from your input for years to come.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETINGS

The board will not make any recommendation on OPP. It is up to the individual Targhee producer to determine their flock OPP status.

Carolyn Green and Glenn High are to develop a policy manual for the sifting committee to follow.

The board recommends the following for the 1991 National Targhee Show and Sale:

1. All rams have an Eliza Test 30 days prior to sale.
2. All stud rams have a micron test after June 1 of current year.
3. Submit application for registration (for consignment) 30 days prior to sale.
4. Number sheep and check registration papers while the sifting committee is working the consignment.

The next registry application forms ordered should include owner's signature to verify the information and requests. Lambs will be registered to the person in possession of the dam when the lamb is born. The breeder line will be used on the registration paper when a ewe has been sold during gestation.

The board approved hiring Deb Mrozinski as executive secretary for the next fiscal year.

U.S. TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION
MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE MEMBERSHIP

The annual meeting of the membership of the U.S. Targhee Sheep Association was held August 19, 1989, on the grounds of the Ohio State Fair, Columbus, Ohio. The meeting was called to order by Dean Von Krosigk, president of the Association, at 3:30 p.m. with 43 members and guests present.

The minutes of last year's annual meeting; the secretary's, and treasurer's report were given and approved.

OLD BUSINESS:

The secretary reported that a letter had been sent to the U.S. Sheep Experiment Station, Dubois, Idaho stating that the U.S. Targhee Sheep Association was no longer interested in the breeding experiment that had been discussed several years ago. This letter was in response to a motion made at last year's annual meeting.

Rodell Singert (WI) made note of a letter in The National Woolgrower last year written by Leo Pfister. The letter commented on how long it had taken for reports of the National Targhee Show and Sale to be in the press. The secretary responded that the report had been in the local newspaper (Huron, South Dakota) for four days during the event, and that news releases had been sent to all major sheep magazines within a week. Also, releases were sent to the hometown newspapers of those who win classes in the National Show for a total of about 30 releases going out within a week. The deadline for national magazines is such that it may be October, or November, before they are printed.

NEW BUSINESS:

Linda Clements (MI) inquired as to the possibility of Association sponsored sales in areas of the country where the National is not being held. Glenn High (OH) stated that it was up to the breeders to furnish the sheep and we can get into established area sales such as "The Top of the Rockies" or "The Keystone Sale". Dean Von Krosigk (WY) noted that getting enough sheep into such a sale is very important if we wish to generate enough interest to draw a crowd. Charlene Von Krosigk (WY) reported on the "Western Targhee Classic held in Orland, California, in May, 1989. She said that there is thin line between enough sheep to draw interest and too many that floods the market.

Denise Koch (PA) asked for a clarification as to what age a ram lamb has to be before it can be inspected. Glenn High (OH) answered that there is nothing definite in our rules regarding a minimum age. The secretary said that he has had them as young as two days (with an inspector's signature, and that he had refused to register them. He did note that the rules do allow the breeder to inspect a ram and get a "Provisional Certificate" which allows the showing of the ram without getting an inspector to look at the ram.

Rodell Singert (WI) requested that the Board of Directors investigate OPP free status for the Targhee breed.

Dean Von Krosigk spoke on the Association Constitution which was last updated in 1967. There are several parts of the Constitution which are outdated and other sections that need to be changed. One possibility is to have more directors and elect them from districts. For this purpose he appointed the following committee:

Chase Hibbard, chairman
Glenn High
Robert Innes
J.Wendell Bayles
Jack McRae

Dean Von Krosigk announced that the Board of Directors would be studying the current Association rule on scurs, and if a change is warranted, the Directors would so act. Richard Persons (NH) asked

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that the wording of the rule definite with how it is read. Rodell Singert (WI) moved that the Directors report prior to the 1990 National Show and Sale, and that any rule change be in effect at the event. Seconded by Richard Persons. Motion carried.

President Von Krosigk brought up the fact that the Targhee Associations lifetime membership puts us at a disadvantage to other breed Associations in the area of revenues available for advertising. After discussion three methods of increasing revenues were mentioned. 1) A \$10.00 a year surcharge for those members registering ten or more sheep per year with all money raised to go toward advertising. 2) Raise the lifetime membership fee from \$25.00. 3) Raise the fee for registering animals from its present \$4.00 per ram and \$3.00 per ewe. Discussion was held as to the pros and cons of each method. Rodell Singert (WI) moved that the secretary poll the membership. Motion was seconded and carried.

Charlene Von Krosigk (WY) suggested that the Association consider holding its National Show and Sale in July. Gerald Scanlan (NH) asked that an advisory vote be taken as to whether those present would like to see the National held in July. Second by Linda Clements (MI). Results were: Favor holding National in July--15. Opposed--4.

Duane Scheibe (OH) moved that the Directors set the time and date of the next annual meeting. Seconded by Steve Scott (VA). Motion carried.

Glenn High (OH) moved that in all National Sales, that rams will sell before ewes. Second by Linda Clements. Motion carried.

Linda Clements moved that a minimum bid of \$150 be placed on all lots for the 1989 National sale. Second by Denise Koch (PA). Motion carried.

Election was held for two directors. Rodell Singert (WI) nominated Marcia Ruzicka of South Dakota. Steve Scott (VA) moved that an unanimous ballot be cast. Carried. Rodell Singert (WI) nominated Glenn High of Ohio and moved that an unanimous ballot be cast. Carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:00 p.m.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

The Board of Directors voted to record the registration certificates on a duplicate system beginning with registration number 50,000. This is about one year away. At this time the secretary writes each paper out in ledger books.

The 1990 National Show and Sale will be held July 26-28, in Bozeman, Montana. It is planned that the 26th will be a day of informational sheep related demonstrations; the 27th will be the show, and the 28th the sale.

In the election of officers, Glenn High was elected president and Bob Innes was elected Vice President.

MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING
AUGUST 28, 1988

The annual meeting of the membership of the U.S. Targhee Sheep Association was called to order by President Dean Von Krosigk at the Crossroads Convention Center in Huron, South Dakota. There were 46 members and guests present.

Dean thanked the South Dakota Targhee Association for hosting the National Show and Sale.

The minutes of the 1987 annual meeting, the treasurer's report, and the secretary's reports were approved as read.

There was no Old Business.

New Business: Rodell Singert made a motion that the secretary send a letter to the U.S. Sheep Experiment Station, Dubois, Idaho, terminating our agreement for breeding project. Second by Gerald Scanlan. Discussion: It was voiced that production improvement should come from within the breed. Chase Hibbard noted that the project was lacking support from Dubois and was dead without a letter from us. Motion carried.

Rodell Singert made motion that in the future the National Targhee Show and Sale not be held in conjunction with a State Fair. Seconded by Fred Moller. Discussion: The association is bound by the fair rules and can not put on a show as it pleases. There is a large crowd of people who are not interested in Targhees that we have to work around. The advantages are exposure to a wider audience and that the fair does a lot of the work and picks up much of the expense. Bob Innes suggested that we have not been doing it with the fairs long enough to make a decision yet and it should be left up to each state as to where to host the National. He moved that the motion be tabled; second by Gerald Scanlan. Motion to table carried.

The sifting procedure was discussed. Twenty six of the sale animals had been sifted for various reasons and it was felt by some that this was excessive. The secretary explained that the procedure for the sifting committee was to have a veterinarian, a Targhee Inspector, and one other qualified person (such as a Rambouillet or Columbia breeder) on the committee. A director accompanies them to answer any questions they might have. Before they began their inspections the Targhee Standards were read to them and they were requested to check that all animals in the Show and Sale "were Targhees and were sound".

Discussion followed as to whether the association was discouraging people from bringing sheep to the National if they stood a good chance of being sifted. Also discussed was what grounds constituted being sifted. It was the opinion of some that if a sheep had registration papers it should only be sifted for unsoundness and not breed standards. There was also some question as to whether animals should be sifted for not making wool standards when it is a subjective call.

The view was stated by others that this is the Association's National Sale and many people come to it to get their start in the breed. For this reason the animals should be sifted for breed standards to protect the new buyers. Also, the opinion was expressed that it is the National Show that sets the standard for the breed and that the animals coming out of the sale should show people across the country what the breed standard is.

It was pointed out that the Association would not be receiving a sale commission on the sifted animals and George Mann moved that the sifted animals be sold after the National Sale, with the reason for sifting given. Second by Paula Brakke. Following discussion the motion was defeated.

Judith Scanlan moved that the Association pay for a micron reading of the side and britch wool of all sale animals. Following a second and discussion the motion was defeated.

Election of Directors Chase Hibbard declined nomination for another term and nominated Bob Innes of Gillette, Wyoming. Rusty Roush nominated Fred Moller of Powell, Wyoming. Bob Innes was elected by secret ballot.

Rodell Singert nominated Dean Von Krosigk to another term. John Eichacker moved that an unanimous ballot be cast; second by Rodell Singert. Motion passed.

Glenn High presented an offer by the Ohio Targhee Association to host the 1989 National Show and Sale in conjunction with the Ohio State Fair in mid-August. Lawrence Capra moved that the directors choose the location of the 1989 Show and Sale; second by Bud Beaström. Motion passed.

Bob Innes moved that the meeting be adjourned; second by Karen Turner. Motion passed.

AGENDA

ANNUAL MEETING

U. S. TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION

Wyoming State Fair
Douglas, Wyoming
August 18, 1987

WELCOME:

INTRODUCTIONS:

ANNUAL MEETING

Call to Order - President Chase Hibbard

1986 Annual Meeting Minutes

1986 Treasurer's Report

1986 Secretary's Report

- 1) number of registrations
- 2) number and discussion of new members
- 3) number of newsletters
- 4) report on information requests
- 5) report on directories
- 6) number of new inspectors and locations
- 7) any other items of concern

President's Report

- 1) Breed Improvement Committee
 - a) CSU project (funding)
 - b) Breeding experiment
 - review what it is about
 - bring up to date
 - recognition of secretary
- 2) New Directory

Report on 1988 Show and Sale plans in South Dakota

Old Business

New Business

Election of Directors

- 1987 - Sven Svensen and Duane Richards
- 1988 - Chase Hibbard and Dean Von Krosigk
- 1989 - Glenn High and Terry Beastrom

Need motion to allow the Directors to set date and place for 1988 National Sale

ADJOURNMENT

**MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING
AUGUST 18, 1987**

The annual meeting of the membership of the U.S. Targhee Sheep Association was held August 18, 1987, at the Wyoming State Fairgrounds, Douglas, Wyoming. President Chase Hibbard called the meeting to order at 3:00 pm with 70 members and guests present.

The minutes of the last meeting, the Treasurer's report, and the Secretary's report were accepted as read.

In the Presidents report Chase gave a progress report on the Colorado State University analysis of Targhee records and the breeding project at Dubois. The work at CSU is progressing and will put the Targhee breed about four years ahead of all other breeds in the National Sheep Improvement Program (NSIP). Chase reported that outside funding had been found for half the cost of the work. The breeding program at Dubois is currently on hold and John Paugh, Chairman of the "Breed Improvement Committee", reported on his conversation with Hudson Glimp, location leader at Dubois. Mr. Glimp was more interested in starting a nucleus flock of superior Targhees from around the country than the breeding program.

The Association is out of the 800 membership directories printed 1½ years ago. Ken Dunham, who printed the last directory, has offered to print 1000 updated directories. He would receive the first \$2600 of advertising revenues and 60% of all moneys above that. The Association would receive the balance. George Mann moved that the Association accept these terms. Glenn High seconded it; motion passed.

It was announced that Terry Mueller and John Paugh are directors of the National Sheep Improvement Program.

Old Business--None.

New Business; The Association's "no scur" rule was discussed. It was noted that the rule is not being uniformly enforced.

Chase gave a review of previous Association actions on scurs and incidents that led to the rule we now have which says: "Targhees are a polled breed and scurs are not approved or accepted". The Board of Directors interpreted this to mean that only a polled socket was acceptable, and had so directed the sifting committee at the National Show and Sale.

Discussion followed as to what is a scur and if the Association is not eliminating good sheep by such strict enforcement.

Judith Scanlan made a motion that "Scurs of ½ inch or less, that can be easily removed by hand (no artificial means allowed, i.e. pliers, hammer & chisel) be acceptable on rams. Cy Winchell seconded the motion. Further discussion followed. It was pointed out that the proving that the scur was easily removable by hand would not leave any evidence as to how much scur there had been. George Mann offered an ammendment to the motion that eliminated the length limit on an allowable scur. It was seconded by Gerald Scanlan. The ammendment was defeated 13 yes; 19 nay.

The original motion was defeated on a voice vote.

George Mann noted that there seems to be more color showing up on Targhees and that the membership should be more selective in what sheep are registered.

Several members noted that the National Sale is where a lot of new members get

their start in the breed and it is important that sifting policy at the sale be strict to protect these people. It was also mentioned that Dubois also has a reputation as a place to get started in the breed and they need to be very strict also.

Election of Directors: Sven Svenson declined nomination for another term. Lawrence Capra nominated Carolyn Green and Bob Innes nominated Terry Mueller. Carolyn Green was elected by secret ballot.

For Duane Richards position on the Board, Rodell Singert nominated Duane and Judith Scanlan nominated George Mann. Duane Richards was elected by secret ballot.

Gerald Scanlan made a motion that the Directors set the date and location of the next annual meeting. Second by Sven Svenson. Motion passed.

Being no further business, meeting was adjourned.

s/Jack McRae, Secretary

HIGHLIGHT OF THE DIRECTORS MEETING

The annual show and sale for 1988 will be held in Huron, South Dakota, August 27-29, 1988.

Election of Officers: Dean Von Krosigk was elected president and Duane Richards vice-president.

The directors discussed ways to make the office work easier for the secretary. Ideas included duplicate copies on certificates and/or a computer. No action was taken.

The fees for registrations and transfers were reviewed and changed (see news letter).

Several complaints and suggestions from members were discussed.

AGENDA

ANNUAL MEETING

U. S. TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION

Portage, Wisconsin

August 22, 1986

WELCOME: George Mann/Duane Richards

THANK YOU FOR SALE: Standing ovation

INTRODUCTION:

INVOCATION:

DINNER REMARKS: Gary Rickets, Show Judge

AWARDS: George Mann/Duane Richards

EXCUSE THOSE WHO DO NOT WISH TO ATTEND ANNUAL MEETING

ANNUAL MEETING:

Call to Order - President Chase Hibbard

1985 Annual Meeting Minutes

1985 Treasurer's Report

1985 Secretary's Report

President's Report

Highlight Accomplishments

1) Resignation of Secretary Vicki Arnold

a) read letter

b) show print

2) Hiring of New Secretary Jack McRae

a) Taken more aggressive stance

1. new job description

a. includes monthly newsletter

b. 6 items of promotion

c. gone to Wyoming

Edmonton

- 3) Brochure been distributed
- 4) Inspection Manual
- 5) New Directory
 - a) 500 ...another 200 ordered
 - b) made \$520 ...do again in '87
 - c) Inspection Manual cost \$406
- 6) Winter Board Meeting
 - a) hiring new secretary
 - b) goals
- 7) Presence in Edmonton
 - a) report from Noonie Rogers

8) ~~Targhee~~ booth

9) Trend in Registrations

a) overall down	'82 2028	'86 1979
b) larger decreases		
Wyoming	280	25
Wisconsin	171	144
South Dakota	286	176
Ohio	147	78
Nebraska	148	105
Iowa	51	22
c) increases		
Montana	619	857
California	27	58
Idaho	20	38
North Dakota	28	59
Pennsylvania	26	52
d) Small states picking up Washington, Vermont, Tennessee, Massachusetts, Mexico		

10) ~~Ram lamb registration~~

11) Report on 1987 Show and Sale
~~Dean Von Krosigk~~ *Jim Mueller*

NEW BUSINESS

-Election of Directors-

1988	Chase Hibbard, Dean Von Krosigk
1987	Sven Svenson, Duane Richards
1986	Dave Maddox, Terry Beastro

-Motion for Directors to set date and place of 1987
National Show and Sale

-President's Message

- 1) speech
- 2) goals
- 3) pen card
- 4) performance evaluation
 - a) SID
 - b) CSU
- 5) x-breeding experiment

-Other new business

ADJOURN

**MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING
AUGUST 22, 1986 PORTAGE, WISCONSIN**

The Annual Meeting of the U.S. Targhee Sheep Association was held August 22, 1986 at the Ridge Motor Inn, Portage, Wisconsin. President Chase T. Hibbard called the meeting to order at 9:00pm.

A Treasurer's and Secretary's Report was given and approved as read.

President Hibbard reported on the Association events of the past year. These included the resignation of Vicki Arnold as Secretary/Treasurer after twelve years of service. Vicki will be presented with print of "Chauncy's Corrals" by Tucker Smith in appreciation of her work. The job description for the new secretary/treasurer was reviewed with comments on how it was being implemented.

Further reports concerned the "PEP" brochure and membership directory and how many have been distributed at events during the past year. A comparison of number of registrations over the past four years was given noting which states were increasing in numbers and which were decreasing.

Noonie Rogers reported on the World Sheep and Wool Congress in Edmonton, Alberta and the Targhee booth there. Jim Mueller told of Wyoming's plan to host the 1987 National Targhee Show and Sale, to be held August 18-19, 1987 at the Wyoming State Fair, Douglas, Wyoming.

There was no Old Business.

New Business: President Hibbard explained that each of the four states registering the most Targhees (Montana, Wyoming, South Dakota, & Wisconsin) was entitled to director and two directors are elected at large. No state can have more than two directors.

Nominations for Terry Beastro's director position were then opened. Rodell Singert nominated Terry Beastro. There were no more nominations and Rodell moved that a unanimous ballot be cast for Terry. Randy Cutler seconded and the motion passed.

Nominations were then accepted for Dave Maddox's directorship. Jim Hanson nominated Judith Scanlan; Judith Scanlan nominated George Mann; Duane Richards nominated Glenn High, and Rudy Erickson nominated Terry Mueller. On the third ballot Glenn High was elected.

Rudy Erickson moved that the Directors set the time and place for the next National Show and Sale. Seconded by Jim Hanson. Passed.

Chase Hibbard spoke on the future of the Targhee and how it can be made better. He summarized the Director's Meeting held in Idaho Falls, Idaho in January and their meeting with Dr. Charles Parker of the U.S. Sheep Experiment Station at Dubois, Idaho. Dr. Parker had offered to work with the Targhee Association in any way that the Association felt would be helpful. From this meeting came plans for a breeding experiment at Dubois of adding "outside" blood to a Targhee line to make it more productive (i.e. more lambs born per ewe). Chase explained a breeding scheme that would introduce 1/8 Finn, 1/8 Dorset and 3/8 Polled Rambouillet into the Targhee breed. He stressed that this was just an example of what might be done and that nothing had been decided without an okay from the membership.

Much discussion followed concerning allowing outside (in this case Polypay) blood into the breed. Those opposed felt that the Association should work within the existing Targhee lines to increase production and that there were too much to lose in wool and public relations by crossing with another breed. Those in favor pointed out that this was only an experiment to be carried on at Dubois and if the sheep did not meet Targhee Standards that they would not be released. Several voiced concern with the present advertisement of the Polypay Association and what sheep breeders would think of the Targhees putting Polypays into the breed at this time. Many of the concerns were answered when Dr. Art Pope stated that he had never heard anything this progressive in any breed association and that the Targhees do not have enough registered sheep for large scale internal selection.

George Mann moved to allow the Board of Directors to proceed with a breeding project at Dubois. Randy Cutler seconded the motion and it passed 19 to 9.

Other items to improve the Targhee breed included the introduction of a new pen card for the National Targhee Show and Sale. The card will have pedigree, type of birth, birth index, weaning index, gain index, and fleece index. Motion made by Pat Jordan to adopt the new pen cards. Seconded by Beverly Lazeski. Passed.

Chase reported that a graduate student at Colorado State University was interested in developing a Targhee specific performance evaluation program. He would do this by taking the Targhee records from Dubois and Montana State, entering them into a computer and from this making a program for the Association to use.

The cost to the Association for this finished product would be \$3000. The SID performance evaluation program will be ready soon and not cost the Association any money but would be a generic program. There was questions as to whether anyone would use the program if it was available. Jerry Scanlan stated that in a similar situation with the Holstein/Fresian Dairy Cattle those that used the program excelled. Beverly Lazeski moved that the Association contract with CSU to develop the program. Second by Linda Clements. Motion passed.

Beverly Lazeski made a motion to accept the breed goals of 200 pounds of lamb per ewe per year and a 1.5% increase in clean fleece weight per year. Second by Terry Mueller. Motion passed.

There was discussion as to ways of increasing Association revenues but no decisions made.

George Mann moved that meeting be adjourned. Second by Randy Cutler. Passed.

AGENDA

ANNUAL MEETING

U. S. TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION

Lewis & Clark Fairgrounds

Helena, Montana

August 23, 1985

WELCOME: Carolyn Green
INVOCATION: Terry Beastrom
DINNER:
INTRODUCTIONS:
SPEAKER: Dr. Charles Parker, Dubois, Idaho
AWARDS: Premier Breeders
Breed Founders - Jack McRae
Hall of Fame - Terry Beastrom

EXCUSE THOSE WHO DO NOT WISH TO ATTEND ANNUAL MEETING

ANNUAL MEETING:

Call to Order - President Chase Hibbard

1984 Annual Meeting Minutes

1984 Treasurer's Report

1984 Secretary's Report

President's Report

- 1) Promotion - Carol Rogers
- 2) Inspectors Manual - Jack McRae
- 3) History - Jack McRae
- 4) Tremendous Targhee Bloomington - Dave Maddox
- 5) National Performance Evaluation System -
John Paugh

Old Business

5) ~~office organization~~
computerization

New Business

Election of Officers

1985 Chase Hibbard & Dean Von Krosigk
terms expire

1986 Dave Maddox & Terry Beastrom
terms expire

1987 Sven Svenson & Duane Richards
terms expire

Need motion for Directors to set date and place of
the 1986 National Sale (Host state in rotation
is Wisconsin)

1986 show +
sale
→

Aug 22 + 23
Potage Win

1987
Wyo State Fair
with Premium \$1

AGENDA

ANNUAL MEETING

U. S. TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION

Lewis & Clark Fairgrounds
Helena, Montana

August 23, 1985

WELCOME:

DINNER: all present should be registered at the door for drawings;
introduce Special Guests & Board of Directors

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

SPEAKERS and PRESENTATIONS:

EXCUSE ANY WHO DO NOT WISH TO ATTEND THE ANNUAL MEETING

Annual Meeting:

Call to Order - President, Chase T. Hibbard
1984 Annual Meeting Minutes
1984 Treasurer's Report
1984 Secretary's Report

Old Business - None ?

New Business - Presentation of Trophies may be done here

Election of Officers:

1985 - Chase Hibbard & Dean Von Krosigk terms expire
1986 - David Maddox & Terry Beaström terms expire
1987 - Sven Svenson & Duane Richards terms expire

Motion needed for Directors to set the date and place of the 1986 National Sale
(Host state in rotation would be Wisconsin)

ADJOURNMENT

U.S. TARGHEE ASSOCIATION
Annual Minutes
August 23, 1985
Helena, Montana

The Annual Meeting was preceded by a banquet served to 130 at the rustic Frontier Town outside Helena. Founders of the Breed Awards were presented to:

Tommi Hughes for the late G. Curtis Hughes
Leo Pfister
Dr. Clair Terrill
James Drummond
J. L. Van Horn
Warren Johnson
Henry Yoppe
Jane Hibbard for the late Henry Hibbard
Dr. Gardner
Dan Fulton

Tommi Hughes was also awarded the Hall of Fame award for G. Curtis Hughes.

Jack McRae gave a very informative slide presentation on the history of the breed.

The Von Krosigk Brothers were awarded the Jr. Breeder plaque and Kelly Strand Fenster received the Sr. Breeder plaque.

Dr. Charles Parker of the Dubois Experiment Station was the guest speaker.

Door prizes were awarded to: Freda Chapel of Ballantine, Miriam Capra of Boyes and Jerry & Judy Scanlan were awarded the prize for traveling the farthest (N.H.)

President, Chase Hibbard called the annual meeting to order; the 1984 Minutes and Treasurer's Report were read and approved.

Chase presented the new brochure which was prepared by Noonie Rogers of Wisconsin. The new Inspector's Manual was presented by Jack McRae and he is also working on a History of the breed and Assoc. that will be available next year for our 35th Ann.

Dave Maddox discussed the Bloomington, Illinois sale.

John Paugh talked about the National Performance Evaluation System and so moved that the U.S. Targhee Assoc. support the concept of N.P.E. to be promoted through a SID of the American Sheep Producers Council. Rodell Singert seconded. Motion carried.

Office computerization will be tabled until we see about the above program progress as their computer would be available for our use.

Old Business - none.

New Business - Director terms of Chase Hibbard and Dean Von Krosigk expire. Nominations were opened; Lawrence Capra nominated Chase; Dean Von Krosigk moved to cast a unanimous ballot for Chase. Lawrence seconded; motion carried. Chase Hibbard was re-elected for a 3 year term. (1988).

Dave Maddox moved to nominate Dean Von Krosigk; John Paugh moved to cast a unanimous ballot, motion seconded and carried. Dean was re-elected to a 3 year term. (1988).

Chase asked for a motion to give the Directors power to set the date and site for the 1986 Show and Sale. So moved. George Mann on behalf of the Wisconsin Targhee Assoc. accepted the hosting for date of August 22 and 23 in Portage.

John Paugh moved to adjourn. Motion seconded and carried.

Meeting adjourned.

(Larry Peterson presented the Directors a short video on the cost of video advertising.)

Vicki Arnold, Secretary

AGENDA

ANNUAL MEETING

U. S. TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION

Vermilion County Fairgrounds
Danville, Illinois

August 24, 1984

WELCOME:

DINNER; all present should be registered at the door for drawings
introduce Officers and special guests

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

ENTERTAINMENT; Sweet Adelines

EXCUSE ANY WHO DO NOT WISH TO ATTEND THE ANNUAL MEETING

Annual Meeting:

Call to Order - President, Rudy Erickson
1983 Annual Minutes
1983 Treasurer's Report
1983 Secretary's Report

Old Business -

New Business -

ELECTION OF OFFICERS:

1984 - SVEN SVENSON & RUDY ERICKSON TERMS EXPIRE
1985 - Chase Hibbard & Dean Von Krosigk terms expire
1986 - David Maddox & Terry Beastro terms expire

Motion needed for Directors to set the date for the 1985 National Sale in Montana

ADJOURNMENT

Director's Meeting to follow

Minutes of Annual Meeting
Sheraton Inn, Danville, Illinois
August 24, 1984

President, Rudy Erickson presiding. An introduction of special guests was made. A thank-you and standing ovation for Dave and Nancy Maddox. Sale report was given by Dave Maddox. A short talk was given by Show Judge, Dr. Gary Ricketts on the Show and the Targhee breed itself.

Drawings for door prizes was held. Winners were: Dr. Ricketts, Jon Beastrom, Mr. Hanson, Bud Beastrom, Fran Bloomingthal, Terry Beastrom, Donna Scheibe, Betsey McPadden, Mrs. Lenhart and Dean Von Krosigk. Person coming the farthest was Mable Banta, Rangely, Colorado.

Rudy made a request for special slides or pictures for use in school and FFA chapters. Business meeting called to order: Reading of 1983 annual Minutes by Chase Hibbard were approved. Reading of 1983 Secretary's Report and 1983 Financial report was given. Jim Hanson moved and Terry Beastrom seconded the motion to accept. Approved.

Old Business - None

New Business - Presentation of Trophies: Jr. Breeder, Jon Beastrom; Sr. Breeder, Terry Mueller. Champion Ewe-Terry Mueller; Champion Ram-Glenn High; Champion Ram Lamb-Leslie & Laurel Richards; Champion Pen of 3-James Hanson; Champion ewe lamb-Leslie & Laurel Richards.

Terry Beastrom presented past President awards to:

Bud Beastrom (1976-1977)

Ron Innes (1978)

Dave Maddox (1979-1981)

Terry Beastrom & Jim Faulstich presented Hall of Fame awards to:
Henry Hibbard (deceased & presented to his son, Chase) for Past Breeder;
Bud Beastrom for Present Breeder.

Dr. Gary Ricketts suggested a Breed workshop - where does the Targhee sheep fit into the sheep industry; what do we want from the Targhee sheep?

Chase Hibbard - report on 1985 sale in Helena, Montana. Dates, Aug. 23 & 24.

Election of Officers- Sven Svenson term: Sven was unanimously re-elected. Moved by Terry Beastrom and seconded by Lawrence Capra.

Rudy Erickson term- Nominated were Duane Richards, Terry Mueller and Rudy Erickson (declined). Duane Richards was elected.

Suggestions were made on uses of Targhee fleeces. Motion made by Randy Cutler to have a Targhee fleece show at the National Show. Seconded and approved. Montana will start. Suggestions were to advertise in Spinning magazines; to produce yard from woolen mill.

Jim Faulstich, South Dakota, commented on conduct of Assoc. Secretary on new regs. slowness. Jim Hanson reported of good work. Rudy reported on duties of Secretary. Discussion of several items for changes of Secretarial duties. Tabled until further time.

Chase Hibbard presented Rudy Erickson with an award for past President duties (1982-1984).

1983 NATIONAL TARGHEE SHOW AND SALE

Hughes County Fairgrounds

Friday, September 9

9:00 A.M.	Sheep entries due
12:00 Noon	Lunch (on the grounds)
1:00 P.M.	Show (Judge Dr. Lowell Slyter, SDSU)
5:30 P.M.	Happy Hour (Holiday Haus)
6:15 P.M.	Style Show
7:00 P.M.	Banquet
9:00 P.M.	Annual Meeting

Saturday, September 10

9:00 A.M.	Booths and Displays
10:00 A.M.	SDSU Lamb Cuts
11:00 A.M.	Lunch (on the grounds)
12:00 Noon	Sale

Auctioneer - Denny Younie
Wessington Springs, SD

Headquarters - Holiday Haus

For More Information or Rooms Call Terry Beastrom at 605-224-0152

U.S. TARGHEE ASSOCIATION
Holiday Haus
Pierre, South Dakota

ANNUAL MEETING

The 1983 Annual Meeting was called to order by President, Rudy Erickson following the lamb banquet. Minutes of 1982 were approved; Treasurer's report given and approved after motion of Bud Beastron and second of Lawrence Capra.

President's report given on new item the "Hall of Fame" award and the upcoming new edition of "Targhee Trails" which will be smaller and include more advertising.

There was no old business. New business consisted of the concern of the problems of scurs - several sheep out in the Show barn have scurs this year, and they will be left in the Sale but it would be announced that these sheep do have some sort of scur problem and it would be left to the buyer whether he wanted them or not.

Ron Innes moved that within one year after the sale, if an animal produces horns or scurs, that the buyer will have the option to have that animal replaced or his money refunded. (This will be on the 1984 Entry Blanks) Ervin Mueller seconded the motion. If the breeder doesn't respond to the buyer, then the Association will enforce the rule. This is to be within National Assoc. sales only. Question called- what do we consider the size of a scur or is it a horn - it is up to the Inspectors to catch these problems and if they aren't, they need advising, training or replaced. Hand vote - 22 for and 6 against. Motion carried. This new ruling applies beginning 1984. The Board of Directors will discuss revising the breed standards, which would include the horns and scurs problems.

There was much discussion on fixing a permanent date for the annual Show & Sale. Chase Hibbard explained the necessity of this - Charleen Von Krosigk made such a motion. Discussion called- when are rams turned in; State Fair travel time; some felt it should be left to the hosting state to choose a date; also good quality lost by not being able to be in State Fair and the new breeders not having a large show string to compete in both. Vote called - 4 for and 24 against. Motion defeated. The 1984 Show and Sale will be held in Danville, Illinois on August 24 and 25; the Sheraton Inn will be the headquarters and the sale grounds are 6 miles away.

Election of Directors - Ron Innes & Terry Mueller terms expire. For Ron Innes' position, Ron respectfully declined another term; Glenn High was nominated & declined; Terry Beastron and David Maddox were duly nominated; Jim Faulstich moved nominations cease and Rodell Singert seconded. Motion carried. Terry Beastron elected for a 3-year term. for Terry Mueller's position - Gerald Horsley nominated & declined; Terry Mueller and David Maddox nominated. It was moved & seconded nominations cease. David Maddox was elected for a 3-year term.

Ron Innes stated that the Judge had suggested we divide the lamb classes or have a February 1 deadline in order to be fair to all entered. Decided this wasn't a big problem. There being no further business, meeting was adjourned. Director's meeting followed.

Respectfully submitted
Vicki Arnold, Secretary

LATE NOTES: The Association Board of Directors will be having a two day meeting in Montana on the 9th and 10th of December. If you have any items you feel you would like them to act on, submit a letter or suggestions to Rudy Erickson, Rt. 1, Wilson, Wisc. 54027 or this office, Rt. 1, Box 40, Absarokee, Mont. 59001.

SALE AVERAGES: 74 yrlg. ewes = \$196.22 16 yrlg. rams = \$701.56
 21 ewe lambs = \$151.43 10 ram lambs - \$200.00
 Overall ave. 121 hd. = \$255.58

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AGENDA

ANNUAL MEETING

U.S. TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION
Campbell County Fairgrounds
Gillette, Wyoming
August 27, 1982

WELCOME

DINNER - all present should be registered at door
Introduce Officers & Special Guests

Announcements - Time for Show 9:00 a.m.; Sale 1:00 p.m.

Entertainment, if any

EXCUSE ANY WHO DO NOT WISH TO ATTEND THE MEETING

Annual Meeting -

Call to Order, Pres. D. Maddox
1981 Annual Minutes
1981 Treasurer's Report
1981 Secretary's Report

- 80 MEMBERS IN PAST 3 YRS
304 TOTAL IN 3 YRS.

Old Business - None

New Business -

- QUALITY SHOW
- THANK WYOMING BREEDERS

ELECTION OF DIRECTORS -

1982 - DAVE MADDOX & TERRY BEASTROM TERMS EXPIRE
1983 - Ron Innes & Terry Mueller terms expire
1984 - Sven Svenson & Rudy Erickson terms expire

Motion needed for Directors to set 1983 Show Site & Dates

ADJOURNMENT

MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING

August 27, 1982

Holiday Inn

Gillette, Wyoming

The annual meeting was called to order by President, Dave Maddex. Minutes were read and approved as well as Secretary's Report and Financial Statement. Dave thanked the Wyoming breeder's that gave their time to putting together this year's Show & Sale, and reported that the largest part of the growth of our Assoc. has been in the last 3 years.

There was no old business. Dave reported on the Board's recommendations on both the quality of inspections and the Inspectors themselves. It was moved to accept the new Inspector listing. Motion carried.

Advised the group that micron testing is available in several States;

Scurs - this item brought much discussion from the floor as to what were definitely horns or scurs. Some advised that many breeders are taking them (scurs) off before inspection so that they are not visible to the Inspector. The Motion was made and passed to modify our rules to read that "scurs are not approved or accepted in the Targhee breed.)

Beginning in 1983, we will start an adult program for premier breeder awards. Points will be received for where you place in the class and then cash & ribbons will be awarded accordingly.

Starting this year, a program will begin for the Junior breeders in the same way. 5 places will be awarded with 1st - \$10; 2nd - \$8; 3rd - \$7; 4th - \$6; and 5th - \$5. The total number of points awarded will determine the premier breeder. The more sheep entered, the more points you could receive.

Also, for the Junior breeders, a traveling trophy and a permanent plaque will be awarded each year in memory of Tyler Davis, a young Wyoming boy who was a fellow breeder and close friend to many. This trophy and plaque would be given to the top breeder of this group. A motion to accept this plan was made and carried.

The Ven Krosigk Family donated a ewe lamb to the Assoc. for auction and the proceeds of same will be used for the Tyler Davis Memorial.

Dave advised of a letter from the University of Wisconsin to invite us to use their performance testing program - the information is available to anyone interested.

The 1982 Show Classes in order are: Champion Ewe, Reserve Champion Ewe, Yearling Ewes, Ewe Lambs, Pens of 3, Champion Ram, Reserve Champion Ram, Yearling Rams and Ram Lambs.

Terry Mueller reported on the Wyoming State Fair open-class show held in Douglas earlier this month.

There are 2 fall ewe sales: Bred Ewes in Brookings, S. D. on November 20th and Bred Ewes in Janesville, Wisc. on November 27th.

Rudy advised the progress of the Targhee Trails and that anyone can still be entered in it if they so desire.

There was question from the floor regarding the certification of Rams; Terry Beastron explained the policies of the South Dakota program.

Advertising - The Assoc. name & address will appear in as many periodicals as possible and members were also urged to advertise on their own.

John Eichacker moved for the Board to evaluate the Secretary's annual salary;
Motion carried.

New Business: Election of Directors - Terry Beastrom & Dave Maddox terms expire;
Terry Beastrom, Chase Hibbard were nominated - Ballot vote. Chase Hibbard was
elected for a 3-year term.

Dean Von Krosigk, Terry Beastrom, & Dave Maddox were nominated for the 2nd director
position. Ballot vote. Dean Von Krosigk was elected for a 3-year term.

The group was asked if they felt the Assoc. should pay \$700 for the 1500 copies of
"Trails" or if we should sell advertising. Randy Cutler moved to sell advertising;
Terry Beastrom seconded. Motion carried.

There being no further business, John Paugh moved to adjourn. Motion carried.

Submitted by
Vicki Arnold, Secretary

AGENDA

ANNUAL MEETING

U.S. TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION

Columbia County Fairgrounds,
Portage, Wisconsin
August 21, 1981

WELCOME -

DINNER - (all present should be registered at the door) -
Introduce the Head Table of Special Guests & Officers & Directors,

ANNOUNCEMENTS - if any (time for Show - 8:30 A.M. Sale - 12:30 P.M.
remind each consignor to clean out their pens before leaving

ENTERTAINMENT - if any

EXCUSE ALL WHO DO NOT WISH TO ATTEND THE ANNUAL MEETING

ANNUAL MEETING *Call to Order, President, Dave Maddox
Minutes of 1980 Annual Meeting in Bozeman, Mont. - Motion to Accept
1980 Treasurer's Report - Motion to Accept
President's Report, if desired
Secretary's Report for 1980

OLD BUSINESS - Re-working of By-Laws & Constitution

NEW BUSINESS -

ELECTION OF DIRECTORS -

1981 - SVEN SVENSON & RUDY ERICKSON TERMS EXPIRE
1982 - Terry Beastro & Dave Maddox terms expire
1983 - Ron Innes & Terry Mueller terms expire

Motion for Directors to set date & place for 1982 Show & Sale

ADJOURNMENT

Minutes of Annual Meeting
August 21, 1981
Holiday Inn
Portage, Wisconsin

The annual meeting was called to order by President, Dave Maddox. A thanks was given to the Wisconsin Assoc. for hosting this year's events.

Minutes of previous meeting were read - question was called from the floor concerning the registration of ram lambs as per the minutes - this will be carried into the old business. Ron Innes moved to accept the minutes, Jim Hanson seconded. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report was given and approved.

President's Report was given concerning the need for more stock, the growing interest of the breed, and the increase of the membership of the last two years. Secretary's Report was given and accepted.

Old Business - Question- why do we need so much cash, this referring to the Savings Account and Certificate of Deposit, why not use it for more advertising or promoting Targhees in other State Fairs, sales, etc. Someone else mentioned we might use some of the money to be listed in the phone directory (Sec. note- we are listed in the phone directory under "Livestock"). Another suggestion was to submit articles for publication to magazines such as the Sheep Breeder. (Sec. note- no one volunteered to write these articles!).

Ram Lamb registration- Dean VonKrosigk asked about re-registering the ram lambs sold across State lines and no available inspector to re-register; also, what if that particular lamb does not pass the second inspection. Some of the Wisconsin members said this procedure had affected the Wisconsin Test Sale. Some of the ideas to eliminate this problem were: to get tougher with the Inspectors; don't have mandatory inspection, but anyone that can't meet the inspection or sale rules doesn't sell at the National sale.

Jim Elphick so moved to eliminate inspection on rams except to enter the National sale. Glenn High seconded. Discussion- what about quality and good judgment; what will happen to the new breeder or the breed in a few years. Dave called for each row of members to respond for their opinions, thoughts or solutions. Question called - Vote was taken with 18 against and 15 for. Motion defeated.

New Business - Flock Registration - The Board recommends dropping all flock registration, effective July 1, 1982. Randy Cutler moved to accept this recommendation and Jim Hanson gave the second. Motion carried.

Ram Lambs - It was suggested to issue a temporary registration for ram lambs for someone needing a paper but could not get the lamb inspected, if they could be inspected, then they could get a pedigree as being fully registered. Glenn High moved to register ram lambs or yearlings and a permanent paper would be issued; any lamb needing to be registered having to prove progeny and would then receive a temporary certificate stamped saying that it has not been inspected for pure-bred use. Randy Cutler seconded. Question called. Motion carried.

Dean Von Krosigk moved to make all previous Temporary Certificates issued retroactive. Blaise Alackness seconded. Motion carried.

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Sale Order will be: Yearling Ewes, Pen of 3 Ewes, Ewe Lambs, Yearling Rams & Ram Lambs with Champions to be sold first.

Rudy Erickson reported on the final printing of the Breeder Directory and his plans for the pamphlet "Targhee Trails".

1982 Show & Sale - The Board recommended Gillette, Wyoming with the dates to be August 27 & 28. Sven Svenson so moved and Jim Elphick seconded. Motion carried.

Election of Directors * Sven Svenson term- Dean Von Krosigk nominated Sven; Gordon Keast moved nominations cease and to cast a unanimous ballot for Sven. Motion carried.

Rudy Erickson term - John Eichacker moved to nominate Rudy; Sven Svenson nominated Chase Hibbard. Jim Hanson moved nominations cease. Ballot vote; Rudy re-elected.

Bud Beastro announced their 2nd annual bred ewe sale to be held in November.

All business transaction complete, Gordon Keast moved to adjourn. Terry Mueller seconded. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned 11:20 p.m.

Submitted by
Vicki Arnold, Secretary

AGENDA

ANNUAL MEETING

U. S. TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION

Gallatin County Fairgrounds, Bozeman, Montana

Holiday Inn

August 22, 1980

WELCOME - John C. Paugh, Jr.

DINNER - (all present should be registered at the door) -
Introduce the Head Table of Special Guests & Officers - John C. Paugh, Jr.
& Directors - then each member introduce himself & family

ANNOUNCEMENTS - if any (time for show- 10:00 ; Sale - 1:30)
remind each consignor to clean out his pen before leaving

Guest Speaker - Bob Gilbert, Mont. W. G. Secretary

(sometime during dinner, we will have a couple of door prize drawings.)

IMMEDIATELY AFTER BANQUET, Mr. Jim Drummond has a presentation on Targhee history,
wool grading, standards, etc.

EXCUSE ALL WHO DO NOT WISH TO ATTEND THE ANNUAL MEETING

ANNUAL MEETING * Call to Order, President Dave Maddox
Minute of 1979 Annual Meeting in South Dakota - Motion to Accept
1979 Treasurer's Report - Motion to Accept
President's Report, if any
Secretary's Report for the year

OLD BUSINESS -

require a vote from the membership on registration & transfer fee
increase

need to discuss the By-Law update prepared by Rudy Erickson

NEW BUSINESS -

Election of Directors -

1980 - RON INNES & LEONARD WILSON TERMS EXPIRE

1981 - Sven Svenson & Rudy Erickson terms expire

1982 - Terry Beaström & Dave Maddox terms expire

MOTION FOR DIRECTORS TO SET DATE & PLACE FOR 1981 ^{Sale} SO & SALE

ADJOURNMENT - Short Director's meeting to follow.

EXCUSE ALL BUT OFFICERS & DIRECTORS.

U.S. Targhee Sheep Assoc.
August 22, 1980
Bozeman, Montana

MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING:

The 1980 annual meeting was called to order by President, Dave Maddox. We have done many things this year, including 21 new members, instituted a Membership Certificate an updated Inspector list and a new Membership roster. Our ads placed in various papers have been very productive.

Minutes were read and approved of the 1979 annual meeting, and also the Minutes of the 1979 Directors' meeting were read and approved. Treasurer's report and the Secretary's report were given.

Old Business- Ron Innes reported on the Board's recommendation for the registration and transfer fee increase of 50¢. Ron explained the Board felt this would be better than increasing the commission on the sales. Ron so moved the membership accept this- Question called from the floor as to what we would do with this extra money and why the Board felt we need an increase. Leonard Wilson moved to raise the fees 50¢ and Ron Thompson gave the second. Vote 27 for and 2 against.

There was question as to why we don't raise the sale commission - Dale Garringer moved to raise the commission to 10% from the present 5% on everything on sale entry and use the money for advertising. Ron Thompson made the second. Vote 3 for balance of membership against. Motion defeated.

Rudy Erickson explained the re-working of the By-Laws; discussion from the floor called by John Paugh and Ron Thompson. Ron Thompson moved to let the Board act on the acceptance of the proposed By-Laws as stated in our Constitution, Section 4, Article 9 and be tabled until the next meeting. Randy Cutler gave the second. Vote - 16 for 10 against, Motion carried.

There was discussion from the floor as to what priorities were most important and that the membership should well understand what is going on before there are any major changes in the policy of the By-Laws or Constitution.

Terry Beastrom reported on advertising. The Board felt we could get more out of a group membership ad rather than a large Nat'l Assoc. ad. The Board is proposing a smaller advertising budget and will try to use as many papers or magazines as possible for a minimum fee.

Promotional Material - Rudy Erickson talked about the Breeder's Directory and the Board's decision to re-do it adding more information and changing it if it is necessary. Randy Cutler made the motion to re-do the Directory and Terry Beastrom made the second. Motion carried.

1981 Show - Rudy Erickson offered the invitation on the behalf of the Wisconsin breeders to host the 1981 Show & Sale at Portage, Wisconsin the mid part of August. Discussion from the floor - some said it would conflict with the Wyoming State Fair; others felt it would be the only possible time for most if the dates were August 21st and 22nd. Sven Svenson moved to hold the Show & Sale in Portage on Aug. 21 and 22; Rodell Singert seconded the motion. Motion carried.

***** Ram Lamb Registration - Sven Svenson reported on the Board's suggestion for ram lamb registration. The lambs would be registered, but would require official inspection and Stud Registration after they were yearlings. Question called from the floor by Ron Thompson, Keith Beach, Larry Arnold & Terry Beastrom. Rudy Erickson explained how the system works with the Columbia Assoc. Keith Beach so moved that the ram lambs could be registered for Fairs & Shows and that the registration certificates show that the lamb & paper are not eligible for transfer nor for sale as Stud Registered Rams until the official Stud Registration by an Inspector is made. Juanita Carranga gave the second. Motion carried.

Other Business - J.R.P. Reinemer made the motion to accept Ralph Dreyer as in Inspector for Montana. Juanita Carranza made the second. Motion carried.

Rams will be sold first and the Ewes will be last in the sale tomorrow.

Several members from the floor expressed their feelings on the way the Association is run, the priorities, and the conflict between eastern and western breeders.

Election of Directors - (Ron Innes term) Gordon Keast nominated Ron Innes, Keith Beach nominated Ernest Knipfer. Terry Beastro moved nominations cease, Ron Thompson gave the second. Vote Innes-18 and Knipfer 6. Ron Innes was re-elected for a 3 year term.

(Leonard Wilson term) Mr. Wilson declined the nomination for another term. Sven Svenson nominated Terry Mueller and Keith Beach was nominated by Juanita Carranza. Sven moved nominations cease; Nominations were called again and J.R.P. Reinemer nominated Chase Hibbard. Ron Thompson moved to cease nominations. Vote Mueller -14, Beach -4, Hibbard -5. Terry Mueller was elected for a 3 year term.

Ron Thompson moved to adjourn the meeting; Ralph Dreyer gave the second. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 11:40 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Vicki Arnold, Secretary

AGENDA

ANNUAL MEETING

U. S. TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION
Brookings County Fairgrounds, Brookings, South Dakota

Holiday Inn
September 7, 1979

WELCOME: Terry Beastrom

DINNER : (all present to be registered) Introduce Head Table and Special Guests;
Bud Beastrom;
Introduce Officers & Directors present - Ron Innes

ENTERTAINMENT: Janet & Gary Horsley (brother & sister musical)

Announcements: Thank you to Dr. Briggs as Judge & Speaker

EXCUSE ALL WHO DO NOT WISH TO ATTEND THE ANNUAL MEETING

ANNUAL MEETING: Call to Order, President, Ron Innes
Minutes of 1978 Annual Meeting in Gillette - Motion to Accept
1978 Treasurer's Report - Motion to Accept
President's Report, if desired
Secretary's Report for the year

Old Business - Advertising & Breeder Directory

New Business -

1. Election of Directors -
1979 - B. M. Beastrom & David Maddox Terms Expire
1980 - Ron Innes & Leonard Wilson Terms Expire
1981 - Sven Svenson & Rudy Erickson Terms Expire
2. Election of President & 2 Directors (Board elect. Pres.)
3. Motion for Directors to set date & place for 1980
Show & Sale.

ADJOURNMENT - DIRECTOR'S MEETING TO FOLLOW.

EXCUSE ALL BUT OFFICERS & DIRECTORS.

U.S. TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION

MINUTES OF THE

1979 Annual General Meeting

Holiday Inn
Brookings, South Dakota
September 7, 1979

Guest speaker - Dr. Hilton Briggs, S.D.S.U. Jim Brooking gave a report on the South Dakota Assoc. and presented the State Fair Trophies. S.D. Queen, Janet Horsley presented the trophies and was also awarded one as S.D. Targhee Assoc. Princess for 1979. Dr. Briggs was presented with a lamb picture on behalf of our Assoc. Dr. Herley Miller gave a report on their sheep extension specialties program.

The Minutes were read and approved as well as the Treasurer's report. Ron gave a big thanks to the men who put the breeder directory together - R. Erickson, D. Maddox and G. High.

There was a general feeling that the wool is getting too coarse and we may have to make ewe inspection mandatory again. The Secretary's report was given.

OLD BUSINESS- Illinois registered ewe sale reported by Dave Maddox. Their bred ewe sale will be in Illinois on Nov. 24th and requested our members to consign to help start flocks in their area, Missouri and Indiana. Our members have consigned 30 head to date.

BREEDER'S DIRECTORY- Rudy Erickson reported on how they put the directory together. Dale Garringer of Utah noted this directory was probably the best advertising we've ever done, and that we need to get it out to more people. Rudy talked about the cost of doing this each year - there was the question of whether prospective buyers have contacted us through the directory. Discussion on whether to make a new directory each year to update it, and the need for a better method of distribution. We have about 700 directories left. Tabled the idea of new directories until we see how they work for us this next year.

NEW BUSINESS- Election of Directors - Nominations were opened to fill the seat of Bud Beastrom on the Board. Larry Arnold nominated Terry Mueller, Sven Svenson gave the second; Gordon Keast nominated Terry Beastrom, Leland Miller gave the second. Larry Arnold moved nominations cease, Svenson gave the second. Motion carried. Ballots were cast and Terry Beastrom was elected to fill the vacancy.

Nominations were opened to fill the second vacancy; Jim Elphick nominated Dave Maddox, Gordon Keast gave the second. Arnold moved to cast a unanimous ballot for Maddox. Motion seconded and carried. Dave Maddox was re-elected as Director.

Election of President* There was some discussion on who is to elect the President. A motion came from the floor and seconded for the Board of Directors to elect the President. Motion carried.

There was discussion on setting up a central exchange for buyers and sellers on who to contact for ewes and rams for sale. Also, suggestions of advertising by Garringer and Elphick to advertise in special issues of some of the Wool & Sheep publications. Jim Elphick moved to carry an ad in the Sheepbreeder, Nat'l Woolgrower and the Wool Sack. Duane Richards gave the second. Motion carried.

Ron asked for a motion to reimburse Rudy Erickson for directory expenses of \$82.56 that he paid on the difference of the ad sales. Motion so made by Dave Maddox and seconded by Rodell Singert

Bud Beastrom moved the directors be allowed to set the time and place for the 1980 Show and Sale. Leland Miller gave the second. Motion carried.

Dean Von Krosigk suggested that we have the show one day and the sale the following day to help with time for those traveling any great distance. Dean moved that this idea be tried for the 1980 events, Larry Arnold gave the second. Question called. Vote 9 to 4 opposed.

Rodell Singert suggested we have a standard lot pen card printed, thus giving more information on the animal. Rudy Erickson suggested that each time registration certificates are returned to the owner, that a new application form also be returned.

Discussion on whether or not we should have mandatory inspections on ewes again, because of several problems. Also will be more rigid in sifting prior to the next sale.

Gordon Keast moved the meeting be adjourned and Rodell Singert gave the second. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 11:15 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Vicki Arnold, Secretary

AGENDA

ANNUAL MEETING

U.S. TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION

Campbell County Fairgrounds - Gillette, Wyoming

Holiday Inn

September 9, 1978

INVOCATION -

DINNER (register all present)-

Welcome and introduce guests - Ronald or Robert Innes

Introduce Officers and Directors present - Ronald Innes

ENTERTAINMENT - (if any)

ANNOUNCEMENTS - give time for show and sale
others (if any)

EXCUSE ALL WHO DO NOT WISH TO ATTEND THE ANNUAL MEETING

ANNUAL MEETING - Call to Order. President Ron Innes

Minutes of 1977 annual meeting in Portage, - Motion to Accept

1977 Treasurer's Report - Motion to Accept

President's Report (if any)

Secretary's report

Old Business

New Business -

1. Directors -

1978 - LEO PFISTER & JIM ELPHICK terms expire

1979 - B.M. Beastrom & David Maddox terms expire

1980 - Ron Innes & Leonard Wilson terms expire

2. Election of President and 2 Directors

3. Motion for Directors to set date & place for 1979 show and sale.

ADJOURNMENT - DIRECTORS' MEETING TO FOLLOW.

EXCUSE ALL BUT DIRECTORS & OFFICERS.

U.S. TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION

MINUTES
OF
ANNUAL MEETING

September 8, 1978 - Holiday Inn, Gillette, Wyoming

President Ron Innes called the annual meeting to order. The Minutes were read, Leland Miller moved to accept - the motion was seconded and vote carried. Treasurer's Report was given and accepted. Ron advised the time of the show and sale, and asked that everyone stay to help clean their pens.

Ewes will be sold as individuals or as a total pen; range rams will be sold as pens of 3 or 5 only.

The Secretary's Report was given and approved.

OLD BUSINESS- There was discussion on whether previous years' sale order was acceptable- suggestion from the floor that ewes be sold first and rams last. Official sale order as follows: Champion and Reserve Champion first, then yearling ewes, pens of 3, ewe lambs, stud rams, and ram lambs, and range rams. A vote was called for in favor of this arrangement and carried in favor.

NEW BUSINESS- Glenn High talked of more promotion- felt we needed a new breeder directory with all listed who are active breeders. We could sell ads to breeders to pay for the directory, also felt we needed to include more history about our breed. Ron asked the floor how many would be interested in this typed of directory-many in favor.

ELECTION OF DIRECTORS- Jim Elphick expressed the desire not to be re-elected. Nominations were opened; Sven Svenson was nominated by Larry Arnold and motion was seconded by Jim Elphick; Glenn High was nominated by Jim Bayles and motion was seconded by Leland Miller; Terry Beastro moved nominations cease and John Paugh seconded the motion. Ballots were cast. Sven Svenson was elected for a 3year term to replace Jim Elphick.

Nominations were opened for the second director vacancy. Rudy Erickson was nominated by Leonard Wilson and motion was seconded by Sven Svenson. Juanita Carranza was nominated by Brenda Burch, but declined the nomination. Gordon Keast moved nominations cease. Motion seconded and ballots were cast. Rudy Erickson was elected for a 3 year term to replace Leo Pfister.

John Paugh moved that Directors be allowed to set the date and place for the 1979 Show and Sale. Leo Pfister seconded the motion. Discussion from the floor was called for on ideas - some were Ohio, South Dakota, Utah, Wyoming & Montana.

Ron Innes was unanimously re-elected for President; and motion carried.

Leo Pfister was asked to put some inspection information together to be printed for new members and interested parties and to show an example of inspection at the Show.

Leo Pfister moved the meeting be adjourned, seconded and carried.

Meeting adjourned at 11:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Vicki Arnold, Secretary

AGENDA

ANNUAL MEETING

U. S. TARGHEE SHEEP ASSOCIATION

Columbia County Fairgrounds - Portage, Wisconsin

August 5, 1977

INVOCATION -

DINNER - (Register all present) -

Welcome and introduce guests -

Introduce Directors & Officers present -

ENTERTAINMENT -

BANQUET SPEAKER - Dr. A. L. Pope, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin

ANNOUNCEMENTS - give time for show and sale
other -

EXCUSE ALL WHO DO NOT WISH TO ATTEND ANNUAL MEETING

ANNUAL MEETING -

Call to Order, President Beastron

Minutes of 1976 annual meeting - Motion to Accept

Treasurer's Report - Motion to Accept

President's Report - (if any)

Secretary's Report

Old Business - Need discussion and motion to amend the Constitution
as to having 6 directors instead of current 5, if so decided.

New Business -

1. Directors -

1977 - JOHN PAUGH & RONALD INNES terms expire

1978 - Leo Pfister & James Elphick terms expire

1979 - B. M. Beastron term expires

2. Motion to authorize Directors to set date of 1978
meeting place, sale place and potential dates.

ADJOURNMENT - DIRECTOR'S MEETING TO FOLLOW

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ANNUAL MEETING
and
26th Annual Meeting - U.S. Targhee Assn:

The Annual Meeting was called to order by B.M. Beastrom at 9:25 p.m. on August 5, 1977 at the Ram Hotel, Portage, Wisconsin.

The 1976 Secretary's report was read and approved.

The Treasurer's report was read and approved. Copy to be attached to the minutes.

The Secretary's report was added to the minutes by B.M. Beastrom.

OLD BUSINESS:-

1. The Application Form was discussed and comments taken.
2. Bob Baxter request was turned back to the Board of Directors to appoint an inspector in Canada when needed.

NEW BUSINESS: -

1. Discussion of change of directors to six instead of 5 member board.
2. Change was read which had been mailed to all members.
3. A motion was made and seconded to have six directors with 3 year terms.

MOTION CARRIED: 18 (Yes) 3 (No)

There will be three directors elected this year, 2 directors for 3 year terms and 1 director for a 2 year term. Thereafter, all elections will be for 3 year terms.

4. 1978 Sale was discussed. Wyoming offered the Sale in 1978 with a Show, Sale and Range Ram Sale.

A motion by Miller and Seconded by Jim Elphick to have the 1978 Sale in Wyoming. MOTION CARRIED.

5. Election of Directors to replace Ron Innes and John Paugh.
 - a. Ron Innes, Gillette, Wyoming was elected for a 3 year term.
 - b. Leonard Wilson, Newell, South Dakota, was elected for a 3 year term.
 - c. Dave Maddox, Sidell, Illinois, was elected for a 2 year term.
6. Motion by Dr. Kuenzi and seconded by Winchell to adjourned.
MOTION CARRIED.

Submitted by:

Rudy A. Erickson

The Annual Meeting and Banquet was conducted August 5, 1977 at the Ram Hotel, Portage, Wisconsin.

Cheese and Lamb Sausage samples were provided by the Wisconsin Association. Welcome was given by B.M. Beastrom. Invocation was presented by Terry Beastrom.

Jerry Meyers, Wisconsin Assn. President, introduced a series of guests:-

1. Jean Halpin, WPDR Radio
2. Greg Krueger, Wisconsin Agriculturist
3. John Kuenzi, DVM
4. Maurice Moyer, Equity Livestock Coop.
5. Rudy Van Fleet, Extension Agent Columbia Co.
6. Dean George, Auctioneer
7. Millard Hawk Judge
8. Miss Karyn Nelson, Alice in Dairyland
9. Lyle Baltz, Blue Print for Expansion Program

Dr. A. L. Pope, University of Wisconsin - Madison, presented a slide presentation on sheep around the world.

Dr. Pope was awarded a plaque for his service to the Targhee Breed.