

Egg Harbor City N.J J
January 19th 1966

The regular monthly meeting of the Atlantic County Firemen's Association was held at the Fire House in Egg Harbor City N.J. on the above date with the President Chief William Carney presiding.

The meeting was called to order by Flag Salute followed by singing of America.

The invocation was given by the Rev. Charles E. String of the St. John's Reformed Church.

The Chair then stated that Memorial Services will be held at this time and turned the meeting over to the Rev. Charles E. String of the St. John's Reformed Church, who conducted a very impressive Memorial service for all comrades who have passed away since the organization of this Association in 1923. Chief Taccarino assisted with the burning of lights during the services.

The Chair then thanked Rev. String for his services and impressive message.

The Secretary then read the minutes of the last meeting held at the Fire House in Bargaintown N.J. on Dec. 15th. 1965 Upon motion minutes were approved as read.

The Treasurer report was read at this time and upon motion accepted to be spread on the Minutes,-

Bal. on hand Dec. 15th 1965		\$735.40
Tickets sold for Blender		79.00
Received from Seminar Tickets		15.00
Dept. Dues.		5.00
Membership Dues		5.00
	Total	\$839.40
Expenditures,-		
Engstrom Florist Flowers for Charles Howe	\$7.50	
Mike & Sels Foto Shop	30.30	
Pullan Electric Supply	12.00	
Henry F. Meitz Salary Etc.	228.80	
	Total	\$278.60
Bal. in General fund Jan. 19th 1966		\$560.80
Bal. in Firemen's & Picnic Fund		\$266.73
		\$827.53
Bal. General Fund & Picnic Fund		\$827.53
Bal in Training Fund Dec. 15th 1965	\$503.00	
Expenditures,-		
film University of Michigan	\$185.00	
	Total	\$318.00
Bal. in Bank Jan. 19th 1966		\$1245.53

The chair then called on and introduced Chief Charles Bubeck of the Egg Harbor City Fire Dept. to all assembled. The Chief's address of welcome was well received. The Chief then in turn introduced Mayor Frank Pratzner of Egg Harbor City. The Mayor said he is glad again to welcome us to the City as this is one group he is very interested in as a brother firemen. He conveyed all best wishes to all the Officers

and the members for a very successful year and hopes everyone has a good time after the meeting,

Chief Klein Chairman of the Ex. Committee said that they will have a reorganization meeting Feb, 4th 1966. And that the date for the next Seminar is April 2 1966 at Mainland Regional High School. He also stated

stated that Walter Buzby Arson investigator is doing a terrific job throughout the County and that a Radio would be a great help to him. As chairman of the Ex. Comm. and a special meeting held of the Ex. Comm. he thought maybe the County Association could provide a Radio for him. After some discussion it was moved by Harold Weeks and seconded by Capt Mathis we purchase Radio and put it in the hands of the Radio Policy Committee.

Radio Policy Committee Nothing to report.

Legislative Committee No report

Training Committee No report

The Auditing Committees report was read at this time and upon motion accepted to be spread on the minutes,-

At the last meeting of the Ex. Comm. a question was brought up to bring before this Ass'n as to the viewing of a deceased Fireman for whom shall the County be required to attend. The Secretary then spoke on the question and said that in the past the Association attended the Viewing of a Chief and an Officer while he was in Office or Chief of the Dept. in a body, and a flower was sent for the amount of \$10.00. After he was no more Chief or an Officer the procedure was that he fell in line the same as any member of this Association whose name was carried in the books as a member. The Association bought a flower piece for the amount of \$7.50. Secretary then moved seconded by Chief Guenther that the County Association attend the viewing in a body of all Chief's and Officers who pass away while they held Office or serve as Chief at the time of his death. Otherwise be recognized the same as a paid up member of this Ass'n.

The chair then brought up the question that the Secretary is in need of a new Type Writer. After some discussion it was moved by Thom Walsh seconded by Chief Fitzpatrick that a new type writer be bought for the Secretary. Motion carried.

Secretary then presented the following bills: Atl. City Press Fire Prevention Ad. \$75.00 John Fish for Toaster \$12.84 and from the Training Seashore Motion Picture Service \$66.96. Upon motion bills be paid.

Secretary then read a communication received from the Atlantic Area Council Inc. Boy Scouts of America. Would you furnish me with a list of the Firemen's Associations Throughout the Atlantic County Area and the names of the Presidents and where he can be contacted. It was then moved by Harold Weeks seconded by Chief Leveland that Sec. furnish same to the Scout Council. Motion carried.

Secretary then presented the following Application for membership, Arthur W. Madge Absecon, Joseph Rosemont Jr. Landisville, Adolph Zucal Richland, Lee Petrini Richland, Fred L. Schlegel Jr. Somers Point, Al. Seitz Somers Point, Michael Donan Somers Point and John Serfi Somers Point. Upon motion they were accepted into this Association. Motion carried.

At this time we went into Election of Officers. It was then moved by Chief Fish seconded by Thom Walsh that as there are no oppositions Secretary cast the Ballot.

President	Chief William Carney	Northfield
1st V.P.	Chief Earl Leveland	Port Republic.
2nd V.P.	Chief Charles Guenther	Pomona
Sec. Treas.	Henry F. Meitz	Egg Harbor City

Ex. Comm.	
Chief Charles Klein	Germania
Chief Fish	Absecon
Chief Bubeck	Egg Harbor City
Chief Fitzpatrick	Somers Point
Pete Berenato	Hammenton

Secretary then cast the Ballot and duly declared them elected for the year 1966. All men elected then thanked all for their confidence to elect them for another year and all said they would do all they can for the year 1966.

Chief Saccarine of Ocean City then said that he brings congratulation to all Officers from Cape May County and introduced his Deputy Chief to all Assembled.

A motion to adjourn was next in order to meet at the Nessee Fire
House Feb. 16 1966

Refreshments Served were enjoyed by all present.

Attest Henry F. Heits See.

Nesco N.J.

February 16th 1966

The regular monthly meeting of the Atlantic County Firemen's Association was held at the Fire House in Nesco N.J. on the above date with the First Vice President Chief Earl Loveland presiding.

The meeting was called to order by Flag salute followed by singing America. Roll call of Chief's and Delegates was next in order.

The Secretary then read the minutes of the last meeting held at the Egg Harbor City Fire House Egg Harbor City N.J. on January 19th 1966. Upon motion minutes were approved as read, Motion carried.

The Treasurers report was read at this time and upon motion accepted to be spread on the minutes,-

Balance in General Fund January 19 1966		\$560.80
Application new members	8.	8.00
Tickets sold for Toaster		81.00
Department Dues		45.00
Membership Dues		116.00
	Total	\$810.80

Disbursements,-

Atl. City Press Fire Prevention Ad.	\$75.00
John Fish for Toaster	13.84

Total	\$88.84

Bal. in General Fund Feb.16 1966	\$721.96
Bal. in Picnic Fund	366.73

Bal. in General Fund and Picnic Fund Feb. 16 1966	\$1088.69
Bal in Training fund January 19 1966	\$318.00
Expenditures,-	
Seashore Motion Picture Service	66.96

Bal. in Training Fund Feb. 16 1966	\$251.04

Balance in Bank February 16th 1966	\$1339.73
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The chair then called on and Introduced George Wescott who welcomed all to Nesco and said he was so glad to see such a good turnout. And that the Mayor will be here later.

The chair then called on Chief Klein Chairman of the Ex,Committee for a report

The chairman then said that the Sec. has the Minutes, Secretary then read the minutes of the meeting held at the Absecon Fire House on Feb.4th 1966, As this was the reorganization meeting Officers were to be Elected They were as follows Chief Charles Klein Chairman and Henry F. Heitz Secretary for the year 1966. It was decided to have a special meeting to discuss Seminar on March 4th 1966.

Minutes were then accepted as read, The Chairman then said that they bought another film (Cloths will burn) He also reported that some delegates and Chief's were not in favor to sell chances to finance the purchase of Radio for Chief Buzby, This will be brought up on the floor at the meeting later.

Cards are to be sent to all heads of all committees connected with the County Ass'n, to attend all Ex.Comm. Meetings. State Officers to be invited to attend Atl. City Meeting, As Ednie Day New Jersey Fire Equipment Corp. gave up printing the rosters for all Counties but agreeded to give a donation of \$7.50 toward the printing bill, Nat. Alexander Co Inc. of Laurel Springs N.J. then volunteered to print the rosters for the County for nothing if we give him the

the same space of Advertizing space as given Ernie Day. The rosters for the year 1966 were then printed by Nat. Alexander Co Inc. of Laurel Springs N.J.

Chief John Fish said that letters are all ready to go out to Exhibitors.

Chief Carney then spoke on Seminar and that it is on the same general idea as all the others were. and gave out programs with the whole schulde for the day on same.

Chief Loveland said that the tickets are all ready and would like to get in contact with all Chief befor they leave tonight.

Howard Berchtold spoke on the Radio Policy Comm. and some of the plans they are working on for the futher.

Thomas Walsh Legislative --No report.

Advisory Council will meet in April --No report.

Chief Wolbert Training --Progress.

Chief Bubeck Surplus nothing coming in and nothing going out.

Chief Buzby Fire investigation reported on the Whithall fire in Hammonton He said he thinks they have the boy that started the \$1,000,000 damage fire. The Chief said he wants to thank the Hammonton Police Chief for all that he done and for his cooperation. Has no objection for anyone to help him and for there cooperation. He said he also wants to thank Whitey Swartz of Pleasantville for the Potographs which he took as they are important.

Chief Carney then spoke on the work being done by Walt Buzby and said he is deserving of a lot of credit for it. He also spoke of why it is important for him to have a Radio.

Howard Berchtold said he thinks it is a necessity for him to have a Radio others also spoke in favor of the idea.

Chief Buzby then stated that there is no money involed from the County Ass'n except for film used for investigation which are paid by County Ass'n. He also stated that there is a possibility he will or might be reimbursed by the insurance Co. in some way and if he recieves any money he will only keep for his expenses and turn the rest over to the County Ass'n. Walt sloo stated that he put in 34 hrs. time and 400 miles in the Hemmonton investigation.

Ed. Fillmore then said that he thinks insurance companies should be contacted to help out at these investigations.

After some discussion by different members Chief Carney made a motion to have Radio Policy Comm. put out bids for 2 radios this was seconded by Chief Klein. motion carried. Chief Carney also made a motion that the County buy a Radio for Chief Buzby seconded by Sec.Heitz Motion carried.

Chief Fish then asked for the floor and said that every company in the county should be asked to donate \$10.00 toward this Radio'.

Communications recived from the New Jersey State Fire College, And a bulletin from the New Jersey State Volunteers Firemen's Ass'n. were read at this time and upom motion filed.

Also a Communication stating that during a time like this we learn how much our friends really mean to us. Your expression of sympathy will always be treasured. Mrs Mary Gaupp Doris and Family.

Secretary then presented the following applications for membership, William J. Baumgartel Jr. Pleasantville No 2 and Alfred C. Haywood Farmington Upon motion they were accepted into this Ass'n.

Secretary then presented the following Bills, -National Fire Protection Ass'n ^{Film} \$140.46, -The Egg Harbor News for 800 Seminar Programs \$19.75, -Robert O. Warriner Fl Florist flowers E. Gaupp \$7.50, -Laureate Press Fire Investigation Forms \$16.00 Schiff-Charney Typewriter for Secretary \$119.00 .And from the Training fund George Fenwick Sr. for Seminar tickets \$15.75 Upon motion bills be paid, motion carried.

Chief Fish then moved that Secretary write a letter of thanks to Nat. Alexander Co. for printing of Rosters for the County for 1966. Motion carried.

A motion to adjourn was next in order to meet at the Elks Home 3112 Atl. Ave Atlantic City N.J. on March 16th 1966.

Refreshments served were enjoyed by all present, Also movies.

Attest Henry F. Heitz Sec.

Atlantic City N.J.

March 16th 1966

The regular monthly meeting of the Atlantic County Firemen's Association was held at the Elks Home 3112 Atlantic Ave Atlantic City N.J. on the above date with the President Chief William Carney presiding.

The meeting was called to order by Flag Salute followed by singing of America.

Roll call of Chief's and Delegates was next in order,

The Secretary then read the minutes of the last meeting held at the Fire House in Nesco N.J. on Feb. 16th 1966, Upon motion minutes were approved as read.

The Treasurers report was read at this time and upon motion accepted to be spread on the minutes,-

Balance in General Fund Feb. 16 1966	\$721.96
Received from the Atl. County Freeholders Mar. 11 1966	2500.00
Application new members	2.00
Department dues	48.50
Membership dues	40.00

Total---\$3312.46

Disbursements,-

National Fire Protection Ass'n Film	\$140.46
Egg Harbor City News 800 Seminar programs	19.75
Robert Warriner Florist for E. Gaupp	7.50
Laureate Press Investigation Forms	16.00
Schiff & Charneys Typewriter for Sec.	119.00

Total-----\$302.71

Balance in Bank in General Fund March 16th 1966	\$3009.75
Balance in Picnic Fund March 16th 1966	366.73

Balance in General Fund & Picnic Fund \$3376.48

Balance in Training Fund Feb. 16th 1966	\$251.04
Received from Atl. Co Freeholders March 11 1966	1500.00

Total-----\$1751.04

Expenditures,-

George Fenwick Sr. Tickets for Seminar	15.75
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Total-----\$1735.29

Balance in Bank March 16th 1966	\$5111.77
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The Chair then called on Chief Warren Conover of the Atl. City Fire Dept. The Chief then welcomed all men to the City of Atl. and said he was glad to have us again hopes we have a good time glad to see so many out and hopes we come again next year, The Chief then in turn introduced Commissioner of Public Safety Meridith Kersetter. The Commissioner then welcomed all men and President Bill Dugan and all his State Officers to the City, Said he was glad to see such a good turn out, he said he will hold off all alarms till meeting is over, he closed with saying have a good time. The Commissioner then introduced Harry McGarregel Exhault Ruler of the Elks Lodge, He said he is glad to give the home to have this meeting, He also said the County is very efficient & very cooperative to Atl. City Fire Dept. and is glad the Elks have shown there hospitality to the County Association.

The Chair then introduced the State Officers Pres. Bill Dugan, Vice Pres, John

Elder, Treas. Walt Treen and Auditor Paul Penn.

The Chair then called for a report of the Ex. Comm. Chairman Chief Klein said that the Sec has the Minuets, The Secretary then read the minuets of the meeting held at the Absecon Fire House on March 4th 1966. Upon motion minuets where approved, Chief Klein then Stressed on the coming Seminar and asked for all who can to turn out as there is a good program and will do each man good to attend,

Howard Berchtold of the Radio policy Committee reported that they had 2 meeting and on March 2th had a meeting with bids in for Radio for Walter Buzby The bid went to Motorola for \$689.20 for a 40 watt unit. Howard also reported that Larry Smith donated \$20.00 to Seminar last year that was never mentioned and wanted to make this clear. He also reported that Port Republic has there own Bay station now approved by the F.F.C. number ic F.2I.

The chair then reported that he recieved \$150.00 from Investigator Walter Buzby excess money left from Insurance Co. after expenses were taken out. to put toward radio.

Ed. Wolbert Training chairman reported progress,

Chairman Charles Guenther reported on Ladies night and said tentively Nov. 19th only date available at Copsy's It was moved to work on that date.

Investigater Walter Buzby reported progress. Fire at Mr. Dig electrical, Chief Fish worked on service as a electrian, no load on service definite electrical fire.

Chief Loveland chairman of thicketts for Seminar said he still has tickets left to contact him after meeting.

The chair then reported that he and a few others attended the Camden County Chief's Ass'n meeting on March 19th 1966 tickets were \$1.00 per person including lunch

Chief Taccarino spoke on trip made to Millville N.J. Cumberland County with some of Atlantic Coutny to show slides of the Atl. County Ass'n. He said the trip was very interesting and worth while and Cumberland County fireman enjoyed it very much,

Secretary then moved to transfer \$140.46 from Training fund to general fund for film bought.

The chair then called on The President of the State Ass'n. Bill Dugan who said he was glad to come to Atl. City, we have very interesting meetings cancelled another engaement to come here, The President said he can tell us some good news that after August 1st the death benifit will pay \$700.00 for a death. and is proud to have Leon Hubbard on the Ex. Comm. and Thom Walsh on the legislative comm. from Atl. County County to work with. The chair then called on Vice President John Elder, Walt Treen Treasurer and Paul Penn who all spoke briefly. The President also sopke on the parade at convention time, said something should be done about the Fire works, drinking beer in line of parade squirting water on the public on the side lines and the impersonating of women in line of parade, He said if this is not stoped there might not be any more parades, he said he hopes this will be looked into and stoped so that the parade may be continued in the futher,

Joe Hackney spoke briefly and said he is whole hearted in favor of all that

Bill Dugan and the Officers had to say about the parade during the Convention and feels sure these things can be straightened out if not might suggest a parade for Fire Prevention in Oct.

Secretary then presented the following applications for membership George Ruof Alex. Meloni Jr. both from Collings lake, Edward Devlin, Ronald A. Kirby and Hugh Devlin all from Longport. Upon motion they were accepted into this association motion carried,

Communication received from State Office in Newark was read and received and filed.

a motion to adjourn was next in order to meet April 20th 1966 at the Linwood Fire House with a combined meeting with Northfield.

Refreshments served were enjoyed by all present.

Attest Henry F. Heitz Sec.

APRIL 20th 1966

The regular monthly meeting combined with Linwood and Northfield of the Atl. county Firemen's Association was held at the Linwood Fire House on the above date with the President Chief William Carney presiding.

The meeting was called to order by Flag salute followed by singing of America.

Roll call of Chief's and Delegates was next in order.

The Secretary then read the minutes of the last meeting held at the Elks Home 3112 Atlantic Ave Atl. City March 16th 1966. Upon motion minutes were approved as read.

The Treasurers report was read at this time and upon motion accepted to be spread on the minutes,-

Balance in bank in General Fund March 16th 1966	\$3009.75
Received from Chief Loveland for tickets for Seminar	157.00
Received from Chief Fish from Exhibitors	100.00
Transferred from Training fund for film	140.46
Received from Chief Buzby left from Insurance Co.	150.00
Received from donation from companies for Buzby Radio	95.00
Department Dues	5.00
Applications new members	5.00
Membership dues	14.00

Total-----\$3676.21

Disbursements,-

Mainland Cafeteria for meals 157 At \$1.50	\$241.90
Daddy-O-Donuts for doughnuts	23.40
New Jersey Advisory Council	5.00

Total-----\$270.30

Bal in Bank in General fund April 20th 1966-----	\$3405.91
Balance in Picnic Fund April 20th 1966-----	366.73

Balance in bank in General Fund and Picnic Fund April 20th \$3772.64

Balance in Training Fund as of March 16th 1966 \$1735.29

Disbursements,-

Bessor & Gardiner Inc. Insurance	\$31.00
Lafayette Radio Electronics	41.73
Lewis Stiles Janitor Mainland Reg.	15.00
Harry J. Foot Expenses	50.00
Transfer to County Ass'n. for film	140.46

Total-----\$278.19

Balance in Training Fund April 20th 1966-----\$1457.10

Balance in bank April 20th 1966 General and Picnic Fund-----\$5229.74

The chair then called on and introduced Chief John Scull of the Linwood Fire Dept. The Chief's address of welcome was well received. The Chief then in turn introduced Mayor George Francis of the City of Linwood, The Mayor said he was glad to see such a good turnout of men that do so much for their community, and stand ready at all time to serve everybody. The Mayor then called on Councilman Emerson Van-Sant of Linwood who spoke briefly, Chief Carney then welcomed all men for the City of Northfield as this was a combined meeting,

The chair then called for a report of the Ex. Comm. Secretary then read the

minutes of the Ex. Comm. meeting held at the Absecon Fire House on April 8th 1966, Upon motion they were accepted as read.

The chair then asked for a report of the Radio Comm. As Howard Berchtold was not present he had the minutes of April 20 1966 for the Secretary to read, Permission was given by the Linwood governing body to assign Chief Buzby's car to district F5 His designation of F5000 was assigned to him. all districts of the County were advised of same. Minutes were approved as read,

Chief Bubeck make a report of the Advisory Council meeting held at Fort Dix. April 19th 1966. Nominations of Officers were held with the same Officers elected for the ensuing year. A fire Marshal for the State has not yet been solved. S/Sgt. Micheal A. Mosner gave a talk on safety approach on how to extract a pilot from the seat of a crashed plane. A person may be killed or seriously injured in attempting to release the wrong way. Very informative pictures were shown in color which were impressive to all present.

Charles Guenther chairman of the Ladies night reported that He and Sec. went to Copsey's Booked Nov. 19th 1966 for Ladies night with Jimmie Marshal orchestra for dancing and to have a show further details later.

At this time it was brought up hold picnic July 10th 1966 as recommended by the Ex. Comm. After some discussion it was held over for the next meeting to decide if we will have picnic or not.

Chief Buzby Fire investigator said that there are a few investigation under way with the American Insurance Company.

Manager Heitz to the firemen's Home said he attend a meeting held April 9th 1966. Nomination of Officers were held with the same men elected again for the ensuing year, 2 application were approved with both men being 97 years old. Manager Heitz reported that he has a man from Atl. County at the home and is very much impressed with the Home, He is Martin Stucbach of the Egg Harbor Relief Association.

The chair then read a letter on Blue lights and spoke on same also read a letter on school buses and spoke on same. And said there will be a meeting and program of the Camden County Fire Chief's Association in Lakeland on Sat, April 23th 1966. Anyone wanting to go is welcomed.

Secretary then presented bill of \$689.25 of the Motorola Communication & Electronic Inc. from the General Fund, and from training fund William Carney Expenses \$21.00, Hotel Dennis Expenses \$52.57, and Seashore Motion Picture Service \$5.20. Upon motion bills be paid motion carried.

Secretary then read a letter from the Atl. County \$-H-Fair stating that the Fair this year will be held Aug, 11, 12, 13th, They would like to have the County Association take part on Sat. Aug. 13th designated as Firemen Day, This was laid over to the Ex. Comm. for a report at the next meeting.

Communication were read from Ernie Day dated Mar, 29th and Mar, 30th relating to rosters, upon motion they were received and filed. Also received and read was a letter from William G. Gath of the Mainland District, Boy Scouts of America stating that he will attend the meeting April 20th 1966. Letter received and filed.

At this time the Chair introduced Mr. William Gath of the Atl. Area Mainland district of Boy Scouts. Mr Gath then explained his reason for being here and to outline what they would like the Firemen of the County Association to help them

set up some fire safety in there scouting activities, He said they have a board of 7 men to form this district for the Health and Safety of the Boy Scouts of America, He stated that they have 47 troops with 1400 boys enrolled. Mr. Gath said the Comm. thought if they could have the cooperation of the Chief's of this Ass'n, to have fire inspections at there meeting places. He thought if he would sent each Chief an inspection sheet to fill out and sent it in, And when Fire Prevention week is in Oct, Put on a Fire drill to show them how to get out of the building he thought this might answer the purpose. He asked to mail inspection sheet to all Chief's, After mr. Gath was done talking it was moved and seconded that this Association endorse this program in its entirety.

The chair then called on and introduced Stan, Hughes of the Forest Fire Service Mr Hughes said it is nice to be with a grupe of Firemen again He said he will never forget this day April 20th 1963. It banked sec. for the invitation to be here today. He said they are interested in putting fire out as we are, Carelessness blame of most fires. He said when they ask for help it is given to them and he hopes this will continue, He said there are restrictions on burning written permits have to be had and no burning till after 6-P/m. with a permit. They have special permits for emerganzy such as the Gas. Co. and Electric Co. At this time mr Hughes introduced his assistand Mr. Paul Faubell who said he is rather close to the Fire Companies, He said they have 200,000 pieces of hand equipment 35 missollanious equipment for 6 Counties. tank wagons tracker trailer holding 2,000 gals of water, Radio, and air craft newest tool, then they have the plane 200 gals of Bendinite drop this in 3 seconds covers space 50 ft wide 175 ft long. they mix 3,000 gal at one time they also have Liquid fertilizer used the same as Bendinite also have Helecopters in use. they closed with showing a movie called little Flame.

Secretary presented the following ppplication for membership Fred Leeds of Pleasantville upon motion he was addmitted.

A motion to adjourn was next in order to meet at the Newtonville Fire House May 18th 1966.

Refreshments served were enjoyed by all present.

Henry F. Heitz Sec.

Newtonville N.J.
May 18th 1966

The regular monthly meeting of the Atlantic County Firemen's Association was held at The Buena Vista Township District #3 Newtonville N.J. Fire House on the above date with the 2nd Vice President Charles Guenther presiding.

The meeting was called to order by Flag salute followed by singing of America, Roll call of Chief's and Delegates was next in order,

The secretary then read the minutes of the last meeting held at the Linwood Fire House combined with Northfield Fire Department on April 20th 1966. Upon motion minutes were approved as read.

The Treasurers report was read at this time and upon motion accepted to be spread on the minutes,-

Balance in bank in general fund April 20th 1966	\$3405.91
Received from Chief Loveland for Seminar tickets	9.00
Application new member	1.00
Department dues	5.00
Membership dues	5.00
Received for the Walter Buzby Radio	90.00

\$3515.91

Disbursements,-

Motorola communication & electronic Inc. \$689.25

Balance in General fund May 18th 1966	\$2826.66
Balance in Picnic fund May 18th 1966	366.73

Balance in General fund & picnic fund \$3193.39

Balance in bank in Training fund April 20th 1966-----\$1457.10

Disbursements,-

William Carney Expenses Seminar	\$21.00
Hotel Dennis Exp. Seminar	52.57
Seashore Motion Picture Service	5.20

Total-----\$78.77

Balance in Training Fund May 18th 1966 \$1378.33

Balance in bank May 18th 1966-----\$4571.72

The chair then called on and introduced Chief Gus Russer of the Buena Vista Township District #3 Fire Dept. Newtonville N.J. The Chief said he was glad to see such a good turn out for the first meeting in their new Fire House. He said they had their new apparatus in operation in Belcoville and Hammonton fires, The Chief then in turn introduced the Mayor John Krokos of Buena Twp. to all assembled. The Mayor said it is a pleasure to greet such a good turn out of Firemen who he feels very proud of. The Mayor said they have 5 districts and cover 44 sq. miles, and stand ready to help at any time and feels assured to be a member of the Atl. County Firemen's Association.

The Chair then commented on Newtonville for their nice building and Fire House.

The chair then called on Chief William Carney to introduce the speaker of the

evening Freeholder Harry Waters of Northfield, Freeholder Waters spoke of the ^{Small Board} small Board of Freeholders which is to be voted on to cut the board to seven men for the 3 counties that still hold a big Board, which Atlantic County had 35 all along, He said this is the only State where they were called Board of Freeholders

since the State was organized in 1788, Corbin City has a 7 man Board with a population of 276 persons at \$1500 dollars a year the same as Atl. County, Hudson County has a 9 man board with \$12,000 a year, He said the small board ruling come from Trenton and seems that nothing can be done about it according to what the vote will be in Trenton, Harry said that we have 170,000 people in Atlantic County and thought that we ^{such} have at least 17 man board. I for every 10,000 people Chief Carney then brought up the question what would happen to the County Association for funds for training, This was laid over for new business for discussion.

Howard Berchtold of the Radio Committee said that they had no meeting, but that 5 Counties from South Jersey Conference had a mobile drill on route 322 Williamstown N.J. They all sent mobile units up there for the drill.

Advisory Council no report meeting next month.

Ladies night progress.

Thom Walsh Legislative Committee no Report.

Chief Carney at this time brought up on the floor about having a picnic this year, are we or aren't we going to have a picnic, after some discussion by some of the members Secretary Heitz moved that we have a picnic July 10th 1966 at the Pomona Fire Hall grounds Seconded by Chief Klein, Motion Carried. Ted C. Abbott of Pleasantville and a Fireman at Naccfac. Volunteered to take over the chairman of this Committee.

At this time the Freeholders question was put on the floor for discussion although the feeling was that there will be a small board voted on in Trenton it was moved by Chief Klein Seconded by Stanton Voss that this association go on record to maintain the present board of 35. And that the Secretary write a letter to the Governor, Senator Farley, Howard Hanaman, and Assembly Smith & Rimm that this Ass'n went on record opposing the small board and asking there help to retain the big board, motion carried.

Secretary then read communication of the Dorothy Volunter Fire Co. thanking all firemen who assisted them during there Forest fir of May 9th 1966. letter filed

Secretary then read a letter inviting all companies of Atl. County to take part at the Annual Fourth of July Celebration in Egg Harbor City sponsored this year by Key-Rec. Organization starting at 11,00 A.M. July 4th at the Phila. Ave school Egg Harbor City Fire Co. will be host for beer & lunch at the fire house after the parade. Bartam Breder Chairman. Letter filed.

Pete berenato then asked for the floor and thanked all departments for there assistance at the Bowling Alley Fire they had in Hammonton. And that they are celebrating there Centenial May 21th to the 28th Firemen's parade on the 28th 2-P.m. parade to form at Senior High School.

Secretary then presented bill of \$5.00 for dues for Chief Ed. Wolbert for the ~~State~~ State Fire Training College, Motion bill be paid.

Secretary then presented the following Application for membership into thas Ass'n David Bradford Farmington, Joe. Cottrelland William H. Morgan jr. both of Somers Point No 2 Upon motion they were accepted.

There was quite some discussion on the last forest fire Sec. said he got call for help from Civil defense went to Dist 10 and was told all fire Dept. are out. Chief Fish said he called District 10 3 time if they needed help. Chief Seelmann also spoke Chief Fish said that there should be a County Marshal or Coordinator with Radio at the scene of fire to direct fire companies in the County,

A motion to adjourn was next in order to meet at Fire House no I in Pleasantville N.J. on June 15th 1966.

Refreshments served were enjoyed by all present ,

Attest Henry F. Heitz Sec.

Pleasantville N.J.
June 15th 1966

The regular monthly meeting of the Atlantic County Firemen's Association was held at the Pleasantville Fire House No 1 Pleasantville N.J. on the above date with the First V. President Chief Earl Loveland presiding.

The meeting was called to order by Flag salute followed by singing of America.

Roll call of Chief's and Delegates was next in order.

The Secretary then read the minuetts of the last meeting held at Buenea Vista Township District # 3 Newtonville N.J. on May 18th 1966 Upon motion minuetts were approved as read

Chief Carney then spoke and said he would like a little change in the order of buisness for a few minuetts, the Chief said that last year we promised to back up Atlantic City for the Eastern Association for the Convention June 16, 17 and 18th And that they have a meeting tonight to get things set up Will have Rev. String for the invocation and also for the Memorial Service as he is from Atlantic County and the guest of Chief Carbey. Chief Carney also said that he is a Committee of one for the Ballentine Valor award Contest and is Chairman of Atlantic County.

The Treasurers report was read at this time and upon motion accepted to be spread on the minuetts,-

Balance in Bank May 18th 1966 in General Fund	\$2826.66
Applivation new Members	3.00
Recieved from Chief Loveland for Seminar Tickets	5.00
Membership Dues	16.00
Recieved from for the Walter Duzby Radio	80.00

Total-----\$2930.66
366.73

Balance in Picnic Fund June 15th 1966

Balance in General and Picnic Fund

\$3297.39

Balance in Training Fund May 18th 1966-----\$1378.33

Disburstments,-

The Firemens Helpers for Training---	\$32.50
New Jersey Fire Council Dues	5.00

Total -----\$37.50

Balance in Training fund June 15th 1966-----\$1340.83

Balance in Bank June 15th 1966-----\$4688.22

The Chair then called on and introduced Chief Charles Dingler of the Pleasantville Fire Department whos address of welcome was well recieved.

Joe. Hackney then spoke of the Parade to be held Sat. September 17th 1966 at atl. City Joe said each Company will recieved an entry blank from the Buera and urged each one to, to send them in as soon as possible.

The Secretary then read the minuetts of the Ex. Committee meeting held June 3th 1966 at the Absecon Fire House, Upon motion minuetts were approved as read,

At this time Chief Dingler introduced the Mayor of Pleasantville Mayor Bob Johnson who welcomed all men to the City and said he is proud that Pleasantville

is part of this Association and hopes we will have a swell time and come back next year.

Radio Committee nothing to report.

Advisory Council to have meeting June 16th nothing to report.

Training Committee nothing to report.

Ladies night Committee reported progress.

Fire Prevention and Investigator Walter Buzby no report.

Legislative Committee Thomas Walsh reported on Bill A-697 games of chance 10% of top gate receipts to be taxed. It was moved and seconded that this Ass'n go on record to oppose this bill and Sec. write letter to Assemblyman and Governor. Motion carried.

Secretary report progress on picnic to be held Sunday July 10th 1966 Weekstown Firemen's band will play for the occasion.

Chief Fish then asked for the floor and said that Hearne Brothers Engineers and Cartographers are now contemplating publishing sometime in 1966, the finest and most comprehensive street map ever made covering Atlantic County Area the last map was printed 11 years ago and is Fifty by Sixty-eight inches in size this map is not cheap and costs \$112.50. the Chief thought that a map like this should be in the new bus when fitted with radio equipment that will be available to the whole County, It was then moved by Ford seconded by Pete Berenato that Secretary order same for the County,

Secretary then presented the following application for membership, Ted R. Kinsey Pleasantville No 2 and John F. Cook of Buena Vista District No 3 Upon motion they were accepted into this Association. Motion carried.

The Chair then called on Harry W. Fuhrman C.D.D. of Pleasantville who said that they have 125 men dedicated to fire service who are in Civil Defense, He said there is much education in Rescue Training program, He said that there will be a Rescue Training program in Hammonton May 16th to June 16th 1967 It will be 1 night a week or Sunday at no cost,

A motion to adjourn was next in order to meet at the Longport Fire House July 20th 1966. Longport will hold open house that night for their new truck.

Refreshments served and movies shown were enjoyed by all present.

Attest Henry F. Heitz Secretary.

Longport N.J.
July 20th 1966

The regular monthly meeting of the Atlantic County Firemen's Association was held at the Longport Fire House Longport N.J. on the above date with the President Chief William Carney presiding.

The meeting was called to order by Flag Salute followed by singing of America.

Roll call of Chief's and Delegates was next in order,

The Secretary then read the minutes of the last meeting held at Pleasantville Fire House No 1 Pleasantville N.J. on June 15th 1966. Upon motion minutes were approved as read.

The Treasurers report was read at this time and upon motion accepted to be spread on the minutes,-

Balance in Bank June 15th 1966 in General Fund	\$2930.66
Application new members	2.00
Received for the Walter Buzby Radio	20.00
Received from Seminar Tickets	7.00

Total-----	\$2959.66
	366.73

Balance in Picnic Fund June 15th 1966

Balance in General & Picnic Fund	\$3326.39
Balance in Training fund June 15th 1966	\$1340.83

Balance in Bank July 20th 1966	\$4667.22
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The chair then called on and introduced Captain Alvin Mathis of the Longport fire Dept. who welcome all men to the City of Longport in the absence of the Chief Robert Adams The Captains address of welcome was well received, Capt. Mathis then introduced Commissioners Thomas Reed and William Reichert Both spoke briefly to all assembled.

Committee reports,-

Ex. Committee no report. Chief Klein

Chief Wolbert Training -No report

Thomas Walsh Legislative Committee -No Report.

Walter Buxby Fire Investigator,-reported a few fires, Had one in Northfield a few Sundays ago nothing there to burn, Had a gasoline can with a long hose attached knocked hose off the can, Pilot on gas heater on caused an explosion of the fuel: cracked foundation of home,

Chief Quentner Chairman Ladies night progress.

The chair then reported that he has the Bill of sale for the bus from Ocean City. And will go ahead from here.

Secretary then made a report of the picnic of July 10th 1966, Picnic was very nice with the weekstown band playing for same but was poorly attended with the results of just about breaking even as this was the second year of poorly attends and no interest shown Sec. then moved that we disband with further picnics and that he had 2 bottles of whiskey on hand that were donated and wants his hands clear of same we then disposed of the same and realized \$62.75 from same,

Secretary then moved that we use the picnic fund money for ladies night to pay for Orchester and show so that the men get the benefit of same, motion carried.

Joe Hackney then reported that everything is in fine shape for the parade Sept. 17th, Entries coming very favorable. And that Eddie Mulvihille is retiring as off Sat July 23th 1966 and that there will be a dinner at the Mirror Room Stanley Resturant on Thur. July 21th 1966 at 6,30 P/m. Ticket \$5.00 everybody is invited.

At this time Mayor Leon Leopardi arrived and was introduced by the chair, The Mayor then welcomed all to the City of Longport and said they are glad to have us again and hopes we will have a good time.

Resp. Leon Hubbard then reported that there will be a caucus of all Chief's, delegates and Life members at the Egg Harbor City Fire House on Friday August 19th 1966 at 8.00 P/m.

The Chair then reported that the Eastern Chief's Association Convention was held in Atl. City and that the Invocation and Memorial services and invocation at the banquet was given by Rev. Charles String of Egg Harbor City .

The Chair then said it would be nice to have a banner for Atlantic County for the parade in Atl. City to Designated where we are from. Frank Andrews said he knows some one to make one and will look into same.

Chief Wolbert stated that the N.J. State Fire Council and the people in North Jersey are very interested about Seminar and Films. And that the men named on tape where very much surprised and a lot of interest shown.

Chief Carney then reported that he can get the Linwood Mainland Regional for Nov. 5th 1966 for another Seminar, Chief Klein said we should try another one in Nov. and made a motion of same seconded by Chief Wolbert, motion carried,

Joe Hackney said that the Training program film has shown a lot of interest in the County and throughout and would like to have it shown in Memphis at the Conventior. The chair then said they have 2 mor new slide programs namely (Inspection and care of Automatic sprinkler protection), and (Job Insurance and Fire safety slides)

Chief Klein spoke of 4-H-Fair and to have some program for same Committee Klein Bubeck, Wolbert and Heitz.

Secretary then presented Bills Upon motion Bills be paid .

Secretary then read communication recieved from Sate Senator Frank Hap Farley about the small Board of Freeholders and that he voted for the large board that this Association wented on record for,

Chief Conover Atl. City then thanked all for there help at the Eastern Convention and are trying to get the International Fire Chief's Convention in Atl. City in 1971 and hopped the parade in Sept. will be a sucuss

A motion to adjourn was next in order to meet at the Pomona Fire Hall in Pomona on August 17th 1966.

Refreshments served were enjoyed by all present,

Attest Henry F, Heitz Sec.

Pomona N.J.
August 17th 1966

The regular monthly meeting of the Atlantic County Firemen's Association was held at the Pomona Firemen's Amusement Hall Pomona N.J. on the above date with the President Chief William Carney presiding.

The meeting was called to order by Flag salute followed by singing of America.

Roll call of Chief's and Delegates was next in order.

The Secretary then read the minuetts of the last meeting held at the Longport Fire House on July 20th 1966. Upon motion minuetts were approved as read.

The Treasurers report was read at this time and upon motion accepted to be spread on the minuetts.-

The chair then called on Introduced Chief Charles Klein Township Chief to all assembled, The Chief's address of welcome was well recieved, The chief then in turn call on and introduced The Mayor Chief Thomas Satorio who said he feels proud of this organization and said he hopes we will have a good time.

The chair then called on a report of the Ex. Committee, Secretary the read the minuets of the last meeting held at the Absecon Fire House on August 5th 1966 Upon motion minuets were approved, Chairman Chief Klein then reported of the 4-H-Fair, He said they had a fine demonstration of a fire screen, pressure lines, a and gas fire in tank use foam very interesting, He said they had rain the first night, Fri. good turn out and on Sat. a tremendous crowd 500 people saw the film.

The chair then stated that he recieved a leeter of resinagtion of Howard Berchtold as chairman and member of the Radio Committee The cair accepted the res inagtion with regret and appointed Harold Weeks of West Atl. City Fire Dept. in-hi his place.

Training Comm. Chief Wolbert Quiet,

Ladies night Chief Guenther, Progress.

The chair then spoke of a Banner for Atlantic County to head the parade for the Convention. Frank Andrews said he knows some one who makes these banners and was asked to check into the matter They make these 8 to 10 Ft. Long use 2 or 3 different materials with 2 poles Cheapess \$65.00 and one better \$75.00 to \$100.00 dollors. Joe Hackney then spoke on question and said it is a good idea can use it for Ladies Night, 4-H-Fair and other doings and get one 1st class. It was then moved by Chief Loveland and seconded by Norman Carey to get a good one. Motion carried.

Joe. Hackney spoke on parade and said entries are comming in good.

R sp. Leon Hubbard of the State Association announced that there will be a Caucus meeting of all Chief's, Delegates and Life members at the Egg Harbor City Fire House Friday night August 19th 1966 -8.00 P/m.

Secretary then read communication received from Mainland Regional approving date of Nov. 5th for Seminar. Communication recived and filed. Chief Carney said that the Seminar is worth while for everyone to attend.

Secretary then presented bill from Sealtest Food for Ice Cream for Picnic of \$15.82. Upon motion bill be paid.

Chief Klein spoke on the Seminar for the Ex. Committee he said it is very important to attend and get the worth while good brought to us by the well abled speakers from different parts of the Country, He said it seems to just a Limited few to-work and others to ride along He said everyone should work together and show more interst. And help us to keep the tickets down to \$1.00. Chief Taccarrino and Chief wolbert also spoke and said they think the Seminar are terrffic and worth there while.

Chief Taccarrino spoke on some of the Bills of the Legislative Committee.

The chair then announced that George Hudson of the Cologne Fire Dept. was elected Coordinator of the Hamilton Township fire Departments and made the introduction.

A motion to adjourn was next in order to meet at the Hammonton Fire House No 2 White Horse Pike Sept. 21st 1966

Refreshments served were enjoyed by all present.

Attest----- Henry F. Heitz Sec.

Hammonton N.J.
September 21th 1966

The regular monthly meeting of the Atlantic County Firemen's Association was held at the Hammonton Fire House No 2 White Horse pike on the above date with the President Chief William Carney presiding.

The meeting was called to order by Flag salute followed by singing of America,

The invocation was given by the Rev. Charles String of the St. Johns Reformed church of Egg Harbor City N.J.

Roll call of Chief's and Delegates was next in order.

The Secretary then read the minuets of the last meeting held at the Firemen's Amusement Hall in Pomona on August 17th 1966. Upon motion minuets were approved as read.

The Treasurers report was read at this time and upon motion accepted to be spread on the minuets.

Balance in General Fund Aug. 17th 1966	\$2818.19
Membership Dues	15.00

Total-----\$2833.19

Balance in Picnic Fund Aug. 17th 1966-----	\$415.26
Disourstments,-	
Sealtest Foods Ice Cream	15.82

Bal. in Picnic fund Sept. 21st 1966 Total----\$399.44

Balance in General fund & Picnic Fund Sept. 21st 1966-----	\$3232.63
Balance in Training Fund Sept 21st 1966-----	\$1340.83

Balance in bank as off Sept. 21st 1966-----\$4573.46

The chair then called on and introduced Chief John Santoro of the Hammonton Fire Dept. who welcomed all men to the City of Hammonton, The Chief's address of welcome was well recieved,

Secretary then read the minuets of a special meeting of the Ex. Committee held at the Absecon Fire Bouse on Sept. 2th 1966 Called by the President to discuss special business, For parade in Atl. City, Resolution from the Eastern International Association, recieved for Rev. Charles Sting, Secretary to get on touch with Rev, String to have him at the Hammonton Meeting to present it to him in person. Recomend to Association to ask Freeholders for \$1500 for training and \$2500 for Radio Policy Committee. And Insurance for the County for the whole year to cover anything that goes on in the County during the year. Chief Klein talked futher on the meeting. Upon motion minuets were accepted as read.

The chair then spoke on the International Chief's Meeting held in Boston and said one good feature brought up was of all the Hazardous items around He said that in a lot of places they have a destinated place in the County where these hazardous items are kept and if the Chief has any knowledge of one of these items called it in and it would be right at our finger tips, There are 12,00 pesticides, 850 chemicals and 12,000 other items listed in 3 books to look up.

Harold Weeks also spoke and thought to hold this over till after the Seminar.

The chair then spoke about the money from the Freeholder as other years, It was then moved and 2nd that Secretary write letter to Freeholders for \$1,500 for Training and \$2,500 for Radio Policy.

Eord, Klein and Bubeck then made a report of the Advisory Council meeting at Fort Dix. and said everything is moving along very good, State Manuel is now available and very instructive, They said that they had Mr. James Robertson State Fire Marshal of Maryland since 1909 there as the speaker of the evening and that they have \$140,000 in the Treasury. Baltimore has it own fire Marshal but all Counties work hand in hand, His talk was well recieved.

The chair then stated that the Assembly bill #679 of 10% tax, was snowballed and dropped.

Charles Guenther Chairman of Ladies night reported everything progressing for Nov. 19th. at Copsey's Dinner \$4.50 per person Jimmy Marshall for dancing and a show has been lined up. Tickets are now available from Chairman and Sec.

Walter Buzby Fire prevention Chairman said that fire prevention is approaching us in Oct. Most all have material and still has some available, He spoke of trying to help and said that there is an index of all pills in Directory which helps your heart and helps you to do something till you get to the hospital. Investigations of a few case going on at present.

On Radio Committee report Chair said that Howard Berchtold has resigned as chairman and has appointed Harold Weeks in his place Harold said this is his first meeting and at present has nothing to report.

Chief Loveland Chairman of thicketts for Seminar said he has tickets here tonight and would like to see all chiefs after the meeting.

The Chair then stated that he has a very pleasant task to preform at this time, and asked Rev. Charles String to come up to the Platform, At the Eastern Association Covention held in Atl. City Rev. String gave the invocation for the County Association and held Memorial services for the Departed members At the Easterns last meeting they drew up a resolution for the fine work done by Rev. String Chief Carney recieved this resolution and it was the expression of the Ex. Comm. to have the Rev. here for this meeting to present it to him in person. Rev. String thank Chief Carney and the Association for this thoughtful deed.

Joe. Mackney then thanked all Chief's and members who helped at the parade in Atl City and again said many thanks to all. The chair then thanked everyone for there cooperation and conduct in the parade.

The Secretary then presented the following bills, -Atlantic Flag Service Banner \$77.25
for County, -George Fenwick Sr. Tickets for Ladies Night, -Wm. Schoppy Trophy \$25.75
for Parade \$15.75
George Fenwick Sr. Tickets for Seminar \$15.75, -Edward Wolbert for Postage 9.49, -
The News Egg Harbor City For printing programs for Seminar 17.00, ~~Wm. Schoppy~~
~~for Trophy, for parade \$25.75~~ .Upon motion bills be paid Carried.

Chief Dingler then announced that James Gilkey, ^{an active fireman} of the Pleasantville Fire Dept. since June 1907 died and will be laid out at Adams Perfect on Thurs, night. was an active fireman all this time.

Secretary then made an announcement that Oceanville will have an open house

on Sunday Oct 9th 1966 Houseing of new Pumper everybody welcome Its-6.00P.M.

Chair then announceted that the next meeting night will be Past Presidents night
2, Past Pdesidents still living.

A Film was shown for the approval of the Ass'n to buy, Public relations cost
\$145.00 After seeing film it was moved and seconded that we return same with ~~let~~
letter of thanks,

A motion to adjourn was next in order to meet at the Folsm Fire House on Oct.
19th 1966.

Refreshments served were enjoyed by all present,-

Attest Henry F. Heitz Sec.

The regular monthly meeting of the Atlantic County Firemen's Association was held at the Folsom Fire House in Folsom on the above date with the President Chief William Carney opening the meeting and later presided byer by the 2 Past Presidents still living Lewis Ricci from Hammonton and Walter H.Ford from Longport.

The meeting was called to order by Fleg salute followed by singing of America.

Roll call of Chief's and Delegates was next in order.

Chief Joe Hackney then asked the President to call for a minuet of silent prayer for the 12 Firemen who lost their life in the big fire at New York City One Firemen who answered his first alarm was one of the men killed at this fire . And the President of this Association write a letter of condolence to the Chief of the New York Fire Depatment.

As this night was dessignated as Past Presidents night President Chief William Carney then turned over the meeting to the Two Past Presidents Lewis Ricci and walter H.Ford.

Both men then welcomed all men to Folsom and said they were glad to sit up front again and see such a big gathering here tonight.

The Secretary then read the minuets of the last meeting held at the Hammonton Fire House No.2 White Horse Pike on September 2Ith 1966. Upon motion minuets were approved as read .

The Treasurers report was read at this time and upon motion accepted to be spred on the minuets.

Balance in General Fund Sept.2Ith 1966	\$2833.19
Departments Dues	10.00
Membership Dues	50.00

 Total-----\$2893.19

Expenditures,-	
Atl. Flag service	\$77.25
George Fenwick Sr. tickets L.N.	15.75
William Schoppy Trophy	25.75

 Total-----\$118.75

Balance in General fund-----	\$2774.44
Balance in Picnic fund Sept.2Ist 1966-----	\$ 399.44

 Bal. in General fund & Picnic Fund -----\$3173.88

Balance in Training Fund -----	\$1340.83
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Expenditures,-	
Geo. Fenwick Sr, Tickets Seminar----	\$15.75
Ed. Wolbert postage	9.49
News Egg Harbor City programs	17.00

 Total-----\$42.24

Balance in Training fund Oct,19th 1966-----	\$1298.59
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 Balance in Bank Oct.19th 1966-----\$4472.47

secretary then read the minutes of the Ex. Committee meeting held at the Absecon Fire House on October 7th 1966. Upon motion minutes were accepted as read.

Harold Weeks Radio Policy Comm. reported progress.

Advisory Council no report.

Ed. Wolbert Training Committee nothing.

Charles Guenther Ladies night reported progress.

Subeck, -surplus equipment nothing to report.

Walsh Legislative Comm. No report

Buzby, -Fire Investigator. No report.

Chief Klein then stated that Howard Berchtold was stopped by a Trooper and asked him for his permit for his blue light. Howard was shown the law that all must have a permit, Luther Clark and William Runyon were contacted but had no reply. Chief Bill Storck of Colling Lake works in that division and explained what he knew about it. Harold Weeks also spoke on subject.

Henry Heitz manager to the home made a report of the meeting at the Home on Oct 8th All Officers were reelected for the ensuing year, And that a man from Atl. County Martin Stuzbach formerly of Egg Harbor City is at the Home and likes it very much up there.

The Secretary then gave a resumé of the Activities of the 2 Past Presidents while they were in Office Lewis Riccio served from January 1st 1949 to January 1st 1950. and Walter Ford from Jan. 1st 1950 to Jan. 1st 1957. Both men thanked the Association for inviting them to be here tonight and spoke briefly to all assembled.

Chief Carney then announced that there will be a county wide drill at the County buildings on Sunday October 23rd at 9.00 A.M. He said there should be no speed to get there, Drive Normally, No time limit. Chief Carney then thanked Frank Andrews for having taken care to have banner made for the County,

Chief Carney then spoke on Seminar Nov. 5th 1966 said Cape May County took 162 tickets hopes Atl. County will turn out strong. Very good program is on for that day.

Secretary then presented the following bills Fischers Flowers for flowers for John Glas Longport \$10.30 and Poley Bros. flowers for James Gilkey \$7.50 upon motion bills be paid.

Communication received from Joe. Hackney Many thanks for the good turn out and help for the Parade held in Atl. City .

Communication received from Eleanor Gilkey Jarish Daughter of Jim Gilkey Your Kindness and sympathy are more deeply appreciated than any words of thanks can ever express.

Communication received from New Jersey Cooperative Extension Service Stating that we would appreciate it if you could get us the names and addresses of all of the Fire Chiefs in Atl. County. Thanking you for your assistance Charles A. Dupras. Agent. Upon motion Secretary sent Names of Chiefs to same.

Communication recieved from Atl. County 4/H/Fair Association thanking your Association for taking part at the fair for 1966 and all that took part in same. Recieved and filed.

Secretary then tresent3d the following application for membership, H.E.Conover Jr, Hayview and Alan W.Loser of Pomona . Upon motion they were accepti into this Ass'n.

A motion to adjourn was next in order to meet at Fire House No.2 Somers Point N.J. Nov. 16th 1966.

Refreshments served were enjoyed by all present.

Attest Henry F. Reitz Sec.

Somers Point N.J.
November 16th 1966

The regular monthly meeting of the Atlantic County Firemen's Association was held at the Fire House No 1 Somers Point N.J. on the above date with the President Chief William Carney presiding

The meeting was called to order by Flag salute followed by singing of America.

Roll call of Chief's and delegates was next in order.

The Secretary then read the minutes of the last meeting held at the Folsom Fire House Folsom N.J. on October 19th 1966. Upon motion minutes were approved as read.

The Treasurers report was read at this time and upon motion accepted to be spread on the minutes.-

Balance in general fund Oct 19th 1966-----	\$2774.44
Received from Chief Loveland Seminar Tickets-----	197.00
Received from Chief Loveland Seminar tickets -----	25.00
Received from Chief Fish from Exhibitors-----	125.00
Total-----	\$3181.44

Expenditures,-

Richard Werner 169 Seminar dinners At \$1.50-----	\$259.30
Daddy-B-Donuts-----	25.20
Poley Flowers James Gilkey-----	7.50
Fischers Flowers for John Glass-----	10.30
Total-----	\$302.30

Balance in general fund-----	\$2679.14
Balance in Picnic Fund-----	399.44

bal. in general fund and Picnic fund-----\$3278.58

Balance in Training Fund Oct. 19th 1966-----\$1298.59

Expenditures,-

Lafayette Radio & Electronic Tapes	\$52.98
Robert Cyrus seminar-----	75.00
Harold Richman seminar-----	75.00
Harry Hudson Janitor -----	15.00
News Printing Programs-----	17.00

Total-----\$234.98

Balance in Training Fund-----\$1063.61

Balance in Bank Nov. 16th 1966-----\$4342.19

The chair at this time called on and introduced Chief Micheal Denan Jr. of the Somers Point No.2 Fire Dept. who welcomed all men to the City and said they done a lot of remodeling since we were there last, and said he hopes we will have a good time after the meeting. The Chief in turn then introduced the Fire Commissioner of Somers Point John Buenzel The Commissioner then welcome all and said he feels proud of the Atl. County Association and that Somers Point is a part of it in every way. He said that Chief Denan and Chief Fitzpatrick are doing a wonderful job and especially done a tremendous job at the County Buildings.

The chair then called on and introduced Chief Ray Gibney of Jersey City.

Chief John Brennan of the Bayonne Fire Dept. And Chief Edward A. Beadle of the Union City Fire Dept. 2nd Vice President of the Eastern Association. who spoke on High Pressure Fog wagon and gave an interesting talk on same. He said he would like to put on a little campaign on membership into the Eastern Ass'n. and the International Ass'n. He said the eastern enrollment is 1,370 and the International Ass'n 6114 He left Application with the President Chief William Carney fee \$15.00.

Chief Klein chairman of the Ex. Committee then reported that the Bus from Ocean City is now in Northfield with Licenses on it and asked for volunteers to form a Maintenance Committee which would work with the Radio Committee for the maintenance of this bus, Insurance is carried by the County, Chief Carney said the condition of the bus is good and steering is in good condition Bus are furnished by the Board of Freeholders. Howard Berchtold said that the money is coming from the Freeholders and no money from the County Association Chief Stewart, Hubb Hubbard, Wm. O. Gill, ~~said to get an estimate~~ and Pete Bernato spoke on the subject, O Gill said to get an estimate Berenato said to get things going, after a lot of back and forth talking It was moved by Leon Hubbard seconded by Harry Roesch that the sum not to exceed \$100.00 ^{a month} be allotted the Committee to ~~work~~ work with. Tom Walsh then moved that this be returned to the Ex. Committee to get a concrete form of the cost and bring it back to the County Leon Hubbard seconded this motion.

Chief Carney said he would like to get 3 books for the Information center cost \$4.75 a book. This was moved by Walsh seconded by Guenther, Carried

Chief Carney said he is in need of another cabinet for storage of County equipment. cost \$42.00 Moved by Hubbard seconded by Heitz. Carried.

Chief Klein asked for the floor and said he has received a copy of the law about the Blue Lights from the Motor Vehicle regulations Emergency Vehicles Lights, and sirens Identification Lights regulations to members of the Fire Companies. The light must be equipped with a blue lens, not in excess of 6 1/2 inches in diameter

Radio Committee had a meeting tonight on bus.

Charles Guenther reported everything set for Ladies night Nov. 19th 1966

Walter Suzby Fire Prevention and investigator nothing new some cases in process, Pamphlets from Eastern Ass'n have good advise for Fire Prevention.

Chief Carney reported on County drill at County buildings was very good everything went over O.K. No Bonners Firemen and Rescue Squads and Communications was main factor. Had problem with calls.

Secretary presented following bills National Fire Protection Ass'n for 3 books on Hazardous Material \$14.25 Motorola Communications & Electronics Inc. \$5.00 Charneys Inc. cabinet for Carney \$43.78 It was then moved and seconded bills be paid. Carried.

Secretary then presented the following application for membership, Charles Roff Somers Point, Warren Coffee Albert Alsson and Robert Riley all from Elwood Upon motion they were accepted into this Association, Carried

Secretary read Communications and upon motion they were accepted and filed.

Al. Popa of Newtonville Fire Dept. said that a fireman from the Vineland Fire Dept. went to a big fire in Vineland at 8.25 Building had a lot of bails of

plastic was overcome by tockin gas and was dead at 9.25. Al. made a motion to sent the Chief of Vinland a letter of condolence left a wife and 2 children and that they started a fund for the widow and children and wondered if this Ass'n wanted to do something and pass a hat . It was then moved by Thom Walsh seconded by chief Russer that we give a donation of \$25.00 from this Ass'n and hat be passed around motion carried. \$65.00 was realized by passing the hat and donation of \$25.00 Secretary sent a check to the Harry Mazzochi Fund %-of Vineland Time Journal off \$90.00 .

Henry F. Heitz Manager to the Home said it was time again for the Xmas party at the home It was then moved by Klen seconded by Chief Stewart we sent \$25.00 to the Xmas party at the home. motio] carried.

Secretary then announced that the meeting in Scullville will be observed as the County Xmas Party men to bring gift not to exceed \$1.00.

A motion to adjourn was next in order to meet at the Scullville fire House Dec. 21st 1966

Refreshments served were enjoyed by all present,

Attest,-Henry F. Heitz Sec.

Scullville N.J.
Dec. 21st 1966

The regular monthly meeting of the Atlantic County Firemen's Association was held on the above date at the Fire House Scullville N.J. with the President Chief William Carney presiding.

The meeting was called to order by Flag salute followed by singing of America.

Roll call of Chief's and Delegates was next in order

The Secretary then read the minuetts of the last meeting held at the Fire House no Somers Point N.J. on Dec. 21st 1966. Upon motion minuetts were approved as read.

The Treasurers report was read at this time and upon motion accepted to be spread on the minuetts,-

Balance in General Fund Nov. 16th 1966-----	\$2879.14
Ladies night Ticket Money-----	\$1362.00
Walter Bozby Radio Fund-----	10.00
Collection for Harry Mazzochi Fund-----	65.00
Seminar Tickets-----	7.00
Applications -----	4.00
Membership Dues-----	4.00
Donation F-----	.56

Total-----\$4331.70

Disburstments,-

National Fire protection Ass'n-----	\$ 14.25
Copsey's for ladies night dinners-----	\$1342.16
Motorola Communications-----	5.00
New Jersey Fireman's Home Xmas party-----	25.00
Harry Mazzochi Fund Vineland-----	90.00
Charney's cabinet for Chief Carney-----	43.78
Transfeered to Atl. County Communication Program--	\$2300.00

Total-----\$3820.19

Balance in General Fund Dec. 21st 1966-----	\$ 510.95
Picnic fund Balance -----	\$399.44
Donation -----	.56

Balance-\$400.00

Disburstments,-

Jimmy Marshal Dancing Ladies Night-----	\$125.00
William Klinger Show Ladies night-----	\$275.00

Total-----\$400.00--Balance none.

Training Fund ,-

Balance Nov. 16th 1966-----	\$1063.61
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Disburstments,-

LafayetteeElectronics-----	\$11.27
Lennis Hotel Seminar Expenses-----	\$27.86
Dennis Hotel Seminar Expenses-----	\$15.45

Total-----\$54.45

Balance in Training fund Dec. 21st 1966----	\$1009.03
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Transfeered from General fund Account to Atl. County Communications Program
\$2300.00

Balance in Training fund Dec.21st 1966-----\$1009.03

Balance in General fund Dec.21st 1966----- 510.95

Balance in bank as of Dec.21st 1966-----\$3819.98

The Chair at this time called on and introduced Chief Anthony Canale of the City of Bargaintown who is the Township Chief, The Chief's Address of welcome was well recieved, The Chief then in turn introduced Chief Fred wetzel of the Scouville Fire Department who said he was glad to see such a good turn out tonight, and said he hopes we will have a good time and wished all a Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year, Chief wetzel then introduced the Chief of Bargaintown who is also the Mayor of Egg Harbor Township Mayor Charles Canale, who welcomed all men to Bargaintown in behalf of the Township and said he hopes we will have a good meeting and also that we will have a good time and enjoy areselfs the rest of the evening.

The chair then ask for a report of the Ex.Committee Chairman Klein then asked the Secretary to read the minuets of the last meeting, Secretary then read the minuets of the Ex.Comm. meeting held at the Absecon Fire House Dec,2nd 1966 Sec. to get in touch with Rev.String for Memorial services at Egg Harbor Meeting Chief Carney got the 3 books for Imformation. Chief Carney then introduced Bob. Lemon of Dis 15 Bargaintown who is going to take over the imformation centergoing to be a 3 phase operation.Chief Carney reported 64 attended the Camden County Seminar It was moved and passed that we have another Seminar in February. Chief Joe. Hackney attended this meeting to talk about the parade next year, Shiners to parade the same day as Firemen thought maybe have it the night before start 8.OOP/m.open for discussion. Upon motion minuets were accepted as read,

Chief Carney then brought up the question about another Seminar after some discussion It was moved by Chief Seelmann seconded by Bob.Littfield that we hold another Seminar in Feb. Motion carried,

Chief Guenther then made a report of Ladies night and said it was well attended and a Financial sucess.

Thomas Walsh Legislative Committee had no report. Thom said he had different request made on different bills and asked for a change be made to this effect, and asked the men to drop him a note or write him a letter rather than Phone calls or write him a letter rather than phone calls or conversations.

The chair then called on and introduced Bob,Lemon of the Information center who had a chart for different cades and chemicals Hazards, Job. then explained the use of all colores yellow, Blue, Red and White he disgusted it throughly.

Chief Klein spoke on Communication program and said the Bus is now at Fillings garage in Pomona. Chief also said that the Hess Oil Company is giving away Oil tankers for tank wagons.

Secretary then presented bill for Secretary's Salary, Cards, and others for \$228.00. Upon motion bills be paid , Carried

Bessor + Gardiner-\$113.00 and Larry Smith \$132.01
Secretary then present Application of John F.Price of the Farmington Fire Dept. Upon motion he was accepted into this Ass'n.

At this time we went into nomination of Officersfor the year 1967, It was then moved by Thom.walsh that the present slate of Officers be nominated for the year 1967. This was seconded by Horace Bates, It was then moved by Walsh seconded

By Hand that Nominations be closed. Carried.

President-----Chief Carney-----Northfield
1st Vice President-----Chief Earl Loveland--Port Republic
2nd Vice President-----Charles Guenther-----Pomona
Sec-Treasurer-----Henry F. Heitz -----Egg Harbor City
Executive Committee

Charles Klein-----Germania
John Fish-----Absecon
Richard Fitzpatrick-----Somers Point
Charles Bubeck-----Egg Harbor City
Pete Berenato-----Hammonton
Meeting places for the year 1967
February-15-----Germania
March----15-----Atlantic City
April----19th -----Linwood
May--3--17th-----Newtonville
June-----21th-----Pleasantville
July-----19th-----Longport
August---16th -----Dorothy
September 20th-----Hammonton
October--18th-----Folsom
November-15th-----Somers Point
December-20th-----Farmington
January--17th-1968-----Egg Harbor City
Chief's Unit Meeting
April----11th-----Weekstown
July-----11th-----Bayview
October--10th-----Oceanville
January--9th-1968-----Absecon

Norman Carey then asked for the floor and said that the Secretary's brief case is all wore out and torn It was then moved by Horaces Bates seconded by Norman Carey Secretary buy a new Brief case, Carried

At This time we went into the spirit of Xmas and gifts were given out and exchanged,

A motion to adjourn was next in order to meet at the Egg Harbor City Fire House January 18th 1967.

Refreshments served were enjoyed by all present.

Attest Henry F. Heitz Sec.