

Minutes - North Central Division
American Phytopathological Society
August 27, 1980
University of Minnesota

The meeting of the North Central Division of the American Phytopathological Society was called to order 4 PM, August 27, 1980 by president Howard Bissonnette.

Announcements by Dr. Bissonnette included future meeting sites. They will be as follows:

- 1981 - South Dakota State University, Brookings (with North Central Branch of the American Society of Agronomy)
- 1982 - University of Wisconsin
- 1983 - Iowa State with APS
- 1984 - Ohio State

There could not be graduate student competition at the national meeting but Dr. Bissonnette urged that we continue this practice.

Dr. Paul Williams, NC Councilor, reported that council had a comprehensive revision of the constitution under study. He also reported on budget matters, much about Plant Disease, and that our tax exempt status was covered under the national organization, but we must file a financial report. A financial report has been filed for 1979.

The motion to accept the 1979 North Central minutes passed as did the motion to accept the treasurers report. These will be placed on file.

Dr. Jack Otta has left South Dakota State University and resigned his position as N.C. president.

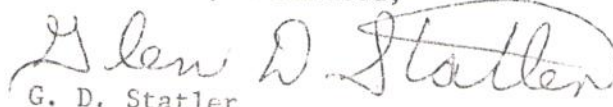
Dr. Paul Williams nominated Dr. Wayne Gardner as president. Since there were no other nominations, it was moved that we cast a unanimous ballot for Dr. Gardner. Motion carried. Dr. Gardner will be responsible for the 1981 meeting in South Dakota.

Dr. Bob Nyvalle, Chairman of the Nominating Committee, nominated Gayle Worf vice president for next year to be president in 1982. Since there were no other nominations, it was moved to cast a unanimous ballot for Dr. Worf. Motion carried. The Councilor, Dr. Williams, and the secretary, Dr. Statler, were elected in 1978 and serve a 3 year term (1978-1981).

Dr. Horton, Head of the Department of Plant Science at South Dakota State University welcomed N.C. members to South Dakota at Brookings for the joint meeting with the North Central branch of the Agronomy Society June 24, 25, and 26, 1981.

Meeting adjourned at 4:30 PM.

Respectfully submitted,


G. D. Statler
Secretary