

QUEBEC RUBBER & PLASTICS GROUP
MINUTES OF EXECUTIVE MEETING APRIL 16, 1981
HELD AT LE BARON HOTEL SHERBROOKE, QUE.

40TH ANNIVERSARY

Photos taken at 40th anniversary meeting on March 19, 1981 are excellent. A glossy print of each of Nos. 20, 23 and 28 are to be submitted to the commercial press. A print of the group of past chairmen present at that meeting is to be sent to each of them.

DONATIONS

Only 19 donations have been received to date. A second reminder was mailed out on April 15, 1981.

TECHNOLOGY COURSE

Considerable discussion took place with regard to the holding of a proper intensive technical course on rubber compounding. Question was what are we trying to accomplish. Don Wright to investigate the possibility of establishing a rubber technology course for the fall of 1981. This could be: (1) The basic Akron rubber course explained by competent speakers and (2) The Akron second level course for the following year as a possibility. The aim of the course is to train rubber technicians.

HOUSE

Mike Aubut reported that 12 new speaker's mugs have been purchased. Mike also suggested that house and membership be combined and that this director be responsible for location of meetings, notice of meetings, and membership. The incoming chairman to consider this proposition.

It was agreed on a motion by B. Venne, seconded by R. McMillan that present recording secretary arrangement be dispensed with and that the proposed house membership director be responsible for all membership correspondence including advice of meetings. Carried.

The membership should be advised as to what transpired at the last meeting by a resumé from the program director to be forwarded to the house-membership director for mailing with the notice of the ensuing month's meeting.

PUBLICITY

A reporter from a Sherbrooke newspaper consumed approximately one half hour for an interview for a prospective article for his newspaper. This was the first ever meeting the Q.R.P.G. held in Sherbrooke.

ELECTIONS

This was postponed due to lack of time. Nominations for new directors to date are Lorraine Binette, Daniel Deschambault and Gilles Bolodeau. The latter agreed to stand only if all directorships cannot be filled.

EXECUTIVE MEETING

Since it was not possible to complete all business before 6:00 p.m., it was agreed to hold another meeting in Cowansville on May 6, 1981. B. Venne to confirm this date.

ATTENDANCE:

Present were: A. Mayhew, B. Venne, M. Aubut, R. McMillan,
D. Wright, N. Stevenson.

These minutes compiled by N. Stevenson in the absence of J. Tontsch.