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AUSTIN GILBERT & SULLIVAN SOCIETY
January 1984 Newsletter II

NEXT MEETING: Monday, February 13th at 7:30 pm, at Gail White's, 1029 East 44th St. For directions call Gail at 453-0006, or Reba at 327-2277. Please bring refreshments. We will sing *Ruddigore*. Anyone who has a score should bring it.

Note: We decided to try the second Monday of the month again, to see if it is a more convenient meeting time than the customary first Monday. If not, please let us know.

LAST MEETING: 20 members attended the first meeting of the new year on January 9th at Enid Hallock's. Guests who arrived at the end of the business meeting were: Bob and Janet Leyon, and Johanna Lawrence.

Sharon Kite presented the annual Financial Report. The members expressed thanks to Sharon, who has been a reliable and faithful Treasurer for three years.

Reba Gillman reported no further information concerning the total cast photo of *The Gondoliers*, which is still not available to the many people who paid for it. Reba also reported that Jess Walters would indeed be interested in a revival of *Trial By Jury*, but not this year.

Jim Robinson reported that the Texas Poetry Society would like us to do a half hour program at their Awards meeting in May. The date and exact program need to be worked out. The group voted to do the program as requested, and to leave the arrangements in the hands of the new Executive Committee.

The slate of new officers was elected by acclamation:

President:	Bob Kusnetz
Executive Vice President:	Loel Graber
Production Vice President:	Gail White
Publicity Vice President:	Sharon Beehler
Treasurer:	Carole Smith
Secretary:	Reba Gillman
Historian:	Elizabeth Vickers

Len Gillman suggested a vote of thanks to all the retiring officers for their hard work.

The proposal to Zachary Scott Theatre Center for a co-production in the 1984-85 season is due in January. There was considerable discussion of which shows to suggest. A vote to determine the preferred shows had the following results:

<i>Ruddigore</i>	<u>11</u>
<i>Pinafore</i>	4
<i>Sorcerer</i>	3
<i>Iolanthe</i>	1

Bob Kusnetz and Reba will be responsible for getting in our proposal.

Bob reported on the status of the ACTV video tape of *The Gondoliers*. The basic tape is nearly finished, but has been delayed for lack of some information. The project should be completed soon after the information is supplied.

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As the new president, Bob made a brief acceptance speech. He thanked the members for their confidence, despite his recent prolonged absence from Austin on business. He hopes to return on a permanent basis late in February. He described his concerns and hopes for the Gilbert & Sullivan Society. He sees three major areas of activity for the Society:

1. Production - shows, concerts
2. Social, including singing for fun
3. Community Service, which includes such performances as the Amster Soirée, and the proposed program for the Texas Poetry Society

He hopes to poll the members on the best meeting time, and what they want to do.

The meeting was adjourned for refreshments, followed by singing. Susan Ely accompanied a rousing rendition of *Iolanthe*, taking up where we left off at the previous meeting, and ending with the finale of Act I.

The new Executive Committee met briefly as other members socialized. Plans were made to attend to the Society business in Bob's absence.

FLASH: Enid Hallock will play the part of Marcellina, in the March production of *The Marriage of Figaro* at the Capitol City Playhouse. Jess Walters is directing, and we look forward to a delightful production. More information later.

REQUEST: Historian Elizabeth Vickers asks that members give her any material which should be included in the Society scrap book.

A NEW MEMBERSHIP LIST is enclosed. If there are any corrections please call me. Also, if you have any information or news for the Newsletter please get it to me by the last Friday of the month.



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